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## JUNIOR GROUP NAMES PRESIDENT

Miss Walser Conner to Direct  
Club This Year.

The Junior Woman's Club met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Joseph Lyon, with Misses Rose Ratcliffe and Marion Lynn hostesses.

The election of officers took place at which time Miss Walser Conner was elected president to succeed Miss Rena Bevans, retiring president, who has faithfully served the club in that capacity during the past year.

Other officers elected were vice-president, Miss Sally Lewis; secretary, Miss Christine Meeteer, and Mrs. Robert Saunders, treasurer.

The club was quite fortunate in having as its guest speaker Miss Sabina Neel, who spoke very fluently on her work here in the county, which was highly indorsed by the club as very important.

At the next meeting the new president, Miss Conner, will appoint her committees for the year, a list of which will be printed next week.

Miss Frances Boling was a guest of the club.

## STATE DEATHS INCREASE

February Total 3,014; Biggest  
Rise Reported for Pneumonia.

A sharp increase in deaths in Virginia during the month of February as compared with February, 1935, is noted in the report made public by Dr. W. A. Plecker, director of the bureau of vital statistics of the State Health Department. Total deaths were 3,014 as compared with 2,705 for February of last year, an increase of 309.

The greatest mortality rise was shown in pneumonia victims, the increase being 127. This, Dr. Plecker said, probably was due in large part to the severe weather which struck the State during the month. The total this year was 427, of which 262 were white persons.

Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis, which for a time was severe in certain sections of the State, recorded a gain of 17 deaths, the totals being 24 and 7. Other rises shown were: cancer 27, cerebral hemorrhage 60, diseases of the heart 45, and nephritis 34.

Births for the month were 3,987 and death of babies under one year numbered 317.

## CHORAL SOCIETY

A choral society has been organized by members of several church choirs in the community. Temporary officers have been chosen to serve until a permanent organization can be effected. They are Rev. John M. DeChant, chairman; Mrs. John Broadus, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. J. Dennis Baker, director; Miss Virginia Speiden, accompanist. Miss Speiden and Mrs. Sedrick Saunders are a committee, together with the officers, to prepare by-laws.

This organization ought to be welcomed by local music lovers. The chief requirements for membership are ability to sing and willingness to submit to direction. The next meeting will be held in the Presbyterian Church, Thursday, April 23, at 8 p.m.

## SCENIC ROUTE GROUP WILL MEET APRIL 30

Directors of the Skyline-Shenandoah Scenic Route Association meeting in Elkton, Va., Wednesday decided upon April 30 as date of their second annual meeting. The association was organized last year for purpose of publicizing the valley route to Skyline drive. Two hundred members from all towns along the route are expected to attend the annual meeting. J. R. Mills of Luray is president.

Resolutions were passed asking the State Highway Commission to repair immediately the Alma Bridge over the Shenandoah River so that the route would be available for tourists. The bridge's approaches were washed away in the recent flood.

## MRS. JONES TO ENTER TAIN W. M. S.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. C. B. Jones on Tuesday, April 21, at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. T. M. Reeves will have charge of the program. The topic will be "Pioneers of the Kingdom."

## WEDDING IN NORWICH, CONN.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Edward Smith of Norwich, Conn., have issued cards for the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth Frederick, to Mr. Hawes Thornton Davies, of Manassas. The ceremony will take place on April 25 at the home of the bride.

## ASSEMBLY BALL DRAWS BIG CROWD

Woman's Club Host to Many  
Guests.

The annual Assembly Ball, sponsored by the Woman's Club, presented a brilliant scene Monday night when all the youth of Manassas and their friends of many adjoining localities gathered in the ball room, gay with the festive colors of the Easter season.

This ball has become the outstanding social event of this section of Virginia and is greatly enjoyed by our local young people and their guests.

The reception committee was composed of ladies of the club.

Many dinner and intermission parties added to the gaiety of the evening. Among the most notable were those given by Mrs. Maud Kincheol, Miss Madeline McCoy, Miss Ellen Bisson, Mrs. A. L. Mylander and Mr. Jack Merchant.

The large crowd on the dance floor evidenced keen enjoyment of the hospitality of their charming hostesses.

## MANASSAS TEAM EVENS WITH NOKESVILLE

The Manassas High School baseball team came back from defeat to swamp Nokesville 8 to 2. Washington and Lee previously defeated the boys, 12 to 1, in a five-inning game on an extremely cold day.

Libeau and Rollins worked together to pitch a no-hit game. The two runs were scored on errors. The boys showed a very much improved defense and offense than they displayed in the Washington and Lee game.

Manassas plays host to Fredericksburg on Tuesday afternoon on the high school field. The game is scheduled to start at 3 o'clock.

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Nokesville ----- 000 001 1-2 0 3  
Manassas ----- 025 100 x-8 4 3  
Batteries — Nokesville: Showalter and Flory; Manassas: Libeau, Rollins and Boatwright.  
Umpire—Wallace Lynn.

## ROBERT L. WHEELER

Robert L. Wheeler, son of the late William L. B. and Adelaide Selina (Lewis) Wheeler, and a prominent farmer in the Wellington vicinity, died at his home, Friday, April 10, after an illness of several weeks.

He was born January 1, 1870, near Wellington where he spent his entire lifetime. On April 7, 1910, he married Miss Eva Virginia Ayres, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Ayres of Stone House.

Besides his widow and one son, William Henry, he is survived by one sister, Mrs. William L. Lake, of Rixeyville, Va., and a brother, J. D. Wheeler, of Wellington.

Funeral services were held from the home Sunday afternoon, April 12, Rev. A. B. Sapp officiating, with interment in the Sudley cemetery.

The pallbearers were Messrs. E. R. Conner, D. J. Arrington, R. L. Lewis, Jr., C. C. Lynn, William Henry and Charles Lewis.

Mr. Wheeler will be greatly missed by his many friends and relatives in the community in which he lived.

## MISS MARSTELLAR HOSTESS TO CONFEDERATE CHILDREN

Miss Nancy Marstellar as the hostess at the March meeting of the Children of the Confederacy with Elizabeth Davies presiding. The treasurer reported a balance of \$14.66 in the treasury. The members voted that the year books be paid for and that the treasurer send contributions to help in the state work. After a short program by Marie Bauserman, the historian, the hostess served delicious refreshments.

Mildred Parrish, Secretary.

## ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Thomasson announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Lovina, to Mr. Leslie R. Kline, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Kline. The wedding will take place in the early part of June.

Your subscription label tells whether a subscription is due.

## COUNTY CHAMBER ELECTS OFFICERS

C. C. Cloe Returned as President by Acclamation.

The annual meeting of the Manassas-Prince William Chamber of Commerce was held Wednesday evening in the Town Hall at Manassas, Mr. C. C. Cloe presided and Mr. W. F. Cocke acted as secretary.

An ovation was accorded Mr. Cloe and his re-election as president was by acclamation, evidencing his personal popularity and the recognition of his splendid services during the past year.

The following vice-presidents and directors were elected for the various districts:

Manassas—W. E. Trusler, vice-president; Carl Kincheol and L. B. Williams, directors.

Dumfries—J. Hunt Moncure, vice-president; Mrs. Janie Abel, Pete Pandazides.

Ocoquan—Cleve Russell, vice-president; Gordon Leary and Capt. T. F. Joyce.

Coles—John Oleyar, vice-president; Walter Wine and E. L. Herring.

Gainesville—Jack Alvey, vice-president; W. R. Gossom and Dr. Wade Payne.

Brentsville—No selection until community could be heard from.

Among a number of matters taken up for consideration was a protest from Quantico in reference to the designation of the local telephone exchange as "The Triangle Exchange."

It was stated that much confusion was resulting in calls for the marine base at Quantico. The matter was referred to Mr. Davis.

A membership drive was further discussed and Mr. Janie Abel was designated as chairman of the membership drive and an intensive campaign is planned to secure new members and renewed memberships from those already belonging. The annual dues are \$5 per year. There was considerable discussion of the desirability of raising the membership fee, but it was felt that the lower amount would greatly popularize the organization and result in a much more representative membership.

A meeting of the Board of Directors will be called in a few days for transaction of business regularly referred to them, which will include the selection of a secretary.

A communication was read from Branch Spaulding, co-ordinating superintendent of Virginia National Battlefield Parks, stating that a field inspection of the Manassas Battlefield will be held on April 22 to formulate plans for the military activities to be carried out at the celebration.

The acting secretary submitted an annual report of the activities and accomplishments of the Chamber.

## ATTENDING JUNIOR LEAGUE RALLY

A delegation of the students of the local schools and several of the teachers are in Alexandria today attending the Northern Virginia Junior League Rally which is comprised of Junior Leagues from the counties of Loudoun, Fauquier, Fairfax, Prince William, Arlington and the city of Alexandria.

Miss Esther Akers will give a fifteen-minute talk on "Student Government" and Miss Marilyn Oleyar, president of the Federation of Virginia Junior Leagues, will make the report for all the Virginia Leagues of the county.

The local students will also present several topics for discussion among which will be "the newer type of commencement," "student government" and several others.

Superintendent R. C. Haydon is program director of the high school group and Miss Sue Ayres is director for the elementary group. All of the departments of the schools will be represented at the meeting today.

This is an annual event which is held in rotation from year to year in the different counties, and which gives the schools a better opportunity to work together.

## ELECT OFFICERS

Last week, at their regular monthly meeting, the Woman's Club of Haymarket elected the following executive board:

President, Mrs. Charles J. Gilliss; vice-president, Mrs. M. S. Melton; secretary, Miss Loretto McGill; treasurer, Mrs. B. B. Tulloss.

Beginning with the month of May, the club will meet on the first Tuesday at half past two, instead of two o'clock, as formerly.

## "FIX IT" The Home Water Supply (Contributed)

(Published as a feature of the spring renovation campaign sponsored by the Home Demonstration Agent)

Farm women say their greatest need is to have water piped into the house, especially to the kitchen sink. To draw water by turning the faucet does wonders toward lightening the work. Farm men find running water no less convenient. If the water is pure, no other utility does so much to promote the health of both man and stock.

The two most common farm water supply systems are that in which the water is pumped to an overhead tank and that calling for a water-air tank. In the latter system, water is forced by compressed air from a low to a higher level. Each system has its advantages. The cost of either is not excessive and the cost of maintenance, once the system is installed, is low. For average farm use, an automatic electrically driven pump is most practical but where electricity is not available, a gasoline motor will do the job well.

The installation of a complete water supply system, when necessary, may be extended over a period of time. The first objective, naturally, is to get running water to the kitchen sink. Housewives find that the

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## JEFFERSON IS SUB- JECT OF TALK

The guest speaker of the Kiwanis Club last Friday evening was Mr. W. H. Lamb of the Journal office, who was introduced to the club by Edgar Parrish, chairman of the program committee.

Mr. Lamb gave an illustrative and entertaining discussion which included many sidelights on the life of Thomas Jefferson, whose birthday anniversary occurred on the Monday of this week.

Considerable routine business was transacted including an invitation to the Arlington Kiwanis Club to hold an inter-club meeting some night in May.

Guest speakers tomorrow night are Mr. Chauncy Whitman, sugar administrator for Hawaii, and Mr. Ernest Green, manager of the second largest sugar plantation in the world. Mr. Whitman will exhibit motion pictures taken of the great volcanic eruption which occurred while he was stationed at Hawaii and Mr. Green will describe the great sugar plantations there. The speakers are the guests of Mr. Carl Kincheol.

## NEW POSTOFFICE

The Journal is advised that a rural route postoffice has been opened at Triangle with Mr. C. C. Cloe as the first postmaster.

The office is in the frame building next to the barber shop.

Service is scheduled to begin on Monday next.

## AMATEUR SHOW AT M. H. S.

The Senior class of Manassas High School is planning to present "Major Blowes" amateur show, on Friday night, May 1. All home talent.

There will be a meeting of the Democratic Committee at the Court House at Manassas at 2:30 p.m. April 21, for the purpose of electing a member from Manassas district to take the place of the late James E. Nelson, and any other business that may come before the meeting. All members are urged to attend.  
C. C. CLOE,  
Chairman.

## AUDITOR FINDS TREASURER O.K.

C. A. Sinclair Highly Praised by  
State Auditor.

The Auditor of Public Accounts for Virginia has just completed a formal audit of the accounts of Hon. C. A. Sinclair, Treasurer of Prince William County, and filed a report certifying to the effect that the county funds have had ample protection at all times and personally complimenting the Treasurer upon the excellent condition of his accounts.

Mr. Sinclair was found six dollars and sixty-five cents in excess of the amount for which he was accountable.

Approximately a quarter of a million dollars passed through the Prince William County Treasurer's office during the past fiscal year. The total of receipts and balances being placed by the State Auditor at \$241,277.41.

Mr. Sinclair formerly represented Prince William and Stafford Counties in the Virginia Assembly and became Treasurer in 1928, where his efficient conduct of the office has given general satisfaction throughout the county.

## METHODISTS ASSEMBLE HERE

Washington Conference Holds  
Two-Day Session at  
Manassas.

Some three hundred ministers and lay-workers of the Washington District Conference were in session at the Grace M. E. Church yesterday and today.

At the morning session yesterday Rev. W. F. Locke of St. Paul's Church in Washington preached on the "Transfiguration" after which sermon the rights of communion were celebrated.

Reports from all local ministers were also heard yesterday.

In the afternoon all committees reported the most important of which was given by the board of Christian education and teacher training. The entire morning session today was given over to an address by W. G. Cram of Nashville, general secretary of the board of missions. Dr. Cram gave a detailed account of his five-day trip over the dark continent of Africa.

The most important talk of the afternoon was by Rev. Forrest Prettyman on the "State of the Church."

This afternoon the main business was the election of delegates to the annual convention.

They are as follows:

Delegates—Thomas G. Anderson, Ishmael Burton, John Brayshaw, L. W. Beach, Mrs. Fannie Conner, B. W. Downs, Pauline Hutchinson, R. F. Hatcher, W. F. Hummer, M. H. B. Hoffman, W. W. Millan, Mrs. Stella Leith, George H. Lamar, C. R. McDonald, W. F. Nash, Jr., E. L. Plaskett, John H. Ray, A. B. Richard, T. T. Taylor, J. O. Thomasson, J. E. W. Trimmerman.

Alternates—J. H. Anderson, J. E. Anderson, William Adamson, Mrs. L. G. Mattingly, E. S. Moore, H. L. Slye, Mrs. Roy Wilson and George Young.

Dr. E. S. Beery, the presiding elder, conducted all sessions and W. W. Millan, secretary, recorded the minutes.

## CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS

Adoption of Bernard Huntingdon by B. E. and Stella Sisson approved. Application received from Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Walker Garrison to adopt Shirley Anne Cable.

Matter of John W. Lyons, Jr., for assault on Thos. H. Marshall and J. A. Herring continued to June, 1936, term with Mary T. Lyons as surety.

## SALVATION ARMY CALL

The Salvation Army truck will be in Manassas on April 20 to pick up papers, clothing and discarded furniture and will appreciate donations.

## WOODRUM SCOFFS AT REPUBLICANS

Virginia Congressman Guest  
Speaker for Democratic Club.

The first gun was fired in the "Re-elect Roosevelt" campaign last Wednesday night, April 8, when the Young Democratic Club of Prince William County assembled in one of their most successful meetings of the year at Ocoquan High School. The auditorium was well filled with interesting citizens from all over the county, Nokesville, Haymarket, Cat-harpin, Gainesville, Manassas and Dumfries, as well as Ocoquan.

Arthur Carter was elected chairman of the Ocoquan district, and the following appointments to the various committees were made by the president for the district: Membership, Arthur Carter, Mrs. Janie Abel, Bradford Lowe and H. Ewing Wall; entertainment, Fred Lynn, Mrs. Eastman Keys, and Harvey Janney; publicity, Winfield Dewey, Georgia Brockett, and Burnetta Brockett. Seventeen new members were added to the roll.

The next meeting of the club will be held at Manassas, possibly in the high school auditorium if it can be secured, on Wednesday night, April 29. Congressman John W. Flannagan, from the 9th district of Virginia (Bristol) will address this meeting, and it is also expected that Mrs. John Gallaher, vice-president of the Young Democratic Clubs of America, will be present. Those who have heard her know what a charming personality she has, and how thoroughly conversant she is with the political situation of today.

The Ocoquan orchestra entertained the audience with some excellent selections, and the club is very appreciative of their efforts and those of the ladies of the school league who served refreshments.

Hon. Frank P. Moncure discussed briefly the work of the recent Legislature at Richmond, with particular emphasis on the Rural Electrification Bill and the Overload Bill, designed to regulate the size of loads of trucks in order to promote safety and protect the highways of Virginia.

The club was exceedingly fortunate in having as the speaker of the evening Hon. Clifton A. Woodrum, Congressman from the 6th district of Virginia, who was introduced by Mr. Moncure.

Congressman Woodrum paid tribute to our Representative in Congress, Hon. Howard W. Smith, and said it was a pleasure to speak to his constituents. He spoke very forcefully and intelligently on the activities of the Roosevelt Administration, and pointed out in detail the deplorable conditions of the country when President Roosevelt took over the gigantic task of restoring the economic balance of our nation.

At the conclusion of his very excellent speech, Congressman Woodrum gave the audience the opportunity to ask any questions they desired, and the instructive manner in which he answered these questions convinced everyone of his familiarity with his subject.

(Editor's note: The secretary, Mrs. Holmes, has furnished a transcription of Mr. Woodrum's remarks which we expect to print next week.)

## SPORTSMEN SEE WILD LIFE MOVIES

The Prince William County Game and Fish Association was entertained on Saturday afternoon with a four reel motion picture on inland fishing, fish hatcheries, and many other interesting features of that sport, which was secured by Mr. Jack Stauff from the Bureau of Fisheries of the U. S. Government.

A regular meeting of the County Association took place the same afternoon at the town hall, at which time it was the pleasure of the club to present to Mr. Proffitt a very fine rod and reel as a prize for catching the largest small mouth bass that was caught during the 1935 season.

Mr. Anderson, who is connected with the department of fisheries in Washington, had the honor of making the presentation and also gave a brief talk to the club on fishing.

## CONVICTIONS IN POLICE COURT

Arrests by Officer Sneed—William Baldwin, illegal parking, \$10 and cost.

Arrests by Officer Wittner—Joshua Fields, reckless driving and colliding, 60 days, \$50 and cost.

Arrests by Officer Lester—H. C. Garling, reckless driving, \$10 and cost; William D. Davis, illegal parking and drunk in public, \$25 and cost.



## CHURCH NOTICES

## COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

An interdenominational body co-operating with all churches meets on call of secretary.

Mr. F. G. Sigman, Manassas, president.

Mrs. L. J. Bowman, Nokesville, Sec.

## TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

REV. A. S. GIBSON, Pastor

Sunday School, 10 a.m.

Morning Prayer and Sermon by the Rector at 11 a.m.

## MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. C. B. Jones, Pastor

Please Note. Sunday school in the basement of the Methodist Church at 9:45.

Morning worship in the Presbyterian Church, 11:10 o'clock.

## PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Independent Hill

T. W. Alderton, Pastor

Services 11 a.m. first Sunday.

## CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

(Bradley)

Worship Service 11 a.m. as follows:

Eld. J. M. Kline, 2nd Sunday.

Eld. E. E. Blough, 4th Sunday.

## GREENWOOD PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

at Minnieville

Elder C. W. Miller

Services the second Sunday in each month at 11 a.m.

## UNITED BRETHREN

O. R. Kesner, Pastor

Manassas—Worship Service first, third and fifth Sundays at 11 a.m.

Christian Endeavor, second and fourth Sundays at 11 a.m.

Buckhall—First, second and fourth Sundays at 7:30 p.m.

Aden—Second and fourth Sundays at 11 a.m. and third Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

Sunday School at 10 a.m. each church.

Community Church at Bristow—Worship service the first Sunday of each month at 2:30 p.m.

We invite YOU to all services.

## ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Father John F. Kocila, Rector

Mass at 8 a.m. on first, second and fourth Sundays.

Third and fifth Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

Mass at Minnieville at 10:30 on first, second and fourth Sundays.

Mass at Bristow at 9:00 a.m. on third and fifth Sundays.

## MANASSAS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. John M. DeChant, Pastor

Manassas

Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.

Worship 10:00 a.m.

Clifton

Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.

Worship 11:30 a.m.

C. E., 8 p.m.

## GRACE M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

Rev. W. M. Compton, Pastor

Worship Service every Sunday, 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

6:45 p.m. Senior League.

## PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

ELDER R. H. PITTMAN, Pastor

Services 11 a.m., 4th Sunday.

Saturday preceding at 2:30 p.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.

## THE NOKESVILLE GOSPEL HALL

Sunday School, 10 a.m.

Morning worship, 11 a.m.

Gospel preaching, 7:30 p.m.

Everybody welcome.

## WOODBINE BAPTIST CHURCH

Preaching service, first and fifth Sundays at 11 a.m. Third Sunday at 3 p.m.

Sunday School every Sunday at 2 p.m. except on first and fifth Sundays when it will be at 10 a.m.

## ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Haymarket. Rev. W. F. Carpenter, rector.

Morning prayer with sermon at 11:10 a.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 10 a.m., 3rd Sunday at 11 a.m.

Fairview—3rd Sunday at 3 p.m.

## NEW HOPE CHURCH

Rev. Murray Taylor will preach every first Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

## HATCHER MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor, W. O. Estes

Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a.m.

Preaching on fourth Sundays at 11 a.m.

## ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 a.m.

day and at 3 p.m. on 4th Sunday.

## CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

(Cannon Branch)

1st Sunday—Rev. O. R. Hersen.

2nd and 4th Sundays—Eld. Byron Flory.

3rd Sunday—Eld. E. E. Blough.

5th Sunday—Eld. J. M. Kline.

## RETHEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Manassas, Va.

The Rev. Luther F. Miller, Pastor

Sunday School, Mr. J. H. Rexrode, Supt., 10 a.m.

Luther League, 11 a.m.

Divine Worship and Sermon, 7:30 p.m.

## INDEPENDENT HILL, O.F.A. HALL

Rev. J. Murray Taylor will preach on first Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

## FRATERNAL NOTICES

Wimodausis Chapter, O. E. S., No. 106, meets in the Masonic Temple on Third Tuesday evening at 8 p.m.

MRS. LILLIAN BURKE,

Worthy Matron.

Prince William Post 158, American Legion, second and fourth Thursdays, Manassas Town Hall, 8 p.m.

PAUL SCOTT WILLIAMS,

Commander.

Manassas Lodge No. 182, A. F. & A. M., meets in the Masonic Temple on First Friday evening of each month at 8 p.m.

R. A. HUTCHISON,

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 Encampment, Dumfries, Va., No. 15, meets each first and third Thursday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall.

A. H. GUMATE, Scribe

Modern Woodmen of America, Nokesville Camp, 16582, meets every first and third Monday night at 8:30 at the Hall.

E. C. SPITLER, Councilor

Aden Council No. 30 meets first and third Thursdays.

CLYDE BEAN, President.

Bull Run Council No. 15, O. F. A., meets in the council rooms every second and fourth Tuesday at 8 p.m.

NOAH DOVE,

President.

Highland Lodge No. 252, I. O. O. F., second and fourth Monday at 8 p.m.

C. B. LINTON, Secretary.

Troop 1, Boy Scouts of Manassas, meet in the school gymnasium every Monday 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.

L. D. JUSTUS, Rec. Sec.

Greenwich Council No. 33 meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursday in the Council Hall at Greenwich.

P. B. MAYHUGH, President.

Prince William Council, No. 45, Daughters of America, meets in the Junior Hall at Manassas each second and fourth Mondays at 7:30.

MINNIE SMITH, Councillor.

## QUIET TALKS ON RELIGION

By

Dr. James T. Marshall

## THE FIRST FIVE MINUTES

On one occasion a noted traveller was talking with a group of his friends about some of the unique and thrilling experiences he had had in his long and remarkable life. They were listening spellbound when he paused for a moment and then "But, gentlemen, I expect shortly to see something more wonderful than anything that I have been telling you." They asked, "When and where could such a thing be?" To this he replied, "The first five minutes after death!"

Striking as this traveller's expectation may appear, it is in accord with what every Christian believer may anticipate. We shall learn more in those first five minutes than in all the years of our earthly lives, for we are assured that we shall pass immediately into the presence of our Lord where all mysteries shall disappear and we shall know even as also we now are known.

Life is continuous and unbroken. Nothing but our physical bodies can die. We can do no more than change the place of our dwelling. The physical body is only the house in which we live for a short time and we must not confuse the real man with the house in which he dwells.

Really the magnificent statement of Jesus as he addressed the Jews in the temple court, "If any man keep my saying he shall never see death," and his declaration to the penitent thief, "Today thou shalt be with me in paradise." In harmony with this is St. Paul's expressed longing to "depart and be with Christ, which is far better." St. John also in the book of Revelation pictures the martyrs as being gathered before the throne of God "serving him day and night in his temple."

It is impossible for us to foretell or even imagine the glory of the vision which shall greet our eyes.

"I know not, Oh I know not. What joys await us there, What radiance of glory, What bliss beyond compare."

It is certain that the popular conception of heaven is too meager and contracted. Scriptures cannot give us any details because no human language contains a vocabulary adequate to describe celestial glories and what little is given us in clothed in figures and symbols. We may be sure that there awaits us something more lofty than merely lolling on a river bank and thrumming a harp. No one is justified in being dogmatic here, but for my part I like to think of the limitless universe as God's home and ours, and that he holds in reserve for us other work

in other worlds. My first choice would be a pulpit on some star where I could continue telling the story of redeeming love.

While we do not know just what we shall see in those thrilling first five minutes, we can confidently assume that they will be full of stupendous surprises, with things which "eye hath not seen nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man." This should take away the sense of gloom from our thoughts concerning death and crown it with a halo of glorious expectancy. The first five minutes will mark our entrance upon our soul's greatest adventure and the fulfillment of our highest aspirations.

"What must it be to step on shore, and find it—Heaven; To take hold of a hand, and find it—Christ's hand; To breathe a new air, and find it—Celestial air; To feel invigorated, and find it—Immortality; To rise from the care and turmoil of earth into one unbroken calm; To wake up, and find it—Glory!"

## ADEN

The Junior and Primary Departments of the Asbury Sunday school enjoyed a party and egg hunt given by their teachers and friends last Friday.

Miss Kathleen Kerlin spent Easter holidays at her home and has returned to State Teachers College, Fredericksburg.

Mrs. Jessie Earhart of Washington, D. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Marshall.

Quite a number of people from this section attended the annual Washington district conference of the Methodist church held in Manassas Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Fielding of Roncove, W. Va., visited with Rev. and Mrs. H. Lawson this week and attended conference.

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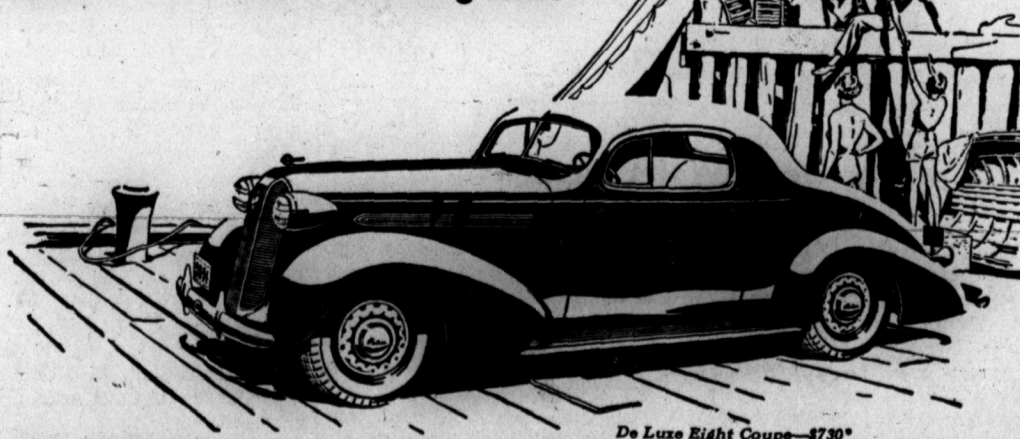
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## CATHARPIN

Mrs. Mary Pattie Briggs and daughter, Patricia, of Washington, are spending this week at Belle Farm the home of Mrs. Briggs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pattie, of this city.

Miss Marguerite Latham of Mary Baldwin, the Misses Frances, Robertson and Virginia Piercy of Harrisonburg State Teachers College and Miss Mary Currell Pattie of Strayers, after enjoying the Easter holiday at home with their parents, returned to their respective class rooms on Thursday of this week.

Farmers thruout this community are somewhat distressed over the continued bad weather conditions which has prevented spring plowing and planting to the extent that potatoes and early garden vegetables are still something devoutly to be wished. We hear no bragging these days by one farmer to another about how big certain things are. The only green thing thus far is an abundant crop of cresses which many are gathering when they can not get kale or spinach. When things open up right, all will be as busy as "busy bees" in this neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pattie and family attended the Easter musicale at the Methodist Church, Manassas, Va., on Easter Sunday night.

Mrs. W. Holmes Robertson and daughter, Ann, motored to Harrisonburg on Friday of last week returning with daughter, Frances, and Miss Elizabeth Thweatt, a cousin, both students of the State Teachers College of that city.

Miss Lizzie McIntosh, who has been under the doctor's care for a long time, is very much improved of late and bids fair to regain her usual good health.

Miss Rita Robertson, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Holmes Robertson of Lawn Vale, spent Easter Sunday with her little friend, Miss Anne Dulaney, of Thoroughfare, Va.

The State Road Force has moved from the Catharpin neighborhood and gone elsewhere and no doubt will make some other folks as glad as their departure made us sad. Route 621 from Catharpin out Pageland Lane is in bad condition at the present time, so much so that the school bus has had to detour many times during the past winter. A number of contracts have been recently let in different parts of the State, but for some reason, the bid for 234 was rejected and will be readvertised. This, of course, was a disappointment since it was understood that work might begin on this section this spring or summer. But that old saying that "All things come to him who waits" will have to be our portion altho waiting has always been a rather tedious job.

The Old Sudley Mill, long celebrated in "Song and Story," as well as in use for the past generations, has ceased to be a familiar landmark thruout this community. Like all things else, it had served its day, became outlived by more modern ways of converting wheat into flour, and corn into meal; about the only service it has rendered for many years was to stand as a monument to past glory when it served mankind with his "daily Bread" from the crest of Bull Run mountains to the then embryo city of Dumfries. This was so long ago that very few people of today remember it, yet this is history which, to a great extent, remains unrecorded, and which is doomed to pass into oblivion along with the building itself which has recently been "razed to the ground." Even its foundation has been removed to do duty elsewhere to beautify the landscape in another way.

## BRENTSVILLE

Come out to our bingo party at the old courthouse on Saturday night, April 25, beginning at 8 o'clock. A chicken salad plate supper will be served. Other refreshments will be sold. Hand-made prizes, fancy cakes and pies and etc. will be given as bingo prizes, given for a worthy cause by the Brentsville Community League.

Miss Marie Wolfe has returned home after a long visit with relatives at Occoquan, Va.

Miss E. O'Bannon spent the Easter holiday with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keys and family were Rectortown visitors over the week-end.

Mr. Elmer Landis of Washington paid a visit to Brentsville last week.

The stork visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Keys, Jr., on Tuesday, April 14, leaving them a little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Caldwell of Six Acres and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lynn of Ben Lomond motored to Mulberry Fields, Md., the home of Col. and Mrs. W. Garland Fay on Tuesday of last week, returning same day and dining in the evening at the Raleigh Hotel in the Capital City.

Mrs. Frank W. Brower, of Price, Md., passed through Gainesville last week on her return from Florida, but road conditions prevented a stop-over visit at the Brower home near Catharpin. O these bad roads! Will they never cease?

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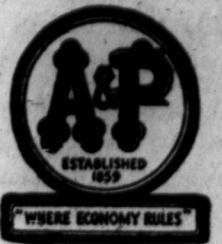
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<b>CORN FLAKES</b>	SUNNYFIELD	2 pkgs	11¢
<b>MELLO WHEAT</b>		14-oz pkg	9¢
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<b>Skyflake Wafers N. B. C. . 12-lb pk 17c</b>			
<b>FLOUR</b>	SUNNYFIELD PL. or S. R.	12-lb bag	43¢
		24-lb bag	83¢

<b>FEEDS</b>			
<b>TALCO SCRATCH</b>	100-lb bag		\$1.65
<b>DAILY EGG SCRATCH</b>			
25-lb bag	45¢	100-lb bag	\$1.75
<b>D. G. CHICK STARTER</b>			
25-lb bag	57¢	100-lb bag	\$2.19
<b>D. G. DEVELOPER</b>			
25-lb bag	47¢	100-lb bag	\$1.79
<b>D. G. GROWING MASH</b>			
25-lb bag	50¢	100-lb bag	\$1.95
<b>DAILY EGG LAYING MASH</b>			
25-lb bag	53¢	100-lb bag	\$2.09

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<b>ORANGES</b>	FLORIDA JUICY	5-lb bag	19¢
<b>Pineapples</b>		2 for	25c
<b>Spinach</b>		lb	5c
<b>Lettuce</b>		2 med heads	15c
<b>Celery</b>		bch	10c
<b>Carrots</b>		bch	6c
<b>Cauliflower</b>		head	17c
<b>GREEN PEAS</b>		2 lbs	25¢

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CHRIST FOR ALL—ALL FOR CHRIST  
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BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER

LOOK TO GOD: For if our heart condemn us, God is greater than our heart, and knoweth all things.—1 John 3:20.

## A DESERVED COMPLIMENT

The unanimous election of Mr. C. C. Cloe of Triangle to head the Chamber of Commerce gives satisfaction to the whole county. Mr. Cloe works wholeheartedly in the interest of the entire county and is very popular.

## THOMAS JEFFERSON

On the thirteenth of April we celebrated the hundred and nine-third birthday anniversary of Thomas Jefferson, the author of the Declaration of Independence. His other two outstanding achievements, selected by himself to be engraved upon his tomb, were the authorship of the Virginia statute of religious freedom and his establishment of the University of Virginia.

Considering his accomplishments in the causes of political independence, religious freedom and popular education as most important, he did not even mention in his epitaph the facts that he had held such high offices as member of the Virginia Assembly, of the Continental Congress, Governor of Virginia, Secretary of State, Vice-President of the United States and finally President.

Ideas which Jefferson sought to ingraft into American political and social life are now widely accepted as fundamental, but in his day were as untried as are many modern innovations now being proclaimed as socialistic, bolshevistic and even worse. Indeed, he often lost in his contests with Hamilton, the exponent of Federal power, but the principles on which he stood finally triumphed, even if not attained until Andrew Jackson completed the triumph of Democracy.

## WELL-ROUNDED OFFICERS

John Q. Rhodes, director of the State Motor Vehicle Division, is not only enlarging his police force this year by 50 men, in accordance with an act of the 1936 General Assembly, but he is extending the course of study at the annual training school. He believes the varied duties these men are called upon to perform, and the requirement by the public that they be thorough in everything they do, place them on a professional plane.

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New subjects to be added to the "curriculum" this year include the use, care and handling of automobiles and motorcycles; safety first; the proper methods of directing and controlling traffic; fingerprinting and photographing; confessions—method of obtaining and permissibility in court; and police communication. These are additions to a course which already provided instruction in such things as first aid; crime classification, civics, laws of arrest, court procedure, laws of search and seizure and conduct on the witness stand.

Thus the new men not only will be carefully chosen with respect to character, physical fitness and general qualification for arduous and exacting duties, but they will be carefully and minutely trained for their work. We believe the additional money spent for an enlarged force and more extensive training will be well invested. As in the past, there will be some complaint that these expenses should not be a tax on the special highway funds, since the officers now are not used exclusively for traffic and patrol purposes. Having been invested with the powers of sheriffs of the Commonwealth, they may be, and are, diverted to general police work. One of the officers was killed last year as he was attempting to arrest bandits who were holding up the bank at Fork Union. The men are frequently assigned to strike duty.

However, we do not think there should be any quibbling on this point. The diversion of highway funds to general police purposes is comparatively small—so small that it will never be seriously missed on the highways. And it cannot be denied that Virginia has an excellent force of State troopers, which will be even better when it is enlarged and more extensively trained.—Times-Dispatch.

## A LETTER FROM PANAMA

The Waterfall correspondent is passing on to the Journal readers excerpts from a most interesting letter recently received from Miss Margaret Shirley, who has spent several months with her brother in the Canal Zone.

Cristobal Canal Zone,  
March 11, 1936.

I have been over to Balboa for a visit . . . We went over to the other side early one morning on the train, I do wish you could have been along. It is the most interesting trip I've ever had. It's only forty-five miles across, but I doubt if there is a similar stretch of railroad in all the world, that is, so chuck full of interest. The railroad follows the canal quite closely, so that in some places you can see five or six ships sailing along or being put through the locks. In some places it winds through the most luxuriant jungle, with gorgeous wild flowers, trees, palms and ferns. Some of the native huts with their thatched roofs, surrounded by a banana or plantain patch look quite primitive. At Gatun there are three double sets of locks, each with a lift of 28 1-3 feet, so that a ship is 85 feet higher when it sails out into Gatun Lake. I've watched ships of all nations in the locks at Gatun, sometimes one will be exactly opposite the other going in opposite directions, one being raised and one lowered. It's a marvelous piece of engineering, and when I watch those huge gates open automatically and noiselessly, I am reminded forcibly of Kipling's immortal lines, "The sons of Martha bled for that."

It's lovely up there at night, I've watched ships coming out of the misty shadows of Gatun Lake, and entering the locks and making the transit almost noiseless, only the clicking of the electric mules being heard. Uncle Sam evidently has his ear to the ground, for he keeps the canal closely guarded now, and troops of soldiers pace back and forth at all strategic points. For that reason it is not as easy to examine the workings of the locks as heretofore, I'm told.

But to return to our trip on the train, sometimes the railroad winds around through high hills, and suddenly comes in sight of the canal again. I just had to rub my eyes and look again to be sure I wasn't seeing things. The canal is very narrow and deep in places and grass along the banks high and brown at this season, so that the water is almost hidden from sight, and when you suddenly come from behind high hills and see a huge ocean liner apparently sailing through a field of broom sedge; it's positively the strangest sight I ever saw.

At Pedro Miguel there are two sets of locks and just a little farther on is microfores with one set and then ships sail out in the blue waters of the ocean.

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## BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Wightman, Mrs. Dick Kinchele Ingle of Washington, Miss Edna Earl Clare of Madison, Miss Grace Hamilton of Warrenton were week-end guests at Birmingham.

Mrs. Wightman, daughter of Mrs. Maude Kinchele, and her husband are here from Hawaii. Mr. Wightman will be guest of the Kiwanis Club Friday night. Mr. Wightman was in Hawaii as the representative of the Secretary of Agriculture.

Judge and Mrs. W. H. Brown, Jr., will leave tomorrow for Atlantic City where they will spend the week-end.

Mr. Allen Kline of Washington was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ratcliffe.

Misses Christine Meetze and Sally Lewis returned home Monday after spending a week in Detroit, Mich., with friends.

Mr. William Lloyd of Berryville spent the Easter holidays at his home.

Miss Treva Holler of Norfolk is spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Holler.

Mr. James Knox of William and Mary College spent last week-end at his home.

Miss Helen Halsey of Long Island, N. Y., was a week-end guest of her classmate, Miss Jane Lynn. Misses Halsey and Lynn returned to William and Mary College this week.

Mrs. Helena Emerson and daughter, Helen Louise, of Philadelphia are house guests of Mrs. Patrick Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Garman were guests of Mrs. Garman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kerlin, of Nokesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Alpaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carter spent Monday in Norfolk.

Mrs. Roberta Lynn of Raleigh, N. C., is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lynn.

Mr. Edgar Rohr, who has been in New York several days, has returned to Manassas.

Miss Elizabeth Shelton spent last week-end with her mother in Charlottesville.

Miss Edwina Goodwin of Alexandria attended the Easter dance on Monday.

Mrs. Louise Atchison and her niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, of Alexandria were guests at the home of Mrs. Patrick Lynch last Sunday.

Mrs. James E. Wissler has been appointed by Mrs. William Becker, the president general of the D.A.R., to be a chief page at the D.A.R. Continental Congress to be held in Washington, April 19 to 24.

Among the Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Athey were Miss Annie Roberts, Miss Georgia Holmes and Mrs. P. H. Dawson of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Batchelor of Rochester, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Roland Asbury and Miss Mary Hames of Danville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hottle, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Margaret Hottle of Harrisonburg State Teachers College, and son, Samuel, spent the Easter holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. McDaniel of Federalburg, Md.

Mrs. D. W. S. Athey, Tommy, Athey, Mrs. D. J. Martin and son, Jackie, and house guest, Mr. Turner Martin, were Mount Vernon visitors on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wissler spent Easter in Washington with Dr. J. E. Wissler.

Mr. W. S. Athey was called to Darnestown, Md., last Friday due to the death of his brother, Mr. John S. Athey. The deceased was well known in this vicinity having visited here frequently. He had been in poor health for the past few years but only confined to his bed for about ten days. Mr. Athey was also a brother of Mrs. Lloyd Brawner of Dumfries, Va.

Miss Rebecca Monroe spent the Easter holidays in Alexandria. Mr. and Mrs. Woody LeFevre and family spent Sunday in Ashburn, Va., as the guests of Mrs. W. H. LeFevre.

Mrs. Carrie Curtis of Woodbridge, Va., was a pleasant caller at the Journal office yesterday.

Mr. B. J. Langyhe of Washington was a Manassas visitor on Monday. We were glad to see him at the Journal office.

Mr. Henry Kaiser of Nokesville called at the Journal office on Saturday.

Mr. Andrew Herich was a pleasant caller at the Journal office on Monday.

Mrs. Margaret I. Kotz of Washington was visiting her old acquaintances in Manassas Saturday.

N. E. Garber of Nokesville was a welcome caller at the Journal office on Saturday.

The patrons of the Bennett School Community League will hold their monthly meeting Monday, April 20, at 3:00 o'clock. The adult study group will meet at 2:15 the same day.

## FLOWER SHOW AT ALEXANDRIA

With a record-breaking list of more than 450 exhibits, including some 3,500 blooms, the fifth annual narcissus show of the Garden Club of Virginia was under way today at Armory Hall, Alexandria. Opening yesterday afternoon, the show was scheduled to close late this afternoon.

Top honors were won by the Fauquier-Loudoun County Garden Club of Middleburg and Mrs. R. J. Reid of Chatham, whose entries took 10 blue ribbons in individual classes.

The Fauquier-Loudoun Club, one of eight State garden clubs exhibiting, was awarded the American Horticultural Society medal for the outstanding exhibit. It also won the Garden Club of Virginia Cup for the best collection exhibit.

## IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear mother and wife, Susie C. Powell, who departed this life five years ago this month.

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I wish to express my sincere thanks and gratitude to my many friends and neighbors for their kindness and floral tributes during the illness and death of my beloved wife, Leafy Speakes.

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all that certain tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the poles Magisterial District in the county of Prince William, and State of Virginia, containing 72 acres of land more or less, and being located upon the southerly side of the North fork of Quantico Creek, called the North Run, and being known as the Bernard Pearson Estate, and the said tract or parcel of land is bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a large flint rock at the Northwest corner of land now late of M. H. Didlake, and at the Northeast corner of land now late of L. A. Carter; thence running North 76 degrees 27 minutes 50 seconds East by said lands now late of M. H. Didlake, a distance of 1228.82 feet to a stake and stones 8 feet South of the trail on Hillside, at the corner of said land now or late of M. H. Didlake and the corner of lands now or late of F. E. Briggs; thence turning and running North 31 degrees 49 minutes 50 seconds East by said land now or late of F. E. Briggs, a distance of 252.52 feet to a cedar stake on the North branch of Quantico Creek; thence running along said Creek, bounded by said land now or late of F. E. Briggs, the following courses and distances, to-wit: North 32 degrees 49 minutes 00 seconds West 146.25 feet; North 11 degrees 13 minutes 20 seconds

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there are or may be persons in-  
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All of that certain tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Aquia District in the County of Stafford and State of Virginia, being part of the Estate of T. F. Boswell, deceased, and being bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake and planted stone on the South bank of the South Branch of Chopawamsic Creek at the corner of land now or late of C. D. Binns and corner of land now or late of D. Riley; thence running south 30 degrees 04 minutes 40 seconds East by land now or late of D. Riley, a distance of 1650.96 feet to a planted stone at the corner of lands now or late of said D. Riley and lands now or late of E. Scott; thence turning and running North 38 degrees 29 minutes 20 seconds East by land now or late of E. Scott, a distance of 784.54 feet to a cedar stake and stone pile at the corner of land now or late of the said E. Scott; thence turning and running North 29 degrees 19 minutes 00 seconds East, still by said land now or late of E. Scott, a distance of 955.99 feet to a cedar stake and marked perch on the South bank of said Chopawamsic Creek at the corner of land now or late of said E. Scott; thence turning and running by said creek the following courses and distances, namely: North 73 degrees 16 minutes 30 seconds East 98.55 feet; North 37 degrees 38 minutes 00 seconds East 245.90 feet; North 76 degrees 03 minutes 00 seconds West 132.28 feet; North 61 degrees 03 minutes 00 seconds West 219.38 feet; North 38 degrees 40 minutes 00 seconds East 549.79 feet; South 88 degrees 00 minutes 30 seconds West 79.15 feet; North 85 degrees 53 minutes



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## MINUTES OF COUNTY BOARD MEETING

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Prince William County, held at the Court House, Manassas, Va., on Thursday, April 9, 1936, there were present: Messrs. J. Murray Taylor, chairman; Janie C. Abel, Lester W. Huff, C. E. Nash, G. C. Russell and C. B. Roland.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

The following accounts were examined, allowed and checks drawn on the County Treasurer in payment of same:

Warrant No.	Amount	Description
915	\$62.50	Thos. H. Lion, Salary for March, 1936.
916	118.46	John P. Kerlin, Salary, Prob. Officer Expense, Board Attendance, Telephone, Jail.
917	64.12	R. C. Haydon, Sal. for Supt. Schools, Mar., 1936.
918	68.66	Geo. G. Tyler, Clerk Ct., Bd. & Co. Finance.
919	133.33	M. Sabina Neel, Sal. Co. Nurse for March, '36.
920	141.66	W. Hill Brown, Jr., Sal. Tr. Justice March, '36.
921	30.00	Staten Woodard, Sal. Janitor for March, '36.
922	14.20	G. C. Russell, Attend. & Dist. Home Attend. '36.
923	6.20	Lester W. Huff, Supervisor Attend. April 9, '36.
924	6.60	C. B. Roland, Supervisor Attend. April 9, '36.
925	12.40	J. Murray Taylor, Attend. April 7, Co. Finance Board and Board, April 9, 1936.
926	7.40	Janie C. Abel, Attendance April 1936.
927	5.40	C. E. Nash, Attendance April 9, 1936.
928	56.00	Bessie R. Tubbs, 4 wks making total of 212 wks Gladys Bushong, Rest Room for March, 1936.
929	14.58	Harry F. Davis, Co. Fin. Bd. Attend. Apr. 7, '36.
930	8.40	R. M. Weir, Sal., Deputies, Office Exp., Mileage Lucas Bros. Inc., Supplies, Commissioner's Of. The Flax Company, Supplies, Carbon Paper, Treasurer's Office.
931	206.00	Lucas Bros. Inc., Supplies Commissioner's Of. Nat'l Bank of Manassas, Gas for Jail March, '36.
932	3.00	Lucas Bros. Inc., Water, Light, Sewer, C. H. and Jail.
933	3.00	The Cen. Mu. Tel. Co. Inc., Telephone, Court House and Nurse's Office.
934	24.94	Manassas Journal, Minutes, Budget and 5000 Envelopes for Treasurer's Office.
935	8.45	Sara Pitts, Home Dem. Salary for Feb. & Mar. Frank D. Cox, Farm Dem. Salary for March. Raleigh Smokeless Fuel Co., \$7.90 tons coal Court House and Jail.
936	176.60	C. A. Sinclair, Salary, Deputies and Off. Exp. C. A. Sinclair, Treas., Cash advanced for freight on car coal.
937	28.95	R. L. Vetter, Hauling Car Load of Coal C. H. and Jail.
938	4.00	C. B. Linton, Court House Repairs.
939	18.20	Lucas Bros. Inc., Supplies Clerk's Office, Pencils, Jackets, etc.
940	5.00	E. A. McInteer, Jury Commission, one day.
941	5.00	T. O. Latham, Jury Commission, one day.
942	5.00	W. R. Free, Jury Commission, one day.
943	545.70	Treasurer of Virginia, Auditing Bill of Sept. 25, 1935.
944	38.17	Wm. Adamson, Transporting Jim Clark and Bill Luttrell families to Knoxville, Tenn.
945	12.40	J. Murray Taylor, Attendance Joplin, March 5, 1936, Budget meeting April 8, 1936.
946	10.40	C. E. Nash, Attendance Joplin, March 5, 1936, Budget meeting April 8, 1936.
947	12.60	Lester W. Huff, Attendance Joplin March 5, 1936, Budget meeting April 8, 1936.
948	14.20	G. C. Russell, Attendance Joplin March 5, 1936, Budget meeting April 8, 1936.
949	13.20	C. B. Roland, Attendance Joplin March 5, 1936, Budget meeting April 8, 1936.
950	14.80	Janie C. Abel, Attendance Joplin March 5, 1936, Budget meeting April 8, 1936.
951	5.00	Emma Horner, March, 1936, Aid.
952	6.00	Adeline Penn, March, 1936, Aid Leroy Taylor.
953	20.00	Mary Smith, Mother's Aid, March, 1936.
954	8.00	A. O. McLearen, March, 1936, Aid Ida Manuel.
955	5.00	J. C. Foley, March, 1936, Aid.
956	5.00	Mrs. Howard Payne, March, 1936, Aid.
957	5.00	John Lovelace, March, 1936, Aid.
958	10.00	Maude Ashford, March Aid, Eliza Reeves.
959	6.00	Mrs. R. L. Wheeler, March Aid Lucille Miller.
960	5.00	Warner Fox, March, 1936, Aid.
961	5.00	Mrs. Lamb, March 1936 Aid of Minnie Thorn.
962	21.00	E. L. Herring, March, 1936, Aid Dora Abel \$8; Jesse Jewell \$5; Chas. Cornwell \$3.
963	15.00	W. S. Brainerd, March, 1936, Aid Jas Grayson \$6; Mason Bates \$5; Theo Thomas \$4.
964	13.00	A. F. Woodard, March, 1936, Aid, Noah Grayson \$8; Pennie Cole \$5.
965	14.00	D. J. Arrington, March, 1936, Aid E. J. Embrey \$8; Sallie Butler \$6.
966	324.75	District Home, Maintaining 15 inmates, March.
967	10.00	Andrew Whitley, Feb. & Mar., 1936, Aid.
968	10.00	Martha Lansdown, Feb. & Mar. 1936, Aid.
969	10.00	Bruce Hogan, Feb. & Mar., 1936, Aid.
970	10.00	Lavinia Moore, Feb. & Mar., 1936, Aid.
971	5.00	T. E. Powke, Mar., 1936, Aid John Maddox.
972	20.00	W. R. Gosson, Nov. & Dec. 1935 Aid Newman Payne.
973	8.00	Ida M. Davis, Jan., 1936, Aid Mrs. Joe Simms.
974	7.00	E. L. Herring, March, 1936, Aid Joe Kearns \$2; Edgar Whiston \$5.
975	10.04	Conner & Kinchloe, Mar., 1936, Aid Mrs. Martin Lynch \$5.04; Rhoda Runion \$5.
976	11.00	Dr. Wade C. Payne, Services to Ed Fletcher \$3.00; Louis Campbell \$4; Sallie McIntosh \$4.
977	20.00	Mrs. Roberta Lynn, Welfare Off. Rent, Mar. '36.
978	60.00	Celestine Brown, Mileage Sewing Room March, Thos. B. Lynch, Welfare Re-employment Agency, 1936, \$35; Material Sewing Room Mar., \$25.
979	5.00	Susan B. Morton, Welfare, Asst. Supt. Mar. '36.
980	6.19	Town of Manassas, Welfare, Light, Water, Sewer Va. Emerg. Rel. Adm., Warehouse rent, Feb.
981	2.98	Nat'l Bank of Manassas, Wel. Gas Bill, Mar.
982	10.00	A. B. Rust, Welfare, Mileage for March, '36.
983	2.77	H. A. Tyrrell, John Henry Davis for Mar., '36.
984	2.00	Wilson Payne, Lunacy, Archie Reid, Feb. 22, '36.
985	61.00	Blue Ridge Sanatorium, Lenora Wood, Feb. 10, to April 5, 1936.
986	28.50	Coke Pharmacy, Diphtheria Serum for Stewart Kendrick's Family.
987	13.10	State of Virginia, Fire Protection 3-29 to 3-30-36, Labor.
988	13.50	E. B. Roland, Hauling Apples Alex. to Man'sas.
989	48.00	Janie C. Abel, Mileage, Welfare.

Warrant No.	Amount	Description
122	\$10.00	C. L. Reading, Salary for March, 1936.
123	12.50	Jack Hunt, 2 Sheep & 1 Lamb killed by dogs.
124	5.00	A. W. Amphlett, One sheep killed by dogs.
125	4.20	John F. Donovan, One Turkey killed by dogs.
126	4.00	Chas. C. Herring, One Sheep killed by dogs.
127	4.00	Frank O. Fairburn, One Sheep killed by dogs.
128	1.50	Rolfe Robertson, 1 Sheep killed by dogs.
129	6.00	The foregoing accounts allowed by the following vote:

AYES: J. Murray Taylor, chairman; C. E. Nash, Lester W. Huff, G. C. Russell, C. B. Roland, Janie C. Abel.

IN RE: MANASSAS BATTLEFIELD CELEBRATION:

WHEREAS, it is desirable to advertise resources of Prince William County, Virginia, and

WHEREAS, it is proposed to celebrate the 75th Anniversary of the First Battle of Manassas, on July 21, 1936, therefore be it ordered,

ORDERED that out of the General Fund or levy the following appropriation be and is hereby made for that purpose as follows: \$250.00 on or before said date to be paid to the order of the Committee in charge, and if there should prove to be a deficit of the funds for this purpose, \$250.00 additional shall be paid to said Committee upon the order of this Board.

AYES: J. Murray Taylor, chairman; Lester W. Huff, C. B. Roland, Janie C. Abel. NOES: C. E. Nash, G. C. Russell.

The Board of Supervisors of Prince William County hereby expresses appreciation to the League of Virginia Counties, for the efficient manner in which it kept the members of the Boards of Supervisors throughout the State informed on the pending legislation during the recent session of the General Assembly of Virginia.

Unanimous Vote.

Board of Supervisors, Prince William County, Virginia.

At its regular meeting held April 9, 1936, at Manassas, Va., do hereby petition the Department of Highways to take into the Secondary System a section of road beginning at the intersection of C-682 and ending at the intersection of Route C-604.

This road was maintained as a public road previous to the State taking over the County roads and at this time is a U. S. mail route.

IN RE: DOGS WITHOUT TAGS:

On motion duly made and seconded Mr. C. L. Reading was requested to ascertain the number of dogs within the County without license tags, and report to this Board at its next meeting. Unanimous Vote.

IN RE: MILEAGE FOR MRS. ABEL:

Ordered that Janie C. Abel be paid the sum of \$48.00 the cost of distribution of supplies, food and clothing to 287 families or 1300 individuals covering a distance of 960 miles.

AYES: C. E. Nash, Lester W. Huff, G. C. Russell, C. B. Roland, J. Murray Taylor, chairman. Not Voting: Mrs. Janie C. Abel.

IN RE: COUNTY AND DISTRICT LEVIES:

Ordered that the County and District Levies be as follows for fiscal year beginning July 1, 1936, and ending June 30, 1937:

## HAYMARKET

Col. and Mrs. R. H. Jordan of Washington were Maymarket visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carter have the congratulations of their friends on the birth of a son, Charles Edward Carter, on Palm Sunday, April 5. Mrs. Carter was formerly Miss Nellie Rector.

Miss Ruth Elmer and Miss Marion Karsten of Fredericksburg were guests for the week-end of friends here.

Mrs. Carval Hall and Miss Ann W. Williamson, who were absent during the winter, have opened their home, "Shirley," for the summer. Mrs. Hall has recently returned from Long Beach, Calif., where she spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Roswell Blair.

Easter services at St. Paul's Church were well attended, the church being filled at the 11 o'clock service, with a number of visitors present. The altar and chancel were banked with lovely flowers.

Mr. Samuel R. Bleight, one of the oldest residents of this section, passed away at his home, "Green Hill," on Tuesday, April 7. He has been an invalid for several years but the end came suddenly and unexpectedly. The funeral took place on Holy Thursday from St. Paul's Church, the service being read by the rector, Rev. W. F. Carpenter at the conclusion of which he was laid to rest in the church yard. Mr. Bleight's death is the second bereavement in the family this year, having survived his wife, Mrs. Helen Stuart Bleight, by only a few weeks. He left to mourn their loss three sons, Ashton, George and Samuel; also a granddaughter, Helen Stuart Osbourn.

A parish meeting conducted by the rector, Rev. W. F. Carpenter, was held at the hall on Wednesday afternoon. Interesting and encouraging reports of the work of various organizations of St. Paul's Church, Haymarket, and Grace Chapel were read. Several committees were appointed and the following were elected as vestrymen of Haymarket parish: Bailey Tyler, W. M. Jordan, J. W. Garrett, J. N. Kerr, Dr. W. C. Payne, E. P. Watson, J. D. Piercy, Frances Wilson, Louis Thomas, Frances Watson and Henry Dulany.

## A FAMOUS DOCTOR

As a young man the late Dr. R. V. Pierce practiced medicine in Pennsylvania. His prescriptions met with such great demand that he moved to Buffalo, N. Y., and put up in ready-to-use form his well-known tonic, "Golden Medical Discovery," which will eliminate poisons from the intestines, increase the appetite, and tone up the digestive system. Buy now! Take 50c, liquid \$1.00 and \$1.35.

On the \$100 worth of tangible personal property, real estate and machinery and tools in the county, a levy of \$1.35 be and is hereby made for the purpose of paying School Appropriation, County Officers, Elections, Poor Relief, and General Expenditures.

On the \$100 worth of tangible personal property, real estate and machinery and tools in Brentsville District a levy of 25c be and is hereby made for the purpose of paying interest and principal on the School Bonds in such district and other existing district indebtedness.

On the \$100 worth of tangible personal property, real estate and machinery and tools in Occoquan District, a levy of 35c be and is hereby made for the purpose of paying interest and principal on the School Bonds in such district and other existing district indebtedness.

On the \$100 worth of tangible personal property, real estate and machinery and tools in Manassas District, a levy of 25c be and is hereby made for the purpose of capital expenditures and existing indebtedness.

On the \$100 worth of tangible personal property, real estate and machinery and tools in Dumfries District, a levy of 35c be and is hereby made for the purpose of capital expenditures and for the payment of existing district indebtedness.

On the \$100 worth of tangible personal property, real estate and machinery and tools in Gainesville District, a levy of 25c be and is hereby made for the purpose of capital expenditures and for the payment of existing district indebtedness.

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## BURKE

On Friday evening, April 17, the play sponsored by the Confederate States Chapter U. D. C. "Look Out Lizzie" will be held in the Community Hall.

Mrs. Edna Davis and daughter, Miss Hazel Davis, Mrs. M. B. Merchant, Mrs. Neta White, and Mrs. Albert Moon attended the Northern Virginia conference at Madison, Va. From this meeting it would be wise if we would take up some of the conservation projects.

The roads that lead into our little hamlet should express an inviting appearance. Let us hope properly owners along the road will co-operate and help to get rid of unsightly tin can dumps, and take part in a general way to make our community better.

Miss Elsie Smith was the guest of Miss Hazel Davis on Sunday.

Misses Nora and Myrtle Estes left Thursday evening to spend the Easter holidays with their parents at Burnside, Va.

Audrey Lorraine, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manville Dove, was baptized at the Easter services on Sunday afternoon at Good Shepherd church, Rev. Herbert Donovan officiating.

Mr. T. J. Linton has returned to his home after an absence of several months in Maryland.

Lee District Sunday school convention will meet in all day session at Budke Union on the first Sunday in June.

Miss Neta Robinson is visiting her parents in Remington, Va., during the holidays.

Mr. John Ficklin is spending several days at his home near Warren, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Erle R. Kirby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Merchant.

Miss Frances Vermillion and Mr. Dennis Vermillion are spending the holidays with their aunt, Mrs. J. V. Staub.

Mr. Neta White was a Washington visitor on Monday.

Many of Mrs. Daisy Lam's friends are glad she is improving after a very serious illness in a Washington hospital.

Mr. S. F. Denty spent Sunday with sister, Mrs. Cleon White.

Mrs. Herman Fowler of Syracuse, N. Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Simpson.

Mrs. George Lindsay entertained her Sunday school class at an egg rolling on Monday.

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MONTHLY SUMMARY REPORT  
Prince William Dairy Herd Improvement Association  
Month of March, 1936

W. Jennings Hunnicutt, Tester			Manassas, Va.						
Herd Owner	Address	Breed	total cows	dry cows	total milk	total fat	cows ave. ave.		
							40 per cow	per cow	
F. M. Swartz, Nokesville		GHG	33	1	28752	1132.1	10	871	34.3
W. G. Covington, Manassas		JH	20	0	14841	561.4	2	742	28.1
J. N. House, Nokesville		GHG	38	1	38230	1347.2	10	1006	35.5
O. R. Hersch, Manassas		RH&GG	20	4	14371	495.4	1	718	24.8
R. S. Hynson, Manassas		GHG	35	5	30157	1199.3	11	870	34.3
Clover Hill Farm, Manassas		RJ	21	1	12799	735.2	4	609	35
W. M. Kline, Manassas		GHJ	23	1	23656	957.3	12	1029	41.6
D. C. Workhouse, Occoquan		GH	66	7	53688	1937.8	11	813	29.4
E. W. Thompson, Woodbridge		GHGJ	42	6	22070	989.6	3	525	23.6
G. C. Russell, Woodbridge		GHJ	32	3	22066	913.0	9	690	28.5
C. F. M. Lewis, Manassas		GHJ	23	1	12879	592.7	7	795	25.8
W. L. Coverston, Manassas		GHJ	20	0	13396	491.0	6	670	24.5
N. W. Huff, Nokesville		GHG	17	3	7300	298.5	5	429	17.6
L. J. Diehl, Nokesville		GHG	25	5	17088	631.1	3	683	25.2
P. B. Reading, Nokesville		GHGJ	27	1	12786	571.3	1	473	21.1
Dr. E. H. Marsteller, Man's's		GHG	35	9	20050	796.3	5	570	22.7
N. A. Wheeler, Wellington		GHG	29	5	14119	468.8	8	487	16.2
C. C. Lynn (BL), Manassas		GHG	45	4	36296	1461.6	13	807	32.5
C. C. Lynn (P'dise) "		GHG	31	3	20344	923.0	9	656	29.8
E. R. Conner, Manassas		GHG	38	4	29784	1074.8	6	784	28.3
F. A. Lewis, Manassas		GH	46	4	34318	1138.7	3	746	24.7
Broadview Farm, Manassas		GHG	24	3	18942	799.6	5	789	33.2
C. N. Rhodes, Nokesville		GHG	13	5	6354	216.3	3	488	16.6
J. E. Johnson, Catlett		GHJ	24	4	10960	504.7	3	457	21
Manassas Ind. School		GHG	14	3	5591	203.5	3	399	15.7
No. Herds: 25		Totals	741	83	526237	204402	131		



## NOKESVILLE

The Senior play will be presented on April 17, at 8. The cast of characters in "Here Comes Charlie" are as follows:

Nora Malone, cook at the Elliott home, Marguerite McMichael; Officer Tim McGill, Nora's sweetheart, Raymond Showalter; Mrs. Fanny Farnham, Larry's aunt by marriage, Agnes Wood; Larry Elliott, a young business man, Billy Hale; Ted Hartley, Larry's old-time college pal, Billy Hedrick; Vivian Smythe Kersey, Larry's fiancée, Helen Nelson; Uncle Alec Twiggs, in charge of Charlie, Clifford Bear; Charlie Hopps, Larry's ward, Margaret Dodd; Mrs. Caroline Smythe-Kersey, Vivian's mother, Virginia Carrico; Mortimer Smythe-Kersey, Vivian's brother, Clement Rollins.

This is a humorous play in which Larry, a young business man, suddenly finds himself the guardian of a child whose father had once saved his life. Can you imagine Larry's surprise upon learning that Charlie is a young girl of eighteen instead of

a little boy of four or five?

"Everything happens for the best" is a saying we have all heard and this is certainly shown in "Here Comes Charlie." It certainly means a change in the life of Charlie, Larry, and Mrs. Farnham. Charlie receives an education and becomes a lady; and Mrs. Farnham changes from a proud, selfish woman to a generous, kind-hearted person.

The people of the Brethren Church of Nokesville gave a reception for their new pastor, Rev. N. J. Miller, at his home, on Saturday evening, April 11, at 8.

## 4-H CLUB NOTES

All club members are requested to bring their health cards and their diagrams showing the arrangement of furniture for their room. The following clubs will meet at the usual places:

Haymarket (entire group) Monday, 20th, at 12:15 o'clock.

Manassas, Monday, 20th, at 1:40 o'clock.

Greenwich, Monday, 20th, at 2:15 o'clock.

Dumfries, Tuesday, 21st, at 10:30 o'clock.

Bethel, Tuesday, 21st, at 12:45 o'clock.

Ogecoquan, Thursday, 23rd, at 12:45 o'clock.

Aden, Friday, 24th, at 2:15 o'clock.

Catharpin, Saturday, 25th, at 1:30.

Hickory Grove, Saturday, 25th, at 1:30.

Haymarket, Saturday, 25th, at 1:30.

**STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912,**

Of The Manassas Journal, published Weekly, at Manassas, Va., for April 1, 1936.

State of Virginia, County of Prince William, ss.

Before me a notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared W. H. Lamb, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor of the Manassas Journal and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a

true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse side of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are: Publishers W. H. Lamb and R. D. Wharton, Manassas, Va.; Editors W. H. Lamb and R. D. Wharton, Manassas, Va.

2. That the owners are: W. H. Lamb and R. D. Wharton, Manassas, Va.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgages, or other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: Estate of D. R. Lewis, Manassas, Va.; Estate of F. W. Patterson, Washington, D. C.

W. H. LAMB.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of April, 1936.

ELLIS M. CORNWELL.

(My commission expires Mar. 22, '37)

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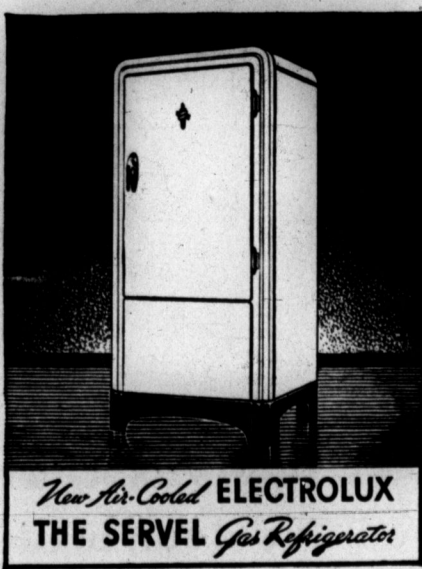
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## GAINESVILLE

There will be at the Gainesville M. E. Church preaching at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, April 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McCall were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Piercy during Easter.

Misses Helen and Frances Smith visited friends and relatives in Washington during the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCuin were callers of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. McCuin and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Smith and daughter, Virginia, visited Mrs. Jennie McIntosh, on Sunday evening.

Miss Virginia Piercy and Miss Frances Robertson spent Easter at their homes.

Miss Evelyn Smith had as her guest one day during Easter Miss Virginia Howard and Miss Katherine Sinclair.

Miss Madge Smith spent the holiday with her sister, Frances, of Alexandria.

Miss Ann Robertson had as her guest on Sunday Miss Anne Piercy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith and little daughter, Anne, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Smith.

## Home Demonstration News

## Aden

Mrs. Mark Kerlin will entertain the Aden Home Demonstration Club at her home on Wednesday, the 22nd, at 1:30 o'clock. This, the April meeting, has been planned with some very interesting entertainment. The demonstration, "The Milky Way to Family Health," will be given by Mrs. John Flory and Mrs. Kerlin. Each member is to answer the roll call with a hint on housekeeping and the program is to be provided by all those members having a birthday in the month.

## Greenwich

The Greenwich Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. "Doc" Foster on Thursday, Apr. 23, at 1:30 o'clock. The program topic will be "Household Hints" and the demonstration, "Different Yeast Breads," will be given by the leaders, Mrs. Henry Spittle and Miss Kate Boley.

## A LETTER FROM PANAMA

(Continued from page 4)

the Pacific.

Another strange sight is the ossified forest in Gatun Lake. Acres of tree tops sticking out of the water, some of them petrified from sulphur in the water. There are rare orchids in some of the trees. Out in the lake is an island which is a bird and animal sanctuary, and is visited by scientists from all over the world to study conditions. Gatun Lake is an immense body of water formed by damming the waters of the Chagres river.

I had some lovely and interesting trips in Balboa. We drove down to old Panama late one afternoon, the long shadows fell peacefully over the ruins of the old city, which was founded in 1519 by Pedro Arias de Avila, and was the first permanent white settlement in the new world. The city was utterly destroyed by Henry Morgan and his band of cutthroats in 1671. The ruins and outline of the old city can be plainly seen today. The tower of the old cathedral is in the best state of preservation, although there is a perfect old stone bridge and old wells. The peace of the old place is now only broken by the wash of the waves against the old sea wall, which is still intact. We drove out to Madden dam one afternoon, too, over a fine road right through the jungle. We crossed the Continental Divide, also Las Cruces Trail, which was built in 1500 and you can still see the original cobble stones. This is the trail Morgan used to cross the Isthmus as he landed at Fort Lorengo on the Atlantic side. You can still see some of the old cannons.

They only lack about twenty-five miles of having a good road across the Isthmus. Perhaps I should say a road across as there is none at all now for that distance of twenty-five miles. If you read the terms of the new treaty which was recently ratified at Washington, you will note that we agree to build that connecting link, which is through impenetrable jungle, and over high mountains, and turn it over to the Panamanian government for maintenance. We have to handle things with kid gloves, as they are skeptical and full of petty jealousies and are apt to bite the hand that's feeding them.

This is a land full of charm and I believe a person who has once seen these palm crested hills and watched the long swells of the blue Caribbean and felt the mystic charm of old Panama will always feel the call to come back. I saw the famous flat arch in the old San Domingo church and golden altar in San Jose church in Panama. The golden altar was especially beautiful as it was lighted by tall candles for the Lenten services the night we were there. The altar is fashioned of finely wrought wood covered with pure gold. It was

hidden by the monks of the convent during Morgan's raid.

We did quite a lot of shopping, buying linens and perfumes, silks and so on. They do have the most beautiful things in the East Indian, Chinese, and Japanese stores, especially linens, ivories, china and perfumes. I wish you could go through the open markets with me and see all the strange fruits and vegetables, and as the vendors are mostly Chinese, Hindus, East Indians and natives who speak Spanish. It's hard to find out what things are. Occasionally they are Jamaican negroes, and all of them speak good English using the broad A to a man. We have a Jamaican maid who sometimes makes me ashamed of my English. Of the fruits I like the Papaya best, and I don't know if it should be classed as a fruit or a melon. It looks like a melon but it grows on a tree. Plantain grows and looks like bananas, only larger and coarser, sliced and fried they are very good. The bread fruit tree is one of the prettiest trees here but I don't care for the fruit.

The mango tree is lovely too. The bamboo is one of the prettiest, if not the most lovely of all the trees here. But I'm forgetting the Royal Palm, and the Coconut Palm. On a moonlight night I've never seen anything so gorgeous and around it all the blue, blue waters of the Caribbean, and the ships of the seven seas.

Yesterday we fixed a picnic supper and went out in the interior quite a ways and built a fire. We roasted weiners and had the best time. It was late afternoon and the birds were singing their evening songs, they were such pretty birds. I don't know what kind they were. After supper we climbed a hill and got the loveliest view of the ocean, Cristobal, Colon, France Field and Fort Randolph way down below us. You would be surprised at the hills down here; in fact it's a land of contradictions. The canal, for instance, runs almost due north and south, and over at Balboa the sun rises in the Pacific ocean. My head goes round and round, and to me east is west and west is east, and I'll never get it straight until I'm back home, and see the sun rising over the Heineken woods and setting in Hopewell Gap. I'm enclosing a clipping of the transfer of Father Damien's body to the Belgium training ship. I was sitting on the sea wall the day the Belgium ship sailed through the breakwater. I knew it was unusual because it was a sailing ship and looked like Old Ironsides. She tied up at the dock here and waited several days for the U. S. Army Transport ship, Republic. We went down to the dock for the ceremony. The Republic was on one side of the dock and the Mercator on the other side. The immense dock with its high roof and walls acting as a sounding board for the latin chants of the impressive ceremony. We went on board the Mercator and saw where they put the simple cas-

ket covered with the Belgium flag and cadets acting as a guard of honor.

The pink Oleanders and Bourgainvillea are still nodding in our second story windows, and the Hibiscus are flourishing their fifty-seven varieties everywhere . . .

I reckon I'll be checking out and heading northward about the middle of April, so this will be continued when I see you . . . Love to everybody.

MARGARET.

## OCCOQUAN

Miss Ellen Selecman has returned home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Robert Sheppard, of Norfolk.

Mr. Chas. Sawyer spent several days recently in South Carolina.

Mr. William Swank, of Washington, was a week guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover May.

Mr. John Morrison, a student of the Randolph Macon College at Front Royal, spent the Easter recess at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Morrison.

Mrs. Ruth M. Brunt has returned from Cleveland, Ohio, where she spent the past week with her daughter, Miss Frances Brunt.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hall motored to Luray on Sunday for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pitchford of Richmond were Sunday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Charles Marshall.

Mrs. Mildred Pitchford is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Marshall.

Mrs. Wilton Hixson spent the Easter holidays at her former home in Madisonville, Va.

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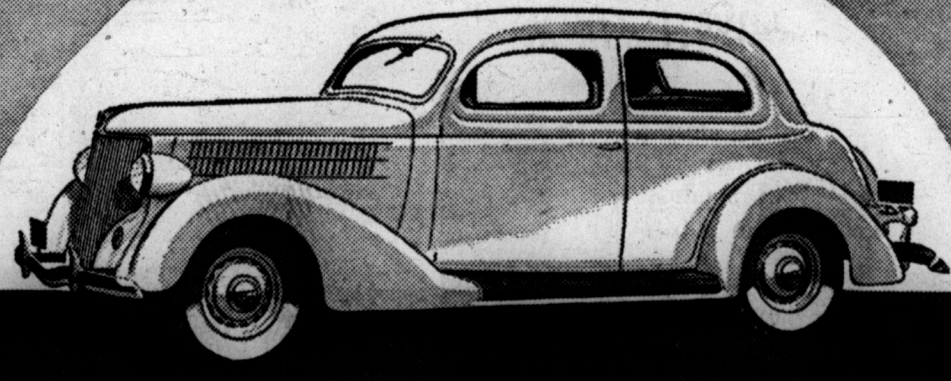
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