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MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

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Prince William Co-Op To Receive \$193,000

We have just received a check for \$193,000 from the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, which is the amount of the loan to the Prince William County Co-operative Association for the construction and extension of its dairy plant.

Standard Time to Return

Washington, Sept. 5.—When Congress reconvened today, Senator Byrd (D., Va.) introduced a bill to repeal the National daylight saving law. Senator Byrd stated that he would press for prompt passage, thereby placing the Nation on standard time unless otherwise provided by State or local law.

RICHARD STEWART HYNSON

After a period of ill health "Dick" Hynson passed away at his home in Manassas, September 2, 1945. He was born August 14, 1867, the son of Charles Lemuel Hynson and Anne Eliza Stewart. September 11, 1890, he married Esther Gibson, who survives him. He is also survived by three children: John Lemuel, Richard Bruce and Stewart (Mrs. John Slaybaugh), a granddaughter, Mrs. M. W. Bradshaw and a great-grandson, Richard Kenrick Bradshaw of Rockville, Md.

His cheerful laugh and friendly face will be missed in Manassas. He mingled with people and he loved people. He inherited the department store established by his father, he owned the Prince William Hotel and operated a large dairy farm. His various business enterprises kept him in touch with the public and through the years his interest in life was unabated. He was a director in the National Bank of Manassas, a member of the Chamber of Commerce, a past president of the Kiwanis Club and a Mason.

Funeral services were conducted by the Masons and held at the Methodist Church, the Rev. Draper officiating. All business hours were closed during the services and the mass of flowers that covered his last resting place bore beautiful testimony to the esteem in which he was held by his associates.

HAYMARKET FIRE

Fire completely destroyed the Post-office and the Switchboard of the Tri-Telephone Co. at Haymarket on Saturday, September 1.

Mrs. Mabel Foley, who has been with the telephone company for 12 years, and her sister, Miss Annie Griffith, live in an apartment on the second floor of the building. Also living there was Mrs. Ella Pearson and family, who has been tending the switchboard for nine weeks since the illness of Mrs. Foley. Everything belonging to Mrs. Foley was completely destroyed as was all the equipment belonging to the telephone company. The neighbors and friends have been very generous in their contributions to Mrs. Foley.

The postmaster, Mr. Carrie Smith, acted quickly and saved all the mails and valuable property of the Post-office.

KINCHELOE HERD AT NOKESVILLE LEADS

The J. C. Kincheloe No. 2 herd at Nokesville led the Prince William County Dairy Herd Improvement Association in August with an average production of 38 pounds butter fat and 1,074 pounds milk per cow, H. W. Levine, local tester, announced today. The herd of T. Gales Hutchison, Aldie, was second with 37.5 pounds butter fat and 963 pounds milk. Third was the Wilmer M. Kline, Manassas, herd with an average yield of 32.6 pounds butter fat and 857 pounds milk per cow. Whentley M. Johnson's Clover Hill Farm Herd was fourth with 33.3 pounds butter fat and 708 pounds milk for each cow in the herd. The J. C. Kincheloe No. 1 herd, Manassas, was fifth with an average production of 32.6 pounds butter fat and 857 pounds milk. One new herd, that of J. C. Kincheloe recently purchased from J. A. Hooker at Nokesville was added to the local association according to Mr. Levine.

Mrs. Jack Merchant and sons, Holt and Toby, of Richmond, and Mrs. Jack Frey of Culpepper visited in Manassas on Monday. Mrs. Merchant has been visiting Mrs. Frey for a week.

Miss Sue Ayers is back in town after spending her vacation with her mother in Lee, Mont.

September 2, 1945.

Editor, The Manassas Journal, Manassas, Va.

Dear Madam:

The Manassas P. T. A. has embarked on a detailed safety program, starting immediately. We feel that all publicity that can be given to the dangers to our children from increased driving will be worth while.

We appreciate your publishing Mr. Hayden's letter on this subject in last week's Journal.

Any further articles along this line which will help to make Manassas a safer place for children will be appreciated. Sincerely yours,

EULA S. BOURNE,

President Manassas P. T. A.

Review of proceedings of the Elizabeth McIntosh Hammill Chapter, Daughters of American Revolution:

May 23, 1945, a group of ladies by arrangement met at the home of Mrs. Robert LeRoy Byrd on East Center street for the purpose of organizing a D. A. R. chapter. Mrs. Byrd, a former member of Old Dominion Chapter, Richmond, Va., became organizing regent by official appointment. Mrs. William V. Tynes, State regent, came up from Norfolk to assist Mrs. Byrd. The usual opening exercises were prayer, pledge to the flag and singing of "Star-Spangled Banner."

The State regent declared the name of the chapter to be Elizabeth McIntosh Hammill, named for a real daughter of Old Prince William and the first new chapter to be organized in Virginia since 1939. Mrs. Tynes gave a delightful talk, a resume of the work the State and national society objectives and concluded with a welcome to members of the new chapter.

Miss Nolie Nelson, a charter member of Molly Foster Berry Chapter of Fort Scott, Kans., was presented and welcomed by the chapter.

After adjournment the guests were invited to partake of delicious refreshments. Assisting the hostess were Miss Nelson, Mrs. Margaret Finch and Mrs. Lucile Rose. The decorations were of spring flowers in the D.-A.-R. colors of blue and gold.

Mrs. E. H. Nash and Mrs. E. B. Giddings were guests at this meeting.

The members again assembled on June 14 in observance of National Flag Day. Several obscure items of history regarding the first observance in Wisconsin in 1885 were interestingly presented.

A more recent meeting was held August 29, at the home of the regent. The usual opening exercises were observed. Reports from chapter officers were heard and the following list of members were reported by the registrar as having been forwarded to the Virginia State registrar for her files, namely: Mesdames Robert M. Bailey, Newman E. Browne, William P. Burns, Robert L. Byrd, Calvin J. Carter, Charles B. Compton, Minnie E. Dawson, C. O. McCullough, A. A. Hooff, B. F. Payne, L. W. Rose, William Thompson, A. O. Weedon; and Misses Harriet M. Clarke, Mary M. Clarke, Daisy E. Davis.

Applications for membership were accepted from Mesdames Violet Davis Proffett, Amelia Brown McBryde, Kathleen Sinclair Giddings, Cathrine Weir Mercer.

Also reinstatement and transfer of membership of Mrs. Lois Chandler Gue-Bradfield from the Lucy Fellows Chapter, State Center, Iowa, to this chapter was accepted.

The program consisted of round table talks by Mesdames C. O. McCullough, C. B. Compton, R. M. Bailey and Margaret Finch relating to history of Revolutionary period.

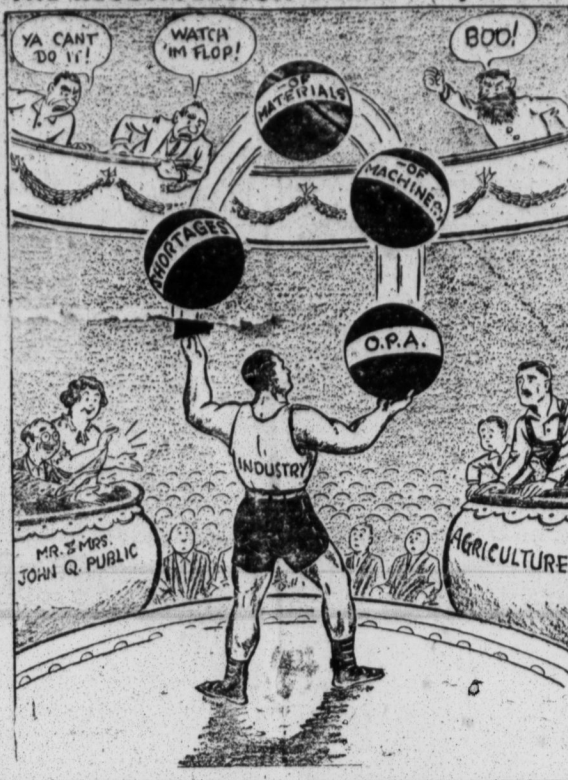
Mrs. Gue-Bradfield gave a reading, "The Price of Victory," and for encore a poem by Edgar Guest.

The fourth Wednesday in each month has been set for our regular meeting days. Mrs. A. O. Weedon is chairman of September program. The regent appointed the following officers to serve two years: Vice regent, Mrs. A. A. Hooff, recording secretary, Mrs. R. M. Bailey, treasurer, Mrs. W. P. Burns; corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. O. Weedon; registrar, Mrs. C. O. McCullough.

Mrs. Alda Knupp and Dwight have returned home after spending the summer with relatives near Harrisonburg. Mrs. Knupp attended Madison College for its summer term, making preparations to teach in the local schools.

Miss Nell Grim, County Home Demonstration Agent, has returned from a week's vacation at her home near Christiansburg. Her mother came with her for a short stay.

THE RECONVERSION STAGE - - By Collier



A Regrettable Affair

On Labor Day, at the Negro Horse Show, an annual affair in Prince William County, some of the visiting Negroes created a disturbance. In the free-for-all that broke loose over the delivery of some liquor, it seems that a Negro boy was killed, and an old man severely injured in his own yard. The three law officers were badly shaken up and Deputy Wheeling would have been killed but for Marshall Roy, Fred Douglas and Willie Dyer, all local Negro boys. These boys jumped in and rescued Wheeling, carrying him home and dressing his wounds, as a doctor could not be located.

The Negro residents in Prince William are among the law-abiding, progressive and church-going people of the State. They are most cooperative in all civic work and local enterprises. The prompt and effective attitude taken by them stopped what could have been a riot. However, nothing that happened justified the streaming headlines in the Washington and other papers.

Manassas did not merit such undesirable publicity and we deeply regret the incident.

Pic-Nic and Cotillon Party

(Copy loaned us by Mrs. Viola Proffett.)

The pleasure of your company is requested at a Pic-Nic and Cotillon Tournament Party, to take place on the Farm of Mr. E. L. Kase (near Bristoe Station), on Thursday, the 23d of August, 1860.

COMMITTEE ON INVITATION:

Lieut. P. D. Williams, Capt. W. W. Thornton,
P. S. Gaines, Lieut. J. M. Barbee,
B. D. Merchant, Jno. H. O'Rear.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS:

Lieut. P. D. Williams, Capt. W. W. Thornton,
L. A. Davis, Jno. T. Williams,
Dr. W. B. Learn, Dr. E. W. Latimer.

Pic-Nic and Tournament in Prince William

A large party of ladies and gentlemen participated in the pic-nic and witnessed the tournament which made off at Brentsville on Thursday. It is needless to say that the affair was pleasant throughout, the dancing was good, the music excellent, and the riding "at the ring," in many instances, very fine. A place had been prepared in the public green for dancing and before 12 o'clock a number availed themselves of the opportunity to "trip it on the light fantastic toe." This was continued until the dinner hour, when the large company did full justice to the excellent provisions provided for the occasion. After which the dancing was recommenced, and continued until the "Sir Knights" were called upon to display their horsemanship in contending for the honor of crowning the queen of love and beauty.

Very soon the gallant knights were mounted, and on their way to the scene, if not of knightly valor, at least, of generous knightly rivalry. Here all had been prepared for the tournament. The judges who had been previously selected, took their positions opposite the ring. The knights were then marched in a body, under the direction and command of the herald, Mr. J. T. Leachman, and the marshal, Dr. L. A. Jennings, to a position in front of the judges when they were briefly and appropriately addressed Mr. Aralland Marsteller. Then, after returning to the proper place, the riding commenced—each Knight riding when his knightly name

was called in the following: Knight of Alexandria, J. E. Williams; Knight of Montmorency, Richard I. Reid; Ivanhoe, J. Taylor Williams; Knight of Lochinvar, Lucien A. Davis; Knight of Brentsville, James B. Pridmore; Knight of Marmion, John W. Fowell; Knight of the Chase, James R. Purcell; Knight of the Wild Horse, Richard T. Meredith; Knight of Greenville, E. Meredith; the Black Knight, J. D. Williams; Knight of the Woods, J. R. Rudd; the Unknown Knight, Edgar Weir.

Some of the riding was excellent, and elicited the applause of the "fair ladies" who witnessed it. The result of it was the success of the Knight of the Chase, who won the honor of crowning the Queen. Ivanhoe had the honor of designating the First Maid of Honor, Marmion, the Second, and the Knight of Brentsville, the Third.

The coronation ceremony, which took place at night, was very interesting. Although, as may be supposed, the selection of the Queen was difficult from the number present who would have graced the dignity, the successful Knight manifested an appreciative taste when he crowned Miss M. C. . . . of Prince William as the Queen of Love and Beauty. The First Maid of Honor was the accomplished Miss T. . . . of Caroline, the Second the young and amiable Miss W. . . . of Prince William, and the Third, the beautiful Miss C. . . . of Georgetown. The merry throng afterward joined in the dance which was continued to a late hour. Altogether the occasion was a pleasant and agreeable one to all the participants.

SPEAKING IN VIRGINIA

A. Henry Birkel, chairman of the Hunan Provincial Relief Committee, who will make a speaking trip throughout Virginia for the Virginia War Fund campaign next October. His services have been offered to the local War Fund committee here. Mr. Birkel will be escorted by Robert M. Hazelwood of Toano, Virginia chairman of United China Relief.

Although most of the War Fund moneys go to USO and other volunteer war agencies, China and 16 other Allies of America receive a share of the fund raised. Virginia has been assigned a quota of \$1,800,000, a part of which will be raised here. Mr. Birkel has spent 24 years in China and hopes to return soon.

Accused of Crime Committed in 1929

Raymond Saunders, 45, of Quantico, charged with the 16-year-old murder of Brad J. Ellison, a marine whose body was found in the bottom of a dry well near Dumfries, Va., six weeks ago.

Saunders, a laborer, pleaded not guilty to the charge when arraigned before Judge Lacey Compton. He was ordered held in \$2,500 bond for grand jury action during the October term of Prince William County Circuit Court.

State Trooper Elliott Howe said Saunders was arrested "several weeks ago," but was not accused of the killing immediately because further investigation was necessary.

JETT—MAY.

Miss Mildred May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover May of Occoquan, became the bride of Lieut. Wallace C. Jett, U. S. Army, on Saturday evening, September 1, at 7 o'clock.

The candlelight ceremony took place at the Occoquan Methodist Church which was charmingly decorated with white gladioli and ferns. The Rev. Collis, pastor of the church, performed the double ring ceremony.

Miss Barbara Webb played the wedding music and Mr. Tobb Webb sang, "Oh, Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin made on simple lines, long sleeves, full skirt and train. Her veil was a Mary Queen of Scots. She carried a white satin prayer book and a corsage of white roses.

Mrs. Evelyn May Swank was matron of honor. The bridesmaids were two of her college classmates, Miss Jane Hurlburt of Connecticut and Miss Barbara Curdite of Fairfax. They wore identical gowns of white brocade with short sleeves and elbow-length gloves. The matron of honor wore a blue headgear and carried a bouquet of blue delphiniums. The bridesmaids wore headgears of purple tulle and carried bouquets of purple asters.

Yeoman 2/c Myvan Reynolds, U. S. Coast Guard was best man while Gordon Leake, William Timms and Carroll Norfolk ushered.

A reception followed at the brides home after which the couple left for a wedding trip. The bride chose for her going-away costume a suit of dull green trimmed in pale yellow with brown accessories.

Mrs. Jett will return to Mary Washington College for her third term work there while Lieut. Jett will report to a Georgia Infantry camp on the 18th. He has only just recently returned from the European theater of war.

All those who know this young couple wish for them so very much happiness on their journey through life.

THE SENIOR MR. NELSON PASSES AWAY

Mr. S. G. Nelson of Canton, Ohio, who had been visiting his son and family in Nokesville and was in an accident which resulted in the death of his son, Mr. W. R. Nelson, on August 27, also passed away at the Physicians Hospital in Warrenton on Tuesday, September 4. Mr. Nelson was 78 years old. Two of his grandsons, Raleigh and Robert Nelson, are accompanying his body back to his home in Ohio.

Kite Roseberry has received an honorable discharge from the Air Force since completing his 50 combat missions.

Pfc. Robert Swank, with the Forty-fourth Division of the Seventh Army and overseas since November, has been with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Swank, for a 30-day furlough. He has returned to Camp Chaffie, Ark.

Educationally Minded

Dick Hayden Hands Us School History.

"Manassas educationally minded" could well be the theme of Superintendent R. C. Hayden in a speech at Kiwanis last Friday night. The speech was a history and a resume. The town is unique in having in it two schools of wide importance besides its regular school system. He referred to the Vocational School and the Regional High School. Neither of these schools draws its clientele from the immediately surrounding territory, but both from the county and beyond, out through the Eighth Congressional District. He could not help but speak of individuals. Miss Eugenia Osborne, the sponsor of the High School; Miss Lula Metz, the teacher of one of the first economic courses in the State; and Miss Willette Myers, head of the first commercial course, and Mr. D. J. Arrington, promoter of these things, came in for praise.

The ideals for the high school—to make students ready for any college, has not been an easy one, for definite conditions are laid down. The school has the certificate of the Southern Association of Schools and Colleges. Yet up to 80 per cent of the students do not go to college. By the way, he did not say a word for himself as to meeting these standards nor did he tell how he personally did much to establish the high school at Occoquan. That makes a good story by itself.

He went to speak of the vocational school and the opportunities it offers even in such unique courses as cosmetology (see Webster) and commercial drawing. He told of the sums of money devoted to expanding and equipping the school.

He appealed to Kiwanians and the citizens in general that they should in the school reflect the attitude of the town and believe in it themselves. This will come of thorough understanding of what is being done.

In answer to a question he in his diplomatic way defended women principals, as exemplified by Miss Obourne and the present principal at Occoquan, Miss Vaughan.

A letter from Miss Osborne corrected a mistaken statement made in a former Kiwanis meeting. She said it was Judge and Mrs. Thornton who entertained President Taft back in 1911 when the President was here.

A letter from Father Flanagan thanked the club for its gift to the support of Boytown. They are busy there and he added, "Keep boys busy, they then won't be a problem." Jack Ratcliffe approved of his statements.

Sergeant Smith Restores Communication System

When advanced elements of the 301st Troop Carrier Squadron arrived in Berlin on July 1, it was noticed that this field had installed, at one time, a very excellent communications system. However, due to the constant artillery fire that was directed against Tempelhof by Russian forces during the "Battle of Berlin," the system was practically destroyed beyond repair. This is where Tech. Sergt. Theodore M. Smith, Gainesville, Va., wire chief with this Troop Carrier Squadron, was called upon.

Sergeant Smith was assigned the task of repairing the destroyed lines and setting up lines of communications in order that his unit and other units that were to arrive later could communicate with various echelons situated in other occupational sections of Germany. In record time, he along with his four-man maintenance crew and three German technicians, had set up these lines of communications and within two weeks had repaired and working the first Dial-Telephone System to be used by American forces in the American sector of Berlin.

Before entering the Army Air Forces, Sergeant Smith was employed by the Chesapeake-Potomac Co. He is a graduate of Hay Market High School, Hay Market, Va. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Artemus M. Smith, reside in Gainesville, Va.

Sergeant Smith is a holder of the Presidential Unit Citation, ETO Ribbon with seven combat participation stars and has been overseas since early last year.

WELCOME BACK

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Taylor have returned to Manassas to make their permanent home. Mr. Taylor, when he was called to the service, was in charge of our park system in this county. The place has been temporarily filled. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor's many friends are glad to see them back.

Come To Church

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Rev. Thomas G. Faulkner, Jr., Rector
Box 128 Phone 118

Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.
Young People 7:00 P. M.
Evening Prayer: 8 P. M.

Holy Communion
First Sunday 11:00 A. M.
Other Sundays 8:00 A. M.
Christians Today
Wednesdays 8:00 P. M.

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. Samuel G. Chameal, C. P. S.
Pastor

Mass in Manassas every Sunday at 9:00 a. m.
Mass in Bristow every Sunday at 9:00 a. m. Holy Days: 7:30 a. m.
Week-Days: Daily Mass at 7:30 a. m.
Mass in Minnieville every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Holy Days: 8:00 a. m.

GRACE METHODIST CHURCH
Manassas, Va.

Rev. M. F. Draper, Pastor
Church School, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship and sermon, 11:00 a. m. Youth Fellowship at 6:45 p. m. Junior League, 6:30 p. m. Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
Nokesville and Valley
Olden D. Mitchell, Pastor

Nokesville: Church School at 10:00 a. m. Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. Youth Fellowship at 7:30 p. m. on 2nd and 4th Sunday, and 8:00 p. m. on 1st and 3rd Sunday. Evening worship at 8:15 p. m. on 2nd Sunday. Valley: Morning worship at 10:00 a. m. Church School at 11:00 a. m. Group meetings and Evening worship on 2nd and 4th Sundays at 8:00 p. m. Independent Hill: Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. except 4th Sunday which is at 1:30 p. m. Worship Service at 11:00 a. m. on 2nd Sunday, and 2:30 p. m. on 4th Sunday.

UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST
Stanley A. Knupp, Pastor

Aden: Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 a. m. Morning worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:00 a. m. Evening worship, 4th Sunday at 8:00 p. m. Holy Communion 1st morning worship each quarter. Buckhall: Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 4th Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Evening worship, 1st and 2nd Sundays at 8:00 p. m. Holy Communion, 1st morning worship each quarter. Manassas: Unified worship, 1st 2nd and 4th Sundays at 10:00 a. m. Bible classes every Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Church, 3rd Sunday at 8:00 p. m. Holy Communion, 1st morning.

FULL GOSPEL CHURCH
Rev. R. J. Hancock

Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Morning Worship, 11 a. m.; Evangelistic Services, 8 p. m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

MT. ZION EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Nokesville, Va.

THE SERVICE at 11:30 a. m. on the second Sunday.
THE SERVICE at 3:00 p. m. on the fourth Sunday.
Sunday School one hour earlier preceding Sundays.
Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. on some Sundays.

GREENWICH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. T. W. Mowbray, Minister

Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Services second and fourth Sundays, 11 a. m.

MANASSAS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.

Mr. J. L. Bushong, Superintendent.
Worship, 11:00 A. M.

CANON BRANCH CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
CANNON BRANCH ROAD

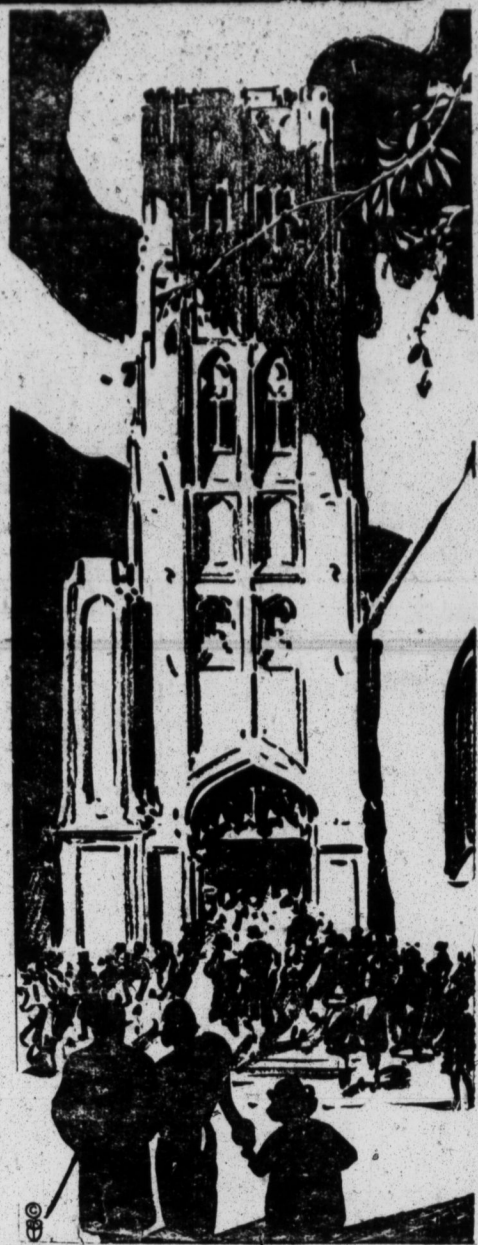
Sunday school at 10:30 a. m.
Preaching at 11:30 a. m.
Sunday evening service at 7:30 p. m.

CLIFTON BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Chas. Winner, Pastor

1st and 3rd Sundays at 11 A. M.
4th Sunday 7:30 P. M.

Nokesville, Virginia

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Communion service, 11:00 a. m. Gospel meeting, 8:30 p. m. Bible reading, Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.



CHURCH OF GOD

S. D. Pittman, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11 A. M.
Prayer Meeting, Thurs. night 7:45
Young People's Service, 7:00 P. M.
First Sunday each month.
Evangelistic Service each Sunday night at 7:45.
"A Friendly Church with the Gospel Message" All Welcome.

HIGHWAY TABERNACLE
Pentecostal

Rev. R. J. Hancock
TRIANGLE, VA.
Sunday School 2 p. m.
Worship 8 p. m.
Bible study Tues. 8 p. m.

THE METHODIST CHURCH
SUDLEY CHARGE

Rev. John L. Thomas
First Sunday - Sudley 11 a. m.
Gainesville 3 p. m.
Second Sunday - Sudley 11 a. m.
Fairview 3 p. m.
Third Sunday - Gainesville 11 a. m.
Fourth Sunday - Sudley 11 a. m.
Fairview 3 p. m.

DUMFRIES METHODIST CHURCH

A. H. Shumate, Pastor.
Cordially invites you to services First and third Sundays of each month, 7:30 p. m. Fourth Sundays, 11 a. m. Sunday School 10 a. m. each Sunday.
Woman's Society of Christian Service the second Tuesday in each month.

BETHEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. every Sunday.
THE SERVICE, at 11 a. m. on First, Fourth and Fifth Sundays.
THE VESPERS, at 7:30 p. m. Second and Third Sundays.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Haymarket, Va.

Rev. W. F. Carpenter, Rector.
Morning service, 11 a. m. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Holy Communion, first Sunday, 11 a. m.
Grace Chapel, Hickory Grove First and Third Sundays, 3 p. m.
St. John's Church, Centreville Holy Communion, 2nd Sunday, 3 P. M.

TRIANGLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. H. S. Reamy, Pastor
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m. Mr. B. F. Warren, Supt. Worship service, 11:00 a. m. Training Union, 7:00 p. m. Miss Catherine Burns, Leader. Evening Worship service 8:00 p. m. Church Schools: Ashbury; Every Sunday except 3rd at 11:00 a. m. Woodlawn; Every Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Centreville; Every Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Nokesville; Every Sunday at 10:15 a. m. Young People's Meetings: Centreville Every Sunday at 7:15 p. m. Nokesville; Every Sunday at 8:00 p. m.

GOSPEL CHAPEL
NOKESVILLE CHARGE
METHODIST CHURCH

Hugh Cummings, Pastor
Nokesville
1st, 2nd, 3rd Sundays 11:15 A M
4th Sunday, 8 P. M.
Ashbury (Aden)
1st and 3rd Sundays
Woodlawn
2nd and 4th Sundays
Centreville
1st 2nd and 3rd Sundays 8 P M

MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Len Weston, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 A. M.
Stanley Owens, Superintendent
Morning Worship Service: 11:00 A. M.
Evening Worship Service: 8:00 P. M.
Baptist Training Union: 7 P. M.
Len Weston, Director

CLIFTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Mrs. Frances Branyon, Supt. Worship at 11:45 a. m. Brentsville: Sunday School at 2:00 p. m. Services 2nd and 4th Sundays at 3:00 p. m.

PROSPERITY RESTS ON OIL

To a large extent, the future prosperity of the United States is dependent upon its maintaining its pre-eminent world position in the production of refined products, says D. P. Hamilton, oil company executive. The only way this can be done is to accelerate the discovery of new pools and underground reserves, he maintains.

Buy a War Bond

PROCLAMATION.

Peace, attained by sacrifice and effort, has come to the world.

The Almighty God in His infinite wisdom has brought to an end the war which has torn the entire world since the invasion of Manchuria by the Japanese on September 18, 1931.

Victory Day is proclaimed.

Success has crowned the untiring efforts of our American forces and those of our valiant Allies. Right has prevailed.

It is a universal duty to perpetuate and protest the peace. Never before in the history of mankind has there been such opportunity to end all wars. None can forget the waste, destruction, suffering and death, that have taken place.

This is truly VICTORY. With our war mission accomplished, our peace mission begins. We must all accept and accomplish with faith and courage our mission of peace.

Although we have earned the right to be joyful, we must temper our jubilation in the memory of the unforgettable tragedy that has torn the hearts and taken the lives of millions of human beings.

In our humble prayers of thanksgiving to God, let us dedicate ourselves to the uncompromising task of keeping ourselves strong and alert in upholding the American principles of freedom and justice; to preserve the security of our beloved Nation; and to strive always for the peace of the world.

VJ-Day directives of higher headquarters and those of the Third Service Command are now effective.

PHILIP HAYES,
Major General,
U. S. Army Commanding.

THE VALLEY CHURCH ENTRAINS

The East Virginia Conference territory of and for the Church of the Brethren includes 36 counties stretching from our National Capital, Washington, to Nelson County and from the Blue Ridge to Fortress Monroe, and embraces all counties between the James and the Potomac. The conference for all local churches with in these confines assembles once a year.

The 1945 conference was invited to the Valley Church in Prince William County. Hence the Valley Church, over which John M. Kline, has supervising charge, entertained the East Virginia District Conference of 1945. The assembly was cared for in happy and hospitable manner by the deacons and membership—all in hospitable and abundant way.

The conference lasted three days, August 8, 9 and 10. Chief guest speakers were John Metzler of Indiana and Rufus P. Bucher of Pennsylvania. There were inspirational and confessional sessions.

Many reports came in from various church agencies. Business items came and were disposed of. While God covenanted with Abraham and renewed the covenant with Isaac and again with Jacob and while the school-boy never tires in renewing his allegiance to our flag, yet the conference thought it not wise to renew our convictions on several phases of the Bible. The question of Negro evangelism failed to appeal in a practical way. It passed quietly by. Discussion at this point failed to evoke expected interest. One matter of minor concern elicited extended discussion under the chairmanship of Elder Neff. It was epitomized and focalized by a Brother Blough in happy and gay spirit to the satisfaction of the chair and all.

Among other visitors from a dis-Curry of Bridgewater and J. C. Beahm and wife of Maryland.

A new and striking temperance movement was sponsored by a sister Flohr, former missionary to Africa. It met with conference approval.

New officers are L. L. Mason, moderator, and E. W. Flohr (alternate); A. G. Wheeler, reading clerk; Paul E. Swigart, visiting clerk; David Ensign, relief secretary; W. D. Nolley, delegate to 1946 general conference in California, with D. B. Garber alternate. The conference was concluded by appropriate resolutions and by the new officers assuming duties. Thus terminated what may prove a fruitful district conference.

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The following white men were inducted in to the Army at Richmond, Va., on August 27, 1945:

Ralph William McCleaf Indian Head, Md.

Leo Wilson Earhart, Manassas, Va.

John William Liming, jr., Quantico, Va.

Walter Lee Coverston, jr., Manassas, Va.

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