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Epworth Head in Talk to Rotarians

Dr. A. L. Gunter Says Liquor Causes Many Broken Homes from Which His Charges Come.

Guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Rotary club Tuesday was Dr. A. L. Gunter, superintendent of Epworth Orphanage, an institution of the Methodist church located in Columbia. Dr. Gunter was presented by T. W. Evans, program chairman.

Dr. Gunter gave a detailed account of the important business of child care that goes on in this institution, outlining the educational (grammar & high school), religious, athletic and vocational programs, and pointing out the procedure by which children are admitted to the orphanage. He said that thirty per cent of his charges come from broken homes in which both parents are living and that the misfortune, in a large number of cases, was caused by abuse of liquor.

The population of the orphanage is now 275 children and 40 workers and the operating budget runs to \$150,000. Plans are now going forward for the erection of new buildings, the speaker concluded.

Guests of the club included Mrs. J. Riley McMaster, Mrs. J. C. McMaster, Mrs. J. J. O'bear, Mrs. Berry Rhinehardt, W. B. McDowell of Shelton, "Red" Auld of New York City, Bill Alford of Columbia.

Legion Post No. 16 Elects Officers

At a meeting held at Castles Springs on Thursday night featured by a Dutch supper, the following officers were elected to serve Fairfield County Post No. 16 for the ensuing year: Commander, C. E. (Billy) Strange; 1st vice-commander, Bill Jeter; 2nd vice-commander, Phillip Timms; 3rd vice-commander, M. H. Sternberg, Jr.; 4th vice-commander, Henry Yarborough;

David R. Coleman Dies at Age of 90

One of Fairfield's Oldest Citizens Passes at Feasterville Home, Wednesday, June 18

David Roe Coleman, Sr., 90, died at his home in the Feasterville section of Fairfield county, Wednesday afternoon, June 18, at two o'clock. He had been in declining health for a period of several months but prior to that time he had been very active on his farm and in the work of his church, in which he maintained a keen interest.

One of the oldest residents of Fairfield county at the time of his death, Mr. Coleman was born June 3, 1857, the son of David A. Coleman and Sarah Ann Yongue Coleman. He had been a member of Salem Presbyterian church since September, 1874, and served as an elder since 1887, and as clerk of the elders for 37 years. He was superintendent of the Sunday school for more than three decades. His wife, Lucy Hamilton Coleman, predeceased him by two years.

Surviving him are one brother, W. Y. Coleman of Feasterville, and the following sons and daughters: Betty Coleman and Annie Coleman of Blairs; Mrs. T. A. Ladd, Sr., Strother, Mrs. J. R. Hamilton, Edgemoor, Mrs. R. N. Littlejohn, Saluda, N. C., J. O. Coleman and D. P. Coleman, Blairs, C. H. Coleman, Strother. Fifteen grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon from the Salem Presbyterian church, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. E. B. Wilkinson, assisted by Dr. S. C. Byrd of Winnsboro and Dr. R. A. Lunnberg of Edgemoor and interment followed in the church cemetery. Active pallbearers, all grandsons, were Jack P. Coleman, D. P. Coleman, Jr., C. H. Coleman, Jr., T. A. Ladd, David C. Ladd and Sam P. Bollick.

Rural Carriers to Meet At Springs Park

Charles Turner Is a Delegate to World Convention in Oslo,

Fairfield Ministerial Student at Davidson College Wins Coveted Honor. Rep From North America Number 270



CHARLES TURNER

Court Disposes Of 15 Cases in Five-Day Session

The summer term of the court of general sessions convened in Winnsboro, June 9 and adjourned sine die, June 13, after disposing of 15 cases within five days. Judge A. L. Gaston of Chester presided, with W. G. Finley of Chester, court stenographer, W. W. Lewis, clerk of court, E. K. Rabb, sheriff, and D. W. McCants, court crier.

There follows a brief summary of the disposition of the cases:

The State vs. Leroy Jackson, white, male, 22, non-support and abandonment of wife and children. Pled guilty and sentenced to one year or a fine of \$1,500, sentence suspended provided defendant pay \$20 each week for support of wife and children.

The State vs. Archie Whitmore, white, male, 27, house-breaking, larceny and injuring personal

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