

Court Continues Barros Murder Case Until April; Grand Jury Meets

Oscar Webb, Defendant, to Be Tried In April Term; Grand Jury Returns 12 True Bills

The first-degree murder charge against Oscar Webb, 63, who was recently transferred from the New Castle County Workhouse to the Delaware State Hospital, was continued by Judge Daniel L. Herrmann in the Kent County Superior Court at Dover Monday until the April term.

Webb was indicted at the last October term of court on the murder charge in connection with the shotgun slaying of Ralph D. Barros, Dover, at Little Heaven, north of Frederica, last July 18.

The defendant was transferred to the Workhouse from the Kent County Jail last November after he had made an unsuccessful suicide attempt with a razor blade. His transfer to the State Hospital for study and observation was made on recommendation of Dr. M. A. Tarumainz, superintendent of the hospital.

Webb, according to the charges against him, shot and killed Barros after an argument between the two over terms of a lease under which Barros operated a filling station owned by Webb at Little Heaven. He is represented by James H. Hughes III.

Burton Wilcutts, 65, Frederica, was again indicted by the Grand Jury Monday on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of his brother-in-law, Ira Downes, 70, at Harrington last Aug. 13.

The new indictment replaces one returned by the Grand Jury at the October term of court. It charges that Downes' death was caused by head injuries suffered when his head struck a concrete porch floor after Downes, a druggist, had been struck by Wilcutts.

Downes died in the Milford Memorial Hospital the day following the alleged fistfights. According to the indictment, he suffered a fractured skull, disruption of the brain, and intracranial hemorrhage.

William Masten, 29, arrested by Dover police last July 22 as the perpetrator of a series of breaking and enterings at Dover last spring and early summer, was indicted on four charges of breaking and entering.

The indictments charge him with breaking into the Capitol Cleaners and Launderers last May 20; the home of Frances Clayton, 500 block South Governors Avenue, last June 10 and June 21, and the home of Henry Williams, 300 block South New Street, last June 17.

Masten, represented by Max Terry, entered pleas of innocent to the charges when arraigned on the indictments.

A total of 12 true bills was returned by the Grand Jury at its first sitting of the year Monday. The others were:

Marie Atkins, charged with assault and battery on Charles Guy, Dover, with a shotgun, last Oct. 7; Samuel E. Gourley, charged with forging a check for \$70; Wilbur Bernard McKethan, 41, Dover, charged with assault and battery on Warden Norris B. Garrison of the Kent County Jail with a hedgecutter while he was serving a short jail term and was on an employment assignment; Floyd Flamer, charged with escaping from the Kent County Jail on Nov. 16 and Jan. 2; James Albert Elijah Flamer, charged with escaping with Floyd, a cousin, on Jan. 2; and Edell Grace, also charged with escaping from the jail.

The Flamers and Grace have not been apprehended.

Marie Atkins pleaded guilty to the assault and battery charge for which she was indicted and asked parole. David E. Whitehead and Lucy Herring, Bridgeville, appeared before the court and pleaded guilty to charges of carrying concealed deadly weapons and applied for parole. Arrested in an automobile Feb. 6, Herring is charged with carrying a pistol, and Whitehead, a revolver. The Atkins, Whitehead, and Herring cases were referred by Judge Herrmann to Probation Officer Robert E. Lewis for investigation.

When the Grand Jury convened, Judge Herrmann appointed U. Lee Harman, Maryland, as foreman, and the jury chose Warner W. Price Jr., Smyrna, as secretary.

Completing Basic



Pvt. Smith R. Carson

Pvt. Smith R. Carson, 19, son of Mrs. Smith Carson, of 301 2nd Avenue, is completing his AF basic airmen indoctrination course at Lackland Air Force Base, the "Gateway to the Air Force."

March of Dimes \$100 Short of Quota

The official closing date of the 1952 March of Dimes for Harrington, Farmington and vicinity is tomorrow but contributions will be received until March 1 by the local treasurer, J. Leonard Horleman, at the First National Bank. This will be the last report of contributors until the drive ends and a full report can be made of the amount raised including the names of contributors other than already shown in the columns of The Harrington Journal. The committee recognizes the assistance of Mary Dolby, who supervised the members of the Youth's Canteen in soliciting the pupils of the local school; Katherine Conway for soliciting the employees of the Ace Manufacturing Company and Irma Woodworth and Jean Roe for soliciting the employees of George Sherwin, Inc. Approximately \$100 is needed to meet the local quota and those who have not contributed to date are urged to do so in order that "All Children May Walk, Run and Play Tomorrow." Following additional contributions have been received since last week's report:

Ace Manufacturing Company employees, George Sherwin, Inc. employees, Pupils of Harrington School, W. S. C. S. Asbury Church, Taylor Hardware Co., Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bowdle, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sapp, Clarence E. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Tilghman Outten and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Humes, Norris Graham, Victory Home Demonstration Club, Mrs. W. C. Miller, Clifford Raughley, J. Harry Raughley.

Ever Ready Class Notes

The Ever Ready Class of Asbury Church School will meet at Collins Hall at 7:30 o'clock Monday, Feb. 18, at which time important business matters will be discussed. Mrs. P. C. Harrington and her committee will be hostesses, and Mrs. William H. Wheeler will preside.

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CORRECTION

Mrs. Lillian Pearson and Kenneth Tatman have been appointed co-managers of the Ace Manufacturing Company here. It was inadvertently mentioned in last week's issue if this newspaper that Mrs. Pearson was appointed assistant to Mr. Tatman.

Rotary Addressed On "What Made Lincoln Great?"

"What made Abraham Lincoln great?" This was the theme of an address by Rev. Daniel Pritchard before the Harrington Rotary Club Tuesday evening.

"There is nothing new to be said about Lincoln," said the speaker, "because everything that can be said has been said—but surely there must be some secret of his greatness, something undiscovered by others. Here was a man who had less than one year of schooling and who, by his own admission, 'picked up what little education he had under the pressure of necessity.' Environment and circumstances decreed that his destiny would be that of an obscure, and even unknown man.

"His humility, I believe, tended to make him great—not a pretension of humility, but real humility. When one pretends to be humble, he emphasizes that characteristic so much that he takes the opposite course and unconsciously begins to swagger. Other characteristics contributed to his greatness: He was called 'Honest Abe' not without reason, for his was an unswerving honesty; his sincerity on all occasions—and hard work. His father taught him how to work—but could not teach him to love work. That love of hard work Lincoln taught himself.

"His study of the Bible—and his knowledge of the Bible threads its way through all the course of his life—contributed much to his greatness. Lincoln had a deep and abiding faith in God, His justice and His mercy."

Louis Hobbs, a gunner in the air force with many missions in the Korean area, and but recently returned home, gave much interesting information about conditions in the battle zone.

Wharton to Hold Ford Farm Festival At Milford Wed.

The Ford Farming Festival, a gala event for the entire family, will be presented in Milford, on Feb. 20 by Bayard V. Wharton. The program will be held at the high school auditorium, and will begin at 7:30. No admission will be charged, and the whole town and farm community are invited to attend.

One of the featured events of the entertainment program will be a romantic motion-picture comedy, "Holiday for Bill," featuring Hazel Dawn, Jr. and Paul Langton, Broadway stage stars.

In addition the program will feature: Russ Yohe, featured WBOC star and his Hammond Electric Organ; Ted Jennings, trick shooter; Jimmy Wilson, juggling; Jack Morris, singing and dancing; Frances Mumford, trick baton; Jimmy Snow and Co., magician, plus New Holland Grass Lands, farming picture.

According to Bayard V. Wharton, "The Ford Farming Festival is just what its name suggests, a festive occasion with wholesome entertainment features for the entire family. But it has its serious side, too, with ideas, inspiration and new farming information presented by agricultural leaders we all know and respect. The festival is our tribute to the farm people of this community."

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Legionnaires Drop 2 Games; To Play Monday

Several Misfortunes Aid in Defeats After 14 Straight Victories

After winning 14 consecutive games, Harrington's Eastern Shore Basketball League leaders dropped two games when confronted with misfortunes.

The Legionnaires, heretofore undefeated this season, dropped one at Chincoteague Sunday, 69-50. The absence of Bob Snowden, who is visiting relatives in Gary, Ind., was noticeable, as was also that of Martin, who is on his honeymoon.

The local hoopsters lost another game, to Salisbury here Monday evening, 77-73. Snowden and Martin were still absent, as was also Prentiss, who was ill.

The Legionnaires thus had only six players at the start of the game. Dill and Shalley fouled out and at the start of the fourth quarter, the Legionnaires had only four men on the floor. Joe Griffith retired from the game with a leg injury and Roberts fouled out. During the last few minutes of the game Harrington had only Jay Bullock and Betts on the floor.

The Legionnaires play the Laurel Owls here Monday, and play at Dover Tuesday.

In the opening game of the fifth annual Dover YMCA basketball tournament tomorrow evening, at Dover Fieldhouse, the Newark Yellow-Jackets clash with Shanahan's at 7 o'clock. In the second game Rocco's will take on Rehoboth, while in the nightcap, at 10 o'clock, Laurel Owls and Claymont AA tangle.

The Legionnaires make their first start in the tournament March 8, when they play the victor of the Laurel-Claymont game.

HARRINGTON		G.	F.	P.
Griffith, f	2	3	15	5
Roberts, f	3	2	16	5
Prentiss, f	2	2	16	5
Dill, f	1	1	15	5
Shalley, f	1	1	15	5
Bullock, g	1	1	15	5
TOTALS	17	17	50	15

CHINCOTEAGUE		G.	F.	P.
Aubuchon, f	7	2	16	5
Elliott, f	1	3	15	5
McArthur, c	3	0	12	5
Carroll, g	2	0	15	5
Moseley, g	4	0	18	5
Kaiser, g	1	0	15	5
Monbleau, g	0	1	1	5
Ellis, g	1	0	1	5
TOTALS	21	7	100	15

HARRINGTON		G.	F.	P.
Harrington	6	17	13	50
Chincoteague	16	22	15	50
Officials: Wilkins and McMenamin.				

SALISBURY		G.	F.	P.
Wimbrow, f	3	3	19	5
Milton, f	2	4	12	5
Hodges, c	1	1	11	5
Sumpter, g	4	0	8	5
Dalley, g	2	0	6	5
Phipps, g	13	5	31	5
TOTALS	31	15	77	5

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Betts, f	8	0	16	5
Griffith, f	4	4	20	5
Roberts, f	3	2	18	5
Dill, f	2	1	15	5
Shalley, g	2	2	15	5
Bullock, g	1	1	15	5
Salisbury	14	14	58	17
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Sulky Slants



By Mrs. Dave (Pat) Smith

Most women do their gossiping over their back fence, but as I'm situated I have no back fence. (Only a busy race track behind my trailer), so I have to pour forth through The Harrington Journal.

About the nicest thing yet comes from away up in Picton, Ontario, Canada. Mrs. Roland Herrington gave me the paper so I could read the article. Quote: Here is the clipping I have. The newspaper there has a very breezy column written by Mrs. Pat Smith, much of it dealing with horses, their owners and families. As I happen to know this will go back to Canada I just want to say, "Thanks."

Someone just handed me this information, that Mrs. Herrington helped do a little work out with Tracer Bullet, and Ginger Boy. Along with the horses their dog is their pride and joy. Nickie just came to them in Batavia a year ago and they took him in. Wow, what a dog.

Dr. Churchill and Mrs. Reese Harrington made a trip to Hanover Shoe Farms to x-ray a foot that Rosebud was lame in. Dr. Churchill found it to be ok now. Reese says he will put her back in training next year. While they were up there they were very much interested in their weanling filly, out of the dam Rosebud, the sire, Bill Gallon. It is rumored this filly might be for sale this year. I'll lay you two to one if someone would offer the Empire State Building Reese might swap.

Happy Gray sold the colt he purchased this fall to Mr. Brown, the young attorney. Mr. Brown has turned him over to Les Simpson stable for spring training. I believe Mel Gray gave me the name of Dela.

Pop Heller has also purchased another horse from Mr. Spence. Pop's new horses name, (which I hope I have spelled right) is Illustrious. That gives Pop two now. Portia, look out, you'll be doing like I'm doing, caring for your own horses. Loads of fun though.

Harry Littleton and John Slegle are beginning to round the big track into shape now. Looks good to see that going on. Looks like good ole spring is on its way. Hope it don't rain for a while.

My little colt, Roustabout, is coming along swell. Could it be the groom, (that's me) or the trainer? I think if he should win here, I would do as Betty and Ellis Myer's little Jr. would do. Take off like a big-bird. Wish I could write it as Jr. says it.

I have here a very nice item from Mr. and Mrs. Lindale Coverdale from Milford, Route 3. Quote—On Tues., Feb. 5, the mare, Lady Prince (Comessa and Cardinal Prince), owned by Mr. and Mrs. Coverdale, near Milford, dropped a stallion colt by Jimmy Creed. He is a light sorrel with white back feet and ankles and a few strands of grey in his forehead. Jimmy Creed is owned by Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Thompson, of New Ross, Ind.

Thank you for the nice letter saying, you read my column. It sure helps. Hope sometime in the near future you will pay a visit to the track. I would love to meet and chat with you both. I wish more would send me any information of interest they think would do for my column. My box number is 163 if anyone would care to send me any newsy items.

Genie, Dave and I weren't trying to stop you from checking up the other nite. Just got in the wrong door. And we were sober too. You see we were hunting Bobby Hobbs and Sarah's apartment. Was in right church but wrong pew. Dave, Doug and I were invited up to dinner, to Sarah's and Bobby's. Plenty of chicken, and do I love that. I think Susie (Sarah's dog) really had a time of his life. Seemed to enjoy his company. She's a pistol.

Harry Craig tells me he has put the boxing gloves on one of his youngsters. Gosh I'd love to see that. Wonder what Kay thinks of that? Or does that go on out doors?

Sorry to hear that Warren Holmes' mother has passed away. Mabel Walters took up a collection for flowers among the trainers and owners here at the track.

Harry Stout has undergone two operations this past week. Poor Charlotte has her mother in one room and her husband in the (See SULKY SLANTS back page)

Girl Scouts Hold Dinner

Fifty persons, representing the various Girl Scout communities of Kent and Sussex Counties, gathered for a dinner meeting in Harrington, Wed., Feb. 6. In addition to leaders of Girl Scouts, present also were troop committee members and business men from the two counties.

Ralph D. Kellam, of Wilmington, president of the Petersburg Conservation and Recreation Center, was the guest speaker for the evening. He told of plans being made for the Petersburg Conservation and Recreation Center, located near Felton, which will serve the youth of Delaware. This was good news to those interested in scouting, for he spoke of periods being allotted to both the Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts.

The greater part of the meeting was spent discussing council for this area. Surveys made of the various towns were reported on. Many questions were asked about council financing, individual community benefit, and camp for our girls. Mrs. Charles H. Smith, president of the Kent and Sussex Leaders Club, was assisted by Mrs. Frank Clendaniel Jr., a former Girl Scout executive in New Jersey, in forming this group on how council would help this area.

The council is a group of volunteer citizens who are interested in the welfare of the youngsters in their area and wish to help promote scouting for girls. These women are organized and give certain specific responsibilities on the council. The council is supported by the area it services and is affiliated with the National Council of Girl Scouts, Inc. The money raised pays for the program and training course materials, publicity, office supplies, upkeep and rent of the local office, car expenses, executive's salary, secretary's salary, charter and quota fees, and expenses incidental to administration and supervisory office. The camp for the council is usually self supporting.

Before adjourning, the motion—"We as leaders and committee members are in favor of joining council"—was moved, seconded, and approved without anyone opposing the motion. The five counties of Maryland with which Kent and Sussex counties will join for council had taken this action earlier.

According to statistics available at present, there are 2000 Girl Scouts in 62 different troops located throughout this proposed council area. The acceptance of council was good news to the leaders for it will mean leader training and other benefits that will bring better scout programs to this large number of Girl Scouts.

Mr. Howard Klapp and son, Roger, spent a part of last week in Norfolk, Va., visiting her husband, Seaman Klapp.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Holmes were sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Holmes' mother in Mountain View, N. J.

There are several seats where one can sit down and inspect a volume before making a final choice and fluorescent lighting makes it adaptable for day or evening use. There is a registration desk in the forefront of the bookmobile where Miss Mary Jones, of Georgetown, checks out the books and keeps records. Books are lent for two week periods.

Mrs. Hammond has carefully selected the volumes, she says, so that the greatest number of people may be served. There are references on many subjects, biographies, novels, histories, in fact a complete sampling of a well organized library. Children's books are popular numbers, especially among first and second grade pupils.

"Our first month of visits to communities where there are no libraries has been exploratory to see what the demand would be. We have been well received everywhere and especially the youngsters stand in line awaiting our arrival," Mrs. Hammond declared.

She said the interior of the truck is designed in such a manner that the volumes can be displayed on three walls. It is large enough so that 15 to 20 children and adults can move around at one time and select the books which they would like to read. Cost of the truck and special body was nearly \$9000.

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Dover Broker Is Former State Treasurer and Deputy Collector Of Internal Revenue



WILLARD D. BOYCE

Railroad News

George Rapp removed the roof from one of the water tubs to prevent pieces from blowing off and striking cars on Delaware Avenue.

Jack Morris, assistant general manager at Philadelphia, passed through town Tuesday to a meeting with the Eastern Shore Tower Co., at Salisbury. His business car was on No. 453 south and No. 454 north.

Bob Raughley, superintendent of telegraph and signals at Chicago, was also a visitor Tuesday to visit his mother near Felton.

The oyster party is definitely set for March 8 at the Salisbury Armory. In addition to the customary steamed and raw oysters, clam chowder and other eats, there is a full evening of entertainment being arranged and all are guaranteed a good time.

Rube Outten, third trick operator at Harrington, is taking a leave of absence until May 1. Rube lives at Felton and in all probability will be taking a mailman's holiday as he did last Monday, his day off, while working in his yard, he noticed an automobile had gotten off the crossing and could not get back on. He ran down the track and flagged No. 454 in time to avoid striking the car. The driver, Charley Jester, had already gotten ten clear of the car and when the train came to a stop a few feet away the engine crew assisted.

Mr. Boyce said: "I look forward to the honor and responsibility of

Chosen Friends Lodge No. 35



The date for the second annual picnic for the kiddies, to be staged at Wheeler's Park, was set for Wed., July 9, by the members of Chosen Friends Lodge last Thursday evening.

This year the affair will be bigger and better and every child in the community will be invited to attend. If the date should be stormy, the event will be held July 16.

Sam Short reported progress with the new city directory the lodge is compiling for the residents of the city, and said he wanted to thank the businessmen for advertising in the directory.

Past Grand night will be held Thurs., Feb. 28, and every member is requested to be present.

There were 13 members present at last week's meeting and every one of them had something to add for the benefit of the lodge.

Bowers

Mrs. Elizabeth Morris and Mrs. Catherine Balmas, RN, spent several days in New York this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zauks spent a few days in Hartford, Conn.

Miss Violet Tribbitt, of Wilmington, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Thomas Tribbitt.

Master Charles Kersey, of Viola, spent the past week with his grandmother, Mrs. Anna Banks.

Mrs. Emma Farrow, of New Castle; Mrs. Lulu Lincke, James Dare and Charles Dare, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Patterson. Mrs. Patterson is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martin entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams, of Rising Sun, and John Alberts, of Pittman, N. J.

The Bowers Fire Company was busy Sunday burning marshes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adams entertained Sunday at a turkey dinner, their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Morris, near town, and Mrs. Bertha Williams.

Asbury Methodist Church Notes

"How Can We Follow Christ in Our Homes?" is a study based on the friendship of Jesus with a family who lived in the village of Bethany. Sunday School begins at 10 a. m. with a devotional period. Classes for all ages.

Morning Worship begins at 11 o'clock. Sermon by the minister.

Sandra Raughley will lead the devotions and Imogene Welch will present a study of David at the Youth Fellowship meeting, which will be held in the Collins Building beginning at 6:30 p. m.

A youth program will be presented at the evening service, beginning at 7:30. Members of the M. Y. F. will have various parts in the program. The minister will speak by request on the subject of "Youth."

On Monday evening a very important meeting of the Ever Ready Class will be held in the Collins Building at 7:30. Every member of the class is urged to be present at this meeting.

Choirs meet on Thursday as follows: Junior Choir at 3:30 in the Collins Building, Chancel Choir at 6:45 in the Collins Building, and the Cathedral Choir at 8 in the sanctuary.

On Sun., Feb. 24 the officers and members of the Loyal Order of Moose will be special guests at the morning worship. Special speaker for that service will be the Rev. Ragnar Alm, a district superintendent of Methodist work in Sumatra, a tropical island off the Malay Peninsula. Laymen's Day will be celebrated at the evening service, with Fulton Downing in charge.

8 Divorce Suits Listed For Hearing in Dover

Eight divorce suits have been listed by Prothonotary James B. Messick for hearing in Superior Court today at Dover. They are:

Jane Pride Hendrickson v. Charles Frederick Hendrickson; Francis Bell v. Rosa Bell; Doris Christine Sudler Goldsboro v. Edward Goldsboro Jr.; Ellen Mae Shaffer v. George William Shaffer; Albert William Whitney v. Genevieve Sarah B. Whitney; Albert Goodnow v. Agnes Goodnow; Leroy James Rench v. Irma Faulkner Rench, and Henrietta Roe Thompson v. Arlie B Thompson.

Filament Wire
The elements of vacuum tubes used in the latest models of hearing aids are of nickel filament wire, only one-tenth as thick as human hair.

Of Local Interest

Mrs. Phillips Leigh and Mrs. Edith Barker, of Harbeson, visited Mrs. Daniel Hitchens last week.

Kitty Lou Burgess spent Sunday and Monday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Redden, of Brownsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilson are the parents of a son born Sunday in Kent General Hospital, Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. Briton Hickman, of Philadelphia, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Abner Hickman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sylvester spent Sunday in Drexel Hill, Pa., with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Zacharias Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clarkson spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. William Clarkson, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson, Mr. and Mrs. James Clarkson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lore were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clarkson, of Greenwood.

Mrs. Enola Lester entertained Sunday at dinner Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mariner, of Chester Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gibbons and daughters, Linda and Nancy, of Vienna, Md.; Mrs. Anna Wallace and son, Bill, and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Hommel, of Salisbury; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Abbott and son, Roger Dale, of Milford; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dryden and son, Orville, and Ronnie and Richard Warfield, of Princess Anne, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis and Miss Jeanette Lester.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hitchens entertained in honor of Mrs. Hitchens' birthday Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lekites, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Trader, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wright, Mrs. Edith Barker and Mrs. Phillip Leigh.

Mrs. John G. Parks entertained Circle 3 of the First Presbyterian Church of Milford Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baker, of Gumboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Clold Fry Sr. were Sunday dinner guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Winnie Breeding, of Hickman.

The Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Hungerford, of Georgetown, Md., attended morning worship at Asbury Methodist Church. They were guests at dinner of the Rev. and Mrs. Robert E. VanCleaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kent are vacationing in Florida.

Mrs. Elsie O'Neal and Mr. and Mrs. James O'Neal and family spent Sunday in Wilmington visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Winkler.

Mrs. John Jarrell has gone to live with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Harris, while her husband is in the service.

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Mrs. Orie Hobbs entertained at a turkey dinner Sunday in honor of her son, Cpl. Louis Hobbs, recently returned from Okinawa, Ormand Hobbs Jr., Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. George Swain.

Little Miss Inga Quillen, of Georgetown, is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Harry Quillen.

Mrs. Walter Lekites entertained on Friday evening at a card party, Mrs. Martha Wilson, Mrs. Daniel Hitchens, Mrs. Howard Williams, Mrs. Edith Barker, Mrs. Phillip Leigh, Mrs. Helen Cordray, Mrs. Peter J. Wilson and Mrs. Willard Wright. Prizes were won by Mrs. Barker and Mrs. Williams.

Mrs. Brown Smith has been ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rifenburg spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Norfolk and Cape Charles, Va.

Today we received a card from Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Boyer mailed from Havana, Cuba.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Richardson

spent Sunday in Frederica visiting relatives. Later in the day they called on Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nichols.

Earl Koons and Charles Snyder, of Millersburg, Pa., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Jehu Camper visited Mr. and Mrs. Urie Morris, near Laws Church, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Morris visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hopkins, of Frederica, Sunday evening.

goal of \$30,000 has been reached. All contributions and pledges will be tabulated and reported at a meeting of the Sunday School Board which will be held Monday evening, March 10. Members of the Building Finance Committee are asked to be present at this meeting.

Asbury Church Report on Financial Campaign

The first Building Fund Sunday to finance the addition to the Collins Building of Asbury Methodist Church was held Feb. 10. Kesler Farrow, treasurer of the building fund, reported that cash receipts amounted to \$2605. Cash and pledges now total \$9700 which is nearly one-third of the goal.

Reports of continued progress will be made by the classes of the Sunday School on the second Sunday of each month until the

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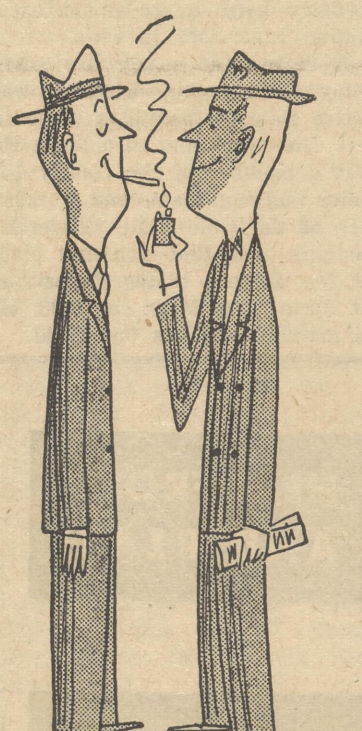
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REVENUE FROM EYESORES

Consolidation of farms makes far more efficient utilization of machinery and manpower but it also results in numerous abandoned farmhouses and outbuildings, waiting for the inevitable ravages of time.

With housing at a premium, we wonder if some of these eyesores couldn't be converted to cash. With improvements, many of them would be habitable for years. Without occupants, they will not last long. "A house will last longer if it is lived in," said Urie Morris. "Outbuildings will last longer if they are used."

Some of these buildings can be improved and rented. Others may be sold and moved. Others may be sold outright. Some could be dismantled for valuable timber.

PUBLICATION OF CITY DIRECTORY

Chosen Friends Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, began laying the groundwork last week for publication of a street directory for Harrington. This is a praiseworthy project which merits the support of everyone in the community.

Publication of the directory will be paid for by the sale of advertising space.

The advantages of this informative pamphlet, founded on a directory compiled by the City of Harrington, are infinite. Businessmen can use it for a mailing list. Persons can readily find an address. The Harrington Journal will have occasion to refer to the directory for street addresses, proper spelling of names. In fact, so will other businessmen find a similar use for the book.

The lodge anticipates bringing the directory up-to-date each year.

Friendly Echoes

By Mary E. Bailey

If the elevator to success is not running, take the stairs. Don't tell your troubles to others; they are looking for an opportunity to tell theirs to you.

March of Dimes

Solicitors for the March of Dimes in this area (for the Negro race) were Mrs. Esther Hackett, Mrs. Mildred Polk, Mrs. Beatrice Johnson and Mrs. Elma Thorpe. We take great pride in commending each contributor for the splendid response to the call. A liberal contribution was turned over to our county representative, Mrs. Cecie Henry, Dover.

Pastor James M. Douglas and his radio chorus of Parkside, Va., rendered the service last Sunday evening at Hubert Church, Frederica, of which the Rev. C. E. Lee is pastor.

Among those who attended the service from Harrington were the Rev. Lawson Barnard, the Rev. E. B. Pinckney, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jackson, Miss Marian Johnson, Mrs. Erma Travis, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Collick, Solomon Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thorpe and Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey. Women's Day at Hubert Church will be observed Sunday, Mrs. Mary Warren, president.

A special invitation is extended to the female chorus of Greenwood, Mrs. Mary N. Daniels, director; Mrs. Lettie Heath, organist.

Metropolitan Methodist Church. The Rev. Thaddeus Hackett, pastor. Sunday was observed as Men's Day. Morning message was delivered by the pastor, Matt. 16:13—He asked his disciples, saying, "whom do men say that I, the Son of Man am?" Prof. Baynard Young, of Milford, was the guest speaker for the evening.

The final report of the captains was commendable.

Sunday, Feb. 3, a turkey dinner was sponsored by Mrs. Ida Brown at her home and was well attended by friends and relatives. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pulley, of Chester, Md.; Mrs. Laura Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sudler, Mr. and Mrs. Boots Henry and family, of Goldsboro; Mrs. Pauline Floyd, Miss Dorothy Matthews, Lad Morrison, Miss Ann Matthews, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Emile Hill, Chester, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Matthews, of Greensboro; Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Lockerman, and Mrs. Mamie Thomas, of Ridgely.

Mrs. Ora Burton and her chorus of Millsboro, will appear at Ellendale A. M. E. Church Sunday at 8 p. m. Sponsored by Mrs. Gladys Ingram, the Rev. A. W. Rothwell, pastor.

We're all here—Minstrel Show of Greenwood will make its second appearance of the season, Thursday evening (Feb. 14) at Georgetown. An evening of fun, good jokes and music. Mrs. Alice Coverdale, manager; Mrs. Sadie Neil, announcer. Open for engagements.

Mrs. Dela Parker, who has been a patient in Milford Memorial Hospital, has returned home where she is convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hampton, of Bridgeville, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tead Mingaw, of Greenwood.

The Rev. Thaddeus Hackett is on the road to recovery from a severe cold.

Greenwood—On Sun., Feb. 24, who will receive the Scepter, King Wayman Paskins or Queen Yvonne Pearl Matthews?

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Daniels attended the annual Men's Day services at Asbury A. M. E. Church, Chester, Pa., Sunday.

Raymond Coverdale, who has recently joined the Air Corps, was a weekend visitor of his mother, Mrs. Annie Coverdale. Pvt. Alfred Hains is home on a 15-day furlough.

Mrs. Froney Duker, of Chester, was a weekend guest of her mother, Mrs. Nina Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Watson, of Wilmington, were weekend guests of his father, George Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rivers, of Philadelphia, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher. Mrs. Florence Pitts, of Dover, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Higgins.

William Hains was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Hains.

Harrington Public School — Grades 3, 4 and '5, perfect attendance for January; James Coleman, William Russ, Leroy Taylor, George Parker, Robert Davis, Minnie Davis, Pauline Tyler, Gloria Smith, Elizabeth Smith, Mary Grace Benson, Loreta Benson, Marie Benson and Dorothy Smith, Geraldine Tyler. Teacher — Mrs. Margaret L. Thorpe.

The Turkey News

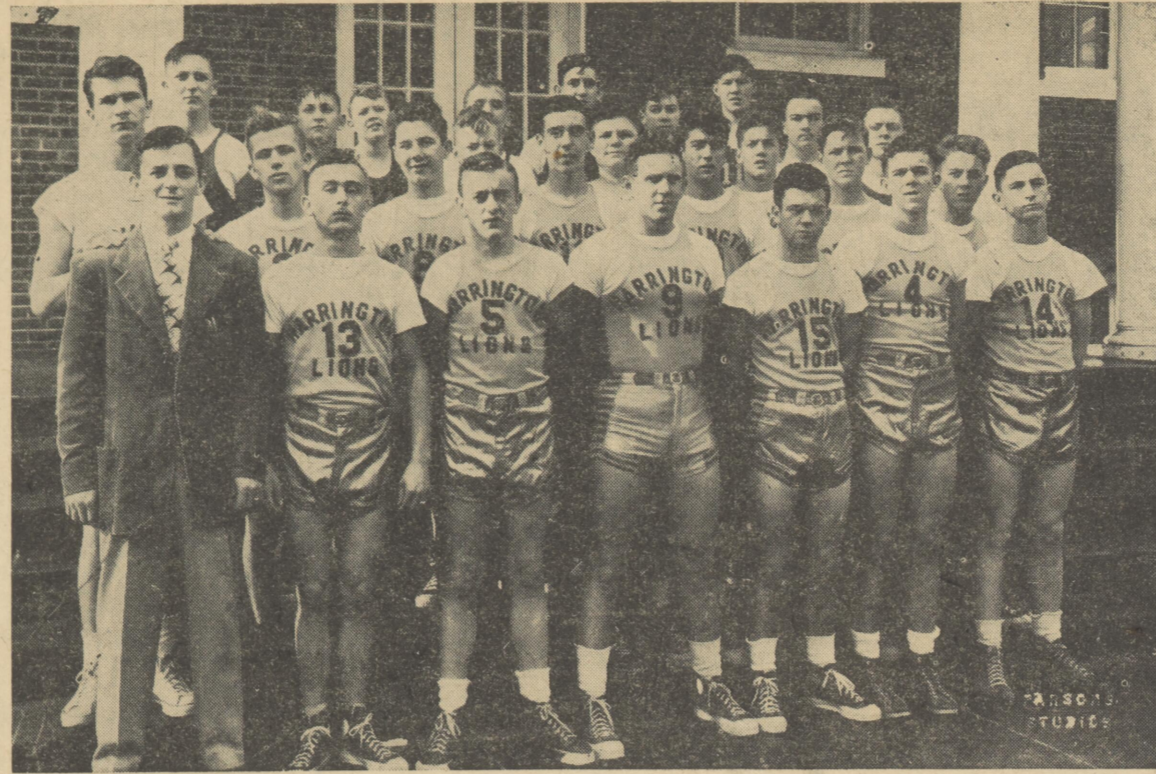
More than 125 guests attended the tenth annual family dinner, sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Jarman, at Heavy's Chicken Shack, Ellendale, Sunday. Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Downes Sr., Goldsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Downes Jr., Cambridge; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson, Lincoln; Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Johnson, Chester, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey, Harrington; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Cain, Maryland; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Downes, Wilmington; Mrs. Naomi Wright, Wilmington; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Thomas, Thomas-town, Md.; Miss Pearl Jarman, Bowie, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lake Jr. and Sr., Denton; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Harmon, Ellendale; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pettyjohn, Ellendale; Mrs. Helen Edwards, Milford; Miss Gladys Downes, Wilmington, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Askins, Cambridge.

Eyes that look well on the commonest things
Into the barrenest places,
Soon will catch gleamings of angel wings,
Glimpses of angel faces.

Not on our way unattended we go
But wonderously guarded and guided,
And blow the wind high or blow the wind low,
Just what we need is provided.

First Time
The United States in 1948 became the first nation in history to sweep all Olympic men's swimming and diving events.

H. H. S. Basketball Team



Left to right, front row: Coach Leon Hart, Pat McAllister, Maurice Pearson, Randall Smith, Bob Willey, Pete Callaway, Grover Brown; second row, Wayne Brown, Dick Pitlick, Joe Shaw, Garry Harrington, John Langrell, Allan Hickman, Frank Voss, Billy Fry, Donnie Jester; back row, Maurice Skinner, Eddie Crowson, Elmer Riggan, Mike McAllister, Robert Black, Bobby Taylor, Donald Passwaters, Larry Harrington, Walter Voss.

Harrington High SCHOOL NEWS

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REMEMBER THE ART FESTIVAL AND CARNIVAL APRIL 25

Home-Room Program

On Fri., Feb. 8, home room 108 of grade 10 presented at the senior high school assembly "Enter Juliet" by Lindsey Barbee. The play concerns a group of high-school juniors who undertake to give Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" as their junior play and find themselves in difficulties when their Juliet is taken ill. By good fortune the teacher directing the play is a former schoolmate of a professional actress who comes to town to play with the summer stock company.

When the high-school Juliet is forced to leave the dress rehearsal, Cecily Seville, the professional actress, enters, supposedly to escape a storm outside, actually by prearrangement with Ann Blair, the director. She gradually reveals that she knows the lines of the play and commends the young people's efforts in acting, staging, and lighting. Miss Seville eventually gives in to the pupils' desire that she help them out by playing Juliet. The happy ending is reinforced by Miss Seville's proposal to give some of the pupils jobs with the summer stock company.

Julie, the high-school Juliet, was played by Jeanne Lander; Sue, the nurse, by Mary Ann Barlow; Ann Blair, the director, by Nancy Nelson; Pat, the property manager, by Ruth Moore; Chris, playing Mercutio, by John Langrell; Bob, stage manager, by Robert Herring; Roger, playing Romeo, by Walter Voss; and Cecily Seville, the professional actress, by Betty Louise Layton.

Mary Fry recited Lincoln's Gettysburg Address as a salute to Lincoln's birthday. Charles Cain was program announcer. W. E. Miller was coach.

Attention Students

Yearbooks are now on sale, and can be purchased from Audrey Billings, Jean Smith, and Marie Minner. Please buy your subscription to the yearbook now, so that orders can be sent in and the books published.

Vo-Ag Boys Visit Local Milk Station

On Feb. 4, the ninth and tenth grade Vo-Ag boys visited the Supplee-Wills-Jones milk station in Harrington. As the milk comes in from the trucks a sample is taken for butterfat and a sediment and a smear test is taken. The sediment test is to find whether there is any dirt of any kind in the can. The smear test is to find how many bacteria may be in a stained sample of milk. The fieldman, Dr. Ricker, described the origin of certain germs.

At the Harrington plant the milk is collected, weighed, tested, cooled, and stored in a large tank until the tank trucks take it to the large city markets. All of the equipment is thoroughly cleaned each day.

Vo-Ag Boys Attend Sale

On Mon., Feb. 4, the agriculture boys of Harrington High School went to the Queenstown purebred Yorkshire sale. On the way to Queenstown, they stopped at the Essjay Livestock buying station. Here buyers were purchasing hogs and cattle. They bought until noon, and then they shipped the livestock to Baltimore. Sixty fat hogs were loaded on each of two layers on a large trailer truck. The group then went on to the sale. The sale was held in a huge building. Sixty bred girls and ten young boars were sold. The auctioneer and the man who called the hogs' numbers and gave information about them stood on a platform at the end of the showing. The girls brought from \$85 to \$160 apiece. The boars were bringing from \$50 to \$125 each.

Trip to The Art Museum

The art classes of Harrington High School are going to visit the Art Museum in Philadelphia Feb. 20, under the supervision of H. D. Williams, head of the art department of Harrington High School. The group will be shown a color-slide demonstration in the second floor auditorium, before viewing the Vienna art treasures. Admission of 25c will be charged for each student admitted to the Art Museum.

What's New In The Art Department

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 5, H. D. Williams, of the Harrington art department, spoke to the members of the art teachers profession of Delaware, concerning sculptures in clay and plaster, accomplished by his senior and sophomore art classes. The work of Donald Sapp, George Graham, and Jean Lander was particularly commented upon.

As a result of the interest in the Harrington High School art work, a special exhibition of this sculpture is being arranged to be shown in the State Art Department very soon. Maurice Willey, Maurice Pearson, Randall Smith, Donald Sapp, and George Graham are members of the senior art class. Lamps and lampshades made by Mary Lord and Ruth Calloway have aroused considerable admiration also.

Coming Events

Feb. 10 to Feb. 16—Magazine campaign sponsored by H. H. S. Band.
Feb. 16—Queen of Hearts Dance sponsored by the student council of Kent County at Milford High School.

Feb. 22—Basketball game with Caesar Rodney, away.
Feb. 29—Basketball game with Felton, away.

Senior Personality

Virginia Lee Black is a native of Harrington. She has been a reporter in the press club for

two years. Her favorite subjects are bookkeeping, English, and history. Her hobby is collecting small pitchers.

Virginia's favorite sport is basketball. Her favorite colors are blue and white.

She likes to see girls dressed in skirts and blouses. Sport clothing is her ideal for the boys.

Her dislike is nagging people. Virginia says her special ambition is being a secretary.

Wit of the Day

Girl talking about her diary: "I have a good scoresheet."
Celebrity: One who works all his life to become famous enough to be recognized—and then goes around in dark glasses so no one will know who he is.

War: Something that's not over until you've finished saving the country you've finished licking.

Student talking to professor whose class he had just cut: "Did I miss anything?" "Not anything that you would understand."

Perfect: Thy name is woman. Sucker: Thy name is man. Love is like money; when you got a lot, you still want more.

Talking about a gossip: She would make the Associated Press look like a hermit with lockjaw on a deserted island.

Morning: The time of day when the rising generation gets ready to retire and the retiring generation rises.

Marriage is like a car; sometimes it stalls, but it takes only a little sparking to get it going again.

There are only two kinds of men: human beings and married men.

Boys Team Scoring

The following are the official number of points each boy on the basketball team has scored this season so far. Also their average per game.

Player	Pts.	Avg.
P. Callaway	56	6.2
B. Willey	29	3.2
W. Brown	29	3.2
R. Wilson	27	3.0
G. Brown	25	2.8
J. Langrell	14	1.6
E. Brown	13	1.4
W. Shaw	4	4
P. McAllister	4	4
F. Voss	1	1
A. Hickman	0	0
P. Beauchamp	0	0

Team average 22.6. J. V. not included.

Farmington

Mrs. Joshua Downes, of Wilmington, spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Anna Booth.

Mrs. William Willey has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Nora Hill is visiting relatives in Milford for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Smith entertained guests Saturday evening to enjoy their new television. Lester Hatfield was in Frederica Friday.

Miss Della Ryan spent an evening with Mrs. Ruth Vincent. Mrs. Irene Legates was in Dover Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivin Yoder are the proud parents of a new baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marine and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Ebe Reynolds and Jay visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Messick.

Mrs. Allen Callaway has at last had her telephone installed after a long wait. She hopes now she will receive a call from her husband who is in Germany.

We are all glad to know Edwin East has returned to work at duPont's after a long illness.

Key to Success

Vaughn Horton, composer of "Mocking Bird Hill," current musical hit, worked in the coal mines of Huntingdon County, Pa., for several years before studying mining engineering. It was while attending college that he became an arranger, then a composer.

Farm Prices At Dover

The following is a weekly roundup of livestock prices and miscellaneous commodities prevailing last week. This report shows average prices received by Delaware farmers for commodities that were marketed throughout the week.

LIVESTOCK
Vealers - Choice - \$3.00 to \$3.16 mostly \$1.00 per cwt. Medium to Good - \$3.00 to \$3.75 mostly \$6.00 per cwt. Rough and Common - \$3.00 to \$3.75 mostly \$2.00 per cwt. Monkeys - \$4.00 to \$4.10 mostly \$5.00 per cwt. Slaughter - Medium to Good - \$2.00 to \$2.50 mostly \$3.00 per cwt. Common - \$1.00 to \$1.75 mostly \$2.25 per cwt. Canners and Cutters - \$1.75 to \$1.75 mostly \$1.25 per cwt.
Feeder Heifers - Dairy Type - \$1.50 to \$2.50 mostly \$5.00 per cwt. Over 1000 lbs. - Medium to Good - \$2.25 to \$2.75 mostly \$7.50 per cwt. 500 to 1000 lbs. - Medium to Good - \$2.00 to \$2.75 mostly \$4.00 per cwt. Common - \$1.50 to \$2.00 mostly \$2.50 per cwt.
Straight Hogs (Good Quality) - 120 to 170 lbs. - \$17.00 to \$19.00 mostly \$18.25 per cwt. 170 to 240 lbs. - \$18.00 to \$19.00 mostly \$18.75 per cwt. 240 to 350 lbs. - \$18.25 to \$18.00 mostly \$17.25 per cwt.
Sows (Good Quality) - 200 to 300 lbs. - \$15.00 to \$15.50 mostly \$16.00 per cwt. 300 to 400 lbs. - \$14.00 to \$15.00 mostly \$15.00 per cwt. Over 400 lbs. - \$13.50 to \$15.00 mostly \$14.25 per cwt. Poor and Rough - \$9.00 to \$11.25 mostly \$7.50 per cwt.
Boars (Good Quality) Under 350 lbs. - \$10.50 to \$13.00 mostly \$12.00 per cwt. Over 350 lbs. - \$2.25 to \$3.25 mostly \$9.75 per cwt.
Shoats - Medium to Good - \$11.00 to \$15.00 mostly \$12.00 per cwt. Common - \$6.00 to \$10.00 mostly \$8.00 per cwt.
Feeder Pigs (6 to 12 wks. old) - Choice - \$8.00 to \$12.00 mostly \$15.00 each. Medium to Good - \$5.00 to \$7.50 mostly \$6.00 each. Common - \$3.00 to \$4.50 mostly \$4.00 each.
Horses and Mules - Work Type - \$40.00 to \$100.00 mostly \$50.00 each. Butcher Type - \$15.00 to \$7.00 mostly \$10.00 each.
POLTRY
Heavy Breeds - Fowl - \$1.45 to \$1.80 mostly \$1.60 each. Light Breeds - Guineas - \$1.70 to \$2.60 mostly \$2.50 each. Geese - \$2.40 to \$3.60 mostly \$3.50 each. Ducks - Muscovy - \$3.00 to \$3.50 mostly \$3.00 each. 1.10 each. Muscovy Drakes - \$1.50 to \$2.10 mostly \$1.90 each. Turkeys - \$5.00 to \$7.50 mostly \$6.50 each. Hens - \$4.00 to \$5.50 mostly \$5.00 each. Rabbits - Large Breeds - \$1.15 to \$2.00 mostly \$2.00 each. Small Breeds - \$1.10 to \$1.10 mostly \$1.00 each. Barges - \$2.00 to \$2.00 per doz. Pullet - \$2.00 per doz.
PRODUCE
White Potatoes - 75c to 95c per 50 lb. Turnips - 40c to 90c per 50 lb. Walnuts - 90c to \$1.10 per 50 lb. Sweet Potatoes - \$1.10 to \$1.50 per 50 lb. Lard - \$7.75 to \$7.75 per 50 lb. can.

TIME WILL TELL

By Samuel A. Short Jr.

Time will tell just what you are. By the things you do and say. By the places you go and what for.

It makes no difference anyway.

Time will tell just what you are. By the company you keep you know.

In time of peace or when at war. It makes no difference where you go.

Some people's opinion are sometimes wrong. For their critics trying to keep you down.

And some will praise you along. While others on you will always frown.

It isn't so much what your neighbors might think, For friendship with them will mean a lot.

It isn't some tale of whisper that's spent,

It's you, your life you must keep from blot.

Caesar Rodney School Notes

Students on College Honor Rolls Over 40 per cent of the students from Caesar Rodney attending the University of Delaware were listed on the honor roll for the first term according to reports received from the registrar by the school. The following students had the required "B" or better average: William H. Draper '52, Mary Ann Lindale '54, Ruth E. Steele '55, Daisy Coffin '54, Susan J. Brown '52, and Maria Ozolins '55.

At Wesley Junior College 50 per cent of the students from Caesar Rodney were on the honor roll. They are: Hazel Carpenter Cirrigione, Verna Medford, and Virginia Lee Cleaves. Students to Participate in Bus Discipline After hearing a bus operator

survey report by Mrs. Albert Murray, chairman of the transportation committee, showing the operators in favor of having students to assist with bus discipline, the P.T.A. recently adopted a recommendation that the plan be approved with the details to be worked out between the operators and the school safety patrol. Also adopted was a recommendation that the P.T.A. cooperate with the school in arranging a visiting day for pupils who will enter school next September and their parents.

The February 10 program included an address by John C. Charlton, state director of Child Development and Guidance, a survey of the work included in the eighth grade course in vocations by Louis J. Roushey, the instructor, and a review of the guidance tests given at Caesar Rodney by Mrs. Dorothy B. Townsend, guidance counselor.

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FARM NEWS AND REVIEW

Herdsmen's Short Course at U. of Md. Well Attended

The first annual herdsmen's short course held at the University of Maryland, College Park, Md., Jan. 28, 29, and 30, was so well attended that applicants were turned down. "We had to return nearly 35 applications to keep the number of students down to a point where we could give everybody proper instruction," said Joe Vial, extension livestock specialist, who was chairman of the course.

"The course was highly successful—especially the co-operation of the departments and fieldmen who helped with instruction. We were sorry that Dr. Foster, head of our department, was unable to be with us on the course. The interest of the students themselves was the factor which contributed most to its success," Mr. Vial said after the event.

Over 90 attended—14 of them women. Instruction and practical herd management work with beef attracted the most students, but sheep and swine herdsmanship came in for a full share of interest, according to Mr. Vial.

How about the students—what did they think of the course?

George Lechluder, Laytonsville, Md., who raises beef, swine and sheep, said, "I've farmed all my life, and I still learned a lot here. It's the best thing the animal husbandry department has done for a long time."

Frank Bache, president of the Eastern Shore Aberdeen-Angus Breeders Association from Canton Farm, St. Michaels, Md., attended with his wife. He commented on the good turnout of Eastern Shore livestock men and said, "The enthusiasm of the people attending the course is wonderful."

Perhaps the best indication of the success of the course is the fact that the students are asking for another one next year.

Orders For Replacement Chicks Lower Than Usual

Orders with Maryland hatcherymen for replacement chicks are lower than usual now, and a University of Maryland extension poultryman advises established poultrymen to fill their brooder houses by mid-April to take advantage of good egg prices this summer.

Wade Rice, extension poultryman at the University of Maryland, says that Maryland hatcherymen report a low number of orders for chicks intended for laying flocks. This indicates a cut-back in numbers of laying pullets next summer and fall. The main reason, he points out, is feed supply problems and the present egg-feed ration. In January, a dozen eggs would buy 11.4 pounds of feed, a drop of 2.3 pounds from December, 1951. The ratio a year ago was 12.1 pounds of feed to a dozen eggs.

"These factors," Mr. Rice explains, "discourage 'in and outers'. Poultrymen who know the business know they will make little profit from eggs from January to July, but they are busy planning a crop of pullets to give them eggs next summer and fall, when good egg production in laying flocks will return a good profit."

"Just when most other people hold off, is the time to get going with chicks," Mr. Rice states. "So I advise farmers to fill their brooder houses by mid-April if they want to be in on time for good egg prices in the fall. That's the time to make the best profits on market eggs."

"There has been a 26 per cent reduction in numbers of laying hens on Maryland farms in the last 25 years," Mr. Rice says. "This gives Maryland poultrymen a good opportunity to increase production, in view of the advantage of their nearness to large eastern markets."

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Edward T. Pardee Raises Sheep

Edward T. Pardee, who lives in the Jehu Reed property at Little Heaven, believes that sheep require the least expense and return more money than any other kind of livestock.

He has been raising sheep for years, getting his start when he purchased a pet lamb at a sale. He has been keeping his ewe lambs for flock replacements and selling the buck lambs and now has ten head of crossbreds.

Pardee, who works nights at the Kent County Jail, formerly sheared his sheep himself, but a man with power shears now does the job. "He can do it as fast as I can catch them," said Pardee.

He believes in good, tight fencing for sheep. "Barbed wire will not do," he says.

Best Cherry Pie Baked By Newark Girl

Milmo Fox, a member of the Bear 4-H Club, near Newark, is the winner of the first Delaware 4-H Cherry Pie Baking Contest, held at the University of Delaware recently.

Milmo, New Castle County foods preparation winner, won over Patsy Hoke, Bridgeville, Sussex County foods winner; and Martha Gruwell, Harrington, Kent County alternate foods winner.

Milmo will travel to Chicago, Feb. 20, to take part in the 20th annual National Cherry Pie Baking Contest, sponsored by the National Red Cherry Institute. She will compete against contestants from over 40 states.

Sam Gwinn, state 4-H Club leader, said that they hope to make the pie baking contest an annual event in Delaware. Judges for this first annual contest were Miss M. Gertrude Holloway, state nutrition specialist; Miss Rose Patricia Collins, food instructor at the University; and Robert F. Stevens, extension horticulturist.

To Wash Or Not To Wash Eggs?

Eggs will get dirty, but how to clean them has always been a controversial question, says J. Frank Gordy, poultryman with the Delaware Agricultural Extension Service.

Before deciding to wash or not to wash your eggs, Gordy points out the following facts about the physical characteristics of eggs. First, the shell is porous. Second, the egg can feed bacteria and mold. Third, the inside of the egg, and the shell, expand and contract with changing temperatures, developing pressure or suction that helps air, water, or other material pass through the shell pores.

Handling of eggs should be such that the movement of bacteria through the shell is cut to a minimum. Improper washing can help both the movement and growth of spoilage bacteria.

The quality of your eggs is at stake, if you do decide to wash, says Gordy. Many handlers shy away from washed eggs, especially for storage purposes. Make it a rule that if you can't or won't wash eggs properly, don't do it. Dry cleaning has fewer dangers.

Here are a few suggestions from the extension service, if you do wash your eggs.

1. Wash only dirty eggs. Eggs produced clean are the best.
2. Clean eggs as soon as possible.
3. Washing water must not be warmer than the eggs.
4. Washing water must be clean. Detergents do not kill bacteria and often leave residues on the shell.
5. Dry eggs promptly.
6. Get the advice of your county agent and poultry specialist on cleaning eggs.

Hopkins Spreads Limestone

Homer Hopkins had 35 tons of ground limestone spread on 35 acres of his farm near Barratt's Chapel Saturday. The lime was put on ground intended for corn and tomatoes. The farm is tenanted by Louis Donophan.

The lime cost \$7.50 per ton spread. Hopkins paid all the cost of 16 tons, while soil conservation payments took care of part of 19 tons.

Favorable weather last week induced several farmers in this vicinity to spread lime.

Large Aberdeen-Angus Show At Southwestern Exposition

A record number of Aberdeen-Angus was exhibited before Judge William McGregor of Chestertown, Md., at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, Ft. Worth, Tex., on Jan. 31 and Feb. 1. Quality ran deep in all classes with 312 head of breeding cattle being paraded before Judge McGregor.

Grand championship of the Aberdeen-Angus bull division was captured by Quality Bardolier 3rd, shown by J. Garrett Tolan Farms, Pleasant Plains, Ill. This bull had previously carried off the purple ribbon at the National Western Stock Show, Denver; Arizona National Livestock Show, Phoenix; Illinois State Fair, Springfield; and American Royal, Kansas City, Mo. Another well-known prize winner, Black Knight 20th of Angus Valley, owned by Tommy Brook of Camp San Saba, Tex., won the junior and reserve grand championship.

Reserve senior champion bull was Homeplace Eileenmere 367th, exhibited by Penney and James, Hamilton, Mo., and reserve junior champion was Black Bardolier of Den Mor, shown by Great Oaks Stock Farms, Rochester, Mich.

In the Aberdeen-Angus female competition, Penney and James won the senior and grand championship on Eileenmere's Erica W H F. Providing strong competition on the show circuit, she had won the grand championships at the National Western Stock Show; American Royal; and the National Aberdeen-Angus Show, Memphis, Tenn.

The junior and reserve grand championship went to J. Garrett Tolan Farms on Effie's Blackcap Missie. Meier Angus Farms, Jackson, Mo., exhibited the reserve senior champion female, MAF Barbara, and J. Garrett Tolan Farms showed the reserve junior champion, White Gates Edwina.

High Quality Angus Exhibited at Perth

Quality ran high at the 88th annual show and sale of Aberdeen-Angus cattle held Feb. 4-6 at Perth, Scotland. Supreme champion bull of the show was Evaberg of Hampton Lucy, exhibited by Standing and Evans of Grove Fields Farm, Hampton Lucy, Warwick, Scotland.

Reserve champion bull honors were awarded to Sir William Rotes, Styte Grange, Hungerford, Berks, for his bull, Styte Jared Eric.

The purple ribbon for top female of the show was awarded to Molinia of Beelsby, exhibited by Osmond and Sons, Limited, Grimsby. Reserve female honors went to Beauty Maid of Arras, shown by Dr. A. W. MacKay, Arras, Inverness.

The champion group of three bulls and reserve champion pen of two were shown by Sir William Rotes. Standing and Evans exhibited the champion pen of two bulls and the reserve group of three.

The show was held under the auspices of the Aberdeen-Angus Cattle Society of Scotland. There were 90 heifers and 513 bulls on exhibition.

Wider Spacing of Tomatoes, And Crossbred Chicks Pay Off

James Meredith, of Magnolia, believes in searching for better ways of making a dollar on his farm. His efforts have paid off in tomatoes and laying hens.

For three years he planted tomatoes with the usual spacing, and with plants four feet apart in rows five feet apart. The wider spacing brought better returns every year and this year he will plant all his tomatoes in this manner. Last year five acres returned \$1100. Wider rows, he says, are easier to cultivate, easier to spray, and damage to vines is curtailed.

Crossbred layers have paid off for Meredith, too. Last year he brought crossbred chicks at 60c each. He also started a bunch of the straight breeds. The crossbreds began laying in October

and are still laying. "They were laying 50 per cent when prices of eggs were the highest," Meredith explained.

The straight breeds have just begun to lay. The Magnolia farmer recently ordered 150 crossbred chicks, for laying, and will have this kind exclusively in the future.

Meredith also traps muskrats in the marsh near Barkers Landing. This catch has been very poor this year. Looking up at a flock of red-winged blackbirds in a tree on the marsh, he commented that the catch was usually good when these birds were present. He added that other birds were returning from the south and that a friend had observed 100 ducks in the marsh recently.

Buy Fertilizer Now; Shortage Expected

There may not be enough fertilizer to meet increased demands by farmers in 1952. "Although we expect production of 5 per cent more nitrogen and 10 per cent more potash than was available last year," says F. L. Bentz, University of Maryland extension soils specialist, "superphosphate supplies may be 10 to 15 per cent lower."

Mr. Bentz explains that the superphosphate supply will be lower because of a greater use of sulfuric acid for defense needs. Sulfuric acid is used in fertilizer manufacturing to turn phosphate rock into superphosphate fertilizers.

Here's what farmers can do to make the best use of what fertilizers will be available:

- (1) Order fertilizer supplies early and take deliveries as soon as possible, if good farm storage facilities are available. This will ease the manufacturers' storage problems, freeing the space for more production.
- (2) Substitute other grades if they can't get the kind they want. The University will soon publish a list of possible substitutions.
- (3) Use fertilizer more efficiently. For instance, fertilizer put on row crops in bands or by side-dressing places the fertilizer where plants can most easily use it.

It all adds up, Mr. Bentz says, to doing the best with what you've got.

Urie Morris Prepares For Broiler Chicks

Urie Morris, who lives near Laws Church, expects to put in some 800 chicks March 4, from which he will have a breeding flock to produce eggs for the hatchery of O. A. Newton & Son, at Bridgeville. Morris uses Barred Rock cockerels and New Hampshire Red hens.

He keeps his breeding flock one year. He has been raising hatching eggs 15 years. Eggs, as previously mentioned, are sold to Newton and chicks and mash are purchased from the Bridgeville firm.

Fruitland Grange Notes

During the Feb. 7 meeting of Fruitland Grange, the organization, through its community service committee, A. Bailey Thomas, chairman, granted the use of its hall including heat and light to the Caesar Rodney Community Kindergarten Group which had requested assistance.

A covered dish supper with Mrs. Mary W. Simpson, chairman, preceded the program and business meeting. The program included clarinet solos by Johnny Townsend and an address by Dr. Jack Sabloff.

G. Wallace Caulk, overseer, presided in absence of Master W. O. Dawson, who is vacationing in Florida.

On Feb. 18 Fruitland Grange will meet at Harrington in a county meeting.

Meredith Starts Raising Cattle

Kenneth Meredith has started raising Whiteface cattle for the market, using a few heifers and a bull as a nucleus. He expects to make additions to the herd.

Mr. Meredith has been feeding Whitefaces for market and finished marketing 18 head in late December.

Besides cattle, the Kent County deputy sheriff has 5 brood sows and a purebred Spotted Poland China boar. He also has a broiler house with a capacity of 10,000 birds. He raises about 8500 birds in it twice a year.

Gardening Is An Art Hotbeds and Coldframes Help

"Growing plants is an art, and to be successful at it, a grower or gardener must give it a great deal of time," says Ed Bender, University of Maryland extension vegetable crop specialist. "A full harvest starts with well grown, healthy, hardy plants. Many successful gardeners are now making plans for getting an early start by using hotbeds and coldframes to produce their own plants."

"A hotbed is a frame with a glass sash for a cover, and uses some form of artificial heat. You can start plants earlier in the season with this method," Mr. Bender explains.

"The coldframe is usually built about the same as the hotbed, except that no heat is used.

"If you are interested in getting an early start in your garden, by raising your own plants," Mr. Bender tells gardeners, "use a hotbed or coldframe. You can easily build one yourself."

The Extension Service can supply you with a bulletin telling how to build and use hotbeds or coldframes. USDA Farmers' Bulletin 1743, "Hotbeds and Coldframes," can be obtained free of charge from your county agent or the Bulletin Room, Symons Hall, University of Maryland, College Park, Md.

4-H Crops Judging Contest Named

County winners for the annual 4-H Field Crop Judging Contest held at the University of Delaware Farm and Home Week, were announced this week by Sam Gwinn, state 4-H Club leader. The winners are: William Redding, Newark, New Castle County; Del-

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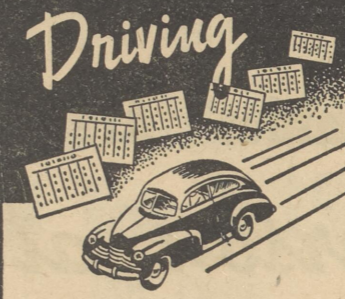
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bert Simpson, Camden, Kent County, and Martin Johnson, Laurel, Sussex County. Martin Johnson also had the highest score in the state contest, with 474 points out of a possible 500.

The boys will each receive a scholarship to the 4-H Short Course, held at the University of Delaware, in June.

Second place winners in each of the counties are: Benjamin Kohl, Middletown, New Castle

County; Ralph Deats, Dover, Kent County, and David Elliott, Laurel, Sussex County.

The contest and awards are given by the Delaware Crop Improvement Association. William H. Mitchell, assistant extension agronomist at the University, conducted the contest. Thirty-one boys entered, and judged samples of alfalfa, lespedeza, and mixed hay; identified 10 samples of legume seeds, and 10 common weed seeds.

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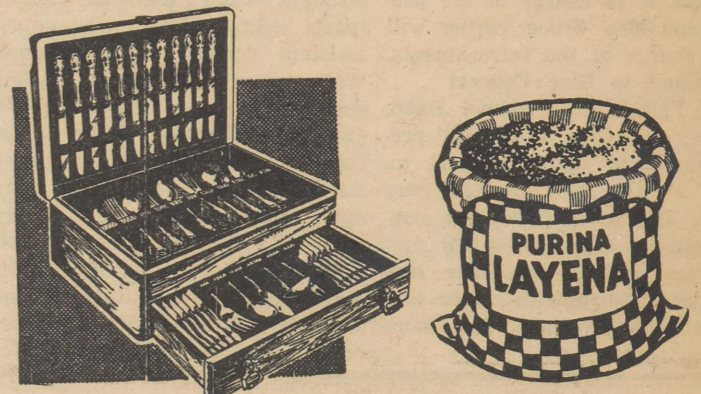
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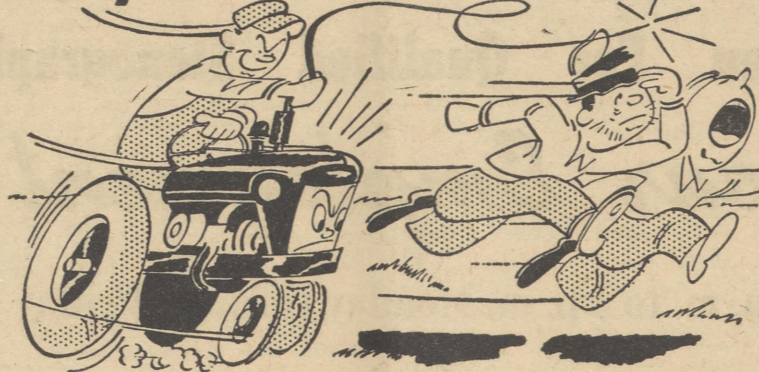
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Felton School News

AG Students Visit Farm and Home Week at U. of Del.

On Jan. 31, the vocational agricultural students of Felton High School visited the Farm and Home Week program at Wolf Hall, University of Delaware.

In the morning they heard speeches on "Feathering Problems in Broilers" by G. T. Coombs of the University of Maryland, and "Food and People" by Dr. Herrell De Graff of Cornell University. In the afternoon they studied the many educational exhibits which had been prepared by the University of Delaware and also by some of the agricultural departments in the high schools of the state.

Felton was one of the schools which had an exhibit at the show. The competitive exhibits are given awards by the Delaware Crop Improvement Association. In this class Felton's exhibit was given second prize which consisted of both money and a ribbon. The AG department is planning to set this exhibit up at the March meeting of the P. T. A. which will be devoted to agriculture.

Students See "Student Prince"

On Jan. 30, 56 junior-senior high school students, accompanied by parents and advisors, went to Philadelphia to attend a performance of the operetta "The Student Prince," presented by the Shubert Theatre. Those who were fortunate enough to take the trip were thrilled by the splendid performance of this great musical. It has been presented to audiences all over the world for almost half a century.

Dean Steele to Speak at P. T. A.

The Felton Parent-Teachers Association meeting will be held Monday at 8 p. m. This will be the annual Founder's Day program and will feature an address by Dean C. Steele, president of the Delaware Congress of Parents and Teachers. Mr. Steele will speak on "Schools Are Everybody's Business." Mrs. Courtland Dill will be in charge of the program and Mrs. Grace Turner will be in charge of the refreshments.

Band to Give Concert

The Felton High School Band, Chorus, and Glee Club will present its third public concert to-night at the new Felton Fire House. The proceeds of the concert will be used to pay for new uniforms and to purchase new and used instruments. This concert will feature music by American composers.

The music groups will use the new risers, which have been constructed by music students and agricultural students under the direction of Ralph Barwick.

The band and chorus now have 45 and 60 members respectively. Several members will be wearing new uniforms for the first time. The band is now capable of participating in any community event such as parades or concerts. Mr. Bunnell, music director, hopes that the community will show its support by attending the concert tonight at 8:15 in the Felton Fire House. This attendance will assure Felton's continued progress in music.

PROGRAM

Storm King March, Magic Valley Overture, Men From Mars, Washington's Post March — by band; Thank You America, Merry-Go-Round, How Are Things In Glacca Morra, I'm Gonna Wash That Man Right Out of My Hair — by Girls Glee Club; solo, Purnal Friedel; intermission; I've Got Rhythm, Rock-a-my Soul, Give Me Your Tired, Your Poor — Mixed Chorus; Basketball Team March, Syncopated Clock, Three O'clock in the Morning, High School Cade March—Band; Born To Be Free—Finale, choruses and band.

Felton Faculty Plays Town Team

On Tues., Feb. 5 the varsity basketball team met the local V. F. W. While the faculty matched their skill and endurance with that of the city father known as the Street Cleaners. This game was staged for the benefit of the March of Dimes. About \$71 was taken in. The varsity defeated the V. F. W., 36 to 33, while the faculty defeated the Street Cleaners, 51 to 26.

On Jan. 29 the Caesar Rodney Riders avenged a defeat at the hands of the Felton Green Devils by stopping the Green Devils, 49 to 42.

Seniors at Work on Yearbook

The "Echo," yearbook of the Felton High School is being developed by the following staff: Editor-in-chief, William Chambers; assistant editor, Kenneth Richter; sports editor, Louis Palmatory; assistant sports editor, Samuel Walters and Margaret Hobbs; business manager, Harry Carlisle; circulation manager, Elsie Schreiber; assistant circulation manager, Barbara Hurd; advertising manager, Marie Brittingham; secretary, Kathleen Jester; typists, Eloise Anthony, Sarah Schultz, Marie Springer; features, Janet Sylvester, Mildred Simpson; secretarial advisor, Vernon Meier;

yearbook advisor, Mrs. Amelia Sipple.

Elementary School News

Many pupils in the elementary school are out with the chicken pox. Dickie Wyatt returned to school this week after having been in the Kent General Hospital for treatment. The fourth grade is planning a Valentine's Day party.

Marydel

Little Miss Suzanne Thornton entertained a group of her little friends Friday afternoon at her home in honor of her seventh birthday, Feb. 8. Those attending the party were Sharon Kibler, Joyce M. Weller, Elizabeth Buzenski, Marlene Korschak, Dianne Meyer, Judy Miller, Pearl Foreaker and Patty Harman.

Miss Susan Cameron, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cameron, was a patient in the Kent General Hospital for a tonsilectomy last week.

Bill Rosenburger, formerly of Marydel, is at present a patient in the Kent General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Phillips celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary Feb. 3. They were the guests of their children at dinner.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dalmani and Miss Mary Hoffman, of New York City, are visiting with their niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Oxley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Prasse and Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Prasse and two children, all of Princess

Bay, Staten Island, N. Y., visited with Marydel friends during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Covell are spending several days visiting with relatives in Baltimore.

Marydel Civic Club members will meet at 8 p. m. Thurs., Feb. 21, at the home of Mrs. L. H. Collison, with Mrs. Robert Miller as cohostess, for its February meeting. Every member welcome. An interesting program is being planned.

The Marydel Ladies Auxiliary met at the Fire House Thursday evening, Feb. 17. New committees for the year were appointed by the president, Mrs. Frank Bezeries. Plans were made in connection with the Caroline County Firemen's Auxiliary, whose February meeting will be held at the Marydel Community Hall today with the Marydel group as hostesses.

Sixteen members of Bethesda Grange met at their hall near Marydel Monday evening, Feb. 4, at which time they had as their guest speaker, Sgt. Evelyn Sherer, WAAC recruiting sergeant, stationed in Dover, who spoke to them about her experience in Panama. Discussion was held on several projects to be taken up by the club members for the year, such as quilt making, dresses, and the renovation of the Bethesda Grange Hall.

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Hobbs

Mrs. F. N. Smith and daughter, Sue, and Francis Karcher, of Greensboro, were in town recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Henry entertained several friends last Saturday evening as it was birthday time for Nelson. After a pleasant social evening, delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Thomas were last Saturday afternoon guests of Mrs. James C. Hardesty and son, Carlton, of rural Harrington. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Beauchamp and daughter, Mildred, of rural Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Butler and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pippin Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Teen Henry attended the funeral of the latter's sister, Mrs. George Vincent, at the Boyer Funeral Home, Harrington, Tuesday afternoon of last week. Interment was in Hollywood Cemetery.

Nick Henry joined his brother, Ed Henry and Clyde White and Norris Reed on a trip to Daytona Beach and other points of interest in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willoughby were last Saturday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Willoughby.

Artley Clarke, of Newark, spent last weekend at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sewell and children, Larry and Janice Lee, of Queen Anne, were last Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Henry.

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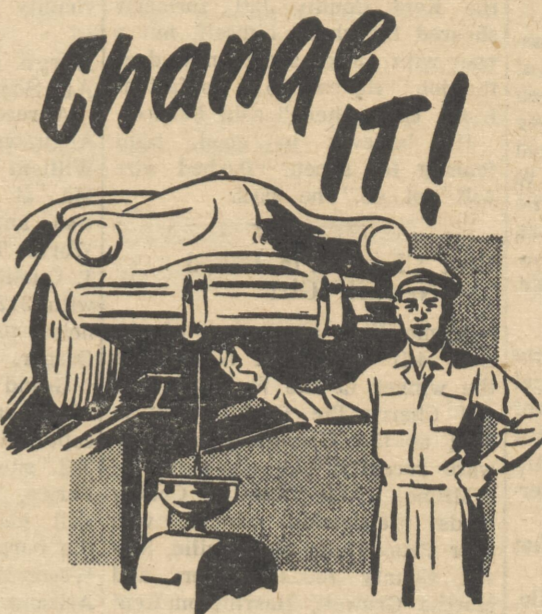
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Sulky Slants

(Continued from page 1) other. Harry is in the hospital in Albany, N. Y.

Among the visitors here at the track was Mr. Shaw, the new race secretary at Batavia, N. Y.

Mr. Koontz was a visitor to Emil Adams' stable this past week. Certainly cute that little Silver Nicky, Emlene's pony.

Say Mr. Jearred, I'll be more careful what name I call you when I come in for the paper.

I hear that Levi Harner, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Spentons, Louie Reponne and several others are now training at Myrtle Beach, N. C.

Had a nice letter from the Dixon's at Southern Pines. Dick says he is looking forward to racing here this spring.

Some friends of ours sent me a beautiful picture of the Azaleas in Mobile, Ala. The Azalea trails are now in full swing.

Benefit Variety Show At Layton Theatre, Seaford

A variety show will be held in the Layton Theatre, Seaford, Feb. 17, at 3 o'clock.

Stuart Wayne, of WPEN; Marjorie Dillingham, soprano; Frank Fiorello, baritone; Eileen Gillingham, pianist; and 15 kiddies who have been winners from the Paul Whiteman TV show.

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Of Local Interest

Susan McDonald celebrated her 6th birthday Sunday.

Mrs. William Sharp, Mrs. A. C. Ford, Mrs. Fred Greenly and Mrs. Norman Chamberlin attend the 54th birthday luncheon held at the Avenue Church, Milford.

Mrs. Nellie Smith is spending some time in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mrs. Charles Pearson, Mrs. Lester Hill and Mrs. William Hill spent Wednesday in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Bull, of Norfolk, Va., were weekend guests of Mr. Bull's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Camper.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bultry, of Southern Pines, N. C., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. T. L. Adams.

Camden-Wyoming Rotary Club Notes

A total of 128 men have been enrolled in the Caesar Rodney veterans class in agriculture since the course was started in 1946.

Louis J. Roushey, science instructor at Caesar Rodney School, was recently inducted into membership in the Rotary Club with Dr. I. J. MacCollum in charge of the ceremony.

Burrsville

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thawley are being congratulated on the birth of a son in Easton Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Jones, of Clayton, and Mr. and Mrs. William Maule Jr., of Sudlersville, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland T. Draper Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland T. Draper Sr. entertained the following guests Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baker, of Denton; Norman Foraker and family, of Dover; Ralph Jones, of Clayton; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Usiton and children, Betty and Tommy.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Layton left Saturday to spend some time in Florida and other points of interest. We wish them a pleasant and safe trip.

Felton The Felton High School Band, chorus and glee club will present its third public concert to night (Feb. 15) at 8:15 in the new Felton Fire House.

Mrs. Marian Sherbert and Mrs. Margaret Fitzgerald, of Washington, D. C., spent the weekend with relatives here and attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Mildred Workman Paskey, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bradley had as their weekend guests their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bradley, of Newark, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Melvin, of Long Island, N. Y., were guests over the weekend of Mrs. Ella Melvin.

Mr. Norman Burton spent Sunday in Wilmington with her sister, Mrs. Roland Rieffender.

Mrs. Dot Murray, of Philadelphia, visited Felton friends last week.

Second Lt. and Mrs. Leonard Hitch have returned to their home in Arlington, Va., after spending three weeks with Mrs. Hitch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Connelley. Lt. Hitch has been on duty at Fort Miles the past three weeks.

Sammy Ludlow had as his guests last Tuesday, Patty Warren and David Wood.

On Sunday morning the Rev. William Hitchens had as the theme of his sermon, "I Would Be True." Rev. Hitchens announced that there would be a

pastor's class, starting Saturday morning at 10 o'clock for those interested in joining church, who would be 13 before Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Torbert and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore visited Ann Moore at the University of Delaware Sunday and also friends in Wilmington.

Erasmus B. Truitt Erasmus Berry Truitt, 72, husband of Mary Elizabeth Truitt, died at his home here Tuesday.

A son of the late Miles and Eliza Massey Truitt of Ellendale, he had lived here for the past nine years, and was engaged in farming.

Survivors, in addition to his wife, include three children: Mrs. Harry Lofland, Bridgeville; Ollie Truitt, Harrington, and Mrs. Charles Price, Milford. Also surviving are a grandson; a sister, Mrs. Mary Russell, Ellendale, and the following brothers: Henry C. Truitt, Bridgeville; Kenzie Truitt, Ellendale, and Harrington Truitt, Harrington.

Funeral services will be held today at 2 p. m. at McColley's Chapel, Redden. The Rev. James O'Neal of Milford, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Grier Baker of Harrington. Interment will be in McColley's Cemetery.

Henri Merriken The funeral of Henri Merriken, 70, husband of Anna Stillman Merriken, who died at the Fairview Nursing Home, of Philadelphia, Sunday afternoon, was held Thursday afternoon from the Boyer Funeral Home, Harrington.

He was the son of Zack and Jennie Black Merriken, of Philadelphia, but made his home in Delaware in his later years. He was a 32nd degree Mason in the Hope Masonic Lodge, Dover.

Interment was in Hollywood Cemetery.

PRR NEWS (Continued from page 1) ed him push the car from the tracks.

Rube had another hair raising experience here at Clark Street crossing at 3:13 a. m. Wednesday when a car on a southbound freight train left the track.

On the lucky side the derailment did not foul the operation of the interlocking, no rail was damaged, no one was hurt and it cleared the operation of the gates and interlocking.

It was necessary, however, to bring the "Big Hook" wrecker from Wilmington to retrack the car as it was heavily loaded with stone.

Gale Jerread, 3, Honored by Party

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Jerread gave a party Saturday night in honor of their daughter, Gale, who observed her third birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Calloway and children; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lore and son, Edward; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Southard and daughters, Vickie and Beverly; Mr. and Mrs. William Jerread and son, Allan, and Charles Jerread, all of Harrington, and Mr. and Mrs. James Clarkson, of Wilmington.

Greenwood

The regular monthly meeting of the P. T. A. will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The school nurse will be in charge of the meeting; door prizes will be awarded.

There were 22 freemen and 22 ladies from the auxiliary who attended Grace Methodist Church in a body last Sunday for the morning worship service.

Mr. and Mrs. Roman Morgan, of Federalsburg, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lynch.

Mrs. W. J. Mills, daughter, Eileen, Mrs. C. E. Ocheltree and Mrs. C. H. Spence spent Saturday in Baltimore.

Houston

We are sorry to report Howard R. Moore is still not able to be out. We missed him very much in church Sunday and we do hope he will be with us again soon.

We felt very bad when we learned that James Kentz had the misfortune to break his left arm, while playing ball Saturday. We hope he will not have too much trouble and will soon come back home and to school again.

The Rev. and Mrs. F. Charles Louhoff Jr. spent Wednesday at Nassau and Lewes, where Mr. Louhoff officiated at the funeral services of Mrs. John H. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Brittingham entertained last Sunday Mrs. Brittingham's son, Fred Jones, and family, of Seaford, and her daughter, Mrs. Robert Morrison, and family, of Middleford.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Webb and Eileen were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Paul Greenlee and sons, Larry and Tommy, on Shawnee Road.

Other dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy, daughters, Elaine and Kathleen, and George Slack, of Bear.

The Houston Home Demonstration Club will hold its February meeting Thursday evening, Feb. 21, at the home of Mrs. Mae Hayes. Topic A—"Help Your Kitchen to Help You"; topic B

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"Cake Icings and Decorations." Leaders are Mrs. Mae Hayes and Mrs. Blessing.

Mrs. Ira Scott's two sons of Frederickburg, Va., gave their mother a surprise visit recently and while here all went to see Mr. Scott in the Veterans Hospital, Elsmere.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Minnie Chism were her brother, Edward

Smith, and wife and her son, Smith Chism, all of Philadelphia.

We were glad to learn that John W. Dawson, who has been quite ill with a cold, is improving and feeling much better.

Mrs. Elmer Dawson, who is also ill, does not show much improvement. We sure do hope both will be out again very soon.



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