

MEN GREATEST MISSION NEED

So Dr. Yokum Declared In Great Address Sunday Night.

The fifth annual session of the West Virginia Student Volunteer union was brought to a successful close Sunday evening when the Rev. C. M. Yokum, secretary of the Foreign Mission board, delivered a splendid address at the evening session. Rev. Yokum, who is a native of this state, emphasized very clearly that what the world needs at this time is men and women who will volunteer their services for missionaries in foreign fields. He emphasized that the need of man power was the greatest handicap which the foreign boards had to meet and that if the man power were forthcoming the work would be provided. His address was replete with thought and made a splendid impression on his large audience.

Interesting sessions of the conference were held yesterday morning and afternoon and also Saturday night and all of these sessions were well attended. The speakers for Saturday evening were Prof. H. G. Wells who gave an illustrated lecture, Prof. Edmund Neill of the state university who spoke on conditions in the Orient and Rev. C. M. Yokum, who spoke on the subject: "The Call of the World." Special musical numbers featured the program.

Sunday morning the Rev. J. T. DeWitt of the Japan board of missions spoke and the Presbyterian quartette furnished the music.

A number of the delegates here for the conference left yesterday afternoon for their various homes though quite a few remained over for the evening service and will return home during today.

The time and place for holding the 1920 conference was not decided upon at this meeting.

The following officers were elected: Miss Georgia Westfall of Wesleyan College, President; Maynard Shipley of Bethany College, vice president; Ruth Leslie of Bethany College, second vice president; and Ruth Grimes of Wesleyan, secretary-treasurer.

During the sessions the delegates were entertained in the homes of the church people in this city.

Evening Chat

Odd Characters.


Do you like odd characters? There are two in Fairmont worthy of mention. These gentlemen are not so unusual in appearance but they have a little habit of putting a queer word which sounds like "huh" at the end of every sentence in the form of a question. Did you ever hear one of them talk? Keep your ears open and perhaps you'll run across them for they are well known and can be seen and heard every day by those who are downtown a great deal. I counted the number of "huh"s one of them used in the course of a ten minutes' conversation recently and there were 34 of them all told. This is the way he talked. "What do you think of this weather—huh? Pretty good for February—huh? Don't look much like snow anymore—huh? Wonder if the trees won't be in bud soon huh?" That's what I call an odd character—what do you think about it—huh?

My Neighbor's Tale of Woe As Told to Me.

This morning the clock struck seven in an uncertain rasping voice. The train whistled shrilly out-of-doors. A silvery white mist covered trees and sky as far up as one could see—with just a few shimmering lights much too bright attached somewhere in between. The sparrows quarreled in the black trees—flying nervously here and there and not uttering a note of song. The gas was the only ambitious person in our house. It arose on tiptoes and burned the breakfast. Just as I decided to lose myself in an unusually good book I had not finished last evening—and forgot for a few moments all disagreeable matters—with a promise to myself of a dip into the morning paper a little later the baby awoke and fell out of bed and the cat in nosing about got caught in the mouse trap and my phone rang to tell me my sister-in-law was taken suddenly ill and I must come and help out as they were short of help—and my husband called down stairs with his accustomed regularity that he wanted the baby hushed so he could finish his nap.

I went upstairs to scold some one I didn't care who for not watching that small son of mine. I found that I had left the stopper in the bowl in the bathroom and the water running and for my neglect I had a small lake in the middle of the floor to discourage. I went back downstairs again and started a new breakfast. Then I came back up again and I said I hoped it would burn also. My husband abouted: "For pity's sake, can't you keep that youngster quiet—I didn't get to bed until after midnight and I'd like a little quiet around here." I dressed my son and informed my husband that it was time to get up not to sleep and that if he didn't get to bed until after midnight, I thought he used poor judgment. I brought my baby downstairs and shut all the doors to avoid hearing the usual scene which occurred each morning when the older children started dressing and arguing loudly while my husband got his last moments of sleep. Those last moments were mighty precious to him! So precious that he usually got up and slipped everybody around handy before he went back and finished them. They were inevitable. Might as well know first as last that you couldn't stop 'em.

After getting a second breakfast and performing various other duties, I waited and I waited. We serve break-



A MOTHER

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Your throbbing heart gave up a part
Of life to give my life its start
And so, as long as life endures,
Your heart is mine as mine is yours.

Your tender breast was heaven blest
To lull my little cares to rest,
So let me fold you now and keep
You harbored till the last long sleep.

Your hands which served nor ever swerved
From service more than I deserved
Now that they tremble in their clasp
Shall feel my firmer, stronger grasp.

Your loving eyes, of gentle guise
Looked ever on me tender-wise,
So all the love which I have known
Be mirrored in them from my own.

Edmund Vance Cooke

fast in installments in our house and I think it requires somewhere near two hours to get it over with. When at last I had kissed my husband goodbye and hoped he'd have a good day, I discovered by accident the children's gloves and books and managed to get them started for school in time. Somewhere around ten o'clock, I got the baby back to sleep again and sat down to read the paper. The phone rang again insistently to inform me for the second time that I was needed badly at my sister-in-law's house and I was coming. I was awfully sorry but I was sick in bed myself and they would have to get some one else—yes—yes—yes!

Again I sat down—so tired. The door bell rang. Some one to read the meter. Now, I'll sit down. The telephone rang sharply, jerking me out again. "Is this you Mrs. Brown?" Well—I just thought I'd call and see how you was! I'm cleaning house today. Yes, I know it's early but I just thought I'd do it anyway as it's been such a light winter and there's no telling how soon we'll have it hot. I went to town yesterday and bought some of the nicest dresses ready made for the children. I'm central, you cut us off. Click, click, click! Well, what do you know about that! Mrs. Brown was reading at last. For the space of half an hour blessed quiet reigned supreme.

Worthington

The Davis Funeral.
Probably the largest crowd that ever attended a funeral in Worthington was present yesterday to pay their last respects to the memory of Claude Leo Davis, who passed away at 7:59 Friday evening. Evergreen Lodge No. 179, I. O. O. F., and Loyal Sisters Rebekah Lodge No. 138, each of which he was a member, attended in a body. Short services were held at the residence at 2:00 p. m., conducted by Rev. I. S. Tyler, of the M. E. church, south of Farmington. The pallbearers were Henry King, Finley Oakes, A. L. Mason, Howard Shaver, Ernie Wood and Chas. O. Messenger, selected from the local Odd Fellows lodge. The funeral party was conveyed to Enterprise on the 2:34 car and a special car where interment was made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery with the ritualistic ceremonies of the K. of P. lodge. The floral offerings were magnificent.

A Trolley Wreck.

A wreck occurred on the Wyatt branch of the M. V. Traction line shortly after 10:00 o'clock on Sunday evening. The car leaving Wyatt at 10:23 p. m. for Bingham Junction collided with the rear end of a B. & O. train near the junction. The traction car was in charge of Conductor A. D. Ireland and Motorman Thos. Lucas. The wreck occurred on a curve and the car could not be stopped in the short distance. Four persons were injured. They were Floyd Frederick, of Catawba; J. L. Lewis, of Fairmont; Chas. Kinkaid and Chester Forney, of Shinnston. Conductor Ireland received several painful bruises.

Removed to Oklahoma.
Alpheus A. Rinehart, who has been engaged in the mercantile business

here for several days left with his family on Friday evening last for Poteau, Okla., where he will make his future home.

Delightful Entertainment.

The musical recital given by the pupils of Mrs. Josephine Haymond's class at the Christian church on Sunday evening, was a very enjoyable affair and was appreciated by a large congregation completely filling the building. Among those taking part were: Misses Clarice and Mary Oakes, Doris Parish, Hattie Bradley, Maxine Barbe, Olga Millan, Virginia Bryan, Carmine Evangelista and Mildred King.

Revival Services.

Revival services will begin at the Methodist Protestant church on Monday evening, February 24th, conducted by Rev. S. J. Satterfield, the pastor.

Worthington Night.

A large delegation from the churches of Worthington have arranged to attend the union evangelistic meetings at Shinnston on Wednesday evening, February 28.

Personals.

Jos. A. Murphy, of Enterprise, was a caller here on Monday.

Miss Allie Hardesty, of near Enterprise, was transacting business here on Monday.

Arch Brumage and Walter G. Parrish, who were recently discharged from the army and naval service, left on Friday evening for Oklahoma where they have secured positions with the Carter Oil company.

Among those from other points who were in attendance at the Davis funeral were Clarence Curry, of Fairmont; S. E. Burrett, of Farmington; W. D. Ice, of Hoodsville; Frank Moore of Gey, and William Hassler, of Edgemont.

Mrs. Don G. Post, of Viropa, was shopping in town on Monday.

Thos. Tulin, Thos. T. Hay, Thos. J. Byard, Thos. E. Minnear, Edward Davis and Chas. G. Sturm, of Annabelle, were here for the funeral on Sunday.

Z. F. Davis, of Fairmont, was a visitor here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. McDaniel, of Fairmont, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McDaniel, on Sunday.

Mrs. Dessie Grubb and son, Russell, of Binghamton, were week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. R. Atha.

Pythian Services

Held At Watson

Two hundred people attended the special services held Sunday in the Methodist church at Watson under the auspices of Eureka Lodge, 15, Knights of Pythias, in commemoration of the 60th anniversary of the order. Addresses were delivered by City Commissioner Ira L. Smith and J. Walter Barnes, both members of Mountain City Lodge, 48, of Fairmont. During the evening the choir sang several vocal selections.

Prior to the service the Pythians met at their lodge hall and proceeded in a body to the church.

EAST SIDE NEWS

Birthday Party.

Little Miss Mary Ball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ball, of Guffy street, was hostess to about a dozen of her little friends Saturday afternoon at a birthday party in honor of her tenth anniversary. The hours were from two till five and were spent in a most enjoyable manner with games and various amusements. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Ball and her sister, Mrs. Orlo Drummond. Miss Mary was the recipient of some very pretty birthday remembrances from her guests.

Entertained Friends At Dinner.

Miss Fannie Funt of Morgantown avenue was hostess to a number of her friends at dinner at the Fairmont Sunday evening. The party included the misses Lena and Fannie Friedman, Eva and Ray Burke, Fannie Macht, Mayer, Hamburg, L. Wiger, all of Clarksburg, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goldberg of McKeesport, Pa., and Sgt. J. W. Williams of Los Angeles, Ca., lately returned from France. Mrs. Goldberg remained as Miss Funt guest who will return home with her the latter part of the week.

Aid Society.

The Aid society of the Diamond street M. E. church will meet Tuesday afternoon in the committee room of the church. The members are all urged to be present and bring their coffee and labels.

W. C. T. U.

There will be no regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. this month on account of so many of the members being ill.

At Clarksburg.

Misses Madge Barnes, Florence Wilfong and Hazel Holt spent the week end with friends at Clarksburg and attended the basketball game also. Frank Swearingen went up to the ball game and was the guest of Mr. Hart, while there.

At John Hopkins.

Drs. Cyrus Boyers, Jr., of Tripple, and William Boyers, of Merchant street, went to Baltimore Sunday night to take a short course in medical surgery and laboratory work. They expect to be gone about two or three weeks.

Personals.

Miss Sue Slaton of Mannington, spent Sunday with Miss Eunice Minor, of East Park avenue.

Miss Blanche Malone of Opekiska, who spent last week in Wheeling was also the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Jolliffe in State street Sunday.

Lynn Robey of Shinnston spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Mrs. Earl Faulkner has returned to her home at Smithtown, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jolliffe in State street.

Mrs. Clarence Carpenter of Brownsville, Pa., spent the week end with Mrs. Edward Hawkins in Ferry street. Miss Grace Stanley has recovered.

NERVOUSNESS ON THE DECLINE

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from a week's illness. Her brother, William D. Stanley, has been quite ill the past few days with influenza.

J. B. Miller is home from Charleston, where he attended the session of legislature.

Miss Mary Morrison of Bridgeport is visiting Mrs. Russell Nichols at Colfax. Mrs. Morrison will visit Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Jacobs in Guffy street, before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Kirk have gone to Morgantown to visit their daughter, Mrs. Poe.

Mrs. Harry Morris of Columbia street, has been quite ill of influenza for several days.

Mrs. Phebe Gaskins of Smithtown, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. J. Gaskins, Monongah, returned here Monday and is the guest of relatives.

Kenneth Swearingen is visiting his brothers, Harry and Earl Swearingen, at Brownsville, Pa.

J. W. Smallwood is visiting his uncle T. B. Hilderbrand at Opekiska.

Mrs. Dentell Harr is ill at her home in Vermont avenue.

Mrs. Morton of Harrisville, arrived here last evening. She was called here by the death of her daughter-in-law, E. O. Morton, who died in a Pittsburgh hospital Sunday night.

HOULT

More Soldiers Return.

Two more of Hoult's boys have returned home from France. Last week Lloyd McElfresh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. McElfresh came home and Sunday, Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Satterfield, returned.

This leaves but three or four Hoult boys now in service, viz: Archie McElfresh and Brooks Durr in army of occupation, Germany, and Clarence Bowman and probably Robert Costello, in France.

Mrs. C. B. Satterfield is still confined to the house.

Mrs. J. D. Bowman has been confined to house with sickness the past few days.

Jas. D. Bowman, section foreman on the Palatine branch, was struck on the shin by a rusty track nut broken out with a sledge. It cut to the bone making painful but not serious hurt.

Miss Ruth Stuckey, of Bellevue, was visiting Miss Erma Watkins on Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Harr and daughters, Ruth and Edith, of Fairmont, spent the week end at the home of the former mother, Mrs. Dora L. Hoult, here.

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UNDERSTANDING STORE

Mr. Olin Watkins who teaches school in Monongalia county, was home over Sunday as was also his sister, Miss Gladys Watkins, who teaches school at Goose creek.

Harvey McElfresh was visiting his brother, Okey McElfresh, at Tunnelton, one day last week.

Just across the street from the Watson, the biggest little restaurant in town. Boyer's Restaurant.—Adv.

Wheat has been raised in record breaking time by an English scientist, who says he treats the seed with electricity to treble its life force.

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