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## GAME RESTOCKING PLAN ADVANCED

State Commission Alarmed At Effects Of Past Winter

Carl H. Nolting, chairman of the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries, today announced a cooperative program for restocking Virginia with quail, which is regarded as one of the most outstanding efforts of any southern state to restock a depleted species of game.

An investigation made shortly after the severe weather in January indicated that the quail population suffered most heavily in several areas. In some counties, estimates from reliable sources showed that over 25 percent of the carry-over brood stock perished. The Commission, of which Mr. Nolting is chairman, viewed the disastrous effects of the adverse weather with gravest concern and it was realized that a constructive program beyond the resources of the Commission would have to be devised to restore the quail supply.

A plan for restocking was initiated by Mr. Nolting some weeks ago in a conference with Walter A. Grosh, Regional Inspector of the Bureau of Biological Survey, under which Pittman-Robertson grants are administered. The program evolved in this conference was submitted to Washington by Chester F. Phelps, Sup't. of Game Propagation, together with data showing that a real emergency existed, and, after some modification, was approved.

Approximately 40,000 quail are proposed to be released under the project between now and June 30, 1942. Production of quail will be stopped up at the Camp Lee and Windsor Shaded game farms belonging to the State and private quail breeders operating in Virginia will also receive orders to supply additional quail.

Details of the plan have been sent to the boards of supervisors, game protectors and prominent conservationists of the State. A large number of counties have signified their intention of financial aid and some of them have passed resolutions pledging such aid, which are now in the hands of the Commission. Only those counties which assist financially will come under the present plan.

Experts will examine the areas on which the birds will be liberated and cooperating landowners will sign agreements with the Commission for the posting of selected lands against hunting for two breeding seasons after the birds are released. Tracts selected will be 40 to 100 acres in size and with suitable food and cover.

Mr. Nolting states that the release of quail for restocking on such a large scale was the logical answer to the emergency created by the weather of the past winter and urged counties to take full advantage of the program as it definitely will not be possible to extend it beyond June 30, 1942.

The Commission welcomes the cooperation of conservationists through their Board of Supervisors in those counties where the status of the county funds does not at this time enable the treasury to bear their portion of the cost, but, in all cases, the plan of restocking on suitable landowner areas must be adhered to.

In view of the cooperative attitude of the Federal Government as to restocking, the Commission at its meeting on April 22nd, ordered that a proposal be made to reduce the bag limit from 10 to 8 quails and that the open season for quail both east and west of the Blue Ridge Mountains be November 20th to January 5th.

## BANKERS MEET AT MANASSAS

The Clearing House Association of Loudoun, Fauquier and Prince William Counties met on Tuesday evening at the Parish Hall. Mr. Giles H. Miller, Jr., of Culpeper, was the guest speaker, his subject being "Development of Loans."

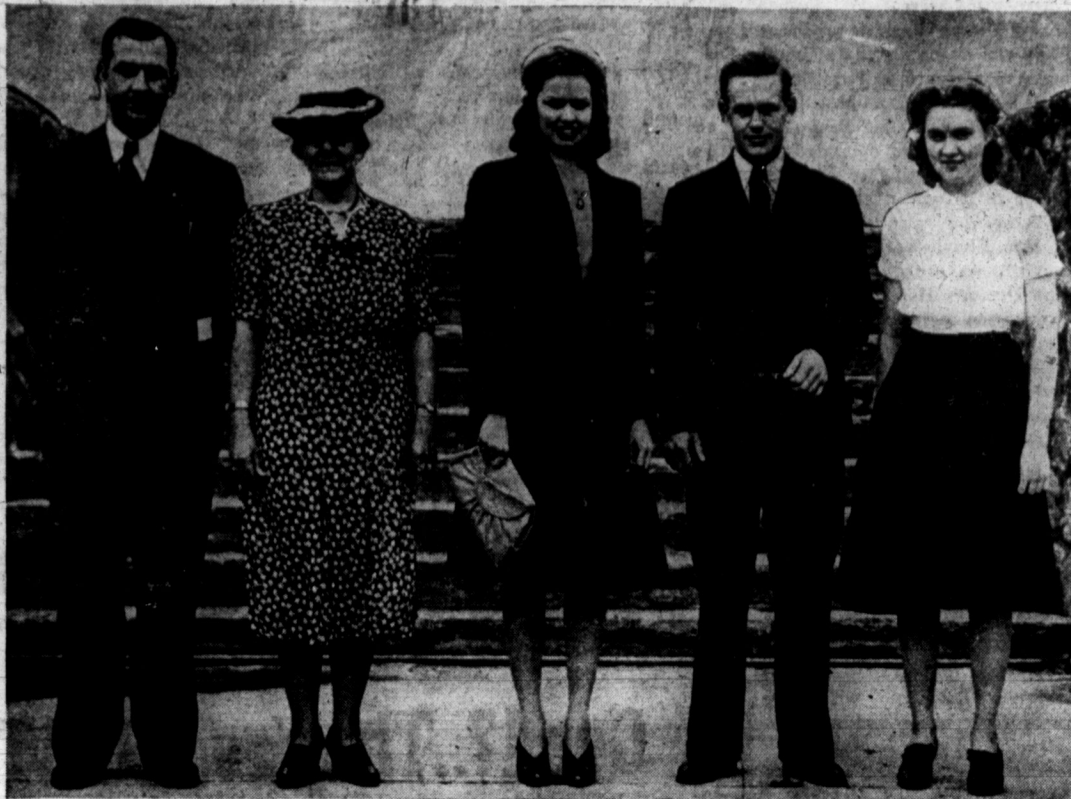
Mr. John W. Stone, President of the Association, presided and refreshments were served under the supervision of Messrs. G. Raymond Ratcliffe and Harry Davis.

Mr. Ewing Wall, of Quantico, is Secretary-Treasurer of the Association.

## BASEBALL PRACTICE

There will be a baseball practice of the Manassas A. C. and the mid-gut team at 1:00 p. m. April 28, on the High School baseball diamond. All are asked to attend.

## STUDENT COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION OFFICERS IN SESSION AT WARRENTON



Left to right: Prof Peters, Manassas; Miss M. Frieda Koontz, State Secretary; Miss Elinor Myers, Chairman, of Leesburg; Kite Roseberry, of Manassas, Vice Chairman; Miss Pollyanna Booth, Secretary.

## INDUSTRIAL ARTS EXHIBIT

The Industrial Arts Department of the Manassas High School will sponsor the fifth annual exhibit of their wares.

There will be on exhibition wood working projects, including foot stools, end tables, cedar chests, tables, magazine baskets, hall trees, book cases, book end and other projects. In metal there will be ash trays, lamps, fire grates, nail sets, center punch and plumb bob.

These projects are ones made by boys from the sixth and seventh grades and from Industrial Arts I, II, III and IV. There will also be some projects from the Agricultural shop.

Those of you who have had the opportunity to visit the exhibits in previous years certainly will not miss this year's affair. If you have not seen one of those exhibits, by all means come this year and see what our boys are doing in the shop. Remember that "what the boy makes, makes the boy."

This exhibit is put on each year to show the people of this community the results and experience that the boy goes through during the shop course. We should be proud of the work that is being done by our boys.

Of course the Fireman's ball is Friday night too, but drop in to see the exhibit before you go to the dance. The Industrial Arts department invites you all Friday from 1:00 to 11:00 p. m. and Saturday from 10:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.

## U. D. C. TO MEET WITH MRS. KINCHELOE

The Manassas Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy will hold its regular meeting, Wednesday, May 1, at 2:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Maude Kincelo. Mrs. James Conner and Miss Mamie Conner will be assistant hostesses.

## AT A REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, HELD AT THE COURTHOUSE THEREOF IN MANASSAS, VIRGINIA, ON THURSDAY, MARCH SEVENTH, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FORTY. THERE WERE PRESENT: MESSRS. J. MURRAY TAYLOR, V. S. ABEL, C. B. FITZWATER, W. M. JOHNSON, C. B. ROLAND AND G. C. RUSSELL.

## RES. UNLAWFUL SALE OF BEER OR WINE.

RESOLVED that we hereby order that it shall be unlawful to sell beer and wine, or beer or wine, anywhere in Prince William County between the hours of 12 (midnight) on Saturday night and 6 A. M. on each succeeding Monday. Anyone who shall violate the provisions of this order shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punished by a fine of not less than ten (\$10.00) dollars nor more than Twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars for the first conviction and not less than twenty-five (\$25.00) nor more than One Hundred (\$100.00) for each subsequent conviction.

It is further ordered that a certified copy of this order be transmitted to the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, Richmond, Virginia, and it be published for two successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, Manassas, Prince William County, Virginia.

This order shall become effective July 1, 1940 after it is passed.

The above proposed ordinance will be considered for passage by the Board of Supervisors of Prince William County, Virginia, at its regular May, 1940 Meeting, which will be held in the Circuit Court Room, Court House, Manassas, Virginia, on

THURSDAY, MAY 9, 1940,

at the hour of 2:00 o'clock, P. M.

AYES: V. S. Abel, W. M. Johnson, C. B. Fitzwater, C. B. Roland, J. Murray Taylor, Chairman.

NOT VOTING: G. C. Russell.

A TRUE COPY:

Leamon Ledman, Clerk.

## FIREMEN'S DANCE

The Manassas Volunteer Fire Department will hold a benefit dance Friday night, April 27, in the High School Gymnasium, and it is hoped that all who appreciate the public service of our fire fighters will attend, or patronize the event by purchasing tickets, as the funds secured in this way are greatly needed.

## OF INTEREST TO WOMEN VOTERS

The Women's Division, Democratic National Committee, is sponsoring a National Institute of Government in Washington, May 2, 3, and 4, and anyone interested in learning particulars is urged to get in touch with Miss Walser Conner, secretary of the Young Democratic Club. This will be a most worthwhile session and it is hoped that Prince William will send quite a delegation.

## WINS SCHOLASTIC HONORS AT MADISON

Miss Margaret Mayhugh, of Nokesville, a student at Madison College, Harrisonburg, Va., made the second honor roll at the college for the quarter just recently ended.

## NOTICE

The Christian Science Board of Directors in Boston, Mass., announce a Christian Science program over the Columbia Church of the Air on Sunday, April 28th, from 12:00 to 12:30. This program will be conducted by Mr. Arthur Perrow, former First Reader of a Christian Science Church in Chicago, and may be heard locally over Station WJSV.

## NOTICE TO ALL VOTERS

Saturday, May 4, is the last day on which poll taxes may be paid in order to qualify for voting this year. Saying "I forgot" is a very poor excuse for not being able to exercise one of the greatest privileges that a citizen of the United States possesses. Pay now so you will be able to vote when the time comes.

## P. T. A. OBSERVES FATHERS' NIGHT

Judge Brown Discusses Better Methods of Disciplining Children

The idea that Parent-Teacher organizations are owned and operated by the ladies, were proved erroneous last week when the Manassas Association put on a "Fathers' Night" Program. A special program committee, Messrs. R. W. Peters and R. M. Graham, demonstrated the fact that fathers can take over the job if necessary.

After a short business session Mr. Peters introduced Judge William Hill Brown, Jr., whose topic of address was "Fathers, too, must serve". He emphasized the dual responsibility of rearing children and recommended the development of a spirit of companionship between father and children as a beneficial influence to both. Mr. Brown feels that there are better means of disciplining children than physical chastisement — means that are less unpleasant at the moment and more lasting in effect. The time is past when fathers are looked upon as the austere provider of the material things only.

Following Judge Brown's lecture, the fathers were invited to engage in an hour of fun and frolic. Mr. Graham led the group in singing "Down by the Old Mill Stream" with gestures. A speed test and a demonstration of artistic skill in planting a peanut bed completed the entertainment.

Punch and cookies served by the social committee concluded the program.

The association thanks the committee for their most successful program and the fathers for their presence and participation. We look forward to another such occasion.

## GARDEN CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

A large and enthusiastic group of gardeners attended the meeting of the Manassas Garden Club on Tuesday at the home of Mr. T. E. Dillake.

Many and beautiful arrangements were displayed and discussed. Two new members were enrolled Mrs. Marie Larkin and Mrs. Victor Haydon.

Mrs. Dillake and other members of the club will attend the Piedmont District meeting, on the 24th., to be held in the Jefferson Hotel in Richmond.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President Mrs. T. E. Dillake, Vice President Mrs. E. H. Marsteller, Secretary Mrs. O. D. Waters, Treasurer Mrs. B. L. Smelker.

May 29th was set for the date of the annual spring flower show to be held in the Parish Hall, Mrs. P. J. Cooksey and Mrs. B. G. Smelker, co-chairmen.

Mrs. E. H. Marsteller, who returned Monday night from a trip to Charleston, N. C., told of visiting the lovely cypress and azalea gardens and exhibited colorful pictures of them.

## P. T. A. TO HAVE DANCE AT DUMFRIES

On Friday, May 3rd, there will be a dance at the Dumfries School, sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association. A Quantic orchestra will furnish the music and the hours are 9 to 1.

## MUSICAL PROGRAM AT WOODBINE

"Pappy and the Boys" will appear in person at Woodbine School, Tuesday evening, April 30, at 8 o'clock, and give one of their musical programs.

This is being sponsored by the S. C. A. The proceeds are to be used for the dental clinic.

Refreshments will be sold.

Don't Forget The Firmen's Dance This Friday Evening.

## CLUB LADIES HEAR TRAVEL TALK

Folk Music Also Features Of Fine Arts Section

The home of Mrs. C. C. Lynn was the scene of a lovely meeting of the Music-Literature Section of the Woman's Club on Tuesday evening.

There were two very interesting and instructive talks by members of the group, Miss Alice Webb who spoke on "Folk Music" and Miss Katherine Omohundro who gave a "Travel Talk."

Miss Webb discussed some of the characteristics of folk music saying that they comprised the feelings of people generations and generations ago, feelings of a people modest and self contained, genuine in heart and sound in mind. We, in Virginia, are closest to the richest field of folk music in the United States.

A few individual songs were discussed by Miss Webb and "Billy Boy" and "The Quilting Party" were sung by the group with Mrs. Lewis Carper at the piano.

Last May Miss Omohundro sailed for London on the Queen Mary as a delegate from Virginia to the Triennial Conference of the associated country women of the World. She gave a most thrilling account of this conference and her sightseeing tours in Scotland, Holland, Belgium and France.

In London the people were most cordial and there was such a lovely spirit of friendliness embracing the whole group of seven hundred and fifty women ever though they were from fifty seven countries. Among the many receptions, teas, etc. given in their honor the most exciting were the receptions of His Majesty's Government at Lancaster House and one given by the Royal Order of Goldsmiths. The most spectacular was one given by the Lord Mayor of London and his Lady in the Guildhall.

One of the most enjoyable functions which she attended was the luncheon to the Virginia Delegates given by Lord and Lady Astor at their country estate. After a tour of the gardens and cemetery Lady Astor took her guests upstairs by a private stairway and on a landing they came face to face with pictures of Lee and Jackson. Lady Astor told them that she bowed to them every night when she went up to bed.

This was also a very important business meeting, the election of officers taking place. The following ladies were elected for a term of two years: Chairman Mrs. Ossie L. Tipton, Music Chairman Mrs. Lewis Carper, Secretary Miss Katherine Omohundro. The Treasurer, Mrs. E. D. Wissler, has one more year to serve.

Another important item was the changing of the name of the Section from Music-Literature to Fine Arts Section which is more in keeping with the programs sponsored by this group as it includes, besides the study of Music and Literature, the study of art.

Mrs. Lynn, assisted by her charming daughters, Nancy and Jane, served delicious refreshments to a large and appreciative group. Mrs. Aylene Guthrie was co-hostess.

## YOUNG DEMOCRATS TO DANCE AT LEESBURG

The Young Democrats of the Eighth Congressional District will hold their annual dance at the Goose Creek Tavern, three miles East of Leesburg Va., on Saturday, May 4th, 1940, commencing at 10:00 p. m.

The following committee was appointed for the dance: Jack E. Russell, Leesburg, Va., chairman; Elbridge Church, Falls Church, Va.; Miss Nancy Lynn, Manassas, Va.; Miss Mildred Lee Russell, Oatlands, Va. and Percival Lewis, Manassas, Va.

## LEGION TO GIVE BENEFIT SHOW

The American Legion, Prince William Post No. 158, offers the town and community a variety entertainment on Tuesday night, May 7.

Kid Smith and the Smith Sisters will appear under Legion auspices in the Osbourn High School. This is a popular and well known radio troupe. The program will consist of song and dance numbers and dramatics.

The Legion asks you to reserve the date, May 7, and turn out for this event. Proceeds from the show will be used entirely in regular Legion charity work which goes on among veterans the year around.



NEW RULINGS FOR  
SUMMER CAMPS

The State Department of Health today announced that plans have been completed to carry out the provisions of the law covering summer camps for children which becomes operative July 15 of this year.

This legislation requires that operators of camps catering to young persons up to the age of eighteen must apply to the State Health Commissioner, State Department of Health, Richmond, for a permit 30 days prior to the camp's scheduled opening. The application must be made in writing and is to include the name and address of the applicant, location of the camp, and its purpose.

Upon receipt of the application an inspection of the camp and its sanitation facilities will be made. Sanitation officers either from the Department's central office in Richmond or from a county health department.

The survey will be concerned with the location of the camp, toilet facilities, water supply, waste, garbage and trash disposal, methods of handling food, general cleanliness of the buildings, grounds and equipment, and other sanitation items.

Upon the receipt of the written inspection report, the Commissioner of Health will determine whether or not a permit shall be issued.

Under the law, it is illegal for any operator to conduct a camp without the approval of the Commissioner of Health; the only exception being that, should the inspection be delayed more than 30 days after application has been made, the operator may open his establishment. If his application later is disapproved he will be compelled to suspend until the standard sanitation requirements for the camp have been complied with. Permits are good for one year from date of issuance.

Representatives of the State Department of Health are authorized to inspect the camp from time to time. Upon any such inspection adequate provision is not maintained for the sanitation of the camp or of any of its services and facilities, or for the protection of the health of the children, the Commissioner may revoke the permit.

Commenting on the enforcement of this, Dr. I. C. Riggan, Commissioner of Health, said today, "The General Assembly has placed a definite duty upon the State Department of Health in connection with summer camps operated for young people up to age eighteen.

"It has been estimated that between five and seven hundred children's camps are operative during some period of the summer season in Vir-

ginia. However, with the anticipated cooperation of camp operators and the Department's representatives, it is expected that the law can be enforced without undue delay or hardship. In this connection the necessity on the part of the operator, of applying in writing for a permit is emphasized, particularly since no complete list of such camps is available.

"It is recognized that these camps fill a very definite need in the conservation and development of child health. For this reason the camp environment should afford the same protection against disease to the child while there, as he has when he is at home.

## GREENWICH

Everyone of our community welcomed the sun this week after a week of rain and wind.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Lewis Mayhugh is very ill with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood, Sr., have returned home from their recent visit in Washington, D. C., and Maryland.

The Greenwich School will attend a movie entitled, "In His Step", Friday at the Brentsville District High School.

William Wood, of Greenwich, and Robert Bryant, of Nokesville, are going to attend the seventh annual folk festival at Constitution Hall Saturday.

Rev. Barnett Grimsley delivered the sermon Sunday at the Oak Dale Baptist Church.

The missionary meeting was held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Katie Cook. The following were present: Mrs. Virgie Putnam, Mrs. Jessie Griffith, Mrs. Bessie Hurst, Mrs. Howard Anderson, Mrs. Becky Gum and Mrs. Isabel Mayhugh.

Mr. William Cook is not improving very rapidly. We hope he will soon be well again.

Mrs. Pearl Nails, Miss Lillian Grant and Miss Laura Sullivan visited Mrs. Josie Mayhugh last Tuesday.

The school board of the county, visited the Greenwich School Tuesday. Miss Josephine Mayhugh is spending the week with Mrs. George Hopkins in Washington, D. C.

The Senior 4-H Club of Greenwich, will have a Ho-bo party Wednesday, April 24. All will meet dressed as hobos at the school house about 8:00 p. m.

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## CATHARPIN

The ministerial gathering held at Sudley Church, April 15, proved to be a very delightful occasion. About forty-five visitors were present, including some of our old friends and many new faces. Our Division Superintendent, Dr. A. P. Williams and his wife were in attendance. After the business and social session, the body adjourned to the dining hall where they were served a very delicious dinner during which other discussions were held. Probably one of the most important notices given was the change of date for the District Conference at Purcellville which will be held April 30-May 1st. Those who attended the Senior Play at Haymarket, were delighted with the excellent performance and pronounced it to be one of the best they had ever seen.

Mrs. Elizabeth Henderson, of "Dunrovin", was taken last Thursday to the Doctor's Hospital in Washington, where she will remain for a complete examination and treatment.

Mrs. Benj. G. Steele, of Collingdale, Pa., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alberta Towers, while her mother, Mrs. Henderson, is in the hospital.

Mr. A. W. Smith expects to leave the Doctor's Hospital this week, having recently undergone a very successful operation at that institution.

Mrs. B. Pickett, of "Ellen's Vale", is recovering from an illness caused by threatened appendicitis and a deep cold.

Masters Bolling Robertson and John William Robertson who have been with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. Lynn Robertson in New Jersey, are spending a week's vacation with Mr. and Mrs. W. Holmes Robertson at "Lawn Vale".

Mrs. Everett Clary, of Lawrenceville, Va., returned home Sunday after spending a fortnight with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Alvey, at Catharpin. Mr. Alvey accompanied Mrs. Clary's home and remained for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Edward Smith and little daughter, Janet, are spending some time in Washington with Mr. and Mrs. John Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pattie and children of Triangle, were visitors at their parents, Mr. and L. J. Pattie, Sunday. Mrs. Pattie and children remained with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Miller, for a short visit.

We are glad to note that Prof. W. E. Moore, principal of our school, has recovered from his recent illness and is able to return to his duties at school.

IN MEMORIAM  
(Mrs. Barbara Smith)

"To" Grandmother Dear  
"Grandmother's rocking chair" sets vacant now for a year!  
Although grandmother has passed on, The picture of her in her rocking chair still lingers here.

Still small reminders brings to us the day  
When grandmother was among us laughing and gay.  
We, your grandchildren, have missed you,  
Yes, missed you in many a way

Such as the time when we climbed upon your lap  
And you rocked us to please our childish desires  
And while the time away.

We regret you had to leave us, dear grandmother  
But we realize God needed you in heaven.  
Still your rocking chair stands in its old familiar place  
Where we can go and recall happy days.

Spent with one of the dearest grandmother's on earth or in heaven.  
—Her grandchildren.

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Please look at your address label and see if you should not send a remittance

CHAN SEES PLOT TO  
SABOTAGE PANAMA CANAL

A fiendish plot to destroy the Panama Canal and trap the fleet in the challenge faced by the famous Earl Derr Biggers south in "Charlie Chan in Panama."

The latest of the 20th Century-Fox series, starring Sidney Toler in the title role, comes to the Pitts Theatre on Wednesday, May 1, with Earl Rogers, Lionel Atwill, Mary Nash, Sen Yung, Kane Richmond, Chris-Pin Martin, Lionel Royce, Helen Ericson and Jack La Rue featured in the supporting cast.

With the main body of the fleet stationed in the Pacific, but requiring immediate, unhindered access to the Atlantic, keeping the Canal open becomes vitally necessary to the current naval strategy.

So well have the defenses been developed that attack from land, sea or air offers practically no menace. Sabotage, then, becomes the principal threat to the ship artery's safety, and it is such an attempt which motivates the thrilling story of "Charlie Chan in Panama."

With the great locks mined, and the man who might avert the disaster murdered, Chan cleverly weeds out the many suspects and, with 60 seconds left, risks his life on a daring last-minute stratagem.

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

IS IT SPRING IN CHERRY  
BLOSSOM TIME?

The sun began to shine upon the cold and wintry ground  
The folks began to surry and LOL  
Look! What they found  
Blossoms of every kind, even the dandelion so bold,

When the robins began to shape their heads and say: Geel I'm getting cold  
The Jay birds hid in the woody mall  
While the D. A. R. gather in Constitution Hall;

The baby squirrels gives one big jump,  
Back to their rest for shelter,  
But, the lovely cherry blossoms have to stay out in the weather  
Now, the city opens wide her gate  
Welcome in before too late,  
To see the blossoms and our queen,  
With her attendants so serene,  
Just then we stop; and look, you know,  
There are cherry Blossoms with lots of snow.

Then they all begin to settle down  
And wonder what will happen,  
The weather man starts out again,  
With this kind of chatter,  
Sleet and snow, sleet and snow,  
Beautiful sleet and snow,  
Come out, come out, come out dear Spring,  
Mother nature will let you go.

Now, what must we do, you really think?  
Stay in or out, or out or in;  
When we come out its surely Spring  
We wait awhile and start to sing,  
Then the weather man say, go back in  
It's the wrong way Corrigan.  
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## THE WORLD AROUND US

By  
O. J. Schuster

"I RENOUNCE WAR and never will I support or sanction another." Who said this? That quotation is the deliberate and determined position of one of England's outstanding churchmen, Canon "Dick" Sheppard, a true Christian, one whose Christianity is day by day and year by year expressed in deeds. Canon Sheppard has a tremendous following in England and an ever-increasing number of men and women are signing his peace pledge—"I renounce war and never will I support or sanction another."

HERE IN THE UNITED STATES some sixty odd leading ministers have taken the same pledge, among them Rev. John Haynes Holmes, Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick, and other church leaders. The list includes both Jews and Gentiles, Protestants and Catholics. The fact is that in the present world crisis the Church (not religion) is on trial and it must choose between Christianity and war, between the leadership of Canon Sheppard and the Archbishop of Canterbury, between such enlightened Britishers like Aldous Huxley, Lord Ponsonby, H. G. Wells, Bernard Shaw, General Sir Ian Hamilton, Sir Stafford Cripps, Mr. Maxton, and thousands of other English leaders, including many high army officers who fought in the World War, on the one hand, and such representatives of an age that has passed like Winston Churchill, Neville Chamberlain, and other government officials, on the other hand.

THE FOUR YEARS WORLD WAR taught many British army officers the utter futility of all war. Their experience in the front line in France included many such instances as this one in which a chaplain (a chaplain was attached to every group of soldiers on duty) preached pacifism to the men. A British General reports that one day the adjutant came rushing to his Colonel and reported excitedly that the chaplain was preaching sedition to the men just before they were to make a grand attack. "What did the chaplain say?" asked the Colonel. And the adjutant replied that the chaplain told the men that war is contrary to the teaching of Christ. To this the Colonel replied: "Well, isn't that true? What fool ever said it was not."

FOR TWO THOUSAND YEARS the Western World has preached Christianity but the practice of Christianity is as remote today as it was in Jerusalem when Jesus openly condemned greed, ruthless exploitation of many by man, and corruption in general. Our so-called "Christian" politicians still persecute him who actually walk in the steps of the Master. Against him who would actually translate Christianity into deeds they still pronounce the verdict: "And all the men of his city shall stone him with stones, that he die."

IS IT ANY WONDER that educated young Chinese who accepted Christianity later renounce it because they see that Western Civilization claims to be Christian, pretends it is following the teaching of Christ while actually violating its most fundamental commandments: "Thou shalt not kill," and "Do unto others as ye would that others do unto you." Only recently the Archbishop of Canterbury said that war is justified and the Archbishop of York preached that "it is permissible for Christians on certain occasions to kill." "Will nothing but the actual destruction of the Church itself (not of religion) teach the heads of the Established Church the great truth: 'They that take up the sword shall perish by the sword.'"

THOSE YOUNG CHRISTIAN CHINESE a few years ago adopted a covenant to serve as the basis of their lives. Here are its six specific rules:

1. We will have a daily period of devotion.
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5. We will be truthful and sincere in word and deed.
6. We will be on time in all things.

One may reasonably question whether the Archbishops of Canterbury and of York practice these fine Christian rules.

WILL MORAL AND RELIGIOUS LEADERSHIP again come out of the East—as it did when the "Wise Men" followed the star that led them to the manger in which a Savior was born? Will the heads of the Established Church yield Christian leadership to the British General who fought in the front line in France throughout the World War and now is a rebel against the whole war business, who cries out openly and boldly: "What



### DUCHESS POTATOES

2 c. hot mashed potatoes, 2 eggs separated, 2 t. butter, 1 t. salt-pepper and 3-4 lbs. milk or cream.

Cream potatoes with all ingredients except egg whites. Beat them stiff and fold them into mixture. Bake in a shallow buttered baking dish.

1, 2, 3, 4, Cake  
3 c. flour, sifted, 2 t. B. P., 4 eggs, 1 c. butter, 1 c. milk and 2 c. sugar. Cream butter, add sugar, and cream well together. Beat egg yolks and add them. Sift together the flour and baking powder. Add flour mixture alternately with the milk beating well after each addition. Add flour mixture at beginning and end to prevent a curdled appearance of batter. Pour into large loaf pan and bake at 350 degrees for one hour.

Foundation Cake  
1 c. milk 3 c. flour, ¼ c. fat, 2-3 eggs, 3 ½ t. B. P., 1 ½ c. sugar, ¼ t. salt and ½ t. flavoring. Cream fat well. Add sugar gradually. Beat yolks until thick and add to creamed sugar and butter. Sift together dry ingredients. Add dry ingredients and milk alternately. Beat or stir batter only enough to make it smooth. Add flavoring. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites.

Bonbon Spritz  
¾ c. butter, ½ c. sugar, 1 egg white, ¼ t. salt, ½ t. vanilla extract, ¼ t. almond extract and 2-2 ¼ c. flour. Cream butter and sugar. Add egg white and beat until fluffy. Stir in salt and extracts. Add flour and mix until smooth. Force through cookie press onto baking sheet. Bake in hot oven (425-450) 8-10 min.

a pity, oh, what a pity the Church of England will not lead a movement back to God—not religion."

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## OCCOQUAN AND VICINITY

Mrs. A. J. Petellat, of Occoquan with several members of her family, spent the week end visiting relatives in Baltimore, Md. Mrs. Kate Reading of Baltimore, who has been Mrs. Petellat's guest for the week, returned to her home in Baltimore with the Petellats.

Mr. and Mrs. Harpold Wilcher, of Occoquan, spent Saturday night and Sunday in Laurel, Md., as the guests of Mr. Wilcher's parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Wilcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lambert, of Woodbridge, had as their guest over the week end, Mrs. Lambert's sister from Culpeper, Va.

Mrs. Bernice Insko, of Washington, D. C., spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Bettye Carter in Occoquan.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Davis, of Woodbridge, had as their guest over the week end, Mrs. Davis' nephew and family from Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Bustin have moved into Mrs. Sidney W. Wiley's house at Lorton. Mr. Bustin, who was formerly employed in Washington, D. C., is now employed at the D. C. Reformatory.

Installation ceremonies for the newly organized branch of the Woman's Auxiliary of the O-W-L-Volunteer Fire Department were held at the Fire house in Occoquan on Tuesday, April 16th. The officers were installed by: Mrs. John Travers and Mrs. Mary J. Priest, of the Alexandria, with Mrs. Elzie Crane of the same auxiliary as Color Bearer.

The following elected officers were installed:

Mrs. Ambrose J. Petellat, president; Miss Mary B. Joyce, Sr., vice president; Mrs. Silas H. Sealeman, Jr., vice president; Miss Mamie L. Davis, recording secretary; Mrs. Marshall Davis, financial secretary; Miss Mary C. Bubb, chaplain; Mrs. Harmon Roberts, treasurer; Mrs. Harold Wilcher, historian; Mrs. Henry S. Davis, sergeant at arms.

The President appointed the following committees:

Ways and Means, Mrs. T. Powell Davis, chairman; Good of the order, Mrs. Binie Cross, chairman; Auditing, Mrs. F. W. Hornbaker, chairman; By-Laws, Mrs. Eastman Keys, chairman; Sick, Miss Mary C. Bubb, chairman and Reporter, Miss Mary B. Joyce, chairman.

There are several members on each committee, but we had space for the names of chairmen only at this time.

The delegation from Alexandria to this installation meeting consisted of nineteen members of the Alexandria Auxiliaries, and were in charge of Mrs. Margaret Tyler, president of Alexandria, No. 2. 30 members were initiated into the O-W-L-Auxiliary on this occasion, which indicates that it is going to receive the support of most of the good women in the community. We are very grateful to the Alexandria Units for the interest they have shown in us, which is indicated by the large number who came to see our installation of officers.

The O-W-L-Auxiliary unit will meet on the 4th Tuesday in each month, at 8:00 p. m., at the Fire House in Occoquan. We welcome all the women in the community to our meetings, whether they are members or not.

At this installation meeting, refreshments were served after the meeting. All present enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Occoquan, Va.,  
April 17, 1940.

My Dear Captain Joyce:

The students of Occoquan High School wish me to express to you their sincere thanks and appreciation for your donation and presentation of a flag to our school.

Very truly yours,  
Christine Nelson,  
Secretary.

Captain Thomas F. Joyce,  
Occoquan, Va.

## JOPLIN

We are sorry to know that Mr. Wm. Crow is ill at this writing. We sincerely hope he will soon recover. Mr. Clifton Abel, of Washington, called on his mother, Mrs. Ida Abel, on Thursday last.

Mrs. Mae Matherson is recovering from an illness at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Topscott also their two daughters, Gladys and Catherine, all of Washington, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Williams on Sunday.

Mrs. William McJoy, Mrs. Louise Liming, also Miss Louise Miller visited Mrs. Amanda Anderson on Thursday last.

Mrs. Kathleen Abel visited at the home of Mrs. Mary Bryant on Sunday. Mr. Edward Anderson has been on the sick list for the past week but is able to be out again now.

Mrs. George Carter is on the sick list at this writing.

## I Like This Book

One of a series of book reviews by students of Occoquan High School. Manuscript—October 1939—is in competition for W. C. Wagner Memorial Prize.

### CAPTAIN BLOOD

by Raphael Sabatini

"Captain Blood" by Raphael Sabatini was published by The Houghton Mifflin Company in 1922.

Peter Blood, gentleman, doctor, pirate, soldier of fortune, and what have you, is a figure typical of the early British Colonial days. During a revolution, Blood is thrown into prison for treating a wounded insurgent. For ridiculing an English magistrate while on trial, instead of being given the customary death sentence, he is sent as a slave to an island in the Caribbean, an English Colonial possession, which at that time was considered a fate worse than death. Here he is sold to a plantation owner but because of his skill as a physician, he is saved from the back-breaking labor in the fields. Even this would not have been spared him by his owner, but it happens that the governor has a bad case of gout and Peter gives him the first competent treatment he has had since he has been on the island. Peter's obvious superiority to the other slaves who work on the plantations attracts the attention of his owner's niece. They see much of each other and Peter finds that, in spite of his hate for her uncle, he is falling in love with her.

Since the first day they arrived, Peter and his friends have been planning an escape from the clutches of their cruel master. After one plan fails, they become discouraged. Things on the plantation grow worse as the hand of the master grows ever heavier.

The ultimate escape from the island is provided when a Spanish ship attacks the colony. When the colony has surrendered to the Spaniards, vigilance on the attacking ship is relaxed, and this is the opportunity for which Blood has been waiting. He and his followers creep aboard the ship and subdue the guard. In this ship, Captain Blood's first prize, they leave the island and begin their buccaneering career. Captain Blood's romantic and thrilling experiences and their ultimate climax provide a story which will hold the reader's attention from the beginning to end. This book may be borrowed from the Ruffner-Carnegie library.

—Dick Haydon, Jr.

### SHOOTING AT QUANTICO

An unidentified prowler, now believed to have been attempting sabotage, shot a sentry at the Quantico Marine Base early last Monday morning.

Federal authorities are investigating. From the fact that the prowler was armed and also carried a blow torch, it is considered most probable that he was engaged in some illegal enterprise when challenged by the alert sentry, Henry W. Buswitz, who is recovering in the hospital. His unknown assailant escaped.

## JOE PENNER HITS COMEDY BULL'S EYE

Aimed squarely at the comedy bull's-eye, Joe Penner's latest film, "Millionaire Playboy," scheduled at Pitts Theatre, May 1, Wed., presents the radio, stage and screen comedian in another of his popular zany roles. Linda Hayes, a "Gateway to Hollywood" find, plays the heroine and heart-winner among the dozen streamlined beauties who aid and abet the merry-making.

The pivotal point of most of the uproarious incidents is Joe's reaction to kisses—he has violent hiccupping fits! His father, a utilities magnate, offers \$5,000 for a cure. A friend, manager of an escort bureau, undertakes to earn the money. His theory is that Joe can never get over girl-shyness unless he plays with the girls. So he takes him to a mountain resort where all the girls at the hotel are bored to death for lack of beaux. He spreads the rumor that Joe is a millionaire playboy. After that Joe does a lot of hiccupping, and when his friend is not thinking up ways to scare off the hiccups, two thugs hired to drive all the guests away from the hotel so that the owner will be forced to sell, are making life exciting for all concerned. Particularly for Joe, who never quite discovers what it is all about.

To complicate matters, the hotel is owned by the girl Joe falls in love with—and falling in love to a serene end of hiccups is a complication sufficient unto itself.

Thrills are part of the fun. Ghosts walk through dark halls and spirits shriek; an attempt to drown Joe provides water thrills; and rehearsals for an amateur production involve Joe in what he thinks is a murder and he is almost lynched as a real murderer. Just a lot of quiet fun with a high-jinx hiccup!

In addition to Penner and his leading lady, Linda Hayes, other leading roles are played by Russ Brown, heard on Rudy Vallee and Penner radio programs, Fritz Feld, Tom Kennedy, Granville Bates and Arthur Q. Bryan. Among the girls who oomph paralyze Penner are Adele Pearce, Kathryn Adams and Diane Hunter.

### BOATING SEASON MADE SAFER

More lives are lost by fire or gasoline explosion on motorboats each year than are similarly lost on our entire merchant marine and Navy combined. The part played by this vital branch of the Government service in reducing hazards and cutting down the number of lives lost through carelessness in the operation of privately owned boats is outlined in an illustrated article appearing in the feature pages of The Washington Sunday Star next Sunday.

### CARD OF THANKS

We are grateful to all our neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness and beautiful floral contributions during our recent bereavement. Mrs. Abbie C. Wilfong, Mrs. Edith Byrd and family.  
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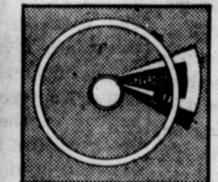
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THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1940

CHRIST FOR ALL—ALL FOR CHRIST  
**The Manassas Journal**  
BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER

If parents will have their children memorize the daily Bible selections, it will prove a priceless heritage to them in later years.

How think ye? If a man have a hundred sheep, and one of them be gone astray, doth he not leave the ninety and nine, and goeth into the mountains, and seeketh that which is gone astray?—Matthew 18:22.

## JUDGE SMITH AGAIN RENDERS NATIONAL SERVICE

Hon. Howard W. Smith, Chairman of the Special Committee of the House, Investigating the National Labor Relations Board, has just issued an "intermediate report", which constitutes a public document of permanent value, not only in its revelation of the Un-American and despicable methods pursued shamelessly by this Governmental agency, but also as a model of painstaking, fair and truly judicial Congressional inquiry.

Such pernicious practices of the Labor Board as blacklisting, boycott promotion, illegal lobbying, solicitation of litigation, are not only proven beyond all doubt, but they are unblushingly defended in the testimony of the Labor Board itself. Such an intolerable condition is nothing less than a penetration of our very Government by the European totalitarianism which over there has driven humanity into the vortex of blood and fire, and which eventually, unless definitely checked, will do the same for us. It is a definite system of infiltration devised in Germany and Russia to weaken and undermine great Democracies as a preliminary to effective military occupation.

The Smith report says none of this. The Gentleman from Virginia, with the patience and decorum schooled by years on the Bench, in the most judicial manner possible, has let Communistic Labor expose itself as it passed in review before the legal staff of this efficient Committee.

In issuing this "intermediate report" Judge Smith has rendered a great patriotic service to the Nation. Americans throughout the country will be grateful, but Virginians, particularly in the Eighth Congress-



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## HE COULDN'T HATE

Booker T. Washington's face upon a new United States stamp is symbolic of the fruitage of true democracy. The Negro educator, thus honored on the fifty-ninth anniversary of Tuskegee Institute, which he founded, takes rank in the history of the world among those who loved, sacrificed, and strove mightily for the good of their fellow men.

Dr. Washington won his education under the most severe difficulties; then turned to labor unceasingly and with remarkable vision to insure means of higher education for his people. Eventually he received academic honors for his labors and became the friend of Presidents.

One sentence by Booker Washington might be quoted today as a challenge to much of the world's wrong-thinking: "N. man... shall drag me down so low as to make me hate him."

—Christian Science Monitor

## BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

The Trinity Group of the Episcopal Church will meet at the church on Sunday afternoon, April 28th, at 2:00 to go on a pilgrimage to the National Cathedral in Washington.

Lt. and Mrs. O. D. Waters and Lt. and Mrs. E. W. Hurst will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Waters on Sunday and will motor our Skyline Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Lynn, Jr., left Sunday for a visit with the formers' daughter, Mrs. L. H. Pabst, in Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Charles Miller, Mrs. George Cowne and Misses Frances and Elizabeth Miller visited Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. John W. Settle, in Culpeper on Sunday. We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Settle is ill again and hope she will soon be much-improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Walker, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lewis en route home from Florida, where they have spent the past two months.

Mrs. Eula Holt Merchant had her sister, Mrs. Mabel Holt Wood, of Richmond, as her guest last week end.

Mrs. Fred Hynson will entertain the Senior Bridge Club this evening.

Mr. C. H. Adams spent Sunday in Alexandria, Va., with his brother, Mr. R. B. Adams.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Marsteller have just returned after spending several days in Charleston, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Athey and family of Washington, D. C., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Martin on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Athey, of Alexandria, were also guests.

The Ladies of Trinity Guild will have their rummage sale at the Parish Hall next Saturday.

Mrs. John Holt Merchant is improving after her recent operation and will return to her home here today.

Mrs. Janet Owens entertained the Monday-Afternoon Bridge Club this week. Next week it will meet with Mrs. Paul Arrington.

Mrs. Frank W. Hornbaker, of Occoquan, was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Bradford, Sr., on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Steele spent Sunday in Washington, D. C.

Messrs. Harry Parrish, Robert Byrd and Wallace Partlow represented Manassas on High School Day at V. P. I., which was last Saturday. They were among more than 500 boys who were guests of the college last weekend.

Mr. E. M. Roof returned Thursday from Winchester Memorial Hospital where he underwent a major operation and is getting on nicely.

Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Blough were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Blough last weekend.

Mr. Loren Simpson, of Bridgewater College, will be a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Blough this weekend.

Mrs. I. Shacklett and Miss Bessie Walker, of Washington, D. C., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lewis last Sunday.

Miss Nancy Waters and Mr. Keith Lyons will be guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. O. D. Waters, this weekend and will hear Dr. William Lyon Phelps on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Macafee, of Martha's Vineyard, Mass., were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Stewart McBryde last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lunsford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers, in Richmond, Va., last weekend.

Mrs. A. Stuart Gibson is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Woodward at Shrinemont, Orkney Springs, Va., this week.

Jean Coverstone, Anna Lee Reed, Helen Landis, Rev. and Mrs. Newman attended the spring Youth Rally held in the Winchester United Brethren Church last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Harold Wilcher, of Occoquan, and Miss Jeanette Fuchs, of Washington, D. C., were guests of Mrs. Arthur Sinclair on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Eustler have had as their guests for several days his parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. Eustler, and brother, Mr. Mark Eustler, of Edinburg, Va.

Mrs. Louis Carter and daughter, Mary Ann, spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Mayhugh, near Greenwich, Va.

Miss Elvire Conner, left Sunday on an extended visit to Connecticut, Massachusetts, and New York. She accompanied Mrs. Samuel Senior and Mrs. Russell Blanchard and son on their return to their home in Bridgeport, Conn., after a visit here.

Mr. O. O. Holler is spending several days fishing at Stony Creek, Va.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club met with Miss Hilda Moser this week. Mrs. Earl Hurst won high score.

Mrs. T. E. Didlake, Mrs. O. D. Waters, Mrs. Margaret Lewis and Mrs. V. V. Gillum attended the meeting of the Piedmont District of the Federated Garden Clubs at the Hotel Jefferson, Richmond, yesterday. Mrs. Gillum's sister, Mrs. C. W. Dowdy, of Roanoke, who is visiting her for several days, accompanied them. A very interesting lecture was given by Mrs. Anson Howe Smith on "Flower Arrangement in Relation to your Interior Decoration."

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Wakeman, who were former residents of Arlington, have moved to Manassas to make their home. We welcome them to our community.

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Potatoes - 10 lbs. 26c

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Sweets - 4 lbs. 15c

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ASPARAGUS - - bun. 25c

Pure Pork

SAUSAGE 2 lbs 35c

Fresh

HERRING doz. 25c

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SALT

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COFFEE

LB. 25c

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Drink

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Luck have moved to Grant Avenue to make their home.

The local schools will have their annual music festival in the high school auditorium tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee Brown were guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown, in Arlington, last weekend.

Mr. Glen Payne, who has been a patient at Roanoke Hospital for about four weeks, has been transferred to Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D. C. His mother, Mrs. Clara Payne, of Manassas, Va., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hillary Smith, also Mrs. D. R. Evans, of Alexandria, Va., spent Sunday with him. All his friends join in wishing him a speedy recovery.

## WILLIAMS—LUNSFORD

The Presbyterian Church was the scene of a lovely wedding last Friday when Miss Elsie Virginia Lunsford, of Manassas, became the bride of Mr. H. Clay Williams, of Cofield, N. C.

The bride was attired in an old rose travelling costume and wore a corsage of white rose buds and lilies of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Ralph Whitley, of Washington, D. C., the former Hazel Lunsford. Mrs. Whitley's costume was navy, with gardenias. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. John Swetnam Lunsford.

Mr. Williams is the son of Mrs. Williams and the late Barnes Goodman Williams, of Cofield. He was educated at N. C. State College, Raleigh. He entered the employ of the American Air Lines and is now stationed at Washington. The best man was Mr. Ralph Huls, of Arlington, Va., a brother-in-law.

The families of both the young people were present. The ring ceremony of the Presbyterian Church was used, and the pastor, Rev. John M. DeChant, officiated.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of Mrs. J. J. Murphy, an aunt of the bride.

## ANNUAL AID CONFERENCE

As has been the custom for some years the aid societies of the United Brethren Churches in the county will hold an all day meeting on Ascension Day, which this year is May 2. "The Power of Prayer" has been selected as the theme for the day. The music and speaking will all be related to this topic. The Rev. Lee E. Shaffer, of Shenandoah, who organized the annual conferences in this county will be one of the day's speakers. The other will be Rev. M. J. Miller, Superintendent of the Virginia Conference of the United Brethren Church. Both of these men are good speakers whom you will want to hear and meet.

The services are held in the Buck-hall Church this year and the opening hour is 10 a. m. All those who wish are asked to bring a lunch and attend the entire conference.

## A BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

The rainy week did not keep about 60 friends of Rev. E. E. Blough and family from staging a complete birthday surprise for Rev. E. E. Blough.

The basement of the Cannon Branch Church was artistically decorated with pink and white crepe paper and a beautiful pink and white birthday cake.

Rev. J. M. Kline gave an appropriate speech and presented Rev. Blough with a purse showing in a small way the appreciation of the community for his unselfish service rendered.

All wished him a happy birthday on his 69th birthday.

Vanilla and strawberry ice-cream, pink and white cakes, and a part of the large birthday cake comprised the refreshments.

## BEAHM—METZGER

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Metzger wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Grace Irene to Mr. Charles Austin Beahm, Saturday, April 20, at 5:00 p. m. Cranford Memorial Church, the Rev. D. N. Calvert officiating. Miss Evelyn Kidwell was bridesmaid. Mr. John Cranford was best man.

Mrs. Charles Shaver, of Woodbridge, sang "At Dawning".

The church was beautifully decorated with palms, flowers and light-candles.

It may be of interest to some to know that the bride was the granddaughter of the late Harry C. Metzger.

## BAKER—MCQUIN

Miss Katherine McQuin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel McQuin, of Thoroughfare, and Mr. Timothy Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Baker, of The Plains, were married in Manassas on Wednesday, April 3, by Rev. W. O. Luttrell.

Mrs. Nathaniel McQuin accompanied the couple to the wedding.

The bride and groom will be at home at "Cloverland Farm", Thoroughfare, Va.

The mother of the bride and her daughter and sons gave a shower in their honor.

Delicious refreshments were served. The couple received many useful and beautiful gifts and were wished a long and happy life.

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FOR RENT: May 1st. House located at 320 West St. Gas, electricity and garden. Apply to Gladys Bushong, Executrix of the will of Maggie M. Bushong, dec'd.  
48-1-f

FOR RENT: Downstairs Apartment, on Lee Avenue, in center of town. All modern conveniences. Call Manassas 221.  
50-1-f

FOR RENT: Six rooms and bath brick bungalow, No. 340 Center St. Gas, water, electricity, heating plant, double brick garage and small garden. Apply to L. B. Williams, 206 Prescott Ave, Manassas, Va.  
51-1-x

FOR RENT: 2 office rooms, heat, water and light furnished. Hibbs and Giddings.  
51-2-c

### MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED: Several young cows coming fresh soon, or steers, 6 months to year old. Stanley S. Holmes, Manassas, Va.  
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In truck load lots, delivered as much as 5 miles out of town

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Manassas, Va.

STATE CHAMBER HONORS  
SENATOR GLASS

High honor was paid Senator Carter Glass at the annual banquet of the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce held in Richmond last week. Virginia's senior senator was extolled for his services to the Old Dominion for "more than 50 faithful years," tribute after tribute being paid to him. On behalf of the State Chamber, Major Raymond B. Bottom, of Newport News, retiring president, presented a hand-decorated scroll to Senator Glass. The text of the scroll eulogized Senator Glass' service to the State and added that "in the councils of the nation, as of your mother State, you have exemplified personal rectitude, political integrity, intellectual honesty and moral courage of the highest order."

Jesse H. Jones, administrator of the Federal loan agency, delivered an oratorical accolade to his friend of many years, declaring "Virginia has produced many men of great stature, but in my view Carter Glass would not suffer in comparison with any of them." In a letter read by Major Bottom, President Roosevelt said, Senator Glass was "a son of whom Virginia may well be proud" and that "I welcome an opportunity to testify to my affection for this 'unreconstructed rebel.'" Vice President Garner's message said Senator Glass is "one of the ablest and most courageous men I have ever known in public life." Messages from others were read, each lauding Senator Glass.

Acknowledging the speeches and the scroll, Senator Glass responded in a voice touched with emotion. He said, "I am utterly incapable of attempting to express in words the measure of my appreciation of this testimonial and the gracious way in which the presentation has been made. I know perfectly well that I'm no great man, but I want to tell you assembled here that I like to hear it. I may say I have honestly tried to do my duty, first by Virginia and then by the nation, but, as has been

## THE FRONT ROYAL REMOUNT HORSE SHOW

The Front Royal Remount Horse Show will be held at the Depot on June 8, 1940. The primary object of this show will be to encourage the breeding of Hunters by bonafide Farmer Breeders (persons whose principal means of livelihood is Farming, Animal Breeding, or a combination of the two).

Whereas, Government animals will be exhibited, they will not be judged in competition with privately owned animals, nor will they compete for prizes.

As will be noticed from the following list of classes, more than half the number are limited to Farmer Breeder entries (F-B).

Class Limited to Farmer Breeders: Breeding Division:

Class:  
1. Brood Mare—Thoroughbred.  
2. Brood Mare—Half-bred.  
3. Brood Mare—Thoroughbred—With foal at foot.

4. Brood Mare—Half-bred—With Foal at foot.

5. Yearling—Thoroughbred—Suitable to become hunter.

6. Yearling—Half-bred—Suitable to become hunter.

7. Two Year Old—Thoroughbred—Suitable to become hunter.

8. Two Year Old—Half-bred—Suitable to become hunter.

9. Three Year Old—Thoroughbred—Suitable to become hunter.

10. Three Year Old—Half-bred—Suitable to become hunter.

Depot Stallions, Yearling, two, and three year old Depot Raised Stallions, one Depot Brood Mare with her Get, and a few retired Veterans will be exhibited.

Hunter Division:

11. Suitable to become Hunters—Three or Four Year Olds—Thoroughbred or Half-bred.

12. Green Hunters—Thoroughbred or Half-bred.

13. Hunter Hacks—Thoroughbred or Half-bred.

14. Half-bred Hunters—Registered.

Open Classes:

15. Three Year Old Hunters.

16. Light weight Hunters.

17. Middle and Heavy weight Hunters.

18. Working Hunters.

19. Hunter Championship.

Jumping Division:

20. Amateur Jumpers.

21. Triple Bar Class.

22. Maiden Jumpers.

23. Novice Jumpers.

24. Knock down and out.

25. Touch and out.

26. Jumper Sweepstake.

27. Jumper Championship.

Limited To Soldiers:

28. Local Jumpers.

Prize lists and entry blanks may be secured from Headquarters, Front Royal Remount Depot, Front Royal, Va., upon request:

indicated, it is my belief that I've never done anything that any honest Virginian would not have done under similar circumstances. Virginia is the best State of all to represent, because the people are so sensible as well as patriotic. It has a foundation of history and accomplishment that no other State can claim, and I am proud to represent it."

James S. Easley of Halifax was elected president of the State Chamber at the 16th annual meeting. A lawyer and former member of the General Assembly, he succeeds Major Bottom, who was president for the past two years. Vice presidents elected were: Thomas Stanley of Stanlestown, representing Southside Virginia; Rodney M. Coggins, of Warsaw, the Tidewater area; Wistar Heald of Lynchburg, the Piedmont section; John V. Wise, Staunton, the Valley, and Carl B. Short, Roanoke, the Southwest. Ten new directors were chosen and nine board members were re-elected.

Advertising Helps  
And the Advertiser  
Both The Consumer

## "NOTICE"

After May 1st, 1940, the following dairies will not accept Washington, D. C. milk bottles for exchange or cash.

Birmingham Dairy  
Broadview Dairy  
Rustin Hill Dairy

## Pitt's Theatre

MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

SATURDAY NIGHT — 2 SHOWS — 7:15 and 9:15 P.M.  
You can come as late as 8:30 and see the entire performance  
SATURDAY MATINEE 3:30 — Children 10c. Adults 25c  
EVERY NIGHT at 8:00 — Children 10c. Adults 25c  
(Balcony for Colored, 10c and 25c)

Thursday and Friday, April 25 and 26  
JOEL MCCREA and NANCY KELLY

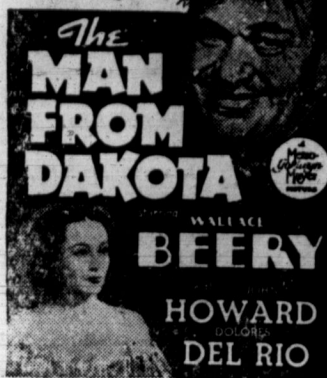
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Saturday, April 27

### BEERY'S BEST!

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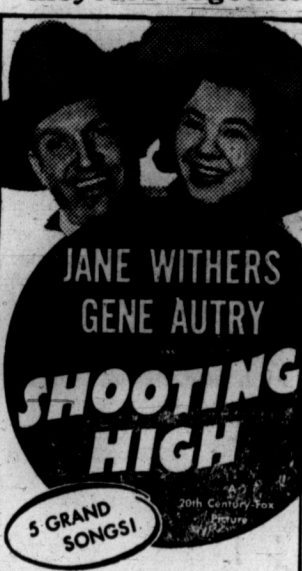


Screen Play by Laurence Stallings  
Directed by ESUE FENTON  
Produced by HOWARD CHODOROV

Also - Peter Smith Specialty - Cartoon - Oregon Trail No. 15.

Monday and Tuesday  
April 29 and 30

## How GRAND they are together!



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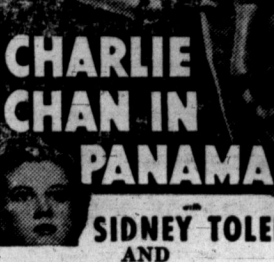
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## LEGAL NOTICES

COMMISSIONER'S SALE  
Of Valuable Real Estate Situated  
in Brentsville Magisterial District  
Prince William County,  
Virginia.

Under and by virtue of a decree entered by the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia, on the 1st day of April, 1940, in the chancery cause styled Leonard Weeks v. Dessie Crump and James Crump, her husband and Mary Norman, divorced, the undersigned commissioners of sale will offer for sale at public auction, on

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1940  
At 10 O'clock A. M.,

in front of the Peoples National Bank, Manassas, Virginia, a certain tract or parcel of land, with buildings and improvements thereon, suitable for farming, containing 151½ acres, situated on Cedar Run, Brentsville Magisterial District, Prince William County, Virginia, and being known as the W. J. Weeks' farm.

There is located on said farm an excellent dwelling, barn and necessary outbuildings for farm operation.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third cash and the residue on one- and two-year equal annual payments, evidenced by the purchaser's interest-bearing notes, title to be reserved until all the purchase money shall have been paid to the bonded commissioner in this cause.

This farm will be sold subject to the 1940 taxes and upon the condition that the purchaser shall keep the buildings located on said premises insured in an amount at least to protect the deferred payments.

W. HILL BROWN, JR.  
C. LACEY COMPTON  
STANLEY A. OWENS,  
Commissioners of Sale.

I hereby certify that W. Hill Brown, Jr., has executed bond with surety approved by me, as required by the decree entered in the aforesaid cause. Given under my hand this 8th day of April, 1940.

LEAMON LEDMAN,  
Clerk.  
By his deputy  
JOHN M. PIERCY, JR.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE  
of Valuable Real Estate

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust executed on the 21st day of April, 1927, by Sarah Bates (which said deed of trust is recorded among the land records of Prince William County, Virginia, in Deed Book 83, page 208-209), default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein set out and described, the undersigned trustee shall, at the request of the holder of the notes secured by said deed of trust, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of The Peoples National Bank Building in the Town of Manassas, Virginia, on

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1940,  
at 11:00 o'clock, a. m.,

the following described real estate, to-wit:

All of that certain lot, tract or parcel of land, lying and being situated near the Town of Dumfries, Dumfries Magisterial District, Prince William County, Virginia, and more particularly described as being all of land on East Side of Weedon Road known as William Davis Land on N. joins on side of road on Northwest on East joins McInteer.

G. Raymond Ratcliffe,  
Trustee.

49-4-c

## NOTICE

I am taking this method of telling anyone interested in improving draft horses. I have two black registered Percheron stallions for service this year. Colleta 227767 and Bristow Pomp 229352.

It will be impossible to see everyone, if interested, let me know.

M. J. Shepherd.

47-13-r

## ADMINISTRATIX'S NOTICE

All person who have claims against the estate of the late Harry Tyler, will please present the same to the undersigned, verified by oath, within a period of 60 days from this date. Likewise all persons owing the estate of the late Harry Tyler will please settle with the within a period of 60 days from this date.

Given under my hand this 18th day of April, 1940.

Alice V. Bryant,  
Administratrix of the estate of  
Harry Tyler, deceased.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE  
of Valuable Real Estate

Under and by virtue of a decree entered by the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia, on the 1st day of April, 1940, in the chancery cause of (Mrs.) L. L. Sandaal vs. The Rector and Visitors of the University of Virginia, a Virginia corporation, et als the undersigned special commissioner will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of The Peoples National Bank Building in the Town of Manassas, Virginia,

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1940,  
at ELEVEN O'CLOCK, A. M.,  
the following described real estate, to-wit:

All of that certain tract of land, with the improvements thereon, lying and being situate near Hoadley, Occoquan Magisterial District, Prince William County, Virginia, containing 20.4 acres, more or less, and bounded by the lands of Petit, E. S. Reid and others, and being the same land of which the late Wesley B. Marshall died seised and possessed.

Arthur W. Sinclair,  
Special Commissioner.

I, Leamon Ledman, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia, do hereby certify that the bond required in this cause has been given by Arthur W. Sinclair.

Leamon Ledman,  
Clerk.

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## VIRGINIA: IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE, PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, 23, DAY OF APRIL, 1940.

Thelma Riley Blake

## IN EQUITY

Allen B. Blake  
The object of this suit is to obtain from the defendant, Allen B. Blake, a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of confinement in the penitentiary of the State of Texas, and cohabitation has not been resumed since such confinement; and it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that Allen B. Blake, the above-named defendant, is not a resident of this State, it is, therefore, ordered that the defendant, Allen B. Blake, do appear within 10 days after due publication of this order in the Clerk's Office of the said Court and do what is necessary to protect his interest.

And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published 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 his last known address, as given in said affidavit: State Penitentiary, City of Huntsville, Walker County, Texas, and a copy posted on the front door of the Courthouse, as required by law.

Leamon Ledman,  
Clerk.

A true copy:

Leamon Ledman,  
Clerk.

W. Hill Brown, Jr., p. q.  
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## MARRIAGE RECORD

March 16. James H. Montgomery and Dorothy G. Fulton, both of Laurel, Md. (DeChant.)

John C. Carroll and Mary E. Smith, both of Quantico, Va. (McConnell.)

Donald W. Crawford and Althea Huffman, both of Dumfries, Va. (Graham.)

Ralph J. Srou, of Washington, D. C. and Esther W. Akers, of Manassas. (Beattie.)

Thomas F. Rogers and Evelyn R. Chaney, both of Washington, D. C. (DeChant.)

March 18. Walter W. Wise, of Bethesda, Md., and Myrtle L. Campbell, of Washington, D. C.

Joseph Williams, of Alexandria, Va. R. F. D. No. 1 and Virginia L. Hughes, of Wilmington, N. C. (Hixson.)

March 19. Ardean W. Clark, of Dumfries, Va., and Margaret O. M. Porter, of Triangle, Va. (O. D. Lambert.)

Joseph E. Lafitte, of Upper Darby, Pa., and Beatrice M. Monro, of North Philadelphia, Pa. (Luttrell.)

March 20. James W. Robb, Jr., and Clothilde D. Sacks, both of Washington, D. C. (Hixson.)

March 21. Charles W. Bloxton, of Falls Church, Va., and Emma N. Sisson, of Quantico, Va. (Graham.)

Francis T. McArdle and Helen E. Leffever, both of Washington, D. C. (Hixson.)

Curtis E. Valentine and Caroline W. Traill, both of Frederick, Md. (DeChant.)

William J. Casper and May L. Watkins, both of Philadelphia, Pa. (Luttrell.)

March 22. Gesford Draper of Washington, D. C., and Roberta H. Herd, of Livingston, Tenn. (Hixson.)

Harvey F. Lehr and Hazel L. Miller, both of Waynesboro, Pa. (Newman.)

J. E. Rockwood, 3rd, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Helen K. Mowbray, of

South Ardmore, Pa. (DeChant.)

March 23. Timothy D. Sullivan, of Quantico, Va., and Alice S. Roberts, of Newton, Mass. (Salisbury.)

Joseph Arribi and Pilar Cerra, both of Bronx, N. Y. (Ballentine.)

James E. McCracken, Bethesda, Md., and Dorothy H. Wiesner, both of Bethesda, Md. (Ballentine.)

Theodore E. Goodwin and Rose Y. Temes, both of Washington, D. C. (Luttrell.)

Thomas F. Watson, of Albany, N. Y., and Celeste M. Smoot, of Pittsburg, Pa. (Hixson.)

Richard H. Driscoll, of Phila., Pa., and Geneva C. Ziegler, of State College, Pa. (Hixson.)

Beverly E. Crosby and Louise I. Chargrue, both of Washington, D. C. (Luttrell.)

Nicholas Loizos and Carmella Rossi, both of Baltimore, Md. (Hixson.)

Howard C. Sload and Betty M. Mimmall, both of Columbia, Pa. (Luttrell.)

Thomas J. McAvoy and Thelma MacFarland, both of Pittsburg, Pa. (Widmer.)

Ellsworth E. Furlong and Dorothy H. Keene, both of Baltimore, Md. (Newman.)

March 25. William B. Halland, of Coronada, Cal., and Elizabeth H. Hiltabide. (Gibson.)

George A. Schwebel and Grace G. Gerlatzki, both of Lancaster, Pa. (Luttrell.)

Horace A. Lowe, of Lewisburg, Pa.,

and Margaret H. Smaltz, of Washington, D. C. (DeChant.)

March 26. John R. Hall, of Wildwood Crest, N. J., and Dorothy F. Charnock, of North Wildwood, N. J. (Hixson.)

Wayne A. Sowers and Louise Brann, both of Mt. Vernon, N. Y. (Luttrell.)

Richard Ellington, of Brunswick, Md., and Marjorie L. Brantley, of Washington, D. C. (DeChant.)

March 28. Lawrence T. Dixon and Catherine M. Maben, both of Washington, D. C. (Graham.)

Clarence E. Ballard and Virginia M. Greene, both of Washington, D. C. (Hixson.)

Samuel Asch and Florence Rubin, both of Washington, D. C. (Schiff.)

March 29. Chester L. Kauffman and Ruth J. Greer, both of Woodlawn, Md. (DeChant.)

Robert J. Bradley and Martha A. Corcoran, both of College Park, Md. (Hixson.)

Richard H. Holmes and Dorothy V. Disney, both of Washington, D. C. (Graham.)

March 30. Leon C. Hoof and Neetie L. Calhoun, both of Brooklyn, N. Y. (Ballentine.)

Edward Pavlock, of Boothwyn, Pa., and Josephine Neme, of Chester, Pa. (Graham.)

Elbridge Singleton and Catherine P. Peters, both of Norristown, Pa. (Hixson.)

Edward T. Hall and Charlotte C. Richards, both of Baltimore, Md.

(Luttrell.)

John H. Hess, of Willow Station, Pa., and Agnes M. Geib, of Strasburg, Pa. (Ballentine.)

Richard Dittenbaugh, of Akron, Pa., and Verna M. Harnish, of New Providence, Pa. (Hixson.)

Joel F. Hunter and Beatrice L. Barnes, both of Washington, D. C. (Luttrell.)

Miles G. Goff and Adelaide B. Nordberg, of Phila., Pa. (Hixson.)

David P. Williams and Helen W. (Continued on page 7.)

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**CHUCK ROAST** - lb. 17¢

**Tender Round Steak** - lb. 25¢  
**Shoulder Clod Roast** - lb. 21¢  
**Boiling Beef** - lb. 9¢  
**Standard Sliced Bacon** 17c 2 lbs. 33c  
**Smoked Shoulders** - lb. 13¢  
 Standard Hams - lb. 19c Shoulder Lamb Roast - lb. 21c  
 Strip Bacon W. or H. - lb. 14c XX Bologna - lb. 14c

**RED JACKET GROUND BEEF**  
 2 lbs. 25¢

**Taste - Tells PEACHES**  
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**APTE BRAND** 2 46-oz. cans 25¢  
 Miracle Whip - 8 oz. jar 12c  
 Miracle Whip - pint jar 25c  
 Phillips Beans - 1 lb. can 4c  
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125-Foot Roll 10¢

Grace Napkins - pkg. of 100 15c  
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 Black Pepper - 1/4 lb. can 12c

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Sour Pickles - 36 oz. jar 10c  
 Dill Pickles - 36 oz. jar 10c  
 Queen Olives - 3 oz. bot. 12c  
 French's Mustard - 9 oz. jar 11c

**JUMBO BREAD** loaf 5¢

Grape Jelly - 2 lb. jar 10c  
 Sanico Jelly - 8 oz. glass 10c  
 Cream Cheese - 8 oz. pkg. 10c  
 Date & Nut Bread - 2 cans 23c

**CRISCO** 51¢

Fig Bars - lb. box 10c  
 Ginger Snaps - lb. pkg. 10c  
 Graham Crackers - lb. pkg. 10c  
 Soda Crackers - 2 lb. box 14c

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**CHEESE** LAND 2-lb. 45¢  
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 Lipton's Tea - 1/2 lb. pkg. 43¢  
 Brer Rabbit Molasses - can 17¢  
 Vermont Maid Syrup - bot. 17¢

Sun Maid Raisins - Seedless 2 15 oz. 15¢  
 Lux Toilet Soap - cake 6c  
 Octagon Toilet Soap - 2 cakes 9c

Palmolive Toilet Soap 3 cakes 17¢  
**SPAM** Serve with Eggs 12-oz. can 25¢  
**PRUNES** SUN-SWEET 2-lb. 15¢

Edwards Coffee 2 lb. can 21¢  
 Kitchen Craft Flour 12 lb. sack 45¢  
 Krispy Crackers - lb. pkg. 15¢

**BANANAS** - lb. 5¢  
**NEW POTATOES** 4 lbs. 19¢

N. Y. Old Potatoes - 10 lbs. 25¢  
 Fresh Kale - 3 lbs. 10¢  
 Fresh Cabbage - 3 lbs. 10¢

Fresh Spinach - 3 lbs. 14¢  
 White Squash - 2 lbs. 13c Radishes - 2 bun. 5c  
 Large Celery - stalk 7c Lemons - doz. 10c & 23c

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 Mace Dog Food - 2 lb. cans 11c  
 Grape Nuts - 2 pkgs. 25c  
 Wheaties - 2 pkgs. 21c  
 Shredded Wheat - 2 pkgs. 17c  
 O K Macaroni - 3 pkgs. 10c  
 O K Spaghetti - 3 pkgs. 10c  
 White Magic - qt. bot. 10c  
 Morex pint 10c qt. 19c  
 Ben Ami - 9 1/2 oz. cake 9c  
 O K Laundry Soap - 4 bars 10c  
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### HENRY BURGESS

Henry Burgess, of Cockeysville, Md., formerly of Fauquier County, passed away April 20. He was 48 years of age.

He is survived by his father, L. J. Burgess, of Broad Run, Va.; three sisters, Mrs. J. M. Jarvin, Mrs. R. C. Mitchell, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. H. S. White, of Broad Run, Va., and one brother, Wesley Burgess, of Bridgeport, Conn.

Funeral services were held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Jarvin, of Washington, D. C., and Mr. Gill, of Maryland.

Services were conducted by Rev. DeChant. He was laid to rest in Little Georgetown Cemetery, Broad Run, Va.

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Snyder, both of Harrisburg, Pa. (Luttrell.)

April 1. Willard T. Breckenridge, of Oakton, Va., and Rosalie F. Allen, of Washington, D. C.

Samuel Berman and Louise B. B. Chilton, both of Washington, D. C. (Graham.)

April 2. Paul J. Wirsing, of Norfolk, Va., and Celeste McDonald.

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### PORK WEEK CAMPAIGNS BOLSTER HOG MARKET

Increased consumption stimulated during the National Economy Pork sales campaigns during the first weeks of February, March and April had a strong stabilizing effect on the distressed hog market, K. A. Keithly, chairman of the Virginia Hog Producers Stabilization Committee, declared today in commenting on the current market situation.

Without those campaigns, he said hog producers feel that the market would have dropped at least \$1.00 per hundred lower.

"I have just returned from a trip across the State," Mr. Keithly said, "and I find that these producer-consumer campaigns are still having a good effect in Virginia. Pork is still displayed in the stores, and consumers are likely to continue using more pork on their menus."

Hog raisers of Virginia, he continued, appreciate greatly the support given these special sales campaigns by the newspapers, railroads, hotels, chambers of commerce, and other organizations. Their support, he added, helped to make consumers conscious of the economies to be enjoyed in using more pork, and increased consumption.

These pork week campaigns were

sponsored by the chain stores under their producer-consumer program for increasing consumption of surplus farm products.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Probation After Death" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all churches and societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 28.

The Golden Text will be "The Lord will perfect that which concerneth me: thy mercy, Lord, endureth for ever: forsake not the works of thine own hands" (Ps. 138:8).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Behold, I come quickly: hold that fast which thou hast, that no man take thy crown. Him that overcometh will I make a pillar in the temple of my God, and he shall go no more out: and I will write upon him the name of my God, and the name of the city of my God, which is new Jerusalem, which cometh down out of heaven from my God: and I will write upon him my new name" (Rev. 3:11,12).

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: "Truth makes a new creature, in whom old things

pass away and 'all things are become new'. Passions, selfishness, false appetites, hatred, fear, all sensuality, yield to spirituality, and the superabundance of being is on the side of God, good" (p. 201).

### GEMS OF THOUGHT SERVICE

#### Continuance

To reach a port, we must sail, sometimes with the wind and sometimes against it, but we must sail, and not drift, nor lie at anchor.—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Energy will do anything that can be done, in this world, and no talents, no circumstances, no opportunities will make a man without it.—Goethe. Goodness and benevolence never tire. They maintain themselves and others and never stop from exhaustion.—Mary Baker Eddy.

I go on with what I am about as if there were nothing else in the world for the time working men.—Kingsley.

Slow wind also brings the ship to harbor.—Swedish Proverb.

Only those who have the patience to do simple things perfectly ever acquire the skill to do difficult things easily.—Schiller.



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## CHURCH NOTICES



**TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Rev. A. S. Gibson, Pastor  
Sunday School—10:00 a.m.  
Morning Prayer and Service at 11 a.m.

**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 Minnieville on 1st, 2nd, and 4th Sundays at 10:30 a.m.  
Mass in Bristow on 3rd and 5th Sundays at 9:00 a.m.

**GRACE METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. W. O. Luttrell, Pastor  
Sunday School 10 A. M.  
Luther League 11 A. M.

**MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
R. M. Graham, Pastor  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School, L. Ledman, Sup't.

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship: "The Barren Fig Tree."  
2:15 p. m. B. T. U. Service for District Home. All members meet at Church and go from there to the Home.

6:30 p. m. Baptist Training Union.  
7:30 p. m. Evening Worship: "The Difference Between a Good Man and a Righteous Man."  
Prayer and praise service at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday evening.

**"COME THOU WITH US AND WE WILL DO THEE GOOD!"**  
**UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH**  
Daniel L. Newman, Pastor  
Buckhall:  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Worship and Holy Communion 11 a. m.

Aid Conference, May 2, 10 a. m.  
Aden:  
Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Worship 7:30 p. m.  
Manassas:  
Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor 11 a. m.  
Play practice 11:30 a. m.

**BETHEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Manassas, Va.  
Rev. A. W. Ballentine, Pastor.  
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.  
THE SERVICE at 11:00 a. m.  
Luther League at 7:15 p. m.

**MT. ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Nokesville, Va.  
Sunday School at 1:30 p. m.  
Church Worship at 2:30 p. m.

**NOKESVILLE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**  
Sunday, 28th:  
10:00 Sunday School.  
10:45 Worship Period.  
11:15 Preaching Service.  
3:00 Quartet from Bridgewater College.  
8:00 B. Y. P. D.

**VALLEY CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**  
Saturday, 27th, 7:30 p. m. Quartet from Bridgewater College.  
Sunday, 28th:  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Preaching Service.

**WOODBINE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. W. O. Estes  
Preaching services every second Sunday at 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday at 11 a. m. and every fourth Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m.  
Welcome to all.

**MANASSAS FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**  
A. H. Salter, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Worship 11:00 a. m. A subject, "A Call to Separation."  
Evangelistic Service 8:00 p. m. "When Paul saw Jesus".  
Will be the subject at the evening service.  
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**CANNON BRANCH CHURCH**  
Two special programs of larger interest and inspiration:  
Sunday morning at 1 a. m.  
The Bridgewater College Gospel Team:  
Sunday night at 7:30 p. m. SLIDES on "The Growing Church in India."

## PROGRAM OF COLORED CHURCHES

**Olive Branch Church**  
Rev. J. S. Thomas.  
Waterfall, Va.  
10:00-11:00 Sunday School  
11:00-12:00 Church Services  
Mr. Hampton Harris, superintendent of Sunday School

**Beulah Baptist Church**  
Markham, Va.  
10:00-11:00 Sunday School  
11:30-1:30 Church Services  
Rev. Nathan Johnson, pastor

**Baptist Church**  
Thoroughfare, Va.  
10:00-11:00 Sunday School  
11:00-12:30 Church Services  
Rev. J. S. Fairfax, Pastor  
Mrs. Louise Allen, superintendent of Sunday School

**Dean Diver Baptist Church**  
Wellington, Va.  
Rev. Payne, Pastor  
Mr. Charlie Sparrow, superintendent of Sunday School

**Mount Calvert Baptist Church**  
Fairfax, Va.  
10:00-11:00 Sunday School  
11:00-12:30 Church Service  
Rev. Henry S. Washington, Pastor  
Mrs. Ellen Gray, superintendent of Sunday School

**First Baptist Church**  
Manassas, Va.  
10:00-11:00 Sunday School  
11:30-1:00 Church Service  
Rev. Frank L. White, Pastor  
Mrs. Clara Conway, superintendent of Sunday School. Prayer Meeting every Thursday night

## REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL WINS MUSIC HONORS

The chorus of the Manassas Regional High School journeyed to Ettrick, Virginia, last week to participate in the Ninth Annual Music Festival at the Virginia State College. More than three thousand talented youngsters were on hand to compete for honors and the local group received many compliments upon its performance and individual members were accorded unusual distinction.

The Music Critic of the Richmond Times Dispatch, George Harris, was judge, and those who received special mention really had to merit the distinction. One of these was George Alexander, of the Manassas Regional High School, who won the rating on his saxophone of "good plus". Another especially mentioned was Warren Roy as a vocalist.

The Manassas group was especially proficient in the rendition of "spirituals", which had been more or less neglected by many participants in favor of more modern but less inspiring productions, and it is stated that this year these young people have delighted all who have been so fortunate as to hear them.

## MUSICAL PROGRAM AT CANNON BRANCH

A male quartet from Bridgewater College, will give a program at the Cannon Branch Church, Sunday, April 28, at 11:00. Everyone is invited to come out and hear this group of singers.

## EVERYTHING READY FOR GOLD CUP RACE

Schooling will be permitted over all the courses at Broadview, Warrenton, for the 19th. annual Virginia Gold Cup Race Meet, May 4th. Rebrushing the jumps for the 1940 contest has been completed and the course is in perfect condition owing to recent rains.

Every foot of the ground of the several courses at Broadview has been gone over by the large force of workmen looking to Saturday, May 4th, when the first race will be called promptly at 3:00 p. m.

Twenty one formidable barriers at Broadview have been minutely inspected by Mr. Cutting, how is out at Broadview shortly after "sun up" every morning, attending to the thousand and one details which must be done for a meet with the rank of the Virginia Gold Cup.

The four race program will be inaugurated with "Boots and Saddles", after which entries in The Fauquier Plate, will go to the post.

This race over hurdles, is, above one and a half miles, and has proven a fitting opening for the brilliant meet.

The Virginia Gold Cup, featured event, is a steeplechase, about four miles over the timber course.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all churches and societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 14.

The Golden Text will be "The Lord is king; he will save us" (Isa. 33:22). Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. All things were made by him; and without him was not anything made that made. In him was life; and the life was the light of men" (John 1:1, 3, 4).

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: "Sin, sickness, and death are comprised in human material belief, and belong not to the divine Mind. They are without a real origin or existence. They have neither Principle nor permanence, but belong, with all that is material and temporal, to the nothingness of error, which simulates the creations of Truth" (p. 286).

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## GAINESVILLE

Mr. F. A. Pearson had an operation on performed on an infected finger in Warrenton Hospital on Tuesday which seems to have been a success.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moore had as their guests on Sunday his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Moore, and brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Moore.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Claude Ellis is getting along nicely in a Washington Hospital where she went for treatment last week.

Mrs. Frank Eastham has her mother, Mrs. Putnam, visiting her for a few days.

The Young People will have their monthly program at the Church on Sunday night at 7:30, with a preaching service at 8:00 by the pastor.

The Music Festival of the Gainesville District Schools on Wednesday evening was well attended and very much enjoyed.

Howard Smith spent last weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Smith.

## WALTER ELWOOD LYNN

Relatives and friends of Mr. Walter E. Lynn were shocked to hear of his sudden death, which occurred of a heart attack, Sunday evening, April 14, 1940, at his home, 84 Pleasant Street, New Britain, Conn.

Mr. Lynn was a native of Prince William County, being the only child of the late John Currell and Tina Nixon Lynn. He was 71 years of age. His wife, Mrs. Emma Cross Lynn, survives him.

Mr. Lynn and his family went to New Britain 33 years ago, and became an employee of the Connecticut Transit Co., October 18, 1916, and had completed 22 years' service as a motorman when he retired in 1938.

The funeral services were held Wednesday, at 3 o'clock, at the funeral home of B. C. Porter Sons. Rev. Dr. Theodore A. Greene, pastor of the First Congregational Church, officiated. Interment was made in Fairview Cemetery, beside the grave of their only child, Miss Edith Lynn, who preceded him about 20 years ago. The pallbearers were his neighbors and beloved friends: Geo. Chipman, William Bryam, Charles Kuhn, Edward Hummel, Francis Deschenes and Walter Turnrose.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Lynn have many relatives and friends in this section where they visited each year, recalling many childhood day remembrances. The sincerest sympathy is extended to the bereaved widow.

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## Historic Williamsburg Church is Restored and Rededicated

Leaders of Revolutionary Period worshipped at Old Bruton Church, in Virginia, now brought back to original condition as part of community restoration project.

One of America's oldest and most historic churches, old Bruton of Williamsburg, has taken its place among other "restored" edifices of this community.

Part of the restoration project conceived by the late Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, for many years rector of Bruton Parish, who interested John D. Rockefeller in the plan, the church today stands just as it did in Colonial days. The superficial changes that had been made for the sake of convenience, in the last century or so, are all gone. The old brick building in the corner of the churchyard looks today much as it did at the time of the Revolutionary War, when it was already 60 years old. The brick wall erected in 1754 still surrounds the yard. The ivy that has grown for many generations covers the tower where Virginia's Liberty Bell hangs. George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, James Monroe and Patrick Henry, who worshipped in Bruton Church in their day, would note slight change if they were to return today.

The old church, which has been rededicated, whose present rector is the Rev. Francis H. Craighill, Jr., is the third house of worship in Bruton Parish. The first parish in the vicinity of Williamsburg was Middle Plantation, formed in 1632, just 25 years after the earliest Virginia settlement. Later this was combined with a neighboring parish to form that of Middletown, and a new church was erected in 1660. Another union in 1674 brought about Bruton Parish, and the Middletown church became the first to bear the name of Bruton.

In the center of the churchyard to-

day are stone foundations that belonged to the second Bruton church, erected in 1683. It was in that building the governor and the burgesses first worshipped when the seat of Government was transferred from Jamestown to Williamsburg in 1699.

Many treasures from early days remind Bruton church of its brilliant history. There is the pre-Revolutionary Prayer Book dated 1752, in which the Prayer for the President of the United States is pasted over that for King George. The baptismal font and a communion service, the later dated 1661, were brought from Jamestown when it was abandoned.

The parish register of baptisms and deaths dates back to 1662. The bell in the tower, given to the parish in 1761, rang to proclaim the victory of Yorktown, the Declaration of Independence, and the repeal of the Stamp Act. In later years have come the bronze lectern, a gift of Theodore Roosevelt, and a Bible sent by King Edward VII, both of which were in commemoration, in 1907, of the 300th anniversary of the founding of Jamestown.

The Rt. Rev. Henry St. George Tucker, Presiding Bishop and titular head of the Episcopal Church in the United States, officiated at the dedication ceremonies, together with the Rt. Rev. William A. Brown, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Southern Virginia, in which Williamsburg is located. Bishop Tucker's great great grandfather, known as "The American Blackstone" for his literary and legal works, about 1788, built the "St. George Tucker House," which is also a part of the Williamsburg restoration.