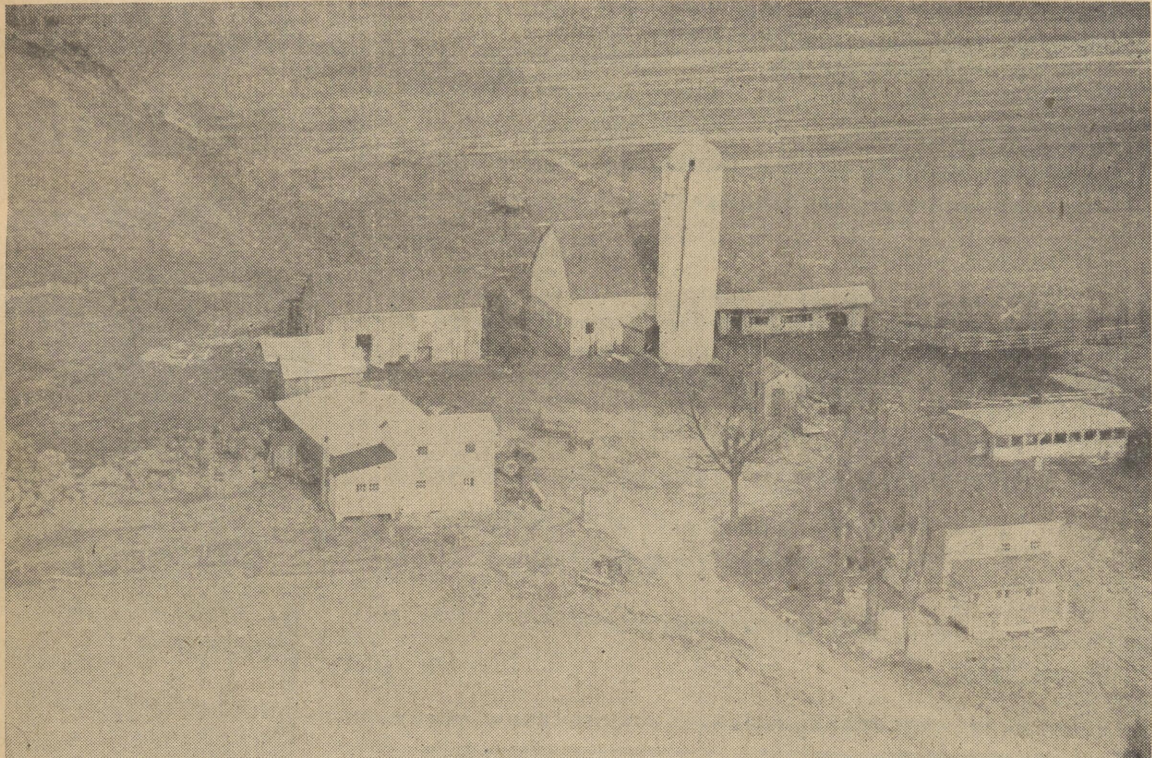


First Farm Identified in Photo Quiz Contest Is That of Edward Harcum of Williamsville Road



Have You Given to March of Dimes

"Have you contributed to the March of Dimes?" If not, will you please do this important civic and humane duty on or before Tuesday, Feb. 17, the closing date of the 1953 campaign. Such contributions will be received at the First National and Peoples Banks. The March of Dimes campaign has been thoroughly publicized by the press, television, radio and many other ways. Nothing further can be said or done other than "give today, so that all children may walk and play tomorrow." Outstanding contributions were received this week from Harrington Public School and the winter horse training contingent at the Kent and Sussex Fair Grounds. The quota for Harrington, Farmington and vicinity was \$1500 and actual cash on hand as of Tuesday, Feb. 3, was \$866.71 with five sources not collected to date that are estimated to contribute \$420. If this estimate is correct about \$225 is needed to meet the district quota. "It Can Be Done." The following have contributed since the last week's report:

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Minner
Mrs. Edna Adams
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ramsdell
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Grier
Miss Edith E. Smith
Merrymakers' Club
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Keyes
Harrington High School
Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas F. Price
Callaway-Kemp-Raughley-Tee Post No. 7 (Benefit Dance)
Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Holloway
Employees of Ace Mfg. Co.
Mrs. Myra Kesler
Mr. Fred Thomas
Miss Oda Baker
Miss Heba Baker
Farmington Home Demonstration Club
Miss Elva Reese
Taylor's Hardware Store
Cahall's Gas Service Co.
Brown's Laboratories, Inc.
Mr. and Mrs. John T. Satterfield
Ladies' Auxiliary Harrington Fire Co.
Harrington Fair Ground Colony
Mr. and Mrs. George Vappa
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brown
Mr. and Mrs. Enos Langrell
Mrs. Edna Outten

CYO Groups to Meet at Milford

Monday evening there will be a meeting of the C Y O groups from Dover, Rehoboth and Milford. The meeting will be held in St. John's Parish Hall in Milford. The Holy Cross players, who won first place in the recent radio play contest, will provide the entertainment for the group by presenting their play entitled "They Never Told Me." Refreshments will be served by the Rehoboth group.

Catholic Church in Milford Sponsoring Game Night

The St. John's Church of Milford is sponsoring a card party to defray expenses of the new building there Wednesday evening in St. John's Hall, Milford, at 8 o'clock. Various games of skill will be played. Prizes will be given and refreshments served.

Found: Jan. 28 at railroad crossing and Liberty Street, man's suit coat and one right-hand shoe, both in good condition. Cigars and cigarettes in pocket. Turned in to Police Department Feb. 5. —Apply Harrington Police.

Friendly Echoes

Sunday, Feb. 8—Founder's Day at St. Paul's A.M.E. Church. Minister, Rev. W. N. Brown.
Sunday, Feb. 8—Annual Men's Day at Metropolitan Methodist Church. Minister, Rev. Thaddeus Hackett.
Friday, Feb. 6—Talent night at Greenwood School—8 p.m. Mrs. Pauline Higgins, sponsor.
Sunday, Feb. 22—Annual Women's Day at Greenwood A.M.E. Church. Rev. A. W. Rothwell, minister.
A Baby Contest will be featured at the 3 o'clock service.
Contestants—Curtis Wayne Collick, of Harrington, and Judith Higgins, of Greenwood.
Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Brown were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Matthews, of Greensboro, Md. Mr. Matthews, who is confined to house for a few days, is much improved.
Mrs. Viola Jarman, of Ellendale, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bailey on Tuesday.
Mrs. Alice Coverdale, who turned some 21-some years ago, celebrated her birthday Sunday.

Anthony, Jonathan and Franchell Pitts, of Dover, have returned to their home after spending a week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Higgins.
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Johnson, of Wilmington, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith.
Mrs. Sarah Coston, of Seaford, was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Taylor. On Sunday Mrs. Coston was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Higgins. Other guests included their granddaughter, Bernice Rickards.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Coverdale and family recently moved to their new home on Mill street.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Benson, were her sister, Elnora Taylor and friend and brother, George Earl Taylor and friend.
Mrs. Estella Higgins, accompanied by little Lionel Higgins, were visitors of her daughter, Mrs. Florence Pitts, of Dover, the past week.
We are sorry to report that one of our teachers, Mrs. Mary Daniels, is on leave of absence due to illness. Mrs. Dora Bell, a resident of this community, will fill this vacancy until the return of Mrs. Daniels.
Others on the sick list include Mrs. Florence Matthews, Mrs. Walter Hughes, Mrs. Sinah Hughes and Master Dennis Price.
Mrs. Thelma Price, of Philadelphia, is on an extended visit with her mother and son during their illness.
We wish to extend our hearty welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs and family who moved to this community a few weeks ago.

Magnolia Soldier Promoted in Korea

George E. Pepper, whose wife, Louise, lives at Magnolia, was recently promoted to private first class while serving in Korea with the 45th Infantry Division.
The 45th arrived in Korea in Dec., 1951, and captured "T-Bone" hill in June's see-saw hill battles.

Pepper arrived in Korea early last November and is assigned as a wireman to Company H of the 180th Infantry Regiment. He transferred to Korea from the 1st Cavalry Division in Japan.
The Delaware soldier entered the Army in Feb., 1952. He is the son of Granville W. Pepper,

Three "city slickers," Arnold Gilstead and Charles and Thomas Peck, were the first to notify us of the identity of the farm depicted in the first installment of The Journal's farm photo quiz, a feature which runs for 25 more weeks, with the farm inhabitant getting \$23 worth of merchandise and a framed photo free.

The three Harringtonians identified the farm as the Egypt Farm on Williamsville Road near Houston. The place was formerly owned by W. L. Jump, but is now owned by Edward Harcum. Mr. Harcum became aware he was the lucky one when his milk hauler brought in a copy of The Journal.

Mr. Harcum farms 150 acres and rents 190. He has a grain and dairy farm, with 24 Holsteins in his milking herd. He belongs to the Sussex County Herd Improvement Association and owns a bull which is a brother to the grand champion Holstein cow at the fair here two years. His herd averaged 485 pounds of butterfat last year, placing it 11th in the state.
The Harcum pastures received a very good rating last year in the Greener Pastures contest. Ladi-no clover and orchardgrass furnish the chief pasture, with lespedeza for dry-weather forage. Some perennial ryegrass is used for early spring and late fall pasture. In fact, the heifers and dry cattle are on it now.
Eddie Cantor would envy the Harcums—they have five boys.

New Century Club Notes

Mrs. Fulton Downing, president of the Harrington New Century Club, presided at the meeting of the club Tuesday afternoon and gave a report of a recent meeting of the executive board of the Delaware State Federation of Women's Clubs. She announced the invitation of the Milford Club to the local club for Monday afternoon, Feb. 16, at 2:30 o'clock. She also reported that the Harrington Club had turned in more civil defense cards than any other club in the state. The club voted to sponsor the Cancer Crusade.
The attention of the members was called to an antique hall rack which was a loan to the club from Miss Elizabeth Shaw, and also the gift of shades for the lights in the main room from the First National Bank.
Mrs. Ernest Dean reported \$88.50 from her team—the result of a recent bake held by Team No. 1 in the club house.

A very interesting program was presented by Mrs. T. Brinton Holloway and her committee: Mrs. L. R. Beauchamp, Mrs. W. W. Shaw, Mrs. F. Brown Smith, Mrs. Abner Hickman, and Mrs. H. W. Smith on the subject "Drama." The guest speaker was Mrs. Alfred Nutter who presented a recorded program, "I Can Hear It Now," giving the voices of prominent speakers during the last 15 years. She concluded the program by reading a poem, "Smiles."
The next meeting of the club will be Feb. 17 when Mrs. W. W. Sharp, Mrs. R. E. Raughley, Mrs. J. F. Camper, Mrs. J. Gordon Smith, and Mrs. Howard Thistlewood will present a program on "International Relations."

Madame Malecot To Speak at Dinner Here

The annual Friendship Dinner of the combined clubs of Harrington will be held Thursday, Feb. 19, in the Fire Hall at 7.
The sponsoring club this year is the Business and Professional Women's Club. They have been exceedingly fortunate in procuring Madame Berthe Malecot as the guest speaker.
Madame Malecot was born and educated in France. She has been an American citizen since 1935. A world traveler, teacher, and lecturer, she has traveled extensively in Europe, Asia, South America and the United States.
The title of her talk to use in Harrington will be, "Friendship Across the Seven Seas."
Tickets may be procured from any member of the Lions, Rotary, New Century, or Business and Professional Women's Clubs. Sales will be closed Feb. 11.

Scottish Rite Club to Dine Here Tonight

The Kent and Sussex Scottish Rite Club will hold its mid-winter dinner meeting in Collins' Hall, Asbury Methodist Church, at 7 p.m. today.
The presiding officers of the four Scottish Rite bodies of Delaware Consistory will be guests of the club, with the main speaker being ill.
James V. Kilvington, of Eastover Hills, Dover, will be acting in a dual capacity, as one of the presiding officers, Thrice Patent Master of the Wilmington Lodge of Perfection, and as program chairman and vice-president of the club.
A roast beef dinner will be served by the WGS of the church, under the direction of Mrs. Theodore Harrington, Samuel Williams, of Harrington, is the dinner chairman.
Dorsey Burnham, of Milton, president of the club, will preside. Geo. T. Macklin, of Milford, will act as toastmaster. Among the distinguished Masons present will be L.L. J. Wallace Woodford, deputy for Delaware and founder of the club, who will give a short talk and present Gov. Caleb Boggs, a member of the club.

Entertainment will be furnished by Miss Arleen Harris who will render several musical numbers, accompanied by Prof. Melvin Probst, both of Harrington, and by Freddie David, harmonica virtuoso of radio, screen, stage and concert fame.

Receives 40-year Service Pin



Walter Lekites, (center) of Harrington, is shown shortly after he was presented by M. H. Lingenfelter, (right) division superintendent of the Pennsylvania Railroad, with an engraved pin for 40 years of service. Mike Quinn, road foreman of engines, (left) looks on. The presentation was made during the Harrington District Safety meeting in the Firehall Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Lekites, an engineman, was born Sept. 4, 1889, at Milton. The son of a sea captain, Alfred Lekites, he entered railroad service as a fireman in 1908. He served as fireman instructor for several years out of Wilmington and Harrington and was promoted to running in 1917. He has resided in Harrington 30 years and now lives at 208 Delaware Avenue. He is now hauling D31 and 32 and says diesels will do a lot to simplify operation and to keep enginemen from getting old too fast.

Walt has had some harrowing experiences that he says have gone a long way toward making him safety-minded. One of these was his presence on an engine when it upset at Dover, killing the engineman. Another time, Mr. Lekites was struck on the head by something projecting from a passing train when he attempted to look out for signals. He says present day safety rules and improved view from diesel locomotives practically eliminate such hazards.

Walt's present run takes him out of town in the evening and gets him back in the wee, small hours of the early morning when folks are enjoying their sleep and while he has to sound a warning whistle at the crossings, he does it in such a manner as to cause as little disturbance as possible.

MRS. ANNIE HOPKINS CASE

Mrs. Annie Hopkins Case, a native of Frederica, died Friday at her home in Doylestown, Pa. She was the widow of Henry R. Case. Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Rogers Funeral Home. The Rev. Roy Jones, pastor of the Frederica Methodist Church, officiated and interment in Barratt's Chapel Cemetery.
Surviving are a niece, Mrs. Edward H. Trice, Milford; two nephews, Harry H. Prettyman, Wilmington; Col. Zebulon C. Hopkins, Washington, D. C., and a grand nephew, John C. Hopkins, La Mesa, Calif.

Railroad News

The Delmarva Division Safety Celebration and oyster party will be held in the Armory at Salisbury, Saturday, Feb. 21. Five committees have been appointed by the Superintendent. This party has always been a gala affair and we have every reason to make it doubly so this year as our good safety performance in 1952 speaks for itself. Watch this column for further details.

Superintendent Lingenfelter and his entire staff were in town Tuesday attending the monthly Safety and Loss Damage meeting in the fire hall where he presented Engineman Walter Lekites with a 40-year service button and paid high tribute to Ernie Homewood, Ed Lore and Tom Sheller for their alertness and co-operation in the apprehension of a "would-be" train wrecker.

The two hour advance in time for train No. 455 south made it tough for New York connections if the New York train was late. This was corrected last Saturday when orders were put out to hold train No. 455 for the New York connections.

A farewell party was held at the Cape Charles Country Club last Friday for Ralph Schrak, Chief Clerk to the Superintendent, who retired and is going to make his home in Florida.

Legion Wins Two, Drops One

The Legionnaires lost at Laurel to Chincoteague Wednesday night, 76-66.
The Harrington Legionnaires continued in the lead in the Eastern Shore League the past week. The hoopers defeated Federalsburg Vets at Federalsburg Saturday night, 62-57.
The Legionnaires trounced Salisbury here Tuesday night, 85-78. Kirk Gallagher racked up 30 points for the victors, with Frank Niblett scoring 26 for the losers.

Harrington was supposed to play at Salisbury Sunday but the game was canceled and will be played there Sunday, Feb. 22, Manager Bill Miner, of the Legionnaires, said.
Harrington entertains Federalsburg here Monday and returns the visit Wednesday.

Mundy Resigns As Secretary Of Ag. Board



Charles F. Mundy

Charles F. Mundy, Wilmington, who has served as secretary of the State Board of Agriculture for the past three years, tendered his resignation at a meeting of the board in Dover Friday afternoon. His resignation becomes effective Feb. 15.

Mr. Mundy announced that he plans to enter private industry about March 1. His resignation was accepted by Walter Lee, president of the State Board of Agriculture, who thanked Mr. Mundy for his service during his tenure in office and wished him every success in his new undertaking.

Mundy is a graduate of the Agricultural School, University of Delaware, and served three and a half years in the U. S. Army during World War II. He spent 29 months in the European Theatre.

Home Club Names Committees

The January meeting of the Harrington Home Demonstration Club was held Monday afternoon, Mrs. Joshua Lister, president, presided.
Various committees appointed for the year follow:
Mrs. Loretta Theil, health; Mrs. Harley Waller, safety; Mrs. Fletcher Price, family life; Mrs. Wilbur E. Jacobs, community; Mrs. Jehu Camper, publicity; Mrs. Harry L. Boyer, annual reports; Mrs. Charles Derrickson, sunshine, and Mrs. Howard Cooper, recreation.

A trip to the United Nations has been planned for April 14. The trip will cost approximately \$10. Reservations must be in to Miss Charlotte Swanson, agent, by Feb. 20.

A plant sale will be held in April. The proceeds will be toward the Christmas party. In May, National Home Demonstration Week will be observed. Members will attend Asbury Methodist Church in a body on May 3, at the evening service. The short course will be held in June. There will also be visits to state institutions in June. A beach party is slated for July at Rehoboth, a group meeting in September, and in December a Christmas party.

Miss Swanson was present and spoke on the "Family Pocketbook." She also urged joining a book club. Mrs. Philomena Harrington and Mrs. Jehu Camper gave a skit on family living within and beyond their means.

Masten's

Emily Ann Morris spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Anna Mae Emory in Dover.
Morris Dill, who has been confined to his bed for some time is able to be up and out again.
Mrs. and Mrs. Albert Larimore visited Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Reed, Sunday.

Mrs. Audrey Kates visited her mother, Mrs. Norman Wix, Sunday. Mrs. Carroll Welch also visited with her mother.
Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Nat Minner Sunday were Mrs. Elizabeth Hopkins, of Harrington, and Mr. and Mrs. John Enright and sister Linda and family, of Wilmington.

Mrs. Pearl Betts, accompanied by Mrs. Ray Cox, of Brownsville, spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Oliver Dill, of Bowers. They celebrated their birthdays.
Dwight Hackett attended the birthday party given by Bobby McDonald, Saturday.

Mrs. Mildred Welch and Miss Doris Harrington left Tuesday for a ten days' stay in Florida. They will visit Mrs. Welch's daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Goodson and family.
Miss Daisy McLean is a patient in the Milford Memorial Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Welch gave a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. Welch. The dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Welch and sons, Mrs. Lillian Boone and Miss Doris Harrington. Others during the day were Samuel Welch and son Wayne, and Dunworth Welch, of Harrington. Mrs. Welch was presented with a beautiful gold watch and bracelet from her family.

K. & S. Fair Will Be Held July 27 - Aug. 1

Bradey's Hold Reunion

The first Bradley reunion in approximately ten years was held with a surprise birthday party for Mrs. L. J. Kates Thursday night at the Kates home in Felton. The 37 guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cannon, Jr. and Tommy; Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Bradley and Donna Fay; Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Yoder, Velma, Jerry and Eddie, of Farmington; Mr. and Mrs. John Bradley, David and Jewell; Mr. and Mrs. William Bradley, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Arley Bradley and Arley, Jr. and Samuel; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tucker and Pat of Harrington; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jagers, Doris and Marjorie, of Chester, Pa.; Mrs. Em Satterfield, of Dover; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Kates, Johnny and Peggy, of Felton, and Mrs. Robert Sherwood and Cheryl and Bobby, of Monument Beach, Mass.

Mrs. William Swain has returned from a two weeks' visit in St. Petersburg, Fla.
Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elver Ryan Sunday were Mrs. Ruth Silbereisen and Butch; Mr. and Mrs. Russ Scarborough, of Milford; Mrs. Em Satterfield, of Felton, and Della and Ruth Ryan, of Harrington.

NEWLY WEDS HONORED BY TURKEY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Torbert, of near Felton, entertained at a turkey dinner Sunday, Jan. 24, in honor of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Becker, who had just returned from a honeymoon in New York.
Guests were as follows: Mrs. George Torbert, Janet Lee Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Torbert and children, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Torbert and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roland and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Torbert, all of Felton, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilkinson, of Wilmington.

D. A. R. Holds Natal Luncheon

The Jonathan Caldwell Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution held its fourth anniversary luncheon at the social hall of the Avenue Church, Milford, Saturday.
Miss Catherine Downing, regent, welcomed the members and guests, opening the meeting with the ritual, and the salute to the flag. Singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" was led by Mrs. J. Raymond Bennett.
After the business session, Miss Downing welcomed the state officers and the Misses Mary Lord of Harrington High School, and Doris Gibson of Milford High School, who won the Good Citizenship Award.

After the luncheon, a delightful program of music was presented in charge of Mrs. Bennett, chairman of program. It included two numbers by a little gentleman from the third grade, Peter Salameto, boy soprano, accompanied by Mrs. Bennett.
The girls' chorus from the Milford High School, directed by George Messick, music supervisor at Milford High School, delighted those present by singing "A Forest Praying" and "Moonbeams."
The Tull Trio sang three numbers capella, and the girls' chorus closed the program by singing three numbers and as an encore sang "This is the Day."
The chairmen for the luncheon were as follows: luncheon, Mrs. John C. Truitt and Mrs. G. Marshall Townsend; program, Mrs. Bennett; decorations, Mrs. A. T. Slaughter, reservations, Mrs. J. S. Willis.

Old-fashioned teapots filled with red, white and blue flowers, centered each table. Place cards and programs were carried out in the blue and white of the national society D.A.R.
Members and guests also from Harrington were: Mrs. O. T. Roberts, Sr., Mrs. Earl Sylvester, Mrs. H. Clyde Miller, Mrs. Fulton Downing, Mrs. W. E. Jacobs, Mrs. H. D. Adkins, Mrs. Ellwood Gruwell, Mrs. Melvin Brobst.

HENDRICKS GIVE PARTY FOR SON

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Hendricks gave a birthday party Sunday for their son, Chalmers Wayne, who was five on the same day. Those present were as follows:
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Ward and daughter, Dona Faye, of Houston; Mrs. James Blades and son, Jimmy, of Felton; Mr. and Mrs. John Hendricks, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John Hendricks, Jr., and daughters, Doris and Patsy, and Ruth Ann and Doris Stevens, of Burrsville.
Mrs. Ward, a patient at Brandywine Sanatorium, spent the week-end with her family.

The 34th annual Kent and Sussex County Fair will be held from July 27 to August 1, inclusive, it was announced this week by T. Brinton Holloway, secretary and general manager of the organization.

Mr. Holloway also divulged that the fair promised to be the Shore's biggest event in 1953.

At the same time, he revealed the week's program, stating it would get under way Monday evening with the presentation of Irish Horan's Lucky Hell Drivers. Other features are as follows:
Tuesday, July 28, will be Children's Day, with all pupils of primary and secondary schools being admitted free to the grounds and having the privilege of taking advantage of all shows and rides at reduced rates for the day.

Thursday has been designated as Governor's Day, traditional at the fair.

The fair board, Mr. Holloway commented, has included many interesting features in its 1953 program, including thrill shows, horse racing, fireworks, a complete grandstand revue, firemen's parade, auto racing, pony races, bands, 4-H, FFA, educational and commercial exhibits, acrobatic and animal acts, plus a complete midway of fine shows and rides.
Many thousands of dollars will be offered in prizes for the agricultural, livestock, poultry and homework departments.

Alfred Raughley Injured in Wreck

Dr. Hewitt Smith told The Journal Thursday afternoon that Mr. Raughley was operated on Wednesday and that a blood clot had been removed and that he was doing nicely.

Alfred Raughley, 72, was critically injured Wednesday about 9 a.m. when the truck he was driving was involved with practically a head-on collision with a truck driven by Willard T. Bullock, 80, on the Harrington-Whitesburg nine-foot road near the Bullock farm. Mr. Bullock was uninjured.

Mr. Raughley was taken in the Harrington Fire Company ambulance to Milford Memorial Hospital where his injuries were diagnosed as a depressed skull fracture and bruises of the left portion of the face. He was taken to Wilmington Memorial Hospital where he is being treated by Dr. Gordy, a brain specialist.
State police from the Bridgeville Station said the accident occurred on the paved portion of the road. Bullock, they added, was proceeding eastward on the south side of the road, or the paved portion.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE

The Women of the Moose, Harrington Chapter No. 1229, held a meeting last Thursday. Eleanor Semans served the refreshments of coffee and cake for the evening. Elsie Fineman, Senior Regent, is now home from Florida. While there she went to see Moosehaven, the home for the aged.

Members are reminded of the covered dish supper which will be held next Friday and of the parcel post which will also be held.

All Moose members are invited to attend the Delaware and Maryland Moose Association which will be held tonight at the Harrington Moose Home.

MERRYMAKER TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Merrymakers Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Francis Winkler, Route 13 near Harrington, on Wednesday, Feb. 11. Mrs. Joan Winkler will act as co-hostess. The topic for the evening will be "Miniature Gardens," with Mrs. Thomas Peck and Mrs. Leonard A. Taylor presenting the topic.
All members are asked to bring a container for their garden.
At the January meeting the following officers were installed: Mrs. Lester Smith, President; Mrs. Elwood McKnatt, vice-president; Mrs. Clyde Perry, secretary; and Mrs. Fred Martin, treasurer.

Farm Front News

FARMERS BANK CALENDAR IN EVERY DELAWARE HOME

To preserve for Delaware what is Delaware, its history, its associations, its atmosphere, the Farmers Bank of the State of Delaware and its calendars each year, have brought out the suspense and artistry of Betty Harrington McDonald, true Old Delaware, whether it be the old State House on the first calendar in 1942 or the Memorial Bridge in 1952, or as it is this year from 1953, Old Christ Church, Dover.

Christ Church, this year, 1953, is celebrating its 250th Anniversary, a grand evidence of freedom for which Delaware stands.

Inscribed on the calendar is as follows: Christ Church Parish, Dover, celebrating its 250th year, was founded in 1703 when twenty-two persons petitioned the Church of England for a missionary priest. Rev. Thomas Crawford arrived the next year. In 1707, the congregation built a small wooden structure on the St. James river near the present U. S. Air Force Base. This served as the church for some years.

When Dover was laid out in 1717, a "Church Square" was reserved on the road from the river landing. Here the church was erected in 1734.

Though there have been additions and some changes in the interior, the original building, built of bricks brought from England, still forms the main body of the church.

Among the early missionaries that came from England, was Rev. Charles Inglis, later Rector of Trinity Parish in New York City and first Bishop of Nova Scotia.

In the quiet Church Yard are the graves of many well known people of early Delaware; among them Caesar Rodney, signer of the Declaration of Independence, and Delaware's most famous patriot, and Henry M. Ridgely, the first president of the Farmer's Bank.

LET'S SHOP FOR DRESSES

Confidence is the keynote to successful dress buying, says Miss Alice Linn, extension clothing specialist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington. Delaware women can hear Miss Linn give her tips on dress size, style, color, and care at the University of Delaware Farm and Home Week, Monday, Feb. 9, at 1:30 p. m.

Says Miss Linn, "Stores are

doing a better job each day in stocking different size ranges to fit the figure. Your cue is to study the size ranges and find out where you belong, first. Sizes are designed to fit different figures, not different ages."

Miss Linn will go on to explain the present six size groups, then what to consider in style, color, and care. Style is important for appearance, and for fit. Some styles are just right for figure irregularities as well as flattering lines. Color, says Miss Linn, can be one of the best money savers in shopping. Best dressed women on low budgets never fall for a color unless it blends with their other clothes and accessories. At the same time, the more they cultivate a color sense, the more leeway they have in shopping.

Care of dresses is getting easier, yet at the same time more complicated. Miss Linn suggests reading, analyzing your own experiences, asking questions, and reading labels. For complete information, come to Farm and Home Week, Monday, February 9. Other topics that day are handling pre-packaged chicken, care and selection of rugs, appreciation of old glass, and being at ease with your pressure saucapan.

Hickman

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Drummond and family entertained at a turkey dinner in honor of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew More and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Moore and son, Bruce, all of Millsboro, Preston Beach, and of Rural Harrington, and also Mary Ellen Moore, of Millsboro, spent the weekend with her sister.

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Herman Hignutt and little daughters spent last Monday in Newark, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wright.

Mrs. Sam Andrew and Mrs. Lina Harrington spent Monday in Dover.

Miss Nettie Haymond, of Lansdowne, Pa., spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Ida Hollis. Her daughter, Lt. Catherine Hollis, of the U. S. Navy, Bainbridge, also spent the weekend with her mother and sister, Patty. They all were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed, of Milford.

Mrs. Ella Breeding is spending some time with her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Winnie Breeding who are on the sick list. We all join in wishing them a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wroten and Mrs. Harry Feldman, of Philadelphia, spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Sallie Wroten.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wroten entertained at a turkey dinner on Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wroten, Mrs. Harry Freedman of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Sallie Wroten.

Louis Torbert of the U. S. Navy, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Torbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Covey Brown and son, Wesley, of Denton, spent Saturday evening with the former's mother, Mrs. Sadie Brown. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Reese Brown of Denton, and Mrs. Elwood Taylor, of Farmington, were the guests of their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Drummond and sons Mr. and Mrs. Howard Drummond were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pepper, of Hillsboro.

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Sulky Slants

By Mrs. Dave (Pat) Smith



There is quite a lot of activity here at the track now. The trainers are beginning to turn their horses around slow miles. When this starts it really looks like we are on our way for the spring racing wherever they may be.

Another thing, it seems each year that the public is getting more interested in the horses from the looks of the visitors here every day at the back track. Wednesday I counted 28 cars out here. Some spectators and some are owners. Whoever they are, it looks good.

Course all the trainers are anxious to get going. That just goes in the business. For me, I think that this past season of racing was very short. But, with the new winter tracks that they say are opening, the rumor is going around, racing seasons will be most of the winters.

You can race in Canada now, but who wants to go there to freeze? I think our stable will stick to winter training unless they start racing in California. Then, we might change our minds.

However this fall, California does have fall racing and then in the spring. It is that way every other year. That's what made the tracks in Pinehurst and Florida with so many horses. But this coming winter will see a difference with those tracks.

Had a card from the Staytons, Mailed in Lakeland, Florida. What a beautiful place that is! Dave and I stayed there about a week. Said they certainly were enjoying themselves. And were on their way to New Orleans.

A lot of credit should go to Betty Meyers for her part in the collection of \$50.00 for the March of Dimes from out here at the track. Each year Betty takes it on herself to do this wonderful deed. While I'm speaking of Betty, was over to her trailer and she has a beautiful new blond television set to match her new

trailer. And it seems that all little Ellis, Jr., is interested in the week with Mrs. Mildred Coeyman. Virginia, there is plenty doing in good old Atlanta. Or there used to be anyway. She is the former Mildred Wheeler.

This is just a little late, but Earl Thomas had the pleasure of hauling the Cleveland mounted horses during the week of the inauguration. With his swell truck, and those beautiful horses, I bet it was a pretty sight to see. I have an idea everyone remembers them on TV. Also, Earl hauled the horses for the Governor of Texas. Those were the ones that pulled the oldtime stage coach. You see, those horses had to be put somewhere for the is the cowboy pictures and Hawkins Falls. That's one way of keeping the youngsters in!

Mrs. Jimmy Hayes has returned from the hospital in Milford and along with the new girl, Susan, and everything is fine. I think Jimmy will nickname her, "Billy", for that boy he didn't get.

Mrs. Griffith had a letter from Charlotte Stout, saying that Mr. Stout will be out of the hospital next week.

But from the ones that have visited Mr. Peacock in Philadelphia, they don't report very good of him. Just holding his own.

Here is an exclusive, I hope! Mr. Holloway, our general manager, just told me that he is giving Virginia a vacation to Atlanta, Ga. Mrs. Holloway will spend parade. I understand that some even were sent to stables in Virginia. Guess there were not enough stables in Virginia.

Guess there were not enough stables in Washington. In Cleveland it is almost like watching the changing of the guards in England. Those mounted police are really a wonderful sight with each changing shift.

Among the visitors at the track which I didn't mention, but which Mrs. Thomas gave me, were Pat Parris, Gage Ellis, Percy Harrison, and A. B. Highley, of Easton, Md. What would I do without Mrs. Thomas to give me a lift?

Billy Meyers tells me he has 17 head of horses now in training, 4 colts and 13 old heads. Billy is looking forward to the opening of Yonkers. Billy is really proud of his new son, Billy, Jr. Says

he is really getting to be a big boy.

I wonder how much help little Judy Davis was over to Mrs. Griffiths? I found her sitting on the floor helping to shell lima beans. That little gal is a pistol! There is nothing shy about Judy.

As I watched Mrs. Roland Harrington jogging Tracer Bullet, I wished I could get up enough courage to start all over again. I know its loads of fun, as I used to take Anna Day everywhere. But Ann put her tail over her back one day in Pinehurst and took me to the barn in a hurry and that rather set me back with jogging. Someday tho, not too long out here, I'm starting again. That will be the day.

Ran into Mayor Killen all dressed up. So, I asked him where he was going. And this is the answer I received: "Oh, I am invited to a free dinner, so I am taking off to Dover."

I see the Dyers new house is coming along good. Every spare moment Clarence has he really works on it.

And little Booty sure has a nice little place over on Highway 13. Course Big Booty was there when we stopped to get a soda. I think he is really proud of his son's place.

You should see the nice tile floor Mr. Wheeler has just put in. And with all the painting going on, you wouldn't know his place.

In fact, all the business places are taking on new appearances since Christmas.

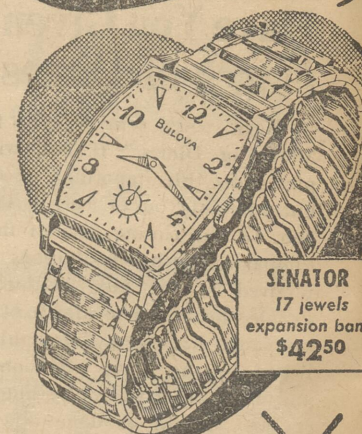
Austin Tutcoffe, one of our blacksmiths out here, says that he has never been so busy as this winter even shoeing horses late at night. I don't think he has anything on Mr. Young or Curley Rathwell. They all seem to be busy too.

Julian Young's horses are working very nicely and will be ready when the man says go. I wish everyone could see his two boys, Gosh, are they a ready pair. Delores certainly has her hands full. I hear that Floyd Rosencrantz is now training at Ocean Downes. Guess we will have to take a run down there.

Harry Adams was a very sad man this past week. He and Irene lost their dog, Tom. Think he was sick a week or so before he died.

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On Wednesday Miss Alice Phelps of Teaneck, N. J., visited with her uncle, Richard Speen, enroute from a visit to Miami, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt Melvin and children have moved to Middletown.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Emma Phillips, wife of Thomas Phillips, of Milford, on Jan. 28. The Phillips family at one time resided at Marydel.

On Saturday afternoon at 3, the wedding of Mrs. R. Emma Morris and Cortland Buckalew, both of Marydel took place at the parsonage of the Rev. Corville Tribbett in Greensboro, who also performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. William Hutson were the attendants to the couple. A family reception followed at the home of the bride in Marydel.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Collison and son, Andy, spent the week-

end visiting in Reading, Pa., with Prof. and Mrs. Hans Nix.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Steeves returned to their Marydel home following a month's vacation in the mid-west.

Climaxing a month's training program held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Collison under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ayres, of Easton, Boy Scout leader, two Cub Scout dens have been organized in Marydel, with Mr. Wm. Oxley serving as Cub Master and Mr. Ed Strauss as assistant Cub Master. The Board of Directors consists of cub fathers, chairman, Irvin States, assisted by Mr. J. Wesley Walls, Jr., Isaac Thomas, and L. H. Collison. Den mothers actively engaged in directing activities of the cubs are Mrs. Helen Oxley, assisted by Mrs. Ed Strauss, and Mrs. Kennard Shultz, assisted by Mrs. Ann Walls. Members of the two dens, boys between the ages of 8 and 11 years of age, are Bobbie Oxley, John Thomas,

Eddie Strauss, John Shultz, Leslie States, Dickie Roberts, and Jimmy Walls. The dens meet every Saturday afternoon from 3 to 4, at the home of den mothers. The first pack meeting of the group, which will include both dens, their parents, and families, will be held at the Community Hall in Marydel on Wednesday, Feb. 25, at 7 p. m. Since this is Boy Scout Birthday month, as well as the founding of the cubs in Marydel, this meeting will take the form of a covered dish supper. At this time the boys will be given their charter, to be presented by Bruce Ayres, their regional director. Parents interested in having their boys become "cubs," and willing also, to assume leadership as den mothers, or den fathers, will contact Mr. Oxley, cub master, Whiteoaks, 4251. Sponsors for the boys are the members of the Marydel Civic Club composed of 28 women of this community interested in furthering the local community activities.

Asbury Methodist Church Notes

Sunday School will begin at 10:00 a. m., with devotional period led by the general superintendent, Fulton Downing. "Distinctions Among Christians" is the title for the lesson study. Classes for all ages. Materials graded according to age groups. Building Fund Sunday will be observed.

Morning Worship will begin at 11 o'clock. Members of the local organizations of Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts, with their leaders, will attend morning worship at Asbury Church in celebration of the 43rd anniversary of Scouting.

The nursery is conducted each Sunday during the hour of morning worship.

Special speaker at the evening worship, which begins at 7:30, will be the Rev. F. D. Milbury, the executive secretary of the

Peninsula Conference Board of Education. Special music by the Chancel Choir. Members of the Booster Class will attend in a body.

A meeting of the Sunday School Board will be held after the evening worship.

On Wednesday, Feb. 11, the Mothers Auxiliary will give a dinner for the Junior and Chancel Choirs at 6:30 in the Collins Building.

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

Annual Communion Service and Breakfast for men will be held at Avenue Church, Milford, at 7:30 a. m. on Feb. 22. All men who plan to attend please notify pastor.

To date 45 individuals have donated over 327 hours of labor on the construction of the ad-

dition to the Collins Building. Call Ernest Dean and tell him what you can do to help.

Magnolia

On Monday evening of the past week, Mrs. Hazel Roe, with Mrs. Roy Smith, of Dover, and Mrs. George R. Miller, of Frederica, as co-hostesses, entertained the Caesar Rodney Faculty Bridge Club.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Roe entertained the Saturday evening Bridge Club with four tables of bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lit Smith entertained at a turkey dinner on Saturday evening in honor of their wedding anniversary. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lotheroh, of Greensboro, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Spry Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Atix, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Niemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, Miss

Effe Smith, of Wilmington, and Edwin Cooper and grandson, Bobby, of Wildwood, N. J.

Harry Lorenzen is a patient at the Dover hospital where he was taken several days ago. His condition is very much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hart and children, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Francis Simpson, of Houston, spent Saturday in Wilmington.

Wednesday evening Mrs. Dawson Minner entertained eleven guests at a covered dish luncheon. This is one of a series of luncheons which is being given by several members of the Women's Society of Christian Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Minner entertained at a turkey dinner on Thursday evening honoring the birthday of Mr. Minner's mother, Mrs. Laura Minner, who observed her 89th birthday. Mrs. Minner wishes to thank her many friends for the many cards which she received on this occasion.

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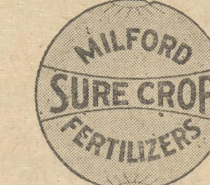
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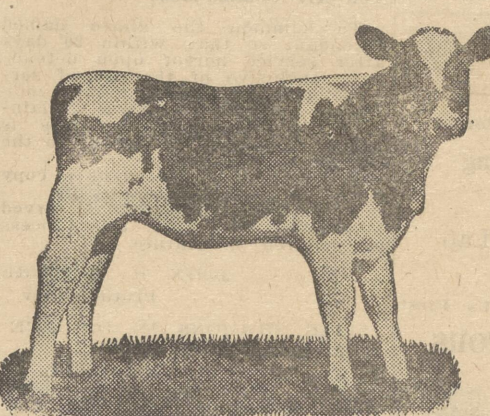
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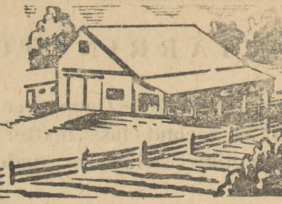
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PASTURE PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS, WATER PROBLEM AT FARM AND HOME WEEK

Will pasture irrigation pay in Delaware? Do we have enough water resources to irrigate? What do we know about irrigation in other states?

"With pasture irrigation, one of the foremost questions in Delaware farmers' minds, Farm and Home Week at the University of Delaware is devoting one whole morning to the problem," says C. E. Phillips, chairman of the agronomy department. "Thursday, February 12, we have two men whom we feel are best qualified to answer our questions."

To set the background, at 10 a. m., Johan J. Groot, Delaware state geologist, will talk on the ground water resources in Delaware. The water situation, says Groot, has changed greatly in the last decade. Industry has moved to the southern part of the state. Rural areas increased their water demands to as much as ten times as before.

"Resources in Delaware are wells, ponds, and streams. The Delaware Geological Survey is prepared to help farmers by obtaining information on the geology of the state—where the water beds are and how thick they are and, the stream discharges and their chemical make-up. Dr. Groot will outline the situation in three areas of Delaware—the Piedmont, the Coastal Plain, and the coast areas—in terms of irrigation possibilities. He has been studying Delaware geology since 1950, with previous experience and education at the University of Maryland and the University of Amsterdam, in the Netherlands.

Many eastern states have already done irrigation research, and farmers have tried it extensively. Virginia is one of these states, and to give Delaware farmers an idea of their experiences, James H. Lillard, of Virginia Polytechnic Institute, will appear on the Farm and Home Week Program at 10:30 a. m. Says Lillard, "In recent years, with the emphasis placed on intensive production, the introduction of new crops, and the use of new more productive pasture mixtures—we have expanded our potential uses for irrigation."

Virginia experiments have shown that, in the past four years, the need for extra water on pastures varied from 1 1/2 inches in 1949 to 8 inches in 1952. Increased yields were as high as fifty per cent over unirrigated pastures in the dry years. Beef animals on irrigated pastures gained as much as 75 pounds more per steer per acre than animals on unirrigated pasture. Farmer results indicate that even larger profits can be realized from irrigating high quality dairy pasture.

Mr. Lillard has served as an agricultural engineer with the Soil Conservation Service and has been with the Virginia Polytechnic Institute since 1936. He has developed their research program in soil and water conservation. It now includes irrigation research, draining, farm machinery, conservation practices, farm ponds, and agricultural hydrology. He is a registered professional agricultural engineer.

Following these two talks, Phillips will conduct an open discussion, with time for questions for both Dr. Groot and Mr. Lillard. Irrigation demands preparation for the highest possible production, and fertilization plays a big role there, says Phillips. In the afternoon on February 12, W. W. Woodhouse, Jr., of North Carolina State College, Raleigh, will discuss pasture fertilization in North Carolina.

Delaware and North Carolina have much in common as far as soils are concerned. The North Carolina program has been under way for 15 years. With colored slides, Woodhouse will show how fertilization has helped their Ladino clover-grass mixture acreage to go from zero to 750,000 acres. Their alfalfa acreage has increased from 6,000 to around 100,000. His overall

theme will be fertilization for high production. Born and reared on a North Carolina farm, Woodhouse received degrees at North Carolina State and Cornell University.

WHAT'S AHEAD FOR FARMERS ON '53

What is ahead for farmers in 1953 and the future? A partial answer to the Delaware farmers' questions can be had at the University of Delaware Farm and Home Week. Broilers and turkeys, egg production, and beef and swine are outlook items on the program.

Paul E. Nystrom, chairman of the agricultural economics department at the University of Maryland, will relate egg production outlook to the overall agricultural outlook, with comments on how agricultural policy can affect the picture, too. He'll outline long-range prospects rather than the immediate future. Nystrom has been an extension specialist, county agent leader, associate director of extension, director of instruction, and as head of the department of agricultural economics at Maryland.

W. T. McAllister, of the Delaware Agricultural Extension Service, will survey the ideas in the broiler and turkey outlook Tuesday, Feb. 10. Says McAllister, "Much of our agriculture is tied to broiler production. The industry is going through a rapid change in production and marketing methods. Competition from other states is real. How this area meets this competition in the next few years will have a very lasting effect on Delaware's agriculture." He, too, will concentrate on long-range prospects.

Joseph M. Vial, animal husbandry specialist at the University of Maryland, will discuss beef and swine production in high-priced land areas on Thursday morning, Feb. 12.

GRASS SILAGE ON EXHIBIT

Farmers can look at and hear about grass silage at the University of Delaware Farm and Home Week. Seven Delaware farmers will show samples of their silage and tell how they preserved it. And the Crop Improvement Association Exhibit has a new class in grass silage.

Alvin Allen, Camden; Merrill Jones, Felton; William N. Hopkins, Leves; Ralph Vannoy, Newark; Paul Mitchell, Hockessin; Marvin Klair, Marshallton, and Lewis Phillips, Wilmington, will talk about their experiences with grass silage on a panel discussion Thursday, February 12, at 2:30 p. m. They'll have samples of their silage, representing several methods of preservation, says William H. Mitchell, assistant extension agronomist at the University.

At the crop shows, farmers can see silage stored with black strap molasses, corn and cob meal, dried molasses, beet pulp, and sulfur dioxide. Silage put up using the wilt method will also be on display. Farmers are urged to bring in their samples, too, says Mitchell. Entries should be of at least a gallon of silage in a glass jar or cardboard container. Entries close Monday noon, Feb. 9.

"Another attraction of the Crops Show will be the hay classes. The Crops Show is gaining a reputation for being the largest hay show east of the Mississippi, and this year is no exception. One hundred entries have already arrived in Newark," says Mitchell. Other

classes are corn, small grain and seeds, and sweet and white potatoes. All farmers are urged to enter their crops. County agents have premium lists and all necessary information.

Hobbs

Our W. S. C. S. will be entertained by Mrs. Lewis Butler this month.

Mrs. Frank Wright, Denton, spent last Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Wesley Stafford, and family.

Mrs. Orville Morgan and Shirley, Federalsburg, were recent Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Towers.

Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Brackett, Denton, were last Friday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Holbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Towers recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Claude Howard, Jr., and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Robinson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fisher and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dandy and Miss Lydia Dandy visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Willoughby recently. We're glad that Mrs. Dandy, having been on the sick list for sometime, could get out.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. William Collins and Sharon were last Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Towers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Edgell, rural Greenwood, were last Friday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Thomas.

Bernard H. Thomas, having enjoyed the mid-winter week's vacation, returned to Washington College last Sunday evening. He spent a couple of days at his Dickerson home.

Mrs. L. H. Thomas visited Mrs. J. R. Ricards and sister, Mrs. B. B. Allen, Denton, on Monday afternoon of last week.

Felton School News

Basketball holds the center of the stage at F. H. S. this week. The Green Devils at the end of last week had an excellent record showing 6-4.

On Tuesday they met Ridgely on the home floor and tonight they journey to Milford for a return game. Coach Kerns' warriors defeated Milford earlier in the season by a score of 48-38. The Buccaneers will be seeking revenge tonight.

During the coming week the Green Devils will visit Greensboro on Tuesday and Middletown on Friday for return games. The Felton courtsters whipped both these clubs in earlier contests.

Last Friday an assembly concert was presented by the Felton High School band for the entertainment of the Frederica pupils. Tuesday the Junior High School team traveled to Frederica for a practice game with a similar team from that school.

The February edition of the News Magazine of the Screen was shown to the student body

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in an assembly this afternoon. The pupils find this monthly review of high-lights in the news very educational as well as entertaining.

The Juniors are reading plays and expect to make their choice for their spring dramatic offering in the near future.

The Seniors are working on their yearbook. They started soliciting various businesses for advertisements this week.

For the past three years the Kent County Student Council has sponsored a dance on Valentine's

chosen from each school in Kent Day. A "Queen of Hearts" is County and is present at the dance where she is crowned by the president of the organization.

Four names were chosen at the last Student Council meeting and those names were then taken to each room by the council representatives to elect one girl for this year. Ellen Louise Betts receives the honor of being the "Queen of Hearts" for '53. The dance is being held at Smyrna High School on Feb. 14.

The assembly program on Wednesday, Feb. 4, was sponsored by the F. F. A. Chapter at Felton School. The following awards were given out: Dairy, Safety, Shop, Public Speaking, Chapter Star Farmer, and Scholastic. A poultry culling demonstration was put on by Joseph Hughes and Linford Lockwood. George Vapaa, associate county agent for Kent County, gave an illustrated lecture on the agriculture of the South.

Two in One Double-quilted cotton has been used for short housecoats, and they are still in fashion. This season the news is even better: worn decollete, they make a nice hostess gown; with a dickie, they're a demure housecoat.

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Oliver Hastings

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The project which stands out most in his 4-H Club work is a two-acre test field of hybrid corn on which he tried out new adoption methods. In 1952 he had 20 acres of corn and he has won several blue ribbons on his products.

Through his club activity, Oliver has found his life work; he plans to raise grain and livestock. International Harvester provided his award of a trip to the Club Congress in Chicago.

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Crime doesn't pay—unless you're a television actor.

The U. S. Court has decreed that hamburgers must contain nothing but beef—which means that there will be a sharp drop in the price of oatmeal and bread crumbs.

We still can't believe the story about the three amateur bank robbers who marched out, meekly holding their hands above their heads because they'd heard the staccato of machine gun fire—which turned out to be a woodpecker drilling on a nearby stump.

"AND TYLER, TOO!"

To Bob Considine, columnist, and Frank Fortune of the Washington bureau of the Buffalo Evening News: You say that President Lincoln had to stand the kibitzing of five ex-Presidents, and name William Henry Harrison as one of the five. Harrison served only a few days as President and died twenty years before Lincoln was elected.

According to an editorial in the Sussex Countian, Sussex County is just about as much South as North in sentiment, and many of the old-time residents rather liked the idea of becoming a part of Maryland instead of Delaware. And that sentiment is coming to the fore to some extent today, says the Sussex Countian, because of the increasing centralization of state offices in Wilmington, although Dover is supposed to be the State Capital. We hope Sussex decides to remain in Delaware. Its withdrawal might establish a precedent—Wilmington might then decide to join up with Pennsylvania, and that would leave Kent high and dry—at low tide. Without Wilmington, where would we get our revenue; without Sussex, from what source could we secure our broilers, and strawberries to say nothing of those ambrosial tid-bits, hog jowls and turnip greens?

Euripides, the tragic poet of ancient Greece, said: "A nagging wife is one of the greatest blessings to mankind." Sounds funny, doesn't it—but we have a modern example to prove that Euripides was right.

Charles Goodyear had an idea—a dream. He followed the gleam of that dream, and lost a fortune—but he kept on following it. Reduced to comparative penury, his wife began to nag and scold. Still he kept experimenting, in a small way, but only when his wife was away. One day when she was absent, he started tinkering with some sulphur and some other gooey substance. He heard footsteps on the gravelled walk, the footsteps of his wife, and panic-stricken, he threw the mess into the stove and retreated in a manner closely akin to panic. Mrs. Goodyear entered the room, scarcely sniffed the commingled odor of sulphur and roasting rubber—and left for the beauty shop.

Goodyear returned to the room, opened the stove door—and thus vulcanizing was discovered. All right, girls, go to it—if you haven't already gone.

THE BOLO PUNCH

The above expression was coined by sports writers to describe a prize ring weapon introduced into this country by Cerrino Garcia.

Garcia had come to this country from the Philippines. He was a boxer, a welterweight, and one of the best of his time. His chief weapon was the bolo punch. In the Philippines, they use the bolo, a single-edged machete, in cutting cane, and in cutting cane, you make a wide upward sweep of the arm—and that's what Garcia did in the boxing ring.

The bolo punch is an awesome weapon when it lands—but it seldom lands. A clever boxer can step inside the wild swing and jab or hook your head off.

There's something to be said in behalf of the bolo—and much to be said against it. The bolo puncher is a gambler, a plunger—he risks all in the hope of landing one paralyzing punch. Columbus, Henry Ford, Thomas Edison, Charles Goodyear, and the Wright Brothers were successful bolo punchers—but when you see so many of your fellowmen, greedy and ambitious, taking short cuts and forgetting decency in order to achieve their ends, the failures may be counted in the millions.

There must be some happy medium, but as one equipped with no special talent, one with no facility of expression, we must admit that we do not know the solution. Maybe that solution—or an approach to it—was made by a Negro schoolteacher, who said in a recent speech: "God made man, and God made woman—and if when they discover for what purpose they were made, we're bound to have a wonderful world."

"ET TU" BRUCE!

Bruce Barton used to be a talented writer—now he's a politician, and an advertising man. He still gets his stories into the papers occasionally, but they're so lacking in truth, we're tempted to wonder if they aren't published because Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborne have some rather juicy advertising contracts at their disposal.

He says the Mississippi Valley, properly developed, can produce enough to feed 500,000,000 people. The ability to produce food does not hinge on the fertility of the soil alone—the annual rainfall is just as important, and years ago a group of qualified men made an intensive study of this problem. Their decision was that the annual rainfall in the United States would produce enough food to sustain 300,000,000.

Obviously a pipe dream is Barton's story of Kentucky. He was going through the state on horseback, so he says, and was invited to speak from a pulpit in the backwoods. Do people in the Kentucky backwoods make it a habit to accost every stray rider and ask him to speak from the pulpit? Not on your life—they maintain a tight-lipped silence and place another guard at the moonshine still. Barton said there were one hundred men and women to listen to his speech, and not one of them had ever been five miles

from home. There isn't in all the backwoods of Kentucky one woman who hasn't gone more than twenty-five miles to attend a "brush arbor" revival meeting—and there isn't a single Kentucky backwoodsman who hasn't followed his foxhounds over countless counties, and across state lines, all the way from Turkey Knob to the riotous, brawling mountain crick named "Hell for Sartin."

Barton said he told them of the big buildings in New York, and they thought he was lying. Shrewd, discriminative people, those backwoods Kentuckians—and pretty good judges of human nature.

THE JOBS SOUGHT THIS MAN

Right-thinking men and women say that the office should seek the man—but that doesn't happen many times. However, we knew a man in another field than politics of whom it could be said that the jobs, not one job, sought him.

We used to see Dr William H. Lemmel almost weekly at the Wilmington Rotary Club. We heard many good things about him, and later we had reason to be very grateful to him for the generous support he gave us in a thankless job we held.

Bill Lemmel was born in the tiny hill hamlet of Hope, Mo. He graduated from the Southeast Missouri Teachers College at Cape Girardeau, and his first teaching job was at Ellsnore, Mo. He may have sought that first job—but we're pretty sure he didn't have to seek another one during his distinguished career—the jobs sought him.

He was superintendent of other school in cities in Missouri, Iowa, and Illinois. The Quincy, Ill., experience serves to stress the measure of the man. The teachers were fighting each other. Cliques and factions throttled progress and when Fred Naeter, veteran publisher of the Daily Southeast Missourian at Cape Girardeau, was visiting in Quincy, he was approached by some of the citizens. "We've heard so much about Dr. Lemmel," their spokesman said, "and we'd like to have him here—but it seems that so many cities want him. Wonder if he would be interested?"

"I do not know," replied Naeter, "but one thing I do know—if Bill Lemmel does come here, he will run the school—make no mistake about that. The most powerful political leader in Illinois, the wealthiest man in the world, will have no more influence than the poorest man in the state with him—but he will make your school."

Dr. Lemmel was persuaded to come to Quincy. He settled the teacher trouble—by firing all of them and hiring teachers of his own selection. There was a howl from the discharged teachers and their friends, but if Dr. Lemmel heard the noise, he ignored it. Quincy's educational system became outstanding.

From Highland Park, Mich., to Wilmington, to Baltimore, Dr. Lemmel's work was outstanding. When Baltimoreans came to Wilmington to try to persuade him to head the schools of their city, he told them he was not familiar with conditions in Baltimore and advised them to hire a local man. "We do not want a local man," they informed him, "we want you."

Baltimore's educational system went forward by leaps and bounds during Dr. Lemmel's regime.

While addressing the Maryland legislature at Annapolis last week, pleading for decent wages for the teachers, Bill Lemmel was stricken, and died a few minutes later—died in the line of duty while pleading for justice for others.

Brownsville

Mrs. Mable Bullock has returned home from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. William Seeders. Mrs. Bullock is not well at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Groves and family of near Church Hill, Md., Sunday afternoon.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Brownsville charge will night, Feb. 6. Please attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins spent Wednesday in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cox and family visited friends in Collingswood, N. J., Sunday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Anthony on Thursday were Mrs. Anna Lofland and daughter, Maude, and Mrs. Ainsworth Abbott, all of Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bullock and sons spent Saturday evening at home. In Union Church Friday in Milford with Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. William McFadden of Dover.

The Andrewsville group of the Farm Bureau will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parker on Wednesday, February 11. All members are urged to attend as these meetings are important.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown on Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Price, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Weld, in, of Wilmington; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brown and son, Aubrey, Mrs. J. W. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Brown, Lee and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coverdale, son, David, Louis Brown, Betty Cannon and Michael Timko.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cornish on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Larimore and son, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Camper and family.

BIRTHS AT MILFORD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Effinger, Frederica, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hood, Milford, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rogers, Georgetown, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dent, Jr., Milford, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Wharton, Wyoming, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Landon, Laurel, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Truitt, Laurel, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berry, Dover, boy.

Gardner is a graduate of the Westminster Choir College and Yale University receiving degrees from both institutions. He has done further study with Alexander McCurdy and Claire Coci in New York. Mr. Gardner has been heard in numerous recital programs throughout New England, and has played some of the outstanding instruments in Europe. As well as being a profound organist, Mr. Gardner is an accomplished cellist conductor and composer. At present he is studying with Paul Hindsmith, is conductor of the Norwalk Chamber Ensemble, and organist at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Norwalk, Conn.

On his program in Dover, Mr. Gardner will be assisted by Louise Stanley. Mrs. Stanley is an outstanding artist in her own right, having begun her career as a pianist and appearing throughout Europe and the United States. After establishing herself in the world of music she was encouraged to develop her naturally beautiful voice, which she has done to great advantage. She has appeared in several recitals and concerts for voice in and around New York City.

The concert in Dover is sponsored by the Music Department and the Concert Lecture Committee of Wesley Junior College and is open to the public with no admission charge.

Burrsville

Mrs. Claude Geisel, Mrs. Paul Geisel and little son called on Mrs. John Mowbray and family Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Phillips and sons of Rock Hall, Md., called on Mrs. Grace Willis one evening last week.

Rev. Omro Todd entertained some pastor friends at a steak dinner at the parsonage Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Henry Stafford is suffering from a cold and neuritis.

Several from here attended a shower in honor of Kennard Blades and Miss Kitty Chance in Easton Saturday evening. The wedding will take place this Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Mowbray and family entertained the following at dinner on Sunday in honor of their son, George, who was returning to duty in the U. S. Navy, on Sunday evening: Rev. and Mrs. Horseman, of Greensboro; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mowbray and family, James Mowbray, Mrs. Mary Griffith, Miss Alice Haas, Mrs. Claude Geisel, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Geisel and son, all of near Denton; Alfred Billbrough, of Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nichols of near Greensboro, Miss Grace Wil-

lis and Mrs. Gertrude Kelley spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bishop and family, of Wilmington.

Mrs. George Cain of Harrington spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Grace Willis.

Mrs. Harry Porter and Mrs. Amanda Fountain shopped in Dover one day last week.

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KENT HOME DOINGS

By Charlotte L. Swanson, Kent County Home Demonstration Agent



A Trip to U. N.

We are almost on our way! The Kent County Home Demonstration Clubs are planning their trip to the United Nations in New York. The date which has been set is Tuesday, April 14, but I will need to know by Feb. 20 who is planning to go.

Mrs. Paul Zartman, Mrs. William Sterling and Mrs. Claude Outten, all from Dover, make up the committee which is making arrangements. We had a meeting in my office on Jan. 23. There we made tentative plans—some details about it are in the February newsletter, which is sent to all Home Demonstration Club members. The cost for transportation, tours, and meals will be \$10.00. More expensive meals and souvenirs will, of course, make the cost higher.

Yes, this is my last chance to tell you that you will be missing lots if you don't go to the Home Economics programs at Farm and Home Week. The topics are varied and the speakers tops. I'm sure that you will enjoy your day there and come home feeling that you are a better homemaker. Look for other articles in the papers to give more details about the programs. If you have any questions about it, I'll be glad to answer them.

Farm and Home Week, Feb. 9 through 12, Agricultural Hall, University of Delaware, Newark. Plan now to go with your friends and neighbors.

WHAT QUESTIONS DO TEEN-AGERS ASK?

If mothers wonder what and why teen-agers write to magazines for advice, they'll have a chance to find out at the University of Delaware Farm and Home Week. Miss Twyla Pifer, who is "Polly" of "Up in Polly's Room" of the Farm Journal magazine, will talk on "What Your Daughters Tell Me", Wednesday, Feb. 11, at 11 a. m.

"Mothers, I'm on your side, and I'm trying to do the same thing you are—helping your daughters grow into poised, well-adjusted young ladies," says Miss Pifer. "Whenever I can, I guide them back to their mothers as the best friend and helper they'll ever have."

Mothers of boys should be interested, too, for "Polly" says that dozens of letters are about boy-girl, or dating problems. She also says that "—so many of the boy-girl problems have a family angle. Like 'Dad won't let me date until I'm 17.' Or 'My folks forbid me to go with a certain boy because he's poor.' Sometimes it's 'Mom looks so messy when my boy friend comes for me.'"

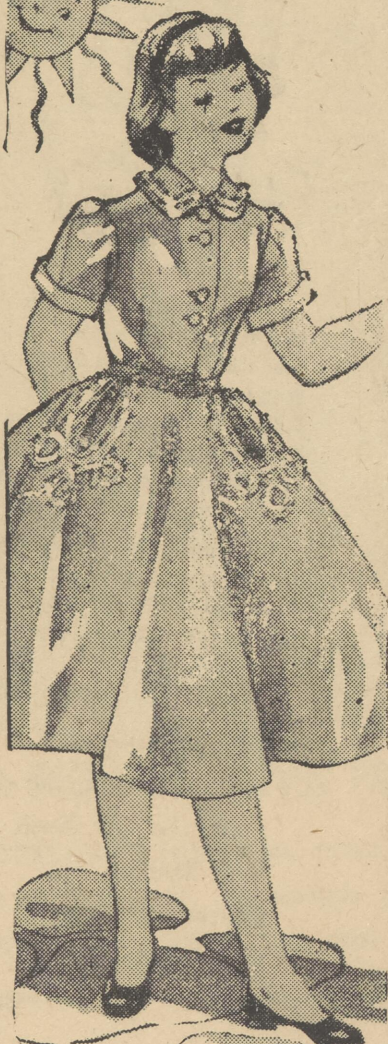
Miss Pifer was a farm teenager herself not long ago. She was active in 4-H Clubs, Grange, Farm Bureau, Youth Council, and school organizations. Before coming to the Farm Journal, she worked on a newspaper, working closely with rural young peoples' activities.

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Greenwood

Mrs. Moris Meredith and daughter, Debbie, of Newark returned home on Saturday after spending two weeks with Mrs. H. E. Mills and daughter, Kathryn.

Miss Grace Porter, of Media, Pa., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Porter. Their Sunday dinner guest was Mrs. S. S. Wroten. Callers were the Misses Helen and Gertrude Tatman of Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Groves, of Wilmington, were Sunday guests of Mrs. W. A. Long and daughter, Florence.

Miss Lida Lynch has returned to her home in Wilmington after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lynch and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lynch.

Miss Barbara Humphrey, of Wilmington, was a weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Humphries.

The Ladies Aid of St. Johnstown Church will meet with Mrs. E. Brassure on Friday evening, Feb. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lyons report a fine time during their two-week stay in Florida. They made the trip there and back by plane and visited many points of interest in Daytona Beach, Coral Gables, St. Augustine, Miami, and Vero Beach.

They also visited Cypress Gardens, and returned home on Monday night and were dinner guests of the Robert Jesters on Wednesday evening.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. Frank Dennis had as guests last week Mrs. Helen Walker and Mrs. Clara Ford of Kenton, a former charge of Rev. Dennis.

The Willing Workers Church School Class of Grace Church will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Graham on next Wednesday evening, Feb. 11.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

CAROLINE COUNTY

Thomas Bryant Madison, 20;

Ruby Earl Graham, 19, both of Federalsburg.

Everett M. Snellgrove, 22,

Waynesboro, Miss.; Helen Margaret Knowles, 25, Dover.

Edwin Alexander Mickie, 25;

Vivian Doris Patterson, 18, both of Philadelphia.

Hollis Marvel Warren, 36; Anna Mae Thompson, 25, both of Wyoming.

George L. Webb, 66; Lydia Mae Passwaters, 48, both of Milford.

Charles Richmond Baker, 22, San Francisco, Cal.; Joan Henrietta Collins, 21, Dover.

Robert H. Bobo, 39; Barbara Ann Fox, 16, Wyoming.

Woodrow Wilson Mason, 41; Oda Marie Bobo, 33, both of Wyoming.

Alton Lee Hastings, 22, Laurel; Gladys Virginia Hall, 28, Blades.

Felton Soldier Makes Corporal

Howard Hicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee G. Hicks, Felton, was recently promoted to corporal while serving in Korea with the 3rd Infantry Division.

During the winter of 1951, this outfit cracked the Communists' line in the battle of "Bloody Angle," one of the bitterest engagements of that year.

Corporal Hicks arrived in Korea last May and is now assigned as a rifleman with Company C of the 15th Infantry Regiment. He entered the Army in October, 1951, and received basic training at Camp Breckenridge, Ky.

For his first line fighting duty in Korea, he was awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge.

Holy Cross Wins In Play Contest

The fifth annual Radio Play Contest sponsored by the Catholic Youth Organization of Wilmington was held recently in St. Peter's Cathedral auditorium.

First place in the contest was won by the Holy Cross players from Dover with their presentation of "They Never Told Me."

Second place honors went to St. John's CYO of Milford for their rendition of "A Gift of Life or Death."

The cast of the characters in the Milford play consisted of Chris Pierce as the narrator; Dolores Lapetina as Dr. Freeda Loomis; Carol Wolter as the Voice of Conscience; Kay Peterman as Mrs. Harvey; Joanne Dees as Dr. Andrews; Sara Pierce as Rosemary. Sound effects were handled by Hilda Burton and Carol Wolter.

F. Tucker Mulrooney, program

director of the CYO, will present the trophy to the Milford group in St. John's Parish hall on the night of the card party, Feb. 11.

Felton

The theme of the Rev. William Hitchens' sermon Sunday morning was "Impatience." The Junior Choir sang "Onward Christian Soldiers." The stained leaded glass windows of the church were repaired and put in good working condition last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Medford Killen entertained last week on their 8th wedding anniversary with a turkey dinner. About thirty guests were present.

Mrs. Lynn Torbert and Mrs. Russell Torbert spent last Thursday in Wilmington.

Rev. and Mrs. William Hitchens and daughter, Jenny Beth, were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dill.

Miss Elsie Clark and Miss Dorothy Heyd were Wilmington visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Grace Turner was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Warrington and son, Russell, at Bethesda, Md.

Billy Mack entertained the basketball team and cheer leaders after the Caesar Rodney games Tuesday evening. The occasion was Billy's birthday.

Ann Moore, Teddy Hughes, Lewis Harrington, Billy Chambers and Kenneth Richter are home for five days vacation, after mid-year exams, at the University of Delaware, Newark.

Mrs. Archie Dill and Mrs. Harold Cahall were in Wilmington Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Torbert and Mrs. Russell Torbert were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roland and family, of Viola.

Visitors over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Raughley were their son, James E. Raughley and family, of Wyoming; Mr. and Mrs. Ammon Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. Brombley of Wilmington, and Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Schetter and daughter, Al-

ice, and Mrs. Pearl Deggins, of Riverside, N. J.

The February meeting of the W. S. C. S. was held at the Community Hall Monday afternoon. At the business meeting it was voted to give \$5.00 to the March of Dimes. A letter was read from M/S Robert Sherwood thanking the W. S. C. S. for sending him clothing for children in an orphanage in Korea, in which he is interested and helping. The worship service was in charge of Mrs. C. M. Simpler. Refreshments were served by Mrs. C. M. Simpler and the other hostesses of the afternoon, Mrs. L.

P. Keller, Miss Sara Angstadt, Jesse Springer.

The miscellaneous sale to be held in the fire hall this Friday, (Feb. 6), will bring a close to the March of Dimes in this community. Last week Mr. Elmer Poynter, proprietor of the restaurant at the Felton Service Station, turned over to the March of Dimes, \$21.91 the receipts of the sale of coffee sold for one day. The Beginners Class of the Sunday School saved pennies and brought in \$3.20 to help some child walk again. A final report is expected to be given by the March of Dimes committee in next week's paper.

M. and Mrs. J. A. Jester were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Stewart, of Pocomoke City.

Mrs. Lewis Taylor spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. S. D. Carrow, in Greensboro, Md.

Mrs. Laura Minner visited her daughter, Mrs. Franklin Briggs, and family, on Sunday.

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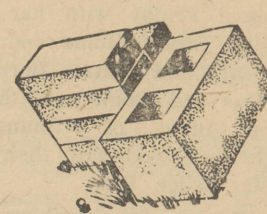
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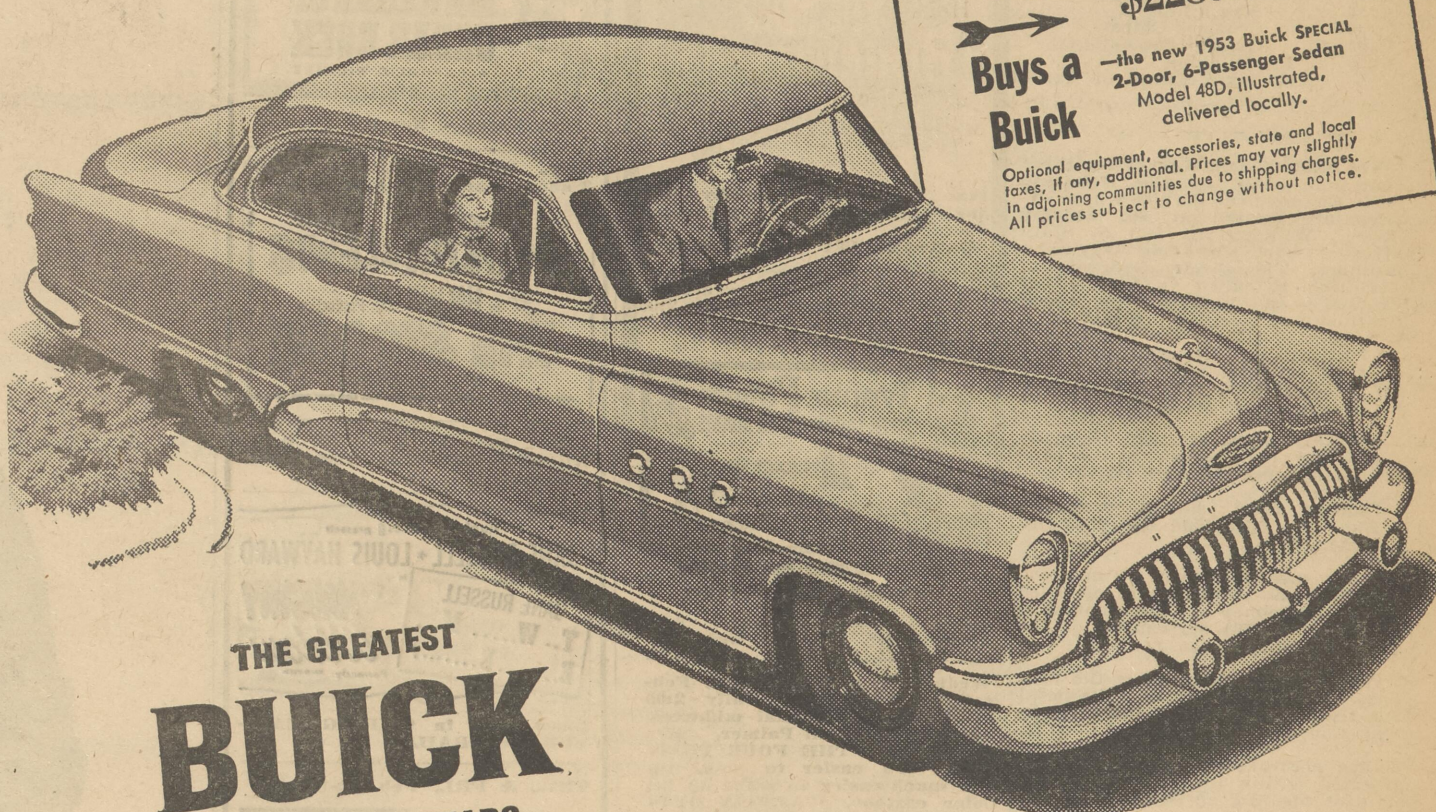
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Of Local Interest

Miss Elizabeth Shaw is spending two months in Florida. Mrs. George Hanson is spending some time with her brother, Charles Wingate, and family, of Mt. Airy, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dean of Federalsburg, Md., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dean Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Gus Derrickson, of Millersville, Pa., spent Sunday with Mrs. Lois Derrickson. Mrs. Derrickson returned with them for a month's visit. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lightcap, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Derrickson. J. C. Messner, who was quite well last week, is back at his desk at the school. Miss Martha Gruwell, of the University of Delaware, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellwood Gruwell. E. A. Koons and son, Jack, of Millersburg, Pa., are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Adams. Mr. and Mrs. W. Scott Powell, of Newark, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Powell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson. Sunday guests of the Wilsons were Mr. and Mrs. John W. Stevens and daughter, Ethel, of Lebanon. Reynolds Ottwell, of Philadelphia, is spending the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Harry Adkins. Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Quillen spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Derrickson at Ocean View. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lynch, of Roxana, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Quillen. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Oliver entertained a group of friends Saturday evening.

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Miss Mary Ellen Thomas and Miss Gladys Wynkoop, of Delaware Hospital, Wilmington, are spending a few days with Miss Thomas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomas. Mrs. Bessie Stevenson, of Newport, spent the week-end with Mrs. Frances Temple. Mrs. R. Harry Quillen has been on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fulk, of Wilmington, entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. John G. Parks, of Harrington: Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Lankford and Mrs. Walters, of Milford; Mr. and Mrs. Parks, and Mrs. Candace Edwards, of Saluda, Va. Mrs. Ernest Dean entertained the Thursday afternoon bridge club.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Denney entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John Lord, of Wilmington; Mrs. Cora Scott, of Milford; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Denney, Mrs. Maude Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McKnatt and Kenna Jo. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nemish have returned from a trip to Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Messick and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wirick visited Mr. and Mrs. Cloid Fry, Jr., Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Hurd, of Greensboro, Md., called on Mr. and Mrs. Cloid Fry, Jr., last week. Mrs. John Bullock, of Dover, spent Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Homewood. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard DuRoss and family and Mrs. Thelma Adams, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Alice Wix.

Robert Wechtenhiser has returned from Philadelphia after attending a 6-week's course in connection with his telephone work. Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Saulsbury, of Laurel, spent Sunday with Mrs. Saulsbury's mother, Mrs. Sarah M. Billings.

Mrs. R. W. Vane spent Friday and Saturday with Mrs. H. B. Hitchens and family and Ridgely Vane, Jr., and family, in Wil-

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