

"GOLDEN GLOW" CONVENTION

W.C.T.U. Holds Enthusiastic Meeting at Alexandria.

The fiftieth annual state convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held in the Methodist church south, Alexandria, Va., Sept. 26-29. It was known as the "Golden Glow" convention.

213 delegates and officers were present, and the large auditorium was filled each day with interested members and visitors.

The convention was welcomed on behalf of the city by Hon. E. F. Ticer, mayor, the county by Mr. Roy Braden, manager, the churches by Rev. E. V. Register, and the W.C.T.U. by Mrs. Amy C. Weech.

These were responded to by Mrs. Clarence Hawkins and Mrs. B. T. Taylor. The different choirs of the city rendered the music each evening.

The state president, Mrs. Hoge, gave her address to a house filled to capacity. There was no note of discouragement. It was realized that this is a crucial time—a time for careful, thorough earnest prayer for guidance and much work, but no time for doubt nor retrenchment!

The slogan is "Observance and Enforcement, Not Repeal." The battle may be long, but right will prevail.

Mrs. Hoge spoke of the great concern the wets had for the farmers claiming to want to help his market for grain. A senatorial hearing in Washington brought out the brewer's statement that the actual amount of grain used in brewing represents less than three-fourths of one per cent of all the grain produced in the United States. In the manufacture and consumption of whiskey Mrs. Hoge gave the information that "the farmer got 25 cents, the U. S. Government got \$4.40, the railroads got \$1.60, the manufacturer got \$4.00, the drayman got 15 cents, the retailer got \$7.00, the consumer got drunk, his wife got hungry, his children got rags!"

Opponents of Prohibition, the speaker said, are proclaiming that the deaths from alcoholism are four times greater than in 1920, but the federal census reports show the alcohol death rate to be only one-half what it was before Prohibition. In December a roll call containing signatures of more than 1,000,000 names of young people between fourteen and thirty years of age was carried to the White House which the President of the United States accepted with assurances of aid, and expressed gratification at the educational work done in this line. Many other important facts were brought out. Mrs. Hoge said in concluding, "God grant the flag of our beloved country may never again fly over any place used for the sale of alcoholic liquor, and that our nation could not be called a Christian nation if Prohibition was not upheld."

One of the distinguished guests present at this convention was Dr. Izora Scott, director legislation national W.C.T.U. Her subject was "Present Status of Legislation in Congress." She said the numerous bills coming before Congress for repeal were many times duplicated and that the actual number of original bills were small in comparison.

A large number of ministers were present, and gave messages of hope and encouragement. They emphasized the importance of early training in the home, and told of the influence for temperance of a godly mother in their own lives. Rev. E. W. Aaron refuted the statement that there was more drinking among students, and said when he was chaplain at Blacksburg, out of a student body of 1500 only seven were sent home on account of drinking. Rev. E. J. Richardson, Virginia Superintendent Anti-Saloon League, was also present and set straight much of the wet propaganda we hear so much of.

Tuesday evening was given over to the diamond medal contest and the light line demonstration. Four girls and one boy, all under 20 years of age, were the contestants. They were from Arlington, Loudoun and Southampton counties. The boy, John Darden, 17 years old, was the proud winner of the diamond medal. His subject was "The Constitution." He reminded his hearers that everyone from the President to the lowest officer is required to take oath to preserve the Constitution of the United States. The light line was composed of the presidents of the local unions, dressed in white and carrying a torch representing the sending of the light to all the world.

Time was given for a beautiful memorial service for our translated members, who have gone from works

STATE FAIR PRIZE WINNERS

Prince William winners at the State Fair include the following: J. Carl Kincheloe, George C. Brenton, H. W. Herring and Maury Leech.

NATIONAL POST OFFERED HILL

Kiwanis Select Washington Man for Publicity Service.

Appointment of Edwin F. Hill of Washington, D. C., as Kiwanis International publicity chairman of the nearly 1,900 clubs in the United States and Canada is announced by Carl E. Endicott, international president. Mr. Hill who is now president of the Washington club, is a native of Orange county, Va., and is well known throughout the state.

As district chairman of Kiwanis education, Mr. Hill has visited many clubs in the Capital district area.

Prior to his affiliation with the Washington club and the Capital district, Mr. Hill was a member of the Charleston, W. Va., Kiwanis club, where he was chairman of publicity and later chairman of the West Virginia district.

In 1927, Mr. Hill was appointed publicity chairman of the Washington club and during the same year, chairman of publicity for the Capital district, comprising 48 clubs in Virginia, Maryland, Delaware and Washington. He was reappointed to this position in 1929. He was elected lieutenant governor of the Capital district for 1930 and later in that year was named a member of the international publicity committee.

Mr. Hill is information director of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone companies and has been located at Washington in this capacity since May 1, 1925. His service with the Bell system dates back to February 19, 1900, when he was first employed at Portsmouth, Va. Subsequently he was employed by the telephone company in various Virginia cities and throughout the southern states.

REVIVAL SERVICES BEGIN

A series of meetings will begin at the Baptist church on next Sunday morning to continue through the fourth Sunday in this month. The pastor extends a hearty welcome to all. All are invited. Come and work with us. Gosper preaching and gospel singing. Come and help.

VISITORS AT STATE FAIR

Prince William visitors at State Fair: County Agent Frank Cox, H. W. Herring, J. Carl Kincheloe, E. W. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hale, Mrs. M. H. Kincheloe and Miss Minnie Conner.

To reward. Many loving tributes were paid to them. Hymn, "The Eternal God Is Thy Refuge and Underneath Are the Everlasting Arms," was sung at this service.

The noon-tide devotional service, the quiet hour, each day lifts us out of the sordid into the spiritual realm. We felt that God was indeed keeping watch over His own.

Wednesday evening was in charge of the young people and there were not enough seats to accommodate the audience who came out to enjoy their splendid program of music, readings and plays. It is cause for rejoicing to see so many interested young people and the great increase in membership, both in the adult and young people's divisions. 1200 women members have been added this year.

Thursday afternoon a sight-seeing trip to Mt. Vernon had been arranged for the delegates and a vast crowd availed themselves of this opportunity to visit the shrine of the Father of our Country.

At night the banquet was held at the George Mason Hotel. Several hundred filled the beautiful dining room and enjoyed the after-dinner speeches. A fine program was carried out. Mr. Hoge's address, "From a Man's Viewpoint," was full of wit and humor. He was followed by Mrs. Amy Weech, subject "The Entering Wedge" and then Mrs. Howland, "We Remember." Thank offering and pledges for state work were given, life patrons received, and honor pennants presented, and adjournment of the fiftieth convention of the state W.C.T.U. to meet in Richmond in 1933.

Delegates from our Manassas union were Mrs. Embrey, Mrs. Round, Miss Kincheloe and Mrs. Gorrell.

DAIRY FESTIVAL WITNESSED BY THOUSANDS



OCTOBER MEETING OF SCHOOL BOARD

Representatives Selected to Attend Meeting in Charlottesville.

The regular monthly meeting of the Prince William County School Board was held on Wednesday of this week with the following members present: W. L. Lloyd, acting chairman in the place of D. J. Arrington, chairman, absent because of illness; Mrs. Annie G. Cline, Mrs. Anita D. Pierce, Fred M. Lynn, and A. T. Barnes.

With the approval of Judge McCarthy, the Board has transacted the purchase of one acre of land and a building near Triangle, Va., for use as a colored school to replace the school destroyed by the Quantic Marine Corps on the government reservation there. Mrs. Cline, member of the Board from that district of the county, reported that the premises have been put in shape and the school opened October 3.

Three representatives were appointed by the Trustees to attend a meeting in Charlottesville, Va., on Friday and Saturday of this week called especially by the State Board of Education to consider a curriculum revision program for the state public schools. The delegates are as follows: Miss Beatrix Clark, rural school supervisor, to represent the schools in general; R. Worth Peters, principal of Occoquan district high school, chairman for the secondary schools, and Mrs. Grace L. Hite, principal of Bennett graded school of Manassas, chairman for the elementary schools. The purpose of the institute is to give instructions as to how to proceed with the curriculum revision in the schools of the counties.

W. L. Lloyd, trustee from Brentsville district, reported the completion of a well at the Kettle Run school. He was, then appointed a committee to investigate and make needed improvements in the Aden school.

A. T. Barnes, trustee from Coles district, was authorized by the Board to construct a garage for the Minnieville school bus.

The Board will hold its next meeting on Wednesday, November 2.

SWAVELY BEATS SEVERN SCHOOL

Score Swavely 20, Severn 7.

Mowrey and Kohler bore the brunt of the Swavely attack in a fast, line-bucking game, Mowrey, veteran half-back, scoring two of the touchdowns and Kohler, star Miami Military Institute full back, making the third score and the two goal points.

The only touchdown made by Severn Preps of Annapolis was scored in the last quarter after a strong attack through Swavely territory.

SEVERN	SWAVELY
Hooper	L.E. Dunbar
Howland	L.T. Neciason
Blandin	L.G. Crenshaw
Walsh	C. Tomlin
Meibag	R.G. Holden

PAGEANT

"Night's Pasture Fields" Sept. 30, 1932

Miss Beatrix Clark, author and director, Mrs. Catherine Smith Arrington, narrator.

Episode I.

Egyptian episode, depicted by Occoquan high school pupils under capable direction of Mr. R. Worth Peters, principal of the school, and his teachers.

Episode II.

Grecian episode was put on by the Nokesville high school pupils directed by Mr. C. O. Bittle, who is principal of the school, and assisted by his teachers.

Episode III.

The English episode portrayed by Haymarket high school pupils and Fredericksburg State Teachers College girls was under direction of Miss Elizabeth Vaughan, principal and her teachers.

Episode IV.

The Modern episode of Piedmont Virginia was shown by Bennett school, under direction of Mrs. Grace Hite and high school under direction of Miss Eugenia Osburn.

The five muses were:
Music — Mary Elizabeth Marsteller
Painting — Jane Lynn
Sculpture — Lucy Gibson
Dance — Mary Fountleroy Cocke
Health — Elizabeth Davies, the added muse
Beauty — Mary Lynch, the leading character
Night — Ann Bradford, Queen of the Pageant who reigned over her "Pasture Fields"
Prologue, Dance Interpreter — Ellen Bisson

KIWANIS MEET AT HIGH SCHOOL

The Kiwanis Club managed to hold most of its members together after the Festival last Friday. This date was also their annual visitation to the high school.

Staid citizens like Dan Chichester, former delegate, of Falmouth, and Lawrence Roland, district manager of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, were slightly startled at the hilarity of the boys. Ray Ratcliffe swore they were all drunk, and Sigman clinched the idea when he got up and preached a sermon on the Old Lady Who Lived in a Shoe. The rest tried to remember their nursery rhymes but it was so many years ago that they stumbled badly.

The dinner was served by six of the girls under the direction of Miss Draper, head of the economics department.

Thomas	R.T.	Castree
Bankert	R.E.	Smith
Smith	Q.	Anderson
Maguire	L.H.B.	Mowrey
Green	R.H.B.	Stedam
Warman	F.B.	Kohler

Score by quarters:
Swavely 7 6 7 0-20
Severn 0 0 0 7-7

DEMOCRATIC RALLY

The Roosevelt - Garner - Smith Club of Prince William County will hold a rally at the Woodmen's Hall at Nokesville on Thursday, October 13, at 8 p.m.

D. E. Earhart, chairman of the County Democratic Committee, will preside. The speakers will be Hon. Howard W. Smith, Congressman from the Eighth District, and Messrs. Wilbur C. Hall, Thomas H. Lion and Robert A. Hutcheson.

REGINA II AND COURT FETED

Brilliant Social Gathering at the Old Thornton Home.

The dinner given by Mrs. J. B. T. Thornton and her nieces, Mrs. E. H. Hibbs, Mrs. J. J. Davies, Mrs. H. T. Davies and Mrs. J. Jenkyn Davies, to Regina II, Queen of the Dairy Festival and her court, was the most elaborate social function of the event.

The large rooms of the Thornton home were exquisitely adorned with massed ferns and huge vases of cut flowers. The table, spread with a rare lace cover, was ornamented with a gorgeous centerpiece of cut flowers in a silver bowl. Silver candlesticks nestled in the green and holding green candles, completed the artistic table decoration.

The same decorative scheme was carried out on the buffet, mantel and side tables, producing a glittering and pleasing effect.

Mrs. Thornton, in black silk, received her guests in the reception hall.

The queen, gowned in sapphire blue velvet, was escorted by Mr. Robert Burnett. Miss Bushong, maid of honor, escorted by Mr. Fred Garrett, wore peach silk and lace. Miss Gosnell, maid of honor, escorted by Mr. Frank Bradley, wore pink silk.

Miss Nancy Weir Waters, assisting the hostesses, wore a lovely gown of blue silk. Miss Sylvia Meredith, in blue flowered velvet, was escorted by Mr. Courtland Warfield.

Miss Randolph Richardson, in cream satin trimmed with fur, was escorted by Mr. Will Lewis.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Nelson, escorted by Mr. Smith Bowman, wore black lace.

Miss Sallie Yancy Ratrie, in blue lace, was escorted by Mr. Robert McCandlish. Miss Esther Warren Pattie, in white crepe with girde of brilliants, was escorted by Mr. Robert Duncan Ritchie.

Miss Mary Moore, in white and black satin, with a single ornament of brilliants, was escorted by Mr. Jenkyn Davies.

Miss Charlotte Brown, in red velvet, was escorted by Mr. Scott.

Miss Hope Robertson, in white crepe, was escorted by Mr. Hawes Davies.

Miss Jessie Miller Jones, in black satin, was escorted by Mr. Lewis Turner.

Miss Peck, in flowered silk, was escorted by Mr. E. Russell Gillette.

Miss Louise Kathryn Renalds, in wine-colored velvet, was escorted by Mr. Paul A. Sullivan.

Miss Caroline Reid, in white satin with silver girde, was escorted by Mr. W. M. Weir.

Miss Grace Moncure, in green satin, was escorted by Mr. Ed Nelson.

DAIRY TEAM MAKES PLACE

The dairy judging team from Prince William county, Wiley Garman, Joyce Garman, Eddie Russell and Billy Hale, judged at the State Fair. County Agent Cox states that he thinks his team made a place but the later announcements have not been made.

A WORD OF APPRECIATION

The undersigned desire to express sincere thanks to all who took part in helping make the Second Piedmont Dairy Festival a complete success. R. S. Hynson, President. F. D. Cox, Managing Director. Mrs. Robert H. Smith, Assistant Managing Director.

Pageant and Parade Better Than Last Year.

When the sun dipped at the end of a perfect day last Friday, thousands of delighted spectators still in town and others speeding homeward voted aloud and in their minds that Piedmont Virginia had really entered into a new era.

The steps of those who had planned and put across last year's celebration were retraced with multiple success, and at the last the weather came as pleasant as possible.

It is not necessary to state over the large numbers of "units" which appeared in last week's paper. They were all there, with bands, pretty girls and dazzling colors. Cadets, militia, school children, everyone vied for their limit to make the parade something to remember.

The parade itself consumed about an hour and a half to pass any given point. The last unit did not pass into Annaburg until shortly before 5. Prize winners are announced herewith:

The Warrenton Fire Department was awarded the trophy in the fire company division. This division was scored on the basis of best equipment and company showing. The comical floats which some of the companies entered were not considered in the judging. Second place in this division went to Herndon, and Manassas was awarded third. Herndon received second place largely on the fact that they had two engines in the parade.

In the school division, the cup was won by Washington and Lee High School of Ballston, Va. Manassas High School was awarded second place and Hume of Fauquier county was adjudged third place winner.

The participants in this division were judged on distance traveled, percentage of school enrollment present, and general appearance and conduct in the parade. Washington and Lee had one hundred and twenty-seven in the parade, including a band, and girl and boy cadet units. They also received a perfect score on general appearance and conduct. Manassas was a close second to the Ballston school. Hume school made a very good showing chiefly on the fact that twenty of the twenty-two scholars in the school marched in the parade. Honorable mention should go in this division to Haymarket, who made a very good showing and would have stood higher if they had had a better percentage attendance.

Award for the best artistic or non-commercial float was awarded to Culpeper county, which had a most attractive float drawn by four horses and very elaborately decorated. The Fairfax Chamber of Commerce received the consolation place in this division and the Manassas Kiwanis float was given third place.

In the commercial float division, the Farmers Creamery float from Fredericksburg was given the silver loving cup. Their float was generally considered to be the most beautiful float in the entire parade. Manassas Ice and Fuel Company was second and the Fussell-Young Ice Cream Company of Washington was third.

Special mention must also be made of the Linton Hall school participation, which, though not entered in any particular division of the parade, made a very nice showing.

The judges for the parade were Andrew S. Bell, secretary of the Winchester Chamber of Commerce; R. J. Posson, secretary of the Washington Dairy Council, and Roy A. Blunt, Baltimore, Md.

GARDEN CLUB HEARS EXPERT

Scientist from Washington Talks on "Soils."

The Garden Club section of the Woman's Club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. Wade-Dalton on Battle street with Mrs. Paul Cooksey as assistant hostess. Mrs. Walter Sanders, president of the garden section of the Woman's Club and past president of the Woman's Club, presided. The meeting was devoted to a study of soil preparation for the planting of flowers.

Dr. Fletcher, expert from the Bureau of Chemistry and Soils of the Department of Agriculture in Washington, addressed the group on the subject of "Soils and Their Preparation."