

The Duke Memorial Board of Christian Education met on Wednesday, January 24, with the following members present: Miss Johnson, Mr. Whitford, Mr. Angier, Mrs. Lee, Mr. Umstead, Mr. Windham, Mrs. Gates, Mrs. Jordan, Mrs. Hurt, Miss Williams, Mr. Boddie, and Miss Canada.

The Board was asked by Miss Johnson to help spread the news among the children and young people that the church membership class will begin in mid-February

It was suggested that for the fifth Sunday in April we may want someone from the orphanage.

Miss Johnson will be dean of the Leadership Training School to be held at Asbury in February. Mr. James Patrick will be assistant dean. A class on the family will be taught by Dr. Hornell Hart. Mr. Morris will teach one on improving the church school. The class for intermediate workers will have Miss Sarah Richardson as its teacher, and there will be a class for each children's department.

A lengthy discussion over the removal of the fence from around the present play yard ensued. It was voted to abandon the idea of moving the fence to the lower right hand corner of the church lawn until a request for this is made. At that time the matter will be taken up with the day nursery people. It was also voted to take the fence down and preserve it until needed.

Miss Johnson reported that the evangelism workshop begins tomorrow, and the advance enrollment is full. She suggested that the Board turn in to her any prospects (young people) whom the members of the workshop could visit.

Miss Johnson urged that parents' meetings be planned by as many departments as possible. The Primary Department is planning one for March.

Mr. Boddie reported that six blackboards, six bulletin boards,







and seven book cases have been added to the church school. Mr. Boddie and Mr. Wetherington put gliders on the chairs in the Primary Department (secretary's note: And what a big help that is!!)

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It was suggested that an adult council is needed. The Board thought that perhaps Mr. Williams and his group could make plans for this at the Worker's Conference on 31 January.

Mrs. Jordan reported that the Children's Division is running smoothly with two new superintendents, Mrs. Kale and Mrs. Tuttle, both of whom are full of enthusiasm.

Family night will be held on February 23 at the close of the Week of Dedication. It will be in the form of a basket supper at 6:30 followed by the dedication service, moving pictures, and a community sing. The Young Adults are making posters, and it was suggested that notices be put in the papers.

Lucy Hurt said that the Y.A.F. would like to have an open house sometime before Easter if there is a four o'clock service. No one knew of one of these services, but it was suggested that the house might be an occasion in itself. Members of the Board were asked to keep this suggestion in mind.



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The YAF would like names and help in their plan to start a visitation campaign.

Mr. Whitford was appointed as chairman of the committee to program for plan the/fifth Sunday in April.

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