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CHOPPAWAMSIK PARK STARTED

Will Be Playground for Unprivileged Children of Washington.

The recreational park which is being developed in lower Prince William has become a virtual reality in the past two weeks...

The tract involves something over eight thousand acres of land which is being purchased at an average cost of a little over eight dollars an acre.

One of the interesting features of this development as an outlet for the National Capital is the possibility of benefiting underprivileged children.

Practical forestry work will probably be carried on by the C. C. C. Camp which is being spoken of as a relocation from its present headquarters.

Others locally who have been employed either in field or office work on this project have been Mr. J. L. Dawson, who has done much of the assessing work...

Active work is expected to begin some time prior to May 15.

LOCAL COUNCIL RECEIVES AWARD

Alexandria Council Brings Banner.

A booster visitation was made to Prince William Council No. 45 March 11 by the other councils of District No. 1.

District N. 1 Deputy, Mrs. Ethel B. Foland gave a very interesting talk about the work of the order.

The district Banner for gain in membership was presented to Prince William Council by Molly Pitcher Council of Alexandria.

The councils represented at this meeting were Mary Washington No. 4 of Alexandria, Arlington No. 32, Cherrydale No. 11, Molly Pitcher No. 43 of Alexandria.

A party will be given by Prince William Council No. 45 March 22, in the Junior Hall at 8:00 for the purpose of raising money for the orphan's fund.

KOREAN LESPEDEZA MEETINGS NEXT WEEK

The following Korean lespedeza meetings will be held in the county next week:

Monday, March 18, at 7:30 p.m., Haymarket Masonic Hall.

Tuesday, March 19, at 7:30 p.m., Nokesville High School.

S. F. Grubbs, who was among the first to grow this legume and who has probably had as much practical experience in growing this legume both alone and in mixtures as anyone in the county...

FARM RECORDS MEETING WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20

A farm records meeting will be held at the county agent's office in the post office building, Wednesday, March 20, at 10 a.m.

EVERY HOME SANITATED FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE

An unusually large crowd attended the Sunday school institute held at the Nokesville Church of the Brethren Monday night.

Rev. John M. DeChant gave a short talk on the Leadership Training School which is being held at the Manassas High School auditorium from March 18 to April 4.

Sunday school workers who were not present missed much, for many have said the entire meeting was inspirational and helpful.

STATE DOCTOR VISITS COUNTY

Value of Eliminating Bang's Disease Demonstrated.

Dr. H. C. Givens, Virginia State veterinarian, was in Prince William County this week visiting dairymen and farmers of the county.

Bang's disease reactors are selling readily on all markets and in some cases are bringing as much as 5 1-2 cents per pound which makes a liberal salvage return to the cattle owner.

The maximum indemnities that will be paid according to the Federal contract is \$20 on grade cattle and \$50 on purebred animals.

Approximately seventy thousand cattle have been tested for Bang's disease in Virginia since the campaign under the AAA program was started last year.

JOINT MEETING OF SCHOOL LEAGUES

Special Health Meeting Planned

The Manassas High School League and the League of Bennett School are planning to hold a joint meeting on Thursday, March 21, at 3:30 p.m.

Dr. Stewart McBryde will be the guest speaker, and interesting numbers will be presented by the students.

All patrons, whether they are affiliated with leagues or not, are urged to attend this meeting.

A brief business session of the Manassas League will be held at 2:30 p.m. at same time and place.

COUNTY POULTRY MEETINGS SCHEDULED

The following poultry meetings are scheduled for Prince William County next week:

Tuesday, March 19, at 7:30 p.m., Nokesville High School.

Wednesday, March 20, at 2:30 p.m., Hickory Grove U. D. C. Hall.

Harry L. Moore, extension poultry specialist, will lead discussions on the hatching, brooding and rearing of chicks and general poultry management at these meetings.

HEALTH PROGRAM AT BETHEL

The March meeting of the Bethel School League will be held in the school house on Monday evening, March 18, at 8 o'clock.

There will be a special health program given by the school children and a special speaker in the interest of the house sanitation campaign.

VIRGINIA ASKS U.S. AID FOR SCHOOL

Virginia has forwarded to the Federal Government a request for funds which district superintendents of schools say they need in order to finance their normal school terms of from eight-and-a-half to nine months, it was learned.

While the State Department of Education would not make public the amount of the total sum requested, it was believed on the basis of previous estimates to be in excess of \$1,000,000.

Dr. Sidney B. Hall, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, has been collecting data from the county and city school superintendents for the last eight weeks, asking each one to specify the amount that he would need in addition to the eight months funds guaranteed by State law to carry his schools on to a "normal" term.

This tabulation has now been forwarded to Governor Peery and put in the form of a formal request to Federal Emergency Relief Administration officials.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB DANCE

The final plans for the St. Patrick's day dance, to be held on Friday, March 15, have been made.

Miss Rose Ratcliffe, general chairman of the dance, has secured a well-known orchestra to play for the evening, and it is expected that this orchestra will add much to the success of the dance.

The decoration committee has been busy following out the St. Patrick's day scheme for decorations in making the Manassas High School gymnasium both colorful and attractive.

MRS. FAIRBANKS TO ENTERTAIN BETHEL GROUP

Bethel Home Demonstration group will hold its March meeting on Thursday, March 21, at the home of Mrs. Eva Fairbanks.

BINGO PARTY

The Children of the Confederacy will hold a bingo party on Saturday, March 16, from 6:30 to 10 p.m.

CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS

T. E. Didlake was appointed as a member of the County Electoral Board for a four-year term beginning March 1.

The trial of Olaf Pierson for murder of Eddie Walsh on Oct. 29 resulted in a five-year penitentiary sentence (W. A. McDonald, foreman).

JUDGE COBB AT DAYTONA BEACH

Daytona Beach, Fla. March 9, 1935.

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Malcolm and his Bluebird. Friday evening it was my delight to attend the opening of the Flower Show here.

I was simply entranced with the beauty and glory of the wonderful vision so tastefully and artistically assembled.

Daytona Beach is a very pretty little city of 18,000. I think of my friends back in Manassas and particularly of the Men's Bible Class of the Baptist Church.

AGRICULTURAL COMMITTEE WILL VISIT EXPERIMENT FARMS

Realizing the need for a soil-improving and feed legume crop on unimproved land in Brentsville District and after observing the rapid expansion of the poultry industry in that section of Prince William County...

The poultry program includes the distribution of lists of Virginia State Certified Hatcheries and "Grow Healthy Chicks" cards.

The committee is composed of J. A. Hooker, chairman; G. E. Garman, Lester Huff, H. Lawson, J. F. Hale and Ivan Fontaine.

AMBROGI-ROBEY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Robey of Barcroft, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Venie Mae, to Mr. Joseph Ambrogi of Ballston, Va.

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FIVE-POINTERS TO GET CERTIFICATES

The Community League of the Bennett School will hold its business meeting at the Bennett building, Monday, March 18, 3 o'clock.

The five-point certificates will be presented and all patrons are requested to attend.

There will be a joint meeting of the High and Bennett School Leagues at the high school, Thursday, March 21, at 3 o'clock.

At this time the health and sanitation program will be given.

WOMANS CLUB HOLD MEETING

Charity Ball Committees Named.

The Woman's Club of Manassas held its regular monthly meeting in the dining room of the high school on Wednesday, March 13, with an unusually good attendance.

The program which was presented by the music section of the club, was interesting and a bit of a change from the usual presentations.

Following these, Mrs. Harry Love gave a brief resume of the "Operas and their Composers," which had been studied by the music section during the past few months.

The Rev. Mr. Jones of the Baptist Church spoke briefly on the phase of the club collect "Teach us to put into action our better impulses straight-forward and unafraid."

All committees reported very active meetings and accomplishments, the most outstanding being the work of the charity committee.

Miss Sarah Pitts gave a brief outline of the present sanitation campaign, which is being put on in Prince William County.

Two new members were presented by the membership chairman, Mrs. T. J. Broadus, and these were accepted and welcomed into the club.

Mrs. Margaret Lewis, with the assistance of the following, served refreshments during the social hour.

AMERICAN HISTORY IS IN PROCESS OF BEING REVALUED!

(contributed)

The United Daughters of the Confederacy is not sectional. It is a great patriotic organization and although it came into being at a time when the Confederate soldier broken in health and fortune needed the ministering hands of women...

VISITORS GREET LOCAL KIWANIS

Interclub Meet Featured by Ed Hill.

The Manassas Kiwanis Club was treated to another one of Ed Hill's programs last Friday night when Ed sauntered out some two dozen of the Washington-Alexandria Clubs.

After a splendid meal Ed Hill introduced his friends and the famous Alex. sextette composed of David C. Book, Irvin Diener, J. Frank Myers, St. Clair D. Shelton, Charles Sleagle and Wilmer Stott.

Irvin came back on the program for a second time and gave a talk, boosting the Manassas Club for its splendid attendance.

George Small gave some musical selections on his "combination band" after which the club settled down to hear a splendid talk by Major James Asher, divisional commander of the Salvation Army in Washington.

It was a splendid exposition of humanitarianism as pronounced by the members of the Kiwanis Clubs.

Besides the ones mentioned from the Washington Club, others present were Harry G. Kimball, former district governor; James C. Dulin, sr., James C. Dulin, jr., Merritt Chance, G. Fred Coles, Dr. Manly B. Root, William F. Smith, Karl Jorss, Charles Jacobson, jr., Charles F. Dowd, Edwin F. Hill, Col. Claude D. Jones, George C. Shaffer and George A. Small.

The first grade of the Bennett School is making its initial appearance in a little play, "A Unit to the Health King," on Monday, March 18, at 3 o'clock.

The health fairies, Betty Jane Alexander, Betty Petersen, June Sadd, Fern Swank, Marjorie Beane and Estella Simms, are so well pleased with the health work of the earth children that they decide to visit the King and Queen of Health.

On their way the health fairies find groups of children who are very anxious to visit the king and queen also.

In the last scene we see the children with the health fairies singing their health song to the king and queen.

The first grade rhythm band will play four selections.

After this Mrs. T. E. Didlake will present five-point certificates to the five-pointers of the primary department.

The public is invited.

PLAN UNIQUE STUNT

The Senior Class at Manassas High which will give a barn dance on April 5 is offering transportation in old-time straw ride style to its patrons who will notify them that they desire this service.

Decorations at the hall are being planned by the committee to give all the real flavor of rustic setting.

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