

## ALBRIGHT HITS FOREST SERVICE

Charges Political Activity to U. S. Bureau.

Speaking at the National Parks Conference at Rapidan, Va., on Wednesday, Horace M. Albright, former director of the National Park Service, characterized the activities of the U. S. Forest Service as a serious potential danger.

"The United States Forest Service, because of inordinate ambition to control all or most of the conservation activities and because of political support it has built up in all parts of the country, is a serious potential danger to success of both National and State park projects," Albright declared. He spoke at the fifteenth annual conference on State Parks.

The park authorities, gathered at former President Hoover's camp, also heard Robert Fechner, director of emergency conservation work, warn communities they "must figure costs of work now being done for them at no cost."

After the meeting the conference moved across some 10 miles of the picturesque Skyline Drive and down a mountainside to the camp. Governor Peery, scheduled to welcome the group, was detained in Richmond.

In his prepared address, Albright also attacked the Forest Service for its "ceaseless opposition to conservation divisions of the Interior Department, which recently has taken the form of bold offensives against Ickes' bill to change the name of the Interior Department to the Department of Conservation and Works, a more characteristic and suitable name." He declared Ickes was one of the greatest conservationists in the nation's history.

## COUNTY CLUB CONTEST DAY AND PICNIC

The annual Club Contest day will be observed Friday, June 28. Club members throughout the county will gather at Lake Jackson for competition in project activities and for a recreational outing. The day's program will begin at 10 o'clock. Contests will be held in the morning, the afternoon will be given to recreation.

Contests in correct dress, foods judging, health, club book, and club song will be held. Representatives winning first places in correct dress, foods judging, and health contests will enter contests at the annual 4-H Club Short Course to be held in Blacksburg July 22-27. Prizes will be awarded to winners in the under-fourteen-year-sections of these contests.

A hobby show for which the Manassas 4-H Club is offering a prize for the best exhibit will be held in connection with the day's program.

The best song presented will be accepted as the 1935 County Club Song.

Club members and their families are to have the exclusive use of the swimming pool at Lake Jackson for the day. Arrangements have been made with the Community 4-H Clubs so that no individual charge will be made.

Miss R. Belle Burke will judge in correct dress, foods judging, and club book contests. Miss Veta Draper will judge in club song contest and in the hobby show. Miss M. Sabina Neel and Miss Mae Senseney will judge in the health contest. Committees of 4-H club leaders will assist with all contests.

## SCHOOL BOARD SELECTS HAYMARKET INSPECTOR

The County School Board held its regular meeting yesterday with all members present.

A large volume of routine business was transacted. Bids were received for drilling the well at the new Haymarket High School and for the heating plant at Dumfries, but no final action was taken in either case.

Ground having already been broken at Haymarket, Mr. C. B. Allen was appointed inspector of construction.

On petition from the Manassas Fire Department permission was given to use the athletic field for their annual carnival. A donation from the Kiwanis Club was received for the commercial scholarship.

The auditing committee was appointed with the following membership: H. P. Davis, W. L. Lloyd and R. C. Haydon.

The Board adjourned to meet again on July 10.

## TO PLAY OCCOQUAN

Manassas will play Occoquan on Saturday, June 22, on the Occoquan diamond at 3 p.m.

## KIWANIANS HEAR ABOUT NEW YORK PAPER

The Kiwanis Club last Friday evening learned much about the inside doings of the great New York Times through the lips of one of their linotype operators, Mr. W. H. Woltz, formerly a typesetter on the Fredericksburg Lance and whose father was one time editor of that paper.

Announcement was made at this meeting that Edwin Beachley had accepted appointment for the scholarship in the life-saving school at Annapolis and has already entered on his course of instruction which will continue through the early part of July.

At the special request of Ed Hill the Kiwanis Club changed the time of its meeting, the first week in July from Friday evening to Wednesday evening. It is expected that Ed will be present at that time but program is yet very much of a mystery.

## BYRD SPEAKS AT WILLIAMSBURG

Urges Preservation of Constitutional Rights.

On Monday evening, June 10, Senator Harry F. Byrd of Virginia delivered the address to the graduates of William and Mary College. The Senator paid high honors to his compatriot, Carter Glass, and also to the late Dr. Lyon Tyler and other men prominent in the history of Virginia since the beginning of the Commonwealth.

Recent legislation and affairs affecting the general good of the United States tincture to a large degree the tenor of Senator Byrd's remarks which are quoted in parts as follows:

"... Today many people are inclined to ridicule maxims in the form of pointed truths that are obvious. These truths may be obvious, but they are so often honored in the breach rather than in the observance that repeating them is good for us as industry, perseverance, and thrift are equally essential for success today as ever before.

"Here in Williamsburg at the Raleigh Tavern, a very wise man wrote the Bill of Rights which is now a part of the Constitution of nearly every state of the Union. George Mason in this document for the preservation of liberty said:

"That no free government or the blessings of liberty can be preserved to any people but by firm adherence to justice, moderation, temperance, frugality and virtue, and by frequent recurrence to fundamental principles."

"These fundamental truths, my friends, are just as valid today as when George Mason uttered them, and their application offers the only sure road to happiness and success.

"Just as there is no royal road to learning there is no substitute for industry and hard work if we as a national or as individuals are to continue our forward march of progress. The economic law that what you spend you must pay has existed since the beginning of time.

"Such homely truths; that your happiness depends upon a balanced budget in your personal affairs applies with equal force to a state or the nation; that to succeed you must do today's work today and not tomorrow; that you must develop a system by which you work and avoid hazardous methods; these may be called by some, 'prep school' stuff, but their practice is of the stuff that makes success.

"You will go into a world of toil and tumult where the fight is fierce and requires that you deny your appetites and strengthen your spirits and discipline your powers until you are in the pink of condition to make good. If you do this you should win, for remember that America is still a land of opportunity. No one can justify failure here with the excuse that success is based on 'Pull' and that only the privileged can succeed. Hundreds of leaders in both business and the professions have risen from the bottom to eminence by their own ability to climb and not by pull from above.

"Let no one destroy our faith in America, but let no one deny your right to censure things that tend to lessen your faith in America. However much government has interfered with private business the individual is still free here to say what he thinks, to cherish the religious convictions he prefers, to appeal to honest courts to safeguard his personal liberty and to protect his private property. He lives under a government of laws and not of men and is protected, even when part of a minority, by a Constitution that builds

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## "The Future of Virginia's State Park System"

Speech of Honorable Wilbur C. Hall, Chairman of the State Commission on Conservation and Development, before the Fifteenth National Conference on State Parks, at Skyland, Va., Wednesday, June 19.

"In order to discuss intelligently the future of the Virginia State Park System, it is necessary to outline briefly the manner in which the parks were acquired and the developments that have taken place since the establishment of the system. One of the results of the program that Senator Byrd initiated during his incumbency as Governor of Virginia.

"At that time he set up the State Commission on Conservation and Development, one of the duties of which was the acquisition of the Shenandoah National Park. It was recognized that the work of establishing the Shenandoah National Park would awaken in the people of Virginia as a consciousness of the wonderful opportunities that our State offered in the way of natural wonders and of scenic and historic possibilities. In order to take advantage of them, not only for the purpose of giving our people and those of other states places for pleasure, but also for the betterment of our State by reason of tourist traffic, which might be drawn here by such a wonderful development, the great task of acquiring the thousands of acres in the Shenandoah Park area was undertaken. This was the beginning of the park movement in Virginia, but the Shenandoah Park was promoted and acquired with the understanding that it was to be a National Park, to be maintained and developed by the Federal Government.

"The Shenandoah Park was followed by another Federal project, the great Colonial National Monument, which includes the Yorktown Battlefield area, the Williamsburg Restoration and the greater part of Jamestown Island. The State Commission on Conservation and Development, after great effort, was able to bring into being this project, the possibilities of which are not yet realized.

"These two Federal projects led the Commission to understand that the National Park System in Virginia should be supplemented by a State Park system, both for the purpose of bringing tourists to the State and, even more, for the purpose of giving the citizens of Virginia the enjoyment

of the mountains and the sea-shore at a cost within the reach of any pocketbook. At the same time the Commission felt that the highways and the public buildings of the State could be vastly improved by professional advice on landscaping offered to the public.

"In order to accomplish this end it was necessary to show the public that Virginia should be a leader in the State Park movement rather than a laggard in recreational parks, as it was at that time. A program was worked out that had its object the making of the people not only beauty-conscious but Virginia-conscious as well. The Division of State Parks was created with this end in view and has worked constantly toward its attainment. At the meeting of State Parks at St. Louis and again at the Virginia Beach Conference, the Division brought to the attention of the people the activities being carried on for the purpose of obtaining lands for public use.

"Standards were set up to govern the acquisition of lands for State Parks:

"1. That all State Parks should be sufficiently distinctive and notable to interest people from distant parts of the State and from other states, rather than merely to attract those from the region in which they are situated; also that they be situated beyond the limits of urban and suburban communities.

"2. That they be characterized by scenic and recreational resources of a kind unlikely to be conserved and made available for enjoyment under private ownership, or which, under private ownership, were likely to be monopolized so as to make it difficult or impossible for the average citizen to secure enjoyment of them except at a high cost.

"3. That they be geographically distributed with a view to securing as wide and representative a variety of types as the State afforded.

"After considerable investigation of other State Park systems and numerous consultations with officials

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## M. E. CARRICO

Mr. M. E. Carrico, aged 78, died suddenly at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. F. Ward, in Charlotte Hall, Md., and was interred in Cedar Hill cemetery.

Mr. Carrico was a lifelong resident of Prince William County until two years ago when he went to Maryland to live with his daughter.

He is survived by his five daughters, Mrs. H. F. Ward, of Charlotte Hall, Md., and Mrs. O. E. Owens, Mrs. William Ward, Mrs. C. F. Shipley, Mr. H. W. Snyder of Washington and Mrs. Lewis Kelly of Gaithersburg, Md., and three sons, Messrs. J. L. and C. W. Carrico of Waldorf, Md., and T. C. Carrico of Turton, S. D.; twenty-four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

## NOTED EDITOR VISITS TOWN

Miss Bertha Robinson, editor of the Orange Observer, called on us yesterday and we were delighted to note how well and charming our distinguished visitor appeared.

Miss Bertha is one of the veteran newspaper women of the South and numbers among her intimate friends nearly all of the prominent families of the State. We sincerely hope that she will come to see us again very soon.

Miss Bertha operates one of the last two old-fashioned Washington hand presses used by any newspaper in the State of Virginia.

## SEWING MACHINES NEEDED

The sewing rooms in Prince William County need a few additional sewing machines. If there is anyone who will lend a machine, it will be well cared for, and very much appreciated.

This work furnishes employment to 59 women in the county, they are employed under the Prince William County Emergency Relief, and the work is carried on in the Haymarket, Waterfall, Aden, Dumfries and Manassas communities. Mrs. Celestine Brown is supervisor and well-made garments are being produced each week.

## ROBERT L. SADD

In the death of Mr. Sadd, Manassas sustains a severe loss. A genial gentleman, a good Christian citizen, a progressive business man has passed from our midst. Always cheerful, helpful and kindly, he made a host of friends who will remember him with love through the years to come.

Mr. Sadd was born in Wapping, Conn., Feb. 16, 1868, the son of Henry W. and Sarah Greene Sadd, and married Miss Lena E. Townsend in 1893. He was in the eighth generation from John Sadd who came from Essex, England, in 1674 to Hartford, Conn., and married Hepzibah Pratt, of Wethersfield, Conn.

Mr. Sadd was a New Englander of old inheritance and held the political ideals of his ancestors, yet he was identified socially and in business in a town that but a short time before the birth of Mr. Sadd reverberated to the peal of cannon and the rattle of musketry against New England. Not only was he identified here but loved and trusted.

He was always ready for a joke, always ready to stop and chat a little and always ready to lend a hand and open his pocket book for civic uplift. Once, on being asked how he liked Virginians he replied, "I think a lot of them and they are good friends to me."

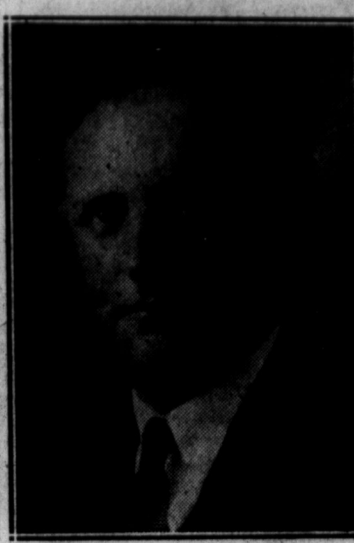
Such men as Mr. Sadd, by their lives, help to destroy prejudice and spread brotherly love. The people of Manassas deeply mourn his untimely death.

A Friend.

## JUNE W.C.T.U. MEETING

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet at the home of Miss Maggie Smith, Wednesday, June 26, at 3 p.m.

It is hoped the mothers who failed to get the cards signed for their children in time for last meeting will bring them to this meeting. White Ribbon Recruits are always welcome also new members.



HON. WILBUR C. HALL

Mr. Hall's address yesterday at Rapidan is printed in full in this issue of The Manassas Journal and constitutes a valuable contribution to the science of park administration.

## MANASSAS BELLE A LOVELY BRIDE

Wedding a Big Social Event.

A beautiful wedding of much interest was solemnized last Wednesday evening, June 12, at 8 o'clock, in the Manassas Baptist Church when Miss Meaker Elizabeth Burke became the bride of Mr. Earl Watson Hurst.

The church was tastefully decorated with flowers, evergreens and white candles, the altar being banked with masses of mountain laurel. The music was furnished by Miss Virginia Spelden, organist.

Preceding the ceremony, Mr. Charles Armistead Sinclair sang two solos, "At Dawning" and "I Love You Truly," the latter being sung as the mother of the bride, Mrs. J. H. Burke, was ushered into the church. She was dressed in black lace and wore a corsage of Richmond roses. Mrs. T. R. Hurst, mother of the groom, wore a maroon chiffon suit with a corsage of Joanna Hill roses.

As the wedding march was played, the bride entered the church on the arm of her father who gave her in marriage. She was attractively gowned in white satin, fashioned on Princess lines with a veil of tulle held in place by a coronet cap of old lace and pearl sand carried a bouquet of calla lilies.

The maid of honor, Miss Jo Hurst, sister of the groom, was lovely in blue and carried a large bouquet of yellow flowers. The bridesmaids were Misses Margaret Thorne, Mary Virginia Conway, and Frances Burke of Washington, Misses Ellen Bisson, Christine Meetze Janet Trusler and Nina Dalton of Manassas and Miss Rene Yoffee of Harrisburg, Pa. They wore long net dresses of pastel shades with picture hats and carried huge bouquets of spring flowers of contrasting colors. The colors and their contrasts were green with pink, orchid with blue, yellow with orchid and pink with green which carried out the color scheme of a "Rainbow Wedding."

Miss Mary Mason Davis as flower girl was very prettily dressed in white taffeta and carried a bouquet of variegated spring flowers.

The groom had for his best man Mr. Robert Davis and the ushers included Messrs. Ted Reynolds of Washington, Robert Leith, Edwin Beachley, John Roseberry, John Henry Burke, jr., Stanley Owens, Ralph Sharrett and Maurice Smith of Manassas.

Following the wedding, a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burke where only the bridal party and immediate families of the bride and groom were in attendance, after which the young couple left for an extended tour through southern Virginia.

## GRANGERS ENJOY DANCE

Bull Run Grange met at Masonic Hall, Haymarket, last Friday evening for the regular meeting, and after necessary business was transacted, enjoyed a square dance until after midnight that was participated in by nearly every one there, and a really good time was had by all.

Next Friday evening, the 21st, there will be an initiation of new members. The first and second degrees being put on by the local degree team, composed of some of the younger members.

There is a large group to be initiated, and a "big night" is anticipated by all.

## AUTUMN FETES DRAW TOURISTS

Civic Clubs and Chamber of Commerce Groups Approve Program to Boost Trade.

Approval of a suggestion to hold autumn celebrations in Virginia this fall, arranged as a calendar of events to help bring more tourists to the State, was voiced yesterday by civic club and Chamber of Commerce representatives in session at the John Marshall Hotel in Richmond under the sponsorship of the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce.

Jay W. Johns of Charlottesville, president of the State chamber, was empowered to appoint a committee which will give careful study as to the scope and nature of the celebrations. This committee will then submit a tentative financial budget to each locality for participation by communities throughout the State. Virginia's estimated \$75,000,000 tourist business will come in for additional discussion and planning at a conference of chamber of commerce presidents and secretaries this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Richmond Chamber of Commerce.

Governor Peery, Lieutenant-Governor Price, representing Mayor Bright; Chairman Wilbur C. Hall of the State Conservation and Development Commission, and J. A. Brown, executive manager of the American Automobile Association, are scheduled to lead discussions on ways and means to promote Virginia's tourist trade.

Three distinct keynotes were struck at yesterday's conference. One was that the autumn festivals should carry an appeal apart from that of Virginia Garden Week; the second, offered by B. W. Norton of Colonial Williamsburg, Incorporated, was that Virginia Week, with Virginians traveling over the State to know their own health better, should be tried first as an experiment, with the appeal later extended to the nation. A third keynote sounded was that sectionalism should be forever buried in Virginia.

Mr. Norton emphasized that autumn celebrations should be different from Garden Club Week. "You are talking about a new line of merchandising, and any plan should be carefully thought out," he declared. "Other States have scenic beauty and historical associations, and Virginia will be competing against all other States for the large and lucrative fall travel business. The autumn festival appeal should not be confused with Garden Week."

## MRS. R. C. HAYDON ENTERS TAINS FOR MISS BUSHONG

On Monday evening, the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Haydon was the scene of a very pretty shower in honor of Miss Frances Bushong whose marriage to Mr. Sedrick Saunders will take place June 27.

The bride-to-be and guests were seated in the spacious living room of the Haydon home when Miss Bushong's tiny-tot Sunday school class made more picturesque the occasion as a bridal party.

Little Mary Kathryn Seeley as the bride and John Henry Stauff, the groom, with their bridesmaids and groomsmen formed an adorable mock wedding. They marched through the room and assembled on the sun porch which was very beautifully decorated into a flower garden. Miss Bushong was then ushered into the garden by Dicky Haydon who requested her to open the tiny garden-gate which was an outstanding feature of the garden.

When the gate was opened a huge pile of lovely gifts was found much to the surprise of the honor guest.

Ice cream and cake was served with a little colored paper sprinkling can on each plate.

## SOAP DEMONSTRATION AT ADEN

The Aden Home Demonstration group will meet Wednesday, June 26, at 1:30 o'clock, at the school building. The topic for demonstration is "Soap Making." All women of the community are invited.

## CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS

John Vayda and Pete Dzanda were named trustees for St. Mary's Catholic Church near Hoadly.

C. L. Garrison was given a fine of \$25 on appeal from Trial Judge on a misdemeanor charge (E. P. Watson, foreman).