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CHRISTMAS BALL TO BE DEC. 27

Mrs. Broadus is Chairman of Woman's Club Assembly

Plans for the annual Christmas Assembly, given by the Woman's Club each year during the Christmas holidays, are progressing nicely, according to an announcement made today by the general chairman of the Assembly for this year, Mrs. Thomas J. Broadus.

The Assembly will be held on Tuesday evening, December 27, from ten to one-thirty, in the Manassas High School Gymnasium, and is given by the Club as a party and social get-together for the young people of the town and surrounding communities.

The gymnasium will again be decorated under the capable and artistic direction of Mr. J. P. Lyon, who has so generously contributed his services to the Club in this capacity for the past few years.

Invitations are being sent to a well-known and exclusive list of guests, whose attendance make this an outstanding and long remembered event annually. Mrs. G. Raymond Ratcliffe is chairman of the invitation committee and club members wishing special invitations sent to friends are requested to get in touch with her.

Come, meet your friends, and have a real old-fashioned Christmas party. The Woman's Club of Manassas invites you, and a hearty welcome awaits within the doors.

W.C.T.U. RALLY DAY

"Rally Day," one of the "Red Letter Days" of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was observed on November 29 at the Presbyterian Church with Rev. J. M. DeChant and Rev. R. M. Graham, speakers. The president, Mrs. F. R. Saunders conducted the devotional period of scripture reading, prayer and music.

Points brought out by the speakers were: "Whiskey drinking like war, an age long problem, but belief in its final overthrow"; "The disastrous effect of Repeal, Boys under 18 asking 'Why make drinking whiskey legal and not allow them to drink it?'; 'Sobering Machines' of little value as for as reformation is concerned"; "The astounding figures of \$30,000,000 (thirty millions) spent for whiskey in Virginia, (The W.C.T.U. is asking for \$1,000,000 (one million) to educate against it"; "The Nations stock of liquor in storage 471,000,000 gallons"; "The amazing statement from a Brewer's Journal that a large number of dead rats are found in the 'vats when beer is drawn off.' (Think what you're drinking while you're drinking); "Ways that can be used by the W.C.T.U. to help the temperance cause—Bettison Town officials and our legislature men—Patronize only those papers and magazines who do not accept whiskey advertisements." (The W.C.T.U. thank these gentlemen.)

Miss Maggie Smith entertained the W.C.T.U. in November with a fine attendance and an interesting Thanksgiving program.

BAILEY TYLER

On Sunday, December 4, about 2:30 p.m. at his home, "The Shelter," near Woolsey Mr. Bailey Tyler passed away very peacefully in his sleep, after a short illness from an angina condition of the heart. Mr. Tyler, who was a son of Robert Horner and Sally Chinn Tyler, was born at "The Shelter" on March 15, 1866, and excepting a short time spent in Texas in his early manhood, he has lived his life among us, a modest, unassuming, genial southern gentleman of the school. Mr. Tyler was twice married, his first wife being Miss Anna Moss Aldrich and after her death, he married her sister, Miss Mary Love Aldrich, who survives him.

The funeral services were conducted at St. Paul's Church, of which he was a faithful and consistent member, on Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock by the rector of the church, the Rev. Mr. Carpenter. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Henry Dulaney, E. Wat on, Bernard Smith, Winston Carter, George Bleight and Dr. Beverley. He was laid to rest in the family lot adjoining the church.

Mr. Tyler is survived by six children, namely Mrs. Robert Gaylor of Catonsville, Md., Miss Mo's Tyler of Louisiana, Miss Adeline Tyler, at home, and Jack of Washington, Bob of Montana and Tom of Farmville.

DERRICK TO ADDRESS MILK PRODUCERS

A meeting of producer members of the Maryland and Virginia Milk Producer's Association will be held at the Manassas Town Hall, Friday afternoon, December 9, at 1:30 p.m.

The Washington milk marketing situation will be discussed by B. B. Derrick, manager of the Association.

Dr. E. H. Marsteller, director of the association representing the producers of Prince William County, will preside.

PRICE COMMENDS SEAL SALE WORK

Governor Cites Good Work Done by Association

Governor Price last week commended the Christmas Seal Sale to "all citizens of the Commonwealth" and declared that the little holiday labels "should be bought generously by all good Virginians" to help stamp out tuberculosis in the Old Dominion.

In endorsing the campaign which got under way last week, Governor Price joined with President Roosevelt, who previously emphasized that nothing less than the complete eradication of the white plague scourge from the country should be the aim of every citizen in giving support to the annual appeal sponsored by the Virginia Tuberculosis Association and affiliated associations throughout the State.

Governor Price explained that the income derived from the sale of Christmas Seals is used to assist in the prevention and cure of tuberculosis. Last year, he said, 1,787 Virginians died of this dread disease, many of the deaths occurring in early adult life. He emphasized that continued efforts must be directed to further reduction of tuberculosis in Virginia.

The Governor pointed out that the General Assembly, at its last session, made substantial increases in appropriations for the treatment and care of those suffering from tuberculosis. Additional beds in sanatoria and increased out-patient service, which includes collapse therapy treatment, were provided.

But despite increased provisions made by the Legislature for the tuberculosis, there remains constant need for the funds produced by the sale of Christmas Seals to pay for sanatorium treatment for indigent patients, X-ray examinations for the diagnosis of the disease, and for a steady campaign of education and prevention.

4-H COUNCIL HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The first Prince William 4-H Council for the year 1939 was held on Saturday, December 3, in the Post Office Assembly Room at one o'clock.

The group discussed the duties of various offices then elected new officers for the coming year. The following club members were elected: president, Margaret Blakemore—Manassas; vice-president, Ellen Thompson—Ocoquan; Secretary-Treasurer, Peggy Tipton—Manassas; Song Leader, Barbara Webb—Ocoquan; Reporter, Lucy Johnson—Manassas; Recreation Leader, Margaret Haislip—Ocoquan.

Miss Webb emphasized the importance of making a plan of work in order to make the new year go smoothly for all members. The president then appointed the following committees: Goals Committee, Committee for Achievement Day, County Picnic Committee, Camp committee, and a finance committee.

Plans were discussed for County Camp to be held next summer, and the State Short Course in Blacksburg. Plans for the County Picnic were also discussed with Jean Akers, Eddie Russell and Dorothy Jones as the committee.

The finance committee with Miss Katie Boley, chairman, and Lucy Johnson, her assistant, decided to send five boys and five girls to Blacksburg as winners in County Contests for the year. The council will also send delegates to State Meetings, expenses paid.

Plans for club activities for the new year were outlined according to the different needs of the clubs.

CHRISTMAS DANCE

AT HAYMARKET

A Christmas Dance will be given at the Haymarket Auditorium on Monday night, December 26th, by the Haymarket Alumni Association. The music will be furnished by a popular orchestra.

HEY! GET OFF THE TRACK!



GOVERNOR PRICE ACCEPTS INVITATION

Governor James H. Price, Chief Executive of the Commonwealth of Virginia, will be the guest speaker at the annual banquet of the Fairfax County Chamber of Commerce according to the announcement of the secretary, Mrs. Florence Jodzies.

Plans are being completed to make this event the usual outstanding affair sponsored during the year by the Chamber. December 13 has been selected and the offer accepted of the Herndon Parent-Teacher Association to hold the banquet in the Herndon High School Gymnasium.

The membership of the Chamber voted to hold the annual banquet this year within the borders of the county so that all members and their guests and other residents might have the opportunity of enjoying a county-wide event. Since the capacity of the gymnasium is limited to three hundred, the secretary has announced that tickets should be secured at once from the Chamber office in the Trial Justice Building at Fairfax, telephone Fairfax 212 J. Members of the Committee on General Arrangements, who will also have are F. W. Robinson, Ralph O. Ennis, Dr. E. C. Shull, Arthur H. Buell and Dr. William Meyer.

President Francis P. Miller has requested the following members or wives of Chamber members to serve as a committee of hostesses, Mrs. Randolph Leigh, Mrs. E. Russell White, Mrs. W. Lewis Leigh, Mrs. Frederick W. Robinson, Mrs. Ernest C. Shull, Mrs. Ralph O. Ennis, Mrs. Arthur Hyde Buell, Mrs. William Meyer, Miss Edith Rogers, Mrs. Theresa M. Sager, Mrs. William McGlinchey and Mrs. Maurice W. Fox.

The program consists of an attractive menu, orchestral dinner music, several special musical features, and the address of Governor Price. This is the first opportunity Fairfax County citizens will have to meet and hear an address by Governor Price since he assumed his duties as Chief Executive of the Commonwealth.

MRS. RATCLIFFE ENTER- TAINS GARDEN SECTION

The Garden Section of the Woman's Club of Manassas had its December meeting on Monday of this week at the home of Mrs. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, on Grant Avenue.

The business session was followed by a splendid talk by Mrs. Paul Cooksey, on the "Legend and Culture of the Poinsettia." Mrs. Cooksey gave some splendid data on the subject, which showed a great deal of thought and research on her part.

She said, "The poinsettia had no legend but was a truly American plant and had been grown here since 1830, growing in some of the Southern States in tree form. Mrs. Cooksey also gave some splendid instruction on how plants, obtained this year, may be carried over and made to bloom year after year.

The social hour featured a lovely and delightful "Christmas Tea." The tea table was beautifully decorated with tell candles, poinsettias and holly, giving a real holiday atmosphere to the event. Mrs. Ratcliffe was assisted in receiving and had as her co-hostess for the afternoon Mrs. J. P. Lyon.

F. R. SAUNDERS

Frederick Randolph Saunders, son of the late Robert and Charlotte Hynson Saunders, was born January 7, 1880, in Warsaw, Va., and was called to lay down earth's labors December 1, 1938.

As a young man he united with the Baptist Church in his native community. When later he came to the vicinity of Bellevue, Ohio, he, with his wife, was united with St. Paul's Reformed Church, Bellevue.

June 28, 1904, Mr. Saunders was united in marriage with Miss Mattie V. Decker, whose companionship he shared until he was called to a higher life.

The family removed to Manassas, Va., in 1914, where parents and children became united with the Presbyterian Church, in which fellowship Mr. Saunders remained a faithful follower to the end.

Surviving to mourn the departure of a loved one are: the widow—Mrs. Mattie Saunders; three children—Ralph C. Saunders, Pringle, S. D., Robert A. Saunders and Miss Hazel Saunders, Manassas; four brothers, two sisters and four grandchildren.

Services were conducted last Friday afternoon in the Manassas Presbyterian Church, and the church was filled to capacity with sorrowing relatives and friends. The sermon delivered by Rev. John M. DeChant was particularly impressive and appropriate. Business houses in Manassas closed during the funeral. The active pallbearers were Messrs. Ed. Conner, Cleve Fisher, M. Bruce Whitmore, Eugene Davis, J. E. Rice and Dr. George Cooke.

Burial was at Bellevue, Ohio.

BOARD SETS HOLIDAY TERM

The County School Board held its regular monthly meeting yesterday with all members present.

As usual a large volume of routine business was attended to.

A splendid report was made on the meeting of the Virginia Education society held at Richmond, and a vote of thanks given to the Committee for its excellent work.

The Board completed plans for taking over Manassas Industrial School jointly with Fairfax and Fauquier.

Progress report made on construction of Dumfries School, which is well under way.

School will close for the holiday on Thursday, December 22nd, and reopen Tuesday, January 3.

Board authorized payment of all salaries prior to holidays.

MANASSAS 4-H CLUB NAMES PEGGY TIPTON LEADER

The Manassas 4-H Club met December 3, in Miss Webb's office for the purpose of electing officers. Ten members were present and the following officers were elected for the new club year: President, Peggy Tipton; Vice-President, Annie Lee Brown; Secretary-Treasurer, Margaret Blakemore; Song Leader, Jean Akers; Recreation Leader, Lelia Dellinger; Reporter, Lucy Johnson.

Following the election the members worked on painting pottery for Christmas. The club also discussed time and place to continue their handicraft work, and it was decided to meet on Wednesday at 3:30 to work on pottery and on Wednesday night at 7:00 to work on leather.

LOCAL GIRL RECEIVES RECOGNITION

Barberton Chapter, American Red Cross, will have a welfare worker after December 5. Miss Eleanor Gibson, of Manassas, Va., have been employed by the board, according to H. A. Pierre, chairman. Miss Gibson's duties will be in addition to the nursing activity carried on by Barberton chapter by Miss Annabelle Griffith, Red Cross nurse.

Miss Gibson graduated from Converse school, South Carolina, and trained at the American Red Cross headquarters, Washington, D. C. She recently was employed by the Mobile, Ala., chapter.

Miss Gibson will work under the committee consisting of Ira Lockhart, E. B. Poland, R. M. Coates and Rev. Floyd Withrow. (from Barberton, Ohio, daily paper).

SALE OF SEALS THE ONLY HOPE

All Are Urged to Buy T. B. Seals to Aid Local Charity

Have you received your Christmas Seal, if not will you please notify your local chairman?

We hope no citizen will be overlooked.

The Prince William County Tuberculosis Association has used all available funds and the Prince William County Health Unit says only hope of young girl, age 16, is immediate sanitarium treatment.

Two trophies, one for cities of 20,000 or more population and the other for counties and smaller cities will be awarded this year by the Virginia Tuberculosis Association to affiliated organizations showing the largest per cent increase in this year's gross seal sale over that of 1937. This was announced by J. Vaughan Gary, President of the Association following a meeting of the Executive Committee which accepted an offer of friends to donate the prizes.

The trophies will be awarded when final reports of Seal Sales have been submitted. Mrs. Gary expects that the awards will serve to further stimulate the friendly rivalry between local units, now engaged in pressing the Seal campaign under the slogan of "Protect Your Home From Tuberculosis."

"Tuberculosis breaks up more homes than any other disease. If a mother or father is stricken, this means separation from the family if other members are to be protected from the threat of the scourge.

"Tuberculosis usually brings a serious economic problem," Mr. Gary continued. "Last year it claimed the lives of nearly 1800 Virginians. Many of these victims are mothers and fathers, who leave orphaned children to face life alone. Christmas Seals finance a year-around program to control tuberculosis and by so doing protect all homes from it."

The sale, which started Thanksgiving, will continue until Christmas.

DRAMATICS CLUB TO PRESENT "BETTY'S LAST BET"

The Dramatics Club of Osborn High School presents "Betty's Last Bet" Friday, December 9, at 8 p.m. Tickets will be on sale by members of the Dramatics Club and at the door. We will appreciate the public patronizing our play. Members of the cast as you meet them on the stage are:

Katherine Darling—Elaine Harris—better known as "Kitty."

Margaret Darling—Marie Bauserman—better known as "Peggy."

Dorothy Darling—Jane Beeton—better known as "Dolly."

Mrs. Darling—Sally Proffitt.

Hannah—Sara M. Senseney.

Elizabeth Darling—Bettie Beans—better known as "Betty."

Percy Wentworth—Roger Cross.

Jack Van Loon—Howard Cooksey.

Edgar Darling—Wallace Partlow.

Richard Wentworth—Bobby Byrd.

Hamilton Moriarity—William Knox.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING

The Executive Board of the Manassas Woman's Club will meet at the home of Mrs. C. Wade-Dalton on Monday night, December 12, at 7:30.

The regular monthly meeting of the Club will be held in the Recreation Room of the O.E.S. Building, on Wednesday, December 14, at 2:30, the guest speaker to be Rev. Herbert A. Doreyan, the Episcopal minister from Fairfax, Va. The subject of his talk is "The Significance of Christmas."

HIGHER WAGES FOR TEACHERS

Other Recommendations Advanced at Educational Meeting

Higher salaries for Virginia teachers is one of the most urgent needs in the State Educational Program. Dr. Sidney B. Hall, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, told Virginia Educators at a meeting in Richmond last week. Speaking on the same program of the Virginia Education's meeting, Governor Price said he was "impressed" by Dr. Hall's comments on the need for higher salaries. He said he agreed with a statement made by Dr. Hall that about only five per cent of "our population can find work in the so-called professions, yet our schools are attempting to start 95 per cent of their pupils toward such a goal." The governor described as "practical education" the instruction of students in vocations.

The problem of vocational education was mentioned in a resolution adopted by the association's department of secondary school principals. This group resolved that the organization recognizes the great need for vocational training and urges that all efforts be made by this organization to facilitate broadening the secondary school program to take care of this need." In addition, they resolved to study the advisability of increasing the number of grades in the State's schools. The resolution recognized "The inability of young people to secure employment at the age at which they now graduate" from high school and "their need for further education."

The principals asked that they be employed 12 months a year, with a corresponding increase in salary, a resolution stating that "the position of principal is becoming more important in that more and more work of a clerical and supervisory nature is being added to his present responsibilities. . . Much time is needed by the principal before the opening of school in the fall and much time must be spent after the close of school in the spring to finish records."

Public school trustees, in session as a division of the V.E.A., advocated a minimum salary of \$3,000 a year for school superintendents, and insisted on retention of the present method of selecting county school boards. The trustees took the position that the important office of division superintendent of schools should carry with it a salary of at least \$3,000. They recommended that counties unable to afford that much combine with other counties in order to be able to procure the services of a well-qualified superintendent.

WASHINGTON ATTORNEY ADDRESSES KIWANIS CLUB

A most unusual presentation was made in the way of programs at the Kiwanis Club on Friday evening at the regular weekly meeting.

It was noticeable that such dignitaries as Judge Brown and Sheriff Kerlin were present and a goodly representation from the ministerial association.

After singing an excellent baritone solo, Mr. Roger Whiteford, former official in the municipal government of Washington, and a very prominent member of the Capitol City Bar, was introduced by Col. Hutchison.

His subject was the "Trail of Jesus Christ, from the viewpoint on a modern lawyer." Although he spoke for the best portion of a hour, there was not the slightest indication of lack of interest at any time. In fact the many queries showed thought on the part of his audience. Not a one in the room that did not profit nor learn something, especially in matter of Jewish Law.

It was a fine program. We were also glad to see Commissioner Hazen, and other visitors.

SPRAINS ANKLE IN FALL

Miss Virginia Boley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boley, suffered a badly sprained ankle on Sunday but an X-ray showed no broken bones. Virginia is a brave young lady and managed with mother's help not to break her good record for attendance at school.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Arrington are the proud parents of a son, David Leavitt Arrington, born at 12:23 p.m. Sunday and weighing 7 lbs. and 13 ozs. Both are getting along nicely.

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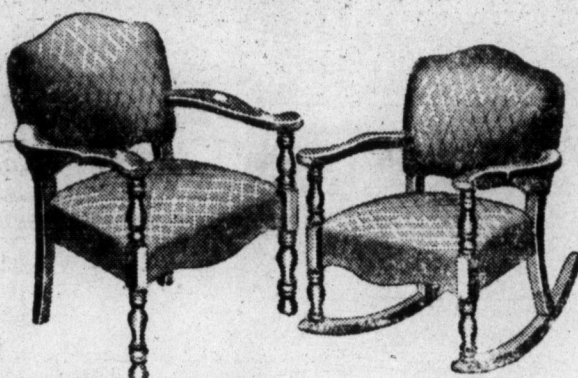


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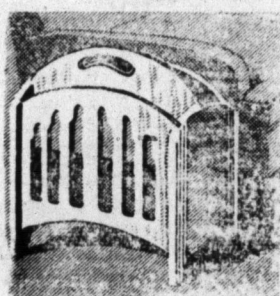


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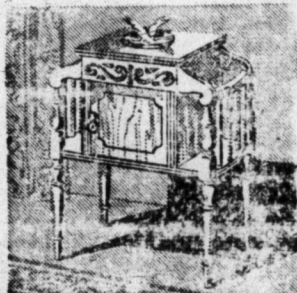
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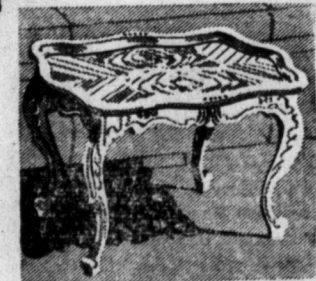


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cans
AIRWAY Mild-Mellow **3 lbs. 39¢**
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Swansdown Cake Flour - pkg. **22c**
Red Diamond Walnuts - lb. **25c**
Major Brand Mince Meat 2 lb. jar **25c**
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PEACHES Fancy Evaporated 2-lb. **25c**
pkg.
Phillips Pork & Beans 1 lb. can **4c**
Pork & Beans Van Camp's - 4 1 lb. **19c**
cans
Campbell's Pea Soup 2 cans **17c**
Plantation Pineapple 1¼ oz. can **9c**
Salad Dressing Southern Belle qt. jar **25c**

PANCAKE FLOUR - 20-oz. **5c**
pkg.
Champion Syrup - qt. bot. **25c**
Karo Blue Label Syrup 5 lb. can **33c**
Del Monte Orange Juice 12 oz. can **5c**
Macaroni or Spaghetti 3 pkgs. **10c**
Our Banquet Margarine lb. **10c**

SAUERKRAUT Silver Floss 2 No. 2 **11c**
cans
Gold Medal or Pillsbury Flour 12 lb. **44c**
sack
Jumbo Roll Butter - 1 lb. roll **34c**
Land O'Lakes Milk - 4 tall **25c**
cans
Pink or Chum Salmon 1 lb. can **10c**
Coral Tuna Fish - 2 7 oz. **25c**
cans

SODA CRACKERS 2-lb. **15c**
box
Hershey's or Baker's Cocoa ½ lb. **7c**
can
Halves O'Gold Peaches 2 No. 2 **25c**
cans
N. B. C. Ritz Crackers lb. box **20c**
Educator Cream - 2 1 lb. **25c**
boxes
Sanico Peanut Butter 1 lb. jar **15c**

JUMBO BREAD - loaf **5c**

Black Pepper - 1 lb. cello pkg. **15c**
Bulk Coconut - lb. **23c**
Jersey Corn Flakes - 2 lge. **17c**
pkgs.
Scratch Feed - 100 lb. sack **\$1.60**
Pancake or Buckwheat Mix 4 lb. sack **23c**
Sliced Bacon - lb. **25c**
FRANKS OR BOLOGNA - lb. **19c**
Corn Meal - 10 lbs. **20c**
Louisiana Ring - each **29c**
Scrapple - lb. **10c**
Longhorn Cheese - lb. **17c**
Bulk Mince meat - 2 lbs. **25c**
Sharp Cheese - lb. **29c**
Large Shoulders - lb. **17c**
Fat Back - lb. **10c**
Boiling Beef - lb. **12c**

GRAPEFRUIT SALE!

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Gowns of Silk Satin, plain color and printed design Tearose, blue and sapphire.	\$3.00
Silk Satin Slips trimmed with Lace, both top and bottom, Sizes 32 to 40—Tearose	\$3.00
Plain Tailored Slips, double front, crepe, Tearose and white—Sizes 32 to 44	\$2.25
Plain Tailored Slips in Satin, Tearose and white—Sizes 32 to 44	\$2.00
Bed Jackets in Satin, plain and lace trimmed, Tearose	\$2.00

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Interpreting Christmas

In Romantic Gift Ideas from Abroad

Embroidered rice cloth bridge sets, from China—
Embroidered guest towels, in various selections, from China—
Embroidered pillow cases from the Philippines—
Pretty flowered combs for the hair, an evening feature to complete your costumes, from France—
Beaded evening bags from France—
Beautiful compacts from Belgium—
Costume jewelry in various selections to be used both for daytime and evening, from Italy—
Ladies' and Gentlemen's linen handkerchiefs from Ireland—

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Woman's Ermine — Collared evening wrap—A gift to bring joy from any woman who appreciates lovely clothes. Flattering rayon velvet, black, lined with white taffeta.

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Atlantic Soap Flakes	- - - 2 boxes	21c
Home-Styled Bread	13-oz. Loaf	5c
Jane Parker Doughnuts	- - - doz.	10c

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Franco-American Spaghetti	- - - can	8c
Phillips Soups	- - - 6 10 1/2-oz. cans	25c
Iona Peas	- - - 3 No. 2 Cans	20c
Stringless Beans	- - - 3 No. 2 Cans	14c
Sultana Peanut Butter	- - - 2 1-lb. Jars	25c

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TOMATOES
4 No. 2 cans 22c

Iona
CORN
4 No. 2 cans 22c

Talco Scratch Feed - 100-lb. bag \$1.50
Plug Tobacco—Brown Mule, Apple, Bloodhound, Spark Plug, Stud
2 for 9c

Iona Apricots, halves - No. 2 1/2 can 15c
Iona Beans in Tomato Sauce 6 1-lb. cans 25c
Cream of Wheat - - - lge. pkg. 23c
Dromedary Dates - - - 2 pkgs. 25c
Jane Parker Fruit Cake - 5-lb. size \$1.85
Wildmere Eggs - - - dozen 33c

Prices Effective till Closing Saturday, December 10th at Manassas

A BOOK TO READ

—by Clarence Wagener—

The next time you hear "Liebestraum" or the "Second Hungarian Rhapsody" of Franz Liszt played, pause a moment in silent prayer for the soul of Adam Liszt, father of Franz. There's a lot more by way of reason for this lovely music than the God-given genius of the great Hungarian composer and pianist.

As with all fathers, Adam was 50 per cent responsible biologically for the existence of his son. Honor Adam for that if you wish. But send up your silent prayer for the father's soul out of gratitude for his untiring efforts to gain for little Franz every possible advantage in training and concert appearances.

"Immortal Franz," by Zsolt Haraszti (Stokes, N. Y., 1937; 486 pages) is a brilliant novelized account of the life and loves of the great Liszt. Written by a native of Hungary, who had access to papers and letters which throw new light on Liszt's career, the book is for the general intelligent reader, but with all the greater appeal to persons who are especially fond of the music of Beethoven, Wagner and Liszt.

When Franz was nine years of age he was a master of the pianoforte, already a great technician. Having been thwarted in this burning desire to become a master violinist, Adam was determined that son Franz would get every possible chance. It is about the father's persistence and untiring sacrifices for Franz that the first one

hundred pages of the volume tell. You'll have to read widely to find anything more plignantly beautiful than this portion of the book.

The story then carries the reader through triumph after triumph for Franz, with occasional disappointment. You read of his socially irregular love affairs (Franz never married) and his attachment for his children, especially Cosima, who became the wife of Richard Wagner, protegee of Franz. You are greatly impressed by Liszt's quick recognition of Wagner's titanic genius and how Franz generously neglected his own interests time and again to aid Wagner attain a place in the sun when everyone else of importance was ignoring the young Wagner.

Sadly, you read of the last tragic days of the man who did so much to further public appreciation of the best in music and who was, it is often claimed, the greatest pianist the world has ever seen. You close the book with a phrase from II Samuel 1-25 coming to mind—"Now are the mighty fallen."

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THURSDAY, DEC. 8, 1938

CHRIST FOR ALL—ALL FOR CHRIST

The Word of God

BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER

If parents will have their children memorize the daily Bible selections, it will prove a priceless heritage to them in after years.

While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal.—2 Corinthians 4:18.

F. R. SAUNDERS

It is with sorrow that we received confirmation of the report received last week of the death of Mr. F. R. Saunders, who for many years had been proprietor of a well known business establishment in Manassas.

While services were being held in the Presbyterian Church here last Friday afternoon, and while all that was mortal of a man so highly respected was borne to the train which took him from his native State, business houses were closed.

Mr. Saunders had many friends. Although retiring by nature and unobtrusive in his good works, he had contributed substantially to the civic and business life of the community, and his passing was the occasion of the utmost regret throughout Prince William County.

BOY'S LIFE WEEK

Creating and promoting good reading for boys has been one of the persisting objectives of the Boy Scouts of America for nearly three decades and has resulted in an impressive list and practical accomplishments in the improvement of juvenile literature. The weighty influence of the Scout Movement is always on the side of all vigorous, virile and wholesome books and periodicals and the Scouts' list of fifty outstanding books for boys, published annually in time for the Christmas season, is consulted as eagerly by parents seeking gift suggestions as it is by Scouts and their friends.

The Scout handbooks and other special publications for boys are in themselves samples of the sort of reading matter the Boy Scout Movement is anxious to endorse and "Boys' Life," the magazine for all boys published monthly by the Boy Scouts, provides thrills and adventure in generous doses along with hobbies, sports and outdoor lore that boys can easily translate into action.

No good cause succeeds without energetic prosecution and that is why the Boy Scout leaders of the country have named the seven days from December 9 to 16 as Boys' Life Week and set about asking all parents to further the "good reading habit" in growing boys.

UNCLE SAM'S STILL
BORROWING

Secretary Morgenthau last night announced a new financing "operation," by which the government will borrow the tidy sum of \$1,641,613,750 to keep up the spending program and take care of some government obligation's maturing early next year. Aside new financing will bring to \$1,500,000,000 the money borrowed for the operating expenses of the government during the current fiscal year. Mr. Morgenthau says that at least \$600,000,000 more will be needed before the end of the fiscal year next June 30.

These operations, we are told, will increase the Federal debt from \$38,590,577,625 to more than \$40,000,000,000. That is an enormous debt, even for a rich country like the United States. It might prove a serious handicap if we had to turn in suddenly and finance a big war. But we spent it merrily and are still spending. Somewhere it will have to stop. If we manage to keep it going until after 1940 election, we will be doing very well indeed. Then, perhaps, we can practice economies and pay a little attention to the budget.

—Northern Virginia Daily.

OF INTEREST TO BAPTISTS

In December of 1937 the University Baptist Church was foreclosed under a deed of trust. The First and Merchants National Bank of Richmond bid in the Church for \$60,000.00 including the organ and pews. They closed the building and the congregation has been worshipping where they could. For the past three months they have been using the chapel at the University of Virginia. The bank has offered to sell the building to the Church for the sum of \$60,000.00 on the following plan: \$20,000.00 cash and the balance of \$40,000.00 payable in 10 years, \$4,000.00 per year with interest of 4 per cent on the unpaid portion until paid. A limit was set on January 1st to take up this proposition and the members of the congregation are doing their utmost to raise the funds, and are counting on the Virginia Baptists to help them, that the Church will be opened to the students of the University of Virginia, the nurses of the University hospital and the people of Charlottesville. They feel sure that the Baptists of the state will rejoice over this wonderful opportunity.

PROGRAM GIVEN BY
WOODBINE S. C. A.

The Woodbine S. C. A. met November 23, 1938. The meeting was opened by the president Margaret Cebula. We had reports from our committee. The program committee had a program called "An Oldtime Thanksgiving." The characters were: Grandmother, June Edith Sholtz; mother, Dorothy May Jones; father, John Henry Wood; young girl, Aubrey Cornwell; three boys: Calvin Weber, Eugene Beavers and Freddie Weber. The Hall family: father, Franklin Miller; mother, Odessa Cornwell; four children: Alma Harris, Elizabeth Cebula, Rachel Cornwell and Aline Cornwell.

We talked about our Christmas preparations. The meeting adjourned at 3:30.

BRENTSVILLE SUNDAY SCHOOL
RED CROSS DONATION

We have been informed by Mr. O. D. Waters, chairman of the Roll Call, American Red Cross, that in the list sent in by Mrs. Helen Keys of Brentsville was a donation from the C.I.C. Class of the Union Sunday School. This is highly appreciated, as Sunday Schools have so many things to do with their funds. It is gratefully received.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. R. C. Linton, who has been quite ill, is now improving.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Father J. J. Widmer is spending his vacation in New York City, returning on Saturday.

Miss Ann Bradford and Mr. Arthur Sinclair attended the dance given by the Department of State at the George Mason Hotel in Alexandria last Saturday night.

Mrs. Eula Holt Merchant will entertain the Senior Bridge Club at her home on Grant Avenue this evening.

Mrs. M. Bruce Whitmore will entertain several friends at luncheon today. Her guests will include Mrs. Hill Brown, Sr., Mrs. W. F. Coker, Mrs. Noel Gill, Mrs. L. F. Hough, Mrs. A. S. Gibson, Mrs. Ella Denton, and Mrs. Maude Marsteller of Nokesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Speed Brewer, of Alexandria, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Connie Kincheloe on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Charlotte Curtin, of Washington, D. C., was the guest of Mrs. Frank Browning last week-end.

Miss Evelyn Miller was the guest of Mrs. A. W. Linkenfelder, in Baltimore, last week-end.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noel Lynn, Sr., on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Noel Lynn and family, of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Selma Lynn, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lynn and daughter, Mildred, of Washington, D. C.

Miss Ruth Gehrke, of George Washington University, was the guest of Miss Virginia Hurst last week-end.

Mrs. George W. Reed and small daughter, of Raceland, Ky., is visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Carper.

Mrs. Eula Holt Merchant is leaving for Chattanooga, Tenn., this week-end and will spend the holidays there with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Holt.

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Mrs. R. W. Cross had as her guests on Wednesday, her sister, Mrs. Register, and sister-in-law, Mrs. Campbell, both of Richmond.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Athey included Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Athey and daughter, Shirley, and Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Dawson and son, all of Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mackenzie entertained with a lovely birthday dinner at their home in Washington, D. C., on Sunday, in honor of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Alan Mackenzie. Other guests were Mr. Mackenzie, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Bruce Whitmore.

Mrs. George Michael returned to her home here last week and we hear that she is getting along very nicely. Mr. J. P. Fletcher, of Castlewood, Va., is visiting relatives here for several days.

Col. T. K. Randall, Sales Manager for H. B. Leary, Jr., and Brothers, and Mr. William Rush, both of Washington, D. C., were guests of Mr. John Adams for a day's hunting recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Houghton Robson and Mrs. Mamie Dulaney left on Sunday for the Robsons' home in Huntington, West Virginia, where they will spend the winter. They had planned to leave a couple weeks ago but were detained by the bad weather.

Mr. Everett O'Neil, who has been a patient at Mt. Alto Hospital for the past three weeks, is getting along nicely after a tonsil operation on Wednesday. We are glad to hear that he is planning to come home in about a week.

Mrs. A. S. Wilfong, of near Manassas, was in town today and seems to be feeling much better after her recent illness.

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Cabbage	lb.	2c

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VIRGINIA ROYAL		
Mince meat	2 lbs.	25c
ARMOUR'S		
Mince meat	2 lbs.	35c
Raisins	3 pkgs.	25c
Currants	11-oz. pkg.	10c
White Raisins	2 lbs.	25c

Peanut Butter	2 lbs.	29c
Marshmallows	1 lb. pkg.	15c

Macaroni	2-lb.	15c
Post Toasties	2 pkgs.	13c
King Syrup	5-lb. bucket	33c

Toilet Tissue	6 rolls	25c
BIG SAVING	12 lbs.	25c
Flour	24 lbs.	49c

FRESH FISH — OYSTERS

PRIZE FOR BEST
DECORATED HOME

The Garden Section of the Woman's Club of Manassas will offer a prize for the best decorated home in Manassas during the Christmas season. Judging will be done from the street by a committee on Christmas Eve. No formal enrollment is necessary as all homes will be judged for artistic arrangement and appropriateness.

Mrs. Margaret Lewis was named chairman of the committee to complete arrangements.

CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS

True bills returned as follows:

Melvin Butts (felony)—trial set for

December 13; Jake Finks (felony); Parker William, Jr., (felony)—trial set for December 13; Kenneth Beckett (felony)—trial set for December 15.

Grand jury composed of the following: Ralph Sharrett (foreman), Thomas O. Barnes, Wallace Bourne, Jr., M. S. Kerlin, W. F. Roland, Carlton Burdette and Wade G. Breen.

The following cases were set: Commonwealth vs. Evelyn Redd, December 13.

Commonwealth vs. Edward Lockwood, December 14th.

Commonwealth vs. Willie Everhart, December 15.

Jake Finks entered plea of guilty and was sentenced to two years in penitentiary, same being suspended to February term of court.

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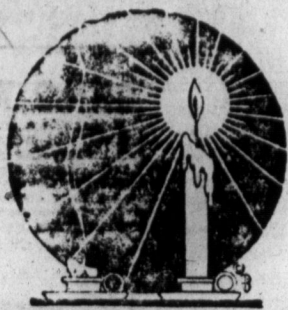
Christmas is just around the corner and I shall soon be looking around Manassas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel McCuin and family have moved to "Cloverland" at Thoroughfare.

The basketball games last night proved that the "ex-players," both the girls and boys, had lost none of their cunning. The boys' games was particularly exciting, being won over the school team by a one-point margin.

RETURN FROM SUCCESSFUL TOUR

Returning to Washington, D. C., after a highly-successful tour that included fourteen concerts in half-a-dozen Northern states and in Canada, the National Symphony Orchestra Dr. Hans Kindler, conductor, faces a busy schedule of six programs in the Nation's Capital and in Baltimore during the week of December 11.

On December 14 at 8:30 p.m. at Constitution Hall in Washington the Orchestra will play the third concert in its mid-week series with Mischa Elman, supreme master of the violin, as guest artist in Beethoven's Violin Concerto in D Major. The program will open with the overture to Mozart's opera, "The Marriage of Figaro," and will include the performance of Bach's Suite in B Minor for flute and string orchestra. The concert will be completed with the first Washington performance of "Scenes of Poverty and Toil" by the Chicago composer, Robert Sanders.

On Sunday, December 18, at 4 p.m. at the Hall Lucille Manners, young American soprano, who because of illness was forced to cancel her scheduled appearance with the National Symphony on November 27, will sing with the orchestra the aria, "Convien Partir" from Donizetti's "The Daughter of the Regiment," Henschel's "Morgen Hymne," and Bizet's aria, "Ouvre ton coeur." The same program will feature the first performance anywhere of Isidore Freed's "Pastorales," and the playing of Bach's Prelude and Fugue in C Minor and Schubert's Symphony No. 7 in C Major.

Three students concerts will be presented during the course of the week with Ernest Schelling, famed conductor of the New York Philharmonic-Symphony's children's program, making his Washington debut on December 15 and 16 with concerts in two of the city's high schools. Dr. Kindler will conduct the first student concert on December 12. These concerts are at 3:30 p.m.

The Baltimore concert will be at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, December 13, at the Lyric Theatre, with Mischa Elman as soloist in the Beethoven concerto. The "Marriage of Figaro" overture and Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 6 ("Pathétique") complete the program.

BEDLAM LEADS BY A NOSE

Damon Runyon's "Straight, Place and Show," the Ritz Brothers' new starring picture for 20th Century-Fox, opens next Thursday and Friday, December 15-16, at the Pitts' Theatre, with Richard Arlen, Ethel Merman, Phyllis Brooks, George Barbier and Willie Best lending spirited support.

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Betting their shirts on a bangtail named Playboy, the Ritzes are even more surprised than the horse when he romps in a winner. They decide to keep betting on Playboy until they have enough to retire on. Richard Arlen, however, gambles his happiness with lovely Phyllis Brooks on the chance that Playboy won't win another race in three months. Jealous because he believes Phyllis care more for Playboy, whom she owns, than for him, Richard promises that if Playboy wins he "will build him a stable right off the bedroom." If Playboy loses, Arlen is to become the new owner.

Playboy loses and Arlen turns him to the Ritz Brothers, who plan to enter him in the big sweepstakes. When Phyllis learns of this she breaks off her engagement to Arlen and tries to buy Playboy. But the Ritzes have promised not to sell him. In order to raise the entry fee, and incidentally to insure Playboy's winning, the Ritzes engage in some tall and hilarious promoting on the eve of the big race, getting themselves involved with what Runyon would call some very desperate characters indeed. But even a Runyon gangster is no match for Jimmy, Harry and Al, and when it's all over bedlam is the winner by three lengths at least.

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Pursuant to a certain decree entered in the Circuit Court, Prince William County, Virginia, on the 17th day of November, 1938, in the chancery cause of Sadie Daniel v. Clarence Woodyard, et als, the undersigned Special Commissioners will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1938
At the hour of 10:00 o'clock a.m. in front of the People's National Bank of Manassas, Manassas, Prince William County, Virginia, the following real estate, with the improvements thereon;

All that certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being situate in Cotes Magisterial District, Prince William County, Virginia, estimated to contain from fifteen (15) to twenty (20) acres, which was acquired by Henrietta Long Woodyard from J. E. Keys, by deed dated February 27, 1932, and recorded amongst the land records of the Circuit Court Clerk's Office for Prince William County, Virginia, in Deed Book 90, page 347.

TERMS OF SALE: One third cash and the balance upon a credit of one and two years equal installments and to be evidenced by notes executed by the purchaser or purchasers, payable to the Commissioners, bearing interest at the rate of six per centum from the day of sale until paid, and containing waiver of homestead exemption, title to said land to be retained by said Commissioners until whole of purchase money shall be paid, or for all cash at the option of the purchaser.

W. HILL BROWN, JR.,
C. A. SINCLAIR,
Special Commissioners.

J. P. KERLIN, Crier.
I hereby certify, that the bond for \$2,500.00 required of the Special Commissioner by the decree for sale entered in the cause of Sadie Daniel v. Clarence Woodyard, et als, was executed by W. Hill Brown, Jr., as such Commissioner, on the 29th day of November, 1938.

Given under my hand this 30th day of November, 1938.

Teste:
LEAMON LEDMAN,
Clerk of the Circuit Court

of Prince William County,
Virginia.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE BANK OF OCCOQUAN, INCORPORATED.

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 Monday, January 9th, 1939, 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.

30-4-c

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given the public that R. L. and E. C. Williams, trading as Come-rite Inn intend to apply to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board at its offices in the Central National Bank Building, Richmond, Va., on the 14th day of December, 1938, for retail license to sell Beer for consumption on and off premises, in the building owned by A. B. Persons, of Quantico, Va., and located at Woodbridge, Prince William, Va.

COME-RITE INN,
By R. L. Williams,

OCCOQUAN HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

The old fashioned Square Dance held in the school auditorium on November 23 was enjoyed by all.

Turkey wasn't the only thing "cleaned up" at the turkey supper on December 2 since the proceeds marked it as one of the most successful entertainments of the year. Speaking of "cleaning-up," the Fairfax High quintet walloped, the unresisting Redskins by a score of 60 to 10 during the same evening before a crowd of some five hundred fans.

Miss Irons, Miss Neale and Mr. Sigman were Occoquan's representatives to the State Teachers' Educational Convention held at Richmond, Va., November 23rd.

The library is graced by two attractive new tables, handwork of the Osbourne High Industrial Arts Students.

A Silver Tea, sponsored by the Student Cooperative Association, was given November 11, at which time the elementary department participated in sewing, tea and rendering a delightful program.

MARRIAGE RECORD

October 29—John R. Ward, of Quantico and Beatrice E. Teti, of Long Branch, N. J.

October 31—Mario Palumbo and Helen Smith, both of Quantico.

November 5—Forrest K. Hope, of Adamstown, Md., and Ellen M. Rust, of Haymarket.

November 5—Magnus S. Sigvaldsen and Mary M. Lambert, both of Quantico.

November 8—Curtis Abel, of Triangle and Helen Wearing, of Manassas.

November 10—William H. Lester, of Quantico and Louise E. Ramsey, of Semora, N. C.

November 12—George W. Bliss, Jr., of Fall River, Mass., and Helen E. Kimball, of Newport, R. I.

November 14—Olney A. Brawner and Elizabeth A. Barlow, both of Dumfries.

November 14—Elmer F. Williams and Mabel Louise Barlow, both of Dumfries.

November 15—James L. Covington, of Warrenton, and Violet Hazel Herring, of Nokesville.

November—Leo C. Poseley, of Quantico and Marion V. Branch, of Baltimore, Md.

November 19—John B. Heles, of Quantico and Wilma V. Lawson, of Canal Zone.

November 23—Eugene A. McDonald, of Quantico and Louise C. Rettenmaier, of Washington, D. C.

November 25—Joseph M. Grim and Helen V. Woerner, of Washington, D. C.

December 3—Harvey N. Abel, of Joplin, and Mary Kathleen Kerlin, of Nokesville.

December 5—William J. Warner, Jr., of Quantico, and Mary Hanna, of Anthony, West Virginia.

—Colored—
November 2—Garfield A. Robinson and Dorothy Washington, both of Manassas.

November 10—Maurice McPherson, of Thoroughfare, and Lucy H. Nickens, of Gainesville.

November 23—Cornelius Burke, of Waterfall and Gertrude L. Hall, of Washington, D. C.

We wish to thank our various correspondents for sending their notes early this week.

COUNTY AGENTS COLUMN

REPORT FALL SEEDING AND FERTILIZING

Until fall seeding and fertilizing practices have been reported and receipts or purchase slips submitted to the county office for the grass seed and fertilizer used, credit toward 1938 Agricultural Conservation Program payments can not be given. Farmers who have not brought receipts to the county office and shown on what fields their fall seeding and fertilizing was done are urged to do so immediately so that their checks will not be unnecessarily delayed.

1939 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM

How the 1939 Agricultural Conservation Program applies to their farms has been explained individually to most of the farmers of the county. Wheat acreage allotments, or the maximum acreage that could be seeded to be in line for full benefit payments, were made this fall to both commercial and non-commercial wheat farms amounted to practically the usual wheat acreage (1935-36-37 average) but a reduction of 28.2 per cent from the usual acreage was asked for on commercial farms. On farms classified as commercial wheat farms, acreages of depleting crops other than wheat for 1939 harvest are to be kept down to the usual acreage for those crops in addition to keeping within the wheat acreage allotment, if the farms are to qualify for full 1939 conservation payments.

A large part of the payment to commercial wheat farms will be sacrificed, even if the wheat acreage allotment is exceeded by only a fraction of an acre. Rather than to sacrifice this payment, it may be desirable for commercial wheat farmers who know

they have gone over a little on their wheat acreage and add enough rye or vetch (which is permitted if done by December 15th) to make this small excess acreage unsuitable for milling purposes.

Because of the complicated details of the program and every farm presenting an individual problem of its own, it will be desirable for every farmer who wishes to comply for full 1939 benefits to call at the county agents office in the Manassas Post Office Building and check on the requirements as to both his wheat and total depleting acreage allotments, if he has not already done so.

While participation in the program is entirely voluntary, it is the desire of the county office and committee to

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1938

At 2:00 p.m., Rain or Shine

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2 Cows	1 Wagon
1 Black Hawk Manure Spreader	1 Automobile
1 John Deere Corn Planter	18 Barrels of Corn
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1 Riding Corn Plow	Also 1/2 interest in the following:
1 AA Harrow	Sow
1 Iron Smoothing Harrow	Hogs
Lot of Miscellaneous Tools	Mower
1 Saddle	

Many other items too numerous to mention.

Mr. May will also have at the sale a new 3 horse turning plow (left-hand).

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WATCH SUBSEQUENT ISSUE FOR PLACE AND HOUR FOR DRAWING FOR PRIZES



CASH PRIZES FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS TO BE GIVEN AWAY



Drawing for prizes will be after Xmas to avoid interfering with Christmas Shopping. Attendance at drawing not necessary to winning of prizes.

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Hardware and Furniture

Hynson Electric & Supply Co.
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Manassas Motor Co.
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"ROBIN HOOD" STORY PACES FRONTIER FILM

A rousing story of a "Robin Hood of the cattle country," a swift-moving romance between two young lovers of the range, and some of the most glorious scenic background ever to appear on the screen add up to first-rate entertainment in Paramount's latest outdoor action drama, "The Mysterious Rider," which will open locally Wednesday, December 14, at the Pitts Theatre.

As the title suggests, the Zane Grey story revolves about a fearless rider of the plains who manages to keep

his identity a secret. Although he is feared by every one in the ranch country, this character, played in the film by Douglass Dumbrille, is actually an innocent man who has been forced to exile himself in the wilderness because of a crime he did not commit.

Dumbrille brings his picturesque wanderings to a halt to help his young daughter, a girl ranch owner who is being duped by her crooked foreman, while rustlers make away with her prize cattle. Beautiful Charlotte Field has the role of the wanderer's daughter.

The "rider" is one of the most likable characters ever to figure in a

Zane Grey story. Without revealing his identity he leads the foreman and his confederates in a trap through a series of amazingly clever tricks. When he gets them where he wants them he secures his daughter's happiness and avenges the twenty-year-old murder of his closest friend through liberal use of the Old West's reliable weapons—six shooters!

The romantic hero of the picture is handsome Russell Hayden, the familiar "Lucky" of the "Hopalong Cassidy" films, who aids Dumbrille in his battle against the rustlers and wins the young girl's heart. Stanley Andrews and Monte Blue, as the two principal rustlers, turn in lively performances.

a light attack of influenza.

Up again, Gable was called upon to rescue Myrna Loy from a crashed airplane. Immediately after the "rescue," the plane was to catch fire with "controlled fire." Instead, before Gable and Miss Loy cleared the plane, the wind machines blew the "controlled fire" onto the fuselage of wings and the plane actually caught fire. Gable pulled Miss Loy from the cockpit only a moment before the flames swept the airplane. Both received a slight scorching without ill effects and smoke-filled lungs.

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"Too Hot to Handle," attraction at Pitts Theatre, next Monday and Tuesday, December 12-13, may be the title of the picture, but in reality Clark Gable's role in it was almost too hot to handle.

Gable's first mishap occurred during the first week of filming. A section of ruined Shanghai had been created on a back lot and during an air raid, while making a newsreel shot, Gable was to be catapulted into a mud puddle.

Gable followed orders of Jack Conway, the director, and fell in the mud, but he forgot to close his eyes. For two days his eyes pained him before the last particle was removed.

Through the second week of the picture, Gable and Myrna Loy worked continuously in fog in front of machines for night sequences. For this Gable received three days in bed with

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CHURCH NOTICES

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Rev. A. S. Gibson, Pastor
Sunday School—10:00 a.m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon—11 a.m.

MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH
R. M. Graham, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday School, L. Ledman, Sup't.

Come to your class this Sunday so that you may know your part in the Christmas entertainment.

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship: "Saints and Sinners."

6:30 p.m. B.T.U. Remember B.T.U. needs "U" and "U" need B.T.U.

7:30 p.m. Evening Worship: "A Rejoice of Judgment."

Wednesday evening prayer meeting Bible Class will discuss, "Jesus' Background." This is a study in preparation for Christmas.

"COME THOU WITH US AND WE WILL DO THEE GOOD!"

MT. ZION EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Nokesville, Va.

Rev. A. W. Ballentine, Pastor—Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

The Service at 11:00 a.m.

MANASSAS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. John DeChant, Pastor—Sunday School 9:00 a.m.

Worship 10:00 a.m.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH
Rev. Harry Paul Baker, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.

9:45 a.m.—Bible Class taught by Hon. C. Lacey Compton.

11:00 a.m.—Preaching by a visiting minister.

11:00 a.m.—Preaching at Burke by the pastor.

6:00 p.m.—Junior League.

7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic Service and Sermon.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—Board of Christian Education.

Wednesday 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

All our services are for everybody. A warm welcome awaits you.

MANASSAS CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
CANNON BRANCH HOUSE

Rev. Byron M. Flory, Pastor.

10:00 A. M. Sunday School Mr. M. J. Hottle, Superintendent.

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.

"Being Christian Today," Rev. B. M. Flory speaking.

7:30 p.m. Evening Worship.

A program on Christian Brotherhood will be conducted by the Young People.

BETHEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Manassas, Va.

Rev. A. W. Ballentine, Pastor.

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

Vespers at 7:30 p.m.

Luther League at 6:45 with a study of "The Common Service."

HICKORY GROVE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Richard Baggs, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evangelistic service 7:45 p.m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p.m.

All are welcome.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH
Daniel L. Newman, Pastor

Manassas: Sunday School—10:00 a.m.; Christian Endeavor—11:00 a.m.

Buckhall: Sunday School—9:45 a.m.; Preaching—7:30 p.m.

Aden: Sunday School—10:00 a.m.; Preaching 11:00 a.m.

ST. PAUL'S HAYMARKET
Rev. W. F. Carpenter, Rector.

St. Paul's Church School has decided to have their Christmas Festival on the night of Friday, December 23rd.

WOODBINE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. C. G. Scannell, Pastor

Preaching by the pastor 11 a.m.

Everybody welcome.

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

Vesper Service at 7:30 p.m.

Luther League at 6:45 p.m. with a study of the Common Service.

MANASSAS FULL GOSPEL CHURCH
A. H. Salter, Pastor

Notice—the change in our services.

Sunday School 2:00 p.m.

Worship 3:00 p.m.

Evangelistic service 7:45 p.m.

We feel this will prove a great advantage to those who live a distance, through the winter months.

Preaching in the afternoon and evening by the pastor. Subjects 3:00 p.m. (Liberated by the Truth.) 7:45 p.m. (Setting the stage for the last act.)

UPPER TRURO PARISH

Rev. Paul Shultz, pastor of Madison Parish (Hamilton) will conduct services in Upper Truro Parish this Sunday. Holy Communion will be celebrated at all three churches.

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. James J. Widmer, Pastor

Sunday: Mass in Manassas at 8 a.m. on the 1st, 2nd, and 4th Sunday. Other Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

Week-Days: Daily Mass at 7:00 a.m.

Mass in Minnieville on 1st, 2nd, and 4th Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

Mass in Bristow on 3rd and 5th Sundays at 9:00 a.m.

Meetings: Catholic Woman's Club on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 8:00 p.m. in the Rectory.

Holy Name Society meets on the Monday preceding the 2nd Sunday of each month, at 8:00 p.m. in the Rectory.

THE NOKESVILLE CHARGE
Rev. Charles Clarkson, Pastor

Appointments, December 11, 1938: Woodlawn: 11 a.m.; Orlando 2:30 p.m.; Nokesville 7:30 p.m.

Sermon: "Let God Take The Strain of Living."

The day of the Humanist is passing. Man must cease to rely on himself and must rely on God. The life grounded in God has an inner strength. Let God take the strain (not the tasks) of living.

We invite you to worship with us.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"God the Preserver of Man" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all churches and societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, December 11.

The Golden Text will be "Withhold not thou thy tender mercies from me, O Lord: let thy loving-kindness and thy truth continually preserve me" (Psalms 40:11).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And seek not ye what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink, neither be ye of doubtful mind. For all these things do the nations of the world seek after: and your Father knoweth that ye have need of these things. But rather seek ye the Kingdom of God; and all these things shall be added unto you" (Luke 12:29-31).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The history of Christianity furnishes sublime proof of the supporting influence and protecting power bestowed on man by his heavenly Father, omnipotent Mind, who gives man faith and understanding whereby to defend himself, not only from temptation, but from bodily suffering" (p. 387).

CANNON BRANCH CHURCH

For two Sunday nights our B.Y.P.D. Service has been recalled at Cannon Branch for services elsewhere next Sunday night, November 11, the theme is "Brotherhood." The main speakers are Miss Ila Breeden, Rev. Flory, Mr. Sadd and a story by Merna Belle Flory. You are all cordially invited.

At the S. S. hour a special offering will be received for the Week Day Religious Educational Work of the County.

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STANLEY RAY CARTER

Stanley Ray Carter, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Carter, died at his home near Independent Hill, Va., November 28th, 1938, after an illness of two weeks, due to pneumonia. He was 3 years old. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his parents, a brother, Ralph, and a sister, Louise; a number of relatives and friends.

His little body was laid to rest in the cemetery at Woodbine Church on Wednesday, November 30th, Rev. Murry Taylor officiating.

Heaven retaineth now, our treasure. Earth the lonely casket keeps,

And the sunbeams love to linger, Around the grave.

Here dear little darling, "Baby Ray Sleeps."

—Grandmother.

REV. R. M. GRAHAM'S CLASS TO MEET

The members of Rev. R. M. Graham's Class will meet with Messrs. Alice Elam and Amelia Patton at the home of Mrs. Jesse Conner on Tuesday, December 13, at 7:30 p.m.

MEETS WITH MRS. MUDDIMAN

The Missionary Society of Bethel Congregation will meet Tuesday, December 13, at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Audrey Muddiman.

DUMFRIES

Mr. and Mrs. Olney Brawner were home guests at a surprise shower given at the home of Mr. Clay Brawner on Wednesday night. The hostesses were Mrs. Kate Keys, Mrs. M. L. Keys, Mr. Wilbur Brawner and Miss Emmett Keys. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received and everyone had a most enjoyable evening.

Miss Catherine Brawner, of Washington, was guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brawner last week-end.

Miss Marie Bulter and Mr. Weldon Crawford, both of Washington, spent Sunday at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Austin and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Rawlings of Iuaticco on Sunday.

The Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Warfield Brawner on Friday afternoon, December 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Nich Morris, of Alexandria, were guests of relatives here on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ratcliffe, of Manassas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Speake last Sunday. We are glad to report that Mr. Speake is improving rapidly after his recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brawner, of Alexandria, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hill, of Washington, have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ormsby.

We wish to thank our various correspondents for sending their notes early this week.

"LITTLE FREDDY"



Subjects of poem published herewith

FREDDY

My little friend is brown of face

And sweet of soul and smile;

He's wearing now a body brace—

'Twas plaster for a while.

His little spine is bent and weak,

His heart is big and strong;

When fever heat is in his cheek

He says, "There's nothing wrong."

The T. B. germs that made him ill

Removed his father's care

And left his mother's burden more

Then she could rightly bear.

His home is always clean and neat

But walls are thin and old

There's sometimes not much food to

eat

Nor shelter from the cold.

Kind friends provide warm clothes

and bed,

The State hospital care,

The Christmas Seal Sale, milk and oil;

Do you always buy your shares?

We have other little girls and boys,

And men and women too,

Whose needs will mar their Christmas joys—

Do you give what is your due?

—M. Sabina Neel.

NOKESVILLE

The boys' and girls' basketball squad journeyed to Fairfax Tuesday night.

The Red Cross Committee is now working on Christmas baskets and the selling of Christmas seals. We hope to make a distribution of quite a number of baskets at the Christmas season.

The school is now working on Christmas program to be given on Wednesday night, December 21, 1938.

Miss Kerlin has been absent from school the last few days.

The floor in the gymnasium has been completed.

The Young Married People's Class of the Brethren Church had their monthly social Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. Beamer, F.F.A. instructor, went to an all day conference at Arden on Tuesday, December 6.

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BRENTSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Whetzel and family were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Donovan.

Mrs. Catherine Neff was a Sunday visitor at Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Breeden's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wright had as guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Neff, of Nokesville.

The radio program, which was held at the old Courthouse in Brentsville on Thursday, December 1, proved to be quite a success.

Mrs. Ada Keys, of Rectortown, has returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Keys.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Keys visited Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Breeden on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seymour entertained friends and relatives from Washington, on Sunday.

Mr. John Logue, of Lawrence, Kansas, is spending some time with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Keys attended the dinner at the Par-h Hall in Manassas on Tuesday, December 6.

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WILLIAM CUPP

After a lingering illness, William Kurney Cupp, aged sixty-nine, died in the Alexandria hospital late last Thursday night. Funeral services were held at the Lutheran Church, of which he had been a member of fifty-six years, on Sunday afternoon, Revs. Ballentine and Newman, officiating.

Pall-bearers were Messrs. D. E. Earheart, C. H. Earheart, J. M. Bolding, J. H. Burke, M. A. Woodyard and W. M. Smith. Interment was in the Lutheran cemetery at Buckhall.

Mr. Cupp was born at Sangerville, Augusta County, Virginia, on December 18, 1868, the son of Frederick and Ellen Cupp. He was trained as a painter and plied that trade to the time of his death.

On May 26, 1892, he married Eliza-

beth Cornelia Switzer, (now deceased), the daughter of Welton and Martha Switzer, of Dayton, Virginia. About 1912, he located at Braleton, in Fauquier County. He came to Manassas at the time of the World War.

Surviving him are three daughters and one son: Mrs. Harold Krause, of Liberty, Pa., Mrs. Charles Hayes, of Nokesville and Mrs. Charles Crouch and Warren Cupp, of Manassas. There are three sisters, Mrs. Charles Driver, Lone Fountain, Virginia, Mrs. Charles Kiracofe of Bridgewater, Va., and Mrs. Charles Hogshead, of Spring Creek, Va.

The deceased was a quiet, lovable citizen, who had no enemies and many friends, numbers of whom came to pay their last respects at the funeral on Sunday. The sympathy of all go to his bereaved children and family.

CATLETT

Rev. and Mrs. Geo. W. Crabtree are the proud parents of a baby girl, Susan Ashby Crabtree, born November 12 in Memorial hospital, Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Rosa Colvin is quite sick at her home here.

Mr. Pat Ennis, who has been a patient in a Washington hospital for some time, has returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Corbin are the proud parents of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Guy are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Mr. Howard Heflin had the misfortune to cut his hand badly while cranking his car Sunday.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mr. Chas. Rutherford, who has been ill with flu, is able to be out again.

Miss Talma Brown and Mr. John Huffman, of Washington, D. C., were married recently. We wish for them a long and happy married life.

Mrs. Mary Phillips and daughters, Elizabeth and Carl, were recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Yeatman's.

We are glad to know our friend, Mrs. Owen McLearn, has returned home from the hospital, and sorry to hear she is not getting so well.

Recent callers at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Geo. W. Crabtree were: Dr. and Mrs. Milburn Colvin, Dr. Lynn Colvin, Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Colvin, Dr. H. L. Hamilton, Mrs. Will Iney, Miss Gladys Silcott, Mrs. Roy Truitt, Mrs. Dessie Allen, Mrs. Jackie Jones, Mr. R. Jones, Miss Betty Wigglesworth, Miss Dell Gray, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Croshorn.

FAIRFAX LADY TO ADDRESS P. - T. A.

The Manassas Parent-Teacher Association will meet on Thursday, December 15, at Bennett School at 8:00 p.m. Reports will be heard from delegates to the State meeting held in Alexandria last October.

Of special interest at this meeting will be an address by Mrs. Florence Jodzies. Mrs. Jodzies is secretary of the Fairfax Chamber of Commerce. She was recently appointed by Gov. Price to the Board of Visitors of the Virginia State School for the Blind and Deaf at Staunton. Her subject will be "Home-School Partnership."

The Executive Committee of the P.-T. A. will meet in the office of Prof. Peters on Tuesday, December 13, at 2:30 p.m.

CHRISTMAS POST OFFICE WORK

The work of the Post Office Department from coast to coast, handling the Christmas rush, is described in a story appearing next Sunday in The Star quoting local officials of the department. More than 3,000 emergency employees are hired in Washington alone to care for the increased volume of mail and packages, according to Vincent C. Burke, District postmaster.

Use plenty of twine and strong wrapping paper, write legibly, and mail early, he urges the public.

PLEASANT CALLERS

Among the friends who called at the Journal Office during the past week were: A. P. Cheshire, Father John, E. W. Thompson, Mrs. J. A. Herring, A. T. Barnes, and Miss Grace Reid.

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