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CLUB WORKS FOR **COUNTY ROAD**

Hopeful of Having Same Included in Federal System.

The Kiwanis Club at its regular meeting on Friday evening decided to have as many of its members as possible to go to Fredericksburg next the club in that city.

Raymond Ratcliffe read a very interesting paper in which the membership of the club since its organihave dropped out can be urged to ing service.

had been held regarding the improvecording to the tenor of this report it appears that there is an excellent chance of having this road included in the Federal system within the State which would call for decided improvement within the next few years.

This committee went to Richmon this week and reports a satisfactory interview with Hon. Harry Shirley, Highway Engineer.

COUNTY CORN AND GRAIN SHOW TO BE HELD DEC. 15

The County Corn and Grain Show will be held at Manassas on Decem-

At a meeting in the near future, detailed plans will be made for the

Tentative plans call for classes for white and yellow field corn, ensilage corn, a utility corn class in which germination and disease tests will be made, a shelling class, clover seed, Korean lespedeza hay and orchard grass seed.

Among the premiums to be offered will be State certified seed corn, soil reaction testing kits, approved seed treating materials, and inoculating

Prof. T. B. Hutcheson, who has accepted an invitation to judge the exhibits at the show, will speak on the subject of crop improvement. James Godkin will discuss means of controlling corn and small grain dis-

U. D. C. PLAY

The U. D. C. benefit play which was held at the high school on Thursday and Friday evenings of last week was a success from every angle. The director adapted herself to the personnel of the cast and trained them suickly and efficiently, with the result smoothly and very prettily both eve-

Getting up an amateur play is always a difficult matter, but it seems that in Manassas such things are done with great facility.

It would be difficult to enumerate the stars in the play as everyone carried out their parts mighty nicely. Those who had the brunt of the work to do, however, were undoubtedly Miss Helen Lloyd and the Messrs. Sedrick Saunders and John Henry Burke. The dance numbers were extremely beautiful. As a director of the Hill Billies, Dr. Newman also had a difficult part and his interpretation of "Melodramy" assisted by the pathetic solo of Jenkyns Davies, plus the unfortunate actors involved, received a great hand. The solo numbers of Miss Compton, who was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. W. L. Compton, were professional in their execution

The dancing and singing of the kiddies had its part too while the patriotic ensemble was colorful and inspiring.

The musical numbers throughout the whole show were rendered to perfection and the rhythm of the dances was equally precise and enjoyable.

ARMISTICE DAY SPEAKER

The Manassas Woman's Club will have as Armistice Day speaker at their November meeting next Wednesday afternoon, the 14th, Dr. Elmer Louis Kayser of George Washington University.

Invitations have been extended to the senior classes of the county high schools and the public is also invited to hear this address on "International Relations" by one of Wash-

ington's most popular speakers.

The hour scheduled for Dr. Kayser's address will be from 2:30 to

ROLL CALL PLANS COMPLETE

Plans for the annual Roll Call of the Prince William County Chapter, American Red Cross, have been completed according to announcement of Mrs. J. A. Delaney, roll call chairman. Workers have been appointed in every community, and a great deal of interest and enthusiasm has been shown by interested persons, a number having already sent in their sub-scription. The goal set by National Tuesday to carry the Golden Rule to Headquarters for the county chapter is 500 members but it is the hope of Mrs. Delaney that the results will far exceed this amount, as funds are very much needed by the chapter to zation was outlined and discussed. It carry on its program and to give its is hoped that several of those who usual financial support to the nurs-

A special effort is being made to Wm. F. Cocke, chairman of the enroll \$5.00 members, \$4.50 of each roads committee, reported on the such membership staying in the successful series of meetings which county chapter treasury for local use. All donations, above the \$1.00 memment of the cross-county road. Ac- bership fee, are also kept by chapter.

Your support is most earnestly solicited. Memberships may be given to your local solicitor or mailed to Mrs. J. A. Delaney, Manassas, Va.

Make your Thanksgiving offering a membership in the local Red Cross Chapter.

JOHN HARPINE TO HEAD GROUP

Brentsville District Community Association Had Successful Year.

The November meeting brought the work of the Brentsville District Community Association for 1934 to a close. Under the leadership of Mr. Mahlon Seese, the association has had a very successful year. Seven committees—agricultural, home mak ing, civic, educational, social, religious and publicity-have carried out to completion the program of work set up for Brentsville District early in the year.

The following officers for 1935 were elected Tuesday evening: John Harpine, president, secretary.

Members of the seven committe for the coming year were also elected from the district at large. An intensive district improvement program for 1935 will be planned by the officers and these committees before the end of the year.

MANASSAS U. D. C. CHAPTER MEETING

The Manassas Chapter, U. D. C. met November 7 with Mrs. Robert Gulick. Miss Clara Lamb and Mrs. Gustavus Hutchison were assistant hostesses.

a large attendance. Mrs Sanford forts being made to provide a new high school.

Misses Gulick of Lenah. Mr. L. W. diamond for the team adjacent to from the 8th Virginia Chapter were the high school. The club was as- The ladies of the M. E. Church will present, also a number of guests and sured that both the School Board and hold an oyster supper in the Creama member of the Manassas Chapter the Town Council were favorably in- ery building at Gainesville on Friday, from Washington, Mrs. L. W. Kase-clined towards the proposition. They the 16th, beginning at 4 p.m. hagen.

Among the guests present were Mrs. James I. Coffey, Mrs. L. M. Truman, Mrs. M. A. Johnson, and the Misses Gulick of Lena. Mr. L. W. Kasehagen and Mr. L. L. Lonas were the gentlemen present.

Mrs. L. Lonas, our new president presiding, the salute to the Confederate flag was given and Dixie sung Mrs. Herbert Nash was given a hearty vote of thanks for her work in putting on "The World's All Right," and the chapter is grateful to the as sistance from the schools and community. Mrs. Maude Kincheloe reported \$30.50 made from the rum-

nage sale. The chapter is to hold a silver tea in the near future. The chapter stood in silent tribute to the memory of a valued member, Mrs. Westwood Hutchison.

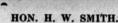
Delegates elected to the general convention in New York were Mrs. L. L. Lonas, Mrs. L. W. Kasehagen, Mrs. Robert Gulick, Mrs. Herbert Nash. Alternates, Miss Virginia Speiden, Mrs. T. J. Ashford, Mrs. R. A. Hutchison and Mrs. Lucy Washington.

Mrs. R. A. Hutchison was intro duced as chairman of the 4th District and gave her report of the State convention held in Petersburg, Va., a city famous for its history and historical places. Mrs. Robert Gulick read a splendid article on what the United Daughters of the Confederacy stood for.

After the social time thanks were expressed to our hostesses for their lovely hospitality and entertainment.

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"DOC" DREIFUS HONORED

The members of the Manassas Athletic Club, together with a goodly number of local fans, gathered around the festive board Wednesday evening to honor "Doc" Dreifus, whose efforts on the mound were largely responsible for the success of the local club during the past season. More than sixty attended the dinner which was served by the Eastern Star in the rooms of the latter of the Alexandria Gazette, gave a organization. Among those present were Mayor Davis, Town Manager W. F. Cocke and Superintendent of Schools, Richard Haydon. Mr. Fred local fans for the hearty support Hynson, president of the club, acted

Mayor Davis, in reviewing the vents of the past season, pointed out that baseball, when played in a clean and fair manner, was an asset to any community. And he was of the opinion that the local club, by consistently playing that type of base-ball, had established an enviable reputation. In conclusion he expressed the wish that the club strive in the future to keep that good name.

"Doc" Dreifus was presented with an appropriately inscribed silver pitcher, a gift of the fans, in appreciation for his services to the local team. Silver baseballs were awarded to members of the team, including Reeves, N. Bradshaw, Lynn, Wurdemann, Dreifus, W. Kite, Saunders, T. Kite, Kidwell, Woodard, M. Bradshaw and Vetter. The presentation of the cup and of the baseballs were made by Mayor Davis.

It was a delightful meeting with Haydon each briefly discussed the ef- year for the various teams of the

expressed the belief that the co-op BY LOCAL FANS, eration of all parties concerned would insure the success of the project.

> Coach Reeves expressed his appreciation for the co-operation he had received from the members of the team during the past season. The viewpoint of the fans was ably expressed by Mr. Davies while Mr. Buchanon, the secretary of the Northern Virginia League, briefly told of the plans for the coming year. Jack Tulloch, a member of the staff very interesting talk on athletics in general and baseball in particular. He was warm in his praise for the given the team. Among those who spoke briefly during the course of the evening were "Doc" Cocke, Lynn, Bradshaw, Woodard, Douglas Merchant, Kite and Vetter. Mr. Hynson read an interesting story concerning three former big league stars, Ray Chapman, Tris Speaker and Wilbert Robinson. In closing Mr. Hynson stated that a meeting would be called in the near future for the election of o cers and to perfect plans for the ensuing year.

A. A. DRIVE

The Athletic Association of Manassas High School Tuesday closed a very successful membership drive. The school was divided into two teams, The Blues and Golds. The drive resulted in a tie with 81 mem-berships for each team. This is the berships for each team. This is the highest membership number reached in recent years. The money will be in recent years. The money will be used from time to time thruout the used from time to time thruout the last three through the last three three through the last three thr

WHERE DO I GO FROM HERE!

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SCHOOL BOARD **FIXES AGE RULE**

Will Not Allow Entrance Under Six Years.

Wellington ____

The County School Board met yesterday with all members present and transacted quite a bit of important

business. The committee which was appointed to confer with the Manassas Athletic Group, reported favorably on the co-operative plan for the use of a portion of the high school lot at the edge of the Corporation. Under this plan the athletic group would erect a stand and construct an up-todate ball park for the use of the same on Sundays during the spring and summer, the school reserving the use of it at their own convenience on week-days. The Board took no final action on this matter, although tentatively approving the same.

Resolutions of sympathy were for-warded to the family of Georgia Berry, a teacher at Manley's for twenty-nine years.

A study of the children now enrolled in the first grade throughout the county shows that pupils entering the first grade who are under six years of age are not making the same progress as others who were six years of age when the school term opened. The Board passed a resolution as follows: Beginning with the school term of 1935 and 1936, no

J. L. Mauck was appointed janitor at Manassas vice Harry Runaldue resigned. O. R. Hersch was appointed an instructor at Greenwich vice garet Lewis, Grace Hite and Con Alvin Kline, resigned.

School Leagues offering to pay to the extent of at least 50 per cent of the cost in each case, the following ginia N. Speiden, Miss Gladys Ball improvements were authorized by the and Mrs. Stuart Gibson came in later improvements were authorized by the Board: Woodbine, guttering in front; Greenwich, chairs for auditorium; Woodlawn, window sashes, and Haymarket, duplicating machine. SPECIAL PROGRAM

AT HIGH SCHOOL

A combined Armistice Day and Education program will be held at Manassas High School on Friday afternoon, November 9, from 2:30 to 3:30. The program will be presented jointly by the High School and the Manassas Patrons Leagues. The speakers will be Commodore Longfellow, national chairman of the Red Cross Life Saving Committee; Rev. W. M. Compton, and Captain H. W. Jamison, commander of the local post of the American Legion. The school patrons and the public

are cordially invited to attend. Commodore Longfellow will also b

a guest speaker at the meeting of the Kiwanis Club tomorrow evening. IS MAKING HIGH

SCHOLASTIC RECORD

Miss Hattie Mae Partlow, daugh ter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace E. Partlow of Manassas, was elected reporter for the Junior Class in the recent student elections at the State Teach ers College, East Radford, Va. Miss Partlow is a member of the

Junior Class and is making an outstanding academic record at the Radford College. She has recently been tension department.

PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY VOTE Republican Party Reduced to Vanishing Point.

> Democrats swept away the last substantial barrier to absolute control on Tuesday when the election gave them a gain of 9 seats in the Senate and 5 in the House, placing the majority party in a position to control three fourts of the House vote. Latest returns give the Democrats 309, Republicans 98, Farm Labor 3 and Progressives 7.

Pennsylvania, traditional fortress of Republicanism, went Democratic. Even the Republican victory in California, is not regarded as a party triumph, because Democrats joined in administering a smashing defeat 61 to Sinclair and his Communistic pro-24 gram.

Latest returns from Maryland are unfavorable for Governor Ritchie, however, although the vote there is so close that the result is still in doubt and a recount may result.

In Virginia the Democratic ticket carried by the traditional majorities, despite the very light vote, which had been thought to be advantageous to the opposition. Senator Harry Floyd Byrd and Congressman Howard W. Smith received the unqualified endorsement of Virginia Democrats.

With the Republican strength at its lowest since the War between the States, it is widely predicted that there will be a division in Congress this winter more on economic than political lines, the various recovery measures having aroused widely differing points of view. In the meantime Republicanism faces a very gloomy prospect for the next national campaign.

DELIGHTFUL PARTY FOR RECENT BRIDES

Mrs. Vivian V. Gillum and Mrs. Robert F. Logan were joint hose es at bridge on Saturday aftern at the home of Mrs. Gillum, hono two recent brides, Mrs. Benja Higgs Lewis and Mrs. James Edv Bradford, jr.

A variety of at leaves were used to de er floor, where five tal er floor, where five tables of contract were in play. Miss Madeleine Mc-Coy, holder of high score, was awarded a bottle of Coty's perfume. The hostesses presented Mrs. Lewis with an attractive vase in yellow and amber, and to Mrs. Bradfor barnacle lamp. At the concluthe game, a salad course was

Those playing were Mrs. Lewis Mrs. Bradford, Misses Veta Marie Evelyn Cocke; Mes Smith, J. P. Lyon, Richard Haydon, F. R. Hynson, J. E. Bradford, Mar-

Miss Anne Bradford, Mrs. Percival Lewis, Mrs. Fred Dowell, Miss Virfor refreshments.

INSTALLATION OF BAPTIST PASTOR

An installation service for Rev. C. B. Jones, pastor of the Baptist Church, will be held at the church on Friday evening, Nov. 9, at 7:45

There will be several musical selections and the pastors of the town will take part on the program.

Mr. Robt. A. Hutchison will deliver the installation address.

The public is cordially invited to

NEWS BULLETIN

Early this afternoon the Board of Supervisors passed a resolution permitting the County School Board to borrow \$25,000 fo the immediate constuction of a moden high school near the town of Haymarket.

This resolution was not passed until it was demonstrated that 185 qualified voters had signed the petition on requesting the passage of the resolution. This was apparently a majority of the qualified voters in the entire district.

The total list contained 282 signstures while a petition carrying 130 signatures was presented requesting a bond issue.

MR. J. J. DAVIES MUCH BETTER

Friends of Mr. J. J. Davies of Culappointed student assistant in the ex- peper will be glad to learn that he is on the road to recovery.