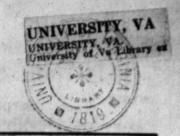
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NOTED GUESTS AT NOKESVILLE

Young Democrats Show Rapid Growth.

Prince William County met in the the success of the appropriation for Nokesville high school auditorium at the Battle Park Celebration. 8 p.m. last evening with President Sweeney presiding.

Reese Duncan, trial justice judge of School. Alexandria City, who is also president of the 8th Congressional District gratified upon the success. of the Young Democratic Club and whose movement which originated in their remarks covered the object and pur- midst but acceded to the action of poses of the club.

William Sweeney, president, next introduced Hon. F. P. Moncure, pres-junit and President Dick appointed C. ent member of the House of Dele- C. Lynn to represent the club in that gates from Prince William and Stafford Counties, who gave a very interesting address, the high point of same being that his political status LEAGUE TO HOLD as delegate began with a speech in the Nokesville High School at the launching of last year's primary campaign. He also gave a brief accounting of his stewardship in the Legislature at the recent session just adjourned.

He was followed by a very enthus-ing talk by the wife of the president of the State Young Democratic Club, Mrs. John Gallaher, who is also a national figure honored with the title of vice-president of the National Young Democratic Clubs of America.

Mr. Gallaher next spoke. His address was a concise and brief inventory of the accomplishment of the Administration to date and what it had done for both the rich and the masses. He spoke from a prepared manuscript.

His remarks were prefaced with the statement that the present Ad- on "The National Youth Program." ministration is prepared to stand on to writing all statements containing figures and facts of a statistical nature. Such a statement would be obviously a target for attack by the opposition, it being the characteristic it is working out here. strategy of the opposing party to distort and misrepresent the true ac-

Mr. Gallaher's address was then followed by our distinguished Congressman, the Honorable Howard W. Smith, who stressed the importance for party organization and a united front, calling attention to what he stated was obvious to all discerning Democrats, namely, the gigantic battle between now and the November

The business meeting was projectthe minutes of the former meeting showed 74 new members joining the club at the February meeting at Haymarket High School and about thirty members joining at the present meeting last evening.

The next meeting will be at Occoian or Dumfries on the second Wednesday evening in April (April 8), Dramatic Arts of Manassas High

CLUB MEMBERS ASKED TO PLANT STATE FLOWER

Club members over the State of Virginia are asked to once more cooperate in beautifying the countryside by the planting and preservation of the Dog Wood. Wilbur O'Byrne, extension forester, gives ten pointers on tree planting:

1. Keep roots moist all of the time Cover with wet burlap or earth.

2. Make holes large enough to take roots without cramping. Provide drainage.

3. Use fertile top soil next to roots. If soil is very poor get garden soil. 4. Plant tree at same depth it stood

in earth as shown by soil marks. 5. Spread roots in their natural position. Cut off with a sharp knife any that are bruised or broken.

6. Work fresh soil in among roots and press down firmly.

7. As soon as roots are well cov ered fill rest of the hole with water. When this soaks in complete filling the hole. Leave top soil loose.

8. Trim broken branches and small limbs back to next largest stem. Do not cut leader or central stem as a forked tree may result.

9. Large trees or trees in exposed places should be staked. To prevent tightly around stem.

10. Maure or compost should be Schaeffer. used as a surface mulch—not next to if at all.

KIWANIS ACTIVITIES

The music committee largely seem ed to have the program last Friday evening at the Kiwanis but finally Carl Kincheloe announced that he did have a program and Ed Conner and Arthur Boatwright gave an interesting report on their recent activities The Young Democratic Club of which were largely responsible for

The only other announcement of weeney presiding.

The speakers in order were Judge be on March 27 at the Manassas High

> The club members were highly the Chamber of Commerce in merely taking the position of a co-ordinating capacity.

JOINT MEETING

R. C. Haydon to Be Guest Speaker March 19.

The patrons of the Manassas High School and the Bennett School of Manassas are to hold a joint meeting in the high school auditorium on the evening of March 19 at 8 p.m.

This meeting featuring "Education" promises to be a most interesting one. An excellent program is being arranged by the program committee chairmen of the schools, Mrs. William H. Leachman and Mrs. W. L. Lloyd.

Mr. R. C. Haydon, superintendent of Prince William County schools, will be the guest speaker, speaking Mr. Haydon will outline the purposes its record and the object in reducing and aims of the Youth Movement from a national and state angle and of industry, education and human be highly appreciated by all of the Mrs. Francis M. Lewis, who is superwill tell of the local program and how

> ranged for the meeting and should Fredericksburg Chamber of Combe of great interest to many.

Music for the occasion will be furnished by the high school orchestra under the direction of Miss Harriet March 25 at Gadsby's Tavern, Alex- Chevy Chase Dairy are noted as behour and refreshments will be provided by the hospitality committee. this club to be their guest at a tea long period of years. The only contribution the patrons of the same afternoon, at which time the schools are asked to make is their Mrs. Roberta Campbell Lawson, naed at the close of the speeches and presence and co-operation in making tional president, will be the speaker. what is known as an "honor roll," this an outstanding event of the year. All members expecting to attend will based on the daily average bacteris Be sure to be "Among Those Presplease notify Mrs. C. C. Lynn by Mar. count in each man's product. ent" and see that your neighbor 19.

MANASSAS HIGH NOTES

Senior Class Play.

the purpose being to organize the en- School will present as its major protire county by these district meet- duction of the year the four-act comings. The secretary will make the edy-drama entitled "Oh! Susan!" This Ball to be held Monday, April 13, are Pannouncement in an early issue of play was written by the famous play-wright, Katharine Kavanaugh, and will be presented in the high school auditorium.

| CLUB MEMBERS ASKED TO | CLUB MEMBERS ASKED

The story is centered about two of Cocke. the younger members of the social Plans for the May breakfast were set of New York. The young gentle- discussed and committees appointed. man in the story is very girl-shy Arrangements, Mrs. R. C. Haydon, and determines not to meet the girl Miss Margaret Lynch and Mrs. R. S. whom his aunt has picked for his Hynson; decorating, Mrs. Guthrie; wife. This part will be played by Mrs. C. C. Lynn and Miss Margaret Lloyd Compton. The role of the Lynch; program, Miss Virginia Speiyoung girl who even goes to the lim- den and Mrs. Mylander; tickets, Mrs. it of pretending she is a thief in order Thomas Broaddus. to get into his house is played by The committee chairmen were ask-Esther Akers. Louise Kincheloe, ed to have their annual reports ready Paul Cooksey, and Bobbie Jenkins for the next meeting when Mrs. Fred make up the trio of robbers who en- Alexander, state president, will be ter into the plot. Virginia Hurst the honor guest.
plays the part of the gentleman's Mrs. Maloney, chairman of the aunt, Virginia Newman and Marga- hostesses, served delicious ice cream ret White of two young girls who are and cookies. also after the young man, Nelson Lynn, the butler, and Margaret Breeden, the housekeeper.

This play is being directed by Miss Mary B. Nelson, with the help of Miss Veta M. Draper, both of whom in Virginia, according to figures reare members of the Dramatic Club leased this week by Dr. W. A. Pleck-Board of Directors.

Commercial Club Presents Play and Debate.

The Commercial Club of Manassas High School presented a very inter- less than 1933. esting skit entitled "Which Came Dr. Plecker remarked that 50 per First, the Hen or the Egg," on Tues- cent of Virginia births came from 25 day, March 10, in the high school au- per cent of the population least cachafing protect the tree with a piece ditorium. Those who took part in pable of providing necessities for of old rubber hose or burlap. Do not it were Virginia Hurst, Eleanor family life. fasten the support wire or twine Smith, Grayson Tyler, Cleveland Fisher, Stanley Harpine and William

the roots. Use fertilizers sparingly form of a conversation which took students, teachers and a number of o'clock. The Adult Study Group will Manager Cocke, Mr. A. S. Boatwright for this. If interested take up the place in a country store. It was got-the townpeople.

Fredericksburg Official Is Guest Washington Firm Sets Rigid

Speaker at Meeting

Test in Competition. Speaker at Meeting.

Hon. W. B. F. Cole, Commonnesday. He spoke on the by-product life, dwelling on the educational side, vising the program in this county, using the 3 R's as a foundation and building up from this the 3 H's, "Heart, Hand and Head." He told merce.

> The club was invited to attend the Fourth District Institute which meets ers who supply the Chestnut Farms-

Chamber of Commerce in carrying average of the entire number. tle Celebration.

BIRTH RATE DECLINES

The birth rate is steadily declining er, State registrar of vital statistics.

In announcing that for 1935, 50,800 births had been recorded. Dr. Plecker stated that the total for 1935 will be less than for 1934, which in turn was

Schaeffer.

ten up by Miss Abbye Lutes and prenett School Community League will
The guests included Judge Howard of the Town of Manassas will notice
W. Smith, Judge Reese Duncan, Town that there is no item in the budget

DAIRY FARMERS **GET CASH AWARDS**

Dairy farmers in Prince William County and other counties in the wealth's Attorney of Fredericksburg, farming belt around Washington are somewhat unique, and one which will zation study were defeated. producers who supply the Chestnut lature, is not meeting the Govern-Farms-Chevy Chase Dairy, of Wash-ment at Washington in its experi-Farms-Chevy Chase Dairy, of Washington City.

Many months ago the officials of

supply them with raw milk.

This took on proportions of statewide significance as the dairy farm-In their "Sealtest" laboratory, the

company's experts monthly compile lation for our colored population. Aid

This was soon developed into com-Mrs. Paul Cooksey, president, ap- petition of a type which induced pointed Mrs. Mylander, Mrs. C. C. the management of the dairy to Lynn and Miss Margaret Lynch to award cash prizes to a select group represent the club in assisting the which runs above the already high proved.

Committees for the Easter Charity each month with the same eagerness that a school pupil awaits the result

in other columns of this paper is an- out the candidates not preferred. honor roll, containing the names of for northern Virginia seems to have over two hundred henor producers.

All of the names thereon are recognized as capable farmers but the of Manassas next summer. acknowledgment in this form is pleasing one to all hands and the public will expect it from month to month hereafter.

It may be noted that the very highest rated producers were awarded cash prizes of considerable value. The acknowledgment is far more to the farmers than the value of the prize, but the competition does contain the element of award in a material way which puts more flavor into the whole proposition.

This paper congratulates the Chestnut Farms-Chevy Chase Dairy on this noteworthy step in creating public good-will.

U. D. C. TO SPONSOR SILVER TEA

Daughters of the Confederacy, will ginia Public Service Company. be hostess to a delightfully appointed silver tea, to be given at the home of Mrs. T. E. Didlake Wednesday, March 18, from 3 to 5 o'clock. A very pretty musical program has

been arranged for the afternoon. The public is cordially invited to

BENNETT SCHOOL LEAGUE

The regular meeting of the Ben- ville last evening. meet at 2 o'clock, of the same day. and Mr. Calvin Haley.



whose persistent efforts have assured the 75th anniversary of the First Battle of Manassas this summer.

LEGISLATURE **ENDS SESSION**

Experimental Measures Mostly Disapproved.

The General Assembly of Virginia ended last Saturday night after a ses- his earnest assistance. sion which will long be remembered for its rejection of major proposals. Most of the bills in the realm of social experiments such as old-age pensions, unemployment insurance, crim-Woman's Club at their meeting Wednesday. He spoke on the hy-product

Virginia, by the action of its legismental program of social legislation.

Among outstanding measures pass An interesting exhibit of the work the club members to use their indone by the Industrial Arts departiment, an innovation at Manassas by Mr. Cole was introduced by Mr. Ray Hall, secretary of the ranged for the meeting and should be fredericksburg. Chamber of Comgent upon a local appropriation of

40 per cent. A commission was authorized study the Old-Age Pension situation and report at the next session. An Bozarth. Last but not least, a social andria, at 10 a.m. The Alexandria ing among the best in the State and increase of \$330,000 was voted for Woman's Club sent an invitation for have established that record over a teachers pensions. The state police force was increased 50 men.

There was some very helpful legisfor graduate students who desire to enter advanced courses in northern universities was approved. An appropriation of \$240,000 for the Central State Hospital at Petersburg and of \$71,400 for the State Industrial Farm for Women at Goochland were ap-

An interesting law passed changes the time honored method of marking have gotten to look for this honor roll ballots. Hereafter the action of the voter in the booth will be affirmative instead of negative. He will now place the proper mark opposite the The advertisement which is carried name he favors instead of marking tee to reconsider the bill and it was

> The most outstanding enactmen been the appropriation of \$1500 to aid the celebration of the First Battle bill as it passed the House tacked the

PARKING IN RICHMOND

Now that the session of the General Assembly is over motorists are warned by Richmond police that parking in the grounds of the State Capitol is only permissible during

Cars parked there now are being age bill accumulates.

PAUL SCOTT APPOINTED ORANGE COUNTY CLERK

Browning of Paul H. Scott to fill the time. unexpired term of the late J. Willis Browning, as clerk of Orange County, has called on Branch Spalding, diis one of special interest to Culpeper, where Mr. Scott is well known on Hon. Howard W. Smith and this The Manassas Chapter, United through his connection with the Vir- afternoon a conference is being held

Mr. Scott, who is thirty-eight years of age, is a son of Dr. George Scott, celebration. of Orange, and descendant of one of The committee also visited the the county's pioneer families. His Fairfax Chamber of Commerce Tueshome is in the town of Orange.

ENTERTAINS AT DINNER

Mr. E. R. Conner entertained at a delightful dinner party preceding the Young Democratic meeting at Nokes-

Moncure Bill Assures Funds to Guarantee Great Pageant.

The proper type of celebration for the 75th anniversary of the First Battle of Bull Run is now assured.

This became known in the closing hours of the Legislature last week when a badly dented bill had been reconsidered through efforts of Lake Triplett, of Fauquier, and passed over to the Senate, through the courtesy of Hon. W. C. Hall, chairman of the State Conservation Commission, whose department will carry this expense. The bill went through the Senate unopposed.

The history of the movement has been almost a matter of days. On the evening of February 7, a guest speaker from the National Park Service called attention to the Gettysburg Campaign Anniversary and urged proper observation of the Second Battle of Bull Run which took place two years before the historic Pennsylvania contest.

Acting on the urge of the movement, three of the Kiwanians, Messrs. Cocke, Conner and Boatwright, took the matter up between meetings of the Kiwanis Club and were duly constituted a committee, devoting their attentions to our representa-tives in the Legislature. At this juncture, Mr. C. C. Cloe, of the Chamber of Commerce, was called in and gave

The immediate result of the effort was House Bill No. 496 which was introduced by Mr. Moncure on February 20.

Immediately after the introduction of this bill, Mr. Cloe called a meeting of the directors of the Prince William Chamber of Commerce, on February 25 and this organization assumed sponsorship of the celebration affair, although the actual celebration will be under the auspices of the Battle Park Association, of which Hon. John W. Rust is chairman. The Ki-wanis Club is which the movement originated grapefully passed over the honor of sponsorship, and along with other organizations in the county, will act in co-ordination. To that end Mr. C. C. Lynn has been appointed as a representative from the Kiwanis Club on the working commit-

For the next few days the committee kept the wires hot, not to mention numerous trips made to various points in the state and Washington in the interest of this project.

On February 27 the appropriation committee heard the proponents of the measure and were addressed by Messrs. Moncure, Rust and Boatwright.

The matter seemed doomed at this juncture as only three members of the committee supported it. There was no antagonism but rather a fear that this would set up a number of like demands from other parts of the State. The very next day, however, Mr. Triplett prevailed on the commitpassed to the floor by a unanimous vote.

Some of the best species of diplomacy were now called in because the appropriation on to the budget of the State Conservation Commission. It was then that a committee headed by E. R. Conner and assisted by A. S. Boatwright, W. F. Cocke and H. P. Davis, called on Mr. Wilbur Hall, Hon. Howard W. Smith, Walton Moore and others.

The finishing touches were given in a conference at Richmond Tuestowed to nearby garages and a stor- day of last week when Mr. Conner was successful in securing Mr. Hall's consent in allowing this fund to be taken from his budget. When this became known the bill passed the Senate without opposition. Senator The appointment by Judge Alex T. Rust spoke for its adoption at this

This week Mr. Conner's committee rector of military parks in Virginia, with General Embrick of the War Department who directed the Yorktown

day night and secured their pledge of co-operation at which time John W. Brookfield and two other members were appointed from that body to work with the steering committee.

Those interested in the purchase of light fire equipment for use outside matter with your supervisor at once.