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THE RESPONSIBILITY OF YOUTH

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Most of us look upon the youthful part of our lives as being the most carefree as well as the most enjoyable. It is a time when all responsibilities can be left to others of our generation and all that is necessary is to enjoy the activities and privileges which come our way. Children depend upon their elders for material needs, physical needs, mental needs, as well as spiritual needs. Little or no thought is given to the responsibility in furnishing the necessities of daily living. Often, too, they become impatient and critical of parents and friends when they fail to give them what they want and cater to their every whim and desire. No responsibility is felt for the activities of the community in which they live nor the family of which they are a part. When thwarted in desires they become harsh and cruel to those in authority. The family, community and friends must revolve about them and give them the attention which they crave. During these years little thought is given to duties and responsibilities toward others.

It is true that our youth should be a time of happiness and joy, but not to the extent that we become a burden to our family, community and friends. Youth too has its responsibilities. The first in a list of responsibilities is that to the parents. You are a part of them and more precious to them than all their other earthly possessions wrapped together. Their lives are centered about you and they wish to give you all that is within their power to give. It is characteristic of the average parent to want to give more to the child than they were ever able to have. This opens the door to start making demands upon them. We demand more of their time than they can justly give; we drain the purse dry God Church, will be guest speaker with requests for more material goods. Little do we realize at a Home Missions rally to be that we are inflicting hardships upon them which are often held at the Hatteras Assembly of let it lapse. almost beyond endurance. They deprive themselves of God Church, Tuesday, Feb. 7th, at "Figures of the Veterans Adminmany of the material goods for the joys which they could 7:00 p.m. The service is being istration show very clearly," Scott receive from our love and consideration. These hardships staged simultaneously with 300 are brought about simply because we do not think of the parent, but we are selfishly thinking of self.

What can be done about it? Usually the family income which starts off the Assemblies of is not a secret from the members of the family. Do you God drive to complete the 1,000 know how much of this income must go for food, shelter, church crusade this year, will be medical bills, necessary clothing, and the other necessities of daily living? In this era if often takes a great deal of Church." During 1955 the Home stretching to make the family income meet the daily necessities of the family. When we consider the money coming sities of the family against the property of the family against the money coming springfield, Mo., assisted in the into the family against the part that is taken for require- establishment of some 400 new ments, it gives us a better idea of how much is left for in-churches. Additional assemblies dividual family allowance. When this is determined we have been added to the Assemblies should be careful to stay within our allowance and refrain of God at the rate of more than from asking for more. A new dress or a new suit is not so one each day for the past 10 years. important to us if we know that it will cause mother to have Participating in the local rally will

to buy gasoline. It is perhaps easier to adjust the family budget to meet rallies held last year totaled 186 some of the unexpected expenses in the family than it is for with an estimated 20,900 attendthe parents to condone and approve many of our social ac- ance. More than 40,000 persons are tions. Since we are their pride and joy they want everyone expected to attend the rallies held additional chance to get insurance to see us with the same loving eyes. Each family has a code this year. The Assemblies of God of social behavior by which the members of the family now ranks ninth, church-wise, out abide. When we go contrary to this social pattern the entire of 254 denominations reporting to family is affected. Just because the parents do not approve the 1956 Year Book of American rean veterans in the state now markers will constitute the entire just because the parents do not approve of some social action we often consider them to be "old fogy" and out of keeping with the times. They may not be in keeping with what the boys at the drugstore are doing, or what the girls at school say; yet are we sure that these boys or girls are right? Just because they say so or are doing bership of the Assemblies of God a thing does not make it right. They too, just like you, are has shown a 65% gain within the searching for a pattern of living. There can be no better past ten years. Currently the deplace to find this pattern than by discussing it frankly with our parents. Your parents are older and much more experienced than you and should be able to give advice and help in formulating such a social pattern. One of the great commandments is "Honor thy father and mother." Are

you deliberately going to break this commandment?

Another responsibility is to the family. We must in joining, the denomination ranks addition to the above-stated responsibilities, help to maintain an air of happiness, helpfulness, and a spirit of brotherly love among the members of the family. Consider the feeling of each member of the family and refrain from enfringing upon the rights and privileges in the family group. Such argument as: Who will have the family car tonight?; Whose turn is it to wash the dishes?; can easily be avoided with a little consideration. Usually when one is feeling that he or she is being neglected in the family group, or the Sunday School is more reprethat the parents are being more partial to one member than sentative of the size of the moveanother is caused by the individual harboring such ideas. There is a feeling of guilt within him and he is compensating trying to shift the blame to other members. Our family arguments could be avoided easily if enough time is given to the problem. When the individuals with the disagreement sit down and talk about it then, intelligently, it is easily solved. It is easy to use argument as a quick solution to the ranks 5th with some 743 workers problem or if this does not work to try the short cut of a temper tantrum in the form of pouting, slamming doors, world. In addition to the mission- Hatteras National Seashore Recrecrying, calling others ugly names, or some other outward sign of dislike. Often it gets what you want. The way is then has more than 5,000 native workpayed for its use a second time when the occasion arises. It becomes such a problem solver at home that it is tried at school or in the community, but this time it does not of the denomination's work inwork so well because it is used on persons who do not have vour love and welfare uppermost in mind. Thus, a pattern deaf, Alaskan, industrial chaplainof bad habits has been formed which will cause much grief and misunderstanding in the future. Nothing takes the place of intelligent discussion with an open mind.

the social group and public institutions found there. When you go contrary to the social customs of a community you hindrance to our fellow men and have lowered our national immediately direct severe criticism and idle gossip toward society one notch. yourself. When you break these unwritten social laws you Finally, we have yourself. When you break these unwritten social laws you must be doubly sure that you can justify your actions. the principles of Christianity. Our church is dependent upon Many communities pride themselves in the fact that they the membership and the youth of the church is of great Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Perry. are made up of decent, law-abiding families. You immedi-importance. ately become outcasts within the community when you shatter this pride. Sometimes the solution is to drop to a leadership and living will determine the strength of the community with lower standards of living and thus lower church omorrow. You are the ones who can attract and

We owe allegiance to our state and nation which is influence over youth is youth itself.

THE AMERICAN WAY





A Friendly Gesture Misunderstood

ASSEMBLIES IN DARE TAKE PART IN RALLY

Home Mission Rally To Be Held in Hatteras February 6th; Rev. Crane, Speaker.

The' Rev. Benjamin F. Crane, God Church, will be guest speaker apply for National Life Insurance other such rallies throughout the U.S. Theme of the local rally, "Every Church Help Start Another to cut down on the family meals, or deprive father of money include all the Assemblies of God Churches on the Outer Banks from Oregon Inlet to Ocracoke. Similar Churches. Work of the Pentecostal-missionary church began 41 years ago and has mush-roomed into one of the fastest growing denominations in the world. Memnomination's churches number 7,-320 in the U.S. and some 5,000 abroad. Membership of American Assemblies of God churches is approximately 400,047. Although many churches have no register 27th in membership out of 260 denominations in the U.S. In terms of ministers, the Year Book of American Churches placed the Assemblies 8th with ranks of seventh for Sunday School workers and eleventh in Sunday School enrollment. Officials of the Assem-

School had 80,800 workers and a

national enrollment of 775,100. A

the enrollment to 1,000,000 by

1960. The expanding foreign programs of the Assemblies of God

serving in 69 countries of the

aries, the Assemblies of God also

ers serving on the various mission

fields. Some 200 home missions

deaf, Alaskan, industrial chaplain-

SCOTT'S BILL PROVIDES CHANCE TO RENEW U.S.

Washington, January 25.-Sen W. Kerr Scott said today that he will sponsor legislation that would give both World War II and pastor of the Avon Assembly of Korean veterans an opportunity to in cases where veterans failed to apply for it while in service or

said, "that many veterans either never applied for government life insurance while in service or have let it lapse since they left service."

Long in offering the measure, said it does not make any additional persons eligible for the insurance. already entitled to it a limited period of time to renew it or take it out," Scott said.

Under the measure, persons who served in the armed forces between October 8, 1940, and September 2, 1945, would be given a year to apply for government insurance.

"failed to take out government inlapse. These same people now realize that they made a mistake, and I feel that they deserve an they are entitled to have."

Scott said that there are a total veterans in the state now. Of this number, only 135,000 have kept up their government insurance, he said.

BIDS FOR FACILITIES AT BODIE ISLAND AND CAPE

The Superintendent, Cape Hatteras National Seashore, announced today that invitations for bids for construction of day use structures at Coquina Beach (Bodie Island) and a modern comfort station at Cape Point have been mailed to prospective bidders. Representatives of the National Park Service will interview interested contractors at the site beginning at 9 a.m. Monday, January 30, through Friday, February 3. The work consists of Boardwalks: laminated wood shade structures; rest rooms and dressing stalls all on blies of God have pointed out that piling and include water, sewage disposal and electric system installations. ment. As of 1954 the Sunday

The design of the Bodie Island structure has been recognized as drive is now underway to boost the best in the field of recreational facilities for 1955 and will therefore have nationwide interest.

The bid opening will be at 2:00 p.m., February 16, 1956, at the office of the Superintendent, Cape tional Area.

pastor to this convention.

By ALVIN W. PRICE, Sectional Presbyter.

founded upon the principles of democracy. Thus we should live democratically and strive always to uphold the princi-You also have a responsibility to your community and ples of our American heritage. If we fail to uphold our share of the responsibility of democratic society we are a

How well the youth today train themselves in Christtian standards of social conduct. Not only do you injure your-selves but families and friends also feel the sting of such conduct.

SAYS GOV. WORKERS SAVE A QUARTER MILLION

To The Editor, In a recent issue of the Coastand Times you printed a cartoon that gave the impression that you favor the contracting out of work that has been and will be efficiently and economically accomplished by Federal Government employees

A recent example of this efficiency was demonstrated recently plant completed a two and one half million dollar job (contractors bid) for a total cost of two and one quarter million dollars in the same estimated time thus saving the taxpayers one quarter million \$50 per plate dinner Jackson-Jefdollars.

It may also interest you to known that many Outer Bankers working on this job helped to make this saving possible and if this work is contracted out it can put these neighbors of yours out of

Sincerely WALTER ROSTRON, President Lodge 902, American Federation of Government Employes. 516 Lafayette Ave. Prospect Park, Pa.

24 January, 1956 Editors Note. In answer to the above letter, before we could pass an opinion, we would need this statement backed up by the au-NATIONAL INSURANCE thority able to certify it. Also we'd like to know what Federal agencies participated. It is so extremely rare that any Government employes can do things cheaper than private contractors, we'd like some more details, location of this job, how the figures were arrived at, etc.

BREAKWATER (Continued from Page One)

at this time. The entrance channel from deep water in the Pamlico to the basin was dredging to six feet deep by 100 feet wide in Scott, who will join Sen. Russell 1936. The project includes the basin, but no work has been done on extending the channel to include the basin. At this time the project 'It merely gives veterans who are is considered about 43 per cent complete. This project was authorized by the River and Harbor Acts of 1935 and 1945. Construction costs to date total \$20,125.

"The low bidder on the breakwater job will have approximately 30 days to begin the work after he has been awarded the contract "Many veterans," Scott said, and given the "notice to proceed." Awarding of the contract and the surance while in service or let it notice usually follow the bid opening by only a few days.

The east wing will be 375 feet job."

FESTIVAL (Continued from Page One)

Financially Speaking

Financially, as a result of adustments agreed upon by the Tourist Bureau board of directors, the organization is currently in good shape but to continue the work of promotion for what looks ike a banner season for the Dare Coast, investors in the program should be prompt in paying their pledges.

KILL DEVIL HILLS SUMMER RESIDENT DIES MONDAY.

Hunter H. Taylor, who is prominent summer resident of Kill Devil Hills died in the Ahoskie hospital Monday afternoon. He was a brother of the late Mrs. Nannie T. Hurdee of Kitty Hawk and has several relatives in this area. His parents were the late Capt. Hilary and Jane Evans Taylor of Hertford County, and he resided at Harrellsville, where he was bank director, merchant, large landowner, farmer, sawmill operator and active layman in the Methodist Church. He was 78 years old, and survived his wife by about a week.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. John Atwater of Greensboro cy, and American Indian division and Mrs. H. B. Spruill of Windsor, Rev. Herman C. Dew is host five grandsons, one brother, Walter Raleigh Taylor of College Park, Ga. Funeral was from the Methodist church and burial in Ahoskie cemetery Wednesday aft-

COLINGTON PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Saint Clair Gaimel of Norfolk visited here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bateman and son Jimmy spent the week end with Mrs. Bateman's parents,

Mrs. Zelda Shirk spent week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jepp Gaimel. Miss Judy Midgette is visiting

her aunt, Mrs. Matthew Stevens, at Virginia Beach. Mrs Barbara Fraderick is spend-

-voral works with Mrs. Beck Sandune. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Meekins and and Mrs. Jack Adams.



tinues in India. Riots resulted in between 1949 and '52-three years. some 50 dead in revolts over political affairs.

lulu. There was no doctor on board. freeze.

DEMOCRATIC DINNER - A ferson day in Raleigh on February 25th will feature Senator Stuart Symington of iMssouri as speaker.

MURDER-SUICIDE - In the presence of their 16-year old daughter, Thomas W. Ives, 41 shot and killed his wife after a bitter argument, in Hampton, Va.

TRAIN WRECK-There were 88 casualties, including 20 dead in the wreck of a Santa Fe diesel train in California Saturday night. of them quitting. The train turned over while roundng a curve.

nahogany dugout crossed the Atlantic to the West Indies in 65 days, piloted from Portugal by Dr. Hannes Linderman 33, of Hamburg, Germany.

PILES OF PROPERTY-There France. is said to be 46 million dollars worth of surplus Government property in N. C. received as gifts World War II.

FALSE ALARM-Two firemen were injured in Wilson when their In Washington, Representative truck collided with another vehicle Barden, of N. C. hit at reformers while answering a false alarm who seek to inject the forced increated by electric trouble in a fire tegration of the schools with soalarm box.

SLAYS DAUGHTER - Hugh McCoy, 87 of Mass. killed his daughter, Ethel, 57, because he afraid she would lose her job, and ne would be penniless.

ormer headwaiter of the Waldorf licted for failing to report more attorney.

RIOTS IN INDIA-Unrest con- than \$67,000 he received in tips

VEGETABLES UP-Customers may expect big jumps in prices BORN AT SEA-Mrs. Robert of fresh vegetables, some of which when government employees and Henderson, on an airliner, 200 have already gone up in the gromiles at sea, gave birth to a ceries, due to the crop loss in daughter while bound for Hono- Florida resulting from the big

> ISRAEL CENSURED - The Hebrew nation Israel which occupies lands taken from the Arabs who were driven out to make room for "displaced" Jews, was censured by the United Nations for an unwarranted attack upon Syrian

> QUITTING CONGRESS - Despite big increases in salaries, more than a dozen members of Congress have announced their intention of quitting at the end of this term. Pensions which will be available, may be the reason for about five

HELPING BOTH - A news source from England says tanks OCEAN VOYAGE-A 25-foot and other war supplies have been furnished undercover from that country in about equal value to both Israel and Egypt, two countries at war. Some 200 tanks, declared obsolete, got out to the customers by way of Belgium and

SEGREGATION UNDERCUR-RENT-Governors of five southern from the Federal Government since states met in Virginia to discuss the interposition doctrine that is being promulgated as a result of the Supreme segregation decision. cial and labor legislation into bills for public schools.

CHIEF ACQUITTED—Charges were dropped against police chief wanted her to die before he did, Reeves Johnson of Virginia Beach, and he called the police. He was who was accused of trying to hire one Silas Fletcher to beat up J. W. Dunn, weekly newspaper editor. Governor Stanley of Virginia RICH WAITER-Hans Paul, denied the request for state aid in working on this case, made by Astoria in New York has been in- R. S. Wahab Jr., Commonwealth's

HUNTING (Continued from Page One)

the evening's hunt. Late in "The barrier will be five feet the evening we would retrace about the poor ones. Lots of raz- Garden Club Year Book. zing went on, beginning when we

bed time. Arrived at camp we fed and watered the steers and decoys, put them in shelter for the night. After the planting along the roadside. played and stories told. The next morning they were equally anxious are appealing to every public to get up early and go again.

In those days the hunters packed their fowl in barrels and shipped them home. It took about 40 minutes by boat to Manteo. The hunters had to rise early to return home, taking the steamer Trenton the successful one. north at six a.m. and earlier. Most of them would come back the next season for another good hunt. They were good old days, with plenty of fun and plenty of fowl, and we'll not likely see such times again.

MANTEO PERSONALS

Mrs. Richard Salet and daugh-

visiting Mrs. Salet's mother, Mrs. r. D. Etheridge. Mrs. Etheridge accompanied them to Baltimore, Md., where she is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Atkinson. her daughters, Misses Annie and mother in Manteo.

pital, Norfolk, Va., where she was a patient for more than four robe or housecoat with them.

satisfactorily.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Yeates have

Mrs. Mattie Griffin Ives of New Bern as their guest at their home,

THIS IS DOGWOOD WEEK IN THE OLD NORTH STATE

By MABEL EVANS JONES

Among the projects for the high, eight feet across the top with our steps in the same order in beautification of roadsides, home a one and a half to two-foot slope. which we tied out, picking up as surroundings and grounds of pubwe went along back to camp It lic buildings, the Garden Club of long and the west 320 feet long. often being so dark we couldn't North Carolina promotes Dogwood This plus two wood pile channel see, but the steers knew the way. Week each year the last week in markers will constitute the entire. Then around the fire at night, January. During this time each the hunters would swap tales about garden club of the state is urged their experiences during the day, to get planted "One Hundred or They mentioned the good shots More" dogwoods and come on the they had made and seldom told honor list in the North Carolina

The Roanoke Island Garden started for camp, and lasting until Club looks forward to the time when the new highways on the island will all be model mile highays with breath taking beauty in supper, ammunition and guns were The club believes that the native checked and cleaned, cards were dogwoods could not be surpassed in their spring-time beauty and spirited citizen to do his or her part in producing this type of loveliness by planting carefully and nurturing one or more dogwoods. Authorities have found that the winter planting of dogwood is

A report from any person in the area to a member of the Roanoke Island Garden Club of planting done will be most welcome

CANCER CLINIC

The Northeastern Cancer Center will hold its next clinic on Friday, Elmer V. Midgett is a patient February 3, in Elizabeth City at n the Marine Hospital, Norfolk, the Health Center with registration beginning at 1:00. A free chest x-ray will be given to anyter, Lee, left last Friday for their one wishing it along with the exhome in Mankato, Minn., after amination of the five areas of the body where cancer is most easily found and cured. There are no limitations as to sex, race, physical or economic status at the center; however, there are age require-She will go this week end to visit ments. Women should be 35 or more; men should be 40 or over Natalie Etheridge in Bergenfield, Unless one of the "Seven Danger N. J. Miss Annie Etheridge recent- | Signals" are present or the patient ly spent several days visiting her is referred by a doctor. Priorities may be secured by dropping a card Mrs. Bob Wescott has returned to Cancer Center, Elizabeth City, to her home from the Marine Hos- but no appointment is necessary. Examinees are asked to bring a

Horace Dough, who underwent major surgery last Saturday in Leigh Memorial Hospital, Norfolk, They were accompanied home by Va., is reported to be recovering Mr. Bell, who is engaged in the restoration work at Jamestown, and who spent the week end at his home.

Mrs. Rennie Williamson spent last week end in Norfolk with Mr.