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## VIRGINIA YOUTH IS CHALLENGED

### GOVERNOR AND PRESIDENT APPEAL TO 4-H CLUBS

February 6-14th has been the National 4-H Club Mobilization Week. It has been a week that much attention was focused on planning activities, programs and goals in the 4-H Club work. In support of this President Roosevelt and Governor Darden have written letters to all rural boys and girls in Virginia urging them to participate. The state goal in enrollment is approximately 75,000 which is double the enrollment now. The mobilization drive will last throughout the month of February.

### The Governor's Letter

Commonwealth of Virginia, The Governor's Office, Richmond, Va.  
January 22, 1943.  
To the 4-H Club Members of Virginia:  
The week of February 6 to 14 has been designated as National Mobilization Week. In this undertaking no group is more important than the 4-H Club Members, because the production of food has now become one of the most important tasks of this war. This is due to the fact that we are called upon, not only to feed our own fighting forces and people at home, but also to send material aid to our Allies abroad.

I am glad that the week has been set aside, and I hope that you will leave no stone unturned to do everything within your power to properly organize for this vital year. The war has now reached into every home in America, and you have the opportunity of playing a great part in bringing about ultimate victory. I am sure that you will play that part well.

### (Signed) Colgate W. Darden, Jr.

### The President's Letter

The White House, Washington, D.C.  
December 29, 1942.

To all 4-H Club Members in the U. S.

The turn of the year is symbolic of youth and renewed confidence. Never before has a New Year presented to all youth a greater challenge to do their part in a democratic world. The whole Nation recognizes your self-reliance, your steadfast determination to attain your goals, and your patriotic devotion as individuals and as a group.

At this time it is particularly gratifying to learn of your extensive mobilization plans for 1943 to help the farmers of America to bring about still greater food production. May the observance of National 4-H Mobilization Week, February 6 to 14, reach into every rural home. We have faith in your ability to render a great service in this way. We know that you, like your brothers and sisters in the service, have the spirit and perseverance that will bring victory in the fight for human freedom and a world at peace.

(Signed) Franklin D. Roosevelt

### HOME DEMONSTRATION SCHEDULE

On Monday and Tuesday, the Home Demonstration agent will assist the food rationing board by acting as an "explainer" to persons making application at the Dumfries School.

Wednesday, 4-H Club, Bethel, 3 p.m.

Thursday and Friday, the Demonstration agent will attend the district extension conference at Luray, the place of the meeting being the Mimslyn Hotel.

### GETS HIGH SCHOLASTIC RATING

Althea Hooff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allison A. Hooff, Manassas, Va., was named on the Dean's list at Wheaton College this morning. The list included the names of those students who have attained an average of 85 or above for the two preceding semesters.

Miss Hooff, editor-in-chief of the Wheaton College News, a weekly publication, in commenting on her honor, said, "It's better than anybody had a right to expect."

### DEFENSE CLASS WELL ATTENDED

The Civilian Defense Training Class, which met Monday night at the Manassas High School and was continued Tuesday and Wednesday evenings in the Town Hall was very well attended.

As Captain Lykes has been called to the army, his lecture was included in the assignment to Mr. W. H. Lamb, who as instructor served all three evenings, covering the subjects of bombs, gases and fire fighting.

### RED CROSS ISSUES APPEAL FOR WAR FUND

Plans were consummated for the War Fund Drive in March at the meeting of Prince William County Chapter, American Red Cross, Friday, February 12th, at which time enthusiastic and courageous workers pledged their best efforts towards the collection of \$3,500, the quota for this County asked by National Headquarters.

Reports of standing committees gave ample assurance that Red Cross Week is well done throughout this area.

To the Hospital at Fort Belvoir from September to January has been shipped 12 fracture pillows, 50 cushion covers, 104 hot water bottle covers 12 pairs of knit stump socks from this Chapter.

The Blood Donor Clinic for March will be on Saturday, the 13th, in Manassas.

To aid the War Fund Workers, subscribers to the Red Cross are reminded that since no Roll Call was held in 1942, and will not be in 1943, those two dollars, plus a doubling of their contribution to the War Fund just after Pearl Harbor will enable Prince William to meet the \$3,500 quota. Every citizen of this county is requested to be ready when the solicitor calls and to give generously to the only agency which cares for our men and women engaged in war activities in field or prison, over the face of the earth.

### CAN ANY OF OUR READERS OFFER A BETTER EXPLANATION

Richmond, Va.—Feb. 12, 1943.

Dear Mr. Lamb,

The enclosed editorial appeared in this evening's edition of the Richmond News-Leader. In view of your interest in things Virginian, I thought you might be able to offer Dr. Freeman a more plausible answer to his question. It is a shame that so much of our history has been lost along the way.

Sincerely,

Evelyn Cocke Merchant.

### What Does Catharpin Mean?

On old maps of Spotsylvania, Prince William and nearby Counties appears the name Catharpin. There is a Catharpin Road, a Catharpin Creek and, in Prince William, near Bull Run, a Catharpin Postoffice. What does the word mean? The News-Leader asked General JAMES A. ANDERSON, who, besides being one of the finest of Virginians and ablest of executives, is deeply interested in our history. The General has been searching for some indication of the origin of the name, which does not sound Indian or English. Yesterday a visitor from Spotsylvania told General ANDERSON that an old Negro of Spotsylvania had given this explanation: At one time, cats in vast numbers infested part of the county, and so often disported on a particular road that it became known as the Cat-hopping Road. Does that sound reasonable? Is there any other theory? Many of the place names of Virginia have their origin in local traditions. When engineers subsequently come along and tried to put the names into English, some oddities appeared. If Virginia is fortunate enough to have another Dr. B. W. GREEN to study our Virginia words, he might write a charming chapter on place names. Meantime, did you ever hear any explanation of Catharpin other than Cat-hopping?

### MRS CURTIS VAN DORNES

A very sad death occurred on Monday of last week (February 8th) when Mrs. Addis Emza, wife of Curtis L. Van Dornes, aged thirty-one, died at her home on the Centreville Road.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crouch and was a life-long resident of the community, having spent most of her life in the Buckhall neighborhood. She was married on June 10, 1933, and is survived by two young daughters, the older being nine years old.

Others who survive her are three sisters, Miss Edith Crouch, Manassas, Mrs. Frances Van Dornes, Washington, Mrs. Mabel Bradford, Vienna, and two brothers, Carter Crouch, of Manassas, and Franklin Crouch, of Baltimore, Md.

The deceased was member of the Church of God, an earnest christian. The many good deeds she did for those with whom she came in contact will stamp indelibly in the memory of those who knew her. She was a patient and loving mother for almost a year and a half before her death.

The funeral was held from Baker's Chapel on Wednesday last, with Rev. Pittman officiating. The burial was in Messrs. Joseph's cemetery.

### FINAL INSTRUCTIONS ON REGISTRATION NEXT WEEK FOR RATION BOOK NO. 2

1. Dates and time—Monday and Tuesday, February 22 and 23, from 10 o'clock A.M. to 9 o'clock P.M.  
2. Places—

- (1) Haymarket New School
- (2) Nokesville High School
- (3) Manassas High School
- (4) Woodbine School
- (5) Dumfries Graded School
- (6) Quantico Masonic Hall (For Civilians)
- (7) Quantico Marine Base—exact place to be designated later (for Military Personnel)
- (8) Occoquan High School

### 3. Information for persons registering—

- (1) All registering will take place on the above dates
- (2) All persons are urged to register in the daytime who can conveniently do so without interfering with work. This will leave

night registration for those who can't register during day.

- (3) One adult member (18 years or over) is requested to register for each family or household.
- (4) Persons registering must be prepared to give (a) amount of coffee on hand November 28, 1942; (b) amount of canned goods on hand February 21, 1943; (c) It is desirable that a declaration form be filled out before you come to register. These forms may be found in any news paper. (c) they must bring with them War Ration Book Number 1 for each person in family or household.

- (5) Persons failing to register at school site will be unable to secure Ration Book 2 until March 15. Beginning March 15 War Ration Book 2 may be secured at Ration Board Office.

Form Approved. Budget Bureau No. 65-1126-42  
OPA Form No. R-1304  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION

### CONSUMER DECLARATION Processed Foods and Coffee

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am authorized to apply for and receive a War Ration Book Two for each person listed below who is a member of my family unit, or the other person or persons for whom I am acting whose War Ration Book One I have submitted to the Board;  
That the name of each person and number of his or her War Ration Book One are accurately listed below;  
That none of these persons is confined or resident in an institution, or is a member of the Armed Forces receiving subsistence in kind or eating in separate messes under an officer's command;  
That no other application for War Ration Book Two for these persons has been made;  
That the following inventory statements are true and include all indicated foods owned by all persons included in this Declaration:

- Coffee**  
1. Pounds of coffee owned on November 28, 1942, minus 1 pound for each person included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.  
2. Number of persons included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.

- Canned Foods**  
Include all commercially canned fruits (including spiced); canned vegetables; canned fruit and vegetable juices; canned soups, chili sauce, and catsup.  
Do not include canned olives; canned meat and fish; pickles, relish; jellies, jams, and preserves; spaghetti, macaroni, and noodles; or home-canned foods.  
3. Number of cans, bottles, and jars (8-ounce size or larger) of commercially packed fruits, vegetables, juices and soups, chili sauce and catsup owned on February 21, 1943, minus 5 for each person included in this Declaration.  
4. Number of persons included in this Declaration.

The name of each person included in this Declaration and the number of his or her War Ration Book One is:

Print Name	Number
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
6. _____	_____
7. _____	_____
8. _____	_____

If additional space is needed, attach separate sheet

NOTICE—Section 32 (a) of the United States Criminal Code makes it a criminal offense, punishable by a maximum of 10 years' imprisonment, \$10,000 fine, or both, to make a false statement or representation as to any matter within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States.  
(Signature of applicant or authorized agent)  
(Address)  
(City and State)

dith Speakes, Dave Colbert, Charlie Cornwell, Russell Stancil and William Reid. Interment was at Buckhall.

### VICTORY BOOK CAMPAIGN

Don't forget to take your books to the High School. Over a million are needed for men in the services. Please look over your books and select fairly new, interesting books in good physical condition. Our contributions will cause no hardship to us and will give pleasure and profit to many men who are making great sacrifices for us.

### NOTICE

On Monday, February 22, Washington's Birthday, a National holiday, the windows at the post office will be open from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. The money order and registry windows will not be open.

### GREENWICH SCHOOL PRESENTED AWARD OF MERIT

On Monday afternoon, February 1st the Greenwich school was presented with an award of merit for having collected the most scrap per pupil of any school in the State. Mr. Paul Manns, assistant secretary to the War Production Board of Virginia, presented the award. It was accepted by Herbert Wood, president of the S.C.A. Superintendent R. C. Haydon and Mr. O. C. Holler, local chairman of salvage campaign, were present and gave interesting talks. The assembly joined in the singing of "Star Spangled Banner."

### BETHLEHEM CLUB OBSERVES THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY

The regular meeting of the Bethlehem Good Housekeepers' Club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. L. Byrd on East Center Street, with Mrs. R. A. Hutchison assistant hostess.

The President, Mrs. J. D. Martin presided. Reports were heard from officers and committees. Following the Treasurers report a motion was unanimously carried to contribute \$20.00 to the Red Cross War Fund.

Mrs. Len Weston and Mrs. Elizabeth Wine were cordially received as new members.

This being the thirtieth anniversary of the clubs organization, an interesting review was given by Mrs. Hutchison. The first meeting was held at "Clover Hill Farm" and the name "Bethlehem" was chosen for the Primitive Baptist Church then located on the edge of the Johnson farm on the Bradley Road.

The most unique activity in the early history was the "Kitchen Band" Mrs. Lynn Robertson was the leader and Mrs. Stuart Gibson read the narrative—Other members were: Mrs. George C. Round, Mrs. Ashby Lewis, (now Mrs. J. F. Burks), Mrs. Thomas Broadus, Mrs. Walter Covington, Mrs. Charlie Lewis, Mrs. E. R. Conner Mrs. Annie Spies and others. Eight performances were given and the neat sum of \$355.00 was realized. Among the beneficiaries were the Sudley Church, the Manassas Rest Room and the Town Baseball team.

Perhaps the most important recent accomplishment was the sponsoring of the Prince William History Publication in 1941. Mrs. Round, a charter member, also gave many interesting facts concerning the early history and pre-organization data.

Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson was the winner in a jumbled word contest and was rewarded by a gift from the program chairman, Mrs. D. J. Martin.

The hostess served refreshments—bringing to a close a pleasant meeting.

### MANASSAS P.T.A. OBSERVES FOUNDERS DAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Manassas P.T.A. was held at the Bennett School this afternoon.

The program honored past Presidents with a Candle Lighting Ceremony, led by Mrs. Vincent Davis.

Group singing under the direction of Miss Jessie Mae Conner and a soprano solo by Mrs. Joseph Mills Hanson, accompanied by Mrs. Dennis Baker furnished splendid music for the occasion, honoring not only the founders of Manassas P.T.A. but also Alice McLellan Birney who founded the first P.T.A., known as the National Congress of Mothers in 1897, an organization, that has as its objective "Strengthening the Family, bringing to the art of parenthood all the resources that science and education have made available"; for it is by these means that we can best serve childhood.

Manassas P.T.A. under the able leadership of Mrs. A. O. Bean is doing all in its power in these war days to give the child and the school its cooperation in every worth while effort.

Many past presidents were present and took part in the program.

### NOTICE TO FARMERS

In order to conserve paper, labor and postal facilities, this year I will not send out to farmers of Virginia, as I have heretofore, a list of available farmers' bulletins.

However, I will be delighted to send this list to anyone interested who will write me requesting it, and I will then furnish the bulletins.

Harry F. Byrd, United States Senate, Washington, D. C.

### WON THE DOLL

Mrs. Roy Wilson won the beautiful doll offered by Hynson's Department Store.

## AIR RAID TEST PROVES ITS MERIT

### VALUE IN ACTUAL ATTACK DEMONSTRATED WEDNESDAY

The State of Virginia was given an opportunity to test the new air-raid signals on Wednesday of this week when a test alarm was sounded. There had been previous warning that the test would be made but no opportunity was afforded for local publication. However, word had pretty well gotten around among Defense Workers, so that the test did give a substantial opportunity for practice.

As explained elsewhere the new signals are reduced to a number so that only two alarms are sounded by the sirens, (1) the long blast which gives notice to be on the alert. This is the so called blue signal. After the sounding of the long two-minute blast everyone may proceed as before, excepting that at night automobile lights must be on the dim or depressed beam. During this period everyone should be planning what to do if the next blast sounds which is a intermittent or warbling sound. This is the Red signal. Now everyone must get to cover. Automobiles must pull over and black out. The Civilian Defense workers go to their stations on the previous long blast and are ready to enforce compliance.

The next sounded alarm is not an all clear as previously but a return to the Blue (long blast) signal. We are now back on the alert, ready for a return of the danger if it should occur but permitted to go on our way on foot or to drive with depressed lights.

No all-clear is sounded. You have to get this either from the radio or from observation that street lights are again on, or from the Civilian Defense Workers. At present it is safer to get some Virginia radio station tuned in at the beginning of the alert, because if the alarm is only in Virginia, Washington and other outside stations will not be giving the signal. If the alarm covers several states and the District of Columbia, then the Washington radio stations would give the all-clear.

Under the foregoing revised plan the test last Wednesday morning found Prince William as ready as could be expected under the circumstances and the proper interpretation by the public was said to be quite gratifying.

For the benefit of the Defense Officials a preliminary yellow signal as under the old plan did come through (at 10:37 A.M.). Only a few key officials were notified, however. Then the Blue alert signal came in at 10:54 and the long blast was instantly sounded. This alert period was very short in this test—only 7 minutes. In actual alarms the period might last several hours under especially dangerous conditions. Then the Civilian Defense Headquarters in Manassas received the Red signal at 11:01. All traffic then was stopped and the streets cleared. Again the period was short—only six minutes. We went back to the Blue (the alert signal which has the long blast) at 11:07. The all-clear was sounded on Virginia radio stations, or supposed to have been at 11:14.

An illustrated chart explaining the new air raid signals will be published next week.

### RICHMOND MAN ADVANCED BECOME RAILWAY EXECUTIVE

Edward M. Thomas, Comptroller of the Chesapeake & Ohio, Nickel Plate and Pere Marquette railroads, was elected Vice-President of the three lines at the meetings of the respective boards of directors held in Cleveland on February 16th.

Mr. Thomas was a member of the Executive Committee and Committee on General Accounts of Railway Accounting Officers Association, from 1920 to 1934. He served as president of that Association in 1924 and 1925. He has been member of the General Committee of the Association of American Railroads since 1934 when that organization took over the Railway Accounting Officers Association. Along with his familiarity with the accounts of the C. & O. Lines railroads, Mr. Thomas is a recognized authority on railway accounting methods, as well as an authority on the corporate history of the Chesapeake and Ohio.

### BAD WRECK

A local car figured in a wreck with two government owned trucks on Tuesday night. It is claimed that the truck being hauled had no lights and swung out as the point of the curve south of the livestock market was reached.

The two young men were both given first aid by the local fire department and later taken to Dr. McBratney's. The car was a total wreck.



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Classified notices 2c a word cash with a 25c minimum, 3c a word of booked with a 50c minimum.

All memorial notices cards of thanks, and resolutions will be charged as classified adv. except that cards of thanks have a minimum of 50c. Poetry will be charged by the line. Special rates for ads. that run by the quarter.

THURSDAY, FEB. 18, 1943

CHRIST FOR ALL—ALL FOR CHRIST  
**The Word of God**

BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER

"Parents will have their children memorize the Bible. It will prove a blessing to them as they grow." "They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint."—Isa. 40:31

## BLOOD NEEDED

Reports from our fighting fronts leave no doubt as to the value of blood plasma in saving the lives of wounded soldiers and sailors.

Major General James C. Magee, General of the army, gives plasma credit for saving hundreds of lives. Returning recently from a flying trip to North Africa, he told of one case in which four hundred men were badly burned aboard ship during one of the North African landings. All except six were saved. "Blood plasma," says General Magee, "gets the credit to a very large degree."

Major Simon Warmenhover, now in New Guinea, lists plasma and sulfa drugs as the most important factors revolutionizing wartime surgery.

"Our medical men of 1917 and 1918 simply couldn't believe what we are doing in this remote jungle," he says. "Blood plasma gets A-1 priority right up to the battle lines. We need it, all we can get, right now."

Further evidence of the value of emergency plasma transfusions is the recent Army-Navy request that the Red Cross provide four million pints of blood this year in addition to the 1,300,000 pints already procured.

The procuring of such a vast amount of blood is a tremendous responsibility, requiring the wholehearted support of the public. Greatly increased amounts are needed NOW, and those who are willing to donate a pint for the Army and Navy may do so with the full assurance that their contribution, so easily given, may be the direct means of saving the life of a fighting man.

## THE NEW AIR RAID SIGNALS

A great deal will be published in the next few days about the new air-raid signals which have been put into effect on the whole Atlantic Seaboard by the military authorities, evidently an anticipation of a visitation from the enemy in the near future. But two kind of signals, the first a long blast to warn that



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## NATIONAL BANK OF MANASSAS

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the real danger signal may follow shortly. After the danger signal has sounded a wavering blast gives the real alarm, when the planes are actually here. Then instead of an all-clear we go back to the alert condition on the sound of another long blast. Then no further signals are given by local sirens. You have to get the all clear in some other way, as from a radio station, which must be one in your state if the alarm was limited to the State, or some larger station if the alarm covered a wide area.

Details are described in detail elsewhere in this newspaper and we urge our readers to give the matter careful study. Germany is definitely known to be now building long-range bombers, and certainly these are not for short distance work. We may definitely expect raids across the Atlantic, sooner or later, and must be prepared.

## HAS THE BATTLE OF MANASSAS BEEN RE-ENACTED IN AFRICA?

From press and radio reports we glean the fact that the fleeing army of Field Marshall Erwin Rommel, in northern Africa, turned on the American forces, and administered a severe defeat upon combat troops of the United States.

Has history repeated itself? As at the first battle of Manassas in the war between the states, it would seem that a Yankee army, supplied with everything but military leaders with combat experience, has been defeated by experienced leadership.

It is true that this encounter is but a preliminary engagement, but it is also an undeniable fact that an army defeated by the British, and in retreat, has administered a punishing blow to the Americans.

It is probable that the setback will prove to us a blessing in disguise, because as in the case of the defeat of the Northern Army at First Manassas, it will have a sobering effect upon those who believed that they would have an easy victory.

Millions of misguided Americans who are making the subject of post-war peace their major consideration ought to get a jolt from the fact that in our first substantial contact with the trained fighters of Europe, we had to fall back. They should begin to realize that our first consideration is to win and that we will only be able to "dictate" the terms of peace in proportion to the extent to which our armed forces push the enemy from the battlefield.

## MANASSAS HATCHERY

Our first hatch for the season is coming off on Tuesday, February 22. Thereafter, every Tuesday regularly. Breeds include Barred and White Rocks, New Hampshire Reds, White Leghorns; all from blood tested flocks. Due to high prices of eggs etc, we are compelled to ask 12 cents for day old chicks.

We appreciate your business and invite your inspection.

J. L. COLLEN, Manager.

## BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

The many friends of Rev. W. O. Luttrell will be glad to learn that he is now with his brother in Arlington, and should be back at the parsonage in a few days if he continues to improve.

Mrs. John Beard spent Sunday with her husband at Fort Belvoir.

Dick Haydon, Jr. has returned to Washington and Lee University after having spent the past week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Haydon on North Grant Avenue.

Dick has just been initiated in Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity and has completed a most successful semester's work at Washington and Lee.

The Book Club will meet Thursday, February 25, at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Rosewell Round. It is hoped that all members and interested non-members will attend.

Misses Rose Shelton and Catherine Bryant, of Washington were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett O'Neil.

Mr. John W. Smith, of Washington, D. C., uncle of Mr. J. W. Smith, of this town will be buried in Fairview Cemetery, Culpeper, tomorrow. He is a brother of Mrs. James P. Smith, of Culpeper who is well known in Manassas.

Mr. James W. Kemper, yeoman in the U. S. Navy, stationed at Jacksonville, Florida, left Sunday after spending a ten day furlough at his home here.

Mrs. R. S. Hynson has recovered an indisposition of several weeks and is getting about again.

James M. Russell, Jr., son of J. M. Russell who is now stationed at Parris Island, South Carolina, reports that the Marine Corps is just the place for training a first class fighting man.

The W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of Miss Maggie Smith, February 24, at 2:30 p.m.

## O. D. WATERS WILL HEAD RED CROSS ROLL CALL

The annual Red Cross Roll Call and War Fund Drive will begin in Prince William County under the direction of Chairman O. D. Waters on March 1st.

As the local Chapter call upon you once again for gifts to the Red Cross, it seems a good time to tell you what has been done with your previous gifts. Over 1000 trained Red Cross workers have been sent over seas and more are in training. Civilian war relief operations have been carried on in eight major war areas. There is not space to tell you all about all of these in this issue. However, the total amount expended up to November 30, 1942 has been \$66,071,877. The aid given to Britain will give you an idea of the magnitude of the operations.

The first American Red Cross shipments to Great Britain were hospital equipment, medical and surgical supplies, blankets and clothing, to help meet the needs of civilians who have been bombed from their homes in the Battle of Britain. American Red Cross representatives in London co-operating with the British Red Cross and the Woman's Voluntary Services, supervised the distribution of these relief supplies. Aid given at that time and since by and through the American Red Cross has totaled \$34,461,000. More than 18,000,000 articles of clothing valued at over \$25,000,000 have been consigned to the Woman's Voluntary Services, which report that it has provided from this supply and other sources, shelter and clothing to 4,700,000 civilians, including 21,000 alien war refugees. There are 11 regional stores and over 2,500 local centers. It is plan-



Fancy Top  
**ROUND STEAK**  
LB. 45c

Armour's  
**STAR HAMS**  
LB. 43c  
HALF OR WHOLE

Royal Clover  
**TOMATO JUICE**  
46-OZ. CAN 25c  
WITH FREE BOWL  
**Fairfax Hall VEGETABLE SOUP**  
22-OZ. CAN 14c

MANASSAS, VA.  
**Tender BEEF LIVER**  
LB. 31c

Fresh Packed  
**SALT HERRING**  
DOZ. 35c

Royal Clover  
**GREEN LIMAS**  
CAN 25c

White  
**KARO SYRUP**  
24-OZ. JAR 22c

Fancy  
**CHUCK ROAST**  
LB. 35c  
Fresh Packed

**SALT MACKEREL**  
3 for 25c

Pleezing  
**WHEAT FLAKES**  
2 for 25c

Pleezing  
**SELECTED SHRIMP**  
CAN 25c

## This Store now operating on Strictly Cash Basis



ned that American Red Cross clothing and other necessities which are not immediately needed will be stored for emergency use in England or across the channel when relief work is possible in the occupied countries. Thousands of British children were orphaned, maimed or made homeless by air attacks. The American Junior Red Cross contributed \$91,000 toward the furnishing and upkeep of special British war nurseries from the National Childrens Fund, besides the clothing, Christmas boxes and toys provided by Junior Red Cross members.

Relief to China through the Red Cross has totaled \$4,047,678, consisting of medical supplies and equipment, food and clothing. The invasion of Burma by the Japanese made it impossible to get substantial supplies into the country recently, but large quantities of hospital and medicine China awaiting shipment as it supplies are now in location not becomes possible, although now limited to air transportation.

Next week we hope to be able to tell you what is being done in other war areas, not only in the way of civilian relief but also services to the armed forces. It is a big story and it continues to enlarge. Prepare now to have a real share in it.

## GAINESVILLE

Mrs. Thomas Part and son, of Warrenton spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Piercy, Sr. Miss Rita Robertson who has been on the sick list is now much improved. Misses Evelyn and Virginia Smith were Wednesday callers of Mrs. Ernest McCuin.

Little Miss Dora Lou Pearson is at this writing on the sick list. Mr. W. S. McCarty, of Delaplace is visiting Mrs. Holmes Robertson at Lava Vale now.

Mrs. Palmer Smith, Sr., and Pvt. Palmer Smith, Jr. were Sunday callers at the L. J. McIntosh home.

Pvt. Macon Piercy, of Front Royal spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Piercy, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Royce Carter and

daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Boone all of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Carter and family of Arlington, Miss Mildred Smith, of Atlanta, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. William Partlow and son of Leesburg, Mrs. David Harrover and family of Manassas, Cpl Theodore Smith, of Aberdeen, Md. and Mr. Charlie Smith, of the Village were all Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Smith.

Miss Mildred Clark who has been on the sick list for the past week is

now improving. Mrs. A. M. Smith and Jean spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Dora Athey, of Alexandria. Cpl. Louis Buracker, of Elgin Field, week-end caller of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Clarke.

Cpl. Louis Buracker, of Elgin Field Florida was a last week guest of Miss Audrey McCuin.

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# LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA:  
IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF  
THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PRINCE  
WILLIAM COUNTY, JANUARY 27,  
1943, at 1:30 P.M.  
John Edward Tankuns  
Vs.  
Anita Josephine Tankuns

Order of Publication  
The object of the above-styled  
suit is to obtain on behalf of com-  
plainant from defendant a divorce a  
mensa et thoro, reserving the right  
to enlarge the same to a divorce  
from the bonds of matrimony upon  
the expiration of the statutory period  
for general relief.

Appearing by affidavit filed ac-  
cording to law that Anita Josephine  
Tankuns, the defendant in the above-  
entitled suit, is not a resident of this  
county, it is therefore ordered that the  
said Anita Josephine Tankuns appear  
within ten days after due publication  
of this order in the Clerk's office of  
the Circuit Court of Prince William  
County, Virginia, and do what is  
necessary to protect her interest.

It is further ordered that this order  
be published once a week for four  
successive weeks in the Manassas  
Journal, a newspaper printed and cir-  
culated in the said County of Prince  
William. And it is further ordered  
that a copy of this order be posted at  
the front door of the Court House of  
Prince William County on or be-  
fore the next succeeding rule day,  
and that another copy of this order  
be mailed to the said non-resident  
defendant, to the postoffice address  
given in the affidavit.

LEAMON LEDMAN, Clerk.  
TESTE:  
LEAMON LEDMAN, Clerk.  
STANLEY A. OWENS,  
Attorney for Complainant.

VIRGINIA:  
IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE  
CIRCUIT COURT OF PRINCE  
WILLIAM COUNTY, JANUARY 29, 1943.  
John C. Alexander  
Vs.  
Dorothy R. Alexander  
In Chancery

The object of the above styled suit  
is to obtain for the complainant a  
divorce a vinculo matrimonii from  
the defendant upon the ground of  
desertion, and for general relief.  
And, it appearing by affidavit filed  
according to law that Ernest Fiocco,  
the above named defendant, is not a  
resident of this state, it is therefore  
ordered that the said Ernest Fiocco  
appear within ten days after due  
publication of this order, in the  
Clerk's Office of our said Circuit  
Court, and do what is necessary to  
protect his interests. 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 the County of  
Prince William, Virginia. And it is  
further ordered that a copy of this  
order be posted at the front door of  
the Court House of said County on or  
before the next succeeding rule day,  
and that another copy of this order  
be mailed to the said defendant to the  
post office address given in the af-  
fidavit.

LEAMON LEDMAN, Clerk.  
A TRUE COPY:  
LEAMON LEDMAN, Clerk.  
R. B. WASHINGTON, p.q.

VIRGINIA:  
IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE  
COUNTY OF PRINCE WILLIAM,  
in recess, the 29th day of January,  
1943.

John Thomas Norman  
Vs.  
Sadie Maude Norman  
IN CHANCERY

The object of the above styled suit  
is to obtain a divorce a mensa et  
thoro from the defendant on the  
grounds of wilful desertion and aban-  
donment of the plaintiff by the de-  
fendant and for the care and custody of  
the infant children of said marriage.

And it appearing by affidavit filed  
according to law that Sadie Maude  
Norman the above named defendant,  
is not a resident of this State, it is  
therefore ordered that the said Sadie  
Maude Norman do appear within ten  
days after due publication of this  
order, in the Clerk's Office of our  
said Circuit Court, and do what is  
necessary to protect her interests.  
And it is further ordered that this  
order be published one a week for  
four consecutive weeks in the Man-  
assas Journal, a newspaper published  
in the County of Prince William,  
Virginia, no newspaper being pre-  
scribed by our said Circuit Court.  
And it is further ordered that a copy  
of this order be posted at the front  
door of the Court House of the Circuit  
Court of Prince William County, Vir-  
ginia, on or before the next succeed-  
ing rule day, and that another copy  
of this order be mailed to the de-  
fendant to the post office address  
given in said affidavit.

LEAMON LEDMAN,  
Clerk, Circuit Court, Prince  
William County, Virginia.  
Teste:  
LEAMON LEDMAN, Clerk.

VIRGINIA:  
IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF  
THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PRINCE  
WILLIAM COUNTY, VIRGINIA,  
FEBRUARY 16, 1943.

John C. Alexander,  
Complainant,  
Vs.  
Dorothy R. Alexander,  
Defendant.

The general object of this suit is  
to obtain for the complainant from  
the defendant a divorce a vinculo ma-  
trimonii on the grounds of wilful  
desertion and abandonment for over two  
years, the custody of their children,  
and for general relief.

And an application and affidavit  
having been duly made and filed as  
provided by statute that the de-  
fendant is not a resident of the State  
of Virginia, it is therefore ordered that  
the defendant, Dorothy R. Alexander,  
do appear within ten days after due  
publication of this order and do what  
is necessary to protect her interests,  
and that a copy of this order be pub-  
lished for four successive weeks in the  
Manassas Journal, a newspaper pub-  
lished and circulating in Prince Wil-  
liam County, that a like copy hereof  
be mailed, by registered letter, to the  
defendant at her last known address  
as set out in said application, and that  
a like copy hereof be posted at the  
front door of the Court House of  
said County on or before the next  
succeeding rule day.

LEAMON LEDMAN, Clerk.  
A TRUE COPY:  
LEAMON LEDMAN, Clerk.

# SAFeway

## Homemakers' Guide



### Ways to make your meat go further

Making that quota of meat stretch to  
take care of all those meals is a new  
experience for most homemakers. But  
there are so many ways to make that  
portion of meat go a little further with-  
out loss of taste appeal or sacrifice of  
nourishment, that it isn't really such a  
problem after all.

**Supplementing Meats** with other  
protein foods is one of the easiest ways  
of adhering to the quota. Try serving a  
half a portion of meat, and adding some  
other protein food such as cheese, eggs,  
beans, whole grain cereals, pastas or  
nuts. Nutritionally speaking, you've  
sacrificed nothing. As for satisfyingly  
good meals, your family will welcome  
the change.

**MEAT SHORTAGE**—Combine  
small pieces of precooked meat, any  
kind is right, in gravy made from dripp-  
ings or in a cream sauce that has been  
spiced with a dash of meat sauce. Serve  
it over piping hot biscuits made from  
enriched flour. Try it over mashed or  
baked potatoes or steamed rice, too.  
It's a way to stretch a little bit of meat  
a long, long way. And to make the  
meat go still further, add grated or  
cubed cheese or chopped, hard-cooked  
eggs to the sauce. It's got lip-smacking  
goodness.

**PASTES TO THE RESCUE**—Com-  
bine meats with noodles, spaghetti,  
macaroni, or one of the other pastes in  
casserole dishes to make a little go a  
long way. Any kind of meat including  
vitamin-rich liver, heart and kidney can  
be used.

**CHILI**—No doubt about it, chili is a  
hearty dish. If you've been used to  
making it using only beef as the meat,  
then change your style and use any of  
the other meats or fowl that are avail-  
able. Not much is needed because the  
beans contribute a share of the protein.

**RICE CASSEROLES**—A little meat  
goes twice as far when fixed in rice  
dishes. Cheese, rice and meat are a  
happy combination, and there's rib-  
sticking qualities there, too.

**NEW ISSUE OF THE  
FAMILY CIRCLE EVERY TUESDAY**  
For hints on new combinations and  
ideas to use in making salads when the  
old standbys are scarce, read Julia Lee  
Wright's article, "When Salad Makings  
are Scarce" in this week's Family Circle  
Magazine.

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### Miscellaneous Needs

<b>Velveeta Cheese</b> Kraft's	2-lb. loaf	72c
<b>Snappy Cheese</b> Shefford's	8-oz. pkg.	12c
<b>Eggs</b> Breakfast Gem U. S. Gov't. Grade A	doz.	49c
<b>Eggs</b> Morning Star U. S. Gov't. Grade B	doz.	47c
<b>Navy Beans</b> Dried	2-lb. pkg.	25c
<b>Large Lima Beans</b> Dried	1-lb. pkg.	13c
<b>Baby Lima Beans</b> Dried	1-lb. pkg.	11c
<b>Chili Beans</b> Dried	1-lb. pkg.	10c
<b>White Rice</b> Blue Rose	2-lb. pkg.	19c
<b>White Rice</b> Fancy Long Grain	1-lb. pkg.	14c



### Nutrition In a Nut Shell

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<b>Quaker Oats</b> Quick or Regular	20-oz. pkg.	10c
<b>Morning Glory Oats</b>	20-oz. pkg.	9c
<b>Cream of Wheat</b>	28-oz. pkg.	24c
<b>Syrup</b> Steepy Hollow	12-oz. bot.	15c
<b>Syrup</b> Vermont Maid	12-oz. bot.	17c
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<b>Old Dutch</b> Cleanser	can	7c

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<b>Fresh Kale</b>	2 lbs	19c
<b>Fresh Collards</b>	2 lbs	17c
<b>Stayman Apples</b>	4 lbs	29c
<b>Florida Grapefruit</b>	lb	4c
<b>Florida Oranges</b>	5 lbs	25c
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### DUMFRIES

Mr. and Mrs. Olney Brawner, of  
Washington, and two daughters, Di-  
anne and Faye spent the week-end  
with Mrs. Brawner's parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. L. Barlow, at Triangle, Va.

Elgin Brawner and Melvin Barlow  
have been among the many from  
Prince William County to report at  
Charlottesville, Va. Friday Feb. 19,  
1943 for induction.

Miss Dorothy Brawner and Messers  
Frances Brown and Eugene McClure,  
of Washington were Sunday visitors  
of Miss Nina Garrison.

Misses Gladys and Betty Brawner  
were dinner guests of Marie and  
Thelma Barlow at Triangle, Va.

### ADEN

The following are hospital patients:  
Mr. Charles Jones, University, Char-  
lottesville, Mrs. Charles Croshorn,  
Warrenton, Mr. Merle Bell, Washing-  
ton, D. C. All are reported as good  
as can be expected.

Mrs. Junior Whetzel and little son,  
Ray spent the week-end with her pa-  
rents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foster.

Mrs. Sadie Campbell and Christine  
Smith, of Alexandria spent the week-  
end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Amos Smith.

Mr. Miller Whetzel will leave on  
the 19th for the Navy. He will make  
the eleventh young man that has gone  
from the U.B. Church here. One has  
already given his life in the service.

### CATLETT

Mr. Charles Rutherford remains ill  
at his home near town.

Mrs. Helen Lloyd remains ill at  
the home of her sister in Washington.

Mrs. C. B. Yeatman who is employ-  
ed in Washington, D. C., spent the  
week-end at her home here.

Mrs. Blanche Laws has been on the  
sick list the past week.

Mr. J. R. Bailey who has been sick  
for several weeks at the home of his  
son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.  
Earl Bailey, has returned to his work  
at Vint Hill.

Mr. William Weaver, Jr. has been  
quite sick with a sinus attack this  
week.

Mr. Rufus Colvin and nephews,  
Sonny Colvin and David Sauls, of  
Washington, D. C. spent the week-end  
at the old home place here.

Pvt. Aubrey Muddiman, Jr. is now  
stationed in camp at St. Petersburg,  
Florida.

Mr. Ford Noland who was operated  
on in Sibley Hospital for appendicitis  
last week, was able to return to his  
home here, during the week-end.

Mrs. Will Utterback is ill at the  
Doctor's Hospital in Warrenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaffer  
moved this week to their new home  
the Ed Francis property near St.  
Stephen.

Mrs. Lucille Simmons spent the  
week-end in Washington, D. C. with  
relatives.

Mrs. Kier Reeves and son, of W-  
ashington, D. C. spent the week-end with  
relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Shifflett and  
daughter, Patsy have returned home  
from the valley where they visited.  
Mrs. Shifflett's brother before

leaves for an army camp.

Mr. Mac Heflin is sick with a severe  
cold.

Mrs. M. Blanchett, teacher at Cat-  
lett School has been on the sick list  
the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Upton Fletcher and  
daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Berth-  
all, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Keys and  
Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gruber were  
week-end visitors at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. Cal Heflin.

Lt. Marvita Wright is now home on  
a leave from a camp in Mississippi.

Mr. Paul Colvin who holds a respon-  
sible position with the Navy is now  
stationed in Maryland, and his wife  
has joined the WAACS.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eskeridge and  
daughter, of Falls Church was the  
guest of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Noland  
this week-end.

Paul Clark, Jr. who has been ill  
with flu has recovered.

Mr. Charles Mercer has been sick a  
lot with the flu.

Pvt. Henry Herrell is now stationed  
in a camp in Louisiana.

Mrs. Lois Guy Herrell has accepted  
a position in the Post Office in Wash-  
ington, D. C.

Mr. Preston Sauls who has been in  
the Hospital with bronchial pneu-  
monia in Washington, D. C. is now  
able to report for work.

Mr. Lloyd Sassell, of Calverton  
was found dead in bed Monday, a.m.,  
February 15th. He leaves a widow  
Mrs. Armand Cowne Cassell and two  
children, Mrs. Linda Gray and Mr.  
Lloyd Cassell, Jr.

News has just reached here that  
Mr. Ira Laws formerly of Catlett,  
died at his home in Silver Springs, Md.  
and burial service at Catlett Ceme-  
tery, Feb. 22 noon, Wednesday.

### MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. E. L. Weston, Pastor

There will be a special service in  
honor of the men in the armed forces  
held in connection with the 11 o'clock  
worship hour. Mrs. T. J. Broadbuss  
is in charge of the service. The pro-  
gram will consist of the presentation  
of a service honor roll to the church  
by Mrs. Broadbuss. The Honor Roll  
will be unveiled by little Miss Mary  
Oliver Owens and Col. Robert A. Hut-  
chison will accept the honor roll on  
behalf of the church.

A special invitation is extended to  
the friends and relatives of these men  
in service to be present for his ex-  
ercise on Sunday morning.

Regular mid-week prayer services  
at 7:30 each Wednesday evening.  
The B.T.U. meets at 6:30 each Sun-  
day evening. The senior group has  
a most interesting discussion group  
at that time. Rev. and Mrs. Weston  
are meeting with the group who are  
the subject for discussion on this  
showing a great deal of enthusiasm.  
Sunday night will be, "Movies."

Sunday School meets each Sunday  
at 9:45.

The Friendship class of the Sunday  
School meets in the Town Hall. This  
class is composed of men and women  
between the ages of 20 and 40. Every-  
one is invited. This class is being  
taught by Mr. Weston.

Rev. Weston will preach at the  
morning service on the subject, "Four  
Freedoms" and at the night service  
on the subject, "Sleeping Disciples."

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