

CITY FEDERATION MEETING.

The City Federation of Colored Women's Clubs meeting at Bethel Baptist Church Thursday afternoon was a great success.

The president, Miss White, presided. After singing "Stand Up for Jesus," Mrs. Charlotte Johnson led in prayer. Each responded with a scriptural verse.

Mrs. J. H. Blodgett made a few remarks, which were enjoyed very much.

Mrs. C. S. Tucker explained the national meeting, and introduced Mrs. Marion B. Butler, of Washington, D. C., who gave an excellent address, her subject being "Service." This was very interesting and instructive, and was greatly enjoyed.

Rev. J. E. Ford responded to the satisfaction of all, and then proceeded to preside over the Red Cross meeting.

Mrs. Mamie De Lyons, the secretary, read the minutes, and much business was attended to.

Next came the report of the county demonstrator, Miss Pauline Lloyd, of the Canning Club. This was excellent and brought great credit to all. The same was received and adopted with praise by the federation.

The prizes offered by Mr. Elliott, of the Florida Times-Union, were beautiful, as well as serviceable. Mrs. M. B. Butler presented the first, which was a very large lamp, to Mrs. R. B. Hill and Mr. R. B. Hill and their club for having canned 271 cans.

The second prize, a carving-set, went to the St. Nicholas Club to Mrs. M. A. Shaw. This was presented by Dr. Ford to Mrs. J. E. Onley, as no one was present to receive the same.

The third prize was won by Mrs. A. E. Owens, Mrs. Joe Champion and Mrs. C. S. Tucker. They presented the best-looking articles; but as Mrs. Owens had made from her own recipe a delicious, as well as beautiful, beet-jely marmalade—also the same from carrots. The third prize was awarded to Mrs. Owens by Mrs. I. L. Purcell.

The other ladies will also receive prizes next month. Their articles are now on exhibition at the County Commissioners' offices.

Mrs. Mamie Stewart, chairman of the food conservation committee, gave out food cards, and by Sunday over 1,500 colored women will be registered, as Mrs. W. S. Jennings has requested.

Refreshments were served and the meeting adjourned.

The federation will meet next Thursday at Bethel Baptist Church, Rev. J. E. Ford, chairman.

The canning demonstrations every Monday and Thursday at 2 p. m.

Miss Eartha M. M. White, president; Miss Mattie Mills, assistant secretary.

The federation will meet the first Thursday in next month.

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