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YOUNG DEMOCRATS VETO THIRD TERM

Party Harmony Prevails in Support of 1940 Candidate

Two of the Young Democrats of Prince William County were elected to high offices at the annual convention of the Young Democratic Clubs of Virginia in Roanoke, Saturday, August 25 and 26. Miss Nancy Lynn was elected state college secretary, and Mr. W. T. Sweeney of Gainesville was elected one of the three vice-chairmen of the Eighth District. The Prince William Club, being the second largest club in the state, had fifty votes, the maximum number of votes.

The Prince William delegates were Misses Nancy Lynn and Walser Conner, Messrs. Percival Lewis and W. D. Taylor of Manassas, Mr. W. T. Sweeney of Gainesville, and Messrs. Otho Fitzwater, Charlie Fitzwater, Ernest Spitzer, N. N. Free and W. R. Free of Nokesville. Among the social events planned for the visiting club members by the Roanoke Club were a tea dance held on Mill Mountain, at which Senator Harry F. Byrd was host, a banquet, Saturday night, when Acting Secretary of War Louis A. Johnson spoke, and two dances, which were held in the ball room of the Hotel Roanoke, the convention headquarters.

The delegates from Prince William had the unexpected pleasure of meeting and talking to Senator Carter Glass in his suite shortly before his address to the convention on Saturday. They were introduced to Senator Glass by Hon. E. R. Combs, State Comptroller. Mr. Glass, in his brief, humorous speech to the convention, declared that he was in favor of peace if he had to fight to get it. He also said that many old Democrats were waiting for him to die but they would have to "wait a long time," Senator Glass received an uproarious welcome and his witty address brought forth hearty laughter. Gov. James H. Price addressed the convention briefly at its session Friday afternoon.

Declaring that many youths were "Heartily Tired" of the "Rule or Ruin" Philosophy as an attempt to solve party problems, Robert Lane Anderson in his president's address at the opening convention session, called for maintenance of a "non-factional" young Democratic front. He asserted that "organized young Democracy can be of greatest service by continuing to be a common meeting ground and forum for all shades of Democratic opinion, and I have very little patience with those who—as at the national Young Democratic Convention in Pittsburgh two weeks ago—would make our meetings otherwise. Let us turn aside then from this labeled 'rule or ruin,' which leads through the slaughter—house of partisan folly to the open grave of political dissolution—and I say this, and Democratic youth say this to irreconcilables among both the tweedledums and the tweedle-dealers. As for ourselves, let us continue to keep our organization non-factional."

John T. Duval of Gloucester was elected president of the state clubs, without opposition. He succeeds Robert Lane Anderson of Marion. Other officers, likewise elected without opposition, were: vice-presidents, Franklin Daniel of Lynchburg, Franklin Williamson of Staunton, Alvin Fitzhugh of Arlington and Calvin Robinson of Appomattox; National Committeewoman, Mrs. Gladys Morton of Charlotte County; National Committeeman, A. Guy Hope of Richmond; Secretary, Mrs. Genevieve Dickinson of Roanoke; and College Secretary, Miss Nancy Lynn of Manassas. John A. K. Donovan of Falls Church, was elected Chairman of the Eighth District at that district caucus.

John W. Ferguson of the Fairfax Club acted as secretary of the convention.

The principal contest at the convention centered around the third term issue for the President of the United States. Over the vociferous opposition of a diehard minority, the Young Democrats went on record as opposing a third term for any president of the United States. The resolution that was finally adopted, after a hard-fought verbal battle by many of the delegates, pro and con, is as follows:

"Whereas, the 'third term' question, through the medium of newspapers and magazines of national circulation and the activity of the Young Democratic Clubs of America in convention

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LABOR DAY—SEPT. 4, 1939
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STATE FAIR ISSUES MAGAZINE

Annual Publication Reveals Extensive Plans for This Year's Event

The official Magazine and Program of the 1939 Virginia State Fair has just been issued and a copy received at this office. It is a large, 56-page book, literally illustrated and containing a complete list of events and a series of interesting articles by Governor Price and other prominent Virginians. T. Gilbert Wood, president of the Fair Association, contributes an article on Fruits of the state and W. J. Carter, member of the Board of Directors, writes the History of the Virginia Fair. Major Bottom, president of the State Chamber of Commerce, appeals "For a Greater Virginia" and there is a special article on Crochet work to interest women who plan to enter crochet and fancy work, and perhaps enter the National Crochet Contest also, for which the winners will be eligible. Timber Farming in Virginia is the subject of a chapter by Clarence Smith, chairman of the State Conservation and Development Commission.

A new feature of the Fair, a two-day all-expense Virginia State Fair tour from many points in the state, is announced. Visitors will stay one night at Richmond hotels and two days at the Fair at a special rate. Complimentary copies of the Fair Magazine will be mailed to those who write to the Virginia State Fair Association, Richmond, Va.

JENNIE THELMA BREEDEN

Mrs. Jennie Thelma Breeden, aged 36, died at her home near Manassas on Monday after a brief illness. She was the daughter of Mrs. George Purcell, and the late Mr. Purcell, of Manassas, and was born on August 23, 1903. For 22 years she had been a member of the Baptist church.

On December 31st, 1919, she married Irving J. Breeden, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Breeden, also of Manassas.

Besides her husband, she is survived by three daughters, Thelma, Helen and an infant; three sons, Irvin, John and David; her mother; five sisters, Mrs. Daisy Fairbanks, of Fairport, N. Y., Mrs. Evelyn Noell, of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Irene Cornwell, Mrs. Ruby Crouch and Mrs. Kathleen Handback, all of Manassas, and three brothers, Herbert Purcell, of Arlington, Va., George Purcell, of Manassas, and Henry Purcell, of Hoadly.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 at the Baptist Church, Rev. R. M. Graham, pastor, conducted the services. Interment was in the Manassas cemetery.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Lon Warner, George Aubrey, Homer Wilson, Danzil Warner, Don Christensen and Dale Warner.

Friends in this community extend their sympathy to the family in their bereavement.

MANASSAS TO HAVE TWO GAMES THIS WEEK-END

This was Manassas's eighth win against seven losses this season. In Manassas' win Sunday they saw D. Posey pitch from the fourth inning to the ninth and allowing only five hits and no earned runs. He relieved Buck Albrite who had hurt his own arm in the fourth.

The hitting was featured by Manassas' catcher, Perrine, who got two hits in as many times at bat.

The game ended when D. Vetter took a hot smash from the bat off Shepherd and started a double play, short, to second, to first and made every body happy, but Remington.

Sunday, August 3rd, Manassas plays Clifton A. C. at 3:00 p.m. on Swavelly field. D. Posey will pitch for Manassas.

Labor Day Manassas will play Nokesville A. C., which will feature, speedball Abrite or Kunckeba Ward. The game will start at 3:00 on Swavelly field, Manassas. Please come out and see some good baseball.

PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY SCHOOLS—SESSION 1939-'40 CALENDAR

Wednesday, September 6—Annual Teachers Institute—White and Negro teachers.

Thursday, September 7—Opening date all white and negro schools.

Tuesday, October 17—End of first six weeks of instruction.

Friday, October 20—District H Teachers Meeting.

Tuesday, October 24—Reports to pupils in all schools.

Thursday and Friday, November 23-24—Thanksgiving Holiday in all schools.

Thursday, November 30—End of second six weeks of instruction.

Thursday, December 7—Reports to pupils in all schools.

Friday, December 22—All schools close for Christmas Holidays.

Tuesday, January 2—Schools resume work after Christmas Holidays.

Friday, January 19—End of third six weeks of first semester.

Friday, January 26—Reports to pupils in all schools.

Friday, March 1—End of fourth six weeks of instruction.

Friday, March 8—Reports to pupils in all schools.

Friday, March 22, and Monday, March 25,—Easter Holiday observed in all schools.

Tuesday, April 16—End of fifth six weeks of instruction.

Tuesday, April 23—Reports to pupils in all schools.

Monday, May 27—Closing Exercises, Haymarket High School.

Tuesday, May 28—Closing date all schools. Final pupil reports.

Tuesday, May 28—Closing exercises, Manassas High School.

Wednesday, May 29—Closing exercises, Nokesville High School.

Thursday, May 30—Closing exercises, Occoquan High School.

Thursday, May 30—Closing exercises, Regional High School.

GARDEN SECTION BEGINS NEW CLUB YEAR

The Garden Section of the Woman's Club of Manassas, will hold its first meeting, of the club year, on Tuesday, September 6, at the home of Mrs. Margaret Lewis, at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. Marie Larkin will lead the discussion on "Making the most of the small Garden." Mrs. Lewis will be assisted by the following hostesses, Mrs. Mamie Lynch Delaney, and Mrs. Charles B. Linton.

A full attendance of members is requested and garden lovers are as always cordially invited to attend these meetings.

VISIT POINTS OF INTEREST

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Blough and their daughter, Miriam, motored to Nashville, Tenn., last week to attend the graduation of Miss Anna Blough from Peabody College in the department of Library Science. From Nashville they drove to Elizabethton, Tenn., where Anna will take up her duties as librarian for the coming year.

Among the points of interest visited were "The Hermitage," home of Andrew Jackson and the Norris dam.

UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENTS

Mr. J. Russell Jasper had the misfortune on Friday, August 18, to fall about 10 feet landing on a rock and breaking his hip while attempting to help Mr. Ed. Michael hang a large drive-way door. He was taken to Alexandria hospital by ambulance, where he remained until Thursday returning then to the home of his parents, where he will remain for several weeks. He is thought to be doing as well as can be expected. He will be glad to see anyone who wishes to call to see him.

On Friday, the 25th, Mr. Ed. Michael had the misfortune to stick a nail in his foot, causing him to be unable to work for a day or two. He was treated by Dr. Martin and is now back on the job. It seems a streak of bad luck hit the boys and hard luck on the boss as both were employed on the farm of Mr. J. F. Hale.

THANKS TO MR. SMITH

We appreciate very much the lovely bouquet of gladioli which was presented to us by Mr. Cecil Smith, of Manassas, this morning. They have been very much admired by our visitors.

W. C. T. U. TO HAVE FOOD SALE NEXT THURSDAY

The W.C.T.U. will hold a food sale next Thursday, September 7th, beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the Manassas Market.

SOUVENIR OF MANASSAS

In response to a request of the 110th Infantry of the Pennsylvania National Guard of Monongehela, Pa., Mr. W. F. Cocke, Town Manager of Manassas, has sent them a block of cedar from a local tree to be used in carving some kind of a memorial of their recent encampment at Manassas. The souvenir will hang in their Armory.

TEACHING STAFF IS ANNOUNCED

Prof. Haydon Releases List of Teachers for Prince William County

Aden: Virginia Talley and Lily Gregory, both of Nokesville, Va.
Brentville: Helen B. Newland of Nokesville, Va.

Greenwich: Doris Bubb and Alice B. Grinnings, both of Nokesville, Va.
Nokesville: C. O. Bittle, E. Jane Reynolds, Maron Broadbudd, Hazel Ritchie, Lois Sloop, Julia B. Hale, Mary F. Jenkins, Elizabeth Hovey and Rufus Beamer, all of Nokesville, Va., and Ethyl P. Johnson of Catlett, Va.
Woodbine: W. Y. Ellicott, Emma W. Carter and Ila V. Breeden, all of Manassas, Va.

Dumfries: Evelyn Irons, Dorothy W. Varner, Ida B. Foster, Vashti Lord, Hazel Neale and Lucille Pully, all of Dumfries, Va.

Quantico: Harriet Chilton and Gayle Bowman, both of Quantico, Va.

Haymarket: William E. Moore, Dorothy Bevard, Mrs. Willis Foley, Elizabeth Trueheart, Mrs. Maude Jordan, Mary E. Buckley, Charlotte Ramsburg, Norma H. Pamplin and Catherine V. Davis, all of Haymarket, Va.; Daniel D. Eutsler of Manassas, Va.

Bennett Graded School: Ossie L. Tipton, Amelia V. Patton, Jane M. Reid, Frances E. Johnson, Grace E. Metz, Winnie H. Bracken, Isabelle Patton, Virginia E. Polen, Laurine Billings, E. Hilda Lewis, Henrietta Pleasants, Margaret M. Turner, Mary H. Stotts and Miriam Blough, all of Manassas, Va.

Manassas High School: R. Worth Peters, Charles J. Litwin, Abbye M. Lutes, Lulu D. Metz, R. R. Fishpaw, Mary B. Nelson, Pauline Smith, Nancy Weir Waters, Zella M. Thomas, Emily J. Johnson, Eugenia H. Osbourn, Herbert Saunders and Adelaide Adamson, all of Manassas, Va.

Bethel: Mae Boyd Anderson and Christine Allport, both of Woodbridge, Va.

Occoquan High School: Elizabeth Vaughn, Ada Basham, Arthur G. Harmon, Montgomery Johnston, Martha L. Keller, Selma M. Piland, Pauline Brown, Maude Brown and Mildred E. Bodwell, all of Occoquan, Va.; Margaret Powell of Dumfries, Va.; Ethel Cadmus, Frank G. Sigman and Jane M. Lynn, all of Manassas, Va.

Cabin Branch: Pauline Lily, Madeleine T. Brown and Amelia Doleman, all of Triangle, Va.

Antioch: Margaret V. Stokes and Gladys Layne, both of Haymarket, Va.; Evelyn Primas of Thoroughfare, Va.

McCrae: Emmie A. Harris of Gainesville, Va.

Brown: Bessie E. White, B. Oswald Robinson, Evelyn Berry and Katherine Toomer, all of Manassas, Va.

Manley: Alberta E. Isley of Wellington, Va.

Summitt: Jessie Alexander of Woodbridge, Va.

BUCKHALL HOMECOMING

All friends and members of the Buckhall church are urged to attend the Annual Homecoming Services on Sunday, September the third. Especially is the invitation extended to those who are away and have not been "home" for some time.

The chief speaker of the day will be Dr. A. L. Maiden, a former pastor, who now lives in Arlington. He is a great Christian man, loved by all who know him, and there is no question but that he will bring a worthwhile message.

In the afternoon the congregation will join in an old fashioned song service which will be led by our choir director, Mr. Smith. In the evening the regular worship services will close the activities of the day. Everyone should bring a lunch and spend the day.

A Homecoming service is more than a getting together of friends here but a looking forward to the time when the circle will be unbroken in Heaven.

SHENANDOAH PARK OPENS NEW LINK

Road from Jarman's to Rockfish Completed

The southern section of the Shenandoah National Park, with its 31-mile link of the Skyline Drive from Swift Run Gap to Jarman Gap and the connecting 8-mile section of the Blue Ridge Parkway from Jarman to Rockfish Gap, will be opened to the public for the first time on Thursday, August 31, James R. Lassiter, the Park Superintendent, announced today.

Construction of the final link of the Drive has been under way for the past three years and the long anticipated addition of this new area to the scenic wonder of the Park that have been enjoyed by an estimated three and one-half million people, is now a reality.

"The south section is distinctly different from the north and central sections," Mr. Lassiter said. "The terrain is more rugged and generally the mountains pile up to obscure more distant panoramas, except at intervals where they are glimpsed through notches and ravines. There are several points, however, that afford magnificent views rivalling any along the entire 104-mile Drive.

"For instance, the Loft Mountain parking overlook, approximately nine miles south of Swift Run Gap, commands an inspiring view of the Piedmont to the east. From here on a clear day one may see the city of Charlottesville lying more than twenty miles away to the southeast. With the aid of binoculars, Monticello, Ashlawn and the University observatory are easily discernable.

"The unique Massanutten Range, which forms the backdrop for panoramas of the Page Valley from the north and central sections of the Park, ends abruptly opposite where the Drive crosses from the east to the west slope of the Blue Ridge south of Simmons Gap, and from there on to Rockfish Gap there are intermittent but magnificent vistas of the main Shenandoah Valley. The most expansive is that from Rip Rap parking overlook, approximately fourteen miles north of Rockfish Gap and twenty-six miles south of Swift Run. The thickly populated Valley with its green and brown patchwork fields is spread at the feet of the observer as far as the eye can see. To the southwest lies Waynesboro, and seventeen miles to the west is Staunton. Across the valley are the towering Alleghenies.

"About midway of the south section is the Big Run area, hemmed in on all sides by lofty mountains, with definite folds sweeping downward into the hollow. Thickly wooded, Big Run is very impressive at all seasons of the year, but it promises to be even more so when autumn coloring is at its height.

Mr. Lassiter said that because facilities have not yet been developed in the south section, motorists should be careful to check their gasoline, oil and water supplies before entering at Swift Run Gap or Rockfish Gap. Temporary comfort stations are located at Doyle River parking overlook, to the south of Loft Mountain overlook and to the south of Rip Rap parking overlook. Drinking water is available at a developed spring at Turk Mountain overlook, about ten miles from the Rockfish entrance. Guard walls have not been constructed along the Drive in this section, and motorists are asked to drive with the utmost care.

The newly opened section of the Park is reached via the Skyline Drive from the North, or U.S. Route 33 from the east and west at Swift Run Gap; and from U.S. Route 250 at Rockfish Gap, four miles east of Waynesboro. All minor approach roads to this section have been closed in accordance with the policy of the Service to prevent unnecessary road development with any of the national parks, as well as with the original agreement with the State of Virginia that the two existing State highways, the Lee Highway and the Spotswood Trail across the park, would remain the only means of cross mountain travel. The roads thus closed include the Brown Gap, Black Rock Gap, and Jarman Gap roads.

GRACE LADIES AID TO MEET

The Ladies Aid Society of Grace M. E. Church will meet next Thursday, September 7th, with Mrs. John Barrett, at 7:45 p.m.

CATHARPIN

Sudley Congregation cordially invites you to join us in our annual "Home-coming Day" next Sunday. Sunday School will be held at 10:00 o'clock and preaching services at 11:00 a.m. Bring your lunch and enjoy a delightful social hour in our dining hall with your old friends. The afternoon service will be conducted by the Rev. Charles F. Phillips of St. Paul's, Washington, D. C.

The revival services will continue through this week with Rev. Mr. Cannon, assisting.

The Hickory Grove Home Demonstration Club enjoyed a most delightful picnic last Tuesday on the meadow at "Carter's Green," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hunt. Miss Alice Webb introduced us to some very novel "Outdoor Cookery," the result of which furnished us a most delicious and satisfying luncheon, being supplemented by fried chicken, delicious cookies and cooling drinks. Recipes were exchanged, games played and arrangements made for a most interesting September meeting.

Mrs. Margaret Hundley had as her guests on Sunday, the Rev. and Mrs. John S. Schwartz and son, Jerry, Miss Effie Gulick of Washington and Mrs. George Graves of Arlington.

Mrs. Jenkins and Miss Margaret Conrad of Arlington spent the week-end with Mrs. Anna Ellison.

Mrs. Edward Willis and son, Allan, of Arlington spent the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Brower.

Mrs. Paxton and her daughter, Miss Polly, of Pittsburg are guests of Mrs. Paxton's sister, Mrs. Charles R. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. William Maddox and son, Billy, of Washington visited their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tribble and Mr. Henry Maddox, at "Tecomseh," Sunday.

Miss Lucille Gardner of Hickory Grove and Mr. Charles Hall of Luray visited Mr. Hall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Senseney, Sunday.

Miss Betty Brower is visiting relatives in Purcellville.

Mrs. Jerry Martin of South Carolina, accompanied by her son-in-law and daughter, Prof. and Mrs. Knight, has been the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Schwartz, at Gainesville Parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ellsworth Brown and Mr. Theodore Bly of Washington were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pattie, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley, accompanied by their grandson, James Riley, 2nd, motored from Washington, Sunday morning, to spend the day at "Twin Oaks."

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alvey took their boys to Glen Echo, Sunday for an afternoon of thrills.

Mr. John Pattie and children, Elaine and Franklin, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pattie, Sunday. They were accompanied back to Triangle by Mrs. Pattie, who has spent the past two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Luther Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Collins of "Marble Hill" have recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. David Collins and their daughter of Indiana.

Miss Frances Brower has returned from a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Edward Willis, in Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Polen with their daughter, Miss Marjorie, and Master Dicky and Mrs. Luther Lynn returned from Rehoboth Beach, Monday afternoon, by way of Annapolis, Maryland, where they visited the beautiful Academy grounds. While at Rehoboth the waves were so wild and high the latter part of the week that many were prohibited from entering the sea. They visited the "Fountain of Youth" and drank of its rejuvenating waters. (We are telling this to warn all personal friends if you should be astonished at Mrs. Lynn's youthful appearance, hereafter.)

"SUN NEVER SETS" IS TIMELY FILM ROMANCE

Deriving drama from the ever-changing world affairs of today, Universal's "The Sun Never Sets" will bring Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., Basil Rathbone, Virginia Field, Barbara O'Neil and others to the screen of the Pitts Theatre on next Monday and Tuesday, September 4-5.

While the new picture concerns itself largely with the romantic careers of two closely knit couples in England and on the Gold Coast of Africa, it has its background in the channels of international diplomacy.

Fairbanks and Rathbone, as brothers and British civil service officials, find themselves in a dramatic position as key characters in a political emergency that might rock the entire world if their heroic efforts prove in vain.

Lionel Atwill, C. Aubrey Smith, Melville Cooper and Mary Forbes have other roles. Rowland V. Lee produced and directed.

STATE PARKS A New Deal for the Masses

By N. CLARENCE SMITH
Chairman of the Virginia Conservation Commission

In years gone by, the man of moderate means looked with envious eyes upon his neighbor who took his family in summer to one of the several exclusive resorts of the state. The man of lesser means either took no vacation, or shortened his stay, or patronized some place which did not meet even his very modest requirements.

Today, that situation is considerably changed. Thanks to the vision of the Commonwealth of Virginia and to the generosity of the federal government during the early days of the New Deal, families in the moderate income brackets may today vacation under surroundings that have many of the natural attractions of some of the more expensive resorts, with physical facilities which are thoroughly adequate and comfortable. I refer to Virginia's six state parks, where opportunities are available for a one-week or two weeks vacation at very moderate cost. These parks are now enjoying their fourth season of operation, and their patronage has steadily increased. Up to July 1, 1939, Virginia has spent approximately \$250,000 on its six state parks, as compared with more than \$9,000,000 spent by the federal government.

In providing these vacation opportunities it was not the purpose of the state to engage in a business which offered direct competition with existing resorts. Instead, these parks fill a gap in the recreational program which was not provided by other agencies.

One of the novel features of Virginia's state park system is that one can choose between a variety of different surroundings. There are three mountain parks: Douthat, near Clifton Forge; Hungry Mother, near Marion; and Fairy Stone, not far from Bassett. Seashore is near Cape Henry and fronts on Chesapeake Bay; Staunton River is near South Boston, in the Piedmont; and Westmoreland, near Montross, fronts on the broad Potomac.

Cabins in several of the parks are booked almost solidly for the season, and those thinking of making an extended vacation in state parks will probably have to plan 1940 instead of this year if they desire cabin reservations. There are tent and trailer facilities in each park, however, and these are rather abundant.

The cabins rent for a minimum period of one week and for a maximum of two weeks. The rates are \$15 a week for two persons; \$20 for three or four persons; and \$5 for each additional person. The cabins are fully equipped and furnished, having all necessary kitchen utensils, linens, towels, etc. All the parks are equipped with electricity except one—August, 1939.

Staunton River. Three of the five with electricity have cabins equipped with electric stoves and water heaters. There are restaurants in each park where prepared meals may be obtained at regulated prices, and where groceries and other provisions may be bought.

Two parks—Douthat and Hungry Mother—have guest lodges, fully equipped and furnished, for those desiring overnight and week-end accommodations.

With only sixty-five cabins throughout the entire system, it is obvious that only a limited number of people can be accommodated through this service. Additional cabins and guest lodges are badly needed, but these must await additional appropriations for the state and federal government.

For the present the state parks render their greatest service for the day use of visitors who live within a fifty-mile radius. They have already proven to be unusually popular for family picnics and for outings by churches, lodges, civic clubs, farm groups, and other organizations.

Each park has some facility for swimming and boating: lake, river, bay, or swimming pool. Each has adequate bathroom facilities, and each has picnic areas with shelters, tested drinking water, and sanitary facilities. All parks have trails for hiking and some offer horseback riding facilities.

With the Civilian Conservation Corps being transformed from an emergency to a permanent organization, it is likely that these camps, which played such an important role in developing our state parks, will be maintained in them in the future. By this means, manpower will be available for further improving these relatively new areas so they may better meet the needs of the people who frequent them.

Virginia's parks are definitely filling a much needed gap in the recreational and vacation picture of Virginia, and the prospect is that they are further improved through additional cabins and other facilities they will play a much more important role. They represent one of Virginia's notable achievements in recent years in the conservation of land and forests to the end of providing a more abundant life for the people.

Those desiring more detailed information about state parks are invited to write the Virginia Conservation Commission, for a free illustrated booklet. Copies may also be obtained through the information service of the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce.

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NOKESVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Quinter Britton and daughter, of Toledo, Ohio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Britton.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Britton of Washington spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Britton, and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Somers.

Miss Helen Nelson has returned to Washington after spending her vacation at home.

Miss Ella Beahm spent her vacation at home here.

Miss Ruth Somers spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Somers.

Mr. Jimmie Miller of Connecticut is spending some time with his grandfather, Mr. J. A. Hooker, and his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hooker.

Mrs. Betty Jones and her daughter, Fran, are spending some time at their home in Nokesville. We are glad Mrs. Jones is able to be here after her absence. Mr. and Mrs. Bodine visited them on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Manuel visited Mrs. Jessie Fitzwater and family of Comas, Md., over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Smith and daughter, Edith, of Washington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newland and Miss Helen Newland.

Mr. E. R. Frederick is spending about three weeks in Iowa and points west.

Mr. and Mrs. Myers of Leesbury visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Somers and Mrs. Myers, father, Mr. N. F. Wells.

Mrs. Fleming and daughter, and sister of Chosen, Fla., are guests of Miss Dorothy Hooker at the home of her grandfather, Mr. J. A. Hooker.

Miss Elsie Broyles and sister, Hattie, of Luray, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Somers over the week-end.

Due to conflicts with other meetings in the community, the Young Republican Rally had a very small crowd and a meeting is being scheduled for a later date.

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Mrs. Betty Sowers of Luray visited her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beahm, on Sunday.

Rev. N. J. Miller, pastor of Nokesville church of the Brethren, has gone to Damascus to hold a series of meetings for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Shepherd and daughter, Jewel and niece, Agatha, and Master Billy Johnson are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Shepherd and family, and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Garman and family.

The series of meetings, conducted by Rev. Warren D. Bowman of the Washington Church of the Brethren, at the Nokesville Church of the Brethren closed on Sunday night, August 27. The meeting was very successful and 14 were baptized.

RETURNS TO OLD

HOME FOR VISIT

Mr. Edgar R. Frederick of Nokesville returned on Monday from a two-week's visit to the state of Iowa. Having been a resident of Calhoun county for eighteen years, he had many friends at Carroll, Auburn, Sac City, Rockwell City and Lake City; also one sister, Mrs. Fred Layman in Rockwell City. This was his first visit there since his departure twelve years ago, and which he enjoyed to the fullest extent.

DOUBLE CANTALOUPE

Mr. C. R. Earhart of Nokesville brought us in a fine specimen of double cantaloupe on Monday. Developing from double flowers, these unusual melons are not often as perfect as this one—nor, as the boys in the shop say, so good to eat. Thanks, Mr. Earhart.

Dr. M. Milton Talkin

SPECIALIST

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EYE REFRACTION

will be in Manassas

on Monday, Sept. 11th

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"CORPS D'ELITE"

Throughout history armies have had their "corps d'elite" — crack troops selected for ability, discipline and appearance. And now the youngest arm of service of the United States Army—the Air Corps—is organizing such a corps.

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THE WORLD AROUND US

By
O. J. Schuster

THE HUMORIST, "MR. DOOLEY," once wrote: "A man makes up his mind how he's going to vote about the time his father was born, and never changes." That was a generation ago, and at that time there was considerable truth in what Dooley said. There still are men who vote a straight party ticket because their fathers voted that ticket, but far fewer do so today. Intelligent voters are becoming more and more independent of parties and vote for policies and the persons representing those policies. In other words, an ever-increasing number of voters are freeing their minds of ideas and ideals of a past age and are grappling with the problems of today. When a person is sufficiently free from old notions to adopt new ideas, when he can give up ideas he held yesterday and be guided by the truths established in the market today, he is capable of continuous spiritual growth.

REV. HARRY EMERSON FOSDICK of Riverside Church, New York City, is an example of a man who possesses this power of growth. When the United States entered the World War Dr. Fosdick used his great influence and his persuasive powers in support of the war makers. In daily addresses he urged the American people to support the war with their money and their lives. He went to France, contacted the soldiers in the front trenches, urged them to make every sacrifice to win this "holy war," this war to "make the world safe for democracy," this "war to end war." But the war showed him that he had been as badly fooled as the man in the street by the flood of propaganda of the commercial interests. Fosdick turned against all war, called it murder, told the world he regretted his part in it, prayed God to forgive him for having urged soldiers to kill other soldiers, and boldly asserted that if again this country embarked on such a war he would use all his power and influence to get men to refuse to fight.

EACH SUNDAY AFTERNOON a sermon by Dr. Fosdick is broadcast. In a recent one of these radio addresses he raised a good deal of doubt whether we Americans really know what democracy is, and he told us what the real test of democracy is. Among other things, he said:

"All the navies we can build, all the armaments we can amass, will not protect democracy unless, having achieved liberty, we use it for the good of all the people."

Dr. Fosdick made it clear that the superiority of democracy over a dictatorship will never be decided on the battlefield. "When it is a matter of hunger for their children, the mass of the people will say, one way or another: 'It is better to be fed regularly than to be free.' The Communists say that. That is their appeal to the poor. The Fascists say that. That is part of their appeal to the rank and file." And Dr. Fosdick added:

"And we in the democracies cannot beat that with our popular, socially - irresponsible, individualistic, every-man-for-himself idea of freedom."

TO BE SURE OF A JOB at wages that permit a decent standard of living is a kind of freedom that is superior to the freedom to talk about the weather and politics and religion and other subjects over which you can have no power of change because you and your family are hungry and cold and shelterless and there are no available jobs for able and willing workers. If a democracy does not use its liberty "for the good of all the people," unless all the people in a democracy enjoy greater prosperity and greater equality among themselves than do the people under a dictatorship, the mass of the people will prefer the security and the equality the dictatorship provides for them to the liberty to tramp the streets looking for jobs that can't be found in the democracy, or the so-called democracy. Genuine democracy is superior to any kind of dictatorship, but as yet neither England nor France nor the United States has achieved genuine democracy, liberty "for the good of all the people," as Dr. Fosdick rightly suggests.

BRENTSVILLE

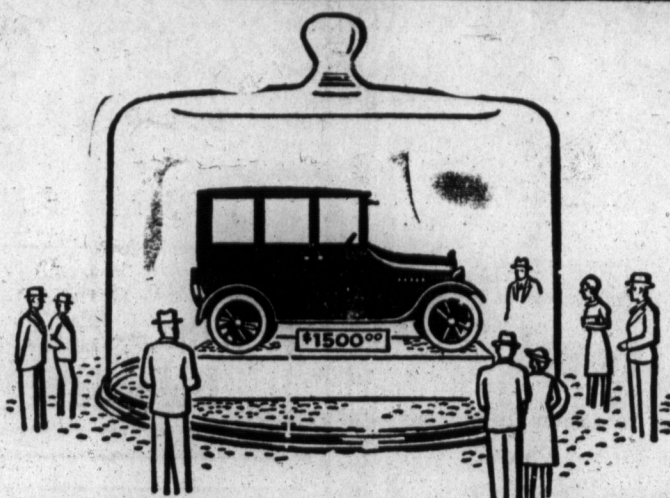
Mrs. Hillman Keys, who has been seriously ill for some time, is somewhat better at this writing.

Mrs. M. M. Albright of Broadway is visiting her children, Mrs. J. J. Whetzel and Mr. E. S. Spitzer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stephens and family, and Miss Ora Spitzer went shopping in Fredericksburg, Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Keys' sister of Rector-

Car in Glass Case Illustrates Value of Research to Individual



Research seems such an intangible thing when you attempt to measure its value that one cannot help being fascinated by an ingenious, if possibly fanciful, measurement that has been taken in the latest of a series of informative booklets published by General Motors, entitled "Research Looks to New Horizons." Above is the illustration used, with this explanation:

Suppose that in 1920 an automobile had been sealed in a glass case. Assume that this seal has been so tight that nothing could happen to the car in the interval. It is in perfect condition.

In front of the car stands a sign—\$1500. That was the price in 1920. There were only one or two closed cars selling at a lower price then.

What would you offer for this car now? Before you decide, look the whole car over carefully. Its appearance is funny, of course. High and clumsy-looking, square corners, flat fenders.

It has small hard tires, no shock absorbers, no independent suspension. The seats are not so comfortable, and there is no means of controlling the ventilation. The gear shift lever is an obstruction in the middle of the floor. There is no synchro-mesh transmission and no automatic choke.

The body has no Duco finish, and the bright work would have to be polished frequently, for no one had heard of chromium plating at that time. The fan belt would have to be replaced five or six times as often as on a car built today. Any lengthy trip without a puncture would be something to boast about, and even the maker of the tires did not claim more than 5,000 or 6,000 miles' wear for them. The repairs on all parts of the car would be irritatingly frequent.

The engine is about the same size as present engines, maybe even larger. But it develops much less power. You would have to shift gears on small hills; you would be left behind at every traffic light; you could not maintain a high speed. The noise would aggravate you: the vibration would shake the whole car. There is no harmonic balancer, no air cleaner and intake silencer, no fuel pump or crankcase ventilation.

The brakes are on two wheels only, and are not hydraulic. The windshield wiper—if any—is operated by hand. The protection of a solid steel top is missing, and safety glass has not yet appeared. And, of course, there are lacking all the details and refinements, all the improvements in design and manufacturing which have contributed so much to driving safety.

Knowing all this, what would you bid for the car? You probably would not want it at all, but someone might pay \$50 or \$100 for it. Yet this car sold readily for \$1500 in 1920.

The car has not changed. Nothing has happened to alter its value except the march of time and the progress of research. The difference of \$1400 between the price in 1920 and the price today is the figure at which you, the prospective buyer, rate the results of research and engineering during the intervening years.

WOODBIDGE

The farmers were glad of the nice rain they have just had.

We are very sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Herman Moran, of Seat Pleasant, Md. His wife was the former Miss Carrick, of this neighborhood.

Mrs. Robert Sullivan is quite sick. Mrs. William Leffingwell has gone to South Dakota to see her sister.

Mr. Lou Hall has returned home after spending several weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Milton Sullivan.

Mr. Milton Sullivan has gone back to his work at the workhouse after being ill for several days.

Mr. A. C. Strother has sold his place to Mr. Ep. Davis.

Mr. Morris Conney and wife spent Monday at Capitol Heights, Md., with her brother, Mr. Cloman Sullivan.

Mr. Jack Shelton had Mr. Milton and Mr. Edwin Carrick to call on him Sunday.

Mrs. Pete Smith's three brothers, of Back Bay, are fishing here with Mr. Smith.

The farmers are filling silos and corn cutting has started.

Mr. Barnard Nickerson and wife, of Indian Head, Md., called at Mr. L. E. Strother's; also Mrs. Sally Smith's. They are camping at Davis' Beach for a while.

Hon. and Mrs. Wade H. Ellis are spending sometime at Atlantic City.

The Sacred Concerts Continue at National Memorial Park on Lee Highway in Virginia

Next Sunday, September 3, 1939 there will be another two hours of beautiful sacred music, by the great organ and the National Memorial Park Quartet.

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Mr. Smiley will play Wagner's "Evening Star." Mr. Fenton Frohm will sing "He Called Me." The Quartet will render many old songs dear to all of us.

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DUMFRIES

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sisson had as their dinner guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brawner of Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Brawner and family.

Mrs. D. J. Davis and grandson, Francis Waters are visiting the former's sons in Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Austin of Alexandria were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Austin.

The many friends of Mrs. Ella Keys of Joplin are glad to know she is better after her recent illness.

Miss Virginia Merchant of Woodbridge spent a few days last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Belle Merchant.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Seckinger have returned to Savannah, Ga., after spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kloman Garrison.

Miss Jeanne Beasley of Beaver Dam, Va., has been visiting Miss Patricia Keys.

Mrs. Annie Merchant and Miss Violet Merchant had as their guests for a few days this week, Mrs. Lucy Smith of Bethesda, Md., and Mrs. Elsie Garrison of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Lloyd Brawner is on the sick list at this writing; also Mr. Walter Keys has been indisposed for some time.

Mrs. Willis Sisson, Misses Joyce Brawner and Ellen Waters spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brawner of Washington.

Miss Elizabeth Brawner and Lt. Howard Kirges, U.S.R.C., were dinner guests of Lt. and Mrs. E. H. Drake on Monday evening, when they entertained at dinner in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Renda Grechem of Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. C. W. Garrison entertained at luncheon on Monday for Mrs. Annie Merchant and her guests, Mrs. Lucy Lynn and Mrs. Elsie Garrison on Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Speake entertained for the same party.

Mrs. James Williams entertained at luncheon on Monday for Mrs. Elvan Keys, Mrs. Eastman Keys, Mrs. Margaret Boswell, Miss Catherine Keys, Mrs. Ruby Hornsby, Mrs. Mayme Reid and Mrs. Elmer Williams. On Tuesday Mrs. Elvan Keys entertained for the same party.

CENTREVILLE

Church services at St. John's will be resumed on Sunday morning at the usual hour.

Mrs. Virginia Adams is building a new road and bridge into her farm at Rock Hill.

Mr. Edward Cross showed motion pictures at the Mill this week. It was quite successful. The room has been altered so as to make future affairs of this nature quite attractive in presentation. The owner, Mrs. Dorothy Radford, has been very gracious in her cooperation.

Mrs. Doris Wells is on a trip to New York.

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Mr. Amos Smith is getting along nicely after an eye operation performed at a Baltimore hospital recently.

Mrs. Joseph Smith, jr., and brother of Washington visited friends and attended the anniversary service at the U. B. Church on Sunday.

Mr. L. J. Bowman, J. C. Snider and John, jr., spent several days with relatives near Broadway.

Miss Sadie Smith attended a Young People's Conference at Massanutten, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Stultz, Vada Lee and Marshall were West Virginia visitors over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Payne are vacationing with friends for ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Furr and little daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. John Martin on Sunday.

Miss Jean Renner of Bergton is spending some time here.

Little Master Roy Whetzel spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Shepherd and Connie, Mary Lee Whetzel, Vada Lee Stultz and Jean Renner were Washington visitors, Tuesday.

Mrs. S. G. Whetzel, Wade and Mary Lee will visit Mrs. Whetzel's mother this week-end.

Marshall Cook, who has spent the summer with Stultz will return home to Alexandria, Saturday.

Misses Alice Lee Whetzel and Margaret Yates Whetzel of Harrisonburg are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Earhart.

COMMUNITY MEETING TO BE INTERESTING

The regular meeting of the Brentsville District Community Association will be held at the high school auditorium at Nokesville on Tuesday night, September the fifth, at eight o'clock. We have attempted to have an interesting program and one that should prove of interest to the patrons and certainly some value to the present high school pupils. We plan to have a number of talks by various members of the Alumni Association, also there will be musical selections and humorous readings by others of the Association. It will be an opportunity to see and hear the products turned out by your local school.

Immediately following the program the Woman's Club plans to give a reception to the teachers of the District. When you realize that there will be present at this meeting many of the alumni, surely a large percentage of the high school pupils, we hope all the teachers, as many patrons as are interested in the school, you must know that we will all have a pleasant and profitable evening. Be present or be sorry.

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

LEADS TAX FIGHT



MRS. CLAUD E. ELEY

As Virginia national committee member for the National Consumers Tax Commission, Mrs. Eley, of Suffolk, will head the commission's drive here against "hidden taxes that penalize consumers." Her goal is establishment of NCTC tax study groups in every Virginia community to work with the more than 6,000 now operating from coast to coast. Long prominent in club and civic work, Mrs. Eley is president of the Seventh District, Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 1939



BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER

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

Be filled with the Spirit. — Eph. 6:18.

PEACE HANGS BY A THREAD

No one can foretell the final outcome of the negotiations now in progress in Europe, but it is evident that peace is hanging by a very slender thread, likely to break at any moment and plunge the world into an abyss more horrible than mankind has yet experienced.

As long as these discussions continue, hope will persist that a peaceful settlement will be formulated, but from the extent and rate of preparations for war it is evident that those responsible for military measures expect the worst.

A glance at a map of Europe, and a review of recent events furnish a substantial background for the German conviction that Poland can be destroyed before France and England can make their promised assistance effective. And if it should occur, as may not be at all impossible, that Russia's recent agreement with Germany involves active military cooperation, then Herr Hitler may not be proceeding so illogically in his bold assumption that no power on earth can prevent the return of Danzig to the Reich.

Under the circumstances now existing the question of Danzig involves issues far beyond the importance of this city to Poland. It symbolizes the age-old issue of right against might and of whether the law abiding nations of the world must, one by one, fall prey to the devouring greed of the most recent monster which has set forth to ravish the peaceful democracies.

A NEW SCHOOL YEAR

Next week the children return to school, and by custom the occasion calls for a word or two of

solemn counsel to the generation that is the receptacle of all our hopes and fears. It is no brave, bright world they will grow up in, but one that will tax the ingenuity and patience and wisdom and understanding of better people than ourselves, which, we trust, they will be.

On the whole they are a smarter lot than we were at their stage of life. They know more about more things; fields of knowledge scarcely suspected by us are open to them; they are more self-possessed, and older for their years. Whether they are richer than the generations that went before in the imperishables which together we describe as character, it is hard to say. There are doubts; but doubts which can not reflect on them but on ourselves.

We must civilize them one by one, fit them to a changing world, imbue them with social responsibility. Much of this is done, if it is to be properly done, in the home. If we fail our youth, it is not in the classroom, but at this point, in neglecting to provide the influences dwelling only in the intimacy of the family circle which strengthen character, enrich personality and mold both to the end that the possessor will be a complete, a happy and useful person.

So the traditional word to the children—who ignore it, anyway—might be a word to the parent whose responsibility to his offspring ends as quickly as they can be palmed off on others. Letting them "carve their own destiny" is the lazy and cowardly way. In the years that lie ahead they will need quality of strength that may be passed on from one generation to another. —Winchester Star.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

City of Richmond, Virginia

August 23, 1939.

Mr. W. H. Lamb, Editor,
The Manassas Journal,
Manassas, Virginia.

My dear Mr. Lamb:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of August 22nd presenting the photographs of the First Army Maneuvers at Manassas, August 5th to 19th, inclusive. I have looked them over several times and I find the collection most interesting and of genuine historic value. With the passing of years these pictures will become even more valuable and I shall see that mine are kept safe in the archives of the Regimental Headquarters of the old First Virginia Infantry, a regiment that poured its blood freely upon the battlefields not only of Manassas but throughout the South in defense of the cause they then and still now hold sacred.

With kindest regard and again thanking you, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

J. Fulmer Bright,

Col. Comdg. 1st Inf. Va. N.G.

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Harrisonburg, Pa.

August 28, 1939.

Dear Mr. Lamb:

Thanks so much for the use of your splendid pictures, and also for the copies of your paper which continue to hold my interest. I shall be pleased to see that the paper gets credit for the pictures, and if you want them returned they will be sent as soon as the confusion of the current issue clears away. And, of course you will be sent copies of our magazine.

Since returning I have had several letters from your townspeople which are as friendly as the personal contacts I enjoyed while being there. All this has but increased my desire to return for a visit some day when time permits, and when I make the trip I shall certainly call upon you.

Very sincerely,

Lt. Charles H. Kenworthy,

Asst. Editor.

3209 Fairmount Ave.

Dallas, Texas

W. H. Lamb,
R. D. Wharton, Editors,
Manassas, Va.

Dear Sirs:

My father of Pike county, Indiana, had cousins who used to live at Manassas or Brentsville and I would like very much to contact them or their children.

They are the children of Thomas V. Catherine White-Davis. Some of their names are Harriet Davis-Keys, Mary Davis-Cornwell, William, Hugh and John Davis. No doubt some of them are still living somewhere in Prince William County.

Our editor here thought perhaps you might print this letter in your paper and someone knowing this family would see it and help me get in touch with them.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Miss Rose Ratcliffe will attend a house party at Virginia Beach this week-end and will remain down for the coming week.

Mrs. C. Wade-Dalton is entertaining the Senior Bridge Club tonight.

Mrs. R. L. Bryd returned home yesterday after spending a few days in Washington, D. C., with Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Finch. Her mother, Mrs. George Maddox, of Takoma Park, Md., accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawes Davies, jr., are leaving Friday for a three weeks' vacation in Groton, Long Point, Conn., where Mrs. Davies' mother is seriously ill. We hope that she will find her improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gibson and little son of Detroit, Mich., are visiting her father, Mr. C. F. M. Lewis.

Dr. and Mrs. John A. Tipton and three children, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peters of Keyville, Va., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bolding on Sunday.

Mrs. Harry L. Osman of Arlington, Va., and her niece, Miss Frances Graham, of New York City were guests of Mrs. Paul Arrington last Thursday afternoon.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Nelson has returned from a trip to Bermuda.

Miss Mary Etta Holler of Edinburg, Va., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Holler this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bradford, sr., and Mrs. Arthur Sinclair have been spending several days at Ocean City, Md., with Mrs. J. E. Bradford, jr.

Miss Helen Bolding, who has been visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bolding, has returned to her home in Liberty, S. C. She was accompanied by Wallace Bolding, who will stay until school starts.

Messrs. Warren Hynson, Harry P. Davis, jr., and Charles Lynn will leave Friday for Boston, Mass., to spend a day or two. They will return by way of the World's Fair.

Mrs. Sue Clarke and daughter, Barbara, are spending this week in Washington, D. C., with Mrs. Clarke's sister, Miss Mildred Bundy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lynch of Baltimore, Md., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dodson on Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Holler were hosts to the members of the Postal Clerks Wives Club and their families at a weiner roast at their cabin on Lake Jackson, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Houghton Robson and Mrs. J. A. Delaney returned Monday evening after visiting in Pittsburgh, Pa., for several weeks.

Mrs. Robert W. Adamson has returned home after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. White, in Wytheville, Va. She also attended the Home Economics Institute in Harrisonburg last week.

Mr. R. K. T. Larson and son, Chiles, of Norfolk, Va., visited friends in Manassas on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harcourt Dickens, Mr. and Jennings Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis spent last week-end at Colonial Beach.

Mrs. Robert Saunders and children are spending a few days in Washington, D. C., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hatcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard N. Carroll and baby daughter of Pittsburgh, Pa., will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lynn on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Arrington had as their dinner guests on Sunday, Messrs. Louis Marchi and Frank Moynihan, of Washington, D. C.

Father Jim Widmer, who has been visiting the World's Fair, will return to Manassas on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murphey and two children and Mrs. Bill Murphey, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are visiting Mrs. J. J. Murphey this week.

Miss Mary Jane Morris will leave Monday for Charlottesville, Va., where she will enter the University Training School for Nurses.

Mrs. Conway Seeley recently spent several days at her home in Farmville, Va. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. David Gibson, Miss Mary Elizabeth Young and Miss Margaret Bowen, all of Memphis, Tenn.

Last Sunday Dr. T. K. Young of Memphis, Tenn., preached at the Leesburg Presbyterian church, coming on to Manassas, where he was the overnight guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Conway Seeley.

Miss Virginia Frazier, a former teacher here in Bennett School, is visiting her uncle, Rev. J. Royal Cook, at Greenwich. She will also visit friends in Manassas before going on to Damascus, Md., where she will teach this session.

Lt. and Mrs. O. D. Waters, jr., of Annapolis, Md., spent last week-end in Manassas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Compton spent last week-end in Pennsylvania, attending the 35th American Boyer Reunion at Reading, Pa., on Sunday. They also visited Allentown, Gettysburg and Hershey, where they went thru the candy plant.

Mrs. L. E. Beachley spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lunsford at the Buckingham Apartments, in Arlington, Va.

Edith, Billy and Joseph Johnson, Miss Elizabeth Johnson, of Rock Hill, S. C., and Miss Edith Haydon of Washington, D. C., are spending two weeks at Bethany Beach, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rowzie are spending a week or ten days at Virginia Beach.

Mrs. Louis Carter and daughter, Mary Ann, are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Mayhugh, near Greenwich, Va.

Mr. Leslie E. Blough and family of Belpre, Ohio, are spending this week with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Blough.

Miss Virginia Bell of Richmond, Va., is the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. R. T. Johnson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Weir Waters of Takoma Park, Md., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Waters on Sunday.

On Sunday evening Sinclair Boatwright returned to West Point Military Academy after spending the past two months here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Boatwright.

Mrs. L. M. Kite, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wetherall and Jackie will spend the week-end and holiday in Criglersville, Va., with relatives.

Miss Katherine Omohundro is attending the three-day conference at V. P. I. this week. Mrs. A. A. Maloney accompanied her to Blacksburg, where she is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Muddiman and son, Roy Allen, jr., spent last week in Harrisonburg and vicinity visiting relatives. They were accompanied home by Mrs. N. B. Lam, who has been in the valley for the past four weeks.

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Calif. Juicy
Peas 2 lb 19c | Oranges 15-23-35c doz.
Tender
beans 3 lbs 19c | Lemons doz 17c
LOOSE VINEGAR . . . gal. 20c

Happy Family
Milk
4 cans 25c

Vesper
Tea
1/2-lb 23c

MUSTARD . . . qt. 10c
SPAM . . . 12oz. can 25c
POST TOATIES . . . 7c
KELLOGG'S
CORN FLAKES . . . 2 for 15c

HAPPY FAMILY
CORN . . . 2 for 25c
HAPPY FAMILY
PEAS . . . 2 for 25c
SALT . . . 3 boxes 10c

ARMOUR'S
TOMATO JUICE . . . 2 for 19c

5 O'Clock Coffee
2 lb. 29c
Applesauce
2 cans 15c

GOOD-NUT
Oleo
12c—lb.

GRAPEFRUIT
Juice
46-oz. can 19c

Little Miss Viola Ritenour of Wellington has been visiting Mrs. C. M. Dodson and family for the past ten days.

Jackie Barrett is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. J. D. Felker, in Martinsburg, W. Va.

Mrs. Arthur Carter is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Fannie Fullerton, at Clifton, Va.

Mrs. G. B. McDonald is visiting her sister, Miss Katherine Rudasill, in Washington, D. C.

Master Richard Kenrick Bradshaw returned to his home in Rockville, Md., on Sunday after a two-week's visit here with his grandparents.

Mrs. B. F. Maphis has returned from Strasburg, Va., where she made an extended visit to her stepchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Riley of Indian Head, Md., accompanied by Mrs. Riley's sister, Mrs. W. W. Cornwell, daughter, Anne, and Mr. W. W. Cornwell motored to Warrenton Monday to see Mr. Riley's and Mrs. Cornwell's father, Mr. J. W. Riley, who has been on the sick list, but is now able to be going around.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kite of Herndon spent a few days this week with his mother here.

Mr. John Roseberry spent last week at Wrightsville Beach, N. C., with Mrs. Roseberry, who was there visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Elliott. She and Mrs. Waters, who had been down there for several weeks, accompanied him home last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Didlake and daughters will return on Saturday from Panama, where they have been the guests of Col. and Mrs. B. L. Jacobson.

Mr. R. M. Bell has returned to his home in Richmond, Va., after a two weeks' visit with his son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. R. T. Johnson.

Mr. Cleveland Fisher has had as his guest, Mr. J. S. Brushwood, of Glens, Va., a college friend and fraternity brother. He accompanied him home to spend several days and while there they expect to visit historic old Williamsburg.

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While other people live under the threat of war, here in Virginia we may save and have money for private use.

This friendly bank will afford you the best means of protecting your savings, and cordially invites you to join our ever enlarging circle of satisfied customers.

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TELEPHONE 17

GET READY FOR A HAPPY HOLIDAY!

Stock up now with lots of good things to eat for the Labor Day week-end! Get them at real bargain prices! Right this minute—your A&P Market is chock full of tempting selections—juicy, tender meats, flavorful A&P Coffees, delicious varieties of Ann Page quality foods, oven-fresh A&P breads, Jane Parker baked goods. Actually tons of bargains! We sell for cash—you get the savings. Add to your holiday pleasures with the money you save! Prepare now! Come in! Stock up! Save money! Have fun!

CUDAHY'S PURITAN HAMS

10 to 14 lbs.
Average

Whole or
Half

lb. 20c

LEAN

6 to 8 lbs. Average

PLATE - BEEF 3 lbs. 25c

FRESH DRESSED - MILK-FED

For
Frying

CHICKENS lb. 23c

CHOICE QUALITY

All
Cuts

CHUCK ROAST lb. 17c

SLICED
BOILED HAM - 1/2-lb. 25c

ASSORTED
COLD CUTS - 1/2-lb. 10c

SLICED
JUMBO BOLOGNA lb. 17c

SLICED
SPICED HAMS - 1/2-lb 18c

SMOKED PICNICS 6 to 8 lbs. average - lb. 15c

FRESH QUALITY SEAFOOD

FRESH TROUT - lb. 10c
LARGE BUTTER FISH lb. 12c

FILLET OF HADDOCK lb. 17c
CRAB MEAT - lb. 35c

A&P. SANDWICH
BREAD - 2 loaves 15c

JANE PARKER
POUND CAKE - lb cut 17c

A-PENN
MOTOR OIL - 2-gal. tin \$1.25

ANGELUS
MARSHALL'S - lb pkg 10c

A&P. PITTED
Sour Cherries - No. 2 can 10c

POPULAR BRAND
Cigarettes ctn of 10 pkgs \$1.19

ORANGE PEKOE
Nectar Tea - 1/4-lb pkg 13c

EIGHT
O'Clock Coffee - 3-lb bag 39c

ENCORE
Mayonnaise - pt jar 17c

ANN PAGE
Salad Dressing - qt jar 27c

A & P Grapefruit
JUICE - 2 46-oz. cans 25c

Dole P'Apple
JUICE - 46-oz. can 24c

Campbell's Tom
JUICE - 20-oz. can 9c

A & P Grape
JUICE - pt. 12c

Post
TOASTIES - pkg. 6c

Sunnyfield Corn
FLAKES - pkg. 8c

A & P Apple
SAUCE - 3 no. 2 cans 19c

ANN PAGE Sandwich
SPREAD - 8-oz jar 11c

Normel's
SPAM - 12-oz can 25c

ANN PAGE Pea't
BUTTER - 2 1-lb jars 27c

White House
EVAP. MILK 4 tall cans 25c

ANN PAGE
BEANS - 4 16-oz. cans 21c

DEL MONTE
PEACHES - 2 tall cans 19c

ANN PAGE
MUSTARD - 9-oz. jar 7c

ARMOUR'S POT.
MEAT - 3 cans 10c

IN OUR PRODUCE DEPARTMENT

SNOWHITE

CAULIFLOWER - head 19c

CARROTS AND BEETS—Fresh Crisp - bunch 6c

JUICY CALIFORNIA ORANGES - doz. 17c

FRESH CRISP CELERY - stalk 5c

DELICIOUS APPLES - 6 lbs. 19c

GOLDEN RIPE BANANAS - 4 lbs. 19c

FRESH TENDER GREEN PEAS - 2 lbs. 15c

These Prices Effective Until the Close of Business Saturday, Sept. 2. No Sales to Dealers.

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Every fowl worth Keeping is
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FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 200 native Hereford and
Angus steers, 500 to 850 lbs. 100
heavy Whiteface calves, 2 Saddle
mares, 7 years old. Hundley & Farr-
ar, Boynton, Va.
17-2-x

FOR SALE: One Fresh Cow; 2 Gilts;
1 Sow, farrow in September; 1 Year-
ling Colt. William M. Pierson, Pier-
crest Farm, Manassas, Va.
17-2-x

Seed Rye for Sale: Abruzzia variety.
Geo. R. L. Turberville, Centreville,
Va., P.O. Clifton Station, Route 1.
17-2-x

BARLEY WANTED: Papee parts and
cutters, new and used, for sale. Prince
William Farmers Service.
17-1-x

MANASSAS HATCERY

We wish to announce that our first
fall hatch comes off September 5
and each Tuesday, thereafter for a
duration of 8 to 10 weeks with the
leading heavy breeds, \$8.00 per 100.
We appreciate your business.

Yours truly,
Wm. J. Golden.

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE

Have impounded on my farm at
Buckland, Va., stray black sow to
prevent further damage to crops.
Owner may redeem by paying dam-
age and other costs incident to safe
keeping and legal expenses involved.
STANLEY H. BREWSTER.

17-3-x

HELP WANTED FOR DAIRY FARM
Married man, with boy large enough
for light work, preferred. Must be
sober and give references. W. M.
Kline, Manassas, Va.
17-1-x

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that Joe M.
Fulchier, of Manassas, Va., trading
as Dixie Lunch, 106 North Main
Street, Manassas, Va., intends to ap-
ply to the Virginia Alcoholic Bever-
age Control Board at its offices in the
Central National Bank Building,
Richmond, Va., on September 14th,
1939, for a retail license to sell Beer
on and off premises, in the building
owned by R. S. Hynson, Manassas,
Va., and located at 106 North Main
Street, Manassas, Prince William
County, Va.

DIXIE LUNCH,
By Joe M. Fulchier.

17-1-x

WANTED: Housekeeper, white wom-
an. 2 in family. No laundry. \$5.00
weekly. Mrs. J. L. Bettis, Nokesville,
Va.

17-1-x

WANTED: Reliable middle-aged mar-
ried man to operate farm on a month-
ly salary basis. Apply at Collier farm,
one mile East of Aden.
16tf

Gray and Dudley Company No. A Coal
Stove for Sale. Also 5-room Apartment
For Rent, with three rooms on 1st
floor and all modern improvements.
Mrs. G. Walker Merchant, 305 Battle
Street, Manassas.

16-2-x

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Pitts' Theatre

MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

SATURDAY NIGHT - 2 SHOWS - 7:15 and 9:15 P.M.

You can come as late as 8:30 and see the entire performance
SATURDAY MATINEE 3:30 Children 10c. Adults 25c
EVERY NIGHT at 8:00 Children 10c. Adults 25c
(Balcony for Colored, 10c and 25c)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

LLOYD NOLAN & PATRICIA MORISON

"MAGNIFICENT FRAUD"

ALSO—News-Musical Comedy.

ALSO—News-Color Cartoon-Traveltalk.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

JUNGLE DEVIL!

Mad tyrant of an
island of hate!



ALSO—News-Comedy-Cartoon.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

A cowboy fighting for
the law... without the
law to back him up...
bucks up against the
whole wide west!



ALSO—Comedy-Musical-Lone
Ranger Rides Again No. 8.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY
SEPTEMBER 4-5

SWEEPS THE SCREEN WITH ITS MIGHTY DRAMA!



FAIRBANKS, JR.
RATHBONE

VIRGINIA FIELD
LIONEL ATWILL
BARBARA O'NEIL
C. AUBREY SMITH
MELVILLE COOPER

Screenplay by W. P. LIPSCOMB • Original
story by Jerry Horwin and Arthur Fitts-Richard
Produced and Directed by
ROWLAND V. LEE
A NEW UNIVERSAL PICTURE
ALSO—News.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

PAMPER THEM?

OR SPANK THEM?

A picture for
lonesome wives
...with tips on
their hands...
and the craving
for just a little
excitement!



VIRGINIA BRUCE
WALTER PIDGEON
LEE DOWMAN • ANN DVOZAK
ILKA CHASE • RITA JOHNSON

Fashion Forecast in Color.
ALSO—News—Magic Carpet—

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7



ALSO—News-Radio Flash-Musical.

LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC SALE
Of Valuable Real Estate

Under and by virtue of a Deed of Trust, dated December 9, 1935, executed by John W. Carroll and Mattie Carroll, duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of Prince William County, Virginia, in Deed Book 96, Page 241, to secure the payment of a certain note, therein fully described, in the payment of which, including interest, default has been made, the undersigned trustee therein named, at the request and direction of the holder of the said note, will proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash on

At 11 O'Clock A. M.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1939, in front of the Court House in the Town of Manassas, aforesaid county, all that certain lot or parcel of land, with the improvements thereon, lying and being situate in Dumfries District, aforesaid county and State, containing fourteen acres, more or less, and adjoining the Richmond-Washington sand gravel road, Neabsco Creek, Round Top and others, and being more particularly described in said Deed of Trust.

J. Jenkyn Davies,
Trustee.

15-5-c

TRUSTEE'S SALE
Of Desirable Real Estate

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust executed by D. Kent Reid and wife on the 26th day of June, 1922, and recorded among the land records of Prince William County, Virginia, in Deed Book 77, Page 117, to secure the payment of a certain sum of money therein set out, default having been made in the payment of the debt so secured and the trustee named in the certain trust having been by the present holder of the debt so secured directed to execute the said trust, the undersigned trustee shall offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1939, At 11 O'Clock A. M., in front of The Peoples National Bank Building in the Town of Manassas, Virginia, upon terms of cash, the following described real estate.

All of that certain tract of land, together with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate in Dumfries Magisterial District, Prince William County, Virginia, known as the Sally Harrison Tract, containing 198 acres, more or less, and fully set out by metes and bounds in a deed from Thomas H. Lion and wife to D. Kent Reid and others dated December 26, 1896, recorded in Deed Book 59, Page 58, Prince William County Clerk's Office, to which deed reference is made for a more particular description of the said tract of land.

G. Raymond Ratcliffe,
Trustee.

16-4-c

"RECKLESS DRIVING
THROUGH LIFE"

You step upon your "Starter"
The day that you are born,
Though you're in no shape to travel
You start to blow your "horn."

In time, you get sufficient strength
And shove her into "low,"
You want to try your "running gear"
To see if it will "go."

You dent and scratch your "fenders"
For you're just a little toad,
Your "steering" is uncertain—
You can hardly "keep the road."

But as you near maturity
You throw her into "high,"
Then open wide Life's "throttle"
And let the "miles" go flitting by.

You hate to yield the "right of way"
Or slow down for a "turn,"
You think not of the "wear and tear"
Nor of the "gas" you "burn."

Then your heart, that gives the
"spark" of life
Goes bad and starts to pound,
Your lungs—your "carburetor,"
Don't seem to be so sound

You have to "shift" to "second gear"
The slightest "hill" to "climb,"
You've lost lots of your "power"
'Cause your "motor's slipping time."

You find your "springs" refuse to
"give"—
Your "gears" begin to "whine,"
Your "steering's" gotten lots of "play"
Your "wheels" are "out of line."

It comes to you how wrong you were
To "drive" through life so fast,
With the "auto" Nature gave to you
And yet think it would last.

You realize what a fool you were
With a feeling of chagrin,
For, when Life's "auto" is worn out

To the Voters of Brentsville District:
Now that the "fog" of the Primary has about settled, for your amusement and our expense, I am offering myself as a candidate for supervisor of our district.

I earnestly solicit your support. I pledge to stay sober, strictly attend to your business and not be governed by any clique, party nor denomination. I will try to serve the entire district to the best of my ability.

I shall try to stay in the middle of the road and consider all requests honestly. A man with no "pull" but plenty of "push."

Yours Sincerely,
M. J. Shepherd.

15-2-x

"ISLAND OF LOST MEN"
EXCITING, EXOTIC FILM

One of the most colorful, exciting, and adventurous films ever made comes to the screen of the Pitts Theatre on next Friday, September 1, under the mysterious title, "Island of Lost Men." The film was produced for Paramount by Eugene Zukor, son of Adolph Zukor, motion picture pioneer.

"Island of Lost Men" is a fascinating tale of intrigue and murder. Off in the sinister, treacherous jungles of the country north of Singapore—is the secret and almost inaccessible hide-out of a notorious Eurasian gun-runner and cut-throat, known all over the peninsula as the "King of the River," who is holding a Chinese General for ransom.

Anna May Wong, the daughter of the General, is determined to find out what happened to her father and the \$300,000 that was entrusted to him. Posing as an entertainer she gains access to the "King's" stronghold, where she meets her father's aide-de-camp, now employed as one of the gun-runner's henchmen.

The supposed deserter and Miss Wong, after many a tight scrape, get word to International Police that the gun-runner has kidnapped her father and taken the \$300,000. Learning about the trap, the "King" forces the girl to escape with him.

In the meantime, the General's confidant evades the "King's" henchmen, and succeeds in freeing the prisoner.

What happens after that is too exciting to reveal. The speedy kaleidoscopic direction plus the neat characterizations of the players make "Island of Lost Men," this season's best picture about the exotic Far East.

Eugene Zukor assembled a fine cast for the full-blooded characters in the film. Miss Wong, American-born Chinese, is superb as the General's daughter. Naish, paints an incisive portrait of the bloodthirsty Eurasian gun-runner. Anthony Quinn, usually cast as a heavy, gets a chance to play a sympathetic role this time, as the General's aide who pretends to be a deserter. Others in the cast, Eric Blore, Ernest Truex and Broderick Crawford—are no less accomplished. Kurt Neumann's direction is top-notch.

"STRONGER THAN DESIRE"

Virginia Bruce and Walter Pidgeon in their second appearance as a romantic team score again in "Stronger Than Desire," melodramatic romance of New York society, next Wednesday, September 6, at the Pitts Theatre. The story is a combination of happy married life, legal intrigue, a flirtation, and a murder mystery with a photographic clue that provides something new in the unraveling of crime puzzles.

Pidgeon plays a prosperous lawyer whose wife suspects him of a flirtation and retaliates with one of her own, to discover that she has been playing into the hands of a blackmailer who threatens to compromise her. In a struggle over her letters he strikes her. She instinctively picks up a revolver on his desk, shoots

You sure can't "trade it in."

Sylvester Woodfork,
Health Department, D. C.
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FACULTY 1939-1940School Construction Will Delay
Opening of Some Classes

Annandale—Mrs. J. N. Howdeshell, principal; Miss M. Leone Rollins, Miss Sadie R. Gill, Miss Annie Troth, Miss Margaret Bailey, Miss Virginia Thornton, Miss Ruth N. Smith, Mrs. Clara E. Dennis and Miss Lucy Anderson.

Bailey's Cross Roads—Miss Ethel G. Sims, principal; Miss Frances Mitchell, Miss Dorothy Stouffer, Mrs. Ilva Hall, Mrs. Elizabeth Minor, Miss Judith B. Taylor and Miss Louise R. Henderson.

Burke—Mrs. Nora E. Messick, principal; Miss Myrtle Estes and Miss Mary Ella Carr.

Centreville—Harry W. McCary, principal; Mrs. Emily Day Reid, Miss Nellie Lawler and Miss Mildred Lee Keller.

Chesterbrook—Mrs. Elsie T. Fletcher, principal; Miss Eleanor L. Ayres and Miss Helen V. Buckley.

Clifton—Harry P. Long, principal; Mrs. Annie E. Adair and Miss Margaret K. Girtley.

Dunn Loring—Mrs. Adra Hawley, principal; Miss Mary Alice Ankers, Miss Elizabeth Wheeler, Miss Vera Tomko and Miss Delia P. Chambliss.

Fairfax Elementary—James E. Bauserman, principal; Miss Anne R. Sanford, Miss Audrey Snodgrass, Miss Isabelle Horton, Miss Frances Smithers, Mrs. Lena Wyckoff, Miss Bessie N. Watts, Miss Catherine Wampler, Miss Kathryn Funk, Mrs. Ethel R. Carter and Mrs. Iva F. Wells.

Fairfax High—Gordon E. Smith, principal; Robert B. Walker, Karl H. Stutzman, Miss Jeanne Johnson, Miss Mary A. Burgess, Carl W. Levin, W. S. Lawson, Ralph E. Buckley, Walter J. Dowling, Mrs. Harriet R. Gordon, Miss Martha E. Reely, Miss Sarah C. Smoot, Miss Garland Sanford, Mrs. Katherine Hopper, Miss Mary L. Hubbard, Mrs. Dorcas E. Lawson, Carroll S. Iden, Miss Mary L. Gregory, Miss Betty Lou Peck, Mrs. Pearl L. Hart, Mrs. Margaret P. Swetnam, Miss Mary O. Ambler, Mrs. Mildred M. Leigh, Miss Sadie R. Baird, Miss Evelyn N. Chiles, Harry J. Stanley, Miss Frances Bates and J. William Johnston.

Fairview—Mrs. Edythe R. Newman, principal; Mrs. Dorothy B. Collier and Mrs. Lottie H. Baker.

Floris—Charles E. Miley, Jr., principal; Miss Helena Lewis, Miss Janet Tavenner, Miss Ruth G. Chesley and Miss Marian White.

Forestville—E. P. Orr, principal; Miss Elizabeth Thomas, Miss Mildred

him, and flees, to undergo inward torture while wife goes to trial for murder, and her husband struggles to save her from the chair. The solution to the crime and clearing of the situation comes in a dramatic episode in the courtroom after the husband has found the clew which points to his own wife, then the second clew which clears both women.

Leslie Fenton directed with deft skill. Pidgeon is engaging and at times rises to dominate situations as the lawyer husband. Miss Bruce, wearing a profusion of gorgeous gowns, handles both her comedy and dramatic moments with skill. Ann Dvorak is a poignant figure as the accused wife. Ilka Chase plays a clever character comedy role as Jo, the commonsense family friend of the couple, and little Ann Todd plays their small daughter with all the skill of a veteran actress.

Lee Bowman plays the engaging villain as the blackmailer specializing in victimizing women, and Richard Lane provides comedy as Brody, the investigator. Rita Johnson, Paul Stanton and Ferike Boros are other principals. Lavish settings representing fashionable homes and penthouses, a colorful fashion salon and swank night clubs, prison scenes and other New York details are realistically handled.

Dodson, Mrs. Gertrude C. Oliver, Mrs. Mary E. Money and Miss Elizabeth Read.

Fort Belvoir—Mrs. Helen M. Davis, principal, and Mrs. Charlotte G. Cash.

Franconia—Miss Nellie Lee Nevitt, principal; Mrs. Dorothy Higham, Miss Martha Kadel, Mrs. Wrenn B. Gilkeson, Miss Elizabeth Gates, Mrs. Virginia Andrus and Mrs. Evelyn B. Smith.

Franklin-Sherman—Harold F. Weiler, principal; O. J. Brown, Miss Edith G. Crostic, Miss Marguerite Rollins, Miss Ruby F. Dunkum, Miss Anna S. Day, Miss Jennie M. Tomko, Mrs. Mary L. Robeson, Miss Louise Millard and Miss Kathryn Payne.

Groveton—Melvin B. Landes, principal; Miss Lillian Skelton, Mrs. Alice Lewis Dodson, Mrs. Anna R. Neitzey, Miss Clara Baldwin, Miss Sadie C. Haskins, Miss Elma Besley, Miss Frances H. Palmer, Miss Sara Gillenwater and Miss Lucy Le Gallais.

Herndon—J. H. Rice, principal; W. R. Crabill, Miss Ramsey, E. J. Heglar, Miss Corrine Reynolds, Frank Ricciardi, W. M. Compton, Jr.; Mrs. K. G. White, Miss Dora Omohundro, Miss Hester McDonald Chrisman, Miss Emma Ellmore, Miss Geneva Smith, Mrs. Nina F. Gibson, Mrs. Sadie H. Crabill, Miss Lottie Swope, Mrs. Annie B. Martz and Mrs. Virginia R. Lewis.

Lee-Jackson—G. C. Cox, principal; Foster M. Ferguson, Thornton R. Cleek, Miss Ruth P. Curry, Miss Clyde Ramsey, Robert Marshall, A. B. Omohundro, B. E. Trenis, Jr.; Mrs. Alice Hansborough, Mrs. Mildred W. Cragg, Mrs. Mary C. Trueax, Paul D. Woodson, Jr., and Miss Ruth N. Phelps.

Lorton—E. M. Day, principal; Mrs. Christine Knopp, Mrs. Ellie M. Hixson, Miss Roberta Rose, Miss Madge Higgins, Miss Carolyn Rowe and Miss Ruth Ponton.

Oakton—Miss Frances E. Nevitt, principal; Miss Ola Timberlake, Miss Dora K. Cox, Mrs. Nellie Mae Pettit, Mrs. Ruby Owen Buser, Miss Virgie Dameron and Mrs. Rose C. Butts.

Vienna—Lawrence D. Bowers, principal; Mrs. Lula R. Tanner, Miss Willie Ponton, Miss Louise Howerton, Miss Helen Quigg, Mrs. Dora C. Root, Mrs. Louise W. Forbes, Mrs. Fanita Shivers and Mrs. Nancy Faulkner.

Woodlawn—Miss Mary S. Wine, principal; Miss Virginia May Becker, Mrs. Virginia Clapp, Miss Olive Souter and Miss Helen K. Wamsley.

Teachers in Falls Church schools have been announced by Horace E. Brown, chairman of the Town School Board, as follows:

Jefferson High—Miss N. Gregory Edwards, principal; Miss Elizabeth Morris, C. P. Scott, Miss Zula Ferrara, Mrs. Ruby R. Douglass, Mrs. Anne H. Rullman, Miss Mary Wynn and Mrs. Dwight Shaw.

Madison Elementary—A. D. Neale, principal; Mrs. Zella C. Reys, Miss Louise K. Nichols, Miss Dixie Middleton, Mrs. Nellie W. Turner, Miss Helen Haertel, Miss Clay H. Farrar, Miss Margaret V. Fravel, Mrs. Katherine Sprigg, Mrs. Audrey R. Wilcox, Miss Nellie Williams, Mrs. Dorothy C. Hollins and Miss Nina K. Taliaferro.

Appointments for colored schools include:

Bailey's—Mrs. Mary T. Robb, principal, and Mrs. Remell Lomax.

Chesterbrook—Miss Helen E. Reid, principal.

Clifton—Miss Carrie E. Willis, principal.

Cub Run—Mrs. Norma Hines Gray,

principal.

Fairfax—Mrs. America Nelson, principal, and Mrs. Beatrice Blue.

Falls Church—Mrs. M. E. Henderson, principal, and Mrs. Lola Saunders.

Floris—Mrs. Elsie E. Tynes, principal, and Mrs. Corinne Washington.

Gum Spring—Miss Winnie Walker, principal, and Mrs. Alice W. Fleet.

Merrifield—Mrs. Agnes Chavis, principal, and Mrs. Etta E. Dodson.

Mount Pleasant—Mrs. Lola Shepherd, principal.

Oak Grove—Miss Julia Hall, principal, and Mrs. Ethel F. Holt.

Odricks—Miss Grace L. Willis, principal.

Pearson—Miss Henrietta Brown, principal.

Spring Bank—Miss Mabel M. Roscoe, principal.

Vienna—Mrs. Louise Archer, principal; Miss Mabel B. Thomas and Miss Channie Catlett.

Woodlawn—Miss Geneva Walker, principal.

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PUBLIC SALE

Of Personal Property

Under and by virtue of authority vested in me as
Administrator of the estate of the late George W.
Smith, deceased, I will offer for sale at public auction at
the home of the late George W. Smith, Haymarket, Va.,

On SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1939
Beginning at Ten O'Clock A.M.,

Personal Property, as follows:

- | | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1 Piano | 1 Cherry or Mahogany table |
| 3 Small marble top stands | 8 Split bottom chairs (hand made) |
| 1 Walnut table marble top sq. | 2 Wicker rockers |
| 1 Marble top table oval | 2 Large rockers |
| 1 Wardrobe (antique). | 1 Desk (antique) |
| 4 3-piece bed room suits | 1 Dresser with mirror |
| 1 6-piece parlor set | 1 Counter with mirror |
| 1 ¾ bed with springs | 1 Ice box |
| 1 Single bed wood | 1 Dining table |
| 1 Large hand painted picture | 8 Dining chairs |
| 2 Small hand painted pictures | 1 Carving set |
| 1 Large oil painting picture | 1 Side board |
| 3 Large pictures | 4 Stone jars |
| 1 Large mirror pier | 2 Kitchen tables |
| 1 Hanging mirror | 5 Heater stoves |
| 1 Walnut Book Case | Other items too numerous to mention. |
| 1 Marble top wash stand | |

Terms: Cash.

M. Fewell Melton,

Administrator for George W. Smith, deceased.

Lunch will be served on grounds.

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CHURCH NOTICES

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. James J. Widmer, Pastor

Sunday: Mass in Manassas at 8:00 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.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. A. S. Gibson, Pastor

Sunday School—10:00 a.m.

Morning Prayer and Service 11 a.m.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

Rev. Harry Paul Baker, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.

9:45 a.m.—Bible Class.

11:00 a.m.—Preaching—Holy Communion.

6:30 p.m.—Junior League.

7:30 p.m.—Preaching by the pastor.

Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Choir Rehearsal.

Thursday, 2:30 p.m.—Ladies Aid Society.

Come to church Sunday. The church needs the support of every good man and woman of the community. They need what the church alone can supply. Let's get together and help each other. Four Sundays until conference.

MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH

R. M. Graham, Pastor

9:45 a.m. Sunday School, L. Ledman, Sup't.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship: "The Safety of Work." A sermon in recognition of Labor Day.

7:00 p.m. B.T.U.

There will be no evening worship service as the Pastor will be in a meeting with the Woodbridge Church.

Wednesday evening prayer and praise service at 8:00 p.m.

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MANASSAS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. John DeChant, Pastor

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.

Worship 10:00 a.m.

NOKESVILLE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.

Sermon, 11:00 a.m.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

Daniel L. Newman, Pastor

ADEN: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; For morning worship the Aden folks are invited to join the Buckhall Homecoming service.

MANASSAS: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. The worship service of Manassas is likewise united with that of the sister church.

BUCKHALL: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship as follows. Dr. A. L. Maiden preaching, 11:00 a.m.; Song service, 2:00 p.m.; Service in charge of Pastor, 8:00 p.m.

All welcome.

VALLEY CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Sunday School: 10 a.m.; Preaching Service: 11:00 a.m., B.Y.P.D., 8 p.m.

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.

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Nokesville, Va.

Rev. A. W. Ballentine, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

Luther League at 11:00 a.m.

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Manassas, Va.

Rev. A. W. Ballentine, Pastor.

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

Catechetical Class at 10:00 a.m.

The Service at 11:00 a.m.

Luther League at 7:15 p.m.

THE NOKESVILLE CHARGE

Rev. Charles Clarkson, Pastor

Woodlawn, 11:00 a.m.; Preaching by Rev. Henry Lawson.

No services at Orlando and Nokesville. You are invited to worship with us.

MANASSAS FULL GOSPEL CHURCH

A. E. SALTER, Pastor

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.

Worship, 11:00 a.m.

Evangelistic, 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, 8:00 p.m. Preaching.

We urge you to attend church, Sunday, hear the gospel message, peace and comfort to the troubled and distressed soul.

NOKESVILLE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

11:00 a.m.—Asbury.

3:00 p.m.—Providence.

8:00 p.m.—Nokesville.

All services by the pastor, you are invited to worship with us.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Man" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all churches and societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, September 3.

The Golden Text will be "God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him" (Gen. 1:27).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "There is one body, and one Spirit, even as ye are called in one hope of your calling; One Lord, one faith, one baptism, One God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all" (Eph. 4:4-6).

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 eternal Truth destroys what mortals seem to have learned from error, and man's real existence as a child of God comes to light" (p. 288).

ROSE ANN SISSON

Mrs. Rose Ann Sisson of Indian Head, Md., died July 19, at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Russell Jasper, with whom she was visiting.

She had been in failing health for a few years and having two falls, one in March and one 10 days prior to her death. She was born in Fauquier county, Virginia, August 18, 1866, the daughter of the late Thomas and Lucy Ennis. Most of her early life was spent in Fauquier and Prince William counties and the last twenty years in Maryland.

Being twice married, she leaves to mourn her loss of the first union, four sons, Messrs. John T., Willie E. and Thomas C. Riley of Indian Head, Md.; Mr. Riley D. Riley of Dahlgren, Va.; one daughter, Mrs. W. W. Cornwell of Nokesville, Va. Of the second, her husband, Mr. Lucian Sisson and one daughter, Mrs. Harold E. Archambault of Brooklyn, New York.

She also leaves one brother, Mr. C. P. Ennis of Nokesville, Va., one half brother, Mr. Lawrence Ennis of Baltimore, Md., and one sister, Mrs. Mary Wheaton of Manassas, Virginia, also twenty grandchildren and four great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews and friends. She became a child of God in her early life and which she followed to the end. She was a member of the Indian Head Baptist church.

Funeral services were conducted at Manassas Baptist church July 22, Rev. R. M. Graham officiating. Interment was in Dumfries cemetery.

Burial was conducted by Messrs. Hall and Cross of Manassas, Va. The many beautiful floral Tributes showed the love and esteem of which the deceased was held.

BUCKLAND

Mrs. Charles Nalls has returned to her home here after having spent a week with her niece and nephew, Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. Warren D. Wilkin at "Gray Lodge," Kittery, Maine. She was accompanied by her son, Mr. Benton Nalls, and nephew, Mr. Clifton Keyser, of Washington, D. C. While there they visited Quebec, Canada, and various other points of interest in company with her sister, Mrs. W. N. Keyser, and niece, Mrs. Warren Wilkin. Her little grandson, Charles Rector, of Washington, D. C., returned home with her.

Mr. Charles Nalls spent the weekend in Washington, D. C., at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Rector.

QUANTICO

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Rawlings and son were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Austin of Dumfries on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Parks announce the marriage of their daughter, Doris, to Mr. Joseph Miceli on July 22 at Forestville, Md. Mr. and Mrs. Miceli are at home at 1972 Fendall Ave., S.E., Washington.

Mr. Virgil Abel and Mr. Lively Abel have returned home from a visit to Miami, Fla.

Miss Bobbie Ann Mitchell has returned home after spending some time in Petersburg, Va.

WILLIAM W. MACKALL, SR.

William W. Mackall, sr., 86, Savannah, Georgia, attorney and director of the Atlantic Coast Line, died last Wednesday in Emergency hospital, Washington, after an operation following a short illness.

Funeral services were held Thursday at The Lawn, Mr. Mackall's summer home at Greenwich, with burial in the Greenview cemetery.

Mr. Mackall was vacationing at his summer home when stricken ill. He was the son of General W. W. Mackall, Confederate Army officer.

Surviving him are three sons, William W. Mackall, jr., Charles G. Mackall, both of Washington, Porter A. Mackall, Savannah, and a daughter, Mrs. Lester Karow of Charleston, S.C.

BAPTIST LADIES AID POSTPONES MEETING

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Manassas Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. George Hixson, Tuesday, September 12, at 7:45 p.m. Please note the change in date of meeting.

QUIET TALKS ON RELIGION

BY DR. JAMES T. MARSHALL

THE INNER VOICE

Thomas Hughes says, "There's always a voice saying the right thing to you somewhere, if you'll only listen for it."

Some people call this voice conscience, others call it God. It speaks to every man, woman and child, and it has been speaking since the foundation of the world.

The beautiful Genesis story tells us how God came down and walked in the garden in the cool of the day that He might talk with our first parents. It tells us also how Abraham, Isaac and Jacob heard this voice and were obedient to its commands. Later we read of the boy Samuel sleeping in the tabernacle of the Lord and hearing His voice calling him by name; of the call that came to Isaiah as he was worshipping in the temple, and the call that was heard by Saul of Tarsus as he was travelling on the road to Damascus.

St. Patrick's biographers tell us that he was a humble Scotch lad, and that his soul was awakened by a dream in which he saw a man standing on the shore of Ireland beckoning to him and saying "Come over and help us." Believing this to be the voice of God, he obeyed it and thus became the great missionary of Christ to "the Emerald Isle."

No case is more interesting and remarkable than that of Joan of Arc the obscure peasant girl of France who heard voices, and saw visions of St. Michel and St. Catherine, in obedience to whose commands she offered herself to the Dauphin of France as the deliverer of her country and successfully led the army to victory. The ingratitude of the nation, her persistent refusal to deny the reality of her "voices" and her martyrdom at Rouen are facts well-known to all readers of history.

To say that Joan was neurotic or fanatical is not a satisfactory explanation of her claims. One fact remains which no skepticism can deny. She did hear something big enough to make her remarkable course irresistible. What was the impulse which seized a quiet, modest, pure-hearted peasant girl and sent her into the battlefield clad in armor and inspiring hardened soldiers by her daring?

The same spirit of skepticism denies the reality of the voice which spoke to Abraham, Samuel, Isaiah, St. Paul, St. Catherine, St. Francis and the whole host of saints who have believed themselves called of God to give themselves to the devoted service which has been of so great a blessing to humanity.

The tendency with many of us is to deny the possibility of others having visions and spiritual experiences to which we ourselves are strangers. This would make all history a dead level, and obliterate the mountain ranges with their lofty peaks.

There is not one of us who could not be nobler in character and more effective in influence if he would listen more attentively to the heavenly voice which speaks within his soul. Religion is not something tacked on to man from without. It is the development of that which is already within. It has been well said that "religion is not an afterthought of man, it is the forethought of God."

Even evil men have moments when their better self tries to assert itself. The worst criminal has in him the spark of divinity, and the Spirit of God tries to fan this spark into flame. Those who listen to the Spirit's voice become new creatures to whom "old things are passed away and all things are become new."

Would that all men could say with St. Paul, "I was not disobedient unto the heavenly vision!"

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YOUNG DEMOCRATS

VETO THIRD TERM

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assembled, has achieved universal publicity and has become a matter of tremendous importance to the nation in general, and to the Democratic of the presidential office" and

Whereas, the policy of the Democratic party was set out in its platform of 1896 as follows: "We declare it to be the unwritten law of this republic, established by custom and usage of 100 years, and sanctioned by the examples of the greatest and oldest of those who founded and have maintained our government that no man should be eligible for a third term of the presidential office."

Whereas, a precedent was established in the early history of the United States of America and since that time has been honored and observed, that no citizen of this republic should serve more than two successive terms as president of the United States; and

Whereas, it is the opinion of the Young Democratic Clubs of Virginia in convention assembled that the observance and continuation of that precedent is consistent with democratic principles of government and the time-honored principles of the Democratic party; and

Whereas, it is further the opinion of the Young Democratic Clubs of Virginia that the establishment of a precedent to the contrary may later prove potentially dangerous to the continuation of our present form of government and is fraught with probabilities of intra-party strife at a time when harmony within the Democratic party is essential to the better interests of the party:

Now, therefore, be it resolved: That the Young Democratic Clubs of Virginia do hereby go on record for the reasons hereinabove set forth, as being in accord with the salutary precedent and principle that no man shall serve more than two successive terms as president of the United States; Our position is one of policy and not of personality and be it understood that the resolution is in no sense directed against the president of the United States but merely restates a well established principle, the necessity for this resolution hav-

ing been brought by the proceedings and publicity attendant upon the national convention of Young Democrats held in Pittsburgh. We further reaffirm our faith in the Democratic party and its leaders and pledge ourselves to support its candidate nominated in the 1940 national Democratic convention.

Be it further resolved: That copies of this resolution be transmitted by the secretary of this convention to Homer Matt Adams, national president of the Young Democratic Clubs of America, and to John Neff, national secretary of the Young Democratic Clubs of America.

When the chairman, Carter Lee, brought the resolution to the attention of the convention W. H. Overby, of Campbell county, seated on the front row directly in front of the chairman, moved the pending question and there was a roar of "No, no, no!" The battle had begun.

Lem H. Houston of Fredericksburg, rose to a point of order, declaring the procedure was contrary to the preamble of the clubs' constitution; that it was bringing factionalism into the organization "and can only be interpreted as a hindrance to President Roosevelt."

Lee ruled that the resolution was in order, explaining that it stated a governmental policy, applied to all parties alike, and did not strike at any one man.

Frank Ball of Arlington appealed from the ruling of the chair and after some more confusion and a recess for taking a vote by districts the chair was upheld 821 to 386.

The next move of the proponents was to attempt to put the question and Ball arose again and moved to table the resolution. A viva-voice vote to put the question was a resounding roar from both opponents and proponents, so another recess was ordered for district voting, on whether there should be debate on the resolution or not.

Again the proponents of the resolution won, 843 to 360. Spiers made his appeal here to reconsider and Lee asked for a roll call by clubs in acquiescence to a demand from the floor.

The advocates of the resolution won again, 769 to 425 but the Sixth district which includes Roanoke city voted to

reconsider, the clubs favoring this action being Roanoke city, Botetourt, Roanoke county, Montgomery county and Radford city.

L. P. Collins, of Smyth county, moved to reconsider that action and another boisterous demonstration followed, some delegates charging that the move was merely one to end the matter then and there.

Members of the Roanoke club said their opposition to the resolution was based on the belief that the entire question was out of order and an improper one for the convention to consider.

After the convention finally approved the resolution through another resort to district voting, Spiers moved again that the action be reconsidered and was ruled out of order. So the convention passed on to other business.

Louis Johnson, acting secretary of war, arrived about this time and was introduced to the convention. Mr. Johnson was met by the 116th infantry. He arrived about 5 p.m. to speak at the banquet which had been scheduled at 6:30 but which was delayed an hour and a half by the unprecedented battle over the third term issue.

Other than the fight on this question, the convention proceeded in apparent harmony except for the comparatively brief flurry over the poll tax question.

After the resolution had been adopted under a procedure that cut off all debate, opponents of the measure met in a "rump" session in protest against the majority's action and released for publication a resolution putting the Young Democrats on record as neither for nor against a third term. Another resolution adopted praised the "Noble leadership in humanitarian ideals" of President Roosevelt. The President also was commended for his efforts in behalf of world peace. A brief flurry of debate ensued over the majority of two minority reports of the committee on the capitation tax. The majority report, advocating that the present law requiring payment of capitation tax for three years as a pre-requisite for voting remain unchanged, was adopted by a 957 to 206. The minority proposals were not put to a vote.

GAINESVILLE

We are glad to report at this writing that Mrs. Malcolm McCuin, who has been confined to her bed, is better.

Re. and Mrs. Roscoe Johnson returned to their home in Richmond on Tuesday, after spending part of their vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moore here. The Moores will return on Saturday from Charlottesville, where Mr. Moore has been attending summer school.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Schwartz have had as their guests the past week her mother, Mrs. Jerry Martin, and brother-in-law and sister, Prof. and Mrs. Knight and their two children, of South Carolina.

There will be services at the Methodist Church on Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Miss Ann Sigrist is spending two weeks with her mother near Lynchburg, Va. She was accompanied home by her brother, Russell, who has been spending several weeks here with her.

HAYMARKET

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gossom, and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Roland are expected back today from a vacation trip through the Northern States and Canada.

The revival services at the Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. Charles Skutt, closed on Sunday night. They were very well attended and much enjoyed.

Mrs. W. M. Bell of Weleekka, Okla., is visiting relatives here.

The Girl Scouts are spending several days at Fairview Beach.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

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Mrs. Thelma Blake and daughter, Jeanette, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Howard.

Mr. James Payne is vacationing at the New York World's Fair.

Mrs. J. R. Jasper, accompanied by Mrs. W. J. Jasper, Mrs. Lizzie Jackson, Mrs. Nellie Collins and Mr. James Cornwell motored to Alexandria Thursday afternoon to see Mr. Russell Jasper, who was in Alexandria hospital. Finding he could be removed the ambulance was called and he returned with them to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jasper, where he is now convalescing.

Miss Sallie Hensley has returned to her home in Norfolk, Va., after spending the summer with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Woods.

Miss Betty Ann Jasper returned home on Sunday after spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cornwell.

Mr. Charles Bevins of Coeburn, Va., arrived yesterday to spend a week with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lacie Mullins.

Master Stewart Jasper is spending sometime with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cornwell.

Mrs. A. C. McKibbin of St. Louis, Mo., spent last week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Marie Larkin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Coverston attended the American Legion Convention in Richmond on Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Coverston was a delegate from the Manassas Post.

Miss Myrtle Lynn of Washington, D. C., spent Sunday and Monday with her cousin, Grace V. Reid.

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Pen Staff - - - - - 5c

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5c

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MUCILAGE

5c & 10c

RULERS

Brass Edge

5c