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POPPY DAY HERE AS ANNUAL EVENT

Prince William Post to Award Prize.

Prince William Post 158 will again hold its annual county-wide "Poppy Day" on May 25.

General Chairman Margaret Lynch, adjutant, Prince William Post 158, has an able committee appointed throughout the county to help in the county-wide sale of poppies.

The active committee is as follows: Mrs. Cleveland Payne, Haymarket; Mrs. John R. Sweeney, Jr., Gainesville; Mrs. Charles R. McDonald, Catharpin; Mrs. Ernest Spittler, Nokesville; Mrs. Fred Lynn, Occoquan; Mrs. E. L. Herring, Independent Hill, and Mrs. James Payne, Centerville.

Chairman Margaret Lynch and Mesdames John Hynson, Stuart McBryde, Howard Jamison, Stewart Pattie, Edgar Parrish, and H. E. Pickeral, Manassas.

Each one of these ladies sponsors two young ladies to sell poppies in their respective communities. This year the Post is awarding a very attractive prize to the young lady selling the most poppies.

As this is entirely a benefit drive to help the disabled veterans, every loyal citizen of Manassas and Prince William County is requested to buy a poppy and help a worthy cause.

DR. EZEKIEL TO ADDRESS PR. WILLIAM WHEAT GROWERS

In the nation-wide referendum on May 25, Prince William growers will vote on whether they favor continuing wheat production control measures under the Agricultural Adjustment Act after 1935.

The initial adjustment contracts between wheat growers and the Secretary of Agriculture, signed in 1933, expire with the close of the crop year 1935.

Like the 1933-35 program, the plan now under discussion would be based upon voluntary contracts signed by farmers, in which they would agree to adjust their wheat acreage to meet consumption needs in this country and possible export outlets during the crop years 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939.

Dr. Mordeacci, Ezekiel, economic advisor to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration and W. H. Byrnes, extension agronomist, V.P.I., will address Prince William wheat growers at the Manassas Town Hall, Thursday evening, May 16, at 7:45 o'clock, on the present wheat situation and the plan proposed for the future. Dr. Ezekiel's familiarity with the foreign situation should make his address especially interesting.

GERIS-MAYHUGH

Two families long identified with this section of Virginia (Bristow, Va.) were united May 8 when Miss Alice Grace Mayhugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Mayhugh, became the bride of Thomas Lee Geris, son of Joseph and the late Mrs. Amanda Geris.

The pretty, young bride looked unusually attractive, robed and veiled in white. She wore her grandmother's wedding gown. Miss Thelma Mayhugh was the bridesmaid and Andrew Breun attended the groom as best man.

The nuptial mass, celebrated by Father John C. Ryan, pastor of All Saints' Church, Manassas, assisted by Father John Smith, O.S.B., was in St. Joseph's Church adjoining the Benedictine Novitiate, in which edifice the bride was received into the Catholic fold a few years since, by Father John.

A beautiful feature of the service was the music of the mass rendered by the Benedictine Sisters with Sister Helen at the organ.

ADEN WOMEN TO MEET

The May meeting of the Aden Home Demonstration group will be held on Wednesday, May 22, at 1:30 o'clock, in the library of the school building. The topic for study is "Linens for the Dining Room."

All women of the community are invited to come and to bring a hand-made article; also work basket.

MRS. FOSTER TO ENTER TAIN GREENWICH WOMEN

The Greenwich Home Demonstration group will meet on Thursday, May 23, at 1:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Doc Foster. Mrs. John Ellis and Mrs. Raymond Ellis will have charge of the demonstration of "Cushions and Slip Covers."

All women of the community are cordially invited to attend.

HAYMARKET FLOWER SHOW, WEDNESDAY, MAY 22

Plans for the fourth annual flower show of the Haymarket Woman's Club were completed at the last meeting, when it was decided to hold the show in the Parish Hall instead of the club rooms.

The show has grown in popularity and has outgrown the club rooms, and this decided the club in changing the place of the show.

There will be classes of iris, peonies, roses and garden flowers. Also table arrangements, baskets and miniature gardens. Mrs. J. N. Kerr and Mrs. Charles Allen are in charge. There are no entry or admission charges.

The judging will be in the morning and the show will be open to visitors at 2 p.m.

Light refreshments will be served during the afternoon, and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

BETHLEHEM CLUB CELEBRATION

Mother's Day Observed at Home of Mrs. Hutchison.

The hospitable home of Mrs. Robt. A. Hutchison was the scene of an interesting gathering when members of the Bethlehem Club were greeted by Mrs. Hutchison and her assistant, Mrs. E. M. Boteler, on Wednesday afternoon, May 15.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. R. L. Sadd, who is sojourning in New York, the vice-president, Mrs. M. E. Hart, presided. A call for meeting to come to order at 2:30 o'clock was followed by opening prayer, reading of minutes and roll call. A variety of verse and prose was contributed in response to names called. A well-known writer, Nancy Byrd Turner, was represented in a short poem "Legacy" which appears in her latest book "Star In a Well."

Reports from civic and education committees were given by Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson. Mrs. Johnson stated that a much needed encyclopedia had been purchased for the library for use in the school.

A subscription to the Southern magazine was adopted. By request of Mrs. R. L. Byrd, the subscription will be forwarded through the Manassas Chapter, U. D. C.

An invitation to attend memorial exercises on June 3 was extended to the assembly by Mrs. R. A. Hutchison. Mrs. Emily Round proposed the name of Mrs. E. D. Wisslar for new member. An entertaining program typical of Mother's Day was presented by Mrs. Maud Kincheloe and Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson. The numbers throughout were impressive and full of pathos, appealing to the tender emotions of those who were privileged to be present. The first number was a reading "Mother of an Angel Speaks" by Mrs. Frank Gue, Jr., followed by Mrs. Thomas Broadus in voice, "Mother McCrae" accompanied by Miss Florence Kincheloe at the piano. Mrs. L. L. Lonas selected for her topic the supreme Mother, Mary, mother of Jesus, reading from the nineteenth chapter of St. John beginning with the twenty-fifth verse. Mrs. Lonas read from noted writers as an emphasis on this glorious subject. Her talk was concluded by reading from Edgar Guest's "Let Every Day Be Mother's Day." The program closed by a song "When Mother Prayed" very sweetly rendered by Mrs. Broadus.

A meeting full of enthusiasm and harmony came to a close. The social hour was happily spent while the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Elizabeth Wine and little Miss Mary Louise Wine, served a delectable salad course.

Among the guests were Mrs. C. B. Jones, Mrs. W. M. Compton, Mrs. L. L. Lonas, Mrs. G. O. Wood and Mrs. E. D. Wissler. Other club members were Mrs. B. F. Knox, Mrs. W. M. Johnson, Mrs. Lucy D. Washington, Mrs. Percival Lewis, Mrs. Nanie Middlethorn and Mrs. W. S. Athey.

SEEK FORD-WOLFE

Saturday evening, May 11, at 6 o'clock, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett, near Manassas, Va., Miss Gladys Wolfe and Mr. Elmo Seekford were united in marriage by Rev. C. B. Jones of Manassas.

Miss Wolfe was the daughter of Mrs. Effie Wolfe of Mt. Jackson, Va., and sister of Mrs. John Barrett.

The home was very prettily decorated in spring flowers of white and green. The bride was dressed in dark blue with hat to match. Mrs. Barrett, assisted by Mrs. Lewis, served a very dainty lunch, after which the young married couple left for a short honeymoon.

Macs Defeat Middleburg, Winner of Last Year's Championship, By Score of 6 to 3

Timely Hitting, Coupled with Visitors' Poor Defensive Play, Enables Macs to Score Second Win.

Middleburg, winner of last year's title, barged into town Sunday; remained champions for exactly four and one-half innings and then folded up to absorb their second consecutive beating of the current campaign. Furr held the local sluggers in check for the most part, limiting them to a pair of singles over the first three innings but his defense crumbled around him in the fourth and fifth, enabling the Macs, with the aid of some timely blows, to push across all of their runs.

Middleburg bunched a pair of hits in each of the first, third and fourth innings and each time scored a single run. Downs opened the game by lining Dreifus' first pitch into center for a single, was sacrificed to second, reached third on an infield out and scored on James' triple to deep right field. They added another in the third on hits by Downs and Furr, a sacrifice and a wild pitch, while a single, a stolen base and a double by Murphy accounted for their third and last run in the fourth. Thereafter Dreifus pitched excellent ball, getting into difficulty only in the sixth when the visitors filled the bases with one yone out. Godfrey, however, gathered in both Furr's and Downs' high infield flies to end the threat.

Manassas broke into the run column in the fourth, Middleburg in the meantime having amassed a three-run lead. Godfrey opened the inning by beating out a bunt and on an attempted sacrifice Waddell dropped Furr's throw and both runners were safe. Furr then hit Brenner to fill the bases. Godfrey raced home following Saunders' fly to right and Vetter followed him with the second run when the throw to the plate bounded past James. They added four more in the following inning which Buckner opened with a double.

Dreifus fled out to deep left but Woodward lined a single to center scoring Buckner and reached second on the throw to the plate. Frame tossed out Lynn but Godfrey came through with his second hit, a double over the rightfielder's head to score Woodward and place the home team out in front. Godfrey scored all the way from second when Furr and Mankins ran together going after Vetter's pop fly. Vetter then stole second and scored on Brenner's single to center.

Next Sunday the local team engages the Herndon nine on the Herndon field.

The box score—

MANASSAS	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Woodard, rf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Lynn, cf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Godfrey, 3b	5	2	2	2	3	0
Vetter, 2b	3	2	0	3	1	0
Brenner, ss	2	0	1	3	6	0
Saunders, lf	4	0	1	0	1	0
Wurdeemann, 1b	4	0	2	12	0	0
Dreifus, p	4	0	1	0	3	1
	36	6	11	27	15	1

MIDDLEBURG	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Downs, cf	4	2	3	2	0	1
Frame, 2b	1	0	0	2	5	0
Burwell, lf, 1b	4	0	0	2	0	0
James, c, rf	4	0	1	5	2	1
Hartman, ss	4	1	1	3	2	0
Murphy, c, rf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Mankins, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	1
Waddell, 1b	2	0	0	7	0	1
Luck, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Furr, p	4	0	1	0	11	5
	31	3	8	24	11	5

Middleburg	AB	R	H	P	A	E
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Two-base hits—Godfrey, Brenner, Murphy. Three-base hits—James. Sacrifice hits—Vetter, Frame 3. Stolen bases—Vetter, Brenner, Hartmann. Bases on balls—Off Dreifus 3, Off Furr 1. Struck out—By Dreifus 5, By Furr 4. Umpire—Pettit.

CONFEDERATE DAY ANNOUNCED

Veterans' Memorial Day will be observed June 3. A splendid program is being arranged, including ex-Governor Charles A. Brough of Arkansas, who will be the main speaker for the occasion.

A full program will appear next week. The exercises will be held in the Manassas High School auditorium at 3 p.m.

MARVIN GILLUM AND MOLLY LEACHMAN STAR IN 'BOY BLUE'

The Bennett School operetta, "Boy Blue" in which Marvin Gillum and Molly Leachman take the leading parts, will be presented at the Manassas High School auditorium Friday night, May 17.

The cast is made up entirely of graded school children and the story of the operetta is very interesting. Between acts the primary rhythm band will render several selections and the scout brownies will sing Bhran's "Lullaby."

The public is cordially invited to attend this well-directed and entertaining operetta.

FORD COMPANY HAS SPECIAL EXHIBIT

The Prince William Motors, authorized Ford dealers in the Manassas area, are staging an unusual open-air display of Ford products, especially the latest model of passenger cars.

Mr. Hughes, of the Prince William Motors, states that every effort has been made to create an attractive setting for this display. He desires every reader of The Journal to call some time this week during the hours specified at which times trained factory representatives and demonstrators will be on hand at all times to answer any and all questions.

This exhibit will contain more specifically such unusual features as cut-a-way chassis, cut-a-way bodies, etc. These displays show the innermost working of the car and have been made available to the public through the activities of boys in the Henry Ford Trade School at Dearborn, Mich.

It is anticipated that many hundreds will visit the show lot this week and avail themselves of the privilege of close contact with the manner in which Ford cars are built.

STUDENT RECITAL

Mrs. Beatrice L. Leachman will present her pupils in a recital Saturday evening, May 18, at 8 p.m., at the Parish Hall. The public is cordially invited.

BATTLE PARK PLANS PROGRESSING

The latest advices from Richmond indicate that Mr. Hall is making a strenuous effort to give Prince William County and Western Fairfax a National Park. Coincident with this announcement is the meeting of the Fourth District U.D.C. tonight at which time Senator Rust, who has long been at the head of the Battle Park Association, may be expected to voice the sentiments of that group with regard to relinquishing their rights to the Federal Government.

FLOWER EXHIBIT NEXT WEDNESDAY

Garden Section of Woman's Club Plans Stellar Display.

The annual flower show of the Garden Section of the Manassas Woman's Club will be held on Wednesday, May 22, in the Parish Hall, Manassas.

Programs and prize lists are in the hands of committees and section members. The exhibit is as usual open to all flower lovers who wish to exhibit and is not confined to members of the club. Due to the generosity and co-operation of local merchants and prominent seedsmen and nursery men, an unusually valuable and attractive lot of prizes are being offered. Forty-nine separate classes have been arranged for, with several new classes, among those being a class for best collection of blue flowers; one for potted plants, and another for a living-room decoration, arrangement. The class for old-fashioned bouquets, which has proved so popular, will be continued; this has proved a most attractive and artistic class in past shows, many exquisite beautiful entries being exhibited in this feature.

Junior flower lovers have not been overlooked as a special children's exhibit, with several classes having been arranged to take care of this phase. Valuable prizes are being offered in this class also.

The committee on judges is most fortunate in having obtained as judges Mrs. Amos Chilcott, of Fairfax Court House; Mrs. James Tayloe, of Vienna, and Mrs. D. B. Smith, of Alexandria.

As the judging will start promptly at 11:30 a.m., all exhibits must be in place by 11 a.m. A small fee will be charged each exhibitor, to defray necessary expenses, this fee also admitting the exhibitor to the show, which will be open to the public between the hours of 2 to 6. Every committee is actively at work in seeing that everything will be in readiness, and it is hoped that the public will reward their efforts to promote the cultivation and love of beautiful flowers by attending.

Mrs. Ayleene Guthrie is general chairman for the exhibit, and will be glad to furnish further information. Programs and prize lists may be obtained from Mrs. Eli Swavely, chairman of the program committee.

List of classes—
Roses: Specimen pink, specimen yellow, specimen red, specimen white, climbing rose spray, 2 ft.; vase of three roses, one variety; collection, one of a variety.
Iris: Specimen purple, specimen yellow, specimen pink, specimen bicolor, specimen named variety, collection, collection Siberian, specimen Japanese.
Peonies: Specimen white, specimen pink, specimen red, vase of three, collection, specimen single.
Garden collection: Exhibit Columbine, oriental poppies, exhibit lemon day lilies, exhibit gaillardia, exhibit pansies, exhibit sweet william, exhibit garden pinks, exhibit pyrethrum, exhibit foxglove, exhibit delphinium, exhibit garden heliotrope, exhibit corn flowers, exhibit calendula, exhibit canterbury bells, exhibit snapdragons, best collection perennials, best collection annuals, best collection edging plants, best collection blue flowers, best specimen potted plant.

Children's exhibit: Collection wild flowers, artistic arrangement of flowers, collection flowers, raised by child.
Flower arrangement: Flowers for table decoration, old-fashioned bouquet, outstanding single exhibit, arrangement for living room, container considered; award for merit in horticulture.

CLUB TO SPONSOR SCHOLARSHIP

Kiwanis Committee Raises Necessary Funds.

Walter Sadd demonstrated to the Kiwanis Club last Friday night that they had not degenerated into an eating club as Jim Bradford feared they had.

It seems that Walter thought up an idea all by himself relative to life-saving which is merely a furtherance of the addresses on the subject made by officials of the American Red Cross within the last six months.

In short Walter introduced the head of the Prince William Unit of the American Red Cross, Mrs. W. L. Lloyd, who cited the advantages to the county which would result if a life-saving scholarship be given to some one person at Annapolis in June, the idea being that this young person would in turn train others upon returning and build up a considerable knowledge of life-saving, particularly with reference to Lake Jackson which has become quite a water resort in the county.

In response to questions, Mrs. Lloyd made it plain to the club that the idea was all Walter's and that she was merely using her information to lighten the club members.

Upon the expressed desire of Frank Sigman, also a member of Walter's committee, and on motion made by Ray Ratcliffe, the club unanimously authorized the committee to use its own devices to secure sufficient pledges to guarantee the scholarship and to report the result of their efforts at the meeting tomorrow night.

O. O. Holler, president of the Prince William County Fish and Game Protective Association, will address the club tomorrow night on matters relating to sports of that nature in the county.

PROGRAMS AT BRENTSVILLE DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

The quartet of Bridgewater College will present a program in the Brentsville District High School auditorium on Saturday, May 18, 8 p.m. This will consist of classical and spiritual songs, and of the present-day college hits and songs. A small admission will be charged.

On Tuesday, May 21, 8 p.m., an operetta entitled "Day Before Yesterday" will be presented in the B. D. H. S. auditorium by the school children directed by Mrs. Leachman. The themes of songs and dances are from following periods of history: Grecian, Medieval England, Colonization in the New World, Indian wars, Colonial days, War Between the States, and Present Day.

Come because this is an easy way to learn history and to enjoy it.

BRIDGEWATER MALE QUARTET TO GIVE PERFORMANCE

On Saturday night, May 18, 8:00, the Bridgewater male quartet will give a concert of secular music at the high school auditorium. No admission is charged but an offering will probably be lifted and everyone is urged to come and hear this famous quartet.

On Sunday morning, they will render programs of sacred music at Cannon Branch Church of the Brethren, 11:00; Sunday afternoon at Nokesville Church of the Brethren, and Sunday night at Oakton Church of the Brethren. The public is cordially invited to attend these concerts also.

YOUNG PEOPLES ANNIVERSARY

A one-act play entitled "I Count" will be given by the young people at the Aden U. B. Church Sunday night, May 19.

This play portrays the wholesome Christian adventure of missions and shows the personal missionary responsibility resting on each individual.

The characters are Dr. and Mrs. Fred Grant played by John Hively and Gladys May.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray, William Partlow and Anna Smith, Martha Murray, Gayle Bowman, John Murray, Claude Smith, Misses Letha, Lucille and Louise Foster of Nokesville and Miss Harriet Bozarth of Manassas will give several special selections of music.

GERTIE McINTOSH

Miss Gertie McIntosh, aged 54, died at her home at Catharpin Sunday, April 14.

She was a lifelong resident of the community in which she lived and where she will be greatly missed. Interment took place in the cemetery at Middleburg, Va.