

MACS MAINTAIN LEAD WITH WIN

Ft. Myer Offers Stubborn Resistance Before Succumbing by 4 to 3 Score.

Manassas completed the first half of its League schedule Sunday in a gratifying though not so impressive manner, defeating the Fort Myer A. C. for its fifth consecutive win. The victory enabled the Macs to maintain their lead by a slim half game margin over Ballston, their nearest rivals, who also won, swamping Clarendon under a 17 to 4 score. Ft. Myer, the loser in each of its previous five games, offered the League Leaders unexpected opposition before taking it on the chin for the sixth straight time. With Wurdemann absent, the Macs presented a revised lineup, Kite and Dreyfus playing third and first, respectively, and M. Bradshaw doing the flinging. M. Bradshaw was soundly thumped during the first part of the game, giving up eight hits, all singles, in the first five innings. He steadied after the fifth, however, fanning five and not permitting a runner to advance beyond the initial sack.

Failure to hit in the pinches proved costly to the locals cause, nine men being left stranded on the bases, eight of whom had reached third. They collected nine hits, including three triples and a double, received three bases on balls and benefited by six alien miscues and yet were able to tally but four times. The Macs scored a run in the first, added two more in the second on a lone hit and scored their winning margin in the fifth in a like manner.

Woodard opened the home half of the first with a walk but was erased at third as he attempted to score two bases on Lynn's single to center, the latter reaching second on the play. Vetter followed with a single to center and Lynn scored when H. Strassers throw bounded past third, Vetter moving up to second on the error. Saunders flied to right, Vetter going to third after the catch but the rally ended when N. Bradshaw fanned for the third out.

Only one hit was necessary to push across a pair of runs in the second. Dreyfus opened the inning with a walk and scored when Kite met one of McKeever's pitches on the seam and lined it over the left fielders head for a triple. Kidwell left.

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SHEEP CLAIMANTS MUST SUMMON WARDEN

Whereas, C. L. Reading, Game Warden of Prince William County, has been allowed the sum of ten dollars per month for services to this Board in the matter of claims for damages to animals and fowls by dogs.

Therefore be it ordered, that this board shall not allow any such damage claim until such claim is approved by said C. L. Reading, Game Warden of Prince William County, and the said game warden, upon the request of any person having animals or fowls killed or injured by Dogs shall at once make a view and an investigation touching such claim and recommend in every case whether this board should pay such claim.

Above resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors June 26, 1934, and again ordered published July 24, 1934.

BULL RUN GRANGE GETTING READY FOR ANNUAL EVENT

Bull Run Grange has completed plans for August 10th, for what they hope will be the most successful Field Day and Tournament that they have ever held. Two baseball games and races and contests with prizes will make it a worthwhile day, to say nothing of the Tournament—here is a chance for the young men of the country-side to show their skill as horsemen.

The entry fee for riders is, very small, which entitles him also to the Coronation Ball at night.

Fort Humphrey's Band will furnish music during the day and a seven piece orchestra for the dance at night.

We all need a little fun as an antidote for the drought and the worries that beset the farmer.

LAWN PARTY AT GREENWICH

The public is cordially invited to a lawn party at Greenwich School on Wednesday evening, August 1. The party is being given by the local 4-H Club for the benefit of Jamestown Short Course Fund.

STORM DID DAMAGE

The heavy showers which arose just before dark last night did no little damage throughout the county, particularly south and west of Manassas. Hail fell in sections and some corn was badly stripped. Other report barns unroofed, silos overturned, stock killed and houses partially flooded by the high wind which accompanied the downpour.

Although there have been a number of stock killed by the heat no reports have come in of human fatalities.

BRENTSVILLE TO HOLD FAIR SEPT. 4

Officers are Elected and Superintendents Appointed.

At a meeting of the executive committee of Brentsville District Fair held on Thursday evening, Mr. M. J. Shepherd was elected chairman of the 1934 Brentsville District Fair. Miss Mae Fountain was named secretary.

The following people have been placed in charge of their respective departments:

- Handwork—Mrs. E. E. Hale, Mrs. M. J. Shepherd, Mrs. A. Armstrong.
- Dairy Products—Mrs. W. R. Free, Mrs. Mark Kerlin, Mr. S. C. Foster.
- Baking Department—Mrs. John Harph, Mrs. E. C. Spitzer, Mrs. C. E. Nebb.
- Flower Department—Mrs. J. O. Bittle, Mrs. O. L. Marsteller, Mrs. K. M. Bradshaw.
- 4-H Club Department—Mrs. N. N. Free.
- Canned Products—Mrs. Harry Mertz, Mabel Hedrick.
- Canned Products—Mrs. Earl DeGrange, Mildred Wood.
- Garden—Mrs. Amos Corder, Hazel Owens.
- Canned Products—Mrs. L. B. Flickenger, Mrs. J. F. Hale, Mrs. H. C. Allen.
- Hays and Grass—Mr. J. O. Bittle, Mr. M. J. Kerlin, Mr. Billy King.
- Dairy Department—Mr. C. B. Fitzwater, Philip Reading, Clifford Bear.
- Fruits—Mr. W. R. Nelson, Mazzyk Wood, Mr. John Seymour.
- Poultry—Ivan Fountain, Mr. John Herring, Mrs. Carl Miller.
- Truck Crops—Mrs. L. J. Bowman, Mr. J. M. Ellicott, Mr. R. Showalter.
- Corn and Small Grains—Mr. David Kerlin, Mr. M. Seese, Mr. James Moss.

September 4 has been set as the date for the Brentsville District Fair.

METHODISTS HOLD THEIR SESQUI-CENTENNIAL -OCTOBER 10-14

October 10-14 is the date for the observance of this 150th anniversary to be held in Baltimore. The three Methodisms—Methodist Episcopal, Methodist Episcopal, South, and Methodist Protestant, together with the colored bodies unite in this celebration. They represent twenty-five millions of the people of the United States.

RECITAL

The class of Miss Eloise Compton will give a recital at Parrish Hall in Manassas on the evening of July 27 at 8:30. The public is cordially invited.

DR. J. C. McDOWELL TO ADDRESS GUERNSEY MEETING

Dr. J. C. McDowell, chief of the dairy herd improvement section of the U. S. Bureau of Dairying, will address the Virginia Guernsey dairymen at their annual summer meeting at V. P. I. on August 2. He will speak on "Dairy Adjustment That Will Pay in Virginia." The meeting is considered an important feature of the dairy program at the annual State Farmers' Institute, July 31 to August 2.

"The improved system of record keeping and cow testing developed throughout the dairy herd improvement associations of the country under the supervision of Dr. McDowell is largely responsible for the great strides that have been made in dairy improvement during the past ten years. Dr. McDowell is well known among Virginia dairymen, not only for his intimate knowledge of the dairymen's problems but also for his philosophy of rural living and his wealth of homespun wit.

Prof. C. W. Holdaway, head of the dairy husbandry department at V. P. I., will deliver the address of welcome and outline briefly the Guernsey developments in the V. P. I. herd.

H. C. Bates, southern agent of the American Guernsey cattle club, will

discuss Guernsey cattle sales and what they should mean to a state association of Guernsey breeders. Mr. has also taken a direct part in developing 4-H dairy club work, and in distributing good cattle among farmers of the southern states, which activities have contributed to the well-being of many families.

C. T. Rice, of Oakton, Va., sales representative for many distant cattle buyers, is to speak on "The Essentials of Sound Guernsey Herd Development." Through his influence, Virginia dairy cattle have been sold into some of the leading dairy herds of this country, and into South American countries and the West Indies, where they have helped establish Virginia's reputation as a dairy state. Mr. Rice will bring to the meeting observations gained from his extensive travels.

T. Benton Gayle, president of the Guernsey association and manager of Sherwood Forest farm at Fredericksburg, will have charge of the program and preside at the business session.

The meeting will convene at 10 o'clock and adjourn at 1:30. A special dairy program sponsored by the V. P. I. dairy department as a part of the Farmers' Institute will follow.

LEAVE FOR BLACKSBURG

Twelve 4-H club girls, boys and leaders left early Monday morning for the State 4-H Club Short Course at Blacksburg.

Those representing the county at the annual 4-H meeting are Dorothy Linton, Hayfield; Charlotte Thompson, Occoquan; Leo Garman, Nokesville; Billy Hale, Nokesville; Mildred Wood, Nokesville; John C. Russell, Occoquan; Patsy Keyes, Hayfield; Leslie Bourne, Occoquan; Egbert Thompson, Jr., Occoquan; and John Earhart, Aden.

The Prince William School Bus, driven by Mr. Eastman Keyes, Dumfries, was also to stop for delegations from Fairfax and Frederick Counties.

Leaders accompanying the group were Mrs. N. N. Free, Nokesville; Mrs. John Sweeney, Haymarket, and Edward Russell, Occoquan.

Those attending have enrolled for special courses in agriculture and home economics while the adult leaders are enrolled in leadership classes.

U. D. C. TO MEET WITH MRS. R. A. HUTCHISON

The Manassas Chapter, U. D. C. will meet Wednesday, August 1, at 3 p. m. with Mrs. R. A. Hutchison.

TRUCK OWNERS TO HOLD MASS ELECTION MEETING

A state-wide meeting of truck owners and operators will be held in the City Auditorium, Richmond, Va., on Saturday, July 28, at 10 a. m.

The purpose of this meeting is to elect the members of the Virginia State Code Authority for the Trucking Industry, as required under the NRA Code for that industry.

Every owner of a for-hire vehicle who registered his vehicles under the Code prior to the close of business June 28 and who signed the Assent to the Code by that date, is qualified to vote in this election. Notices of the meeting have been mailed to every qualified member of the Trucking Industry in Virginia.

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

We want to again remind the good people of Prince William County of the Sunday School Convention which is being held at the Seminary, Nokesville, afternoon and night Sunday, August 26. We have been able to secure the Washington City Church of the Brethren Choir for the night program which will consist mostly of music.

Mr. David Weimer is director of this choir and Miss Rosa Long, pianist.

The Sopranos are Mrs. Ruth Brooks, Miss Mary Holsopple, Mrs. Alice Kendig, Mrs. Mabel Owens, Miss Mildred Waldon, Altos

Mrs. Evelyn Brothers
Miss Edith Frantz
Miss Charleen Kendig
Miss Leona Waldon
Mrs. Miriam Wenger
Tenors

Paul Burkitt
Emmer Kline
Arnold Manuel
Richard Seiss
Jerome Sandy
Basses
Caleb Frantz
Charles Kendig
Douglas Hedrick
Virgil Weimer
Condrey Long

This is indeed a great privilege to hear this fine choir and we hope you will plan anything else for this date.

Mrs. L. J. Bowman,
Secy Co. S. S. Association

A few weeks ago we published a request for old books and magazines for the boys at Camp Recovery.

For a time the response was generous but the supply has dwindled to naught for the past two weeks. Let us remind our readers of this with the hope that they will rummage again and bring us more reading matter for our young friends.

LEINBACH TALKS TO KIWANIS

Club Accepts Haymarket Invitations.

Hunton Tiffany, our leading code expert, made a compromise with his speaker last week and in return for the sudden demand required the speaker to use a minimum scale of time for the evening. There was no strike and no need of arbitration.

Reverend Leinbach chose his subject just as freely as he had been called on and gave the boys ten minutes of solid common sense talk which was keenly appreciated.

An invitation from the Guild at Haymarket was tentatively accepted for August 3.

Except for some by play between Frank and Bob and a big juicy lot of watermelon very little else happened.

SACRED MUSIC FESTIVAL

Mrs. R. F. Logan and Miss Virginia N. Speiden attended the Sacred Music Festival at Massanetta Spring last week. This festival climaxed the summer session of the Massanetta School of Sacred Music, which is held annually under the direction of Dr. John Finley Williamson of the Westminster Choir School, Princeton, N. J.

The final concert was presented on Friday evening by a chorus of 2,000 voices, made up of choirs and vocal ensembles throughout the state, and directed by Dr. Williamson. This concert was held out of doors at sunset, the natural beauty of the location lending itself to the effectiveness of the beautiful music. During several numbers, the chorus was divided, singing antiphonally from two hill-sides. As the moon rose, the concert was brought to a close by the singing of "How Lovely is Thy Dwelling," from Brahms' Requiem. It is hoped that Manassas can send a representation to take part in this event next year.

REVIVAL MEETING

A two weeks Revival Meeting at Calvary Church, beginning Monday night, August 13, will be held each night at eight o'clock. The pastor will be assisted by Rev. J. W. Brill, Martinsburg, W. Va., who is expected to be here August 15, and will preach each night thereafter. Rev. Brill was pastor of Manassas Charge from 1910 to 1916. His many friends here will welcome his visit to our midst, and all will want to hear his devout minister of the Gospel.

BULL RUN IS LIVED AGAIN

Dramatic Addresses and Loyal Southern Music Feature The Day.

On Saturday last, seventy three years after the stirring battle that sent the Federal troops pell-mell over old Long Bridge, the descendants of the gray clad victors met to do honor to the deeds of their glorious fathers. Only four veterans responded to the roll, the oppressive heat keeping others away.

Hon. John W. Rust, president of the Board of Trustees of the Battle Park, presided as he has done for years previous. The singing of Dixie was led by a quartette composed of Mrs. J. L. Hatcher, Mrs. Robert Logan, Rev. John M. DeChant and Mr. Alvin Kline, with Miss Virginia Speiden at the little organ. They also sang a number of old Southern melodies.

The leading recitation was given by Miss Virginia Conner who gave Douglas Clark's "When the Camp Fires are Out." The sentiments were very touching and Miss Conner recited in a most approved manner.

Hon. Charles H. Brough, former governor of Arkansas during the World War, and at present chairman of the Boundary Commission at Washington, spoke on the "Glory of the Old South and the Greatness of the New." Governor Brough is an excellent speaker and his recitation of the idealism of the Virginia of yesterday and all that it means to posterity was indeed worth hearing. Bringing to them a picture of Virginia of today and the wonders that have been accomplished by her native sons, Governor Brough drew hearty applause.

Colonel Seymour Bullock, U. S. A., of South Bend, Ind., for years interested in the Bull Run Battlefield from a military standpoint, came at Mr. Rust's invitation. Speaking from the actual scene of action with the vision of one trained in military science, Colonel Bullock was full of praise for the cool reserve of the great Jackson maneuvering a defeat into a marvellous victory. Colonel Bullock was repeatedly interrupted by applause for his complimentary references to the Southern leaders.

The intense heat of the day had a depressing effect on the usual large crowd which often exceeds a thousand, and perhaps less than five hundred were there. The delightful luncheon which was served in the old picnic grove brought all the loyal Southerners present into close fellowship.

A feature of the day was the exhibit of the finished plans of the battlefield museum which were exhibited from the speakers' platform and explained by Mr. Hopkins, of the Sons of Veterans.

The speaking was still going on at about three o'clock when Colonel Sharwin, U. S. A., who had been giving the audience an interesting talk, also from a romantic as well as a military standpoint, was interrupted by the sudden approach of a heavy shower and the crowd reluctantly dispersed.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB VERY ACTIVE

The Junior Woman's Club has been unusually active during the summer months, having sponsored several worthwhile things. Glasses were provided for several Bennett School children through the combined efforts of Miss Neel and the Club members. It has also been arranged for the Club girls to assist Miss Neel by having a playground while she is holding a class in the lower part of the county.

A sewing class has been sponsored by the Juniors, under the supervision of Miss Helen Lloyd. This was started to give the women of the town who are out of work some sewing and to make clothes for the needy. The project will be continued under the F. E. R. A. if funds are sufficient.

NEW ROAD WORK

County Engineer Hubbard is to be congratulated on the swift and efficient manner in which the Centreville-Manassas road has been resurfaced and at the same time kept open and safe for traffic.

This is the third time that a completely new surface has been laid in four years, and is such the best treatment it has had, even considering the original construction.

The patrolmen on this road are very much to be praised. During the severe winter they watched every weak spot and doctored it.



"RALLY BEHIND THE VIRGINIANS! THERE STANDS JACKSON LIKE A STONEWALL!" FIRST BATTLE OF MANASSAS, JULY 21, 1863.