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## Red Sox to Start Series Play Against White Oak Sunday

Game Is Slated At Powell Stadium Beginning at 2:30

The red-hot Manassas Red Sox are on their way to Powell Stadium for the start of their series play against the White Oak team. This may be one of the hottest series played in this section in many years. Game time is 2 p.m.

It is expected that not only will the Sox play great baseball, but also a rivalry, which started early in the season when the locals defeated the Fredericksburg team. Only to have a near riot break between the players. So, anything might happen in Sunday's opening game.

White Oak will depend heavily on their ace hurler, Allen, who so far this season has struck out 150 batters. For the Sox it will be the knuckle-ball artist, Bobo, with a 12 win record in league competition.

Stutler Assured Position

Stutler was who set Stafford in the semi-finals by a 4-3 lead and thus insured the Red Sox position in this "little world."

Stutler will be backed up by an outfield that has made only one error in the last three games. In Posey will be at third base; Taylor at short; Buddy Merritt, second, and Howard Atkinson at first.

At the outfield the following will probably see action: Dallas Posey, Bill Lovelace, Maury Wells, Billy Miller, and Billy Tyson.

Red Sox Rested

The Red Sox rested up last week after a season which saw them win 20 out of 31 games. Sixteen wins were league games. In the second game of the series at Swavelly Field on October 9th. The third will be either at Fredericksburg. All games will begin at 2:30 p.m.

Fans wishing to go to Fredericksburg to see the series opener, Swavelly Field is located just five miles from No. 1 highway on the road to Culpeper.

The Red Sox management expects that all Red Sox players will be at the Stone wall Jackson stadium at 12:15 Sunday.

## Mrs. Bailey Speaks To 77

Seventy-seven members of the Junior and Senior Woman's Clubs of Manassas heard Mrs. H. Stanley Bailey, former judge of the Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court at Roanoke give an interesting and inspiring talk on youth at the joint meeting of the clubs held Monday in the Parish Hall of the Episcopal Church.

Judge C. Lacey C. Compton, trial justice of Prince William County, introduced the speaker of the evening.

Stresses Parents

Mrs. Bailey stressed the importance of parents setting the example for their children. She also stated that parents must make their children feel secure by making them feel that they belong. Parents must teach their children to learn to live in the world as it is, to take what they have and make the best of it, and to not live in a dream world, Mrs. Bailey added.

Mrs. Bailey also said that the responsibility of the parents is to help their children develop self-sufficiency and to see that they fit in a group—sometimes as a leader and often as a follower.

Junior Club Furnishes Program

The Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church prepared and served the dinner. The Junior Club furnished the program for the evening which was in the form of a musical quiz.

Mrs. Virginia Carper won the grand prize by naming the mystery melody.

Mrs. Dorothy Byrd presided at the piano while Miss Miriam Gregory acted as mistress of ceremonies. Mrs. C. C. Lynn, Jr., and Mrs. Garland Boatwright also assisted on the program committee.

## John T. Broadus, Jr. Is Student Teacher

LYNCHBURG.—John T. Broadus, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Broadus, 311 Portner Avenue, Manassas, is one of the seven Lynchburg College seniors now in Martinsville, doing student teaching. Mr. Broadus is a physical education major.

Under the Lynchburg College student teaching program the student planning to enter the field of education following graduation is given the opportunity to actually live in the community in which he teaches. He is expected to take on full teacher responsibilities outside as well as in the classroom during at least the last two weeks of his apprenticeship.

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## Coming Events

The 54th annual convention of the Virginia Division of the U. S. C. will be held October 4-6 at Charlottesville.

The Lions Club baseball team will have a benefit dance, sponsored by the Centerville Lions Club, 8:00 p. m. on October 12 at the local Circle.

The revival meeting being held at the Nokesville Church of the Brethren will continue through this week. It will close Sunday evening with a communion service.

The Trinity Episcopal Church will sponsor a rummage sale October 1st, at the Parish Hall in Manassas.

There will be a County School board meeting at 9:30 a. m. next Wednesday, at Brensville District High School in Nokesville. The regular high school board meeting will be on the same day at 7 p. m. at the School Board office.

The Ladies Aid of the Manassas Baptist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. C. Goode at 8 p. m. Tuesday, October 4th.

## HD Committee Meets Here; Plans Agenda

The Prince William County home demonstration committee representing 15 H. D. Clubs met at the assembly room, Manassas Post Office Tuesday, with Mrs. J. F. Hale, Nokesville, county chairman, calling the meeting to order at 10 o'clock.

Members from various clubs were introduced, along with Miss Maude E. Wallace, assistance director, State Extension Service, Blacksburg. Miss Wallace is head of the Home Demonstration work in the State and assisted with the program planning.

Mrs. E. H. Marsteller, county health chairman, gave a summary of work done on federation goals during the year. She stated how the clubs had cooperated with other existing health agents, how the group had appealed to the board of supervisors to find satisfactory places for trash disposal and how the interest had been started on home pasteurized milk. This phase of the health program is slated to continue into the 1950 program.

Growth and changes of H. D. and 4-H Clubs was explained by Miss Leona M. Kline, home demonstration agent. She also told of some of the needs in the county and ways the club women can give assistance.

Program Decided

Miss Wallace led the discussion on program planning when each club gave their requests. The program developed for 1950 was as follows:

December, Christmas observance; January, Federation Goal meeting; youth and communities recreation; February, better use of electricity in good lights; March, background information for attractive bedrooms; April, rearrangement of bedroom furniture; May, better health through better nutrition; June, variety for the family through better meal planning; July, handicraft; August, club choice; September, basic table service in luncheon planning; October, one-dish supper with proper service, and November, hand craft.

Furniture clinic and sewing machine clinic and county-wide meeting on adequate storage facility will be held during the year.

Mrs. A. O. Beane, vice chairman of the county committee presided at the afternoon meeting. At this time Col. Ben Muse spoke briefly on "What Makes Good Publicity."

At the business meeting Mrs. B. O. Wakeman, Manassas, was elected vice chairman of the county committee and Mrs. J. M. Young, Catharpin, treasurer. Both will serve for two years.

Mrs. Gilmer Garber, member of the Achievement Day committee, gave a report on "Plans for the Achievement Day" which will be held in the Nokesville Brethren Church, October 27th.

## UDC Holds Service For Confederate Hero

The U. D. C. held a service Tuesday evening commemorating the birthday of the Confederate naval hero, Simms, Col. Benjamin Muse was master of ceremonies at the meeting in which five crosses were given to World War veterans of Confederate lineage.

Mr. T. J. Broadus received a cross awarded posthumously to his father, Sully B. Broadus. Others receiving crosses who were present or had representatives at the service were Oliver Flemming Mayhugh; Capt. Lee Henry, whose mother, Mrs. Arthur Lee Henry represented him; Hugh Uost; and Carl Jackson Arrington.

The program was interspersed with patriotic songs. The U. D. C. ritual was led by Mrs. E. D. Wissler, and A. G. Jordan, American Legion post commander, gave the salute to the flag. The program was opened with "How Firm a Foundation."

At 2:30 p. m. October 12th, at the Grill, the organization will hold its next meeting. The Rev. Earl Schlotzhauer gave the benediction.

## Received Commission

FORT RILEY, Kan.—John J. Norman of Haymarket, Va., was commissioned a second lieutenant at graduation exercises September 16.

## Marriage Licenses

The following applied for marriage licenses at the County Court House this week:

Douglas Lee Gray, Calverton and Miss Anna Clarke Merchant, Manassas, applied for a marriage license on October 1st.

Tax collections by states rise 7 per cent in year to June 30.

## Robert Oliver Sanford At Lynchburg College

LYNCHBURG.—Robert Oliver Sanford, son of Mrs. Claire S. Lehman, Woodbridge, is a freshman at Lynchburg College. He is a graduate of Occoquan District High School.

The freshman class of Lynchburg College constitutes approximately one-third of the total enrollment of 650 students, according to registration figures released last week.

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This deadline is necessary in order to allow The Journal staff adequate time for train connections.

It is urged that advertisers and correspondents will cooperate with us by observing the Wednesday noon deadline.

—THE EDITOR.

## ENGAGED



MISS LOIS WOODYARD

Mr. and Mrs. Claude A. Woodyard announce the engagement of their daughter, Lois, to John David Harris, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John David Harris, of Richmond.

Miss Woodyard was graduated from Osbourn High School and is now employed with the C.A.A. at Washington, D. C.

Mr. Harris was graduated from Osbourn High School and attended the Manassas State Vocational School. During the war, he served with the Navy in the Pacific. He is now employed by the Fruit Growers Express in Alexandria.

No date has been set for the wedding.

## Snowden Hall Succumbs At 90 At Alexandria

Snowden T. Hall, a former businessman of Manassas, died Monday, September 19, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Maude H. Arrington, of 307 West Masonic View Ave., Alexandria. He had made his home with his daughter for the past 20 years, but was a resident of Manassas until his retirement.

The son of William H. and Alley Taylor-Hall, Mr. Hall was born near Linden, Va., on October 22, 1858. He moved to Culpeper County when he was a small boy. In December, 1881, he was married to Miss Mildred McDonald and moved to Prince William County on the farm known as Compton Farm. After the death of its owner, W. H. Gaines, in 1909, Mr. Hall gave up the farm and went into the furniture business in Manassas where he remained until the death of his wife in 1929.

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In addition to Mrs. Arrington, Mr. Hall is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Edwina Hedrick, of Brentsville; two sons, Hugh R. Hall of Los Angeles and W. C. Hall of Charlestown, W. Va.; 11 grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren. Mr. Hall is also survived by a brother, J. R. Hall of Lakota.

With Mr. Hall's death went one of our great links with the past, not merely because he had lived for 90 years, 11 months, but because he had been a faithful and active member of the Methodist Church for 65 years. He always loved church work and was a member of the Willing Workers Class.

The funeral was held from his late residence, 307 West Masonic View Avenue, Alexandria, and was conducted by the Rev. F. H. Strieby of the Del Ray Methodist Church.

Pallbearers were George L. Rosenberger, Claude S. McDonald, Eugene Davis, Walderman Fairfax, Haywood C. Johnson, Sr., and Haywood C. Johnson, Jr.

Beneath a beautiful display of flowers, expressions of love and sympathy, and surrounded by a large crowd of sorrowing friends and loved ones, he was laid to rest in the family square in the Cemetery at Warrenton, Thursday, September 22.

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## Letterboxes Needed For Carrier Delivery

Patrons who expect to have their mail delivered to their residences by city delivery carrier beginning Saturday, October 1, are again cautioned that proper receptacles should be provided for receiving the mail, by Mrs. Elizabeth S. Daves, postmistress. Carriers are not required to leave mail where proper provisions are not made for receiving it, she said.

It is expected that morning mail delivery to the majority of business houses will be made before 9 o'clock. Places not open before that time should provide a slot or box for receiving the mail, the postmistress said.

Placing of collection boxes throughout the town has been postponed until next week.

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Mrs. \_\_\_\_\_ was seen in front of the Beautiforum Friday afternoon at 2:45. She had on an aqua dress and a gray coat. She wore black shoes and carried a black pocketbook. If she will come by The Journal office within the next week, she will be paid \$1. Last week's mystery woman was Mrs. John Kerlin, of Nokesville, who did not collect her dollar at The Journal office last week.

## Registration Ends On Oct. 8

Persons in Prince William County who wish to register to vote must do so with the proper officials by midnight, October 8th to qualify to vote in the November general election.

Registration books are open to county residents who have not previously registered, and who come under any of these categories:

1. Persons who have lived in Virginia for a year prior to the election date, in the city or county for six months before the election, and who paid the State capitation tax no later than May 7
2. Persons who have lived in the State for as many as three years, and in the county or city for at least six months, provided taxes for all three years were paid no later than May 7.
3. Persons whose twenty-first birthday occurred during the calendar year, provided they have lived in the State for a year prior to the election date in the city or county for six months. No tax is required in the first year a voter becomes of age.

Central registration offices, open 5 1-2 days a week, are maintained at these points: Alexandria—City Hall; Arlington—County Courthouse in both Arlington and Fairfax, voters also may register with individual precinct registrars.

## Chamber To Postpone Advice

At its regular weekly meeting held Tuesday, at The Grill, the Manassas Chamber of Commerce voted to postpone consideration of the sanitary ordinance until further discussion could be made. Next week it will send its recommendations to the board.

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