



PMA Committeemen Elections Scheduled For December 15

Over 100,000 Virginia farmers will be eligible to vote in the annual farmer committeemen election to be held through the State on Saturday, December 15.

At this time, according to R. B. North, chairman of the State Committee of the Production and Marketing Administration, they will be a committee of three farm-owners of the States 438 counties to administer agricultural programs during the coming year.

Will Choose Delegates
In addition, farmers will choose delegates from each community to meet the next day with county delegates to elect three-man county committees for each of the 99 agricultural counties in Virginia.

Emphasizing the importance of the forthcoming elections, Bridgman said that farmer-committeemen today are faced with great responsibilities that ever before in the history of the wide number of programs that come within their scope.

Cites AC Program
Pointing to the Agricultural Conservation Program, which alone has nearly 70,000 participating farmers embracing about 10 million of Virginia farmland. Further, he noted that PMA committees are responsible for Government price support purchase and programs on grains and other commodities, grain storage, acreage allotments, marketings, and the Federal crop program.

Must Choose Carefully
Committeemen have a big job ahead of them in looking after the varied interests of our farm-land. Bridgman said, "Only the wisest, and most representative farmers can properly do the job it is up to farmers in this election to see that such men are chosen."

Ballots will be open all day on December 15 from 8 a. m. until 5 p. m. at a location of voting places in each community will be announced.

Letters To Santa Claus

Santa Claus—I am 8 years old and I want a doll, coloring book, candy and nuts. Don't forget my sister, 2 years old. Love, CHRISTINE and GLENN

Santa Claus—I am 8 years old and I would like you to bring me a suitcase and a doll and my little sister, 1 year old and a teddy bear and a robe. SARAH JANE JACOBS.

Santa Claus—I am an 11-year-old girl. I would like you to bring me a Bible and a doll for Christmas. And don't forget my mother. I have three sisters. EDNA JEAN SIMMONS. Box 2, Box 76.

Santa—I have been a good girl. I want a housecoat, a doll and a hat. I hope to see you at Market, Va. ELAINE BAKER.

Santa—I have been a good girl. I want a bathrobe, filling station and some candy. I hope to see you. Love, RICHARD BAKER.

Santa Claus—I am 6 years old and I want a Daisy Duck watch and a cash register. Love, NANCY JEAN SLUSHER.

Santa—I would like you to bring me a dolly and some candy oranges. My brother wants a football and goal. BETTY JEAN CORBIN.

Roger W. Cross Dies

Roger W. Cross, Sr., died at residence at 12:20 a. m. today. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow at Hines Funeral Home, Washington, and interment will be at 3:30 p. m. tomorrow at Arlington.

Vote! FARMER-COMMITTEEMAN ELECTIONS

Rosenberger Addresses Art Section

Francis C. Rosenberger, writer and editor, was guest speaker at the November meeting of the Fine Arts Section of the Woman's Club which met at the home of Mrs. Dan Kelso November 21, with Mrs. Florence Gue as co-hostess.

Fourteen members and 20 guests were present. Mrs. Vincent Davis, chairman of the program committee, asked Mrs. Rogers to introduce the guest speaker.

Mr. Rosenberger gave a most interesting and informative review of his book, "The Virginia Reader." It covers writing of a period of 350 years, beginning before Jamestown. Most of the early writings were historical and nature Virginia. Virginia had no creative writing until the time of Poe. Writings from many of our famous and well-known Virginians have been included in this book.

Mr. Rosenberger, who is a great admirer of Thomas Jefferson, is now writing a book which he expects to call "The Jefferson Reader."

Everyone felt a much deeper appreciation for our Virginia history after hearing Mr. Rosenberger. After the meeting adjourned, a social hour with refreshments was much enjoyed by all.

Rural Institute Members Meet

Prince William County Rural Life Institute members and guests heard several addresses today at Grace Methodist Church which helped to answer the question, "How can my church do the best possible job in the place where it is located?"

This morning B. L. Hummel, B. L. Gilley and the Rev. E. K. Zeigler spoke on "Rural Life Conditions and Trends Affecting the Rural Church," "The Challenge of Youth to the Country Church," and "The Church Serving the Community," respectively.

Luncheon Held
At noon a group lunch was held at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel, followed by a round table discussion from 1 to 3 p. m. on "The Church in Relation to Public Service Agencies."

Leadership to the Institute was supplied by the Extension Service, Rural Life Department of V.P.I. The local invited guests were the ministers and public service agents of this County.

Pearson's 'Counting House' To Establish Office Near Here

Pearson's 'Counting House,' established in 1934, by its present director, Jack Pearson, has recently purchased a plot of ground in nearby Yorkshirre for the purpose of erecting a modern, well-equipped accounting office.

City Officials Are Guests Of Lions Club

A well-attended meeting of the Lions Club last Wednesday evening joined with officials of the town in free discussion of general problems of municipal government which are before the Council at this time or are becoming more and more important items for early consideration.

Guests of the club, Mayor Davis and Town Manager James W. Ritter, Jr., made brief but very earnest and effective talks introductory to exchanges of questions, answers and off-the-record comment participated in by Councilman Hook and Councilwoman Saunders.

Mayor Commends Club
Mayor Davis, after commending the club for activities in the interest of a better community, commended the organization for offering opportunity to the town's officials to discuss with citizens, in an informal manner, problems which concern all citizens, indicating that in his opinion it led to better understanding between citizens and officials, when matters of specific interest to the citizens required formal presentation to the Council in regular session.

Citing some specific problems, of policy and practice as well as of engineering, Mayor Davis indicated that because of the failure of the average citizen to weigh all the responsibilities of the Council in relation to some personal grievance or private service, the lot of the town official "is not a happy one."

Manager Ritter Speaks
Manager Ritter presented a few of the more recent accomplishments which the Council may claim with pride and satisfaction. He presented a clear statement of the difficulty with which officials served when modern equipment was unavailable, where manual labor had to serve in place of mechanized operations.

"This handicap," he stated, was not only a reason for long delays in completing improvements but was costly in the quality and quantity of service possible under appropriations available to the officials for the projects attempted.

Mr. Ritter, in answer to a question from the floor, stated that, in order to provide better equipment, render more adequate service, the Town must consider seriously the impending need for expansion through annexation of those areas sufficiently developed to provide return in taxes for services extended to them as required by law.

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500 Attend Co-op Party At Osbourn

Almost 500 persons from this County attended the annual membership meeting of the Prince William Electric Cooperative held Tuesday evening at the gymnasium of Osbourn High School.

Highlighting the evening's program was the awarding of prizes and the election of officers.

Directors Chosen
Directors chosen to serve for the coming year were F. S. Van Doren, of Manassas; W. E. Detwiler, of Clifton; William Wheeler, Manassas; Charles F. Cornwell, Manassas; and C. A. Middleton, The Plains.

The board of directors chose Mr. Van Doren, president; Mr. Detwiler, vice president; and Mr. Wheeler, secretary-treasurer.

Opening the meeting was the High School Band which played several selections.

15-Minute Reports Given
Outgoing President James B. Cross opened the business meeting and 15-minute reports were given by Mr. Cross; the secretary and the manager.

Eight prizes were awarded to consumers. Mr. Middleton won the home freezer; Mark A. Thomas, electric toaster; H. L. Todd, the sandwich grill; Mrs. Walter Woodyard, Clifton, a hand iron; R. L. Payne, a steam iron; A. V. Eanes, a coffee maker, and the two sets of double waffle irons were given to R. A. Hughes, Yorkshirre, and C. M. Marbaker, of Dumfries.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments and music were furnished.

The board of directors will have its next meeting December 13, at Manassas.

Sudley Church Schedules Two Meetings

Members of the Sudley Methodist Church attended Thanksgiving services Sunday and heard announcements of two important meetings for the immediate future and an outline of plans for the Christmas Day program to be presented by the Methodist Youth Fellowship.

First quarterly conference of the Church year will be held for all stewards, officers and laymen of the Sudley charge, Sudley and Gainesville Churches, at the Gainesville Methodist Church at 3 Saturday afternoon, December 10, the Rev. J. W. Duley, pastor, announces. Dr. J. Calloway Robertson of Arlington will be in charge of the conference.

Initial Meeting Held
The initial meeting of a study course, which will extend over about eight months, was held last night at Sudley Church, when members met to study the book, "Our Faith in God," under the leadership of the Rev. Mr. Duley. A study course meeting will be held each month until the course is completed, and subject of the December meeting will be "Our Faith in Christ."

Young people of the two churches this week were hosts to the meeting of the Manassas Sub-district of Methodist Youth Fellowship at the Gainesville Church. Representatives of several churches in the district participated in a worship and recreational program led by a group from the Alexandria sub-district, and the Sudley officers conducted a business meeting and served refreshments.

The MYF now turns its attention to preparation of the program to be presented at Sudley Church Christmas Day, and to arrangements for caroling on Christmas Eve.

NEED BROUGHT HOME

AURORA, Ill.—One of the hardest workers in the promotion of a baseball game between the city's firemen and policemen, the proceeds of which were to go for the purchase of iron lungs for polio treatment, was Fire Lieutenant Carl Numrich. Two days after his 6-year-old son, Bobbie, became ill. The case was diagnosed as infantile paralysis.

You Be Sure To read "Personality of the Week," on the editorial page of The Manassas Journal. This will be a regular weekly feature and will deal with people of Prince William County.

Dr. Riddick Is Woman's Club Speaker

Guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Manassas Woman's Club Monday night at the Parish Hall was Dr. Floyd M. Riddick, Senate editor of the Daily Digest of the Congressional Record.

Dr. Riddick, in talking on the complexities of our modern education, touched on the big problem of finances.

In this connection he gave a most interesting presentation of the Thomas Bill which is now before Congress. Of necessity, he presented an all-round picture of this bill which would use Federal funds for public schools, and left it to the group to decide for themselves what position they will take.

New Members Welcomed
In the business meeting preceding the talk, the members voted to entertain the Spring institute of the Fourth District.

Two new members, Mrs. Ian Ross and Mrs. W. J. Saylor, were welcomed by the president, Mrs. W. L. Lloyd.

Mrs. A. L. Henry presented the matter at better support of the program of week-day religious education in the County schools.

Remarks on Forum Given
Mrs. Lloyd gave a few brief remarks about the very interesting Woman's Forum at Miller and Rhoads which she attended early in November. It was the opinion of the speakers at the forum that women of today must take a more active part in local and national affairs.

The chairman of the health committee, Mrs. Bean, reported that members of the Woman's Clubs with representatives of other service clubs, had appeared before the Board of Supervisors at its last meeting, in the interest of the proposed War Memorial Health Center. The Woman's Club at a previous meeting had endorsed the project and are most interested in seeing it put through to completion.

The next meeting of the club will be a joint meeting with the Fine Arts Section on December 19.

Coming Events

Post 114 of the American Legion is sponsoring a turkey shoot to be held at 1 p. m. Saturday at the Regional High School, at one dollar a shot. The Post will furnish ammunition and the public is cordially invited.

The annual Christmas sale, sponsored by the Manassas Church of the Brethren, will be held at 9:30 a. m. Saturday at Prince William Motors. Pies, cakes, cookies, candies, honey, fancy work and other items will be included in the sale.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Manassas Baptist Church will meet at 8 Tuesday with Mrs. R. M. Jenkins.

A missionary rally at the Church of the Brethren, in Nokesville, will be held at 7:30 tomorrow. The Rev. Howard Alley, missionary on furlough from India, will be the speaker.

The U.D.C. Chapter meets at 2:30 Wednesday with Mrs. Giddings and Mrs. Alpaugh at their home.

At Dowell's Drug Store Saturday, the Womens Auxiliary of Trinity Episcopal Church will have a food sale, beginning at 10 a. m.

Haymarket P-TA will have its annual turkey and oyster supper beginning at 5 p. m. December 9, at the school. Charge for the supper will be \$1.25 for adults and 75c for children.

Large Sum Being Added To Jack Pot

Failure of winners of three of the weekly awards of the Manassas Merchants Mart to present themselves at one or another of the stores participating in the advertising project added a nice sum to the already substantial jackpot to be divided on December 22.

Of the four awards made on last Wednesday evening only one was paid in full.

This, the fourth award, went to Phil Green, a customer at the Western Auto Associate Store. Other winners announced on that evening were: First award, Mrs. Fred Edge, Manassas, a customer of E. E. Rohr Store; second, A. D. Carter, Manassas, a patron of Wells Market, and third, V. B. Pearson, RFD 3, who deposited a ticket with Jimmie Rice at the WAAS.

Color of Coupon Varies
With the belated delivery of the regulation tickets each merchant is providing visitors to their stores with coupons of colors which differ for each store.

These, while smaller in size, will be more easily handled and, if care is used in writing both the name and address, will provide satisfactory identification for all who use them.

The management reports that some are neglecting to give addresses to which checks may be mailed. This is essential, as is the regulation that coupons secured at one store be deposited in that same store.

Large Drawing Expected
Exact figures are not yet available, but the great increase in the number of coupons collected daily indicate that the next drawing will involve selection from more than 5,000 coupons. This show of interest is gratifying to the participating merchants and visitors to stores cooperating in the Mart are gratified to find full stocks of holiday goods in wide variety and at reasonable prices.

County Polio Head Chosen

William H. May, of Manassas, has been appointed by Gen. Alexander A. Vandergrift to serve as campaign director for Prince William County in the 1950 March of Dimes campaign for funds to fight infantile paralysis.

As local campaign director, Mr. May will be asked to double the \$4,476.78 contributed in Prince William County last year.

Director Expresses Need
Serving his second year as chairman of the drive, General Vandergrift said that the country is faced with the certainty that 17,000 victims of 1949 must be cared for in 1950, the greatest carry-over case load in the 12-year history of the foundation. He added that each community must be ready to help new patients in outbreaks predicted in many areas next summer.

Patient care alone in 1949 cost \$31,090,000 in March of Dimes funds. This, added to the cost of continuing vital research and educational programs, makes it clear that only a united effort in Virginia can boost the March of Dimes to a total sufficient to do a job almost twice as big as any faced before, said General Vandergrift.

Town Council Delays Water Rate Action Until December 9th

Nursery Sets Opening Day For Monday

A nursery, endorsed by the Town Council Monday as a good plan, will be opened Monday morning in Manassas by Mrs. A. P. Hevener and Mrs. H. V. Anderson, at 323 East Center St., Mrs. Hevener's home.

With an open house Sunday, the nursery will operate between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m., and will be called the Pitter Pat Nursery.

Age Limits 2 to 5
Designed especially for working mothers who are not financially able to employ special nurses or mothers who do not want to place their children in an institution, arrangements for the care of children between the ages of 2 and 5 can be made by the hour, day, week or month. It is also designed for mothers who wish to shop.

Playthings, lunch, a special diet, and a rest hour will be provided, and the nursery will assume full responsibility for the children while they are being cared for.

Further information concerning the Pitter Pat Nursery may be obtained by phoning 214-W or 209.

Men's Church Group Started

GREENWICH—On Tuesday evening, 24 men gathered at the Sunday School building of the Presbyterian Church at Greenwich and organized a men's group.

The following officers were elected: President, Capt. J. S. McClure; vice president, G. L. Mayhugh; secretary-treasurer, C. J. Gibson.

The group will meet each fourth Wednesday evening at 7:30. The program committee, consisting of Captain McClure, Stuart McMichael and Blake Fleming, has already started interesting programs for the next three months.

Adding to the fellowship of these meetings, supper will be served each time by some organization of the church. The Women of the Church served them a delicious turkey supper at this first meeting.

The Rev. Albert Winn, pastor of the church, is much enthused by the organization of this group at the Greenwich Church, and hopes that even more men will become active in this work.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Centreville are the parents of a daughter born November 19, at Columbia Hospital.

Advertising is the primer of the pump of business—if you use your head, you will know how the pump works.

Board of Viewers Gives It's Report On Milnes' Petition

With all members present, the Town Council Monday evening postponed until the continued regular meeting to be held December 9, action on the water rates for persons living outside the corporation limits.

Much discussion ensued concerning what should be done with respect to the rats charged for such consumers of water, and any change the Council makes will come as an amendment to Section 3 of the ordinance adopted June 27, 1949, which places a charge of 75c for each 1,000 gallons of water, except for large consumers under contract.

Viewers Report Given
The board of viewers appointed to report on the alley between Church Street and another alley running east and west parallel to Center Street closed reported that the alleys appeared to be unkept and that they appeared as though they had not been used for the past 20 years.

It was pointed out in the report that the alleys were originally intended to service three lots facing on Grant Avenue, the lots now owned by Alfred Milnes who desires the change. The viewers reported that Mr. Milne's petition would cause no one inconvenience and recommended that the alleys be closed.

An auto ordinance on the regulation and sale of motor vehicles, to go into effect May 1, 1950, was adopted by the Council. However, the only change from the old ordinance in effect is in the matter of violations, in which upon conviction the violator will be fined not less than \$5 or more than \$50.

Action on the Trailways bus terminal was tabled for the present.

Town Manager Ritter read a letter from four certified public accountants who gave a rate on auditing the town books of about \$1,000. Mr. Ritter was instructed to contact the state auditor, in order to determine a fair cost.

Mrs. H. V. Anderson appeared before the Council on behalf of herself and Mrs. A. T. Hevener, in regard to opening a day nursery. The Council approved the plan and endorsed it.

McManaway's Work Approved
The work of N. T. McManaway in codifying and bringing up to date, the town ordinances was approved, with the Council to take final enactment action at a later time.

Norville Robinson, who has previously applied for permission to erect a beauty parlor and private garage on Douglas Street, presented a petition signed by nearby residents and received permission to build.

E. G. Nelson asked for a special electric rate for a hot water heater, and after much discussion the Council passed a resolution to enter into a special agreement with Mr. Nelson. The town will charge him two cents per KWH for electricity for the hot water heater, \$10 for installing a special meter and other wiring costs necessary for installing the special meter.

Welfare Group Attends Meeting at Warrenton

Mrs. Elizabeth Painter, superintendent of Public Welfare; Miss Nancy Didlake, social worker, and John W. Ellis, member of the Board of Supervisors, and also the local Board of Welfare, attended a meeting Monday at Warrenton which was sponsored by the Virginia Conference of Social Work.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the proposed budget of the State Department of Welfare and Institutions as submitted by the director of that department to the Governor's Budget Advisory Board.

Placed in 50-gallon drums, the trees will be lighted with two of them placed outside the Town Hall, another at the hotel and the other near the telephone office.

When the street lights of the town are turned on each evening, the Christmas lights will go on as well as the lights to the other decorations. They will be turned off about 11.

With donations from the Garden Club, the Junior Woman's Club and donations pledged from other groups, this year promises to make Manassas' much brighter with the warmth of Christmas than it has been for a long time.

Read The Journal Regularly

Feature of the Week: Something New to Be Added To Local Streets This Year

Tuesday evening Manassas residents got their first glimpse of the Christmas lights which will decorate Center Street, until after January 1, 1950—

Something more will be added to this year's Christmas decorations, however.

Star to Be Added
A 48-inch plastic star, through the cooperation of the Garden Club will be put up today at the corner of Battle and Center Streets.

Fifty yards of 12-inch, garland will be added to the orange, red, green and blue lights which are already in evidence.

Four Christmas trees will be placed in special positions throughout the business district.

In And Around Manassas

By Mrs. Amelia Brown McBryde

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel M. Kelso were Richmond visitors Friday. Mr. Clarke Johnson of Richmond spent several days here last week on a hunting trip.

Miss Sue Ayre spent the holidays in Richmond.

Comdr. and Mrs. Dabney Waters and daughters were guests of Comdr. Waters' mother, Mrs. O. D. Waters, during the Thanksgiving holiday.

Miss Mildred Parrish of Lancaster, Pa., spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Parrish.

Mr. Tony Davis was the guest of Mr. John Duncan of Waverly during the Thanksgiving holidays. Mrs. Channing Yahrborough, of Hampton, visited her sister, Mrs. Maude Waters, for several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger W. Cross, Jr., and Roger W. Cross, III, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Fontaine B. Hooff and sons, of Wheeling, W. Va., spent the week end with Mrs. Ruth S. Rogers.

Mrs. J. Carl Kincheloe, Mrs. R. Jackson Ratcliffe and Mrs. Edgar Rohf were Richmond visitors Monday.

Mrs. Steptoe Wood of King William, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roger Cross.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Marsteller and Miss Nancy Marsteller were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Douglas Vanderhoof of Richmond for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. Harry Blakemore, Jr., of the University of Virginia, was home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morris, of Norfolk, were the guests last week end of Mr. and Mrs. Ashby White.

Mr. James D. Barron is on a hunting trip near Harrisonburg.

Mrs. Russell Powell has returned from Richmond where she visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Champe Powell and her new granddaughter.

Mrs. Florence Gue spent Friday in Richmond, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Martin, Mrs. Myrtle Mitchell and Miss Betty Lee Jenkins spent Thanksgiving Day at Williamsburg, with Mr. and Mrs. Martin's son, Mr. Jackie Martin, a student at William and Mary.

Mr. Benny Cross of Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cross.

Guests of Mrs. Bruce Whitmore on Thanksgiving Day were Mr. C. C. Furr, Mrs. Audrey Kerr and son, Mr. Jack Kerr of Broad Run, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Whitmore of Arlington, Col. and Mrs. Alan Mackenzie and son, Sparkie, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Whitmore of Woodstock, and daughter, Miss Peggy Ann Whitmore, a student at Hood College, Frederick, Md., Mrs. Mary B. Fitzgerald of Washington, D. C., and Miss Blanche Woodson of Charlottesville.

Guests this week of Mrs. O. D. Waters are her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lennis of Pratt, W. Va.

Mr. Billy Johnson, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wheatley Johnson over the holidays, returned to V. P. I. Sunday.

Miss Gretchen Burhen, who was home from V. P. I., Blacksburg, for the Thanksgiving holiday attended the Army-Navy game in Philadelphia, Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Smith and Mrs. Ruth Rodgers attended Miss Margaret Truman's concert at Constitution Hall Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bleber of Ashland, visited relatives over the week end.

Mrs. F. H. Lee, Miss Edith Yates, of Warrenton, Mr. P. H. Lee, Jr., of Yale, Va., and Mr. Blance Lee of the University of Virginia, Miss Mary Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kleski, of Bel Air, Md., were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Marsteller last week.

Miss Betty Lee Jenkins of Madison College visited her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Mitchell, over the holidays.

Mr. Apple Lewis of V. P. I. spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Lewis.

Commonwealth Attorney and Mrs. Stanley Owens attended the Army-Navy game Saturday in Philadelphia, where they were joined by Mr. Owens' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone Owens of Dalegona, Ga. Mr. Owens's son, William, is a cadet at West Point.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Parks attended the V. M. I.-V. P. I. game at Roanoke Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Nancy Marsteller spent the week end in Washington, D. C., as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bernet. Mrs. Fontaine B. Hooff, of Washington, D. C., was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ruth Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sacra and family of McGaheysville, spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller. They were on their way home, after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark, a brother of Mrs. William L. Miller at Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. Hibbs left Monday for Florida, where they will vacation for several months.

Mrs. Sally Gilchrist of Winston-Salem, N. C., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Leon Testa, at the Manse.

Miss Elizabeth Fingerboth and Miss May Fingerboth of Washington visited with the Testas on North Main St. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Douglas Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Fogarty of Arlington, were Sunday guests of the Bushongs on North Main St.

Mr. Robert Morris Henry and Mrs. Eva C. Musgrove, both of Newport News, were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mrs. A. L. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Armstrong, Miss Shirley Armstrong, Mr. William Yuhase and Miss June Yuhase, all of Richmond, visited Mrs. W. A. Newman and her sisters last Saturday.

Mrs. M. H. Larkin of Fairfax County and Dr. C. R. Larkin of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md., were dinner guests of Mrs. W. A. Newman last Friday.

In Fashion Now

Strapless evening gowns and bare throats for afternoon call for chokers, chains and elaborate jewelry. Pendant earbobs have come into their own again, and this is also a result of the decollete gowns that are being worn this season.

The high cost of living, so-called, is not as important as the high cost of bankrupting the Government.

To Relieve Misery of COLDS take 666 LIQUID OR TABLETS - SAME FAST RELIEF

The Human Race

GODFREY McGADGET SPARES NO EXPENSE ON HIS GOLD-PLATE 8... IT'S GOT MORE ACCESSORIES THAN A VACUUM CLEANER FACTORY -



BUT IT'S ALL ON THE SURFACE -



WALK INTO OCEAN HALF MOON BAY, Calif.—Hand-in-hand, Myrtle M. Porter, 47, and Ted Yelle, 50, both of Belmont, Calif., walked into the sunset-gold surf and drowned, while a score of guests at a restaurant overlooking the Pacific Ocean watched.

HIS ERROR MACON, Ga.—Seeing a new car illegally parked, Traffic Officer Roland Banville wrote out a parking ticket and left it on the car. Called to court, Banville sheepishly explained that he didn't recognize his own new car.

FINE JEWELRY Waltham, Hamilton and Elgin Watches EXPERT WATCH REPAIR Wenrich's Jewelry Store "In Business Since 1888" MANASSAS VIRGINIA



LAY AWAY for the KIDS

For A Wonderful Christmas... WESTERN WHEEL TOYS FIRE CHIEF PEDAL CAR. For 3 to 6-year olds. \$13.25 10" VELOCIPEDE. Unusual value! \$5.85 STRONGLY-BUILT WAGON. 28"x13" body. \$3.59 16" SIDEWALK BIKE. \$29.95

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Veterans News

A deadline in connection with National Service Life Insurance is coming up December 31, 1949, for veterans with service-incurred disabilities less than total in degree. Generally World War II veterans who apply for new insurance or to reinstate a policy that has lapsed must furnish VA with satisfactory evidence of his good health. But so long as he applies before January 1, 1950, a service-incurred disability, if less than total in degree, will be disregarded in determining good health for this purpose.

Health Evidence Needed A veteran who applies for NSLI total disability income provision also is required to furnish evidence of good health. In this case, too, a disability incurred in service between those same dates, if less than total in degree, will be disregarded in determining good health. The application for the total disability income provision must be made before January 1, 1950. World War II veterans eligible for automobiles have June 30, 1950, as their deadline, before which ap-

Regular Army, the Virginia Military District has announced. This is the first time the Army has offered direct commissions in the WAC to women from civilian life. An applicant must be a college graduate, or prospective graduate in her senior year, who will have attained her 21st birthday but will not have passed her 27th birthday on the date of being ordered to active duty for attendance at a basic course. Age waivers may be granted in certain cases to women with World War II service. Applicants must be United States citizens, single, and must pass the prescribed physical examination.

GETS IN A RUT CHICAGO—The stork recently delivered 16 boys in succession. Then, at the 30 hours, the extraordinary broken by the birth of a girl.

Too Late to Class FOR SALE—Antique walnut with gold-leaf inlaid. For prints, photographs, mirrors. Sizes 10 by 12 inches, 36 by 46 inches. Reasonably priced. Revere's Picture Framing, Va. Phone Manassas 448. FOR RENT—Two furnished with board; one double bed, single beds; both near bath. 24-J, Mrs. Cecil Rodgers.

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 Mrs. J. J. Hinson, of
 and their two children,
 and J. J. Hinson, Jr.,
 Friday at "Threeacre," the
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Helms.
 Wright from Western
 College, Westminster,
 with his mother, Mrs.
 Wright, over the holiday week

Thanksgiving dinner guests
 Anna-Wright were her son,
 her-in-law and grandson, Mr.
 Clarence S. Wright and
 Spencer, of Pender, and
 Margaret Ann Posey of Cliff-

and Mrs. Everett Onell had
 guests for a couple of days,
 and aunt, Mr. and Mrs.
 of Tulaski, Tenn., and
 Mr. James L. Shelton
 make.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of
 Mrs. Everett Onell were
 her sister-in-law and
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert P.
 and son, James Edward, of
 Mr. and Mrs. S. B.
 Charlottesville were their
 for Friday.

and Mrs. Everett Richardson
 family spent a day at his par-
 Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Richard-
 Silver Spring, Md.
 Edward and Wallace Wright,
 Dor's Staats, Miss Margaret
 and Miss Ruth Wright at
 a social at the Accotink
 Church.

and Mrs. Williams and Miss
 had dinner with Mr. and
 Mrs. Helms Saturday.
 are glad to hear that Mr.
 mother is improving.
 guests of Mr. and Mrs.
 Garrison were her brother,
 her-in-law and niece, Mr. and
 David Vear and daughter,
 of Riverdale, Md., and Mr.
 Alvin Gibson and son
 of Silverdale, Md.

and Mrs. Witt and family
 Thanksgiving dinner guests of
 Mrs. Richard Portch and
 in Fredericksburg. While in

Fredericksburg, they attended the
 Fredericksburg - Falmouth football
 game.
 Miss Mary Sue Carter spent the
 holiday week end with Miss Judith
 Vear, of Riverdale, Md.
 Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Onell spent
 several days at Bridgewater.

On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Everett
 Onell and guests went sight-seeing
 in Washington. Saturday they vis-
 ited with relatives in Scottsville.
 Miss Joanne Stroup had a party
 to celebrate her thirteenth birth-
 day.

Capl. and Mrs. Kelleway, guests
 of Capt. and Mrs. Jesse Morse and
 family, are expecting to leave for
 Germany soon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Robins and
 daughter were Sunday dinner
 guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tan-
 sill at Cheverly, Md.

The Presbyterian Sunday School
 Christmas program will be on
 Christmas night, Sunday evening,
 December 25. The main feature of
 the program will be a pageant.
 Then, there will be a Christmas
 party in the S. S. building some-
 time during Christmas week—date
 to be announced later.

John Mayhugh of V. P. I., Dillon
 Wood of Shenandoah Conservatory
 and Nancy Ellis of Radford, were
 all home for the Thanksgiving holi-
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 The Rev. Barnett Gainsley con-
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Mr. A. Crummett returned from
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 The party he was with bagged a
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 on Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ewing House and
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Beverage Control Board for license
to sell beer for on and off premises
consumption and wine for off prem-
ises consumption at the Yellow
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severe,
We never thought your death was
near.

A happy life we enjoyed—
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The world can never fill.
Loving Father, Sister, Brother.
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Signed Willie Williams, owner.
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S. Powell. 32-1-c

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Centreville

By Mrs. Nora Good

The next regular meeting of the
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Mrs. Willard Mohler, December 16.
The Bazaar at the church will be
held December 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin are the
proud parents of another daughter,
born November 19 at Columbia
Hospital. Sad news awaits Mrs.
Martin when she returns home Sat-
urday. Her mother, who lived in
Culpeper, died November 25.

Mrs. Gothwaite, who with Mr.
Gothwaite, returned Saturday from
a two weeks visit in Chicago, had
luncheon in Washington Tuesday
with Dr. and Mrs. Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Foster, who
have moved to Centreville, are stay-
ing with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence
Buckley.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allison and
Johnny, of Arlington, had Thank-
sgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs.
Wm. Good.

Mr. Davis Mother of Falls
Church, also visited the Goods on
Thursday.

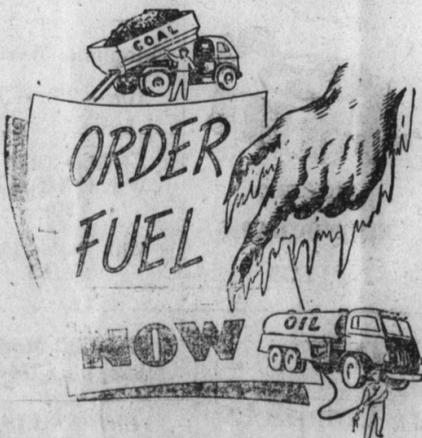
Mrs. Dan Davis and Mrs. Helen
Sullivan had Thanksgiving dinner
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By Mrs. Guy Reynolds

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McCrae and
baby and Mr. and Mrs. Herman
Rudy had Thanksgiving dinner with
Mrs. Helen Saunders.

Mrs. Myrtle Wilson of Arlington,
visited her brother and sister-in-
law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Painter,
over the holidays.

Mr. J. J. McLaughlin's Hardware
Store caught afire Friday night.
There was very little damage, how-
ever. Most of the brooms burned
before firemen extinguished the
flames.

Mrs. Lester Mohler and children
visited Mrs. Mohler's mother and
father, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith of
Pleasant Valley, Friday. Those vis-
iting Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mohler
Wednesday night to watch the tele-
vision program were Mr. Harvey
Nichols, Mrs. Davison and Miss Vir-
ginia Smith of Pleasant Valley.

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tized product.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams and
family of Dahlgren visited Mr. and
Mrs. J. F. Williams over Thank-
sgiving.

Mrs. Donald Crawford spent a
few days last week in Washington
visiting relatives.

Miss Faye Brawner spent Sunday
with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Garrison.
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer
Williams on Wednesday for dinner
were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKen-
zie and daughter, Wanda Lee, Miss
Dianne Brawner and Mr. and Mrs.
Lloyd Barlow.

Mrs. Cecil Garrison and Mrs. Bill
Ligt visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy
Reynolds on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Williams were
dinner guests on Thanksgiving Day
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. El-
mer Williams.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Guy Reynolds were Miss Mildred
McKenzie, Mr. Jimmie Winfree
and Mrs. Frank McKenzie.

Last Week's News
Mrs. Ellen Burrell of Fredericks-
burg visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald
Shifflet on Monday.

Mrs. Joe Cramer and Mrs. Art
Shifflet were Washington shoppers
on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Garrison
visited Mr. and Mrs. T. L.
Washington on Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Kaulman of
Arlington, is now visiting her
mother, Mrs. Nellie Brawner.

Shirley Fairfax of Indle-
wood, Md., visited Mr. and Mrs.
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Happenings in Nokesville

By Mrs. Fred Shepherd

Mrs. H. L. Alley, Mrs. A. D. Sine's mother-in-law, who is a missionary throughout from India, will speak at the Nokesville Church of the Brethren at 7:30 Friday evening. This is the speaking tour Mr. Alley planned before he lost his leg several weeks ago. The offering of the evening will be for mis-

Several Christmas programs in the community have already been scheduled. The Faithful Climbers School Class will have their Christmas party for their members in the church basement on December 12. In charge of the evening's activities are Mrs. Shepherd, Mrs. Walter Flory, John Randall, Mrs. David Flory and Mrs. Wade Whetzel.

The Christmas program of the church of the Brethren will be at 7:30 Friday evening, December 23. A P.T.A.-sponsored program will be at the school on Monday evening, December 19. In charge of the program is Mrs. Grover Brown. Walter Flory and Miss Alma Flory.

Mrs. Wade Whetzel, Mrs. L. J. Bowman and Miss Conn's Shepherd attended the Sunday concert at the National Symphony Orchestra at Constitution Hall, when Miss Margaret Truman was guest soloist.

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Williams, Marilyn, from State College, spent the holiday week end at the Carl Millers. On Thanksgiving Day they, with the Floyd and Billy Kings, had a "old-fashioned Thanksgiving" from early forenoon to late evening at the Miller home.

Mrs. Wade Whetzel and Mrs. S. G. Whetzel, Mr. Harry Whetzel and Mrs. M. and Mrs. Miller Whetzel, and Mrs. S. G. Whetzel, Jr., and Judy, and Mr. and Mrs. West Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Macaulay Ward, the former Genevieve Gardner, recently visited the George Mans. Last week they left from New York for Germany where "he" is to be stationed for 18 months. While there both of the folks plan to further their local careers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Gay and Lee spent the Thanksgiving day with Mrs. Gay's sister and family at New Milford, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Nelson and Mrs. Nelson Hewitt and David Sine's family spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sine. It was Billy Sine's first trip to "Grandpa's" since his recent appendectomy.

The Floyd Laniers were Friday dinner guests of the Ficks who live in Jefferson Village.

Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. Mrs. L. J. Bowman were the Mrs. and Mrs. D. D. Fleishman and Mrs. and the Fred T. Shepherds. Mrs. Marian Poole spent the week at home from the Alexandria school of Nursing.

Mrs. O. D. Landes and Mrs. Will Wright spent Sunday with Mr. Landes, who is convalescing from a recent operation at the University of Virginia Hospital.

William Seese spent the week end with Nokesville friends and attended the homecoming services at the Church of the Brethren on Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Nolley from Bridgewater College spent the week end with Eugene's family. On Thursday evening they sang beautifully at the Thanksgiving service at the Church of the Brethren.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Carter and Terry were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Newland and Danny.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Collier and family of Washington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wilkins and Peggy.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wright and children of Falls Church attended the homecoming services on Sunday. In the evening they visited Marvin's aunt, Mrs. A. A. Bell, who is still confined to her home.

Thanksgiving Day guests of the Willard Wilkins family were Mr. and Mrs. Ted J. Shepherd and family.

We received such a nice letter from J. C. Snider of Arlington saying how much he enjoyed the "Nokesville News" each week in the Journal. "Uncle John" has many friends in and around Nokesville so he is always interested in all the activities of our community.

December 8th will soon be here which is the date chosen for the annual bazaar of the W.S.C.S. of the Nokesville Methodist Church. The all-day affair will be at the Fire Hall. There will be booths with everything imaginable for sale from 10 o'clock on. In the evening the ladies are serving a 75c turkey plate with dessert and drink extra.

Have you sent in your dollar for the T. B. seals to Mrs. Grover Brown, seal chairman for Bretnsville District? More than 50,000 died from tuberculosis in the United States last year. Your dollar may help to lower this number in 1950. Remember, "One of the finest Christmas gifts you can give is your dollar for T. B. seals."

Mrs. Beulah Landes Brown of Nokesville spent Sunday visiting the J. W. Wrights and attending the homecoming at the Church of the Brethren. Thanksgiving day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wright were Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wright and daughters, Jeanne and Linda; Mr. and Mrs. Marvyn Wright, Martha,



The new 1950 Mercury retains its distinguished front end appearance but emphasizes more its horizontal lines by incorporating larger oblong chrome parking lamps into the grille. A new nameplate has been brought down into the grille area and placed on a chrome strip, replacing the separate letter treatment. A new ornamental deck lid handle embodying the Mercury insignia, and distinctive new bumper guards are other exterior styling features on the new models.

John and Bruce of Falls Church, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Foster and Peggy of Minerva, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foster and Elder I. N. H. Beahm. In the evening they all attended services at the Church of the Brethren.

George Croushorn stopped by to say hello as he always does when he's home from the University of Maryland. George likes college just fine.

The Junior Woman's Home Demonstration Club met recently with Mrs. June Smith, Mrs. Ruby Gib-

son assisted the hostess in serving. Most of the afternoon was spent exchanging Christmas suggestions. The surprise package was won by Mrs. Mary Bowman. The Christmas meeting will be with Mrs. Virginia Wilkins, with Mrs. Roberta Nelson in charge of the program.

We're so glad to know that little Buddy Hale is expected to be able to come home today, Wednesday, from Children's Hospital where he has been for a week recovering from an operation. His mother and little Joseph have been staying with Mr. and Mrs. LeWine Kerlin so that she may be close to him.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Whetzel entertained recently in honor of Mr. Frank Foster on his birthday. The following of the Foster family attended: Mr. and Mrs. Freddie

Trommler and son of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Foster and Mark, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Foster, Joan, Jeffrey and Pam, all of Washington.

The Ted Fosters will soon move to Norfolk where Ted has been transferred.

Mrs. David Kerlin and Mrs. Harry Van Nort were hostesses to more than a hundred folks on Tuesday night who came to a bridal shower for Mr. and Mrs. Dick Stohuber of Manassas. Dick and Jean received so many beautiful gifts and with each went the wish they may have a long and happy life together. Assisting at the refreshment table were the ladies of the Faithful Climbers Sunday School Class.

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Med. calves, 100, \$10-\$18	Butter, lb., 66c-72c
Hogs, 100, \$15-\$16.80	Lard, lb., 8c-14c
Sick hogs, 100, \$14.80-\$16	Hams, lb., 70c-80c
Scows, 100, \$12-\$16	Side and shoulder, lb., 20c-42c
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By Maggi Marchand Brown

Between George Washington and John L. Lewis there is a broad sweep of American history. While America's first citizen stood alone on uncommenced ground, the dictator of the miners has often passed over his dim footprints.

Washington's earliest great venture in his military career was his perilous journey into the wilderness beyond the Allegheny Mountains.

Carrying a message to the French commandant, in the name of Governor Dinwiddie, the youthful Washington gave warning that the Virginians would not tolerate French settlement at the forks of the Ohio. Within a few years Washington had suffered bitter defeat and glorious victory in the French and Indian War that determined the ownership of the present soft-coal regions of the Ohio watershed.

Lewis Now Commandant
Nearly two hundred years later the labor leader, who owns an oil-heated house in Alexandria, is the real commandant of old East Pitt. Few men in peacetime history have maintained the awesome power that Lewis has claimed over heavy industry, workers and householders.

In the vast steel district, the welfare of men, women and children is measured in coal. Even the miners themselves are counting the cost in income lost through this strike, which is temporarily suspended. Some coal diggers do not know the real reason for the strike.

Visits Pittsburgh

A few weeks ago I visited in Pittsburgh, a city that seemed to have lost its turbulent soul. No furnace fires flashed against the sky. No clamor of mills. No fretful shunting of burdened freight trains in the far-flung railroad yards. No river barges on the turbid water brooding silence lay upon the Golden Triangle between the great Ohio tributaries where the riches of the earth have built one of the most dramatic cities of the world.

Talks With Conductor

I talked with a railroad freight conductor who has been furloughed until the strike is over. This man reads history in his spare time, which is most plentiful when neither steel nor coal is being hauled away.

"When I can't look forward," he said, "I look backward and wonder how we got this way. When Washington came up these western rivers, he could not have guessed that he was staking out a coal-mining claim for John L. Lewis. But the facts of history show that this particular territory has been dominated by remote control for ages—long before the white man's coming. The Lenni-Lenape Indians were governed by the cruel Iroquois, whose war lords sat at every council fire of the Lenapes till they put out the last Lenape fire. Next came the French soldiers and traders, and then English invaders took over. Finally, we had the pioneer industrialists, who dumped the dregs of European labor among the mills and mines.

Cites Depression

"The depression of the 1930s was the seed bed of trade unionism, and the Pittsburgh district was John Lewis' most fertile plantation. Here we have lived under masters, one kind or another. We are used to it."

The railroader sighed. "There's just one mistake that George Washington ever made, as I see it. He shouldn't have come up here in the first place, because now the French would have all these industrial troubles. Then we would lend them American money, which we do anyhow, but we might get some soft coal for our dollars. . . . That leaves only John Lewis for historical disposal. Well, he's another Virginian, they say. Now he has gone and put out the fires at the forks of the Ohio. The French could have John, too, and welcome."

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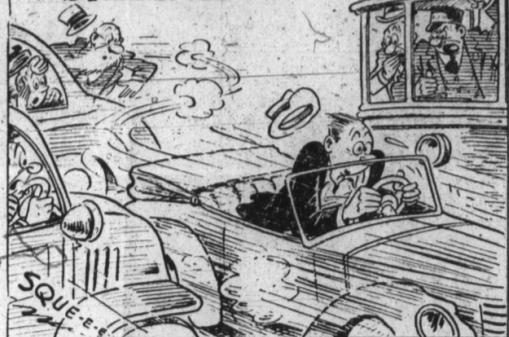
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Walker C. Cox, probate genealogist, 208 S. LaSalle St., Chicago, specialist in tracing missing relatives to settle estates, is directing the hunt with the aid of only scant clues.

Born in Virginia

"Crawford died recently, leaving the money," Mr. Cox said. "Insofar as is known he was a bachelor and had no descendants to claim it. His records revealed that he was born somewhere in Virginia in about 1883, but left the state years ago. That he had brothers and sisters who remained in Virginia is also indicated, and unless he contracted an early marriage and had children that we do not know about, these brothers and sisters or the children or grandchildren of any that are deceased, would have first claim."

Must Submit Proof

"Next in line would be the descendants of the brothers or sisters of Crawford's father and mother, whose first names are unknown."

Mr. Cox warned that persons believing themselves to be the heirs sought must submit proof of the kinship acceptable to the court having jurisdiction over the estate.

WED 51 YEARS, SEEKS DIVORCE

LOS ANGELES. Mrs. Juanita J. Martinez, who last year observed her golden wedding anniversary, recently sued for divorce and the return of her maiden name. She charged her husband, John C. Martinez, to whom she was married on October 1, 1893, with cruelty.

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Committee reports were heard and Miss Benson, program chairman, announced the program for each meeting of the coming year.

Following these reports the group heard a panel discussion on "Teachers' Welfare," the topic receiving national consideration this year.

Mrs. Tipton Speaks

Those participating in the discussion were Mrs. Katherine Hopper, who spoke on salaries; Mrs. Gertrude Oliver, on retirement; Mrs. Ossie Topton, of Manassas, on teacher acceptance; Miss Mary Barbour, on general welfare; Mrs. Jane Palmer, on class size; and Dr. Dorothy Torpe, on discrimination.

Plans for the next meeting, to be held on January 20, 1950, at Mrs. Evans' Coffee Shop, were announced and the meeting was adjourned.

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Modern Cabinet Styling

Haymarket

By Mrs. A. H. Meyer

Regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Fire Department will be held at 8:00 p.m. at the Fire Hall. Anyone interested in this growing organization should attend.

Mrs. Spencer Buckner and Mrs. Tom Hutchinson of Leesburg, was a weekend guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. Fewell Melton.

Mrs. Emma Harrell of Manassas, was a guest for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Melton. Dinner guests Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Meyer were Mrs. Margaret Pittman, Miss S. Catharine Heberle, Mr. Al White, Mr. Howard Palmer and Preston Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Carroll and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Testerman, and Miss Jane Bridges all of Herndon. The Misses Ann, Lav, and Virginia Carroll, Miss Sally Wallace, and Mr. Sam Dunn, all of Washington, D. C. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gossom and daughter of Haymarket.

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Poetry Corner

A Wish
By Sadie Smith

I ask not that my bed of death
From bands of greedy heirs be free;
For these besiege the latest breath
Of fortune's favored sons, not me.

I ask not each kind soul to keep
Tearless, when of my death he
hears;
Let those who will, if any, weep!
There are worse plagues on earth
than tears.

I ask but that my death may find
The freedom to my life denied;
Ask but the folly of mankind
Then, then at last, to quit my side.

BUS NEEDS GUIDE
LEBANON, Ore.—The fog was so thick one night recently that the bus company hired a man to walk ahead of the bus and tell the driver the way to go. The bus averaged seven blocks a half hour.

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Be Sure - Be Safe
Your service tank should be pumped or checked two to five years.
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Check these Values

Cherub Milk Evaporated	4 tall cans	45c
Carnation Milk Evaporated	2 tall cans	25c
Sno White Salt Round	2 26 oz. pkgs.	19c
Tomato Juice Sunny Dawn	46 oz. can	25c
Tomato Juice Libby's	2 18 oz. cans	25c
New England Syrup	12 oz. bot.	21c
Cranberry Sauce Ocean Spray	2 16 oz. cans	33c
Vegetable Soup Phillips	2 10 1/2 oz. cans	21c
Tomato Soup Campbell's	3 10 1/2 oz. cans	32c
Vegetable Soup Heinz	2 11 oz. cans	25c
Prune Juice Sunsweet	32 oz. bot.	27c
Peanut Butter Beverly	12 oz. jar	31c
Krispy Crackers Sunshine	16 oz. pkg.	25c
Ritz Crackers Nabisco	16 oz. pkg.	31c
Potato Chips Mann's	16 oz. pkg.	33c
Canterbury Tea Bags	8 oz. pkg.	45c
Nestle's Morsels Semi Sweet	6 oz. pkg.	19c

Other Guaranteed Meats

PORK LOIN (Whole or Half)	45c
CENTER CUT PORK CHOPS	59c
PORK LOIN ENDS (up to 3 lbs.)	35c
WEBSTER BACON	47c
BEEF RIB ROAST	65c
OSCAR MYER BACON	43c
CHUCK ROAST	55c
PLATE BEEF	19c
FRESH HAMS	53c
SMOKED HAMS	55c
SMOKED SHOULDERS	39c
FRESH SHOULDERS	37c
Potato Chips Mann's	33c
SELECT OYSTERS	pt. 77c
STANDARD OYSTERS	pt. 67c

Typical Safeway Values

SYRUP Sleepy	12-oz. bot.	23c
FLOUR Kitchen Craft	10-lb. bag	93c
FLOUR Suzanna Pancake	2 20-oz. pkgs.	25c
SUGAR Granulated	5-lb. bag	48c
PEAS Sugar Belle	2 17-oz. cans	29c

Mrs. Wright's SLICED WHITE BREAD
Enriched
lb. loaf **12c**

SHORTENING Royal Satin	3-lb. can	77c
MAYONNAISE NuMado	pt. jar	38c
APPLESAUCE Mott's	2 17-oz. cans	29c
MARGARINE Sunnybank	lb.	39c
RED SALMON Prince Leo	10-oz. can	41c

FROZEN FOODS

Orange JUICE Snow Crop	12-oz. can	25c
Orange JUICE Birds Eye	6-oz. can	25c
Sweet Peas Pictsweet	2 12-oz. pkgs.	45c
Green Kale Dulany	12-oz. pkg.	24c
Strawberries Snow Crop	12-oz. pkg.	34c
Peaches Birds Eye	16-oz. pkg.	29c
Sweet Peas Birds Eye	10-oz. pkg.	25c
Cut Corn Birds Eye	10-oz. pkg.	23c
Green Beans Birds Eye	10-oz. pkg.	25c

Buffet Fruits and Vegetables

Corn Niblets Whole Kernel	2 7 oz. cans	23c
Asp'g's Spe'rs Bitter's	2 8 oz. cans	31c
Green Beans Stokley's	2 8 oz. cans	25c

Washington Notes

PREWAR CARS
More than 20,000,000 of the 27,000,000 automobiles on the highways of the nation early this year were of prewar vintage—seven years old or older, according to the Federal Reserve Board. This is one of a number of factors which has produced a buyer demand for from 3,600,000 to 5,100,000 new cars this year.

INCOME RISE
The median or middle-sized income of American families has risen from \$1,500 in 1941 to \$3,124—an increase of more than 10 per cent, even after taking into account the heavier income tax rate, according to the Federal Reserve Board.

JOB ROLLS DECLINE
Civilian employment in the executive branch of the government totaled 2,057,064 in September, a reduction of 33,045 from the previous month. Cuts in civilian employment in the military establishment of the nation accounted for an additional reduction of 29,911 in the first four months of the present fiscal year.

FIRE LOSS
The monthly fire loss in October when thousands of American communities observed Fire Prevention Week, fell to \$43,914,000, a new 1949 low. Estimated losses for the first ten months of 1949 were \$547,141,000, a decline of 7 per cent from the same period of 1948.

DISABLED VETS
About 81,000 veterans, who are 50 per cent or more disabled, will get a \$15,000,000 slice of a \$105,000,000 melon provided by a law passed by the last session of Congress and signed on October 11 by President Truman, according to the Veterans Administration. Under the old law, the ex-servicemen had to be 60 per cent disabled before he could receive compensation. The new law applies to veterans of the Spanish-American War and World War I, as well as to those of World War II.

WORLD FOOD PRODUCTION
Ample harvests in the Northern Hemisphere have turned the tide against postwar world starvation, according to the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization, which points out, however, that food production still lags far behind world needs. The FAO said food production during the last year improved in every region except Australia and New Zealand.

TAX PROBLEMS
One of the major problems Congress will have to struggle with in its next session is the matter of taxes. President Truman has already stated that there has to be an increase in taxes. He has estimated government spending this fiscal year at \$43,500,000,000 and tax revenues at \$38,000,000,000, or thereabouts, which means a deficit of around \$5,500,000,000 as of June 30, 1950. Heavier taxes or reduced spending by Congress will have to be decided upon.

FREEDOM FAIR
The Sesquicentennial Commission, preparing for the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary celebration of Washington's establish-

ment as the National Capital, is expecting an influx of more than 15,000,000 visitors to Washington next year. America's progress under the free enterprise system will be emphasized in the seven-month celebration, in which all of the states and territories and about 40 foreign countries are expected to participate with exhibits and pageants.

A preliminary program of pageants and parades will start April 15. The Freedom Fair itself is scheduled to open July 4 and run until November 22, the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the first meeting of Congress in the newly established Federal City.

CROP SUPPORTS
At the end of August, the Federal Government had invested \$2,680,000,000 in surplus farm commodities, according to the Agriculture Department. Of this amount, \$1,420,000,000 had been paid to farmers as price-support loans on such products as corn, wheat, tobacco and cotton and the remaining \$1,260,000,000 was spent for the purchase of commodities under price-support operations.

RETAIL EXCISE TAXES
Government receipts from retail excise taxes during September topped \$4,131,000 below September, 1948, according to the Internal Revenue Bureau, which pointed out that the decline was most marked in levies on sales of jewelry and furs, but luggage and even cosmetics returned less money under

the 20 per cent impost. Retail excise receipts totaled \$25,824,000 in September.

ATOMIC RESEARCH
A \$19,000,000 construction and improvement program, to be undertaken at Oak Ridge National Laboratory, during the next two and a half years, has been announced by the Atomic Energy Commission. Of the total, \$10,500,000 will be for new research facilities and about 74,200,000 for renovation of existing research facilities and utilities.

U. S. ARMED FORCES
The Armed Forces of the United States had a combined numerical strength of 1,592,700 on September 30, according to the Department of Defense. The total is a decrease of 15,400 from the 1,608,100 combined total of August 31.

GOLD
Reversing a 15-year-old trend, gold is flowing out of the United States instead of pouring in from foreign countries. Foreign countries have bought enough gold from the straight United States monetary stocks to a \$108,000,000 fraction in seven weeks. Rumors that the United States will devalue the dollar, persisting in the face of repeated and top-level official denials, appears to have had a big part in the trend's shift.

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