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## CHICHESTER TO APPOINT AIDS

### Farm Census to Be Made Shortly.

District headquarters of the Bureau of Census for the second Census District of Virginia has been opened in the Federal Building, Alexandria, Virginia, preparatory to taking the 1935 Census of Agriculture. Dan M. Chichester, Falmouth, Va., has been appointed supervisor of the district and is in charge of the office.

The district is composed of the cities of Alexandria, Charlottesville, and Fredericksburg, and the Counties of Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun, Prince William, Fauquier, Stafford, King George, Culpeper, Madison, Greene, Orange, Albemarle, Louisa, Fulvanna, Goochland, Spotsylvania, and Caroline.

Mr. Chichester will appoint eighty odd enumerators within the next two weeks and these enumerators will make a farm-to-farm canvass of these counties beginning early in January.

A schedule of one hundred questions for each farm will be filled out by the enumerators. This schedule has been designed to provide for gathering the greatest amount of basic information that can be assembled rapidly and tabulated in a minimum time. It is important that every farm report contain full and accurate figures as far as possible.

This farm census is of unusual importance as many agencies will be benefited by these new statistics. The reports will cover the calendar year 1934, and will be taken as of January 1, 1935. The agriculture census will answer many questions of importance to various agencies now formulating programs for the benefit of the agriculture industry. Vast regional shifts in land utilization occurred between 1919 and 1929. It is important to know if these shifts have ceased, and if the poor land of the East and South is coming back into agricultural use. Are the persons who left the cities for the rural districts during the depression merely cultivating gardens, and are the young people on the farms helping with the home work, or are they undertaking to expand the agricultural area by developing farms?

Vast regional shifts also occurred in the production of various crops and live stock products between 1919 and 1929. Have these trends persisted or has there been a reversal of these pre-depression trends, particularly in the East and South-east. Likewise, what has become of the acreage of the several crops in the cut-off land in the hills of the Blue Ridge?

The above counties have been divided into enumeration districts for each of which an enumerator will be appointed. When the census enumerator calls at the farms during January they will obtain actual figures, as far as possible, as to the number of various classes of live stock, farm values and other important data. However, every report will be absolutely confidential, and will not be used as a basis for taxation, nor communicated to any tax official. The co-operation of all farmers is necessary to the success of this census, and they can do much towards speedy enumeration and tabulation of these statistics by procuring and studying a sample copy of the schedule in advance of the enumeration by securing one from the Bureau of Census, Washington, D. C., or from Room 315, Federal Building, Alexandria, Va.

During the past 18 months great changes have been made in agricultural production. In any system of national planning it is obvious that a detailed knowledge of farm inventories is essential. The forthcoming census of agriculture will supply this information. The data obtained by the use of uniform questions in every part of the United States will also furnish a splendid basis for comparison, and an excellent basis for determining the effects of the drought in reduced crop yields and the reduction of live stock through Government buying, forced marketing, and voluntary reduction in adjustment programs.

This farm census is designed for the benefit of the farmers and it is essential that the enumerators have the wholehearted co-operation of the farmers in their respective districts. The definition of a farm for census purposes is, all the land which is directly farmed by one person, either by his own labor alone, or the assistance of the members of his household, or hired employees. The land operated by a partnership is likewise considered a farm. A farm may consist of a single tract of land, or a number of separate tracts, and these several tracts may be held under different tenures, as when one tract is owned by the farmer and the other tract is rented by him. When a land owner has one or more tenants, renters, croppers or managers, the land operated by each cropper is reported as a separate farm, and the land operated by the owner or manager by means of wage-hands is likewise reported as a separate farm. No report is required of a farm of less than three acres, unless its production in 1934 was valued at \$250 or more.

## SPECIAL MEETINGS

In the Manassas Baptist Church, beginning Sunday, Dec. 30, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week, the pastor, Rev. C. B. Jones, will preach four sermons on Personal Evangelism. All church people are especially invited to hear these messages. Time 7:30.

Then Sunday, the 6th, to the 13th, nine select messages of instruction, information and inspiration will be given by the pastor.

This is Manassas' opportunity to hear the gospel. Everyone is cordially invited to these meetings.

## SALARIES FIXED FOR COMMISSIONER

### Announcement for County Treasurers and Commonwealth Attorneys to Follow.

The state compensation board has announced 1935 basic salaries and expenses for county commissioners of the revenue aggregating \$446,566.75, effective January 1.

The basic salaries total \$281,760, and the basic expenses total \$164,806.75.

Two-thirds of these costs are to be paid by the counties, and one-third by the state. The state's third is subject to the fifteen per cent reduction now applied to general fund appropriations.

The salaries were set within the maximum and minimum limitations prescribed by the 1934 compensation act placing these officers, as well as most of the other major local officers on salaries after virtually abolishing the age-old fee system of compensation in the state.

E. R. Combs, chairman of the compensation board, said the total of basic salaries and expenses for this group of officers was \$16,938.20 less than the basic total received by them under the old system for the calendar year, 1933. The total salaries and expenses fixed by the board is \$446,566.75, whereas their compensation in 1933 was \$463,504.95.

Chairman Combs said those involved had the right to appeal, under the law, in the event of dissatisfaction with the salaries or expenses fixed by the board.

Salaries for city commissioners of the revenue, commonwealth's attorneys and treasurers will be announced within a few days, Mr. Combs said.

Northern Virginia counties and the rates fixed for their commissioners of revenue, appearing in the schedule were:

Arlington	\$3,500	\$5,265	\$8,765
Fairfax	6,000	7,135	13,135
Greene	4,700	4,675	9,375
Madison	2,150	340	2,490
Loudoun	3,450	4,133	7,585
Fauquier	3,720	4,071	7,791
Pr. William	2,400	1,201	3,601
Stafford	2,000	480	2,480
Caroline	2,500	1,066	3,566

## VIRGINIA LEGION WILL URGE BONUS

The Virginia Department of the American Legion will seek payment of the adjusted certificates. The mandate of the national convention at Miami will govern the action of the Virginia Legion. Announcement of this act has just been made by W. Glenn Elliott, adjutant of the State "Regardless of Virginia's vote on the question," Mr. Elliott stated, "majority rule prevails and our State Legion endorses the action of the national organization."

Mr. C. J. Meetze will make an address in behalf of the W.C.T.U. at the Methodist Church in Nokesville on the fifth Sunday night, Dec. 30 at 7:30. All are cordially invited to attend.

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## A NEW YEAR MESSAGE

By HON. GEO. C. PEERY, Governor of Virginia

"I would like to make one specific appeal to the people of Virginia for the New Year. The law for state control of the sale of intoxicating beverages set up by the general assembly pursuant to a vote of the people has been in operation less than a year. The object of the law is to promote temperance and to outlaw the bootlegger. The alcoholic beverage control board has gotten off to a fine start. The problem is being handled in a sound, businesslike way.

"It is essential to the success of the plan that a new law be strictly enforced. Failure to enforce the law exist in some localities.

"As I see it, there is an abiding duty on all good citizens not only to obey the law but to help in its enforcement. Respect for and obedience to law are absolutely essential.

"My plea is that united effort on the part of enforcement officials and our citizens in general be made for law enforcement throughout the entire year."

## HEAVY TOURIST TRAVEL SOUTH

### Richmond AAA Bureau Looks for Southward Trek Soon.

Motorists planning to travel South this winter were cautioned to make reservations early because of the large amount of traffic on the highways, in a statement issued this week by J. A. Kline, managing director of the A. A. A. Automobile Club of Virginia from Richmond.

"Requests to our touring bureau," he said, "for routings, information regarding hotels, recreational facilities, and so on, started early and are unusually heavy. According to the A. A. A. national headquarters, our affiliated clubs in other sections are having a similar experience. Heavy travel makes it more than ever advisable to pay attention to the route selected. There are several alternatives for practically all points, including routes following the coast line and those following the mountains. The demand for reservations is always liable to cause an increase in prices. Hence the advisability of making reservations early.

## PARK RESIDENTS ORDERED OUT

Nine writs of eviction issued to Rockingham County park residents who have refused to leave their property, condemned for the Shenandoah National Park, by Judge H. W. Bertram in circuit court this week.

Declaring that all processes of law had been complied with, the court ordered the sheriff to evict the persons from the lands, the majority of whom declared that they had made preparations to comply with the eviction order.

Those receiving the eviction orders were: Vernon W. Foltz, L. W. Meadows, A. W. Shiffett, George M. Shiffett, Doctor Breeden, Melvin Harnsbrough, John K. Haney and E. C. Lam, who received two eviction writs.

The hearings were one of several to be heard in the various county courts, nine having been heard in the Page County Court by Judge Bertram earlier in the month. There are several more pending in other courts.

## JAMESTOWN ISLAND TO BE SAVED

A \$400,000 fund was provided Wednesday by the Public Works Administration to stop forever the eating away by water of the shore lines of Jamestown Island and the Yorktown battleground.

PWA made the allotment to the National Park Service, which administers the Jamestown-Yorktown-Williamsburg area, known as the Colonial National Monument.

Park service officials gave full credit for the allotment to Secretary Ickes, the public works administrator, who they said instigated the shore protection project after a visit to the monument a month ago.

Jamestown Island has been especially damaged by the washing of the waves. Park officials estimated the shore line had moved back at the rate of 100 feet per century since the English colonists came ashore in 1607.

On the island, the new Government seawall will connect with the present 2,000-foot-long seawall erected some years ago by the association for the

## STATE REVENUES ARE INCREASED

### Better Times Indicated by Tax Receipts.

According to a statement released from the office of State Comptroller E. R. Combs, state revenues during the first four months of the present year were greater by \$7,801,150 than for the same period for the year preceding.

State revenue receipts for the first four months of the current fiscal year increased \$7,801,150 over the same period last year, due to improved business conditions and to the passage of large amounts of federal aid money and alcoholic beverage control board funds through the treasury, according to the monthly report of E. R. Combs, the comptroller.

Receipts were \$19,592,967 for July, August, September and October. Expenditures aggregated \$19,129,439, an increase of \$5,718,211 over last year.

The federal aid allowances passing through the treasury totaled about \$2,500,000 and ABC funds \$3,697,944. At the same time \$293,000 in additional beer taxes and \$370,466 in additional gasoline tax receipts were recorded.

Additional expenditures included about \$1,600,000 for road work and ABC disbursements of \$2,448,326, these items accounting for most of the increased expenditures of the period.

The ABC board, however, turned in \$1,249,618 more than it spent.

The general fund balance was \$1,103,214 greater than it was at the same time last year.

## STATE DAIRY HERD IMPROVEMENT ASS'N REPORT FOR NOV.

There were twenty-three active associations during November, with 11,598 cows. There were 352 cows removed as being unprofitable. This is one of the valuable features of the association work. One of the valuable features is the growing list of honor cows. For November there were 1004 cows in the 233 associations. In the association averages, Loudoun No. 1 stood first with 27.5 lbs. fat. Fairfax No. 1 stood fourth, and Fairfax No. 2 fifth in butterfat production, No. 1 being 24.6 lbs. and No. 2, 24.5 lbs.

Loudoun No. 1 and Fairfax No. 1 tied for first place in average milk production with 618 lbs. Fairfax No. 2 was second in milk production with 612 lbs.

Of the five high herds in milk production in the State Association that of C. T. Rice of Oakton was fourth with 847 lbs. and Townsend Harrison of Floris ranked fifth with an average of 835 lbs. milk. In the five high herds in butterfat production, the herd of C. T. Rice ranked third with 35.8 lbs., with Townsend Harrison's herd fourth with 35.7 lbs.

Of the ten high cows, Townsend Harrison's high cow stood tenth with a butterfat production of 73.4 lbs. The high cow came from the Hopyard Farm, Fredericksburg, with 83.5 lbs. butterfat.

Preservation of Virginia Antiquities. The Government plans to add 4,000 feet of wall that will rise six feet above the water line.

At Yorktown, it is planned to build about two miles of stone, riprap seawall which also will be six feet above the water.

## NOTICE FROM REEMPLOYMENT OFFICE

All the unemployed of Prince William County should renew their applications on the new card sent out by the United States Reemployment Service.

Registration can be made at the Quantico office, Barrack D, on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday of each week; also at the Haymarket office on Saturday of each week.

THOMAS B. LYNCH, Mgr., National Reemployment Service, Prince William County.

## GAS TAXES ARE INCREASING

### Total for 1934 Sets All-Time Record for Virginia.

Picking up another \$160,000 gain in November over November of last year, the State gasoline tax revenue now is running about \$1,550,000 ahead of 1933, according to figures disclosed this week by Howard Smith, auditor for the Division of Motor Vehicles.

For the first 11 months of 1934, revenue of \$12,259,005.55 has been reported, compared with \$10,714,330.91 for the first 11 months of 1933 and \$11,679,511.42 for the entire 1933 calendar year.

This 1934 total, achieved with about 35,000 additional automobiles on the roads this year, sets an all-time record for Virginia gas tax collections, with those of December still to be reported.

November collections, still incomplete, were reported this week at \$1,150,026.71, compared with \$969,787 for November, 1933.

## U. S. MUST PRODUCE MAPS

William C. Gloth, Virginia member of the D. C.-Virginia boundary commission, won a substantial victory for the Virginia cause Wednesday when he forced Government attorneys to present certain maps in possession of the Federal Government purported to show early evidence that the dividing line should be as the State contends.

After a heated argument with Henry H. Glassie, attorney for the Government, Gloth was sustained by the entire commission in his contention that the maps be produced. Attorneys for opposing sides were designated to locate the maps in question.

Attorney-General Abram P. Staples, of Virginia, made the motion that the maps be produced, after the session had been held up nearly 20 minutes due to the dispute between Gloth and Glassie, during which Glassie declared he "did not intend to try Virginia's case for her."

## MARY B. WEAN

Mrs. Mary B. Wean died at her home near Catlett, on Saturday, December 15, in her sixty-seventh year.

She is survived by her husband, Noah C. Wean; six children, Angeline G. Wean, Seymour S. Wean, Velma C. Hefflin, George C. Wean, Mary R. Schaeffer and Goldie A. Baker; one sister, Mrs. Angeline May, and a brother, John D. Anderson, and sixteen grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted on Monday, December 17, at Mt. Zion Lutheran Church, Nokesville, by the Rev. Luther F. Miller. Interment in the Lutheran cemetery.

## ROGERS IS NAMED TO STUDY ROADS

W. O. Rogers, of Weverly, formerly State Senator, will serve as chairman of the commission named by the 1934 General Assembly to make a study of the road system in Virginia.

Rogers was selected to head the commission at its initial meeting in Richmond Monday.

The commission decided to hold four open meetings in various parts of the State in order to give interested persons a chance to be heard. The first will be held at Newport News, March 3. The dates for the other three—to be held at Culpeper, Wytheville and Lynchburg—have not been fixed.

## 100 MARRIAGES IN PRINCE WILLIAM IN 1934

With the marriage license issued by our genial clerk today, we have had 100 marriage licenses this year. The next largest number was 96 licenses in 1914.

## "O. D." CLOSES TERM OF OFFICE

### Kiwanis Session Tomorrow Last of Year.

The Kiwanis Club met in regular session last week with the president-elect, Hunton Tiffany, presiding.

The feature of the evening was an address by Bob Hutchison, or rather a recitation, for Bob extracted variously from a sermon purported to have been written by a colored minister, exhorting his flock in strenuous terms to be more generous with their offerings and suggesting what might await those who are not charitable.

The direct application on this occasion was to arouse the possible latent sense of giving to the unfortunate at Christmas tide.

Final plans were completed for a distribution of presents to the children in the county and Dick Haydon was made general chairman of the routing committee.

Although Monday was to be the official day for distribution, Dick took a look at the skies since the meeting and hurried his committee into action on Sunday.

At the close of the meeting Ted Didlake, acting on behalf of the club, made a Chesterfieldian presentation of two lovely gifts to the sponsors, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Pattie, and the same were accepted with evident pleasure.

## ADULT SCHOOL AT NOKESVILLE

The school for adults is closed for the holidays. It will reopen Jan. 2.

This is a general education project. Most any school project is taught in your own time and your own way. Vocabulary building is stressed. Use a new word three times and it is yours.

This is a good chance to brush up or it is especially valuable to persons expecting to go to college, or those preparing for civil service examinations.

We also have an excellent poultry course by Federal experts. It is well worth your while to investigate. Absolutely free.

The hours are Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 2 p.m. to 10 p.m. straight through. Tuesday and Friday nights from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. You come when you can. This is an excellent way to spend the cold evenings pleasantly and profitably. Drop in and see us. You will be less busy after the holidays.

## VA. LIQUOR SALE GALLON A BUYER

Virginians will purchase an average of approximately one gallon of legal liquor per capita during the first year of the Old Dominion's alcoholic beverage control system, if the rate of sales for the first six months operation continues until April, 1935.

This per capita average is exclusive of the 2.74 gallons of beer consumed by the average Virginian during the first year of the legal brew, which ended in September, 1934.

## ANNUAL SHOW, POULTRY AND FANCIER'S CLUB, ROANOKE

January 1 to 5 there will be held in the Roanoke Auditorium a poultry and fancier's show, open to anyone interested. These poultry shows give our poultry breeders an excellent opportunity to show and advertise their birds. We hope a number will attend.

Entry blanks must be sent to Secretary A. W. Hoffman, 911 5th Ave., N. W., Roanoke, Va., on or before December 28. Poultry and turkey single \$1.00. Poultry pens, \$3.00. Entries reasonable on cats, rabbits, guineas, pigeons, etc. Make checks payable to E. C. Pace, treasurer.

## MARRIAGE RECORD

Dec. 15: George A. Berger and Amelia Belovarch, both of Baltimore, Md.

Dec. 20: Ollie Posey and Eva Cornwell, both of Manassas.

Dec. 22: Douglas Leonard, of Haymarket, and Drusilla Ennis, of Catharpin.

Dec. 24: John Fewell, of Catlett, and Mary Lee Clark, of Gainesville. Colored.

Dec. 14: Theodore D. Washington and Bessie Burrell, both of Washington.

Dec. 22: Lewis Williams and Alice Lewis, both of Dumfries. (Ed. note—This last license was No. 97 and broke the all-time record for the county. The previous record was 96 licenses issued in 1914.)

**COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION**  
An interdenominational body co-operating with all churches meets on call of secretary.  
R. L. Sadd, Manassas, president.  
Mrs. L. J. Bowman, Nokesville, Sec.

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
REV. A. S. GIBSON, Pastor  
Morning Prayer and Sermon by the Rector at 11 a.m., Church School, Mr. O. D. Waters, Supt., at 9:45 a.m.  
St. John's Diocesan Mission Centreville  
Regular services 2nd and 4th Sundays at 8:15.  
Sunday School every Sunday at 2:15 p.m., Mrs. R. J. Hurdie, Supt.

**ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Manassas, Va.  
REV. JOHN C. RYAN, Pastor  
Catechism every Saturday at 2 p.m.  
Sunday masses, Manassas, first, second, and fourth Sundays at 8 a.m.; third and fifth Sundays at 10:30 a.m.  
Minnieville—Masses on first, second and fourth Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH**  
REV. A. H. SHUMATE, Pastor  
Dumfries—First and third Sunday, 7:30 p.m.  
Bethel—First and third Sunday, 11 a.m.  
Forest Hill—Second and fourth Sunday, 8 p.m.  
Fifth Sunday—Quantico, 7:30 p.m.

**BETHEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Manassas, Va.  
REV. LUTHER F. MILLER, Pastor  
Sunday School, Mr. J. H. Rexrode, Supt., 10 a.m.  
Divine Worship with object sermon, 11 a.m.  
Luther League, 7:00 p.m.

**UNION SERVICES**  
There will be union services in the Trinity Episcopal Church, the Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, rector, on Sunday, at 7:30 p.m. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. C. B. Jones, pastor of the Manassas Baptist Church. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

**BELLE HAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
REV. J. M. TAYLOR, Pastor  
Services first Sunday at 11 a.m.  
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

**MANASSAS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. John M. DeChant, Pastor  
Manassas  
Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.  
Worship, 10:00 a.m.  
Junior C. E., 6:00 p.m.  
Senior C. E., 7:00 j.m.  
Clifton  
Sunday School, 10:20 a.m.  
Worship, 11:30 a.m.  
C. E., 8:00 a.m.

**GRACE M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH**  
Rev. W. M. Compton, Pastor  
Worship Service every Sunday, 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School, R. H. Blakemore, Supt.  
6:45 p. m. Senior League.  
Burke, 2nd and 4th Sunday, 8:30 p. m.  
Buckhall, 1st and 3rd Sunday, 8:00 p. m.

**MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. C. B. Jones, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11 o'clock. Come and hear the New Year's sermon.  
There will be no evening service in this church. We will join the other churches in a union service in the Episcopal Church at 7:30. All are welcome.

**CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN (Bradley)**  
Worship Service 3 1/2 a.m. as follows:  
Eld. J. M. Kline, 2nd Sunday.  
Eld. E. E. Blough, 4th Sunday.  
Sunday School each Sunday, 10 a.m.

**ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Haymarket. Rev. W. F. Carpenter, rector. Sunday School at 10 a.m.; morning prayer with sermon at 11:10 a.m.

**WOODBINE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. V. A. Council, Pastor.  
Preaching services—  
First and fifth Sunday, 11 a.m.  
Third Sunday, 2:30 p.m.  
B.Y.P.U. each Sunday night at 7:30 p.m.

**PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
ELDER R. H. PITTMAN, Pastor  
Services 11 a.m., 4th Sunday.  
Saturday preceding at 2:30 p.m.

**SUDLEY M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH**  
Rev. A. B. Sapp, Pastor  
Sudley—1st, 2nd and 4th Sundays, at 11 a.m.  
Gainesville—1st Sunday at 2:30 p.m. 3rd Sunday at 11 p.m.

**CHURCH OF GOD at BRADLEY**  
Rev. T. M. Bowie, Pastor  
Sunday School at 10 a.m.  
Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m.

**PURCELL SCHOOL HOUSE**  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10:30, except first Sunday. On first Sunday at 1:30 p.m.  
Preaching first Sunday at 2:30.

**INDEPENDENT HILL—In Odd Fellows Hall.** Rev. J. Murray Taylor will preach on Second Sundays at 11:00 a.m. and on Fourth Sundays at 7:30 p.m.

**GREENWOOD PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
at Minnieville  
Elder C. W. Miller  
Services the second Sunday in each month at 11 a.m. Saturday before at 2:30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN (Cannon Branch)**  
Eld. E. E. Blough, 2nd & 5th Sunday.  
Eld. J. M. Kline, 4th Sunday.  
Rev. O. R. Hersch, 1st & 3rd Sunday.

**Sunday School at 10 a.m.**  
Worship Service 11 a.m. every Sunday.  
Dec. 23, 7:30 p.m., Play, "The Bethlehem Way," by Cannon Branch B.Y.P.D.

**HATCHER'S MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Brentsville, Va.

There will be preaching at Hatcher Memorial Baptist Church of Brentsville next Sunday afternoon, S. S. 2:30 and preaching 3:30. Special music by the men's chorus of Clarendon Baptist Church. Everyone welcome.

**ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. V. H. Council, Pastor  
Sunday School at 10 a.m.  
Preaching at 11 a.m. on 2nd Sunday and at 3 p.m. on 4th Sunday.

**NEW HOPE CHURCH**  
Rev. Murray Taylor will preach every 4th Sunday at 2:30 p.m.  
Sunday School every Sunday at 2:30 except the 4th Sunday when it will be at 1:30. W. J. Jasper.

**INDEPENDENT HILL PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Evangelistic Services  
Rev. W. T. Wine

**NOKEVILLE M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH**  
Rev. W. P. Good, Pastor

**FRATERNAL NOTICES**

Wimodausis Chapter, O. E. S., No. 106, meets in the Masonic Temple on Third Tuesday evening at 8 p.m.  
MRS. N. WADE-DALTON, Worthy Matron.  
Manassah Lodge No. 182, A. F. & A. M., meets in the Masonic Temple on First Friday evening of each month at 8 p.m.

**FRED R. HYNSON, Worshipful Master.**

**Dumfries Council, No. 37, Jr. O.U.A.M., meets every second and fourth Saturday.**

**M. L. KEYS, Rec. Sec'y.**  
Prince William Post 158, American Legion, second and fourth Thursdays, Manassas Town Hall, 8 p.m.

**HOWARD W. JAMISON, Commander.**

Prince William Encampment, Dumfries, Va., No. 10, meets each first and third Thursday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall.

**A. H. Shumate, Scribe**  
Bull Run Council No. 15, O. F. A., meets in the council rooms every second and fourth Tuesday at 8 p.m.  
**ASHBY MARSH, President.**

Aden Council No. 30 meets first and third Thursdays.

**N. F. WELLS, President.**  
Greenwich Council meets second and fourth Saturdays.  
Modern Women of America, Nokesville Camp, 16582, meets every first and third Monday night at 8:30 at the Hall.

**E. C. SPITLER, Councilor.**  
Highland Lodge No. 252, I. O. O. F., second and fourth Wednesday at 8 p.m.  
**C. B. LINTON, Secretary.**  
Troop 1, Boy Scouts of Manassas, meet in the school gymnasium every Friday evening at 7 p.m.

**R. O. BIBB, Scoutmaster.**  
R. E. Lee Lodge, No. 221, I.O.O.F., meets every second and fourth Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

**G. F. WATERS, Secretary.**  
Prince William Council, D. of A., No. 45, meets every second and fourth Monday in the Junior Hall.  
**ETHEL ROBINSON, Councilor.**

The Manassas Journal is your county newspaper—Subscribe for it and read about your friends.

**A CHRISTMAS SERMON**

By Rev. John M. DeChant

Text Luke 2:7 "And she brought forth her first-born son; and she wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn."

A baby born into a humble home at an inconvenient time, under the most trying circumstances, has caused the whole world to pause at Christmas time and make holy day. You who are not of the church, you who have never accepted Christ, you who scorn His teachings and laugh at the Christians, what does Christmas mean to you? Do you give gifts to your loved ones? The Wise Men started that beautiful custom when they brought gold, and frankincense, and myrrh, and offered them to the baby in the manger. Do you receive a little something extra from the boss? It is because of the good will that came into the world when Christ was born. Do you feel safe and secure in your own home at night? It is because the Christian community in which you live insists on a law-abiding citizenry. Before Christ was born everybody had to be his own policeman.

If, thru misfortune, you are "down and out" and your wife and children are cold and hungry, will anyone help you? Yes, for centuries Christians

have been taught to have soft hearts full of mercy and kindness and love. They will feed and clothe you as long as they have a penny to do it.

Christ thought everybody was worth something. Without receiving His teachings, let me remind you that He saved all kinds of people. Anyone who wanted to talk with Him could do so, whether it was an influential Pharisee like Nicodemus or a blind beggar like Bartimaeus or an unknown woman at a well in Samaria. So Christians have fallen into the habit of seeing something good and worthwhile in everybody. They fight everything that hurts people, from war and slavery to dope and prostitution. There are sanatoriums for drunkards and dope fiends. There are homes for fallen women and babies nobody wants. There are hospitals for the diseased and homes for the aged. There are churches, that work day by day to help people to be decent, honest and kind, clean, happy and just. In other words, love is in the world because Jesus was born.

Whether you accept Christ or not, He has done wonderful things for you. The greatest gift you can give to your family on Christ's birthday is to accept Him. "Think on these things."

**CATHARPIN**

Al Smith calls them "quintuplets." Dr. and Mrs. Brower are both confined to their beds as we write this Monday morning suffering from very severe colds bordering on pneumonia; in fact Mrs. Brower seems to be having all symptoms of the disease just now but it is sincerely hoped they may escape a severe attack of that malady.

From the Washington Post: "Richmond, Va., Dec. 21 (AP), John Q. Rhodes, director of the division of motor vehicles, promised a rigid enforcement of the ban on drunken automobile drivers during the holiday period." (End of quote.) Why limit it to the holiday period?

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Brower, jr., of Purcellville, with their three sons, were calling on friends in the Catharpin neighborhood on Sunday.

Mrs. Audrey Munday of Washington is on a fortnight's vacation among friends in the Catharpin neighborhood just now.

In one of the old school readers, probably not quite as far back as the celebrated "McGuffey period," the student found many "lessons" which were instructive and well worth remembering. Among these "lessons" was one entitled "Eyes or no eyes or the art of seeing." As we remember it, it had to do with one's ability to see things as he passed along thru life and to properly assess their true meaning and value. According to the story, many passed along Life's highway but saw very little; just content to get enough to eat, a place to sleep or a place to loaf when the weather was bad; cared little for church, State or nation; always had a vote to sell. In other words, just useless, if not a nuisance. On the other hand there were those who looked as they went along; assessed things according to proper values; were not easily led off; profited by their knowledge and experience and were reliable, capable, dependable citizens.

We are just wondering if the "eyesight" of the present generation might be any improvement over that depicted in the old reader? It seems that we are now living in a period when people should consult their "oculists," have their "eyes" examined and see if there might be any mental "films" or "cataracts" which are obstructing correct visions and proper conceptions of values as they relate to present conditions. Just for a little practice along this line try focusing your "binoculars" on some of these: "Are all agreed that everything in Prince William county is just as it should be?"

"Are all agreed that all laws are promptly and properly enforced?"  
"Are all agreed that the guilty are promptly brought to justice?"  
"Are all agreed that the present state of liquor control is a good temperance promoter?"

In other words, "Are things in general as good as you would like them, daughter, Elizabeth, spent the day with Mrs. Lynn's mother, Mrs. Metz, in Manassas.

**PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY HISTORY**

Have you read the Clark and Arrington History of Prince William County? Every citizen who takes pride in local institutions should possess a copy of this charming book, which is on sale for 40 cents at the office of the Prince William County School Board, Manassas, Va., or will be sent postpaid for 50 cents.

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<b>CARROTS</b>	2 bunches	15c
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<b>SPINACH</b>	2 lbs	19c
<b>LETTUCE</b>	2 stalks	19c
<b>GRAPES</b>	2 lbs	19c
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<b>GRAPEFRUIT, pink meat</b>	2 for	13c
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**SKYLINE DRIVE**

And How It Came To Virginia  
By Arthur Davidson

More than four thousand human beings have labored within a period of two and a half years to build the Skyline Drive, in the Shenandoah National Park. These include CCC workers, private contract workers, engineering forces and others who have contributed brain or brawn to the construction of a driveway that has no counterpart anywhere in the world.

The great scenic highway courses the backbone of the Blue Ridge from Front Royal to Jarman's Gap, near Waynesboro, a distance of nearly a hundred miles. It has no grade that exceeds a six per cent variation of level and no curve shorter than a 200-foot radius. The roadway has a 26-foot spread, and with the exception of two overpasses, one where it intersects the Lee Highway, at Panorama, and the other at its intersection with the Spotswood Trail, in Swift Run Gap, it is without a bridge from end to end.

The Drive has cost the Federal government to date approximately three million dollars, to which at least six million dollars more may be added if it is extended southwardly, as proposed, to connect the Shenandoah National Park with the Great Smoky Mountain National Park in North Carolina and Tennessee. These vast sums have been and will continue to be poured into the trade channels of Virginia.

Forty-two thousand automobiles, by careful count, have passed over Skyline Drive, between Panorama and Swift Run Gap, since this section was opened to the public on September 15. They carried an average of three and a half persons to a car, thus making fully 147,000 persons who have toured the highway since its opening, a little more than three months ago. Touring reaches its peak in Virginia in July and August.

The commercial value of this traffic, even in an off season, is easily apparent. Gasoline alone must have cost these tourists \$100,000 at the lowest estimate. Hotels, tourist homes, restaurants, filling stations, service stations and others who cater to the tourist trade benefited directly and other lines of business indirectly from this travel over a roadway that has not yet received its final surfacing.

The construction of Skyline Drive was one of the most startling engineering feats in road building ever undertaken in this country. It called for a high degree of technical skill and scientific knowledge combined with boldness of vision and of enterprise. All of the ordinary problems of road building were complicated by considerations of elevation, air pressure, mean temperature and other questions involving delicate calculation.

In one instance it was found necessary to drill a tunnel seven hundred feet through solid rock to let the highway pass through a mountain. Dangerous curves had to be constructed with a view to safety of traffic. There were steep ascents and descents and jagged scarps to be scaled or avoided. The building of the road involved vast expenditures for materials and equipment, much of which went to Virginia firms.

The wild beauty of this mountain top highway cannot be described in words. It must be seen and experienced to be appreciated. The writer who attempts to portray its beauty finds himself confronted with the same difficulty that confronts the artist who goes forth to paint the sunrise or the play of moonlight on rippling waters. Words and paint fail. It wakens a spirit within you. But who can paint a spirit?

There are a thousand vistas of the world spread out beneath you, with little towns and villages dotting the

landscape far below. You are reminded of the temptation of the Nazarene recorded in holy writ. Here is a wonderful cascade that tumbles for miles over rocks and through gorges until it pours its silver flood into the waters of the lowlands.

Jutting boulders form picturesque silhouettes in the distance and the tops of tall mountains rise from white fog banks like rocky sentinels at sea. And here, four thousand feet above the sea level, the petty affairs of the world below seem far away indeed and of less consequence in the presence of the eternal hills.

A skyline drive along the crest of the Blue Ridge in Virginia was first suggested in 1934, in a report of the Southern Appalachian National Park Commission to Secretary of the Interior Hubert Work, recommending the establishment of a national park in this area.

The first definite move toward a realization of the commission's dream grew out of a plan proposed by William E. Carson, chairman of the State Commission on Conservation and Development, to build a road from the President's Camp on the Rapidan to the top of the mountain and thence on to Luray.

J. C. Albright, district engineer of the State Highway Department, who built the road from Criglersville to the President's Camp, a distance of ten miles, in less than three months, was asked to estimate the cost of putting a good country road over the mountain to Luray and he reported that it could be done for eighty thousand dollars. This was the actual beginning of Skyline Drive.

Carson asked the counties of Page, Madison, Culpeper and Orange to put up half of this amount, promising that he himself would find the other half. Page County readily agreed to its quota but the other counties for various reasons were unable to do so and the project was dropped for the time being.

Representative Louis Cramton, of Michigan, offered the bill in Congress which made the relief funds available for the construction of roads and trails in the national parks and monuments. At a dinner given in Cramton's honor at the Governor's Mansion in Richmond, in recognition of his services to the state in securing legislation for the restoration of Arlington and for the Colonial National Monument at Yorktown, Carson said to him:

"There is one more thing I want you to do for Virginia: Offer a bill in Congress making the drought relief funds available for building roads in the national parks."

He thereupon told Cramton about his conversation with President Hoover, with the result that Cramton agreed to offer such a bill and fulfilled his promise at the succeeding session of Congress, when such a bill was offered and passed. Mr. Hoover immediately allocated sufficient funds to build the road from Front Royal to Jarman's Gap, the entire length of the park.

Later, in the fall of 1931, he has allocated a million dollars for the extension of the highway toward Front Royal to Jarman's Gap, but when President Roosevelt, who had now assumed office, issued his order impounding all funds this allocation went the way of its predecessors. However, in April of 1933, when the President visited the Rapidan Camp, he promised Carson he would reinstate the funds necessary to build the Drive through the entire length of the park.

It is worthy of note that at this conference between President Roosevelt and William E. Carson the first suggestion was made to extend the skyline road beyond the bounds of the Shenandoah National Park. Mr. Carson proposed to the President that the Drive be built along the mountain tops to the Peaks of Otter,

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and that from this point a boulevard be built across the state, past Appomattox and Sailor's Creek battlefields to Yorktown, where it would connect with an extension of the Mount Vernon Boulevard which he proposed should be built to take in Wakefield, Oak Grove, Ferry Farm, Fredericksburg, Pohick Church, all connected with George Washington, and Gunston Hall, home of George Mason.

**BURKE**

Mrs. M. B. Merchant is recovering from a rather severe illness. The Community Tree on Sunday evening was well attended and greatly enjoyed.

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THURSDAY, DEC. 27, 1934

CHRIST FOR ALL—ALL FOR CHRIST  
**The Word of God**  
 They read a long way by foot, and a long way by path—Psalm 119:101

BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER

If parents will have their children receive the daily Bible instruction, it will prove a precious heritage to them in after years.  
**THE BURDEN BEARER:**  
 Cast thy burden upon the Lord, and he shall sustain thee; he shall never suffer the righteous to be moved. — Psalm 55:22.

**CHRISTMAS**

Aside from its religious significance Christmas has an important place on civilized man's calendar. It intensifies the spiritual quality in his being. During the rest of the year he may wear a long face and be cross and irritable, but let him get the "Christmas spirit" into his bones and there is a tremendous change in his outlook. Cheerfulness, understanding and generosity mark him at this season. It is then that the good in him which has been unnaturally repressed finds expression.

It has been difficult during the years of the depression to bring into all American homes the happiness and good cheer which are associated with Christmas. There have been families of millions of unemployed bread winners who challenged the liberality and unselfishness of their more fortunate fellows—many of whom likewise had been hard hit by the slump. It is doubtful, however, if many more of these needy have been passed by than was the case in normal times. Under the influence of the Christmas spirit, those who were able to give rose to the emergency and comparatively few children suffered the heartbreaks which are theirs when Santa Claus passes them by.

This experience, no doubt, has had the effect of broadening the sympathies of Americans and binding all classes more closely together. This Christmas the economists and industrial captains see the long-drawn-out depression nearing an end. The conservative General Charles G. Dawes predicts that by next June or July, conditions will begin rapidly to right themselves, and we shall be definitely out of the woods. With this prospect, the Christmas we celebrate today should be the happiest and the merriest we have known in a long, long time. And there is the bright promise that because human misery has made us more sympathetic and understanding during these past few years, we shall be able in the future to build on a surer, more durable economic foundation.—Times-Dispatch.



**WELCOME NEWS FOR BANK DEPOSITORS**

After December 31, 1934, bank depositors who maintain checking accounts will no longer have to pay the Federal Tax of two cents on each check issued; PROVIDED the next Congress does not reimpose the tax.

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**BRIEF LOCAL NEWS**

Mr. W. H. Woodard, of North Carolina, spent part of the holidays with his son, J. S. Woodard.

The Ladies Aid of Buckhall will hold a social at the school house, Friday night, Dec. 28. Benefit of U. B. Church. Sandwiches, hot dogs and coffee will be served.

Don't forget. Annual Christmas dance given by the Woman's Club of Manassas on December 28 at the high school gym.

Mr. Wm. Anderson of Bristow was in town Christmas eve. We were glad to see him at the Journal office.

Mrs. Frank Peters had as Xmas guests her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawton of Richmond.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Frank Peters Tuesday, Jan. 1, at 2:30 p.m. Please notice change of time from evening to afternoon.

Mrs. John F. Donovan, of Bristow, was a pleasant caller at the Journal on Monday.

Mr. A. R. Miller, of Washington, was in town Friday last visiting his home.

The Manassas Chapter, U. D. C., will meet Tuesday, Jan. 8, at 2:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Gillum. Mrs. Guthrie will be assistant hostess.

Mr. E. B. Bell, of Nokesville, was a welcome caller at the Journal on Saturday.

Mr. D. W. Wright, of Limstrong, was a Journal visitor on Saturday.

Mrs. Hattie Petty, of Brentsville, was a caller at the Journal on Saturday.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**

"Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all churches and societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, December 23.

The golden text was "Lo, he that formeth the mountains, and createth the wind, and declareth unto man what is his thought, that maketh the morning darkness, and treadeth upon the high places of the earth, The Lord, The God of hosts, is his name" (Amos 4:13).

Among the citations which comprised the lesson-sermon was the following from the Bible: "Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear" (Hebrews 11:3).

The lesson-sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The scientific fact that man and the universe are evolved from Spirit, and so are spiritual, is as fixed in divine Science as is the proof that mortals gain the sense of health only as they lose the sense of sin and disease" (p. 69).

**\$113,000,000 OF C. C. C. WAGES ARE SENT HOME**

Robert E. Fechner, director of emergency conservation work, said last week that approximately \$113,000,000 has gone into the homes of Civilian Conservation Corps workers since the program was started in May, 1933.

Fechner, sending greetings to the C. C. C. workers over a radio network, said the total cost of the program was \$474,500,000, of which the workers received \$143,000,000, the bulk of it going to their dependents.

Stressing the importance of the C. C. C. work done in forest areas, Fechner predicted that "before the end of a decade one of America's principal natural resources, namely timber, will show an increase in both volume and value that will go a long way toward paying the expense of the operation of the corps."

**SOCIAL NEWS**

Miss Evelyn Cooke is visiting her cousin, Mary Curtis Cooke, at Williamsburg, and attended the wedding of Miss Margaret Baughman and Lt. Malin Craig in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hubbard spent Christmas at their home in New Kent, Va.

Mr. Robert Lloyd of the University of Virginia is spending the holidays at her home at Clover Hill Farm.

Dr. Elizabeth Johnson is spending the holidays at her home at Clover Hill Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Smith are spending part of the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith.

Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Gibson and Misses Susie, Eleanor and Lucy Gibson took Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cooke at Thrifton.

Miss Elizabeth Shelton spent Christmas in Gretna, Va., where she was the guest of Miss Mary Thompson, who will spend the remaining holidays with Miss Shelton in Manassas.

Mrs. Osa Bundy, of Bristol, Tenn., is spending the holidays in Manassas as the guest of Mrs. Tom Howard.

Miss Nina Dalton is home for the holidays.

Mrs. Ned Bradford and Miss Evelyn Cooke entertained at a lovely tea on Monday afternoon from 5 to 6 o'clock.

Miss Helen Carter, of Long Island, N. Y., Alfred Hesse, of West Point, Kenneth Kimbrough and Lee McGraw, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Fergus Belander, of Washington, D. C., will be week-end guests of Miss Madeline McCoy.

Miss Katherine Pattie, who has been ill at her home, is very much improved.

Miss Charlotte Ewell, who has been in Baltimore a greater part of the fall, has returned to her home for the winter.

Mr. Burton Lyons, of the Capital City, spent Christmas at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunton Tiffany enjoyed Christmas dinner with other members of their family in Warrenton.

Mr. Sedrick Saunders spent Christmas day at his home in Warsaw, Va.

Miss Anna Bruce Whitmore is spending the week with her parents in Manassas.

Misses Lucy Arrington and Virginia Conner were hostesses at a delightful tea on Sunday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock. The decorations were Christmas greens and candles tastefully arranged.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker, of Philadelphia, spent Christmas day with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gendell Reeves.

Miss Hazel Saunders is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Saunders. Miss Saunders is a teacher in a mission school in North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Noell Gill are occupying Miss Whitmore's apartment in Washington during the latter's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Leinbach and son, James, and Mr. I. Zerbe, all of Washington, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Swavely.

Several of the social set of Manassas attended the V. P. I. Capital Club dance at the Kennedy-Warren Hotel last night.

Miss Virginia Speiden gave an informal recital and demonstration of the Dunning System at her home Saturday, December 22.

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**NOTICE**

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**LONELY HILLS**

In my little house on Lonely Hill  
 I sit by the fire as the day grows chill  
 And I watch the flames  
 As they shed their light  
 On the glistening snow  
 And the falling night.

I'm just a poor shepherd  
 That cares for the sheep,  
 And tonight they're all safe in the fold,  
 For just today I found a lamb gone astray,  
 And brought it home out of the cold.

I look out upon the silent night,  
 And I think I see the Eastern Star  
 from afar that  
 Guided the Wise Men  
 Who came to seek the little King,  
 And precious gifts for Him they bring  
 It's Xmas eve.

In the village far below me,  
 I can see the lights that glow  
 Where I went today with holly pine  
 and mistletoe  
 For some good folks I know.  
 They bid me come down there  
 And with them Xmas—joys share  
 They pity me because  
 I am alone on Lonely Hill.

Alone? Not so!  
 For Jesus is so near, so sweet,  
 It seems I've only to kneel down  
 To kiss His feet.  
 I know that Guardian Angels keep  
 watch  
 O'er me along the way.  
 I'll lay me down in  
 Peace and sleep—  
 It's almost  
 Xmas Day!

Margaret Lunsford.

**HICKORY GROVE**

Private Thomas Cornette has sailed from New York for Hawaii, where he expects to be stationed for two years. His many friends wish him a safe voyage, and hope he will like his new fort and enjoy the climate.

Mrs. Park Wilson had a play and Christmas tree for her school on Friday, Dec. 21, which was much enjoyed by patrons and friends.

Grace Chapel had a service and treat for the children Christmas night Rev. Mr. Carpenter conducting the service.

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MARY ELIZABETH COLMAN

from Woman's Home Companion

Music by  
MARY GAIL CLARK

*Not fast*  
Low lay Jes-u in the hay, (Sleep, Ba-by, sleep!) Soft sang Mar-y as He lay, (Sleep, Ba-by, sleep!) To-baz-bright the can-dle gleams, Smiles wot Jes-u in His dreams. (Sleep, Ba-by, sleep!) Soft-ly breathe the cat-tle these, (Sleep, Ba-by, sleep!) Lest they wake Him, Jes-u fair. (Sleep, Ba-by, sleep!) An-gels guard-ed Mar-y's Son, An-gels guard thee, lit-tle one, Till day break and night is done. Sleep, ba-by, sleep, sleep.

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**LEGAL NOTICES**

**PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE**

Under and by virtue of a decree entered on the 11th day of December, 1934, in the suit of Jas. A. Cooper against Susie Smith and others by the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia, the undersigned commissioners of sale therein appointed will proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 19, 1935, at eleven o'clock a.m., in front of the Court House in the Town of Manassas, aforesaid County, all that certain tract or parcel of land, known as the Richard H. and Laura Cooper land, lying and being situated on the south side of the old Sinclair Mill Road, in Coles District, aforesaid County, and adjoining the lands of Mason, Brown and Hooff, and others, containing, more or less,

60 Acres.  
Terms:—One-half cash day of sale and the remaining one-half in six months, with interest from day of sale, for which deferred payment the purchaser is to execute an interest-bearing note and title to be retained until purchase price is paid in full; the purchaser being privileged to pay all cash.

J. JENKYN DAVIES,  
H. THORNTON DAVIES,  
Commissioners of Sale.  
I, G. G. Tyler, Clerk of the aforementioned Court, do hereby certify that bond, with security, has been executed as provided by the decree for sale aforesaid.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

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**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING**

To the stockholders of the Bank of Occoquan Inc.:

Please take notice that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Occoquan Inc. will be held in the banking room of said bank in Occoquan, Va., on Tuesday, Jan. 8, 1935, at 4:00 p.m., for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

B. W. BRUNT, Cashier.

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**FILM PRESENTS POPULAR NEW STARRING TEAM**

A new starring romantic team is presented to film audiences in Paramount's "Now and Forever," coming to the Dixie Theatre in Manassas next Wednesday. It is Gary Cooper and Carole Lombard, and the picture marks the first time that these two popular players have appeared together as leads. In addition, five-year-old Shirley Temple, who was seen in "Little Miss Marker," plays a starring role.

Together, these three compose one of the most perfect combinations seen in films. The characters they play are sympathetic, human and entirely believable, and they enact a story that is sincere, with loads of heart-tugs and tears along with the smiles and laughs.

Plainly a born adventurer, Gary Cooper is seen as a carefree chap, who lives by his wits, and hoodwinks every man he meets. Madly in love with Carole Lombard he even permits his cheating methods to cheat her away from him.

His little daughter, Pennie, played by Shirley Temple, has been brought up by a guardian. Desperate for money, he even consents to accept cash for his right to his own daughter. That is, until he sees her.

Then he carries her away. Together with Carole Lombard they lead a happy, carefree life, until Cooper is again tempted to stray from the straight and narrow. At this point the child's love and faith in him is vindicated, when, by a noble deed of self-sacrifice, he removes himself from her life and makes happiness possible for her.

**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING**

To the Stockholders of the Peoples National Bank:

Please take notice that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Peoples National Bank of Manassas will be held at its banking house in the Town of Manassas on Tuesday, January 8, 1935, at 11 o'clock for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

G. RAYMOND RATCLIFFE,  
Cashier.

**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING**

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HARRY P. DAVIS,  
Cashier.

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**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING**

To the Stockholders of the Bank of Nokesville, Inc.:

Please take notice that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Bank of Nokesville, Inc., will be held at its banking house in Nokesville on Wednesday, Jan. 16, 1935, at ten o'clock A. M. for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of any other business as may properly come before the meeting.

V. W. ZIRKLE,  
Cashier.

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**BRENTSVILLE**

Miss Sallie Murphey of Maryland spent Christmas eve with friends here.

Mrs. Rable and son of Washington spent Christmas with Mrs. John Seymour.

Mr. Murray Bradshaw of Blacksburg spent his Christmas at home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kniceley of Brentsville spent Xmas day with their daughter in Washington.

Mrs. Jim Keys was a Washington visitor Monday.

Mr. J. L. Rollins of Bristow spent Christmas day evening with Mr. R. H. Keys.

Rev. Crabtree, wife and daughter took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Kniceley Friday.

Mrs. Lilly Keys ate Christmas dinner with Mrs. K. M. Bradshaw.

Mr. Rucker Cooksey of Brentsville is spending Christmas with his brother, Mrs. Paul Cooksey, of Manassas.

Mrs. Cash Keys' mother, Mrs. W. W. Cookson; his brother, Mr. W. W. Cookson, jr., and sister, Mrs. Winifred Phebus and little daughter, Iona; also Mr. Keys' mother, Mrs. Johnnie Keys; his sister and her husband, T. E. Counts, and children were all visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Keys Christmas day.

Mrs. Cash Keys' son, Jed Lankford, of Washington, is spending Xmas with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Counts and family, and Mr. J. M. Keys all ate Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Keys, jr.

We are awfully sorry to hear of Mrs. J. B. Fletcher's sudden illness. She doesn't seem to be improving. We hope we can report her better with our next writing.

Mrs. Nettie Keys and daughter, Dorothy spent Xmas day with her sister, Mrs. Nalls, of Manassas.

Little Patricia Ann (Patsy Ann) Keys had a party on her sixth birthday with 9 little girls, Gene Keys, Frances Keys, Ora Spitzer, Hazel Counts, Katherine Counts, Anna Cornwell, Louise Keys, Dorothy Keys, Iona Phebus of Washington, other relatives and friends of Brentsville and Washington. The table was very prettily decorated with a winter scene for a centerpiece. There were favors and games. Everyone had a dandy time.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hensley and son, Math, spent Christmas day with their daughter, Mrs. Ruth Nalls.

**BOY STAR SERVES PIE THAT'S WORTH \$1,000**

Few can say that they've eaten a \$1,000 pie. However, it has been done.

Sol Lesser, producer of "Peck's Bad Boy," starring Jackie Cooper, strolled on set during the making of the picture, to see how work was progressing.

Jackie Cooper greeted him with "How would you like a swell piece of pie, Mr. Lesser?" Lesser thought that was an excellent idea.

Jackie told him to go behind the set and he would bring it to him. Soon Jackie appeared with a marvelous cocoanut cream pie. Mr. Lesser was hesitant at first. But Jackie immediately cut himself a huge slice and started in.

After they had consumed nearly the entire pie, Director Eddie Cline appeared and was invited to have the remaining slice.

"The best pie I ever tasted, Sol," remarked Eddie, "but not worth the price."

"What do you mean, 'price,' Ed? This is Jackie's treat."

"Not much!" exclaimed Eddie.

"Roughly speaking, about \$1,000! For your information, Sol, we used this pie in a medium long shot about twenty minutes ago. I turned my back, and the pie disappeared. Now I'm ready to shoot the close-up. No pie! It came from a bakery about 18 miles from here, and the frosting was especially thick, for photographic purposes. To get another pie will delay us to the amount of about one grand to you or not much more than \$1,500.00." Eddie arose and walked away, grinning.

But there wasn't any grin on Sol Lesser's face . . . only about \$48.50 worth of cocoanut cream. When Lesser turned to Jackie for an explanation, Jackie had diplomatically vanished.

"Peck's Bad Boy" comes to the Dixie Theatre in Manassas next Monday.

**BUCKLAND**

Mr. Willie Mayhugh, only son of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Mayhugh, and Miss Katherine Burgess, of Warrenton, were quietly married at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Barnett Grimsley, at New Baltimore, on Saturday, Dec. 22. Mr. and Mrs. Mayhugh left immediately after the ceremony for a short trip to Washington, and on their return were going to be given a reception and shower by the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Burgess, after which they will make their home with the groom's parents here.

Miss Lora Glascock has closed her home "Kinsley" for the winter months, and left last week for a sojourn in Washington.

Quite a few people from this section attended the Christmas program presented by the pupils of New Baltimore school on Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Graham had as their guests for Christmas day Mrs. A. B. Lee, little Miss Marion Lee, Mrs. M. H. Sims, Misses Violet Fletcher and Mary Ella Graham and Mr. Chester Graham, all of Washington.

Mr. Obee Lunceford, of Washington, visited his home here for a short while on Sunday.

Mr. Preston Fowler is leaving for Washington this week where he has accepted a position.

A Christmas program will be given at Harrison Memorial Church on Friday evening, Dec. 28, beginning at 7:30.

Miss Edith Yates was a Washington visitor on Monday.

Mr. Maurice Graham, who is employed at Annandale, is spending two weeks at his home here.

**CENTREVILLE**

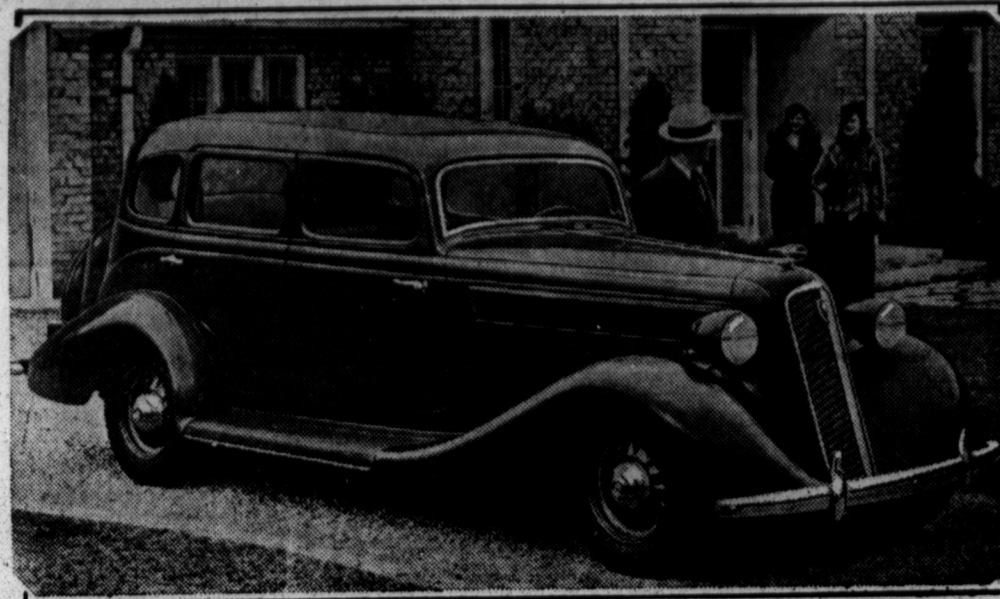
Mrs. Martha Rector is visiting her daughter in Washington.

Miss Lucy LeGallais motored to Chadburn, N. C., with her cousins and is spending the holidays there.

Mr. Edward LeGallais spent Xmas day in Culpeper.

St. John's Guild will meet on January 2 with Mrs. Eva Utterback, the hour being 1 o'clock. Luncheon will be served.

A number of old Centrevillians spent Xmas here.



Color bearer of the 1935 Studebaker line—the new Dictator Custom Sedan for men. This type of car is proving popular at the sales room of the Paris Auto Service at Quantico.

**GAINESVILLE**

Mr. and Mrs. John Sweeney, sr., Mr. and Mrs. John Sweeney, jr., Mrs. Thomas Meredith, Miss A. D. Marsteller, Misses McGill, Mr. William Sweeney, Misses Mary and Mabel Sweeney, Mrs. Frank Wells and Miss Ruth Wells, also Mary Wright, all of Gainesville attended midnight mass at All Saints Church, Manassas, Xmas eve.

Dr. R. R. Ashworth, assistant chief of the Health Department, Washington, released a number of racing pigeons here last week and paid a brief visit to old friends.

Miss Mary Heineken and Miss Clara Wahnschaffe dined with Mrs. William Dodge in Washington on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McCord of Falls Church are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Schultz.

Henry Florence and John Piercy, jr., students at V. P. I., are home for the holidays and are two handsome youths in their attractive uniforms.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis, near Wellington, have been very ill of gripe and are improving.

Mrs. Thomas Meredith dined with friends in Washington on Christmas day.

Mrs. Bronson Cave is visiting relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Piercy.

**CHANTILLY**

Mr. Fred Potts and Mrs. Ida McFarland of Purcellville were Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Sutphin.

Miss Ada Birch has been suffering with her hand from a splinter under her fingernail.

Mr. Ned Sutphin had the misfortune of having a fender taken off his machine Wednesday morning.

Mr. W. H. Turberville has been building a road back to his place.

Mr. Cox is on the sick list.

**Payment of Interest on Deposits**

Effective February 1st, 1935, no National or State Bank in Virginia will be permitted by either Federal or State law to pay in excess of 2 1/2% per annum on Time, Savings or Certificate of Deposit.

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| The National Bank of Manassas       | Manassas, Va.     |
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By W. E. Garnett, Ph. D.,  
Rural Sociologist Virginia Agricultural  
Experimental Station

**Farming and Standards of Living**

In the first number of this series of articles we raised the question of whether an area should leave its development altogether to chance or whether it could consciously plan toward desirable goals and standards. Population trends were also discussed. In this number certain agricultural and standard-of-living conditions and trends will be presented.

**Use of Land**

From 1860 to 1930 the forest and other non-cultivable land of Prince William County increased by 9.4 per cent. In 1930, only 34.7 per cent of the county's area was in crops or improved pasture. In the state as a whole only about one-fifth of the land is in crops and one-fifth in improved pasture. Agricultural authorities say, however, that in most parts of the state still further areas of marginal land on which the people eke out only a bare existence should go out of cultivation.

At the time of the last census the three leading crops of Prince William County from the acreage standpoint were corn, hay and wheat. Twenty-seven per cent of the county's crop land was devoted to corn in 1930 which was 30 per cent less than in 1890. Hay used 24 per cent of the cultivated land, or 8 per cent more than in 1890, and wheat 24 per cent or 53 per cent more than 40 years ago.

At the time of the last census report the average yield per acre of corn in Prince William County was 22 bushels, as compared to a state average of 24 bushels and a county yield of 19 bushels 40 years ago. The parallel figures for hay were 1.1 tons as compared to a state average of 1.1 tons and a county yield of 1.1 tons in 1899; for wheat it was 13 bushels with a state average of 13 bushels and a county yield in 1889 of 10 bushels.

**Livestock Trends**

In 1930 Prince William County cattle population (including milk cows) was 76 per 1,000 acres of farm land, of sheep 23; of hogs 39, and of chickens 510. The parallel state averages per 1,000 acres of farm land for these several types of stock were 50, 49, 42, and 460 respectively. In the past 40 years the county has increased its cattle by 32 per cent, decreased sheep 68 per cent, hogs 30 per cent, and increased chickens 49 per cent.

In 1929 Prince William cows gave an average of 4,816 pounds of milk which was 74 per cent better than 40 years earlier; the sheep averaged 5.3 pounds of wool, or an increase of 20 per cent since 1883, while the hens averaged 70 eggs which was 88 per cent better than the hens of 1889 did. The state increases per animal unit during this period were: milk 51 per cent, wool 22 per cent, and eggs 191 per cent.

**Farm Property and Income**

The average value of all farm property per farm in Prince William County in 1930 was \$9,800, as compared to a state average of \$5,400. On the basis of a uniform price index

the average value per farm increased 173 per cent from 1890 to 1930 in Prince William County as compared to a state increase of 65 per cent in the same period. Taking the state over, however, about one-fourth of the farms are mortgaged to about one-third of their value.

In 1929 the average gross income of the farms of Prince William County was \$1,249 as compared to a state average of \$1,249. (Gross income includes expenses of operation as well as the value of products furnished by the farm toward family living, which for Prince William County averaged \$376 in 1929, but does not include income from outside work). In 1929 28 per cent of the farms of Prince William had a gross income of less than \$600 and in the state as a whole 41 per cent. In this connection it is of some interest to note that though the farm population constitutes about two-fifths of the state's total population, the farmer's gross income in 1930 was only about one-fifth of the state's total income for that year, while his cash income was only one-seventh of the state's total.

**Standards of Living**

Though not altogether dependent on income, the standards of living as a rule tend to be low where incomes are low. Some index of standards of living is afforded by the value of houses and the per cent with certain conveniences.

The average value of farm homes in Prince William County was reported in 1930 to be \$2127 as compared to a state average of \$1300. If homes of hired laborers were included these figures would be even lower. Twenty-two per cent of the white owner homes of the county had electricity in 1930, 22.6 per cent had running water in their houses, and 49.1 per cent had a telephone, while 15.8 per cent of all homes, farm and nonfarm, had radios. Very few hired labor homes have such conveniences. Less than five per cent of farm homes have any sort of central heating system.

**Questions for Local Groups**

Figures such as those cited above bring to the fore for consideration by various local groups such questions as: Have crop yields in the county reached the highest levels practicable? If not, is full use being made in this county of available means of raising such levels? Is the livestock population of various types as dense as it is desirable for the county to have? If not, how can the situation be changed? How does the county compare with state averages in these matters as well as in the output per cow or per hen? Is it true that the low per cent of homes with running water and other home conveniences is altogether a matter of lack of poor income or is it in part a matter of lack of appreciation of the value of these things? Can a county be satisfied to have such a high percentage of its families with such low incomes? If not, is every possible effort being put forth to improve the situation?

NOTE: For further data and comparisons along these lines see Va. Agr. Exp. Station bulletin 291, County Conditions and Trends of Social Significance.

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**A Yuletide Letter**

I oftentimes think,  
As I take pen and ink;  
That an original line from a friend,  
Releases more genuine, emotional cheer  
Than the gifts or the favors they send.  
I'm convinced that his thoughts,  
As they flow from the mind,  
Reopen life's pageant and cast:  
Bringing to view in colorful hue,  
Those scenes with his friends of the past.  
I know of no measure  
The better to gauge,  
The depth and degree of delight  
We derive from our musings on friends of old,  
Than revealed in the letters they write.  
Of things that I prize  
And value most high—  
Old friendships I most fondly cherish.  
I jealously feed them with tidbits of love,  
Lest they hunger and wither and perish.  
I cannot subscribe  
To the adage of old,  
Which says "Out of sight, out of mind."  
If I travel in memories or actually voyage,  
I can't leave my old friends behind.  
When I sit at my desk  
And pick up my pen,  
To talk to a friend far away;—  
I'm likely to feel if he wrote to me,  
Some things I should want him to say.  
Of course, I have friends  
Whom I have addressed,  
Who ever remain as my debtor.  
But at Yuletide I'm filled with a burning desire  
To write them a personal letter.  
Then too, I have friends,  
Whose formal response  
Seems lacking in spirit and cheer.  
But even to them, I'm penning these lines,  
To wish them a HAPPY NEW YEAR!

—Stephen J. Lewis, D.D.S.

December 1934

**CLIFTON**

Mrs. V. V. Weaver is very ill at her home here.

The Xmas entertainment for the Clifton Baptist Church was held on Wednesday, the 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mathers of Berryville, Va., were dinner guests of Mrs. W. H. Mathers on Xmas day.

Mrs. C. N. Bladen spent Xmas with her mother, Mrs. C. L. Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Koontz and daughter, Louise, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wine on Xmas. Mrs. Eva Davis is visiting in Wash-

ington, D. C.

Mr. G. B. Spindle is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Buckley of Washington, D. C., were visitors in Clifton for Xmas day.



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- PURE LARD . . . 2 lbs 29c
- ROLL BUTTER . . . 2 lbs 69c
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# A Favorite For Centuries



FEW foods have enjoyed the popularity over a course of centuries that a certain delicious fish has maintained. When Julius Caesar marched his victorious legions through Gaul, about the year 56 B.C., his warriors saw a silver horde of glistening fish which leaped and jumped in the sunlight, and battled their way against the current of the river Garonne. This kind of fish was new to the Romans who named it *Salmo*, probably from the Latin word *salire* which means "to leap." And it is known as salmon to this day.

This delicious fish soon found its way to the tables of the epicures of Rome. In 77 A.D., Pliny writes: "In Aquitania the river salmon is preferred to all the fish that swim in the sea." About four hundred years later Decimus Magnus Ausonius lauded salmon as "a fit dish for feasts where choice is difficult," and the literature of Ireland, England, Scotland and Wales is filled with references to salmon.

over six canned salmon is the cheapest and most nutritious animal food that can be had." In the meanwhile salmon had continued to be one of the most popular of foods more because of its delicious taste than because it has become cheap and is always nutritious. From small beginnings back in 1864 the industry of canning salmon had grown to a pack of more than four hundred million cans a year. So now we can all eat this great delicacy at small expense.

The next question is how to eat it. It is now served in many ways, but in which of these ways does it taste best? Well, that's a matter of individual preference. The only way to solve it is to try some of the ways and see which you like best. So here are some recipes for its use.

### In a Salad and Soup

**Salmon Mayonnaise:** Chill a 1-pound can of salmon in the ice box for several hours or, better, over night. Remove from can, sliding out carefully onto a platter. Cover with one-half cup mayonnaise and garnish with eight pickle fans. Serves four liberally.

**Salmon and Tomato Bisque:** Turn the contents of a 1-pound can of salmon, including liquor, into a stew pan, and add the contents of a 15-ounce can of tomatoes, one bay leaf, one sliced onion, one-fourth teaspoon peppercorns and one cup water, and stew gently for about fifteen minutes. Press through a coarse sieve. Reheat and add a pinch of

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**Salmon Puffs with Hollandaise Sauce:** Beat sixteen eggs well, add two quarts milk and the flaked salmon from four 1-pound cans. Add two quarts soft bread crumbs, four teaspoons salt, paprika and nutmeg to taste, and turn into well-greased molds, each of which has a slice of hard-cooked egg in the bottom. Set molds in hot water and bake in a slow oven — 300 degrees — for forty to fifty minutes or till set and a knife comes out clean. Turn onto plates and garnish with Hollandaise sauce and a bit of watercress. Serves fifty. (May also be served with cream sauce or tomato sauce.)

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## VIRGINIANS PROMISED JOBS ON HIGHWAYS

State Highway Commissioner Henry G. Sirley Wednesday said unemployment in Virginia will be greatly relieved when \$1,500,000 of new highway work gets under way within the next few weeks.

The commissioner said he had sent to other members of the highway commission, for mail vote on award, bids recently received by the commission on more than \$500,000 of road and bridge construction.

Other bids of recent weeks runs the total to approximately \$1,500,000.

### "We Do Our Part"

MUCH effort is being put forth on every hand to restore what the human mind calls normal times, and many plans are being tried in the endeavor to accomplish this purpose. Wide appeal has been made in the United States for cooperation, and some show their willingness to cooperate by agreeing to certain codes; such are permitted to display a card on which is printed an emblem bearing the words "We Do Our Part." Those who are permitted to advertise that they are doing their part must closely watch to see that they live up to their declaration.

In considering true cooperative effort in the highest—the spiritual—sense, we must discover where it is we begin to do our part. All the material codes we may subscribe to, and all the declarations we may make, will be of no real value unless we gain the true significance of cooperation. We must get the right idea of cooperation before we can see it manifested outwardly. Thus it is in our consciousness that the first steps toward doing our part are to be taken. It is an individual effort, and each individual must, of necessity, do his part before it can be done collectively.

Are we employees with an exaggerated sense of our true worth, feeling that we are not being properly compensated? Are we harboring a sense of resentment toward our employers, doing our work in a careless manner, giving as little as we can, thinking in this way to measure the amount of work we do by what we get? Or are we cheerfully striving to bring out the highest sense of service by putting forth our best efforts to give and do the very best we can, happy in the thought that we are loyally and lovingly cooperating with those with whom and for whom we are working, realizing our opportunities and the privilege it is to do our part in the great work of helping mankind?

Are we as employers holding the thought that business is a means of getting without giving? Do we feel we have the right to get as much as we can from our employees through long hours and low wages? Are we disregarding the conditions under which they are working, constantly finding fault with their work, and holding them in bondage to fear of losing their positions? Are we thinking that these policies will make more profits for ourselves and more dividends for the stockholders?

Or are we striving to bring out the highest concept of an employer, and realizing that loving consideration of all is the first step toward producing harmonious cooperation? Honest and just compensation is not only essential, but mandatory; for did not the master Christian tell us that "the laborer is worthy of his hire"? Are we as considerate of the one doing the most menial work as we are of the highest salaried executive? Know, each idea, being in its right place and expressing right activity, is entitled to the same loving consideration? Are we practicing the Golden Rule and loving our neighbors as ourselves?

This is a great work and, in order to accomplish it, it is necessary that we be constantly on guard against the enemy, who, through aggressive suggestion, would divert us from our high purpose. Who is this enemy? Thoughts of disobedience, dishonesty, deception, disloyalty, selfishness, greed, envy, jealousy, resentment, hatred, which rob us of our ability to do our part. The Bible records an occasion when a great work of restoration was going on, and the enemy conspired against it, and we read: "Nevertheless we made our prayer unto our God, and set a watch against them day and night, because of them." And when the enemy found they had been discovered, they tried through subtle suggestions to stop the work. But Nehemiah, "and I went on guard, states further: "And I sent messengers unto them, saying, I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down: why should the work cease, whilst I leave it, and come down to you?" We must follow Nehemiah's example and set a watch day and night. We must not come down to the level of erroneous thoughts and leave the work we have set ourselves to do.

Restoration of work begins with the realization that God's creation is already perfect and complete. Nothing can ever change this one perfect creation, for we read in Genesis, "God saw every thing that he had made, and behold, it was very good." It is a false concept of creation, a fabrication of the human mind, which produces limitation, poverty, depression, and world-wide discordant conditions.

On page 340 of "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," the textbook of Christian Science, Mary Baker Eddy tells us in the following words how the true understanding of God restores harmony: "One infinite God, good, unifies men and nations; constitutes the brotherhood of man; ends wars; fulfills the Scripture, 'Love thy neighbor as thyself'; annihilates paganism and Christian idolatry,—whatsoever is wrong in social, civil, criminal, political, and religious codes; equalizes the sexes; annuls the curse on man, and leaves nothing that can sin, suffer, be punished or destroyed."—*The Christian Science Monitor*.

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## A Pie To Catch The Eye And Delight The Palate



Lemon Banana Cream Pie. A new gastronomic delight for pie lovers.

By Barbara Brooks

**LEMON** banana cream pie is just as delicious as it sounds—and looks. Equally important from the point of view of the busy housewife is the fact that it is easily prepared.

A crowning touch to this tempting dessert is given by the light and flaky crust made with the corn flakes that are such a familiar feature of the American breakfast table. Once you have discovered how appetizing this unusual crust is you'll be tempted to use it constantly in making all kinds of pies and tarts.

Below is the recipe for the pie; and then, for good measure, I'm adding a recipe for a bran variety of refrigerator cookies. Nearly everyone knows that bran provides the "bulk" all normal people need to keep the system in proper working order; so you can enjoy the cookies with the pleasant thought that you are conforming to the soundest dietetic principles.

**Lemon Banana Cream Pie**  
1 1/2 cups condensed milk (1 can) 2 lemons rind  
1/2 cup lemon juice 2 bananas  
Blend thoroughly condensed milk, lemon juice and lemon rind and stir until mixture thickens.  
Line a pie pan (9 in.) with the following crust.

**Corn Flake Pastry**  
4 cups corn flakes 1/4 cup butter  
1/4 cup sugar (melted) 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon  
Put the corn flakes through a food grinder using the fine cutter. This will make about 1 cup of fine crumbs. Mix with sugar, butter and cinnamon. Brush a pie pan (9 in.) with butter and line bottom and sides with crumbs. Bake in moderate oven (400° F.) about 10 minutes. Fill crust with cream mixture and top with thinly sliced bananas.

Cover with the following mixture:  
3 egg whites Few grains salt  
5 tablespoons sugar 1/4 teaspoon vanilla extract  
Beat egg whites until they hold their shape, then add sugar gradually. Beat until stiff. Add vanilla. Spread on top of pie. Bake in a slow oven (300° F.) for 20 minutes.

**Bran Butterscotch Refrigerator Cookies**  
1 cup butter 1 cup all-bran  
(1/2 lb.) 1 cup flour  
2 cups brown sugar 2 teaspoons baking powder  
Cream butter and sugar, add eggs and beat together. Add bran. Sift flour and baking powder and add to first mixture. Shape into roll and store in refrigerator. When needed, slice in about 1/4-in. slices and bake on cookie sheet in hot oven (425° F.) for about 10 minutes. Yields 7 1/2 dozen cookies 3 inches in diameter.



# A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

**MIDNIGHT**, December 31, 1934! The bells burst forth into a joyful clangor. The sirens shriek and the whistles scream. At many gay night parties everyone drinks a toast to the New Year. But more quietly, at home many couples turn to each other soberly and ejaculate with heartfelt fervor: "A happy New Year to you, my dear!"

What will the New Year bring forth? Well, for one thing, it will bring forth ten hundred and ninety-five meals, if you are fortunate. Did we hear some housewives sigh? Perhaps they don't consider themselves so fortunate to have to plan ten hundred and ninety-five meals!

That is the reason why we are going to try to lighten their burden by printing some succulent recipes which should give them a good start toward solving this perplexing problem. There are only a certain number of foods, after all. But of the tempting combinations of them there are no end.

### Some Winter Soups

A good, hot, sustaining soup is fine winter provender. So here are recipes for a couple to start with. The first is for that good, old American standby

**New England Clam Chowder:** Dice one-eighth pound salt pork, and sauté with one medium sized sliced onion. Add one and a half cups diced potatoes, sauté a few minutes, and then add one-half teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, a pinch of thyme, one-eighth teaspoon celery seed, two tablespoons chili sauce and one

cup water. Add the chopped clams from a small can containing one cup of clams and three-fourths of a cup of liquor, and one tablespoon flour smoothed with two cups cold milk, and stir until slightly thickened. Add the clam liquor last so that there will be no danger of its curdling the milk. Serve with plain crackers or pilot crackers. Serves four.

Or if you prefer a lighter soup to start a dinner, try this

**Tomato Bouillon with Mushrooms:** Stew for five minutes the contents of a one quart can of tomatoes, two cups water, liquor from one can mushrooms, one and one-fourth teaspoons salt and one teaspoon paprika. Add two bouillon cubes, dissolve them, then strain mixture. Add two slightly-beaten egg whites and two crushed egg shells. Boil one minute. Let stand half an hour to settle, then strain through a double cheese cloth. Add one-half cup chopped mushrooms sautéed in two tablespoons butter, and reheat but do not boil. Serves eight.

### Sustaining Salads

And here's a succulent and sustaining salad that you can serve at a buffet supper.

**Turkey, Sweetbread and Pineapple Salad:** Toss lightly together, with mayonnaise to moisten slightly, one cup cold, diced turkey, one cup cold, diced sweetbreads, one-half cup white grapes, skinned and seeded, one-half cup diced canned Hawaiian pineapple and salt and pepper to taste. Pile on a large chop plate or in a big salad bowl, well garnished with

lettuce. Serve from buffet table. Serves eight.

To make a salad the main course of a meal, it should contain plenty of proteins. Here's one that does and tastes delicious.

**Meat and Cucumber Mold:** Soften one tablespoon gelatin in two tablespoons cold water and dissolve in one cup boiling canned tomato juice. Add one teaspoon lemon juice and salt and pepper to taste. When cool and beginning to thicken, add one-half cup mayonnaise, two cups finely cut meat, one cup diced cucumbers and two tablespoons chopped pickle relish. The meat may be one cup ham plus one cup chicken (the contents of a 6-ounce can), or equal quantities of chicken and veal, ham and veal or any such combination. Pour into wet oblong mold, and chill. Turn out on platter, and garnish as desired. Serve in slices. Serves eight.

### A Winter Dessert

A nice warming dessert to eat with a meal in winter is the following

**Steamed Oatmeal Pudding:** together one cup uncooked oatmeal, half the contents of a 1-pound can mince-meat, three tablespoons corn syrup, one-fourth teaspoon salt and two-thirds cup milk, and let stand about an hour. Add one tablespoon melted butter, one-half teaspoon soda dissolved in a little hot water, two tablespoons dry crumbs mixed with one teaspoon baking powder and two well-beaten eggs. Pour into buttered pudding dish and steam one and a half hours. Serve hot with hard sauce. Serves six.

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