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Joint Easter Service Set By Protestants

The Protestant churches of Manassas have made plans to present a non-denominational program of worship during the Easter season. A three-hour service in which all ministers will take part will be held at the Episcopal church on Good Friday, from 12 noon until 3 p. m. The service will be divided into parts so that worshippers may come and go at short intervals.

Plans for this service were announced at a meeting of the Prince William County Ministerial Association held Thursday in the Episcopal church.

The Association is also arranging for window displays in the downtown office of Attorney W. Hill Brown, Jr. from Feb. 25 to April 8. Each of the cooperating churches will have a display for one week. The displays are expected to illustrate some phase of the church's work or service.

During the week that a church has its window display it will also hold open house so that anyone may visit and meet the minister and members. The church will hold prayer services with its guests.

In the week before Easter Sunday the churches will cooperate to display communion vessels used in their various services.

The individual displays will be shown by the following churches: Baptist, Episcopal, Methodist, Presbyterian, and Brethren (Canon Branch).

Other special programs planned for Easter week include an Easter Cantata to be given by the Presbyterian choir on Good Friday night, and a showing of the film "Barabbas the Robber" at the Episcopal church on Palm Sunday.

Catholic Services For Lent Announced

Masses at 7:30 a. m. and special services at 7:30 p. m. will be celebrated simultaneously at All Saints Catholic Church in Manassas and at the Mission Church in Minnieville on Ash Wednesday.

Blessing of the ashes will be accomplished at the morning services, and ashes will be distributed at both services in each church. Father Charles Zanotti will officiate at the Mission Church, while Father George Connors will celebrate mass at Manassas.

During the Lenten season Stations of the Cross will be conducted at Manassas every Friday evening and at Minnieville each Wednesday.

State Game Commission To Stress Conservation

The Education Division of the Virginia Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries has opened a broad wildlife conservation education program involving day and night programs before schools, youth groups, women's clubs, civic associations, wildlife organizations and the general public.

The Commission has recently employed Ronald T. Speers, of Richmond, a trained wildlife conservationist, for this work and has supplied him a panel body truck complete with sound motion picture equipment, microphone, turntable, records and a library of conservation education motion pictures.

Mr. Speers will work out of the Richmond office and will spend most of his time doing liaison work between the Education Division of the Commission and the State Board of Education and the public schools.

Earhart Family Reunion First In Eight Years

For the first time in eight years last Sunday all the children of the Earhart family were together and were entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. James Earhart, and daughters Rebecca and Janet of Nokesville. Those present were: Mrs. C. H. Earhart of Yorkshir, Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Earhart, Eddie and Betty Carol of Arlington, Mrs. Mark Swank of Manassas and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Earhart, Jackie and Joyce of Yorkshir, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Schaeffer, Gall and Wayne of Nokesville, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Earhart and Linda Sue of Yorkshir, Mrs. D. E. Earhart, and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Flory of Nokesville.

Boy Scouts Mark 40th Anniversary

"STRENGTHEN LIBERTY"



Nearly two million boys from 8 and 18 belong to the Boy Scouts of America, which this week celebrated the 40th Anniversary of its founding. More than 650,000 adults are active in the Scout movement as leaders.

Personality of The Week

Valentine Himself Was Nicer Than Comic Cards Sold Today

to say that the birds started making cooling noises at each other along about Saint Valentine's day.

About a hundred years later a young lady named Elizabeth Drew took pen in hand and tossed off what is probably the first Valentine message ever sent:

"Unto my right well beloved Valentine, John Paston Esq., be this bill delivered. Right reverend and worshipful and my right well beloved Valentine, I recommend me unto you, full heartily desiring to hear of your welfare, which I beseech Almighty God long for to preserve unto His pleasure and your heart's desire."

That was the start of Valentine's Day as we know it now. Of course, there had been a Saint Valentine in the hagiography of the church for more than a thousand years before Elizabeth told John how she felt. The original Valentine died in 269 A. D., a martyr to his faith, which could not be shaken by blandishments or threats from the Emperor Claudius of Rome.

The old legends say Valentine was as gentle a minister to souls as one could find, then or now. Especially he loved children, and always carried a bag of what then passed for candy, and handed out sweetmeats to the kids in the Roman streets.

The present Valentine Day customs grew directly from one of the earliest campaigns against juvenile delinquency on record. The pagan teachers of Rome were given to dubious pleasures in honor of Feb-

ruata Juno, and some of the Christian youngsters were found to be backsliding occasionally. The early clergy put a stop to that by staging less indecate celebrations in honor—not of pagan goddesses, but of Christian saints. Valentine was an ideal choice for a rival to Februata Juno; his influence was of the proper kind and his saint's day coincided with the pagan feast.

Valentine Day, as we know it, has progressed a long way from the first anti-Juno celebrations. But it hasn't really progressed far beyond the day of Chaucer and Elizabeth Drews. The birds are still billing and cooing, and maids and swains are still exchanging billets-doux.

Sometimes, it must be admitted, the billets aren't so dour. Comic Valentines are in a class with infernal machines and Molotov cocktails as bad taste in Valentine offerings. But there are a lot of comic Valentines to be had—and cheaply. It is a good bet that many of them will find their way stealthily into Uncle Sam's mail and under front doors in the next few days.

For the card-buying student with malice in his heart, there is a Valentine labeled "Teacher," with the verse—

You think you know all the answers, You know what it's all about, Why don't you get an ERASER And just go rub yourself out?

For the young lady who wants something special for a persistent swain, a little number entitled, "Wolf!"

If you just WHISTLE, all the gals

Puente Fired; School Board Upholds Supt.

Joseph I. Puente, a language teacher at Osborn High School since September, was dismissed as of February 8 by the Prince William County School Board at its meeting Wednesday. The Board granted Puente 30 days' additional pay. He had been suspended by School Superintendent R. Worth Peters on January 30.

Two representatives of the National Education Association, were present for the hearing.

Peters charged that Puente had withheld information in filing his application for the position of language teacher and subsequently failed to meet contract requirements. It was further charged that Puente had been receiving the pay ordinarily paid to teachers with masters degrees, which it developed he did not have.

At one point in the hearing Puente's attorney H. Selwyn Smith reprimanded for his conduct while Supt. Peters was reading letters received from educational authorities regarding Puente's qualifications.

Bids Are Opened On Dumfries School

The Prince William County School Board opened bids for a proposed new Washington-Reid elementary school to be located on Route 234 near Dumfries, at the Board meeting Wednesday.

All bids were found to be in excess of funds available, and upon recommendation of School Superintendent Peters, new bids will be asked.

Architect Frederick Tulp, of Alexandria, was instructed to make necessary modifications in the plans so that the cost of the 6-room, one-story brick school building might be kept within the approximately \$120,000 available.

College Girls May Get WAC Commissions

College graduates and college seniors without military service may for the first time apply for commissions in the Women's Army Corps of the Regular Army. Procedures for making applications have been established, following a recent announcement that qualified women may become officers in the WAC.

Interested college seniors should apply to the Professors of Military Science and Tactics at the colleges where they are enrolled, or if there are none, to the deans of women.

Run after you, you say, heart that all the correspondence in they run—THE OTHER WAY!

Saint Valentine, who started it all ever so many years ago, can take heart that all the correspondence in his name will not be of the poison-pen variety. For instance, The Journal's sentiments to Prince William County in general go like this: You're grand as, friends, and readers too.

Our hearts with yours entwined; For next year, and forever, Won't you be our Valentine?

Ladies Night Celebration Held By Lions

The Lions Club's annual ladies night dinner was held Wednesday evening at Odd Fellows Hall here, with Howard Churchill as master of ceremonies.

The entertainment program began when Mr. Churchill passed out old newspapers instructing the guests to improvise hats. Prize "milliners" were Mrs. E. M. North and Jack Merchant.

Door prizes were awarded to Mrs. W. Hill Brown, Jr. and Ray Durr. A buffet supper was prepared by Bill Farquhar and his food committee, Mrs. Norman McManaway, Mrs. Ian Ross, Mrs. William Farquhar, Mrs. Ned Bradford, Mrs. Arthur Farquhar, Mrs. Jack Merchant, and Mrs. Maury Wells.

A balloon relay was won, amid popping balloons, by a team led by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farquhar and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. North.

During group singing, Mr. Farquhar walked among the guests carrying a cash register. Anyone found not putting his whole heart into the singing was confronted by a ringing bell and an open cash drawer, inviting penalty contributions to the general fund.

Miss Mary Lou Trimmer and Miss Shirley Barron gave the guests an exhibition of tap dancing.

Program chairman for the evening was Dr. Floyd Riddick, and Mrs. Layton Laws was chairman of the entertainment committee.

Reuben C. Hicks was initiated into the Lions Club at the party, and three members, Paul Arrington, E. M. North, and Roy Lily, received their certificates of membership.

Kline Hurt in Crash On Highway 28

O. M. Kline of Manassas suffered cuts on the face Wednesday morning when the truck which he was driving was struck from behind by another truck on Route 28, about three miles west of Manassas. Charles Arnel of Warrenton, driver of a truck belonging to a Warrenton bottling works, was unhurt.

According to the two men, both were traveling east on the highway about 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, when Mr. Kline slowed down to turn left into the J. M. Kline place. The soft-drink truck telescoped into the rear end of Mr. Kline's vehicle.

Supervisors Meet; Hear Publicity Plan

The Prince William County Board of Supervisors met today in regular meeting to consider routine business.

Miss Kay Keenan of Farmville was scheduled to approach the board with a plan to devote an issue of the magazine, "Virginia and the Virginia County" to Prince William County. Earlier issues of the magazine have dealt with other Virginia counties, both editorially and through advertisements solicited from local merchants. The magazine is read principally by local government officials in various parts of the state.

Helms Gets First of 3 Census Crew Leader Jobs in This Region

Redistricting Seen As Result Of '50 Census

Prince William County will undoubtedly gain a more important place in its congressional district as a result of the 1950 census.

This prediction was given this week to the Journal by N. T. McManaway, census chief in this area. His views coincide with those expressed earlier in Washington to this newspaper's representative by top census officials.

In all likelihood, congressional redistricting will take place in Virginia in 1951, based on notification of the state by congress that the 1950 population count warrants a reshuffling of the state's representation in the lower house. There are presently nine congressmen from Virginia.

The Eighth district, of which Prince William is a part, has fifteen counties and two independent cities in it. In 1940 the district had a population of 318,495, slightly over the national average of 310,000 people per congressman. The 1950 census probably will reveal an average representation of one to 345,000.

According to reliable estimates, Arlington County and Alexandria City together contain about 225,000 persons. The 1950 populations of Fairfax, Loudoun and Prince William counties probably will aggregate the 10,000 needed to make a district-size community of the four counties and Alexandria.

Whether the representation will be authorized in just this way will be up to the state legislature in 1951. In any case, a reshuffling of district boundaries, with fewer counties in Prince William's district, is a strong possibility.

March 14 Set For Plant Dedication

Plans are under way for the official dedication of the new \$100,000 Manassas sewage disposal plant on March 14—thirty-five days after the original dedication date of Feb. 7. Town Manager James Ritter has announced. Mr. Ritter said Gov. Battle has been invited to attend the ceremonies.

Reddy Delivers The Goods; 2 For Price of 1 Is Bargain

Mrs. Emma Carter knew a new arrival was due in the barn of her place on Route 2, Manassas, last Saturday. So she allowed her nephew, Max Weber, 10, to come along on the inspection trip under penalty of immediate banishment to the house if he made anything but the quietest of noises.

Faithful old Reddy, the eight-year-old cow in Mrs. Carter's barn, had fulfilled all Mrs. Carter's expectations. Looking over the railing, Mrs. Carter beheld her cow with—as the auction ads say—call by side. Suitably impressed, she turned to go back to the house. Max then climbed the rail to get a better look, and let out a yell: "Hey, there's two of them in here."

Mrs. Carter took another look. Max was right; there were two calves, one a heifer, one a bull, both apparently healthy and trying out their wobbly legs in their new environment. They have been named Jack and Jill.

It was a new experience for Mrs. Carter, who never had been furnished two for the price of one in the cow department before. It was a new experience, too, for Reddy, as many earlier accouchements, but never a pair of twins before.

Allen Schaeffer, of Nokesville, has owned cows that have presented him with twins on a couple of occasions. O. R. Hersch, dairyman of Manassas, has had better luck in the realm of multiple births. One of his cows had 3 pairs of twins as well as a number of single calves,

Roy S. Helms of 112 Yorkshir Lane, has been appointed crew leader for the 1950 Census in the northern half of Prince William County and southern portion of Loudoun County, according to N. T. McManaway, assistant district supervisor at Manassas.

The appointment was made by Archie E. Miller, District Supervisor of the Alexandria District. It is the first appointment of a crew leader in this area for the census which will start April 1.

Mr. Helms will be in charge of sixteen enumerators taking the population count in the area consisting of the Manassas and Gainesville Magisterial Districts in Prince William County, half of Broad Run and all of Mercer Magisterial Districts in Loudoun County. Two other crew leaders will be named shortly. Twenty-six enumerators will be used in Prince William County.

Mr. Helms in accepting appointment with the Bureau of the Census brings to his work a wide background of supervisory experience and knowledge of the northern Virginia area. He has been a resident of Prince William County for seven years and is president of the Yorkshir Civic Association.

Mr. Helms holds a bachelor of arts degree from Elon College in North Carolina and a master of arts degree from the University of Virginia and Columbia University in New York. Coming to Prince William County as county sanitarian seven years ago he had been principal of the high school at Amelia, Virginia, for six years. He is a member of the Manassas Baptist Church where he teaches the Men's Bible Class. Mr. Helms is married and has two children.

The Census Bureau is still accepting applications from persons wishing work as enumerators. Requirements include a high school education or equivalent, experience in dealing with the public, and age not lower than 20 and not higher than 65. Enumerators must furnish their own automobiles.

Rates of pay are based on the number of persons, dwellings and farms covered. Applications will be received at the Census office in the Naval Ordnance Plant annex at Alexandria, phone King 8-6598.

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May Says Goodbye; To Become Legal Aide

William W. May, who has practiced law in Manassas since October, 1946, bade farewell to Manassas at the Chamber of Commerce meeting here Tuesday. He leaves shortly for Lexington, Ky., his original home, where he will become special assistant to the District Attorney of the Eastern District of Kentucky.

The Chamber of Commerce voted Mr. May "good luck" in his new position.

Obituaries

ROY WALKER
Roy Walker, 61, of Triangle, died Monday in Mount Alto Hospital, Washington, after a long illness. He is survived by his wife, Ruby Walker; two brothers, Orva and John C. of Triangle, and one sister, Mrs. Mabel Hoghen, of Los Angeles, Calif.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 12:30 p. m. at Hall's Funeral Home. Rev. Herbert S. Resmy will conduct the services.

News from Prince William Communities

Catharpin

By Mrs. Wallace Rion

Big event in Catharpin last week was the opening of the bridge over Catharpin Run at Sudley on Highway 234. Completion of the bridge opens all of Highway 234 from Stone House toward Aldie to travel, and eliminates four curves on the old road.

Among Catharpin farmers who attended the Soils and Corps Meeting at the Court House, Manassas, last week were Rolfe Ellison, Will Brower, P. H. McPhillips, Wallace Rion, and Aubrey Cross. Two representatives of the State Agricultural Experiment Station and Extension Service, V. P. I., led the discussion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Light will leave this weekend for a two-week vacation in Florida.

Lynn Alvey, senior at V. P. I., visited last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alvey.

Mrs. Robert Casey will be hostess when the Catharpin Home Demonstration Club meets Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. County Agent

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Haymarket

By Mrs. A. H. Meyer

HAYMARKET P. T. A.

Davis Y. Paschall, state director of elementary education, Richmond, Congressman Howard Smith, a representative of the Embassy of Chile, and Ukrainian members of the Haymarket community will appear on P. T. A. programs scheduled for the remaining months of the year, according to information from the program committee.

Mr. Paschall will speak at the regular Haymarket P. T. A. meeting on Tuesday evening, February 21, at 8 p. m. He will discuss "Fundamentals of Education." Miss Sue Ayers, elementary supervisor for Prince William County, will introduce Mr. Paschall and will preside for the open forum which will follow his talk.

In March, Congressman Howard Smith will speak. He is to be introduced by Mr. J. W. Alvey of Catharpin.

At the P. T. A. meeting for April, Pan-American month, a represen-

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Dumfries

By Dorothy Acord

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stafford announce the birth of a daughter, Feb. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Waddell Fraley entertained at a card party at their home on Tuesday night for Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Zeets, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lint, Miss Joyce Brawner, Elizabeth Brawner, Sgt. Ed. King, Mr. Walter Baker and Mr. Francis Waters.

Mrs. Larry Cato was luncheon guest of Mrs. C. P. James in Fredericksburg on Tuesday.

Friends of Mrs. Warfield S. Brawner are sorry to hear of her recent illness and wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bushy, Jr. announced the birth of a son in Alexandria Hospital on Thursday. Mrs. Vernon Acord and her two children and Mr. Herbert Smith visited his sisters, Mrs. M. E. Breenham and Mrs. D. C. Thornton, both of Hillside, Md., over the weekend.

A tea was held at the Dumfries

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Nokesville

By Mrs. Fred T. Shepherd

The teachers of the Church of the Brethren Children's department are entertaining all the children of the church and their parents at a Valentine party in the church basement on Monday evening, the 13th. Highlight will be the showing of the picture, "The Prodigal Son."

The Ladies of the Church of the Brethren are planning a public spaghetti supper in the church basement to be served beginning at 5:00 on February 22. The supper promises to be good and the price will be just 50c and 85c. The ladies are also planning to have plenty of pillowcases on sale. Each lady of the church is being asked to contribute a pair to sell.

Those from here who attended the House warming for Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Britton in their lovely new home in Silver Springs, Md., given by Mrs. Mildred Cason on Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Vance Somers, and Johnnie, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hale, Mr. and

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Time Out

BY THE WATER BOY

Osborn High School's Coach Joe Fortuna has a beef. The coach complains that while the newspaper accounts of ball games hereabouts may be long on facts, they are short on fairness.

To this comment the Water Boy makes a resounding amen. Coach Fortuna's slant is that in mentioning the high-scorers in sports stories, the papers leave out the low-scorers and the no-scorers-at-all, although the men who contribute little to their own team's linescore may actually win the game by getting effectively in the way of their opponents. In other words, the defense is as important as the offense in basketball or, for that matter, almost any other sport.

No one can quarrel with Coach Fortuna on that point. But when we agree so fervently, we are not necessarily saying that we intend to change our way of living. To be blunt about it, high-scorers are naturals for the headlines; defensive experts do the unsungable, and hence unsung, job. It is essentially more accurate to report a game with accent on the successful offense than on the unsuccessful defense—and never let it be forgotten that no matter how sharp a losing team's defense may be, that defense is unsuccessful because the game was lost.

What the Water Boy loves to see is a game—football, basketball or tiddlywinks—where a team shows perfect coordination between an unstoppable offense and an impenetrable defense. What he likes even better is to see the gridiron, court, or tiddlywinks board covered by two such teams.

The Manassas Red Sox are making plans for the coming Old Dominion League baseball season. Last Friday, John Parrish informs us, the league managers met in Falls Church and, along with other business, heard tips on organization and rules from Umpires Jack Mattingly, Lee Barbash and Sherman Johnson. By some devious mental line or other, this brings to mind Westbrook Pegler's story, from his old sports writing days, about some of the scraps umpires and players used to have in the big leagues.

Occasionally a player would build up for himself a reputation for be-

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Season to Open For Red Sox On April 30

Representatives of eight member teams met in Falls Church Friday to discuss final plans for the Old Dominion League baseball season.

The Manassas Red Sox were represented by Oscar Kline, vice-president, and Dallas Posey, manager, accompanied by players Buddy Merchant, Billy Tyson, Bobby Wilt, and Russell Loveless.

A league constitution was read and approved. It will provide for a 14-game season to open April 30. The season will be divided into two halves of 7 games each, with a one week intermission between. All games will be played on Sundays. The final schedules will be announced March 10.

The winner of the first half and the winner of the second half will meet in a post-season playoff to determine the league champion.

Team rosters will be limited to 16 players whose names must be submitted to the league commissioner within 15 days after season starts.

The representatives also discussed the two umpire associations which had offered to sign contracts for the season. The Northern Virginia Umpires Association was represented by Lee Barbash, while Jack Mattingly and Sherman Johnson represented Washington Umpires Association.

Selection of one of these umpire groups will be made by the March 10.

ing a tough guy. So when an umpire would call him out at first, the player would turn on the ump, shake a fist, scowl murderously and say, "You are right, Jack, I was out a mile." Whereupon the umpire would point to the dugout and the player would snatch off his cap, throw it at the ump's feet, wave his arms and say, "And how is your nice little wife, Jack?" The umpire would point again to the dugout and allow as how his wife was doing fine, thanks, and how is your family, Sam? This would go on at length until finally the player would pick up his hat, turn away from the umpire, spin back to him and say, "Well, see you later, Jack." Whereupon the player would plod to the dugout.

After the game, of course, the fans would marvel at Sam: "Real tough, him; won't take nothing from no umpire."

Sports Briefs

The Manassas American Legion's fourth annual Invitational Basketball Tournament is set for March 21, 22, 23, and 25, in the Osborn Gym, according to Rev. E. G. Brown, post commander. Participants have not been announced.

Ocoquan ran off with Lovettsville, in a last-quarter rat-race Saturday, 68-36. At the beginning of the third quarter Lovettsville was only one slim point behind, but Ocoquan got to hitting on all eight as they scored 33 points in the final quarter. Ocoquan's Thompson with 26 points led the race. In the earlier game, Ocoquan girls also turned back Lovettsville by a decisive margin. Ocoquan girls, led by Jean Sanford with 17 points, almost doubled their opponents score with a 42-23 win.

The Manassas Hawks lost to a visiting Leesburg team 54-35 Thursday night, while the Hawkettes managed to turn back the Leesburg girls by a 27-18 score.

Leading Hawkettes scorers were Lib Lloyd with 15 points, Blakemore and Haskins with six apiece. Hawks Vetter and Webb led their team with 14 and 11 respectively, while Swang got six and Boyd and Webb had two each.

The Manassas Legion teams won a pair from Warrenton here Saturday. The Legionettes won 34-20 and the Legion boys followed with a 43-37 win.

Legionettes Harme with eight points and Merchant with seven led to the win. Legion boys Leo Bigelow, Vetter, Stutler, Fortunat and Atkinson showed the way.

Nokesville boys won a home game from Purcellville 58-40 Monday night, while Nokesville girls lost 37-57. Purcellville's record now stands at seven wins and four losses for the girls, and eight wins and three losses for the boys.

Osborn High School plays Falmouth here Friday in one of the season's "big" games.

Last year Osborn, in losing to Falmouth by one point, was the only team all season to come within 10 points of stopping Falmouth.

This year Osborn stands a good chance too, on paper, since Fredericksburg in beating both teams, needed an overtime for the game with Osborn, while defeating Falmouth with relative ease.

The Manassas Macs baseball club will hold a meeting Tuesday, Feb. 14 to formulate plans for the com-

Osborn Drops Tough One To FCHS, 40-32

Osborn High School lost to Falls Church 40-32 in Fairfax Tuesday. Despite the defeat of his team, Coach Joe Fortuna said, he is pleased with their chances in the Falmouth game Friday.

Peters and Saylor's capped scoring honors with 10 points each. Breeden got six, Reid had five points, and Swank one.

Osborn trailed by only one point at halftime but saw that widen in the third quarter when Falls Church made 10 points to their three.

In the Jayvee game Osborn lost 45-20. Barret and Wayland played good games but they couldn't quite hold the fancy-shooting Falls Church boys.

Coming Games

The Northern Virginia League

Feb. 9, Thurs.—Upperville A. C. at Manassas Legion; Upperville Callahan at Purcellville; Haymarket at Nokesville; Warrenton at Lovettsville; Leesburg at Middleburg.

Feb. 11, Sat.—Purcellville at Manassas Hawks; Middleburg at Ocoquan; Manassas Legion at Haymarket.

Feb. 13, Mon.—Ocoquan at Leesburg; Nokesville at Haymarket. Feb. 14, Tues.—Leesburg at Upperville A. C.

Feb. 15, Wed.—Manassas Legion at Upperville Callahan; Upperville A. C. at Warrenton; Nokesville at Lovettsville.

Feb. 16, Thurs.—Warrenton at Manassas Hawks; Middleburg at Purcellville; Manassas Legion at Ocoquan.

ing season. The Macs will enter the Northern Virginia League again this year, according to Stuart Vetter.

Haymarket took a fast, high-scoring game from Ocoquan Tuesday night by the score of 66-56. Haymarket's Parker with 33 points, and Ocoquan's Thompson with 20 led the scorers.

In the girls' game Ocoquan won 26-18, as Caton with 10 points headed the winners and Stamm with 8 was high for Haymarket.

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Across Tracks Battle Slated in Nokesville

It's East Side versus West Side this Saturday night in the Nokesville gymnasium. Nokesville citizens from the east side of the railroad tracks meet those from the west side in benefit basketball games.

The ladies' game begins at 7:30 and the men's will follow. To top the evening off, the Nokesville Fire Department team will also play. Proceeds from the games are to go to the religious education fund.

Coaches are Billy King and O. J. Shepherd, for the West side, and Raleigh Nelson and Fred Shepherd for the easters. In charge of the refreshments are Mrs. Olive Hooker, Mrs. Paul Irvin, Mrs. John Ellis, and Mrs. Ed. Michael.

Cattle to Be Tested For Brucellosis

More than 10,000 cows on Virginia farms—dams of calves to be sold through the 1950 feeder calf sales—will be tested for Bang's disease (Brucellosis) before the fall sale series begins, says M. L. Dalton, associate animal husbandman at V. P. I.

The decision was made at meetings in Culpeper and Marion of farm agents from about 40 counties which produce calves for the feeder calf sales.

Dalton explains that the testing program will help make the calves eligible for interstate shipment, and is being done in cooperation with the state-wide brucellosis-eradication campaign. Testing will be done by the State Department of Agriculture.

Reserve Transfers Allowed Till July

Extension of provisions for transfer of Reserve officers and enlisted Reservists between the Army and Air Force until July 25 was announced today.

Army Reservists possessing special qualifications which make them better qualified for the Air Force may submit applications, which must indicate that the government will be materially benefited by the transfer, if granted.

Applications should be addressed to the Senior Army Instructor, ORC, 800 North Lombardy Street, Richmond, Va., and submitted through unit instructors, except that members to the ORC Control Group (Active Reserve) should send their applications direct.



VALENTINE PACKAGED CANDY

Boxes in heart and other shapes,—each one filled with nut, cream, fruit, caramel centers dipped in rich milk or bitter-sweet chocolate.

HOLLINGSWORTH BOXES from \$1.00 to \$6.50

GALE'S VALENTINE CANDY from 75c to \$3.00

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"The Heart of Manassas"

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Nokesville

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Phone 24-N-31



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

"Left-Handed Compliment"

See where a bank in Denver is putting in left-handed checkbooks. They figure their southpaw depositors deserve just as much consideration as the right handers.

Time was when it was believed that left-handed people had no right to exist at all. If a youngster showed signs of using his left hand, his parents were supposed to break him of the habit—to force him to use his right.

But today most doctors will tell you that changing a child's natural left-handed tendency usually causes more harm than good.

Stammering and other nervous disorders often get their start that way with children.

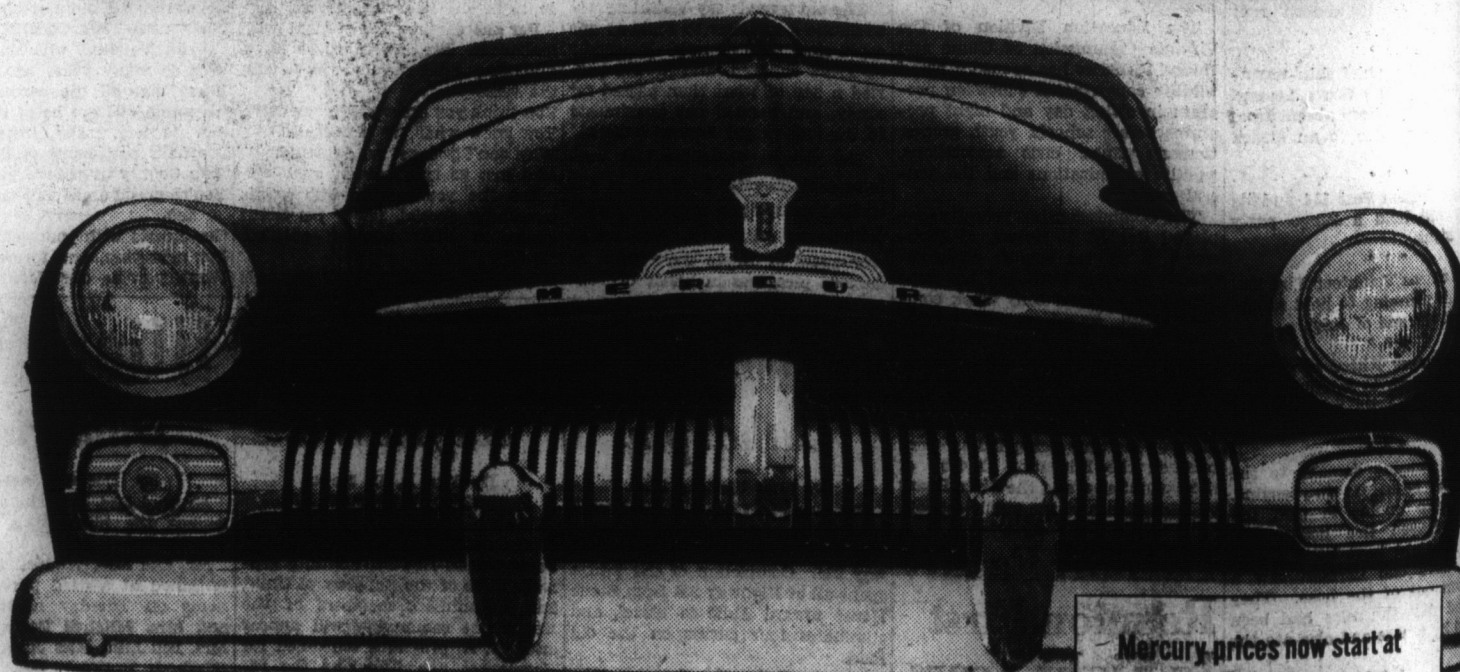
From where I sit, if a man wants to use his left hand—that's his business. It's not such a good idea to make anyone do things our way, just because we think it's right. Personally, I think a mellow glass of beer is the finest beverage on earth. If you happen to prefer a Coke—why, go to it! Only leave me the same freedom of choice, won't you?

Joe Marsh

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HERE'S YOUR BIGGEST NEW CAR VALUE YET!

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WHEN you compare them all, it's plain to see which car gives you the most for your money. It's the Mercury for 1950! For Mercury's new low starting price now brings you the better-than-ever new car buy!

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For big Six-Passenger Coupe, Model 22A, delivered here. License, State and local taxes, if any, are extra. Price may vary slightly in nearby communities due to differences in transportation charge.

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CLOE MOTORS

Homemaker

By Virginia W. Post, Home Economist

Today why not check your house for these tips to better lighting? Empty sockets. In some of your portable lamps or fixtures that have two or more sockets, you may find empty sockets or burned-out bulbs. These cheat you of the amount of light the equipment was designed to give.

Replace blackened bulbs. When lamps are kept in service long after they have burned their rated and useful life, they do not give their rated light output, and you pay for light you actually do not receive.

Larger bulbs give more light per watt. Some of old-style equipment may have small thin shades that have wattage limitations, or that come excessively bright and glare with larger bulbs. Equipment of this can usually be improved by adapters that will accommodate higher wattages. Surveys show that many lighting fixtures and lamps were designed for larger bulbs than those being used.

Replace flame-tinted bulbs, except in purely decorative equipment. The coloring may absorb half the bulb's light.

Use shades that are lined with white or some other light color. Simply by changing from an orange-colored lining to a white shade lining, the light from a 60-watt bulb in a 12-inch bridge lamp shade will be practically doubled.

Place portable lamps and furniture groupings as close together as possible. The stem of the lamp should be within 24-30 inches of the eye-work to obtain the most favorable lighting conditions.

Keep equipment clean. Dirt and dust rob you of as much as half the light.

Sub-Standard Teachers Decline in Number

During the present school year, 2661 sub-standard certificates are being held by teachers in Virginia schools. This is a decrease of 192 over last year.

Ninety-six per cent of the emergency certificates are held by county teachers, while only 4 per cent are held by city teachers. Only 4.4 per cent of Negro teachers are teaching on sub-standard licenses while 19 per cent, or approximately one out of five white teachers, are not regularly certified. Of the 2661 emergency certificates, 90 per cent are held by teachers in the elementary grades as compared with only 10 per cent being held by high school teachers.

The number of emergency teachers ranges all the way from one in Henrico County to 151 in Norfolk County. Percentage wise, 43 counties have 20 per cent or more teachers holding sub-standard certificates. In three counties, Bath, Carroll, and Mathews, 50 per cent or more of the teaching personnel hold sub-standard certificates. Prince William, with 19 percent, is near the average for the 100 counties.

HDC DELEGATE NAMED

Mrs. C. E. Myers, Shadley, president of the State Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs, has been named as Virginia's delegate to the international meeting of the Associated Country Women of the World, to be held in Copenhagen, Denmark, September 9-13. Miss Frances Payne, Roanoke county, president of district two, is alternate.

PEOPLE'S BARBER SHOP, Manassas, Dependable Service. Adv.



Be Prepared WITH SAFEWAY'S Prepared FLOUR MIXES

Be ready to turn out those taste-tempting home-baked treats that make the family sit up and take notice. You can if you keep plenty of prepared flours on hand. Listed below is a wide variety of your favorite prepared flour mixes. Stop at your nearby Safeway and select your needs at these low prices.

Stock Up at these Safeway Low Prices

Pancake Flour	56-oz. Pkg.	33c	Betty Crocker Pyequick	11-oz. Pkg.	39c
Buckwheat Flour	40-oz. Pkg.	31c	Betty Crocker Crustquick	9-oz. Pkg.	17c
Pie Crust Mix	8-oz. Pkg.	16c	Pillsbury Pie Crust Mix	9-oz. Pkg.	17c
Bisquick	40-oz. Pkg.	45c	Pillsbury White Cake Mix	16-oz. Pkg.	33c
Cake Flour	2 1/2-lb. Pkg.	39c	Pillsbury Fudge Cake Mix	16-oz. Pkg.	33c
Waffle Mix	14-oz. Pkg.	26c	Buckwheat Flour	20-oz. Pkg.	18c
Cuplets	11 1/2-oz. Pkg.	18c	Pancake Flour	20-oz. Pkg.	16c
Mufflite	14 1/2-oz. Pkg.	27c	Pancake Flour	40-oz. Pkg.	31c
Macaroon Mix	12-oz. Pkg.	41c	Pancake Flour	20-oz. Pkg.	16c
			Pancake Flour	40-oz. Pkg.	31c
			Pancake Flour	20-oz. Pkg.	16c
			Pancake Flour	40-oz. Pkg.	31c
			Xpert Coffee Cake Mix	14-oz. Pkg.	27c
			Softasilk Cake Flour	2 1/2-lb. Pkg.	39c
			Corn Muffin Mix	11 1/2-oz. Pkg.	18c
			Devil Food Mix	16-oz. Pkg.	33c
			Devil Food Mix	14-oz. Pkg.	27c
			Ginger Cake Mix	14 1/2-oz. Pkg.	26c
			White Cake Mix	16-oz. Pkg.	33c
			White Cake Mix	16-oz. Pkg.	33c
			Chiffon Cake Mix	14-oz. Pkg.	26c
			Duff's Hot Roll Mix	14 1/2-oz. Pkg.	25c
			Pillsbury Hot Roll Mix	14 1/2-oz. Pkg.	25c

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Bake the world's finest gingerbread just by adding water to this richly wholesome, time-saving mix.

14-oz. Pkg. **25c**

Check These Values

Dial Soap	6 Cakes	25c
Cracker Jacks	6 Pkgs.	25c
Sweetheart Soap	3 Cakes	21c
Sweetheart Soap	2 Cakes	21c
Ivory Flakes	12 1/2-oz. Pkg.	26c
Soap Powder	24-oz. Pkg.	26c
Laundry Soap	3 Cakes	20c
Krispy Crackers	16-oz. Pkg.	25a
Cocoanut Crisps	6 1/2-oz. Pkg.	15c
Ritter Catsup	14-oz. Bot.	18c
Kellogg's Pep	8-oz. Pkg.	15c
Green Giant Peas	2 17-oz. Cans	39c
Sugar Belle Peas	2 17-oz. Cans	29c
Lipton's Tea Bags	1 Pkg. of 48	53c
Liquid Starch	8 1/2-oz. Bot.	15c



More Safeway Low Prices

Beverly Peanut Butter	12-oz. Jar	31c
Peter Pan Peanut Butter	12-oz. Jar	33c
Peanut Butter	16-oz. Jar	35c
Schindlers Peanut Butter	16-oz. Jar	39c
Skippy Peanut Butter	15-oz. Jar	39c
Salted Peanuts	8-oz. Can	31c
Salted Peanuts	16-oz. Pkg.	43c
Airway Coffee	10-lb. Bag	59c
Nob Hill Coffee	10-lb. Bag	63c
Mrs. Wrights Bread	10-lb. Bag	12c
Kitchen Craft Flour	10-lb. Bag	93c
Canterbury Tea Bags	1 Pkg. of 48	45c
McCormick Tea Bags	1 Pkg. of 50	57c
Wesson Oil	16-oz. Can	30c
Zion Fig Bars	16-oz. Pkg.	25c
Educator Crax Crackers	16-oz. Pkg.	25c
Ritter's Blueberries	15-oz. Can	29c

Sunnybank Yellow MARGARINE

1/4-lb. Prints **39c**

How to have a baby on a Budget

one of the informative features in the FEBRUARY issue of **Family Circle** 5c MAGAZINE

FRESH PRODUCE FEATURES

Look to Safeway for finest fresh fruits and vegetables

Fresh New Cabbage	1 lb. 5c	Potatoes, N. Y.	10 lbs. 39c
Fresh Beets	10c	Radishes	10c
Celery, Pascal	1 lb. 11c	Rutabagas	1 lb. 6c
Grapefruit, Fla.	2 lbs. 15c	Soup Mix, Cello	17c
Fresh Kale	2 lbs. 15c	Fresh Salad Mix	17c
Kale Cello	19c	Fresh Yellow Squash	2 lbs. 25c
Fresh Lettuce	1 lb. 15c	Red Sweet Potatoes	1 lb. 11c
Parsnips	2 lbs. 15c	Tangerines	1 lb. 10c
Yellow Onions	2 lbs. 15c		

Prices effective until close of business Saturday, February 11, 1950, except produce which is subject to daily market changes. NO SALES TO DEALERS. We reserve the right to limit quantities.

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SAFEWAY GUARANTEED MEATS

Top-grade cuts that will cook tender and delicious

Round Steak	1 lb. 75c	Fresh Shoulder	1 lb. 35c
Rump Roast	1 lb. 65c	Dressed and Drawn Fryers	1 lb. 51c
Porterhouse Steak	1 lb. 85c	Baking Chickens	1 lb. 49c
Sirloin Steak	1 lb. 75c	Perch Fillets	1 lb. 33c
Safeway Ground Beef	1 lb. 49c	Whiting	1 lb. 17c
Chuck Roast	1 lb. 47c	Salt Herring	1 lb. 17c
Plate Beef	1 lb. 19c	Lake Herring	1 lb. 23c
Smoked Shoulder	1 lb. 39c	Salt Mackerel Fillet	1 lb. 37c

Send your heart in a Valentine

You'll find just the right message for each friend and loved one in our wide variety of finer Gibson Valentines.

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Southern Good 'n' Fresh

The BREAD and CAKE with the Home Baked Taste

Marriage Licensee

Marriage licenses issued at the County Clerk's office the past week: Mason L. Holcroft, Vint Hill Farms, and Mary Louise Wine, Manassas.
Helen D. Koval, Pittsburgh, Penn., and Steve Slaveoff, Quantico.

Dentist Receives

'Get Well' Greetings

The Manassas Chamber of Commerce has sent its best wishes for a speedy convalescence to Dr. S. J. Lewis, Manassas dentist, who recently underwent a serious abdominal operation at Freedmen's Hospital in Washington.

Dr. Lewis, who is 47, is well-known locally and, as editor of the National Dental Association Journal for the past several years, nationally known in his profession. He was forced to leave his practice Jan. 14 to undergo surgery.

C. of C. Backs Tax Proposal

The Manassas Chamber of Commerce this week put its support behind a bill pending in Richmond to eliminate the "tax-on-a-tax" provision of the Virginia Income Tax law. At its Tuesday meeting, the Chamber voted to ask Senator Andrew W. Clarke and Delegate Frank P. Moncure to support the legislation, which would make federal income tax payments deductible for state income tax purposes.

The Chamber also voted to oppose a proposal in Richmond to increase load limits of trucks operating on Virginia highways. Principal objection to the increase was that heavier loads would place greater strain on existing roads with resultant damage to the highways.

Praise Kiwanis For Scout Work

The Kiwanis Club of Manassas, meeting Friday, heard Joseph Freehill, field executive for the Fairfax District, Boy Scouts of America, who praised the Kiwanis club for its work with the scouts since its first undertook to help in 1922.

The Boy Scout movement, Freehill said, is the answer to character building.

Kiwanis president E. D. Gothwaite announced that the Manassas chapter had a one hundred per cent attendance for the month of January. Visitors included Marshall Johnson and Rodney Stair. Next week's program on Virginia Legislation will be under the direction of Stanley Owens.

Legion Fair Date Set Tentatively

The Manassas American Legion Post has set July 1-9 as the tentative date for its annual exposition, to be held this year on the Longview race track grounds. Last year the exposition was held on the Osborn High School property.

The Legion's exposition committee met Monday night to discuss plans for the event. Acting chairman Ted Ritter brought up an offer from a carnival company to furnish rides and shows. A representative of the firm will be asked to attend a regular Legion meeting for further talks.

The exposition is expected to include rides, eating concessions, side-shows, booths, and merchant and industrial exhibits.

February Bride



MRS. MASON L. HOLCROFT

Deeds Recorded

Leary P. and Ira P. Payntress to Theodore Hubers, 51 lots, Occoquan District, deed.

Theodore and Rose G. Hubers to Theodore R. and Elsa M. Gold-Smith, 8.6 acres, Occoquan District, deed.

W. Gilbert White to Wilmer M. and Nara H. Kline, 55.5 acres, Manassas District, deed.

Bertie V. and George W. Krucely to Lester and Lola F. Miller, 14 acres, Manassas District, deed.

John Y. and Jane E. Roseberry to Gerald A. and Marie C. Peters, lot, Manassas, deed.

J. L. Breeden and wife to Bertie V. Krucely, lot, Manassas, deed.

Gilbert and Frances O. Berry to John N. and Ida Jane Martin, 9.93 acres, Manassas District, deed.

A. and Mry A. Crummett to Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp., right of way.

Lee Wine and Lila Wood Kerlin to Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp., right of way.

H. Clay and Nettie G. Wood to Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp., right of way.

Lester H. and Clara Breeden to Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp., right of way.

Kenneth H. and Clara H. Aldrich to Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp., right of way.

Willie Lovelace et als to Blanche V. Patterson, lot, Occoquan District, deed.

Catherine and J. M. Livesay to Virginia Electric Power Co., right of way.

Troy E. Counts et als to Aubrey A. and Elsie May Middleman, 12,000 sq. ft., Manassas, deed.

Albert L. and Susie C. Alexander to Virginia Electric Power Company, right of way.

G. C. and Daisey T. Russell, to Virginia Electric Power Co., right of way.

Wine-Holcroft Nuptials At Baptist Church

The marriage of Miss Mary Louise Wine, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Hutchison Wine, to Mason Leonard Holcroft, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman F. Holcroft of Orange Cove, California, took place Saturday afternoon in the Manassas Baptist Church. The Rev. John D. Eden, the pastor, performed the ceremony.

The church was decorated with palms and white candles. Mrs. Lewis Carper presided at the organ and Mrs. Lon Weston sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly."

Given in marriage by Mr. Douglas M. Thorp, an uncle, the bride wore a gown of white marquisette with yoke of lace.

Her finger-tip tulle veil was fastened to a headdress of lace and she carried a white satin prayer book with makers of white orchids.

Miss Betty Joe Phipps was the bride's only attendant. She was attired in a yellow marquisette gown and carried an old-fashioned nosegay. The bride's mother wore a gown of gray flowered brocade corsage of pink roses. The bride's grandmother, Mrs. Robert A. Hutchison, was attired in a gown of black crepe with gray accessories and wore a corsage of pink roses.

Edward C. Lipscomb, of Kentucky, was best man, the ushers were Robert Randall Wine, brother of the bride and Albert H. Roseberry, Jr.

A reception which followed the ceremony was given at the home of Mrs. Hutchison. Miss Estelle Holden, of Herndon, great-aunt of the bride served the wedding cake while Mrs. Hutchison and Miss Betty Thorp of New Baltimore served at the punch table.

The bride's traveling costume was a brown taffeta dress with red accessories over which she wore a brown fur coat.

After a wedding trip the young couple will make their home for a short time in Manassas.

Among the out of town guest were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas M. Thorp, and Mr. William M. Thorp of New Baltimore, Mrs. R. N. Wrenn, Mrs. B. F. McGuire, Mrs. Ruth Updike and Mr. Robert H. Wrenn of Vienna, Mrs. C. L. Fleming, and Mr. and Mrs. Barron Nash of Arlington, the Rev. and Mrs. E. Len Weston and daughter, Mary Elsie, of Maryland, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harrison of

way.

Lena M. Diamond to Virginia Electric Power Co., right of way.

M. G. Gopher to School Board of Prince William County, 20.03 acres, Dumfries, deed.

H. N. and Ellen A. Boswell to Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp., right of way.

John W. and Ida Jane Martin to Walter R. Kearns, 9.93 acres, Manassas, deed.

Carroll Wright to Edward B. Wright, 3 tracts, a Ginesville District, deed.

Worth H. Storke to Minnie Keyes, 11.39 and 12.1 acres, Dumfries, deed.

Bernie O. Weaver and wife to Robert V. Elliott, .072 acres, Dumfries, deed.

Moritz and Mollie Greenberg to Paul E. Kline, 92.5 acres, Manassas, deed.

Gladys B. Wilson et al to Ray Moore, 13 acres, one road, 30 poles, Grentsville, deed.

Virginia Electric Power Co. to Commonwealth of Virginia, 50 ft. strip of land, Dumfries, deed.

Possum Point Realty Corp. to Commonwealth of Virginia, 50 ft. strip of land, Dumfries, deed.

M. D. Anderson, et al to Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp., right of way.

J. E. and Nanine H. McMichael to Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp., right of way.

Eva P. Lewis to Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp., right of way.

Roscoe C. and L. S. Lewis to Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp., right of way.

Benefit

WOODBINE P.T. A.

FRIED OYSTER SUPPER

February 17, 1950

6 P. M. to 9 P. M.

ADMISSION:

Adults \$1.00

Children .50c

MENU

Fried Oysters

French Fried Potatoes

Cold Slaw, Rolls and Butter

Milk or Coffee—Pie

Benefit

WOODBINE P.T. A.

Chantilly, the Rev. and Mrs. Raymond F. Wrenn of Purcellville, Mrs. T. Randall Wrenn of Beltsville, Md., Mr. Blakemore Fleming and Mrs. A. C. Bear and son of Nokesville, Mrs. John W. Hamilton of Haymarket, Miss Mary Carter of Stone House, Mrs. William Brancion of Washington and several of the military personnel from Vint Hill.

PEOPLE'S BARBER SHOP, Manassas, Dependable Service. Adv.

PRE-WAR SPECIALS

- 1939 Nash 2-door
- 1938 Plymouth
- 1938 Ford Coupe
- 1938 Buick 4-door
- 1937 Plymouth Coupe
- 1937 Pontiac 4-door
- 1936 Chevrolet Coupe
- 1935 Chevrolet Coupe

CLOE MOTORS
D. No. 1643 Triangle

We Have Moved

Since Monday, February 6th, we have been doing business at 220 E. Center St., New Location Across from the New Safeway Store. Our New Quarters give us more room and better enable us to serve you. We give one-day Special Service!

ARRINGTON Cleaners & Launderers

"Guaranteed Satisfaction"

PHONE 415 220 E. Center St. MANASSAS

Virginia Gas Distribution Corporation

Staunton, Virginia

January 24, 1950

The Virginia Gas Distribution Corporation has announced a reduction in natural gas rates which will be put in effect on bills mailed to its customers on and after February 7, 1950.

Following a review of the company's annual earnings by the State Corporation Commission, the company filed General Service Rate Schedules on January 10, 1950, making the rate reduction effective. Company officials pointed out that the increased sale of natural gas had increased the company's earnings, thereby making it possible to lower the rate. The average reduction for residential and commercial customers will amount to approximately 6% or about \$4.50 per year.

The following is a schedule of the old and new rates:

OLD RATES

First 400 cu. ft., or the right thereto, used through each meter each month	\$1.00
Next 3,600 cu. ft. used through each meter each month	.08 per C. c. f.
Next 96,000 cu. ft. used through each meter each month	.07 per C. c. f.
Next 150,000 cu. ft. used through each meter each month	.06 per C. c. f.
Over 250,000 cu. ft. used through each meter each month	.055 per C. c. f.

NEW RATES

First 500 cu. ft. or the right thereto, used through each meter per month	\$1.00
Next 3,500 cu. ft. used through each meter each month	.75 per thousand cu. ft.
Next 16,000 cu. ft. used through each meter each month	.70 per thousand cu. ft.
Next 80,000 cu. ft. used through each meter each month	.65 per thousand cu. ft.
Next 150,000 cu. ft. used through each meter each month	.50 per thousand cu. ft.
Over 250,000 cu. ft. used through each meter each month	.55 per thousand cu. ft.

MINIMUM CHARGE

The minimum charge per month shall be One Dollar (\$1.00).

DELAYED PAYMENT CHARGE

There shall be no penalties or discounts.

VIRGINIA Gas DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION



Manassas, Virginia

Valentine Flowers

When you send flowers on Valentine Day it is the surest way to show that your thoughts and message are not perfunctory.

There is a deepness to a remembrance through flowers that nothing else can convey.

Flowers have never been more plentiful or of such variety as are available this Valentine's Day.

CUT FLOWERS and POTTED PLANTS

Are suggested as appropriate gifts to send her. Nothing else expresses the thoughts you have in mind—the words you neglected to say and may only say with flowers.

Place Your Order Early!

Next Tuesday, Feb. 14 Is

St. Valentine's Day

THE BOUQUET MART

Florists—We Deliver

222 E. Center St. Manassas, Va. Phone 445

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Home Owned and Operated By J. E. RICE, Sr. J. E. RICE, Jr., Mgr.



Forged steel 89c

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Also Frozen Foods, Fresh Fruits and Vegetables, Fancy and Heavy Groceries, and Meats.

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NEW MODEL FIRESTONE REFRIGERATOR Regularly Priced at \$222.50. SALE PRICE \$189.50

Features include capacity of over 8 cu. ft. and a spacious freezer locker for frozen foods and ice cube storage.

THE FIRESTONE STORE

W. CATON MERCHANT, Prop.

WEST STREET

MANASSAS

The Third Time The Anti-Trust Lawyers Were Wrong!

What Has Gone Before

Today's ad is the third in a series telling about times the anti-trust lawyers made serious and damaging charges against A&P that the courts decided were not true.

In the first ad in this series we told you about the time the anti-trust lawyers charged that A&P, and other good American citizens, conspired to fix the price of bread in Washington.

These charges were false.

That was the time Federal Judge T. Alan Goldsborough instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty".

It was the time he said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"If you were to show this record to any experienced trial lawyer in the world, he would tell you that there was not any evidence at all."

"Honestly, I have never in my over forty years' experience seen tried a case that was so absolutely devoid of evidence as this. That is the honest truth. I have never seen one like it."

But that was not the only time the anti-trust lawyers made such serious "allegations" against A&P which were false. In our second ad we told you about the time in Wilson, North Carolina, they charged A&P's fresh fruit and vegetable buying subsidiary, and other good American citizens, with conspiring to fix and depress prices paid farmers for potatoes in North Carolina, Virginia and Maryland.

Here again, as in the Washington bread case, the charges were false.

This was the time Federal Judge C. C. Wyche directed the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty".

It was the time he said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"I have studied this case from the very outset. In my opinion there is no testimony produced from which it can reasonably be inferred that the defendants entered into a combination to depress or lower the price of potatoes."

"I might say that I never tried a case in my life where a greater effort, more work, more investigation had been done, combing almost with a fine-tooth comb to gather evidence, as was done in this case."

"But, as was said a long time ago, you can't make brick without straw, and you can't make a case without facts."

So here were two cases in which the anti-trust lawyers made seriously damaging charges against A&P, in which the judge decided that there were no facts to support those charges.

Today, we want to tell you about the third time—this time in Dallas, Texas—the court decided against the anti-trust lawyers.

Is it a crime to give people more good food for their money?

For 90 years A&P has devoted all its energies to this end.

For many months now the anti-trust lawyers from Washington have been giving stories to the newspapers, making speeches and talking over the radio about this company.

They have been making serious and damaging allegations about the methods that enable A&P to give its customers better food values.

We have already told you about other times the anti-trust lawyers made charges against us that were proved utterly false in court.

In the left-hand column on this page you can read what the federal judges had to say about those two cases. Now we are going to tell you about the third time a federal judge decided against the anti-trust lawyers.

The Dallas Anti-Trust Suit

In 1942 the anti-trust lawyers went out to Dallas, Texas, 1,400 miles from the homes of most of the defendants, and instigated criminal charges against A&P.

About this case one thing was sure.

Their previous experience did not deter the anti-trust lawyers from making more inflammatory and damaging allegations, just as they had done before.

They made practically the same allegations they are making today.

Federal Judge W. H. Atwell ruled that the case should not even be tried. He said that the indictment contained inflammatory statements that he would not permit to be presented to a jury.

Judge Atwell said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"If I thought I was presiding over a court and that I might have to sentence some person because he was a great big fellow, or because he was a Lilliputian, I would feel like resigning. God knows we don't want it ever to occur in America that the size is going to determine whether a man is guilty or innocent."

Everything that has happened since this suit was filed proves that the American people don't want A&P destroyed. A deluge of letters from people in all walks of life and thousands of editorials in newspapers and magazines convince us that the public has faith in A&P.

The housewives of this nation, whose patronage has made this company big, are buying from us in increasing numbers and increasing volume.

Our suppliers, whom the anti-trust lawyers allege we have exploited, are rushing to our support.

Labor leaders, mindful of the fact that A&P employees enjoy the best wages, hours and working conditions, are taking a stand against the suit.

Even many of our good competitors, who the anti-trust lawyers allege are hurt by our competition, have taken ads to tell the public that they don't like this attack on A&P.

All this indicates that the American people realize that the suit to destroy A&P is really a suit against efficiency, against low prices and against real competition.

Apparently most Americans do not want to let the anti-trust lawyers in Washington blow the whistle on any businessman who does a better and more efficient job and grows big in the process.

No one can make them believe it is a crime to try to sell the best quality food at the lowest possible price.

Judge Atwell also said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"If the indictment is not good then it is better to find out before an expensive trial than it is after an expensive trial. I do not think it is good, and thinking that, it is my duty to sustain the demurrers and motion to quash."

In short, Federal Judge Atwell threw the anti-trust lawyers and their case right out of his court.

So that makes three times that the anti-trust lawyers made damaging allegations against A&P. In two of these cases federal judges said they were all wrong. In the third case a federal judge said the indictment was inflammatory and he would not even permit the case to be tried.

The anti-trust lawyers were not satisfied with the Dallas decision.

Neither were they satisfied with the two other decisions in which federal courts administered stinging rebukes to them.

They were still determined to destroy A&P.

In our next ad we will tell you how they continued their campaign in this case in the Circuit Court of Appeals and subsequent proceedings.

We will show you how, once again, they disagreed with the courts.

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"Ways That Are Dark, Tricks That Are Vain"

SOMETIMES THE DOINGS of Uncle Sam remind us of Bret Harte's remark that "for ways that are dark and for tricks that are vain the heathen Chinese is peculiar."

We refer here to the gigantic hassle now going on over the operations of the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company, better known as the A&P. And lest someone get the idea that the editorial columns of The Manassas Journal are a purchasable commodity, let us emphasize that no one connected with A&P, or with its advertising agency, has suggested news or editorial comment of this or any other nature.

We are running this editorial simply because we are a little bit puzzled. The United States government is proceeding against the A&P on the ground that the store chain is a sinister, monopolistic octopus, grinding down competition, starving out the producer and wringing wealth from the consumer. Somehow—and we, frankly not learned in the law, are a little confused—A&P is supposed to be in restraint of trade throughout the United States, and (says the government) ought to be broken up.

Well, take a look at the grocery business along Center Street, Manassas. If the A&P were a monopoly, by definition it would be the only store selling groceries on that thoroughfare. We can recall offhand two other food establishments—Safeway and Manassas Market—that are doing business in direct competition with A&P. We have seen no "GOING OUT OF BUSINESS" signs on their store windows.

It looks to us as though shopping in Manassas for groceries were pretty much of a proposition of "you pays your money and you takes your choice." Some folk like the A&P, others prefer the Safeway or the Manassas Market. As long as you can buy a cauliflower at a reasonable price at any store in town, you haven't much basis for an argument to the effect that A&P has cornered the cauliflower market, which in essence is what the government is trying to tell us.

Or let's look at potatoes. The Department of Justice would like us to believe that A&P controls the American spud market through a lot of devious wangling in restraint of trade, and therefore potato prices are high all over. But just last week the Department of Agriculture ordered the dumping or destruction of several hundred million dollars worth of potatoes belonging to the government. Who controls the potato market?

If this editorial doesn't make much sense, don't blame The Manassas Journal. As far as we can see, the government's case doesn't make much sense, either.

From the Pastor's Study

By H. Fred Edge, Pastor
Manassas Circuit, Evangelical United Brethren Church

At the same time, saith the Lord, will I be the God of all the families of Israel, and they shall be my people. Jer. Ch. 31 vs 1

From the very beginning God has been interested in the family of man. In the book of Genesis you will find God making woman to be a help meet to man. In the second chapter 24th verse you will find the beginning of the family. When Noah was instructed to go into the ark the command was "Come thou and all thy house." One of the great commandments to the Jews was "Honour thy father and thy mother, that thy days may be prolonged and that it may go well with thee, in the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee".

The concept of the family was so great that Jesus could find no better word to describe God than Father. He used various incidents from family life to give meaning to His teachings. Explained the Kingdom of Heaven as a family with God the Father and all believers as His children.

The family has always been a unit with certain duties and responsibilities falling upon each of its members. The father and mother responsible for shelter, clothing, religious moral and secular training, etc. The child's duty has always been that of obedience to the wish of the parents. These obligations have never been heavy because they have been leavened by love.

In this day of hectic rushing to and fro many of us are too busy to discharge our obligations (especially to our own families). Most of our church programs tend to divide the members of the family.

We in the church have been especially guilty with our Primary, Junior, Senior, Young Married, and Adult Programs. In some of our Churches members of the family are divided upon entering the doors of the Church not to be united until once more they meet outside the doors. Upon entering some of our Churches Baby is whisked off to the Nursery, little Billy and Sue are led to their respective classes (possibly off in the corner of the basement where their noise won't disturb anyone), big Jim goes to the High School Class, Mother to the Woman's Class and Dad to the Men's. "Oh, that's for school!" you say "they'll all be back together for Church". No, Baby stays in the Nursery, the smaller children go to Junior Church and only the older ones get to the worship service.

Could this break-up of our normal family life which is intensified by the demands of the school, our work, and many other interests— for the individual's time have anything to do with our increasing divorce problem, our juvenile delinquency problem?

Let's strive to build here in Manassas a family program in our community, our schools, our churches. A program that will unite the family rather than divide it. A program that will bring the family together for study, for recreation, for worship. (Next week—Rev. E. Guthrie Brown)

DAR VISITS KENMORE

Manassas members of the DAR went to "Kenmore" Friday, on the anniversary of its restoration, to dedicate the Betty Washington room which was endowed by Virginia DARs. Representing the Elizabeth McIntosh Hamhill chapter were: Mrs. C. C. Lynn, Mrs. Arnold Service, Mrs. Emmet Rice, Mrs. Margaret Law, Mrs. O. O. Hooff, Mrs. P. A. Lewis, Mrs. C. B. Compton, Mrs. Margaret Finch, and Mrs. Everett Rice.

LEGAL NOTICES

TRUSTEE SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED REAL ESTATE

UNDER AND BY virtue of that certain deed of trust dated March 27, 1945, recorded in the Clerk's Office of Prince William County, Virginia, in Deed Book 115, Page 287, from Vollmer H. Campbell and Viola G. Campbell, individually and as husband and wife, to the undersigned trustee, there having been default under said trust and the beneficiary thereof having directed execution thereof, the undersigned will, at 10 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, the 18th day of February, 1950, in front of The Peoples National Bank of Manassas, at Manassas, Virginia, sell by way of public auction for cash to the highest bidder the land covered by said deed of trust, the same being further described as follows:

All those certain lots or parcels of land lying and being situate in Cook's Magisterial District, Prince William County, Virginia, and being more particularly described as Lots 6 and 7, Block 7 of the Charles W. Alpaugh Subdivision known as "Lake Jackson Hills," a dedication plat of which is recorded in the Clerk's Office of Prince William County, Virginia, in Deed Book 90, Page 183, and being the same land conveyed to Vollmer H. Campbell and Viola G. Campbell by deed dated March 27, 1945, from Lake Jackson Hills.

LEGAL NOTICES

Inc., recorded in said Clerk's Office in Deed Book 115, Page 286, to which plat, deed and deed of trust reference is especially made for further and full particulars.

TIME OF SALE: 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, February 18, 1950.

PLACE OF SALE: In front of The Peoples National Bank of Manassas, Manassas, Virginia.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash with a 10% deposit at time of sale and balance upon tender of Special Warranty Deed.

CONDITION OF SALE: Subject to taxes for the year 1950 and subsequent years, which are to be assumed by purchaser.

STANLEY A. OWENS, Trustee.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust, dated December 23, 1948, duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of Prince William County in deed book 135 pages 26-7, duly executed by Robert M. Hoffman and Priscilla E. Hoffman, to secure the payment of a certain note therein fully described, in the payment of which said note default has been made, the undersigned trustees therein named, having been so requested and directed, will proceed to sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder in front of the Court House in the Town of Manassas, in said county, at eleven o'clock a. m. on

Saturday, February 25, 1950, all that certain tract or parcel of land, containing 125 acres, more or less, known as Mt. Clementine Farm (formerly the Grant Boles Place) near Waterfall, in Gainesville District, aforesaid County, and fully described in said deed of trust and in deed book 135 pages 25-26 and in deed book 125 pages 377-8.

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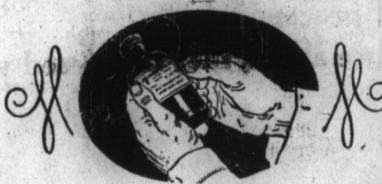
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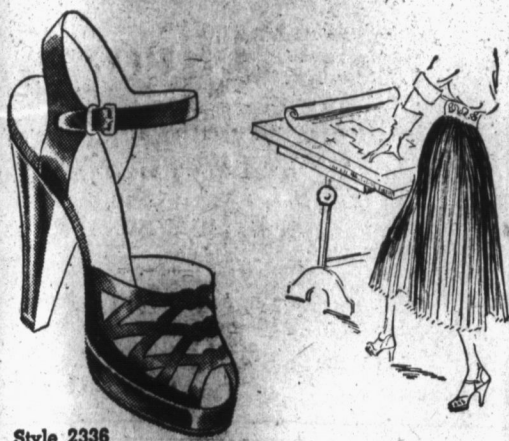
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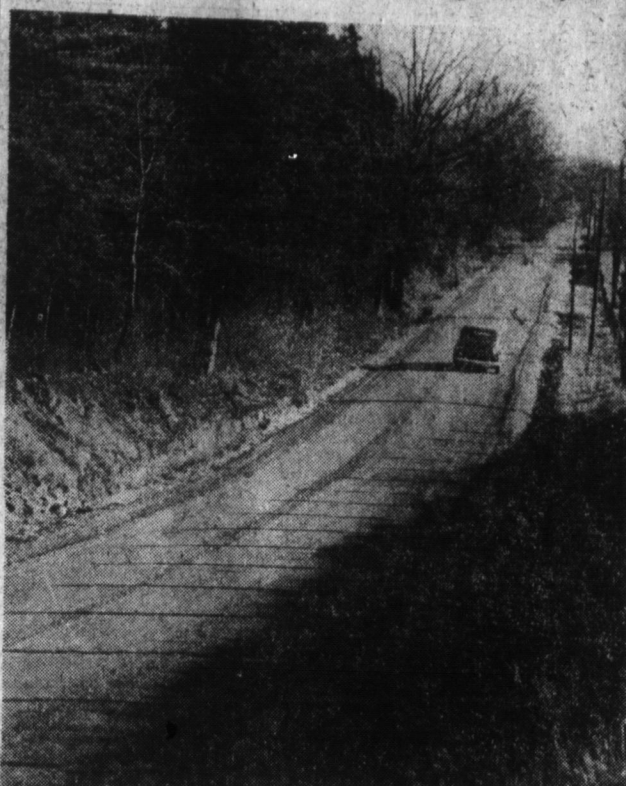
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Social Security Office Will Aid Widows' Claims

When a widow wishes to file a claim for social security benefits, she should get in touch with the nearest office of the Social Security Administration, the Alexandria office of that agency points out. The widow also files the claims for her minor children's benefits.

The Social Security Administration will furnish the forms and will give any help the claimant may need in filling out the papers. If the claim is a proper one under the law, it will be approved and certified by the Social Security Administration of payment, and then the United States Treasury will send the benefit checks direct to the claimant.

Residents of Prince William County who wish information about social security may write or visit the office at 519 First Street in Alexandria or talk with the representative of that office at the Court House in Manassas the third Thursday of each month at 9:30 a. m.

Taxes Hit Autoist Hard, AAA Asserts

"The tourists and motorists of the nation are taking a shellacking in excise taxes applied directly which amounts to a total of \$1,971,191,380.49 annually," claims Washington I. Cleveland, manager, D. of C. division, American Automobile Association.

"These excise taxes, the removal of which we are hoping the present Congress will act upon at the current session, include lubricating oil, tires and tubes, trucks and buses, automobiles, motorcycles, parts and accessories, and the largest item of automotive excise taxes, nearly 500 million dollars on gasoline, paid during the calendar year of 1948. Unquestionably the 1949 figures, when they are reported, will be higher. They also include transportation taxes and taxes on luggage—two items which alone amount to \$681,908,548.88. Coupled with the automotive excise taxes, they amount to almost two billions of dollars paid by tourists and motorists during the 12 months of 1948."

And Man Who Is Responsible



RICHARD V. LANCASTER—Assistant resident engineer to J. E. Johnson of Warrenton, Mr. Lancaster is pictured at the Court House where he spends every Thursday to confer with Prince William citizens on road matters. Under Mr. Johnson, he devotes most of his time to administering the secondary road program in Prince William. —Highway Department Photograph.

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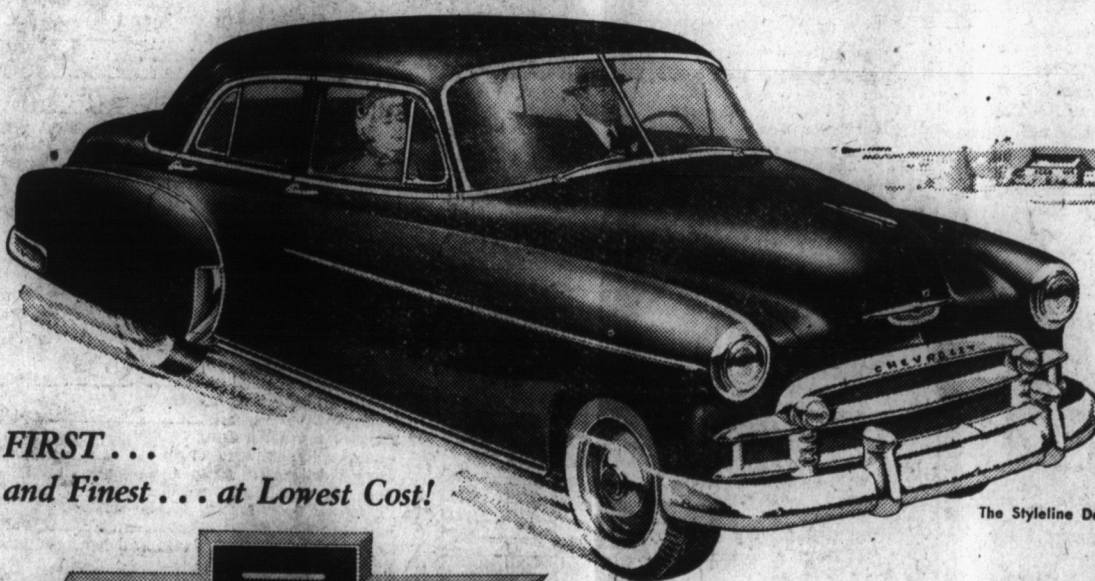
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Haymarket - Gainesville Area

This week we introduce W. B. "Jack" Tyler who owns and operates the Haymarket Garage. He has been an automobile mechanic all his life and knows all makes of cars. He will celebrate his eighth anniversary at his present location on February 15.

Mr. Tyler was born and reared in the Haymarket area, leaving only once to work as a mechanic in Washington for a short time. He is now sole owner of his business.

The Haymarket Garage is located on Route 55, opposite the Haymarket Post Office.

His family is now spread over the country, though he has one daughter attending school here. Mr. Tyler says he is happy to be a resident of Haymarket and likes the people because they are so friendly.

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Happenings in Nokesville

Mrs. Russell Britton, Mr. Roy Britton, Mrs. John Fearnought, Mrs. Sally Dawson, Mrs. S. D. Somers.

Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Shepherd were Mrs. Elnora Showalter, Mr. and Mrs. George Beahm and Mrs. L. J. Bowman and Wade Whetzel, Jr. The occasion was in honor of Mrs. Showalter, Mrs. Beahm and Mrs. Shepherd, all of whom were a year older that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller, Mr. and Mrs. David Kerlin, and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Godfrey planned a surprise birthday party for Willard Wilkins at the Wilkins home on Friday evening.

Mrs. Ella Shaeffer is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beahm since the Nolley home was damaged with fire last week. Despite her advanced age, "Grandma" Shaeffer is still quite active.

Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wilkins, Peggy were Misses Marie Kerlin, Frances Owens and Melva Fleishman and Messrs. Bobby Caton, John Bear and Danny Restucco.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Herndon were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Godfrey and Mrs. Showalter.

Little Miss Janet Sue Smith has returned to her home in Washington after spending several weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harpine.

Mr. Ernest Patton is quite ill at the Alexandria Hospital, having to be taken there on Saturday.

The Mason family who had been living near Manassas have moved into the Lester Huff, tenant house. Mrs. Mason is a sister of Mrs. Talford Sherman.

Mrs. Josephine Cowne has been at all well and now is staying with one of her children in Maryland so that she may undergo treatment. Mrs. Cowne is such a lovely person to have in our town and we do hope she won't have to stay away long. We all missed her so very much at the Maryland-Virginia Milk Producers Association Banquet on Monday. It was the first meeting she had ever missed.

Among those who attended the Va.-Md. Milk Producers Association Banquet at the Statler on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. George Cowne, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Cowne, and L. R., Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller, and Harry, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. George Garman, and Jay Garman, Mrs. Olive Hooker and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Shepherd, Messrs. J. F. Hale, Stuart McMichael, Earl McMichael, Blake Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Wood, Jr.

George Sonafank, president of the local Volunteer Fire Department and Grover Brown, the County president were guests of the Occoquan Fire Department when they celebrated the opening of their new Fire House on Saturday. The guests were treated to a delicious turkey dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lingenfelter of Washington, D. C. were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Swank.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foley, he is a student minister from Richmond, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Cale Gibson. Rev. Winn, who is the regular pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Greenwich, and his family who have been visiting relatives in Greenville, S. C. have now returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoffacker have returned to their home in

Greenville, Penn., after spending nearly a month in Florida and several days on their way down and back visiting the Bowman-Shepherd and Whetzel families.

We are so sorry to hear that Mr. Paul Theimer has been very ill at his home.

We are so glad to know that Miss Edna Armstrong is able to be out again after being quite ill the past week.

A letter from the Daniel Newmans in Germany gives some very interesting of the life there now. Mrs. Newman writes, "You don't see farm machinery—just horses, oxen, cows and men and women doing the farming. Except in cities, there are very few cars, everyone travels by wagons pulled by oxen or horses or else rides a bicycle. Nuns and priests, old people, and young people walk or ride bicycles. Except for a few super-highways, the roads are winding and narrow, and bordered on both sides by trees to keep off the snow in the winter." Mrs. Newman and the children, Barbara and Danny, went over last fall to join Capt. Newman who will be stationed there for several years.

Little Margaret Croushorn was too ill to enjoy her birthday cake last Saturday.

Mr. John Kerlin returned home on Sunday evening after spending a couple of weeks in Florida.

Centreville

By Nora Good

Mrs. Morgan of West Virginia is the new fourth grade teacher. She replaces Mrs. Peck. Mrs. Mathers, the teacher for grade 1A has been on the sick list and Mrs. Harrison, the sixth grade teacher, is on the sick list also.

Mrs. B. D. Lake was a guest at the Australian embassy last Monday at the reception given in honor of Australian Day.

Mrs. W. H. Lamb entertained Miss Grace Brennan at dinner last Monday, the occasion being Miss Brennan's birthday.

The W. S. C. S. held a ham dinner in the church Friday night. Their next regular meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Audrey Neibert.

Little Wayne Mohler has gone back to school. He was on the sick list several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith and grandchildren and Miss Virginia Smith, of Pleasant Valley, were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mohler.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller attended the wedding of Mrs. Carl Miller's nephew, Mr. Edwin Brown, to Miss Bina Ruth Hutchison on Monday at Floris.

Mrs. Nora Good and Mary Ellen had chicken dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allison in Arlington on Sunday. Little Johnny Allison was in Episcopal Hospital for a minor mend.

Mr. Clayton Harrison has returned to Florida after a brief stay in his home here.

Mrs. B. B. Hoffman of Greenwich spent Wednesday with Mrs. Mary Hoffmann.

Mary Cobb has returned home from college and has accepted a teaching position in Alexandria.

The old Mohler home is going to be sold Feb. 11th. This property has been in the Mohler family ninety-four years. Charlie Korsen-der is making plans to open his new restaurant within several days.

Haymarket

tative of the Embassy of Chile will speak.

At the concluding meeting of the year, Ukrainian residents of Gainesville District, many of whom have children studying at the Gainesville District School in Haymarket, will be honored guests. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schneider of Haymarket are in charge of the program, and it is contemplated that the honor guests will present an exhibit of their handwork, will dress in native costume, and will sing.

Students of designated grades of the Gainesville District School will present a ten-minute program at each meeting.

Program committee includes Mrs. Wallace Rion, Mrs. Audrey Kerr, Mrs. J. W. Alvey, the Rev. W. F. Carpenter, and Miss Priscilla Tyler.

Mrs. L. E. Thomas spent several days at the home of her son, Burns Thomas in Arlington, helping to care for her little grandson, Michael Wayne, who has been quite ill with intestinal flu and is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heberle, of Arlington, were the dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Meyer.

Mrs. Viola Gray visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. George Smallwood, in Cherrydale on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Melton and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Meyer attended the March of Dimes dance held in Marshall last Thursday night. The Gainesville District Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary met in the Fire Hall last Wednesday evening. The members were asked to donate colored feed bags which in turn will be turned over to Mrs. Wm. Denewitz who has volunteered her work in making a rug which will be given away at the coming summer carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Brown visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown in Baltimore on Sunday.

The Messrs. Tulloss and Billy Rust have returned to the University of Virginia after spending the Mid-Semester term with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rust.

Mr. Spencer Buckner of Falls Church, spent Saturday with his aunts the Misses Mary and Lucy Buckner.

Miss Betty Meyer had as her guest recently, Miss Janet Young of Catharpin, who was home from Mary Washington College for the Mid-Semester term.

Headed by G.O.P. Man. Loudoun Newspaper

Frank E. Mason, New York City Republican, bought the Loudoun News, Leesburg weekly newspaper, from W. C. Stevenson of Middleburg. Mason is reportedly rich.

Mason served during the late war as a special assistant to Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, whom President Roosevelt appointed in an effort to have his Cabinet show a bi-partisan tinge.

Mason has named Harry C. Wanner, also of New York, as the weekly's business manager.

Frank Rafter, former News managing editor, will devote full time to the management of Rafter's store, Leesburg.

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Dumfries

School last Sunday afternoon sponsored by the choir and adult Bible class for the new residents of Dumfries, so they could become acquainted with the older residents and they were invited to attend church. Everyone had a very enjoyable evening.

Friends of Dumfries are sorry to hear of the illness of Mrs. Kate Keys and hope she will soon be well and out again.

A candlelight choir recital was held at the Dumfries Methodist Church last Sunday evening, sponsored by the adult Bible class. Miss Jerry Burdette from Lynchburg College was the guest speaker. The program was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Walter Hedges, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cumberland and daughter, Jo-Ann, al of Indian Head, Md., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller on Sunday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hedges and family on Sunday evening.

Mr. William Pearson of Nokesville was dinner guests of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hedges, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Milligan attended a birthday dinner given for her mother, Mrs. D. B. Haske, at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. A. Rollins of Manassas.

Mrs. W. E. Stringer and daughter from Fairfax spent a week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Milligan, while Mr. Stringer was on a business trip in Orlando, Fla.

Fauquier Methodists Rebuilding Church

The congregation of the Morrisville Methodist Church has launched a campaign to rebuild its structure which was destroyed by fire in December.

The new building will be of cinder block construction, brick veneered, with an air space between the cinder block and the brick. It will be 55 feet long and 34 feet wide. Sunday school rooms will occupy the ground floor.

Approximate cost of the building is \$14,000, of which the church has received \$5,000 from insurance on the old building.

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Yorkshire

By Miss Ruth Wright

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Garrison and son Joe, visited with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Gibson of Boonesville, Va.

Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Robins and daughter, Ellen, visited Mrs. G. H. Robbins of Washington.

Mrs. G. R. Slusher visited her mother in Fredericksburg on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Breeden and family visited Mrs. B. Breeden of Clayton, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Wit and sons visited the Washington Zoo on Sunday.

Wallace Wright will spend Friday and Saturday in Winchester. He will attend the sessions of the Workshop Band of Virginia.

Mrs. Casper Holton and Miss Violet Patton visited their sister, Mrs. Louise Gibbo at Ft. Belvoir.

Mr. and Mrs. Witt and children went to Washington last week to see the 1930 Ice Capades.

The Saturday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Witt was Mr. Andrew Mellon of Alexandria.

The Yorkshire civic group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Staats on Thursday, Jan. 2. The guest speaker was Mr. Lancaster, assistant resident highway engineer of Warrenton.

The next civic group meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Epling.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wright and son, John, of Pender, were Saturday guests of Mrs. A. Wright.

Pvt. Bobby Moats was the weekend guest of his grandmother and grandfather, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hughes.

Mrs. Wright, Wallace, Ruth and Roy and Pauline Newcomer of Centreville, took a trip up to Western Maryland College on Sunday, Jan. 29 to bring Edward home.

Clifton

By Mrs. Inez Kincheloe

Mr. Wildman Kincheloe, of Richmond, visited relatives here last Sunday.

Miss Priscilla Robey, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Washington, has returned to her home here. Mrs. Nari Johnson, who has been quite ill, is now slowly on the mend.

We are glad to say that Mrs. Lena Elgin who has been ill for some time, is slowly improving. Mr. Roy Kincheloe is ill and in a Washington hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Detwiler, and family have gone to Fort Myers, Fla. for the month of February.

Edward Wright has finished college and is now home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells had as their guest for several days, Mrs. Wells, aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Waites of Columbia, S. C.

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The pastor's subject, "Going Down to Rise Up."
6:30 p. m.—Baptist Training Union.
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship.
"Things That Endure" will be the subject of the pastor's message.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 15—
7:00 p. m.—Choir Practice (Intermedate).
7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting—Come and study Galatians with us.

THURSDAY, FEB. 16—
7:30 p. m.—The W. M. U. will meet at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Dick for a social evening. All ladies of the church and congregation are urged to attend.

The Readers' Forum

January 31, 1950
Dear Editor: I do not live in Prince William County, would love to very much, but I do get your paper by mail. I see where you have no part in advertising liquor. Hats off to you, we do wish there were others to see and feel that spirit. I am sure your paper will be far richer, not in dollars maybe, but so many in this country think

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In And Around Manassas

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Lt. John Norman of Fort Eustace visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman, over the weekend.

Guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Cox of Moor Green, were Miss Shoemaker and Mr. David McKillup.

Major and Mrs. Robert W. M. Weir and son, Robert Jr., of Washington were guests of Mrs. Robert Weir last week before leaving for New Orleans, where Major Weir will be stationed at the Air Base.

Mrs. Lillian Burke, Mrs. Mary Compton, Mrs. Flora Weir and Mrs. Elenor Wetherall attended the banquet given in honor of the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of Virginia O. E. S., at Quantico recently.

Miss Catherine Connolly visited her parents at Jessup, Pa. this weekend.

Mrs. G. Raymond Ratcliffe was the guest for several days last week of Mrs. Norvell Larkin in Fairfax. Thursday, Mrs. Norvell Larkin entertained at a bridge luncheon honoring Mrs. Ratcliffe.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bowles and Col. and Mrs. Dunkelberger of Washington, were guest this week of Mrs. D. Brown Williams.

Mrs. T. E. Didiak and Miss Nancy Leigh Didiak left Saturday for Cocoa Beach, Florida where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. L. S. Rohr, of Front Royal, visited her daughter, Miss Carolyn Rohr and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rohr, last week.

Mrs. William H. Haydon left Friday for Washington, where she was the guest of her daughter, Miss Edith Haydon, for several weeks.

Mrs. Edith Austin, Mrs. Edna Gue, Mrs. Mary Edwards, Mrs. Edith Fitzwater and Mrs. Edna

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Alben Barkley.

Leona Kline will help members make lamps.

Billy Brower and Jimmy Harrover, Y. P. I. cadets, visited their families in Catharpin last weekend.

Michael Hudoba, Washington, associate editor of "Sports Afield," was one of the members of a panel that conducted a discussion of conservation and conservation education at Cornell University, New York, last week.

During last week's winter weather, a number of Catharpin residents were ill. Among them were the two children of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Byington and the one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Smith, all of whom had whooping cough; Peggy Anderson, who had mumps; the four-week-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Kepler, who had a severe cold; and Mrs. Robert Byington.

Mrs. Bertha Stamm has been coaching the seventh grade girls' basketball at Gainesville District School.

Mrs. Stamm, Dorie Lou Pearson, and Betty Harrover are playing with the Gainesville District Volunteer Fire Department women's

team.

Rolle Ellison is playing with the men's team. A number of Catharpin people are attending the games regularly.

Mr. and Mrs. Rumsey Light and Rolle Ellison of the R-R Ranch attended the annual dinner of the Maryland and Virginia Milk Producers' Association Monday at the Statler Hotel, Washington. Secretary of Agriculture Brannan was speaker for the occasion.

Recent Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will C. Ellison were Mr. and Mrs. Myron Norman and their daughter, Jerry, Ashburn; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fox, Manassas; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Killy and their two sons, Orlean; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Hutchison and their son, Desmond, Catharpin.

According to last report, Mrs. Z. T. Plinn, who underwent surgery last week at Garfield Hospital, is getting along satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Guitre visited last weekend with Mr. Guitre's daughter, Mrs. Douglas Cogswell, and Mr. Cogswell, in Pennsylvania.

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Board of Supervisors Minutes For Prince William County

January 4th, 1950
AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, HELD AT THE COURTHOUSE THEREOF IN MANASSAS, VIRGINIA, ON THURSDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF JANUARY, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY. THERE WERE PRESENT: MESSRS. J. MURRAY TAYLOR, CHAIRMAN, J. P. PICK, JOHN W. ELLIS, J. CARL KINCHELOE, R. B. GOSSOM, R. S. HALL, STANLEY A. OWENS, COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEY AND J. P. KERLIN, SHERIFF.

The meeting was called to order and opened with prayer by the Reverend J. Murray Taylor, Chairman.

RE: ORGANIZATION.
J. Murray Taylor was nominated as Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year and was unanimously elected.

RE: MEMBER OF THE DISTRICT HOME BOARD.

John W. Ellis was nominated as the County Representative on the District Home Board and was unanimously elected for the ensuing year.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following accounts were examined, allowed and Check-Warrants ordered drawn on the County Treasurer in payment of same.

Stanley A. Owens, Comp. Comm. Atty., \$161.68.

Worth H. Storke, Clerk, Clerk of Court \$83.33; Clerk of Board, \$12.50 less withholding tax, \$5.70.

R. Worth Peters, Supt. Schools, \$103.33.

John W. Ellis, Member District Home Bd., \$6.00; Member Bd. Supervisors, \$17.66.

R. S. Hall, Member Bd. Supervisors, \$18.66.

R. B. Gossom, Member Bd. Supervisors, \$18.66.

J. Murray Taylor, Member Bd. Supervisors, \$17.36.

J. P. Pick, Member Bd. Supervisors, \$18.76.

J. Carl Kincheloe, Member Bd. Supervisors, \$16.91.

T. M. Russell, Salary of Janitor, \$110.00.

Collector of Internal Revenue, Withholding Tax, \$10.80.

Collector of Internal Revenue, Additional Tax withheld for Oct., Nov., Dec., \$1.10.

The Manassas Journal, Printing, \$35.00.

Manassas Messenger, Printing, \$14.40; Printing \$6.00.

C. E. Gnadt, Comr., Comp. of Comr. Rev. \$183.34; Telephone, \$3.00; Postage, \$12.79; Mileage, \$4.50.

M. J. Washington, Office Deputy, \$146.67.

Louise B. Mulholland, Office Assistant, \$83.33.

Alice W. Gulick, Office Assistant, \$83.33.

Edgar B. Heflin, Field Deputy, \$13.89.

Thelma M. Hensley, Extra Typist, \$76.78.

Progressive House of Printing, Office Supplies, \$76.50.

Wm. E. Lee Co., Office Supplies, \$38.05.

C. A. Sinclair, Treas., Comp. Treas., \$266.67; Dep. Treas., \$166.67; Office Clerk, \$100.00; Telephone, \$2.33; P. O. Box Rent, \$.67; MI. Treas., \$2.00; Burglar Insurance, \$5.00; Postage, \$20.05.

Pitney-Bowes, Inc., Postage Statement Pads, \$1.40.

Burroughs Adding Machine Co., Servicing Adding Machine, \$11.30.

Everett Wade Co., Office Supplies, \$91.08.

Central Mutual Telephone Co., Clerk's Office, \$6.10; Trial Justice, \$4.00; Commonwealth Atty., \$8.25; County Agent, \$17.05.

Arthur W. Sinclair, Special Attorney, \$15.00.

G. H. Parent Co., Office Supplies, \$3.65.

J. P. Kerlin, Shf., Comp. Shf., \$83.34; Dep. Wheeling, \$55.55; Dep. Humphrey, \$55.55; Dep. Hoskins, \$55.55; Jailor, \$34.72; Jail Cook, \$20.00; MI. Shf., \$11.76; Dep. Wheeling, \$18.81; Dep. Humphrey, \$21.24; Dep. Hoskins, \$18.60; Telephone, \$5.52; Postage, \$.67.

Katie Garner, jail laundry, \$20.00.

Manassas Market, Groceries, \$218.01; Supplies, \$.89.

Ocoquan, Woodbridge, Lorton Fire Dept., Operating Expenses, \$70.77.

Virginia Forest Service, Fire Prevention, \$100.00.

Manassas Volunteer Fire Co., Operating Expenses, \$194.28.

Traingle-Dumfries Vol. Fire Dept., Operating Expenses, \$33.05.

District Home, Maintenance and Care 7 inmates, \$210.00.

J. W. Ellis, Member Welfare Bd., \$8.33.

J. W. Alvey, Member Welfare Bd., \$8.33.

G. C. Russell, Member Welfare Bd., \$8.33.

Frank D. Cox, County Agent, \$100.00.

Mary Louise Wine, Sec. to Home Dem. Agent, \$25.00.

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Leona M. Kline, Home Dem. Agt., \$91.67, less Withholding Tax, \$5.10.
Mrs. Susie E. Smith, Registrar, \$10.50.
T. M. Russell, Cash advanced for sowing lime and repairing window latch, \$3.63.
T. M. Russell, Cash advanced for freight on Towels, \$1.18.
Town of Manassas, C. H. Annex Electricity, \$31.43; Courthouse Electricity, \$17.05; Jail Electricity, \$12.53; C. H. Annex Water, \$11.50; Jail, \$14.39; C. H. Annex Sewer, \$11.25; Jail Sewer, \$6.75.
W. W. Alexander, Repairs to Courthouse Chair, \$1.50.
Mrs. F. L. Cannon, Papering at Jail, \$153.70.
Mrs. Viola D. Proffitt, Agt., Insurance on Bldgs. and Jail, \$374.63.
Dettor, Edwards & Morris, Supplies, \$13.10; N. N. Free & Co., Nokesville Street Lights, \$10.80.
University Hospital, Hospitalization, \$299.26.
Luck & Albrite, Repairs to Jail, \$24.90.
Cocke Pharmacy, Medical Supplies, \$3.10.
C. A. Sinclair, Telephone Call to Winchester, \$.40.

DOG TAG FUND

Walter L. Flory, for Expenses, \$30.00; Salary of Game Warden, \$50.00.

W. T. Gossom, Turkeys killed by Dogs, \$18.00.

J. G. Hicks, for Turkey killed by dogs, \$1.25.

RESOLUTIONS

IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF THE NORTHERN VIRGINIA REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION.

Be it resolved that J. Carl Kincheloe be and he hereby is appointed as representative from the Board of Supervisors on the Northern Virginia Regional Planning Commission.

Be it resolved that W. M. Johnson be and he hereby is appointed in the place and stead of B. V. Brunt who has requested his retirement. UNANIMOUS VOTE.

RE: BUDGET COMMITTEE.

Be it resolved that the entire Board of Supervisors are hereby appointed a Budget Committee, for the year 1950-51 with J. M. Taylor, as Chairman of said Committee.

RE: TRANSFER FROM DOG TAG FUND.

Be it resolved that C. A. Sinclair, Treasurer, is hereby authorized to transfer from Dog Tag Fund to the General County Fund the sum of \$600.00.

AYES: R. S. Hall, J. P. Pick, J. Carl Kincheloe, John W. Ellis, R. B. Gossom, and J. Murray Taylor.

FUND BALANCES:

Bal. Nov. 30th.....\$221,342.55

Transfer Noel E. Roberts, Health Fund 10.00

C. Lacy Compton, Shfs. Fees 17.36

C. Lacy Compton, Com. Atty. Fees 7.50

Worth H. Storke, Land Redemp. 64.85

Worth H. Storke, Com. Atty. Fees 2.50

Worth H. Storke, Transfer 56.70

Worth H. Storke, Shfs. Fees42

Worth H. Storke, Trial Justice Fees 2.00

Welfare Board, hosp .. 4.50

Welfare Board, Hosp. 5.00

Treas. of Va., Board for Jail 377.67

J. P. Kerlin, Shfs. fees..... 27.53

Welfare Board, Hosp. 19.00
Welfare Board, Hosp. 2.50
Treas. of Va., Welfare 77.19
Treas. of Va., Board for prisoners 176.90
Treas. of Va., Welfare 3,245.97
David A. Lyon, Jr., Del. Taxes 8.96
David A. Lyon, Jr., Del. Taxes 69.20
Mrs. Ethel Funk, Donation Charles Reid 10.00
1949 Tax Bill Western Union Tel. Co. 76.07
1949 Tax Bill John Leary Canceled Cks. Nos. 19971 & 72 V. P. A. 23.00
1947 Col. 289.76
1948 Col. 622.93
1949 Col. 159,550.14

\$386,795.79

Debits

Ck. Warrants \$ 7,842.07

Transfer to V. P. A. Fund 2,982.67

Transfer from Gen. Fd. to Co. School Bd. 150,000.00

Mary Neville Lynn, refund by C-O 10.37

John & Abbie Shireman, refund by C-O 4.00

Jury Claim 4.70

Jury Claim 9.80

Ida M. Davis, refund on 1949 Taxes 7.62

Howard Bolognese, refund on 1949 Taxes 10.00

Lula M. Rector, refund on 1949 Taxes 11.00

Florence Colvin 15.37

Violet Merchant 16.00

Dist. Levies 16,191.66

Transfer to V. P. A. fund 1,445.53

Balance Dec. 31st 208,245.00

\$386,795.79

Dog Tag Fund

Balance Nov. 30th \$ 1,327.06

Sale of Tags 64.00

Ck. Warrants \$ 1,391.06

15% of Sales Dec. 1949 9.60

Balance Dec. 31st 1,259.06

\$ 1,391.06

RE: MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS FILED.

Letter to Mr. Taylor from Theodore Ritter, Chairman, Planning Commission.

Letter to Mr. Taylor from Archibald G. Robertson.

Letter from Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation.

Letter from the Department of Highways.

Copy of letter to Mr. C. E. Gnadt from Compensation Board.

Monthly report of Home Demonstration Agent.

Copy of Welfare Budget.

Advertisement letter from Quality Products Laboratories, Inc.

Letter from Wm. E. Lee Company.

Letter from Chas. G. Stott & Co., Inc.

Order for Capsules for Health Department from Gelatin Products Company. Commitments to County and City Jail and City Jail Farms, September, 1949.

Letter from Pitney-Bowes, Inc. Season's Greeting from the Manassas Journal Staff.

Letter from Interstate Tower Clock Service Co.

Detailed Statement of accounts paid for Prisoners in Jail.

Copy of letter to Mr. T. W. Ross. Nothing further the Board adjourned to meet again on Thursday, February 9, 1950 at 10 o'clock A. M. or subject to the call of the Chairman.

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