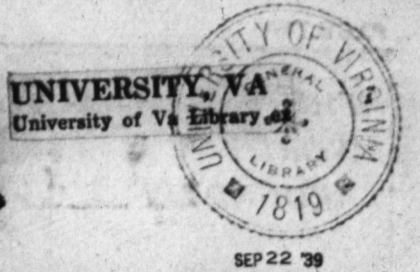


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## WILL PROMOTE ART INSTRUCTION

### School Board Closes Neabasco School

The county school board held its September meeting on the 14th, with all members present.

Two progressive steps were taken. One was to encourage at work among the students of all schools, and Miss Ayres was authorized to purchase the necessary supplies.

Anyone who may have viewed the splendid exhibits made on the rather restricted set-up in the last year or so will appreciate the progress that can be made with the recent move made by the Board.

The Board desiring a better attendance has appointed Mrs. Virginia Lewis as "attendance" officer. She is not a "truant" officer but will serve to check up and cooperate with the school authorities in their efforts to improve attendance.

Some minor changes in bus routes were authorized.

The Board ordered the Neabasco (colored) school closed. The children will be transported to the new consolidated school at Cabin Branch, using the same buses which take the older children to the Regional High at Manassas.

A library was approved for the Home Economics Department at Occoquan High.

The School Board will again sponsor a dental clinic for both white and colored schools.

A large amount of routine business was also acted upon.

### NATIONAL GUARD UNIT TO BE ENLARGED

The Strength of the National Guard in Virginia and other States will be increased about 20 per cent in accordance with a recent order issued by President Roosevelt, according to notification received by adjutant-General S. Gardner Waller, head of the Virginia guard. This action, General Waller said, would mean about 800 more men in the Old Dominion's unit. General Waller has notified Governor Price that physical examination of all officers of the Virginia guard, in line with secretary of War Woodring's request last April that this be done to "Vitalize" the Army and to purge it men unfit for war service, had been completed. General Waller said Virginia guard officers "are physically fit," that they "were given physical examinations by authorized physicians and surgeons prior to September 1," and that "any apparent physical disability has either been waived by the war department or else those physically disqualified have been discharged."

### IDLE SHIPS MAY BE RECONDITIONED

It is reported from Washington that the Maritime Commission is considering the advisability of reconditioning many of the idle ships now lying at anchor in the James River.

It is stated that there are more than a hundred of these vessels, all of which could be put into service much more quickly than new ones could be built. They are said to be sea-worthy, but obsolete, so far as their ability is concerned to compete with newer and faster ships. However, of the submarine attacks upon world shipping should greatly reduce existing tonnage, then the shipbuilding industry would experience a great increase.

Virginia would benefit greatly from revival of this industry, as the shipbuilding facilities at Newport News and elsewhere are extensive and the materials they require bring business to many other manufacturing concerns.

### MUSIC-LITERATURE SECTION TO MEET TUESDAY

The Music-Literature Section of the Manassas Woman's Club will meet on Tuesday night, September 26th, at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Lewis Carper. Mrs. W. F. Cocke will be assistant hostess.

Mrs. Ossie Tipton will speak on "Women's Work in the Field of Art from 1800 to 1900."

### ENROLLMENT UP

School authorities report fairly uniform throughout county except from the section along the Jefferson Davis Highway, where the increase has been quite definite—another increase has been created by return of post graduates.

### EDUCATION GROUP TO MEET NOVEMBER 21

The Virginia Education Association's annual convention will be held in Richmond November 21-24 instead of November 28 to December 2 as originally planned. Francis S. Chase, executive secretary, announced today.

The change in dates was made because of President Roosevelt's announced intention to move Thanksgiving Day up one week and because the week-end holiday permits many teachers to attend the V.E.A. sessions.

## NATIONAL GUARD AIDS THE POLICE

### General Waller Explains Importance of Virginia's Military Force

Brigadier-General Samuel Gardner Waller, Adjutant General of Virginia, speaking at the annual convention of Police Executives at Old Point Comfort this week explained the usefulness of the National Guard in law enforcement and described this military group as the "strong arm of the Governor."

General Waller made many friends in Manassas during the recent military maneuvers here and his address this week pointed out many interesting and important facts concerning the Virginia National Guard.

While the Guard stands as a bulwark against danger, General Waller emphasized that before troops are sent to a troubled area, they must be requested by those in civil authority.

"The National Guard strives to be neutral and is neutral as between the employer and the employee," he said. "It preserves law and order, protects life, limb and property and gives to all citizens the rights to which they are entitled under the Constitution of Virginia."

General Waller pointed out that under an order expected to be issued by President Roosevelt within the next few years, the Virginia National Guard would be authorized to increase its strength 20 per cent, or approximately 800 officers and men. He also reported that it had received an allocation of 550 M-1 new automatic rifles, "the most modern automatic rifles in the possession of any army today."

The mobility of the Guard, he said, was shown during the recent Manassas maneuvers, when the speed of its motorized field artillery likewise was demonstrated. For three successive years Virginia has won the Hearst trophy against all comers in the National Guard of the United States.

Aside from other duties which it may be called upon to perform, General Waller said the Guard also stood prepared to render service in time of disaster and general emergencies.

"It is prepared, with the authority of the secretary of war, to furnish shelter, cots, and blankets to 6,000 people of Virginia in distress," he said.

### AVERAGE INCOME IN VIRGINIA IS PLACED AT \$1,754

The average family income in Virginia during 1938 was \$1,754. The average for the nation was \$2,088. Per capita income in Virginia was \$343 in the nation, \$483. These figures, announced by the research department of the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce, are based on a study recently made by the National Industrial Conference Board.

Virginians' income from private productive enterprise amounted to \$719,000,000. For productive services rendered to the government \$129,000,000 was received. A total of \$48,000,000 was received from the government for work and direct relief, rental and benefit payments, and pensions and compensation for injuries. Other accountable income received from private sources amounted to \$32,000,000.

Cash income received in the state totaled \$843,000,000. Income received in kind is estimated to have had a value of \$85,000,000.

### WHITE ELEPHANT SALE OR EXCHANGE

The Hickory Grove Home Demonstration will hold a "White Elephant Sale or Exchange" on Tuesday, September 26th, at 2:00 at U.D.C. Hall, Hickory Grove, Va.

Bring anything you wish to exchange or sell, or you may wish to buy.

Come and have a good time with us.

## REPEAL THE ARMS EMBARGO

Today, for the twenty-fifth time since the establishment of the United States, a special session of Congress is meeting for emergency legislation. Some of these special sessions of Congress should have never been called, but this is a justifiable circumstance, and the world awaits with an interest proportionate to the serious nature of the situation, to see what the United States will do concerning the Arms Embargo.

The ability of nations to maintain neutrality does not come from within. Neutrality is a blessing achieved through understandings built up as the result of bitter experiences of non-belligerents through many wars, and no single nation can set up self-defined regulations which are at variance with international law and expect its concealed viewpoint to be accepted to their disadvantage by great powers engaged in life and death struggle.

Our present arms embargo is at variance with the non-combatant rules affecting all other neutrals. Its continuation is stabbing to the heart the powers of Europe who are fighting to safeguard the principles of democracy which underlie our own system of government. We probably can maintain this embargo, if we are willing to fight for this new untried experiment, but if we really are determined to stay out of this fearful conflict we should repeal this arms embargo at the earliest moment consistent with a full unbiased consideration. There should be no filibustering nor limitation of legitimate debate. All aspects of the difficult problem should be discussed openly, and then the Congress should act with decision and true impartiality to restore international law as applied to neutrality.

### WALL-MONCURE

Anne Stribling Moncure, daughter of Mrs. Henry Warwick Moncure and the late Henry Warwick Moncure, of Wide Water, and Mr. Hiram Ewing Wall, of Quantico, son of Mrs. Charles Clements Wall, and the late Charles Clements Wall, of Richmond, were married on Friday, September 8, in Aquia Church, Stafford County. The Rev. Henry Heaton officiating.

The bride entered the church with her brother, Marion Waller Moncure. Her gown of white crepe de chine was her mother's wedding dress, with which she wore a white net finger tip veil caught with orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of gardenias and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Donald John Kendall, wife of Lieutenant-Colonel Donald John Kendall, United States Marine Corps, cousin of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a blue and silver lace dress and a blue net turban. Miss Beattie Berkeley Wight, also a cousin of the bride, was her maid of honor. She wore a blue net dress and a pink net turban. Their bouquets were roses and delphinium.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at Little Clifton, the home of the bride's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Wall will make their home at Ravenswood, near Quantico, where Mr. Wall's banking interests are located.

### GOOD WORK BY EMPLOYMENT AGENCY

Over 10,000 jobs have been located by the Alexandria Office of the Virginia State Employment Service for persons using its facilities during the period of January 1, 1939 through August 31, 1939, it was stated today by Carter W. Friend, Manager of the local office at 301 King Street, which serves the employers and workers of Alexandria, Arlington, Fairfax and Prince William Counties. This office is rapidly becoming the community employment "clearing house" for the people of Alexandria and adjoining counties where persons desiring employment can file a record of their qualifications and where, in turn, employers can locate persons who can perform their work.

Through increased use of the office by employers and persons desiring work and also by greatly improved conditions in the layout of its new office at 301 King Street, 5,105 placements have already been made in the first eight months of 1939 compared with 3,016 placements for the same period in 1938 (a 40 per cent increase) and 4,991 placements during the whole twelve months of 1938. Also this office holds a very enviable record in making one-tenth of all the placements in the whole State of Virginia during 1939. Below is a comparison of the monthly totals of placements:

	1938	1939
January	372	500
February	184	429
March	197	750
April	424	572
May	478	869
June	474	802
July	357	592
August	530	592
September	536	591
October	556	
November	462	
December	427	
Totals	4,991	5,105

Attend the Community Sale at Bull Run this Saturday. See advertisement on page 6.

### WASHINGTON ECONOMIST DISCUSSES NEUTRALITY SITUATION

Mr. Paul O. Peters, of Washington, noted publicist and statistician of that city, was present at the weekly meeting of the Kiwanis club last Friday evening. He was introduced by Mr. C. A. Alpaugh.

Taking as his subject, "Peace, Profits and Neutrality," the speaker gave a very meaty talk on finances and the attending dangers surrounding certain governmental policies now in effect.

Touching on the European situation, he gave a rather gloomy picture of the possible evils that might arise in trade matters.

After his talk he was questioned closely on many matters. In all it was a very good program. Come again, Mr. Peters.

## NEW STATUE IS PLEASING

### Richmond Ladies View New Model of Jackson Memorial

According to press reports from Richmond the recent objections which were voiced against Joseph Pollia's first model of the memorial to be placed on the Manassas Battlefield have resulted in the preparation of a new statue, which is said to overcome the objections created by the first effort and which is said to have pleased representatives of the Richmond Chapters of the Daughters of the Confederacy who have viewed the one-third size reproduction.

The first attempt brought a storm of criticism from patriotic Virginians, members of the U.D.C., lovers of horses and a wide variety of critics who viewed the previous model from many different angles, but who all agreed that it did violence to both the immortal rider and his steed. It is stated that no Confederate soldier expressed satisfaction with the earlier conception of the great Commander.

The new statue is said to be more pleasing. Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee, Brauer of Richmond, is quoted in the press as stating that "The face of the model is more like Jackson's face, and the horse is better, as Mr. Pollia took out some of the lumps and bumps in it. The lines of the horse and rider lean forward, creating an impression of the horse and rider's standing as a stone wall, physically imposing. The cape balances the statue, increases the bulk of the rider as opposed to the bulk of the horse, and as it seems to blow back affords a spiritual quality, as if, one observer said, it were wings."

When it is finished and stands high on the hilltop of Manassas, it will be more than just another statue, and will suggest to the average American the strength and integrity of Jackson's character. In the future, when details of history are forgotten, it will be a beautiful and fitting memorial to Jackson."

### ADA FAIR AND EXHIBITION

The annual exhibition and Fair known widely as the "Ada Fair" will be held at St. Andrew's Mission, near Marshall, Va., on Saturday, September 23, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Rev. W. B. Everett, 3rd, of Marshall, is in charge of the affair and his work among the mountain people has resulted, among other accomplishments, in the offering for sale of local handicraft which has attracted widespread attention.

No admission is charged, although a voluntary offering for the work of the mission is accepted at the door, and refreshments are sold on the grounds.

Articles for sale will include handicraft, beautiful and high grade quilts, cooking, canning, farm and garden products. A unique feature of this years fair will be a baby exhibition.

### CELEBRATES EIGHTH BIRTHDAY

Charles B. Linton, Jr., celebrated his eighth birthday last Saturday, with a luncheon at which he entertained several of his little friends. Those present were Billy Hayden, Billy Gue, John Abner DeChant, John Henry Stauff, Jackie Wetherall, Jackie Martin and Tayloe Linton. After playing games together for a while, the host and his guests attended the movies and spent a most enjoyable afternoon.

### GARDEN CLUB TO MEET WITH MRS. GILLUM

The Manassas Garden Club will meet with Mrs. V. V. Gillum, Tuesday, September 26, at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. William Carpenter Jones, Regional Vice-President of the Piedmont section, will be the guest speaker.

## BETHLEHEM CLUB PROMOTES BOOK

### Committee Reports Definite Progress in History Project

Mrs. B. F. Knox and Mrs. A. C. Hart were hostesses to the Bethlehem Good Housekeeping Club on Wednesday afternoon at the former's home. Eighteen members and one guest, Mrs. Wm. Cooke, of Columbia, Ga., house guest of Mrs. N. K. Middlethorpe, were present.

Interesting facts pertaining to the life of Mary Ball Washington were given by the members in response to roll call. The name of Elizabeth Barrett Browning was presented for the October meeting.

After committee reports were given there was open discussion of the club's outstanding project, the proposed history of Old Prince William. It was learned that the Board of Supervisors of the County has agreed to appropriate a goodly sum toward this work and will act with this club as joint sponsors in the publishing of this book. The Virginia Work Projects Administration has taken over the assembling of material, having engaged Mrs. Susan Morton, of Haymarket, to continue in this work. Mr. Ragland Eubank, an experienced historian connected with the W.P.A., will work with Mrs. Morton from the Richmond office.

Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson stated that her suggestion to the Woman's Club of Manassas that they cooperate with the Bethlehem Club in furthering this project had been enthusiastically received.

The names of Mrs. Richard Haydon and Mrs. Marie Larkin were presented by the Membership Committee and unanimously approved.

A donation to the Dental Clinic of the Manassas P.T.A. was subscribed. The club noted with deep regret the passing of one of its former members, Miss Annie G. Roberts.

A novel game, followed by dainty refreshments added to the enjoyment of the social hour. Mrs. J. F. Burks and Mrs. Robert Lewis will be hostesses at the October meeting, with Mrs. W. E. Brown and Mrs. Proffitt providing the program.

### HOLY NAME STATE CONVENTION

The Nineteenth Annual Convention of the Richmond Diocesan Union of the Holy Name Society will be held this year in St. Mary's Parish, Alexandria, Va., on Sunday, September 24. The program will be as follows:

Convention Mass at St. Mary's at 8 a.m.

Morning Session at 10 a.m.—Afternoon Session at 2 p.m.—Closing with benediction at 5 p.m.

Breakfast and luncheon will be served all Holy Name men free at the George Mason Hotel, and all delegates should register at the Knights of Columbus Home.

About ten delegates from All Saint's Church, Manassas, will attend this convention.

### TEMPLE SCHOOL OPENS

On Monday, September 18th, Temple School, on Grant Avenue, opened for the current school year. The roll includes children from nursery school age through the fifth grade, the youngest pupil this year being Stanley Winfree, who is only two years and ten months.

The piano department, which is for students of all ages, is preparing an attractive program to be presented in the near future by the advanced students.

### RECENT PLEASANT CALLERS

Pleasant callers at the Journal Office recently included Mrs. Woody Crouch, Mrs. E. A. Alden and two sons, Miss Bessie V. Cornwell, Mrs. John Gaba and son, H. M. Pearson, Mrs. Lelia C. Akers, Montgomery Johnston, Mrs. Laura A. Shaffer, Miss John T. Keys, John T. Beavers, Miss Katherine Low, Mitchell Bettis, F. R. Schack, Henry Kaiser, J. Hendley Johnson, Mrs. W. C. Read and Dr. Fred J. Gue.

### REVIVAL SERVICES

The Revival meeting will begin at New Hope, Baptist Church, at Eaman, Sunday night, September 24, at 7:30 p.m.

Rev. Lloyd B. Boutyard will assist the pastor. Services at evening throughout the week at 7:30.

The public is cordially invited to all the services.



## THE WORLD AROUND US

By

O. J. Schuster

AN ANTI-WAR PLEDGE has been signed by the leading ministers of the United States. In New York City alone 216 prominent churchmen affixed their names to a pledge never to support another war. Not only such outstanding churchmen like Dr. John Haynes Holmes and Rev. Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick are leaders in this movement but Jewish Rabbis like Sidney E. Goldstein are taking an equally firm stand against war. Perhaps the Church, or at least a part of the Church, is going to follow the teaching of Jesus in deeds, not merely in words and never used it against his fellowmen.

THE WORLD WAR, 1914 to the end of 1918, almost ruined Western Civilization. Here are some of its results: 10,000,000 soldiers, choice young men of all the nations at war, were killed. Several times that number were wounded, many of them terribly crippled for life. 50,000,000 civilians—men, women, and children—starved to death or died from other direct and indirect effects of that war.

The wealth destroyed in that war was beyond the mind's power to grasp. It was sufficient to have provided a well-equipped modern home and five acres of land for every family in the United States, Canada, France, Italy, and half a dozen other nations, and there would have been enough cash left to give a child in every one of those families a college education. That war cost the people of the United States more than \$40,000,000,000, a sum vastly greater than the amount the Roosevelt administration has spent on constructive projects that enrich the nation.

That war produced a crime wave such as the world had never before known. Even United States alone is more than \$15,000,000,000—a sum several times as great as the cost of our national government about which there is so much howling.

There have been more wars since the close of the World War, the war that was to end all war, than there ever was before in a like period of time.

ALL BIG NATIONS grew large and powerful by plundering other nations weaker than themselves. The history of the British Empire is one continuous record of plunder in India, China, Africa, and other parts of the world. For 300 years she has dominated hundreds of millions of defenseless peoples, dictated how they should live. France, Belgium, Germany, Italy, and many other nations have a similar record of plunder and domination, on a smaller scale because they have not been as powerful as Britain. Now the dominating power in the world seems to be shifting from England to other nations. Soon it may be the Yellow Race—Japanese and Chinese, for the people of these two nations will undoubtedly draw nearer together—will be the leading people of the world. They greatly outnumber the White Race and may even prove themselves intellectually and ethically superior to the Western World.

"BECAUSE THOU HAST PLUNDERED many nations, all the remnant of the peoples shall plunder thee, because of men's blood, and for the violence done to the land, to the city and all that dwell therein. Woe to the people (or nation) that getteth evil gain."

That quotation from the Bible was heard by the president last Sunday as he sat in the little Episcopal church in Hyde Park and listened to the message delivered by its pastor, Rev. Frank R. Wilson. Perhaps it made Mr. Roosevelt recall that our own country has not been free from plunder. We too have grabbed land, minerals, and other wealth from the Indians, from Mexico, Hawaii, Spain, Panama, from the people of Nicaragua and the Philippines, and from other weak states. No man, however wise he may be, can foresee what the world around us will be 10 years from now.

### OCCOQUAN AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. John Leary of Occoquan entertained at their cottage at Gunston Cove one evening last week in honor of Mrs. Leary's sister, Mrs. Emma Byington. There was approximately twenty guests. All had a very pleasant evening.

Mr. Marvin Hoyt of Washington, D. C., has returned home after spending his vacation as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Petellat and family in Occoquan.

Mr. Frank Hornbaker of Occoquan and Mr. Charles Critcher of Lorton motored to New York over the weekend to visit friends and take in the

### World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lawson, new proprietors of Tip Top Inn on No. 1 highway near Featherstone, have rented a residence from Mr. T. P. Davis in Woodbridge, where they will make their home. We welcome those folks to the neighborhood and hope they will like this community.

Dr. and Mrs. Siegler are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Leary in Occoquan. Mrs. Siegler is Mrs. Leary's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clarke of Englewood, Va., announce the birth of twin daughters. Mrs. Clarke will be remembered as the former Agnes Peake, daughter of the late Col. Peake of Lorton. Mr. Clarke, a member of the Virginia State Police Force was for a time stationed in this section and made many friends. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carter of Woodbridge announce the arrival of a son on Sunday, September 11. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Carter. We hope the young man will be a good citizen.

The Alumni Association of Occoquan District High School will have a "combined social and business meeting" at the school on Wednesday, September 27, at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to attend this meeting, because it will be election night. At the regular meeting on September 13, there were not enough members present to hold an election, and it is hoped there will be a full attendance on the 27th.

Capt. and Mrs. T. F. Joyce of Occoquan visited the Misses Liela B. and Bell V. Milstead of Lorton on Friday of last week.

The Misses Liela B. and Bell V. Milstead and Miss Nellie Nevitt of Lorton called on Capt. and Mrs. Joyce in Occoquan on Monday.

The Occoquan Theatre Company, Messrs. Harold Wilcher and Frank Hornbaker, proprietors, have installed Neon Lighting System on the Lyric Theatre in Occoquan. This is a decided improvement over the old lighting system. It also puts our town on the Map as a real live Burg. We congratulate Messrs. Wilcher and Hornbaker for their civic pride in spending part of their profits in improvements instead of hoarding it all.

Fishing is getting very active in Occoquan those days. Several large catches have been taken during the past week.

Mr. Robert S. Hall is remodeling the house in Commerce Street he recently purchased. It is known as the Smoot house; next door to the Town Clerk's house, Mr. E. R. Shanklin. It appears that Mr. Hall will have one of the most modern and prettiest houses in Occoquan, when he completes the work he has set forth to do. Congratulations, Mr. Hall. You are another man, who is putting your profits in improvements instead of hoarding it.

Mrs. Robert S. Hall's mother and sister from Luray are spending some time with the Halls in Occoquan. We hope they will enjoy their visit to our town.

### Advertising Helps Both The Consumer And the Advertiser

## VIRGINIA STATE FAIR

**RICHMOND, SEPT. 25 to 30**

Increased Premiums. More Exhibits of Farm Products, Cattle, Poultry, 4-H Clubs, Farm Machinery, etc.

### HUNDREDS OF WONDERFUL EXHIBITS

Fruits, Flowers, Women's and Children's Work, Farm Exhibits, Cat and Pet Shows, U. S. Government displays and many more.

### MAGNIFICENT AMUSEMENT PROGRAM

**ROXYETTES REVUE**—Company of 100 people.—(Principals and Staff) Direct from Roxy Theatre, New York City in 5 brilliant new musical comedy numbers—new costumes and scenery, stage settings.

**JIMMIE LYNCH AND HIS DEATH DODGERS**—Direct from New York World's Fair—Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday matinees.

**AUTO RACES**—AAA Sanctioned, Saturday, September 30th.

### 14 ALL STAR ACTS BEFORE GRANDSTAND

In addition to the above—The Five Herzogs, Quintuple Flying Trapeze Act; Hanneford Family, Equestrian feature of Ringing Bros.—Barnum & Bailey Circus; Frank Mazzone & Co., unrivalled Acrobats, Russian and Adagio Dancers; Berosino Troupe, Europe's high wire comedy Daredevils; O'Donnell & Blair, The Plasterers in Topsy Turvy Comedy; The Great Peters who hangs himself at a dizzy height; Skating Earls, The Royal Family of Roller Skating; Bobby Whaling & Partner, the Cyclomaniacs; Frank Cervone's Band. Fireworks every night.

**WORLD OF MIRTH SHOWS ON MAMMOTH MIDWAY**

ADMISSION—Adults, 25¢ Children, 15¢

JOIN THE HAPPY CROWDS IN RICHMOND

## HAYMARKET

Mrs. Bailey Tyler is spending some time with relatives in New Jersey.

Miss Roberta Fox Payne has returned to Covington to resume her studies at the college there.

Miss Frances E. White has accepted the position as nurse at the Arlington Hall School, Arlington, Va.

Mrs. Ann L. M. Fuller of Baltimore, who was, for many years, a summer resident of our village, has been warmly welcomed back and is spending her time with Miss Loretta McGill.

Mrs. John Shoemaker of Falls Church, Mrs. Harry Seiber of Washington and Mrs. A. McKee Kincaid of Richmond are spending September in Haymarket.

The Chancel Guild of St. Paul's Church will hold an entertainment at the Parish Hall next Tuesday afternoon, beginning at three o'clock. Handkerchiefs, aprons and other articles will be on sale, also refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Karsten, and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Tyler were guests on Sunday of friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Buckner, of Washington, D. C., spent last weekend with his aunts, Misses Lucy and Mary Buckner.

## NOKESVILLE

On September 7, Brentsville District High School opened with a record attendance. We are happy to have the same faculty in addition to one new teacher, Mrs. Johnson.

A reception was given to the faculty on Tuesday evening by the Community League. The alumni furnished an interesting program. Refreshments were served by the Woman's Club.

Mr. Philip Reading, former student of Brentsville District High School, and a graduate of V.P.I., has accepted a position at Cumberland, Va.

On Monday morning, September 25, at 9 o'clock, a movie will be presented in the auditorium entitled "Juvenile Court." Everyone is invited.

The Brethern Young People are sponsoring a social at the Seminary on Friday evening.

Mr. William Allen, Alumnus of B.D.H.S., preached at the Methodist church last Sunday evening.

The W.C.T.U. organization sponsored a short program at the High School last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Weeks of Washington gave an interesting talk on the observance of Frances Willard Day. A Frances Willard peony was planted near the Economics Cottage.

We are glad that Helen Newland, a former student, is teaching at Brentsville.

The following alumni have returned to their respective colleges: John and Harry Bear, Stanley Harpine, Wil-

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liam Hale, and Selwyn Smith to V.P.I.; Robert Beahm, Letha Foster, Cornelia Miller, and Flory Diehl to Bridgewater; Margaret Mayhugh to James Madison; and Janet Trenis to Mary Washington College.

On Thursday morning, the following patrolmen will be installed during the Assembly program presented by the Seniors: High School patrolmen: Miller Whetzel, Allen Green, Freddie Harpine, Gordon Ellis, Edwin Nelson, George Herring, Murry Wood and Warren Landes; Grade School Patrolmen: Bertram Hayes and Edward Sonafrank.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Allen of Woodbridge, visited in Nokesville on Friday.

Miss Janet Trenis spent the weekend with Misses Jane and Nancy Lynn.

Mr. Billy Hale has returned to Blacksburg to continue his college work.

Messrs. Robert Beahm, Flory Diehl, Roy Francis and Miss Cornelia Miller are going to Bridgewater College this week.

Mr. Charles Beahm and Misses Hazel and Ella Beahm were home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Spitzer spent Sunday in Middleburg visiting Dr. Spitzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dove and daughter, Myrna Loy are visiting in West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sonafrank and family were away for the weekend.

Miss Ruth and Mrs. Glenn Somers were in the Lury Hospital for tonsil operations. We wish them a speedy recovery.

### "ANDY HARDY GETS SPRING FEVER" AT PITTS' THEATRE

Andy Hardy gets Spring Fever" will prove to a responsive audience at the Pitts Theatre Monday and Tuesday, September 25 and 26 that the Hardy Family series grow stronger with each picture. Never before

has the family appeared more human, more appealing.

In this latest of the Hardy saga the family gets a taste of romance and drama. The Judge, portrayed in his usual splendid manner by Lewis Stone, becomes involved in a crooked promotion stunt which threatens the savings of the Hardys as well as of their friends. The irrepressible Andy, naturally none other than Mickey Rooney, quarrels with his girl friend, Polly Benedict, and falls in love with his beautiful dramatics teacher. The latter role is played by a newcomer, Helen Gilbert, who shows definite ability.

To win the esteem of his teacher Andy writes the play for his class show and wins the leading role in it. The young teacher in a moment of loneliness listens to Andy's boyish declaration of love and finds herself suddenly being asked in marriage by the lad. The Judge, despite his own worries, tries to talk Andy out of his infatuation but the latter won't listen. Finally, on the day of the play, the Judge turns a wise trick which saves all the money mulcted by the promoters and Andy discovers that his teacher is engaged to some one else. Only then does he come to his senses to realize that Polly is still, as always, his girl.

### DRAMA NEVER GREATER THAN IN "STANLEY" HIT

"Dr. Livingstone, I presume?" Drama knows no more thrilling moment than when Stanley speaks these words to Dr. Livingstone in the heart of Africa, the climax of the adventure that thrilled the world. And now the most heroic exploit known to man may be seen in one of the most spectacular motion pictures ever undertaken, Darryl F. Zanuck's production of "Stanley and Livingstone."

Featuring one of the finest acting casts ever assembled, the opening of the 20th Century-Fox film on Thursday and Friday, September 28-29, will

be a gala day at the Pitts' Theatre. Spencer Tracy, twice winner of the Academy Award, portrays the daring Stanley, crack newspaper man of the New York Herald. Starred with him are Nancy Kelly and Richard Greene, heading an imposing cast including Walter Brennan, also an Academy Award winner; Charles Coburn, Sir Cedric Hardwicke, as Livingstone; Henry Hull and Henry Travers.

Into the perilous wilderness of unknown Africa one white man ventured to seek another, an impossible Herculean labor marked by innumerable, nameless terrors—but nothing could stop him! Such is the theme of the theme of the screen play by Philip Dunne and Julien Josephson, reaching a new high in script writing. Under the direction of Henry King (noted for "In Old Chicago," "Alexander's Ragtime Band" and "Jesse James") the film assumes a top position among the year's most notable screen achievements.

But there's more than thrilling adventure to be seen in "Stanley and Livingstone." The great reporter found Livingstone unwilling to be "rescued," and learned from the missionary-explorer a new, heroic meaning in life that sent him back to carry on the great work. "Stanley and Livingstone" is a picture not to be missed.

We wish to thank our various correspondents for sending their notes early this week.

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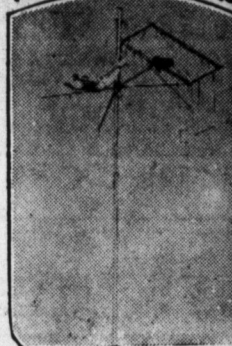


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It would be difficult to imagine an amusement program of more variety and thrills than the Virginia State Fair will present to the people of the entire state, September 25 to 30, at Richmond. Combining such splendid entertainment with a record breaking exposition of the state's agricultural, livestock and domestic products, the 1939 Fair promises to eclipse all of Virginia's 25 Fairs that have gone before. Manager Chas. A. Somma states there is every indication that attendance will surpass all records. The Fair goes a step fur-

ther than ever before in securing a feature act of the New York's World Fair, Jimmy Lynch and His Death Dodgers have been secured for a four-day engagement and this thrilling auto smashing act feature of the New York Fair will be duplicated, by special arrangement, Tuesday to Thursday, inclusive, at Richmond. Co-starring with the Death Dodgers will be Roxette Revue with its cast and staff of 100 people direct from Roxy Theater, Broadway.

Other headline acts are the Five Herzogs, The Hanneford Family, Skating Earls, Frank Mazzone and Company, Berossino Troupe, O'Donnell and Blair, the Great Peters, Whaling and Partner, Frank Cervone and his Band and others. The mammoth Midway, one of the world's most dazzling spots for the duration of the Fair, will present forty new shows and rides and there will be a fireworks display every night, Saturday, last day of the Fair, will bring the Auto Races, sanctioned by AAA and offering handsome cash prizes and dirt-track championship awards to the winners.

### DUMFRIES

Miss Lucille Pulley and Miss Ida Bell Foster spent Saturday in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Williams and daughter are spending a few days with friends in Alexandria.

Mrs. Kerchiffer, Mrs. Ennis and Mrs. Woodhouse entertained the Women's Home Demonstration Club at the latter's home on Wednesday afternoon.

Capt. and Mrs. Frank Hansen of Alexandria were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leary Cato Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hornsby and daughter have moved to Phillip's apts. in Triangle.

Mr. Clay Brawner, Miss Doris Brawner and Mrs. Olney Brawner spent Monday in Fredericksburg.

### CATHARPIN

Rev. John S. Schwartz announces that he will hold a congregation meeting at Sudley church next Sunday morning. He earnestly requests all members of the church, both young and old, to attend this meeting. All friends of the church who desire to attend are most cordially invited to be present.

"Home-Coming" services will be held at Fairview, Sunday, September 24. Rev. Jesse M. Bell will deliver the morning sermon. Our pastor or some other visiting minister, will speak in the afternoon. Fairview cordially invites you to attend these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cross, and Mr. and Mrs. Newman Cross of Washington were guests of their cousin, Mrs. Etta Lynn, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Robt. B. Hightower of Washington were visitors at "Oakwood" during the week-end.

The friends of Mr. M. E. Shelton will be glad to know that he was removed from the hospital to his home in Alexandria last Saturday. While he is improving satisfactorily, it is expected that he will be confined to his bed for sometime.

Mr. Andrew Smith, eldest son of Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, has recently accepted a position with the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone company.

Master Berkeley Conrad has returned to his home in Hagerstown, Md., after spending the summer with his aunt, Mrs. Anna Ellison.

Mr. J. Worthington Alvey, jr., left Monday for Blacksburg, where he will enroll in the Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

The P. T. A. dance at Haymarket, Friday night proved to be a very enjoyable affair, and netted a good sum for our local organization. The music was furnished by the orchestra of the 260th Coast Artillery Band, which came to Haymarket after giving an open air concert at Warrenton. The grand march, which opened the ball, was led by their commander, Col. Walter Burns, and Mrs. John M. Piercy, jr., to the stirring strains of "The Field Artillery March."

Miss Ruth Matthew has returned from a week's visit to her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Moncrief of Washington and has entered business school at Manassas.

### WOODBIDGE

Mr. Archie Curtis was knocked down in Alexandria by a car recently and hur right bad.

Mrs. William Leffingwell has gone to California to visit her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sullivan went to Washington, Sunday, to see her sister, Mrs. Hicks, who is right bad off in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Conney were in Baltimore recently visiting friends.

Mr. Milton Sullivan and family went to Alexandria one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. William Carrick, his granddaughter and her husband of Seat Pleasant, Md., visited their daughter, Mrs. H. T. Tyson, recently.

Mr. Carrick and Mr. Dean called on Mr. L. E. Strother.

Mrs. Carleton Hedges has been quite sick but is better now.

### WELLINGTON

John Monroe was rushed to the Alexandria hospital, Saturday for appendicitis and was operated on shortly after he got there.

His friends are glad that he is doing nicely.

Mr. L. B. Thomas of Wellington is suffering with his eye and hope he won't have to go to a hospital, if so that is four from here in the past two weeks.

Mrs. Wallace M. Monroe just used her last pumpkin 8-1/2 lb. raised in 1938. Who can beat that?

### INDEPENDENT HILL

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Oleyar had as their week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Merrill and daughter, Annabelle, of Bennings, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. John M. Oleyar, jr., and little son, Miss Delphine Posey, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Greenwood of Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. William Price and daughter, Evelyn, of Cherrydale, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Stras spent Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. Stras' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Oleyar. They left Wednesday a.m. by motor for Fergus Falls, Minn., where they expect to make their home.

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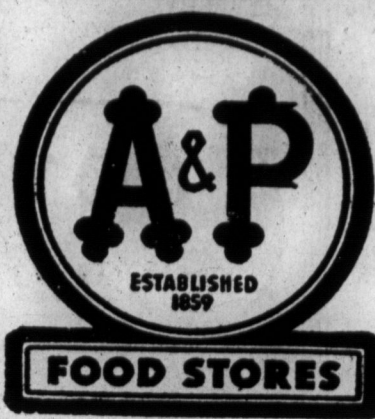
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BACONS - lb. 17c

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Pork Sausage - lb. 21c

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Sliced Bacon - lb. 17c

SLICED

Spiced Ham - 1/2-lb. 15c

FRESH

SPARE RIBS - lb. 15c

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FRESH FISH FILLETS

Ocean Perch - lb. 15c

Haddock - lb. 13c

Pollock - lb. 11c

Trout

Or Croakers 1-lb ctn 15c

Oysters - med pt 20c

select pt. 25c

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BUTTER FISH

Croakers Trout 2 lbs 13c

A&P. PITTED (FOR PIES)

SOUR CHERRIES - 2 no. 2 cans 19c

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MAYONNAISE - pt. jar 17c

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TOMATO JUICE - big 50-oz. tin 15c

AMERICAN

CHEESE - lb. 19c

TRIPLE CREAM

SPRY - 3-lb. tin 52c

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POTTED MEAT - 3 cans 10c

A. & P.

APPLESAUCE 3 no. 2 cans 19c

DEL MONTE

PEACHES - 2 no. 2 1/2 cans 29c

MAXWELL HOUSE

COFFEE - lb. 27c

NUTLEY NUT

MARGARINE - 2 lbs. 19c

DOMESTIC

SARDINES - 3 cans 13c

JONATHAN AND GRIMES GOLDEN

APPLES - 5 lbs. 12c—bush basket 99c

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LETTUCE - 2 hds 15c

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MOTHER'S

Oats - sm. pkg. 8c

ARMOUR'S

Corned Beef - 2 cans 33c

A. & P. TENDER

Green Peas - 2 no. 2 cans 25c

HEINZ

Ketchup - 2 14-oz. bots. 35c

SUNNYFIELD REGULAR

Oats - sm pkg 7c; lge pkg 15c

QUAKER REGULAR

Oats - sm pkg 8c; lge pkg 18c

FLORIDA

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE - 2 47-oz. cans 29c

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P. & G. Soap - 3 cakes 10c

TRIANGLE

Salt - pkg 3c

OCTAGON

Soap Powder - 2 pkgs. 9c

RINSO OR

Oxydol - lge pkg 20c

AJAX OR

O.K. Soap - 4 bars 10c

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Ammonia - qt. bot. 10c

CLEAN SWEEP

Brooms - each 23c

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Dog Food - 6 cans 25c

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Sausage - 2 cans 15c

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THURSDAY, SEPT. 21, 1939

**CHRIST FOR ALL—ALL FOR CHRIST**  
**The Word of God**  
If parents will have their children memorize the daily Bible selections, it will prove a priceless heritage to them in later years.

**AVOID EXCESSES:** Who hath woe? Who hath sorrow? Who hath contentions? Who hath babbling? Who hath wounds without cause? Who hath redness of eyes? They that tarry long at the wine? They that go to seek mixed wine.—Prov. 23, 29, 30.

## IS SENATOR BORAH NEUTRAL?

The grotesque alliance, which has been effected between Adolph Hitler, of Germany, and Joseph Stalin, of Russia, has grouped together all Communists and Nazis throughout the world, and in the United States. We have long been accustomed to look askance at the Nazi movement here, but now it is important that we also subject Pro-Soviet advocates to severe scrutiny.

Of these Senator Borah deserves our first consideration. He was the mainspring in postponing action of the last Congress on the Arms Embargo. He claimed that his sources of information on the European situation were more reliable than those of the United States Government and that he was convinced there would be no immediate outbreak of war. It would have been of immense value to our maintenance of neutrality to have been able to repeal this arms embargo before the outbreak of war, as urged by the President. The insistence of Senator Borah, however, provided the slender margin by which this important action was postponed.

Previous activities of the Senator of a pronounced Pro-Soviet character cast additional doubts upon the integrity of his position as a disinterested "isolationist." It is a matter of published record that he once requested the A.C.L.U. (American Civil Liberties Union) to draw up legislation for him to submit to the United States Senate, and

he was an outstanding exponent of recognition of Russia by the United States.

Since recent events have merged Pro-Russianism and Pro-Germanism, the continued attacks of the Senator from Idaho on the military program of England and France, charging that they are "pulling their punches" against the Siegfried Line, are sufficient to justify a deepening suspicion that the Senator from Idaho is not so much concerned with keeping the United States out of war as he seems to be in giving aid and comfort and Germany.

## BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Eula Holt Merchant is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mabel Wood, in Richmond, Va.

Mr. Billy Jamison left on Monday for Dartmouth College, where he will resume his studies.

Miss Hazel Hamilton, Miss Charlotte Tenser and Mr. Irvin Tenser, of Richmond, Va., were week-end guests of Mrs. A. S. Boatwright.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Linton and family will attend the Home-Coming Day services at the old Lamb's Creek Church in King George County on Sunday.

Mrs. B. F. Adams and her sister, Mrs. Frances Reid, left Sunday for Philadelphia, where they will visit for several weeks.

Miss Betty Beane left on Monday for Madison College, Harrisonburg, Va., where she will take a course in dietetics.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris are visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Ethel Garrett of Washington, D. C., was the week-end guest of Miss Kitty Andrews.

Glad to hear that Mrs. L. L. Lonas is improving from a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway Seeley and Mary Catherine spent several days last week visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hayes, in Hilton Village, Va., and her brother, J. W. Cox, in Newport News.

Mr. Hendley Johnson, of Kingsport, Tenn., will return home on Saturday after a two-week's visit with relatives here.

Lt. and Mrs. Dabney Waters of Annapolis, Md., visited at his home here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Bradford, and Mr. Fred Hynson attended a Frigidaire sales meeting at the Chamberlain Hotel, Old Point Comfort, Va. for several days last week.

Mrs. Jack Barrett and Mrs. Higgs Lewis spent Wednesday in Mt. Jackson, Va.

Messrs. Charles and Warren Bauserman have returned to V.P.I. after spending the summer with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bauserman.

Mrs. S. T. Kirtley and daughters, Margaret and Katherine, Mrs. Lena Miller and daughter, Jane, and Miss Janie Kirtley, all of Stony Point, Va., were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Luck this past Sunday.

Dr. Fred J. Gue of Helena, Montana, arrived last Tuesday for a ten days' visit with his mother, Mrs. Frank Gue, and brother, Ferris W. Gue, and family.

Mr. Marshall Johnson left for Washington and Lee University, Lexington, on September 8th. He will be a sophomore this year.

Mr. Charles Baughman, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Evans, has returned to his home in Knoxville, Tenn.

Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Burks left Saturday for Bedford, Va., where they will visit for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fitzwater spent Sunday in Nokesville, Va., with Mr. Fitzwater's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Beane of Pulaski, Va., were recent visitors at the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Beane.

Mr. G. Fred Blakemore of Newport News, Va., who has been visiting his brother, Mr. Roy Blakemore, has gone to New York to spend a few days at the Fair. He will return to Manassas before going home.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway Seeley and Mary Catherine will spend Sunday in Richmond, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris W. Gue and son, Billy, Dr. Fred J. Gue and Mrs. Frank Gue toured Northern Virginia over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Walker Merchant spent last Sunday with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Merchant, in Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. Clopton Athey and two sons, of Montgomery, Ala., visited at the home of his uncle, Mr. W. S. Athey, on Monday. Mr. Athey, who is a former resident of Manassas, is connected with the highway department in Montgomery.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Stuart Gibson and their daughter, Mrs. Robert Fox, of Alexandria, attended the wedding of Miss Elizabeth McCormick and Mr. George von Beck, of Washington, at the home of the bride, Dover House, near Middleburg, Va., on Monday.

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Miss Ethel Eubank and Mr. John Russell, of Marshall, were dinner guests of Miss Nina Dalton on Sunday evening.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Elizabeth Huffman, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, is much improved at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cosgrove, Mr. and Mrs. William Bowers, and Mr. Roy Britten of Nokesville, and friend, Miss Ganana Richards, of Washington, D. C., spent last week-end camping on Skyline Drive.

Mr. W. S. Allensworth, of Washington, D. C., was a visitor in Manassas, Saturday. He is a brother of Carl Allensworth, who has been blind since childhood, and both gentlemen have many friends here.

Miss Jane Beeton leaves Monday for Fredericksburg, Va., where she will attend Mary Washington College this year.

Miss Nina Dalton will spend this week-end at her home here.

Sorry to hear that Mrs. Bullock is rather ill in Emergency hospital after an appendix operation last week. We hope to hear that she is improving real soon.

Mrs. P. A. Lillard and son, of Washington, D. C., were guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Huffman last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Muddiman and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Barrett and Mrs. Ella Florence in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Samuel Lyle Winfield, a former resident of Manassas who is now a member of the Aviation unit of the Marines, has just returned from a

week's visit to the New York World's Fair.

Mrs. Clifford Ball and two little daughters spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Iva Shifflet, in Washington, D. C.

The Methodist Church is having a General Rally Day this Sunday, in an effort to get better attendance at church services.

Little Miss Ann Warren Coleman is home again minus her tonsils after an operation in a Washington hospital the past week.

Sorry to hear that Mrs. Frank Gue has been ill and hope that she will improve rapidly.

### HONEY-MOONING HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lee, of New York City were married in Manassas Tuesday. They liked Prince William county so well that they decided to enjoy their new-found happiness here for several days.

**We wish to thank our various correspondents for sending their notes early this week.**

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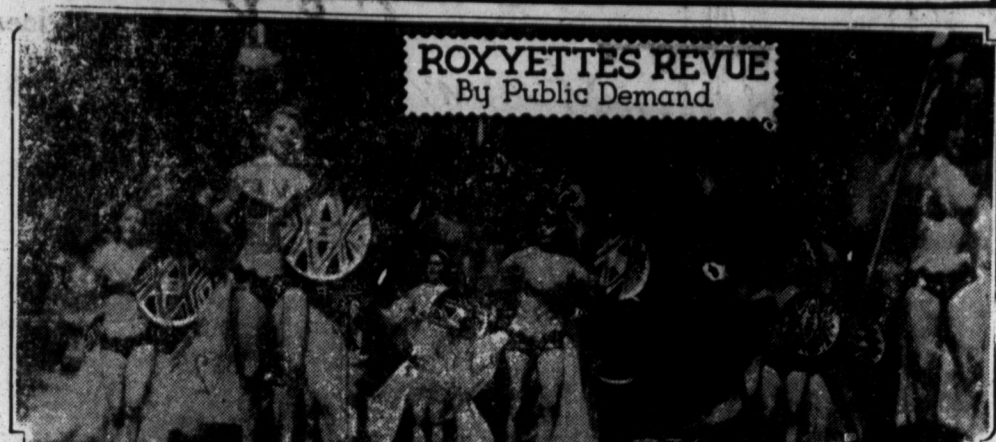
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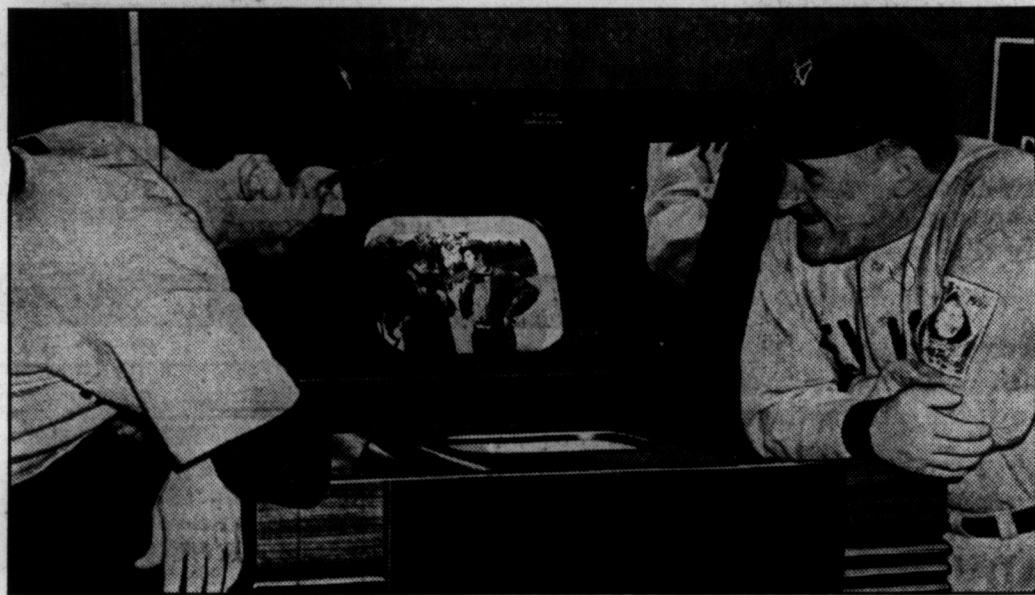
Cyclomaniacs

The word "colossal" describes the 14-act program of headline vaudeville and circus acts to be presented twice daily before the grandstand at the Virginia State Fair, September 25 to 30. Roxyettes Revue, from Roxy Theater, Broadway, which stole the show at the 1938 Fair, return by popular demand, brand new specialties, costume stage settings. Sharing the light will be Jimmy Lynch and Death Dodgers in thrilling auto smashing acts. They appear four days from Tuesday to Friday, inclusive, by special arrangement with the New York World's Fair, where they are now appearing. Other head-

line acts are the Five Herzsogs, European champions of the flying trapeze; Hainsford Family, equestrian stars of Barnum & Bailey-Ringling Bros. Circus; famous Skating Earls; Maxzone & Co. in Apache, Russian and Adagio dancing, Bersino magicians of the high wire; O'Donnell & Blair in side splitting burlesque; the Great Peters presenting his hazardous "Hangman's Noose" from a sky scraping pole; Whaling and Partner, cyclomaniacs; Frank Carvone and his Band, leading musical organization of the fair and many other acts.

The famous World of Mirth Shows, presenting 46 new shows and rides, will occupy the mammoth Midway and a brilliant pageant of fireworks will be displayed every night. Saturday, final day of the fair, will see the exciting Auto Races, sanctioned by AAA with handsome cash purses and dirt track championship awards. In addition to the remarkable entertainment program the Fair will present an exposition of farm products, livestock, poultry, farm machinery, fruits, flowers, cats and pet stock, women's and children's work and U. S. Government displays that will prove of greatest interest to every visitor.

## Yankee Stars in Television Broadcast



Joe DiMaggio (left) and Joe McCarthy, of the world champion New York Yankees, watch a telecast of the official 1939 American League sound motion picture, "First Century of Baseball", in the dugout at Yankee stadium. Both play stellar roles in the film,

which is being distributed without charge by the Fisher Body division of General Motors in celebration of the baseball centennial. Other feature pictures are soon to be broadcast by television from New York on a regular weekly schedule, it has been announced.

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We wish to announce that our fall hatch will run each Tuesday until October 10. Regardless of higher prices of eggs we are selling our chicks from the same bloodstock flocks at 8 cents each. We advise you to purchase your fall needs before that line expires.

We appreciate your business and invite your inspection.  
Yours very truly,  
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## LEGAL NOTICES

## PROPOSED HEALTH ORDENANCE

The Board of Supervisors for Prince William County, Virginia, hereby gives notice of its intention to consider the passage of the proposed Ordinance herein below set forth at its regular meeting which will be held in the Court Room, Court House, Manassas, Prince William County, Virginia, on Thursday, October 5, 1939, at the hour of 2:30 o'clock P. M.

"Be it ordained that in pursuance to the authority conferred upon the Board of Supervisors of Prince William County, Virginia, by the provisions of Section 2743, Code of Virginia, to adopt ordinances to secure and promote the health, safety and general welfare of the inhabitants of said county, the Board of Supervisors of Prince William County does hereby adopt the following provisions regulating the disposal of human wastes and excrements in said county, prescribing the size and drainage fields of septic tanks and providing for a sanitary water supply at public places and providing punishment for failure to comply with said Ordinance.

Section 1. Every house used as a human habitation, every warehouse, every house, every public building, every recreation or tourist camp, transient lodging house or other place where human beings congregate or are employed in the County of Prince William, shall be provided (by the owner thereof) with a sanitary privy or other sanitary device for the catchment or receiving of human discharges.

Section 2. No person, firm or corporation shall construct, maintain or permit on any premises owned or leased by him an arrangement for the disposal of human excrement which may possibly endanger any source of drinking water or which allows flies to have access to the human excrement.

Section 3. No person, firm or corporation shall deposit any human excrement upon the surface of the ground or in any place where it may endanger a source of drinking water or be accessible to flies or animals.

Section 4. All buildings having flush toilets, discharging on the ground or into small streams or ditches, shall be provided by the owner with a septic tank or other approved sewage disposal plant.

Section 5. It shall be unlawful for anyone to install a septic tank in Prince William County, without first obtaining a permit from the County Health Officer, or his representative. The Health Officer or his representative shall determine the size and working capacity of the septic tank required.

The amount of subsurface drainage tile to be used shall be determined by the Health Officer or his representative at the time the permit is granted. In no case shall less than 200 feet of drainage tile be used.

The kind and amount of absorption material to be used shall conform with the regulations of the Health Department.

Section 6. Septic tanks and subsurface drainage tile shall be inspected by a representative of the Health Department, and approved before they are permitted to be covered.

Section 7. Every recreation, construction or tourist camp, transient lodging house or other camping place, restaurant, and road side stands shall be provided with approved water supply.

Section 8. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to neglect, fail or refuse to comply with the provisions of this ordinance.

Section 9. Any person, firm or corporation who violates any of the provisions of this ordinance or the regulations issued under it by the County Health Department, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and fined a sum not exceeding Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars, and each week thereafter of failure or refusal to comply with the provisions of this ordinance or the regulations issued under it by the County Health Department shall be deemed a separate offense and a fine not exceeding Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars shall be imposed for each week of failure or refusal to comply with the provisions of this ordinance, or the regulations issued under it by the County Health Department.

Section 10. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed."

AYES: G. C. Russell, V. S. Abel, W. M. Johnson, Lester W. Huff, C. B. Roland, and J. Murray Taylor.

A Copy: Leamon Ledman, Clerk.

19-2

TRUSTEE'S SALE  
Of Desirable Real Estate

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust executed by D. Kent Reid and wife on the 26th day of June, 1922, and recorded among the land

records of Prince William County, Virginia, in Deed Book 77, Page 117, to secure the payment of a certain sum of money therein set out, default having been made in the payment of the debt so secured and the trustee named in the certain trust having been by the present holder of the debt so secured directed to execute the said trust, the undersigned trustee shall offer for sale at public auction on SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1939, At 11 O'Clock A. M.,

in front of The Peoples National Bank Building in the Town of Manassas, Virginia, upon terms of cash, the following described real estate.

All of that certain tract of land, together with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate in Dumfries Magisterial District, Prince William County, Virginia, known as the Sally Harrison Tract, containing 198 acres, more or less, and fully set out by metes and bounds in a deed from Thomas H. Lion and wife to D. Kent Reid and others dated December 26, 1896, recorded in Deed Book 59, Page 58, Prince William County Clerk's Office, to which deed reference is made for a more particular description of the said tract of land.

G. Raymond Ratcliffe, Trustee.

16-4-c

The above sale has been postponed to Saturday, September 23, same place and hour.

By Order of the Trustee.

19-2

TRUSTEE'S SALE  
Of Valuable Property

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust dated January 15th, 1923, executed by the late Rolfe Robertson and by Anne Peyton Robertson, his wife, and duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of Prince William County, Virginia, in Deed Book 78, Page 81-2, whereby a certain tract of land containing about 47.13 acres, the same being particularly described therein, lying in Gainesville Magisterial District of said County, adjoining on south side other lands belonging to the heirs of Rolfe Robertson, lying along west side of Carolina Road, and also adjoining lands of Latham and Gossom, in which trust the late Thos. H. Lion was designated as Trustee, the said land being conveyed in trust to secure the payment of the sum of \$2,356.50 with interest thereon from November 3, 1920, evidenced by a homestead waiving note for that amount; and whereas there having been default in the payment of a balance due on said note; and whereas the holder of said note has requested that said trust be executed according to law; and whereas the designated Trustee having died and his personal representative having been requested to act in his stead, the undersigned personal representative will offer for sale, by way of public auction, in front of the Courthouse of Prince William County, Virginia, on SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1939, At 11:00 O'Clock A. M., the above described real estate.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash.  
STANLEY A. OWENS,  
Personal Representative Aforesaid.  
J. P. Kerlin, Auctioneer.

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VIRGINIA: IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR THE CIRCUIT OF PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY—IN VACATION, 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1939.

John H. Gaskins v. Laura Lambert Gaskins

IN EQUITY

The object of this suit is to obtain from the defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the grounds of wilful desertion or abandonment for a period of more than two years, and it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Laura Lambert Gaskins, the above named defendant, is not a resident of this State, it is, therefore, ordered that the said Laura Lambert Gaskins do appear within ten days after due publication of this order in the Clerk's Office of our said Court and do what is necessary to protect her interest.

And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper printed in Prince William County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day, and that a copy of this order be mailed to the defendant at her last known address, City of Washington, District of Columbia, as given in said affidavit; and a copy posted on the front door of the Courthouse as required by law.

LEAMON LEDMAN, Clerk.  
A True Copy, Teste:  
LEAMON LEDMAN, Clerk.

W. Hill Brown, Jr., p.p.

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Fire Prevention Pays

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that, beginning October 1st, 1939, the Bank of Nokesville will, by direction of the Board of Directors, close each day at 2:00 p.m., instead of 3:00 p.m.

V. W. ZIRKLE,  
Cashier.

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## BURKE

The Burke Home Demonstration Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Malcolm B. Merchant. The meeting was an exchange of various food receipts cooked an exhibited by the members. A table was set on the lawn, an "the proof of the pudding was in the eating," which consisted of hot rolls, meat dishes, salads, pickles, relish, pies, cakes, cookies, baked beans, southern corn bread, Yankee creamed cabbage, brandy peaches, ice cream, hot coffee, chocolate milk. An exchange of receipts were given and the meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Edith Boyce. Plans were made to attend the Achievement Day at Oakton, October 20.

Mrs. Erle R. Kirby played several selections on the piano accompanied by Mrs. Edith Boyce on a piano accordion. Mrs. Harry Marshall led the singing.

Mr. C. J. Smythe left Thursday to attend the Fork Union Military Academy and Mr. Bernard B. Smythe is at the Bullis school in Silver Spring, Md.

Mrs. K. Alvord of Washington, D. C., has been the house guest of Mrs. Gerard Sheehan for ten days, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McTureous of Knadilla, Fla., and Mrs. Powell Quinn of Arlington, Va., were the guests of Mrs. Neta R. White, Monday.

Mrs. Ray Messick, Miss Myrtle Estes and Miss Mary Ella Carr are back at their post of duty in the Burke school.

The Simpson Corner school has not been completed and will not open until a later date.

Mrs. J. M. Fitzhugh and Mrs. Fannie Bryce had as their guest Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hohman and daughter, Miss Jean, and Mrs. Lucy Mason of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Mary Hill is in the Georgetown hospital, where she has gone for a very serious illness.

Preaching Service at 3:00 p.m.

## ADEN

Mr. and Mrs. John Kessinger and family of Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, Jr., and son, Warren, of Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Swank were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Sunday.

Mr. S. G. Whetzel returned on Tuesday from a several days fishing trip.

Mrs. Martha Brown and daughter, Louise, spent several days with friends in Washington.

Mrs. Rebekah Snyder returned to Bergton on Sunday after spending a

week visiting relatives here.

Mrs. L. V. Arnold and son, James, went on Sunday to see her sister, Mrs. Brown Halterman, who is seriously ill. Miss Collie Colvin of New York spent several days recently with her sister, Miss Florence Colvin.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Shepherd returned on Thursday after a week at the Fair, Niagara Falls and other northern cities. Their little daughters, Miss Constance and Peggy, spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bowman, and other friends.

Mr. Howard Marshall has been here the past week helping his father, Mr. Everett Marshall with his fall work.

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Morning Prayer and Service 11 a.m.

**GRACE M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH**  
Rev. Harry Paul Baker, Pastor  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.  
9:45 a.m.—Bible Class.  
Rally Day in the Sunday School.  
All members and former members are cordially invited to be present.

11 a.m.—General Rally of all the members and friends of Grace Church. The sermon will be preached by Rev. H. P. Myers, D. D., of Nashville, Tenn., one of our boys. Let's give him a great reception.

3 p.m.—Preaching at Burke.  
6:30 p.m.—Senior Epworth League.  
6:30 p.m.—Junior Epworth League.  
7:30 p.m.—Preaching by the pastor.  
Tuesday, 3:30 p.m.—Fourth Quarterly Conference.

Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.  
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Choir Rehearsal.

One more Sunday left in this Conference year. Everything will have to be closed by Tuesday, September 26. Conference opens in Roanoke, Monday evening, October 2, 7:30 o'clock. Everybody get together for a great day Sunday.

**MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
R. M. Graham, Pastor

9:45 a.m. Sunday School L. Ledman, Sup't.  
11 a.m. Morning Worship: "The Source of Trouble."

2:30 p.m. Executive Committee of Potomac Association B.T.U. meeting at Church.  
Members of Manassas B.T.U. meet at church to go to District Home.

7 p.m. Training Unions.  
All Unions are taking on new life. We invite you to come ad put more of "U" into B.T.U.

8 p.m. Evening Worship: "Ashes of Roses."  
Wednesday evening prayer and praise service at 8 p.m. Topic: "Worldliness or Other worldliness?"  
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Rev. John DeChant, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:00 a.m.  
Worship 10:00 a.m.

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Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Sermon, 11:00 a.m.

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**MT. ZION EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Nokesville, Va.  
Rev. A. W. Ballentine, Pastor  
The New Market Conference will meet in the church on Friday, September 22. No services on Sunday. Congregation will join in the 50th anniversary of Bethel Church.

**WOODBINE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
By Rev. Chas. Skutt  
September 24: Sunday School at 2:00 p.m.; Preaching at 3:00 p.m.

**THE NOKEVILLE CHARGE**  
Rev. Charles Clarkson, Pastor  
Appointments for September 24: Woodlawn, 11 a.m.; Orlando, 3 p.m.; Nokesville, 8 p.m.  
Sermon: "The Best Treasures."  
Benevolences are due.

You are invited to worship with us.  
**CANNON BRANCH HOUSE**  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Preaching Service: 11 a.m.  
B.Y.P.D.: 8:00 p.m.

**MANASSAS FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**  
A. H. SALTER, Pastor  
Sunday School, 40 a.m.  
Worship, 11 a.m.  
Evening service, 7:45 p.m.

The revival meeting with Evangelist Harry C. Wiles of Culpeper, Va., continues all next week. We appreciate very much the good attendance of these meetings.

This is a time when the world needs the gospel of Christ, we are facing the crisis he spoke of.  
Be sure and come Sunday evening.

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## ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. James J. Widmer, Pastor  
Sunday: Mass in Manassas at 8:00 a.m. on the 1st, 2nd, and 4th Sunday.  
Other Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

Week-Days: Daily Mass at 7:00 a.m.  
Mass in Minnerville on 1st, 2nd, and 4th Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

Mass in Bristow on 3rd and 5th Sundays at 9:00 a.m.  
Meetings: Catholic Woman's Club on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 8:00 p.m. in the Rectory.

Holy Name Society meets on the Monday preceding the 2nd Sunday of each month, at 8:00 p.m. in the Rectory.

**BETHEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Manassas, Va.  
Rev. A. W. Ballentine, Pastor.

The New Market Conference will meet in the church on Saturday, September 23.

Services on Sunday, September 24: Sunday School at 10 a.m. with an address by the Rev. J. H. Young.

THE SERVICE AT 11 a.m. with Sermon by the Rev. E. Z. Pence.

Luther League at 7:15 p.m. with addresses by Miss Thelma Graham, and others.

Vespers at 8 p.m. with history of the congregation by the Rev. L. F. Miller, and Sermon by the Rev. R. H. Anderson, D. D.

**NOKEVILLE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**  
11:00 a.m.—Asbury.  
3:00 p.m.—Providence.  
8:00 p.m.—Nokesville.

All services by the pastor, you are invited to worship with us.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**

"Reality" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all churches and societies of Christ, Scientists, on Sunday, September 24.

The Golden Text will be "Since the beginning of the world men have not heard, nor perceived by the ear, neither hath the eye seen, O God, beside thee, what he hath prepared for him that waiteth for him" (Isaiah 64:4).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The Lord of hosts hath sworn, saying, Surely as I have thought, so shall it come to pass and as I have purposed, so shall it stand: For the Lord of hosts hath purposed, and who shall disannul it? And his hand is stretched out, and who shall turn it back?" (Isaiah 14:24,27).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Mind is the divine Principle, Love and can produce nothing unlike the eternal Father-Mother, God. Reality is spiritual, harmonious, immutable, immortal, divine, eternal. Nothing unspiritual can be real, harmonious, or eternal" (p. 335).

**ANNIE G. ROBERTS**  
After an illness of six weeks, Miss Annie G. Roberts died in Rochester hospital, Rochester, Pa., on Friday, September 15, one week following her eighty-first birthday. Funeral services were held on Sunday with interment in the family lot in Pittsburgh.

Miss Roberts was the daughter of English parents, Henry and Mary Ann (Butterworth) Roberts, who came to this country on their wedding trip and decided to establish their home here. Mr. Roberts, a manufacturer and inventor of note, retired from active business in 1911 and, with his daughter, moved to Prince William, locating first at Compton Farm and later purchasing Tudor Hall, where they lived until his ill health forced them to return to Pennsylvania.

Miss Roberts in recent years had made her home with a niece in Washington and had frequently visited friends in Manassas. On several occasions she had attended meetings of the Bethlehem Good Housekeeper's Club, of which she had been a member.

Though a constant sufferer for many years, she kept a cheerful outlook on life and took an active interest in current events. Her gentle Christian spirit and charm of manner won her a wide circle of friends who deeply mourn her passing.

**CANNON BRANCH REVIVAL**  
The Manassas Church of the Brethren at the Cannon Branch Church House will hold a two-week's revival beginning Monday night, September 25, thru October 8, inclusive. Rev. W. C. Sell of Kittanning, Pa., will hold the meeting. Plan to worship with us during these meetings. Everybody welcome.

There will be a prayer meeting held at the Cannon Branch church house on Friday night. Eld. J. M. Kline will deliver the morning address on Sunday, the 24th, at 11 o'clock.

**QUIET TALKS ON RELIGION**  
BY DR. JAMES T. MARSHALL  
PRAYING FOR JESUS

"Prayer also shall be made for Him continually; and daily shall He be praised." A modern translation by Horace Howard Furness reads, "Ever pray for Him, and all day bless Him." All of us are familiar with the idea of praying to Jesus, but few of us have ever thought of praying for Him. How can it be possible for our poor prayers to add anything to His power and glory?

Isaac Watts' versification of the 72nd psalm expresses the thought thus: For Him shall endless prayer be made, And praises throng to crown His head. A moment's thought will convince us that it is both proper and natural that Jesus should be among those included in our daily prayers. While we pray for our families and for our human friends we should pray also for our divine friend and companion.

We pray for Jesus whenever we pray for the advancement of His kingdom, and for the success of those purposes for which He gave His life. Parents, who have children away from home, starting life for themselves and beginning the struggle for success, are accustomed to ask God to prosper them in the things which they desire and for which they strive.

We pray for Jesus in like manner when we pray "Thy kingdom come." We pray for Him whenever we enlarge our vision beyond the bounds of our personal ambitions and desires and plead for His distressed children, for the poor, the suffering, the discouraged, for the millions of women and children who today are the victims of war's barbarism in China, Ethiopia, Spain and elsewhere.

We pray for Jesus whenever we link ourselves with those who live by the law of love, and dedicate every thought and effort to the bringing in of the glad time when there shall be peace on earth and good will to men. When we shall see the fulfillment of Isaiah's prophecy concerning our Savior—"He shall see the travail of His soul and shall be satisfied."

The naturalness and propriety of our praying for Jesus becomes more evident when we pause to think of His experiences while in the flesh. It is absolutely unthinkable that none of his kin or friends ever prayed for Him. Certainly Mary prayed for him every day. We must not overlook the reality of His humanity and the fact that His mother brought Him the Scriptures, praying with and for Him and taking him to public services in the synagogue.

I am sure that the groups of godly women who followed Him in His ministry in Galilee prayer for Him, as did also His apostles; and what shall we say of the multitude of good people who lined the Via Dolorosa on the morning of His crucifixion and saw Him fall beneath the weight of His cross; and of the loyal group of friends, including John the apostle and Mary Magdalene? Could such awe-stricken and heartbroken souls have done less than pray for their dearest friend in His hour of agony?

The world today by its wickedness and unbelief is "crucifying the Son of God afresh and putting Him to an open shame." It is a critical hour for Christianity. I would like to see the church on its knees in confession of sin and earnestly praying for the hastening of the day.

When o'er our ransomed nature The Lamb for sinners slain, Redeemer, King, Creator, In bliss returns to reign.

**ROBERT S. COOKSEY**  
Robert S. Cooksey, a former Prince William County resident, died suddenly on September 22nd, at his home in Alexandria, Va., of a heart attack. He was born in Fairfax county, April 3, 1882. His parents moved to Prince William County, when he was a small boy and he resided here until 1911, when he moved to Alexandria. He is survived by his widow, Virgie Garner Cooksey, of Alexandria, a brother, Thomas R., and half brother, Paul J., of Manassas. The funeral was held Monday at 11 a.m. in the Cunningham Funeral parlors, with Rev. Ryland Dodge, pastor of Temple Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was in Pohick cemetery.

**We wish to thank our various correspondents for sending their notes early this week.**



ACTIVITIES OF THE  
JUNIOR ORDER

The motion pictures of the National Junior Home at Tiffin, Ohio, will be shown in the school auditorium at Greenwich in the near future. All members of the Order in District No. 5 (Prince William County) are requested to take notice and keep watch for the announced date.

A prominent speaker will be in attendance.

Notice is again given of the District meetings of the Order Fraternal Americans and the Daughters of America which will be held on Thursday and Friday evenings of the next week at the local hall.

## GAINESVILLE

Mr. Amos Wood, who completed his course at Strayers' Business College last week, has been spending several days at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clarke, jr., have gone to visit her mother near Petersburg, Va. Their daughter, Loretta, will return with them after a six weeks' visit with her grandmother.

Mrs. Douglas Moffett accompanied her mother, Mrs. Frazier, back to Florida and will spend the winter.

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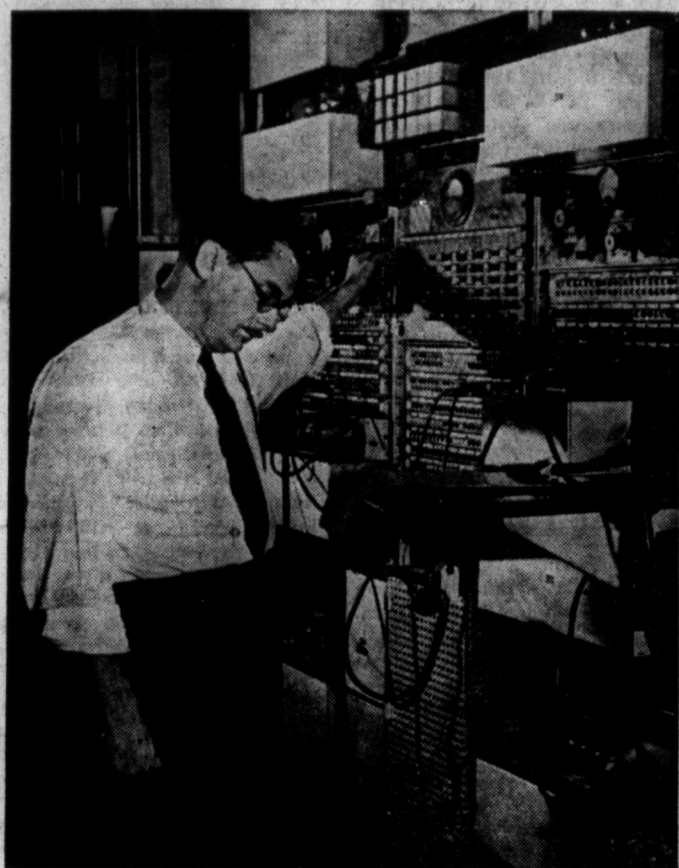
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At this very moment, all over the United States in numerous Bell System offices, men stand at rapt attention, watching clocks to determine split second intervals before pushing many buttons of various colors. These buttons are used to control various sections of the broadcasting companies' national networks which interconnect the studios in the larger centers and the broadcasting stations located in every important city from Florida, Texas and California to New England and the northwest.

Even today, seventeen years after broadcasting began, many people still think that radio programs which are broadcast from one station are picked up by radio in another station for rebroadcasting. This has not been true even from the outset, for the first radio programs jointly broadcast from more than one station used telephone lines as a connecting link between the studios and the stations. From time to time during this period rebroadcasting has been used, but at the present time only a few cases of rebroadcasting using radio links remain, having been generally eliminated because of interruptions caused by thunderstorms and other similar natural interferences.

In Washington, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia, territory served by The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Companies, the paths followed by the main networks of the National Broadcasting Company, familiarly known as the "red" network and "blue" network; the Columbia Broadcasting System's "purple" network; the Mutual Broadcasting System's "gold" network; and the Knickerbocker Broadcasting Company's "bronze" network, follow the routes taken by the long distance telephone cables. From the east the circuits from New York first pass through Elkton on their way to Baltimore, Washington, Richmond and the south. At Richmond a branch leads to Norfolk. Roanoke is fed from Greensboro. Wheeling and Fairmont are served by program circuits coming out of Pittsburgh. Parkersburg and Clarksburg are connected to the main network through Cambridge, Ohio.

In addition to the regular services furnished to broadcasting stations, throughout the year there are many special networks established. Often these special networks require the installation of special amplifiers where stadiums are located at remote points. The type of equipment which is used for broadcasting is determined by the user's requirement for fidelity of

transmission. On the national hook ups, where both speech and music are transmitted, a wider frequency range is generally desired than on the net works which are used only for broadcast casting football games. To furnish this higher fidelity the circuit requires not only special amplifiers or repeaters which will pass the wide range of frequencies found in music, but also requires special treatment of the cable and open wire facilities so that distortion may be kept at a minimum. Special cable circuits and wires are set aside for these networks and are used for no other purpose. The loading coils which are used on these circuits occur more frequently along the circuit than on those which are used for telephone service. Special transmission correctors are associated with the repeaters at each of the offices in which the circuits are amplified.

Due to the importance of radio programs, since they serve millions of listeners, continuous monitoring at certain points is necessary. To many people this job would seem to be one of the most pleasant that is offered in the Bell System, but after one listens continuously to various programs for several months, radio loses a great deal of its glamour.

Between midnight and morning of a routine day in the program department the networks are tested, the amplifiers which are used on the circuits are checked for satisfactory tubes, and lines are observed for noise conditions. Measurements are made from the control terminal of each network to selected points along the networks at which radio stations are served.

Just prior to the opening of the first program in the morning, broadcasting companies transmit a test program which is checked through to each of the broadcasting stations that takes the first program. If satisfactory reports are received, the service goes ahead for the day. With the opening program, monitoring begins at the key points along the network and records are made of each interruption or each case noise which may be observed. At the end of the first period of broadcasting some rearrangements in the network may be required so as to add certain stations and to drop some. Such rearrangements are designated as "switches." A "switch," to be accurate, must be timed to the exact second and a cue for action must be furnished. The work done by those who switch radio programs requires extreme accuracy in timing and in action, since an error would affect millions of listeners.

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