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LEAGUE ASSISTS NEW DEPARTMENT

Ocoquan Group Makes Liberal Donation.

The Board met Tuesday with all members present, this being the regular July meeting.

Wood contracts were let as follows: Buckhall, F. C. Carter; Brentsville, F. O. Fairburn; Manley, Warner Griffin; Antioch, William Stuart; Woodbine, Community League; Neabsco, Owen Thomas; Hayfield, Miss Bertha Woolfenden; Aden, Woodlawn, Bristow and Kettle Run, A. D. Arrington; McCrae, North Fork, Hickory Grove and Thornton, E. M. McCull.

The remaining vacancies on the teaching staff were filled.

The local fire department was given permission to use the athletic field for their annual carnival.

The contract for weatherstripping the Bennett school was let.

A forty dollar library at Bristow was authorized.

The Board was advised that the Ocoquan League had appropriated the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars toward the purchase of equipment for the new commercial department, and thereupon immediately authorized the purchase of such equipment.

An appropriation of fifty dollars was made for the new motion picture machine just purchased by the Brentsville District High School.

WINNERS NAMED ON CONTEST DAY

Spirited Competition Among 4-H Members.

County Club Contest Day was observed June 29 at Ocoquan School. Every 4-H Club member in the county was represented in contests. First place winners in these contests in the 14 year or older. Group will represent the county in state contests.

Keen interest was shown in the health contest. Miss Neal who was in charge of that contest reports the group as a whole scoring low on posture and feet. She attributes poorly constructed shoes to a large extent responsible for the foot and posture condition.

Those winning places in contests are: health (above 14) Marie Copen, Hayfield, first; Charlotte Thompson, Ocoquan, second; Minnie Rimes, Hayfield; Wilda Bourne, Ocoquan, Roberta Breen, Bethel, third.

Health (below 14) Ressie Dean, Greenwich, first; Minnie Allison, Dumfries, second; Evelyn Beery, Ocoquan, Mary Hampton, Manassas, third.

Judging (over 14) Dorothy Linton, Hayfield, first; Dorothy Hayford, Haymarket, second; Mildred Ward, Nokesville, third.

Judging (under 14) Barbara Ward, Greenwich, first; Joan Leach, Greenwich, second; Ruth Ellis, Haymarket, third.

Club Book: Lucy Johnson, Manassas, first; Ressie Dean, Greenwich, second; Helen Nelson, Nokesville, third.

Correct Dress: Church (over 14) Mildred Clark, Haymarket, first; Margerite Goode, Manassas, second; Dorothy Linton, Hayfield, third.

Church (under 14) Ellen Thompson, Ocoquan, first; June Brawner, Dumfries, second; Gertude Shirkey, Nokesville, third.

Sport (over 14) Mildred Ward, Nokesville, third.

Sport (under 14) Martha Grymes, Hayfield, first; Ellen Thompson, Ocoquan, second; Jean Leach, Greenwich, third.

Both Holstein and Guernsey classes were judged by the boys at the farm of Egbert Thompson.

Egbert Thompson, Jr., led in both the Holstein and Guernsey classes with practically a perfect score. He was followed by Eddie Russell, Richard Hayford, Johnnie Hooker, Marvin Wright and Elmer Hedrick. Several others showed up well in the contest.

Nokesville's Club song, written by Johnnie Harper and Billy Harpines, was selected as the county 4-H Club song for 1934.

Following the contests the group went to Dawson's Beach where a picnic lunch and swimming were heartily enjoyed by about 200 club boys and girls, their leaders and friends.

The 4-H Club members wish to express their appreciation to Mr. Lindsay Dawson who so generously gave them the use of his beach for the day.

CELEBRATION AT MANASSAS BATTLE PARK

The annual exercise commemorating the First Battle of Manassas will be held at the Henry House on Saturday, July 21.

The principal speakers will be Governor Charles H. Brough, of Arkansas, and Colonel C. Seymour Bullock, of South Bend, Indiana. Both of these gentlemen are fine orators and can be expected to do full justice to their subjects.

In view of the wide spread interest in the development of the Manassas Battlefield as a State-Federal Military Park, there will probably be a large gathering to take part in celebrating the anniversary of the first major battle of the War between the States.

JERSEY BREEDER DAY ANNOUNCED

Program to be Held Next Wednesday at Beltsville, Md.

10:00 a. m.—Arrive at the Beltsville Farm.

10:00 to 12:00—"Jersey Herd Improvement Through Sound Breeding." (An illustrated lecture on dairy cattle breeding) Mr. Fohrman.

12:00 to 12:30—Lunch

12:30 to 1:00—Business session.

1:00 to 1:30—Bull Management Methods and Inspection of Combine Milker (A supervised tour of inspection)

1:30 to 1:45—"The Physiology and Development of the Cows Udder" (An illustrated lecture) Mr. Sweet

2:15 to 3:15—"Good Roughages, the Basis of Economical Dairy Cattle Feeding" Mr. Woodward

Also—Inspection of pasture experimental plots.

3:15 to 3:30—Visit to North Farm to inspect Jersey herd.

An invitation has been extended to all Prince William County dairymen to attend and it is expected that a good delegation will take advantage of the opportunity to go in a body.

Wheatley M. Johnson, Manassas, is president of the Jersey Club.

STATE HOLSTEIN FIELD DAY

Annual Event to be Held on Lewis Farm, July 19.

The Virginia Holstein-Friesian Breeders annual Field Day Program will be held this year on July 19 at the farm of Percival A. Lewis on the Stone House Road just opposite the Manassas airport.

Several hundred dairymen from over the state are expected and arrangements are now being made by local committees to entertain the out of county visitors.

While those attending the all-day meeting are asked to bring basket lunches, the Prince William County Dairy Herd Improvement Association is very generously furnishing an ample supply of ice cream, lemonade, and bottled milk for the large group expected.

Arrangements are being made by the officials of the Virginia Holstein Breeders Association to have several speakers appear on the program.

This is one of the most important dairy meetings of the year and will attract the attention of the Holstein world to the excellent herds of Prince William County.

LIGHTNING STRIKES MILL

Last Saturday afternoon a bolt of lightning struck the roof of the Manassas Milling Company. Little harm was done, however, as the metallic sprinkler system extending throughout the building apparently carried the bolt safely to the ground.

FOURTH OF JULY PARTY

Dr. C. D. Stewart, who has a summer cottage at Lake Jackson, was host last night to a large number of the youngsters in the community.

There was a profuse and brilliant display of fire works and refreshments and eats galore. Doctor did a good job and his guests thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

MRS. PHILIPS TO ENTERTAIN DUMFRIES WOMEN

The Dumfries Home Demonstration Group will meet at the home of Mrs. B. F. Philips on Thursday, July 12, at 1:30 o'clock. The topic for demonstration is "Frozen Desserts".

The women of the community are cordially invited to attend.

Manassas High School Economic Girls Patronize Local Stores and Make Their Own Clothing



Group in School Dress, Left to Right: Mary Jane Morris, Anne Mauck, Helen Lyons, Betty Hatcher, Dorothy Evans, Vesta Kesner, Mildred Moore, Mary Senseny, Esther Akers.



Group in Evening Dress, Left to Right: Mildred Cooke, Mildred Parrish, Rebecca Monroe, Sarah Vetter, June Williams.

The Manassas High School Home Economics pupils not only are learning to make their own clothing, efficiently and attractively, but they also patronize their local stores, as indicated in the interesting pictures herewith presented.

The average cost of the garments was as follows: aprons 30 cents, school and morning dresses 65 cents, pajamas 85 cents, party and afternoon dresses \$1.35 to \$2.35. The girls who made acceptable and attractive garments in this department were Mary Senseny, Dorothy Evans, Mildred Parrish, Helen Gilroy, Lorraine Crosby, Dorothy Gilroy, Mary Jane Morris, Sarah Vetter, Mildred Cooke, Elizabeth Parlow, Flora Hattie, Vesta Kesner, Elva Varnier, Mildred Moore, Betty Hatcher, Helen Lyons, Rebecca Monroe, Louise Kincheloe and Agnes Beavers.

Those receiving prizes in the Home

Arts Class were Gladys Mauch, who received recognition for having proven her ability as the best all-around pupil in the various phases of home making, and Hazel Jacobs for the best all-around home project.

The following points were considered in scoring and evaluating the projects.

1. Pupil interest shown.
2. Pupil initiative shown.
3. Pupil information gained.
4. Value to pupil.
5. Value to family.
6. Did project establish apparently permanent habits of thing and acting?

Hazel's story of her project is as follows:

Gardening and Preserving Food for a Family of Six

My garden provided a variety of sixteen vegetables during the summer. (Please turn to page 8)

REV. C. P. RYLAND

The funeral of Rev. C. P. Ryland aged 64, who died in a Washington hospital on Saturday, took place from the Manassas Baptist Church on Monday, the body being shipped to Emporia where his wife was buried a year or so ago.

Reverend U. S. Knox, Falls Church, spoke as did Mr. John S. Sauer, both of whom were closely associated with the deceased.

Rev. S. Y. Craig, of the Fairfax Baptist Church, gave the prayer and the benediction was pronounced by Leamon Ledman, clerk of the local church and a moderator of the Association.

A pretty sight was presented by the girls of the Junior B. Y. P. U. who carried the floral offerings. Mr. Ryland founded the branch during his ministry here.

Surviving Mr. Ryland are his son, Dr. C. P. Ryland of Birmingham, N. Y., one grandchild, two brothers and a sister, all of South Hill, Va.

During his rather brief service here the beloved pastor had endeared himself to the entire town as well as all members of his own congregation. Prior to his pastorate here, Mr. Ryland held charges at Emporia, Windsor, Buchanan, Richmond and Clarendon in Virginia; Washington, D. C. and Roxboro in North Carolina. None however seemed to hold more delight for him than his work in Manassas.

STARLIGHT CABIN BALL

On Saturday evening, July 21, a Starlight Cabin Ball will be held at Lake Jackson, sponsored by Mrs. William Laird Dunlop, Jr., of Washington, a prominent social hostess of that city.

LEAGUE GAME

Manassas A. C. will play a league game Sunday, July 8, with White Star Market on Swavely Field at 3 p. m.

NOKESVILLE WOMEN TO MEET

The Nokesville Home Demonstration Group will meet Wednesday, July 11, at 7:30 p. m. at the Seminary building. The program will be recreational and will be conducted by Mrs. Ernest Spitzer and Mrs. J. F. Hale.



LAWRENCE ROLAND

Newly elected president of Rotary Club of Alexandria.

President Roland outlined a plan of activities for the club during the year.

STORY OF ROSE HEARD BY CLUB

Bethlehem Ladies Present Interesting Studies.

Mrs. Annie E. Spies was the gracious hostess to the Bethlehem Good Housekeeping Club at her home on Battle Street, Thursday afternoon, June 28.

Owing to conflicting dates the attendance was small. However, under the splendid leadership of Mrs. R. L. Sadd the meeting swung into action and in every way proved a success.

A strong protest against shifting dates and places of meeting was heard and it is sincerely hoped that any variance in the Club Year Book will not be necessary in the future.

Tentative plans for annual picnic are under way. The third Wednesday in August is the day and the following committees have been named to complete the plans:

Transportation: Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson and Mrs. T. J. Broadus; Luncheon: Mrs. Maud Kincheloe, Mrs. Annie Spies and Mrs. John Lyons.

Mrs. Lucy D. Washington presented an interesting program on the much loved "Rose." It is said in an article sent in by Mrs. Pierson, who could not be present, that the rose is as old as history. It is also written that a noted German archeologist found the dried remains of rose gardens buried with Egyptian mummies, and they are identified as being some of the varieties which are still found in our gardens.

Mrs. Washington then read an article on the "Wild Rose" and in conclusion a poem, "Roses are Beauty" was read by Mrs. Wheatley Johnson.

The reception room was artistically decorated with cut flowers. The president's table was adorned with a mass of the familiar but charming little flower, the daisy, representing the choice of the club also the duo colors of yellow and white.

At 4:30 o'clock business became history when the hostess in her usual pleasing manner delighted her guests by serving a two course plate dinner. The group of members present were Mrs. Lucy D. Washington, Mrs. R. L. Sadd, Mrs. Manie Hart, Mrs. Maud Kincheloe, Mrs. John W. Lyons, Mrs. R. L. Byrd, Mrs. Smily Round, Mrs. Wheatley Johnson, Miss Florence Kincheloe and Mrs. Hubbard, a guest. The social hour was one of pleasure and will long be remembered.

In July the Club will be the guest of Mrs. Lucy Washington and Mrs. Nannie K. Middleton at the home of the former near Greenwich.

Mrs. Robert A. Hutchison will arrange for this meeting a patriotic program assisted in music by Miss Florence Kincheloe.

GREENWICH WOMEN PRESENT PROGRAM

The women of the Greenwich Home Demonstration Group will present a program for the School League at the meeting on Thursday evening, July 12. An interesting feature of the evening's entertainment will be the parade of the beauty contestants. Special music will be provided and delightful refreshments will be on sale following the program.

C. H. Wine spent the 4th at his old home in Stafford.

Rev. J. Murray Taylor has been appointed a notary public by Governor Peery.

KIWANIS FEASTED BY ADEN LADIES

Many Unique Features on Program.

The Kiwanis Club stepped out of its bailiwick last Friday and journeyed down to the hospitable realms known as Aden.

There beneath the spreading oak-nut trees the girls fed them until they didn't want to quit and come home.

Ray Ratcliffe tried to sing and eat at one time which was a poor combination so he stopped both and went to a church meeting, with Joe Lyon as chauffeur.

Hunton Tiffany believes in freedom of speech so he called to several of the boys, including Mr. Bowman and the brothers Kerlin. The judges decided that Fred knew so much about lightning bugs that they give him first prize, with Ed Conner, the political wizard making a close second and Bob Hutchinson, consolation prize. Waiving the code, Hunton decided to give Will Kerlin some encouragement for his mighty effort. (Don't forget to call, Will)

Then the mystery girl waffled in and curtsied for the crowd. She did the job so well that the boys used up the girl calling game and even Fred Hynson didn't know his wife.

A number of the Aden folks came in and had dinner with the boys and helped have a good time. It was well worth the trip and the boys are looking forward to another inivation.

MANASSAS A. C. SWAMPS HERNDON

Heavy Hitting Features MAC's Second League Win.

Manassas journeyed to Herndon Sunday and had no difficulty in ringing up their second straight League win. A total of 22 runs, including home run and 4 doubles, rattled off the local's bats. Aided by seven alien errors, they piled up the impressive total of 19 runs while their opponents were able to garner but 3 over the nine inning stretch.

The Herndon diamond is the kind you read about—in the funny papers. And, it may be added, the umpiring was in keeping with the playing field. The outfield, from left to right, goes into a marvelous wide sweeping out-drop, leaving the center fielder in doubt and the right fielder, for all practical purposes, out of the game. Lynn essayed the part of Alpine goat in the right field gully for the locals. And he caught a fly. A feat which we think under the circumstances entitled him to recognition of some sort.

Woodard lost no time in serving notice on the Herndon pitchers that they were in for a nasty afternoon. He looped Deaver's first pitch into right field close to the foul line and completed the circuit of the bases when the ball played rabbit and carefully hid itself in the shrubbery back of first base. Lynn followed with a single to center and the stampe was on. Five runs were across before temporarily brought the uprising under control by tossing out Woodward, up for the second time, for the third out. But not long. They continued their assault in the second, warmly greeting Murphy, who sought to come to Deaver's rescue and raised the total to ten before the inning was over. They added a pair of tallies in the third, four more in the fourth, and then just to be interested, they chalked up an additional pair of runs in the eighth and thereby upped the total to 19 where it mercifully stood the remainder of the afternoon.

Herndon, after threatening in the first and second, broke into the run column in the third, scoring twice on two hits coupled with a walk and a pair of errors. A single run in the day. A brilliant running catch of Tanker's looper to short by Saunders in this inning enabled Dreifus to escape without further damage.

Bradshaw hurried the last two innings for Manassas. In the ninth, after giving up a hit to Murphy, he retired the side on strikes, disposing of the last two batters with six. (Please turn to back page)

NOTICE

The United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet with Mrs. Roseberry on July 11. This is a postponed meeting.