

HUSBAND ACCUSED OF LOCKING IN WIFE, SETTING HOME AFIRE

Alvin W. Thompson, 29, of near Farmington, was arrested Sunday by detectives from State Police Troop 5 at Bridgeville and charged with setting fire to his eight-room home after locking his wife inside.

The fire occurred shortly after 7 p.m. Saturday. The house, which was valued at \$10,000, was termed a total loss.

Mrs. Thompson, who managed to escape through a window, was reported Sunday night to be in fair condition at the Milford Memorial Hospital. She is suffering from shock, inhalation of smoke, and numerous cuts and bruises.

Thompson is free on \$5000 bond set by Magistrate Elmer R. Poynter of Felton and posted by his father, Charles D. Thompson. Police said that the younger Thompson and his wife had been fighting Saturday evening. During the fight, he is reported to have set fire to a bed.

He then knocked his wife across the bed, police said. She told detectives that she momentarily blacked out.

Left With Children

Thompson then left the room, locking or forcing a heavy object against the door. He took his two children, Robert, 5, and Joanne, 3, and left the house.

Mrs. Thompson broke a window and escaped through it. Police said she met her husband outside the house and apparently pleaded with him and he took her to a nearby doctor.

The Farmington Fire Company was the first on the scene and immediately called for assistance from the Harrington and Greenwood Companies.

Mrs. Thompson was taken to the hospital in the ambulance of the Harrington Fire Company. Hospital authorities said she had a bruised face, a very swollen left eye, numerous lacerations, and was suffering from shock and inhalation of smoke. She was not burned in the fire.

Acting State Fire Marshal William Favering investigated the fire with detectives of the Bridgeville State Police troop.

Thompson was arrested and bond was set at \$3,000 on a charge of assault with intent to kill, and \$2,000 on a charge of arson.

The house was owned by Thompson's father. Insurance coverage was \$6,000 with an ad-

Senator Frear Discourses On Small Businesses

United States Senator J. Allen Frear says that Government should encourage the preservation and expansion of small business institutions throughout the nation as means of strengthening the country's economy.

In his weekly statement Mr. Frear called attention to the action recently taken by the Senate Committee on Banking and Currency of which he is a member to increase the loan authority of the Small Business Administration for the remainder of the present fiscal year. The committee raised the agency's authority to lend by some 65-million dollars, from 150-million to 215-million dollars.

The senator explained that since the Small Business Act was passed in 1953, a total of 41 applications for loans from Delaware were filed. The requested amount totaled 2-million, 380-thousand dollars. "Of the total requests," he said, "14 have been approved in the amount of 447-thousand dollars. Three additional loan applications are still pending."

The senator also again called attention to the President's record sized budget and urged that excess revenue be applied to reducing the national debt and encouraging a reduction in Federal taxes.

Every fifth worker in Australia is on the government payroll.

Northern Ireland already has issued 30,342 licenses for TV sets.

Ancient Baghdad, Iraq, will soon ask bids on a modern sewage system.

Cork workers are pressing for higher wages in Portugal, Lisbon learns.

Brazil's airline, Panair do Brasil, will buy four DC7C planes for \$6,900,000.

American engineers may build Ecuador's proposed new port at Guayaquil.

Additional \$2,500 insurance on contents.

The fire gutted the house and the fire marshal said that the small portion left standing would have to be torn down.

Farm and Home Week Speakers



A. JUNE BRICKER

Miss A. June Bricker, director of the home economics bureau of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, New York, will discuss food fads and fallacies as part of the Delaware Farm and Home Week program February 5, 6, and 7 at the University of Delaware.



JUDITH E. O'FLAHERTY

The selection and use of household equipment is the subject Miss Judith O'Flaherty, home service section director, Philadelphia Gas and Electric Company, will talk about at one of the Delaware Farm and Home Week home economics sessions.



MARK E. SINGLEY

Delaware Farm and Home Week speaker Mark E. Singley, agricultural engineer at Rutgers University, will offer information on self-feeding silos. Singley will speak at the livestock-dairy session on February 7.

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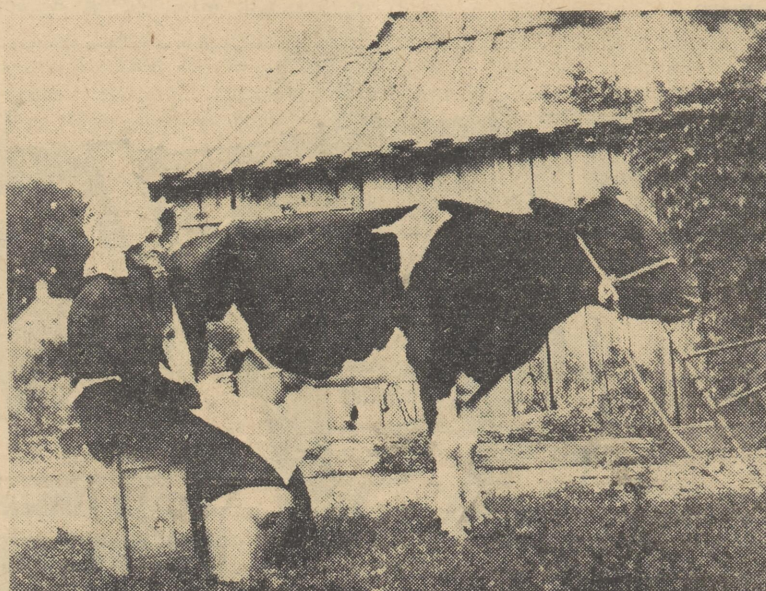
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Immediately following the wedding a reception was held at the VFW Home in Camden.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvel will reside near Rising Sun.

"DO YOU REMEMBER SADE?"



We are indebted to Harry G. Farrow, Sr., for this picture of his grandmother taken in 1912. The view has long been forgotten. The building in the foreground used to stand on the rear of Bert Satterfield's grounds on West and Mechanic Streets. Satterfield says he was standing at the head of the cow, holding the rope at the time the picture was taken. Those were the good old milking days. Everyone of that time remembers his grandmother as Aunt Sade Wyatt.

King Discusses Credit Ratings At C. of C. Meeting

A. J. King, credit controller of Kennard-Pyle, Wilmington, will address the Chamber of Commerce at a dinner meeting at The Wonder R Wed., Feb. 27, at 7 p.m. William H. Talley, president of the Credit Bureau of Wilmington, Inc., will also be present and, with Mr. King, will answer questions after the talk.

The meeting will take the place of one scheduled for Feb. 13, postponed because of unavailability of speakers. Tickets may be obtained from James Rash, Earl Quillen, or Walter Messick, members of the dinner committee.

Asbury Methodist Church Notes

Church School 10 o'clock, Fulton J. Downing, supt. "Our Mission as Disciples" will be the theme of the lesson. The mission of the followers of Jesus has changed little if any since he sent out the first Disciples. If there is any difference, it would be that our's is more urgent than was theirs. If you attend our Church School, we feel sure that you will understand better your responsibility as a Christian.

Morning worship 11 o'clock. This Sunday we begin the broadcast of the morning service, which will continue through the month of February. This Sunday's service will feature the singing of the Men's Chorus with approximately fifty voices. The pastor will preach from the text "Signs of the Kingdom" based on Luke 7:1-23.

The MYF will meet at 6:30 o'clock in Christ Chapel.

Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. The chancel choir will sing as its anthem "O Day of Rest." The pastor's sermon topic will be "What Can I give God?"

The February meeting of the W.S.C.S. will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Collins building. "Whom Shall I Send?" will be the theme of the meeting with Mrs. Fulton J. Downing as the leader and with the Martha Circle as hostess.

If you were not one of the 150 persons who came out last Sunday evening to hear Dr. Robert J. Bull, you missed a wonderful program. He showed slides of his trip through England, Scotland, Holland, Germany, Switzerland, Athens, and Corinth and thence to Palestine. There he

Curbing Set Back By State Highway Dept.

The curbing at Clark and Hanley Streets and at Clark Street and Railroad Avenue, at the east-end side, has been set back by the State Highway Department.

This project, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, will permit wider turns for vehicles coming out of Hanley Street and going into Railroad Avenue from Clark Street. The increased street area, made by the recession of the curbs, will be blacktopped when the weather permits.

Motorist Knocks Out Porch Pillar

The central pilaster of three, supporting a second-story porch extending from the apartment of Della Ryan, at Railroad Avenue and Clark Street, was knocked down early Sunday morning by a motorist who did not stop to pick it up. Miss Ryan said the pillars had suffered before from motorists.

Sweden has boosted liquor taxes.

Jester A. Gray, Democrat, Wins In Senate Race

Jester A. Gray, Frederica Democrat, was the victor in the special election Saturday in the fifth senatorial district of Kent County to fill the vacancy caused by the death of State Senator William C. Paradee (D-Magnolia).

Mr. Gray defeated James E. Jackson, Jr., of near Lynch Heights, by a count of 1,247 to 1,138. The Democratic candidate carried four of the five election districts in the senatorial district in the southeastern corner of Kent County. His plurality was 109 votes.

The election of Mr. Gray leaves the distribution of seats in the Senate at 13 for the Democrats and four for the Republicans.

Voting machines were used for the election Saturday. The voting was light in comparison with the number of persons who took part in the voting last November in the same five election districts.

At that time, there was no Senate seat to be filled in the district, but the number of persons who voted for members of the State House of Representatives numbered 3,777. Saturday the total voting was 2,385—less than two-thirds of the November total.

The Fifth Senatorial District comprises the Eighth and Tenth Representative Districts of Kent County.

In the November election, the combined vote for the two representative candidates of each party was 1,993 for the Democrats and 1,884 for the Republicans, resulting in the election of the Republican candidate by 74 votes in the Eighth District and the Democratic candidates by 83 votes in the Tenth.

In the election for senator Saturday the votes by districts was as follows, in the five election districts of the two representative districts:

Gray	235	197
1st of Eighth	403	344
2nd of Eighth	306	237
1st of Tenth	145	225
2nd of Tenth	158	135
3rd of Tenth	1247	1138
Plurality	109	

W.S.C.S. Notes

The W.S.C.S. of the Asbury Methodist Church will meet Tuesday evening, at 7:30. The leader for the evening will be Mrs. Fulton J. Downing. Her program will be entitled "Whom Shall I Send?"

This is an important meeting and all members are urged to attend. The chicken and dumpling supper and the World Day of Prayer will be discussed.

The members of the Rebekah Circle will serve as hostess that evening.

The annual Friendship Banquet is being held at the Fire house Feb. 18, starting at 7, sponsored by the B.P.W. Organization. All club members may obtain their tickets from Lion J. Edward Taylor at \$2 each.

Feb. 5, at the Grace Methodist Church Hall, Market Street, Georgetown, there will be a Lewes-Cape May Ferry dinner, to be held at 6:30. The price of the tickets is \$2.50 each; the ladies are invited. Such distinguished guests as governors from New Jersey, Delaware, along with senators, representatives, members from the Highway Commission, mayors, Lions Clubs, Kiwanis Clubs, Rotary Clubs and members of the Chamber of Commerce, will be present.

Our club was entertained by a representative from the Safety Division of the Delaware State Highway Commission, Monday evening at the Wonder R, who gave a very interesting talk on the many developments and improvements made on our highway in the state during the past years.

A donation of \$100 was given to the Harrington Retarded Children School Fund to help carry on its very worthy cause.

Don't forget, that you may obtain a hospital bed or wheel chair from the Harrington Lions Club, by contacting any member of that committee, Lion William Outten, Arnold Gilstad or Howard Dill.

Nicaragua has found promising deposits of iron, copper, antimony, gypsum and marble.

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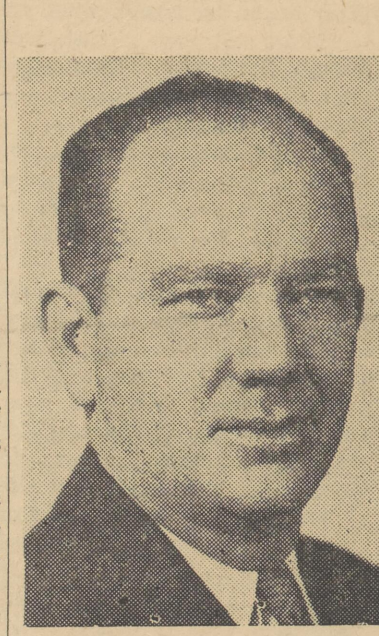
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T. B. HOLLOWAY ELECTED MEMBER TROTTER ASS'N. BOARD



T. Brinton Holloway

For the first time in the history of the United States Trotting Association, a Delawarean became a member of its board of directors at an election at the Hotel DuPont in Wilmington Saturday afternoon.

Man Is Killed As Car Rams Rear Of Truck

Delaware's 1957 highway toll rose to seven over the weekend with the death of a 23-year-old Marcus Hook, Pa., man, whose body had to be removed from the wreckage of an automobile with crew bars.

Hugh P. Cooke was identified by state police as the victim in the fatal accident in Delaware. It took place in the southbound lane of Route 13 about one mile south of Farmington at 9:35 p.m. Saturday.

Police say Cooke's older brother, Nathaniel, 25, fell asleep at the wheel of the automobile and it struck the rear of a tractor trailer moving in the same direction.

The car hit the truck on an angle with its right front jammed against the rear axle of the larger vehicle. The younger Cooke's body was so entangled with shredded steel and the mangled exterior of the car that the truck driver, Thomas G. Cox, 39, of Palmetto, Fla., used a crew bar to free the victim.

Nathaniel Cooke suffered a fractured arm and leg and was reported in "fair" condition at the Milford Memorial Hospital early this morning. The truck driver was not injured.

DOROTHY MESSICK WINS BETTY CROCKER CONTEST

Dorothy Messick, a senior in Harrington High School is the Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow in Harrington.

She received the highest score in a written examination on homemaking knowledge and attitudes, administered Dec. 4, to senior girls in the graduating class. Her examination paper will be entered in competition to name this state's candidate for the title of All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow and will also be considered for the runner-up award in the state. For her achievement, she will receive an award pin designed by Trifari of New York.

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FIRE IN HOME NEAR FELTON KILLS BABY GIRL

A kerosene heater exploded in the bedroom of a 14-month-old girl near Felton Monday night, starting a fire that killed the child and burned the two-story frame house to the ground. Nine others in the house escaped.

The dead child is Debora Theresa Ford, who was living with her mother at the home of Mrs. Ford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson on Berrytown Road, about two miles northwest of Felton.

The child's father, Christopher, 21, is in the Navy, stationed at Norfolk, Va.

State police said members of the family were in the kitchen of the house at about 9:15 p. m., when Mr. Thompson sent his son, Allen, 14, to check the stove which had been left burning in the bedroom. When the youth opened the bedroom door, the whole room seemed to erupt in flames, he told police.

As he shouted to "come quick," his older brother, William, 21, dashed from the kitchen to help. William made his way into the room but was unable to reach his niece.

Mr. Thompson, who also responded to the frantic calls, was also beaten back when he attempted to enter the room from another door.

With the doors of the bedroom open, the flames flared out of the room and quickly set fire to adjoining rooms. It was then that Mr. Thompson and William started hurrying the others out of the house.

Firemen of the Felton Fire Company were notified and although they managed to reach the scene about 10 minutes later, the entire two-story home was in flames when they arrived.

The firemen battled the fire for more than two hours before

Alumni Invited To Use New Field House

Alumni of Harrington schools are invited to use the Field House at 7:30 p.m. every Thursday to participate in several forms of recreation.

Among the offerings will be an exercise program, volleyball, weight training, basketball, shuffleboard, rope climbing, and wrestling. It is hoped that traveling rings will soon be installed for those who like their exercise in the air.

The program will be under the direction of Coach Dave Snow.

Nicaragua will provide more credit for employers who depend mostly on manual labor.

Gold darts worth \$420, for use in dart games, were displayed at a British Industries Fair.

The embers had cooled enough for firemen to enter to bring out the child.

Roland P. Trader, coroner for Kent County, said the child died of third degree burns. The body was taken to the Trader Funeral Home at Dover.

State police said everything in the house was destroyed. Fire Chief Wilbert Sherwood of the Felton company estimated the damages at between \$8,000 and \$10,000.

Police said the family was left with nothing except the clothes they wore. All were taken in by friends and relatives.

Those in the house at the time included the baby's mother, Doretta Ford, 19; her grandparents, Harry and Gladys Thompson, and the Thompson children, Jane, 15; Doris, 11; Allen and William.

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Harrington High School To Play Football Next Year

Football will be played by Harrington High School this fall, for the first time in its history, Coach Dave Snow said Tuesday night. The game will supplant soccer which has been played here several decades.

In football, Harrington will participate only in junior-varsity competition because most players are unfamiliar with the game. The JV team will play also in 1958, but, Coach Snow, said, it is possible that a varsity team will take the field in 1958, and that it is a certainty for 1959.

The Board of Education met Monday night to look over football equipment. Coach Snow said the broad would get the best

equipment money could buy.

About 400 seats are available for the games, with more to come. Games will be played on a field in the center of the track at the north end of the schoolgrounds.

Mr. Snow will be head coach, and Harold J. McDonald will be line coach.

The Varsity games will probably be played at night.

The JV schedule is as follows: Oct. 7—Lewes here; Oct. 14—Bridgeville here; Oct. 21, at Caesar Rodney; Oct. 28—Caesar Rodney here; Nov. 4— at Seaford, and Nov. 11—at Milford. The Milford game will be played at night; the other games, at 3:30 p.m.

Of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clukey and Mr. and Mrs. Austine Galentine attended the Horseman's Banquet held at the DuPont Hotel in Wilmington Saturday evening.

Joseph Kling has been discharged from the Delaware State Hospital and is now home with his wife and children.

Mrs. Robert E. Green and daughter Carol Lee of Milford visited Mrs. Frieda Eberhard and sister last Tuesday.

Mrs. Carmella Trotta boarded a plane at Washington Friday to fly to Florida to join her husband who left earlier in the week. She was accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lorraine Girardi of Federalsburg.

Carol and David Gannon spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boil of Queen Anne, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Ie Smith of Blackwood, N. J. visited Mrs. Frieda Eberhard and sister Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Geiter and family of Kinston, N. Carolina were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Coady and children.

George Slater, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Slater left last Thursday for Fort Jackson, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Case and daughter Karen of Wilmington and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Laughery were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gannon and sons, Joe and Steve, spent the weekend in Baltimore, Md., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wheelahan.

Britain is short of pharmacists.

Harrington School News

Mrs. Dolby

Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday we had mid year examinations. We reviewed for them. Our school day began at 8:30 and ended at 12. We have been studying about the Pan American Union in social studies.

Grade 10 Home Economics Class The 10th grade Home Economics class is going to have Home Nursing, for the next six weeks, with Mrs. Farrow, the school nurse.

Commercial Club Dance A large crowd attended the Mid-Term Hop Friday evening and everyone had a fine time. Chaperones were Mrs. Walter Messick, Mrs. Peggy Malek, and Mrs. Benjamin Hughes. Mr. McDonald was the sponsor. The Commercial Club, one of the schools smallest, demonstrated what a small group of cooperative workers can do—all six of them—Dorothy Messick, Freda Kemp, Betty Moore, Lena Voss, Mable Carpenter, and Joyce Porter.

GRADE 2—Mrs. Brown Our first semester of school is over. We can look back and see how much we have learned since we started to school last September.

We enjoy spelling. It is lots of fun when we have a spelling match.

Part of us have finished our first basic reader and work book. We have 16 girls and 10 boys in our room.

GRADE 4—Mrs. Quillen Mrs. Quillen's fourth grade has had on display in their room: a spinning wheel for flax and a reel for measuring the yarn. They were brought in by Sharon Walls. Fred Parker brought an old iron. Mrs. Quillen also brought in a handmade dasher for a butter churn. This collection was in connection with our reading of pioneer life in our reader "Singing Wheels."

Also along with our reading we made some butter. Fred Parker brought in the cream for us to use. We churned it by passing it around the room in a jar and letting each child have a turn shaking it. After the butter was washed and salted, we enjoyed it on crackers.

We are now working on supplying a first aid box in our room. Artie Taylor has brought in an unusual lunchbox to be supplied. We are doing this so we will be ready for any emergency such as an air-raid and etc.

Library Through the kindness of Mrs. J. Edward Taylor the library has received a gift called Harrington Public Schools in 1898.

This bulletin lists the names of the members of the board of education and all teachers. It covers the course of study and rules and regulations for the school system. It was printed by Hegeman Printers of Harrington.

The preface gives the purpose of publishing the bulletin. There were eleven grades. The regulations cover the school year, school hours, admission of pupils, regulation of principal and teachers, regulation of pupils, duties of janitor, promotions, and commencement.

The courses of study and text books used are given for each

grade. The members of the board of education were W. H. Franklin, W. B. Turner, Albert Harrington, William Shaw, G. L. Baird, B. L. Lewis, O. T. Franklin, J. W. Powell and N. F. Raughley. The teachers were Prof. W. L. Cooling, E. F. Webb, Miss Nellie Hanson, Miss Viola Hubbard, Miss Jennie McCleary, and Miss Jennie Rickards.

SPORTS

Fri., Jan. 18 the girls varsity team made an unsuccessful trip to Felton. It was a fast game leaving Harrington behind 69-44. High scorers for Harrington were Mary E. Harrington with 13 points and Barbara Edwards and Freda Kemp with 12 points each. High scorer for Felton was Betty Jo Walters with 34 points.

Tues., Jan. 22, Harrington met Bridgeville for their second game of the season. It was a hard fought game, but still left Harrington behind with the score standing, Bridgeville 56, and Harrington 48. High scorer for Bridgeville was Anderson with 31 points. High scorers for Harrington were Barbara Edwards with 18 points, Mary E. Harrington with 13 points, and Bonnie Satterfield with 12 points.

There will be a game at Lewis on the 29th. On the first of February Milton will play here, with the game starting at 3:30 in the field house.

At 3:30, Feb. 6 the Harrington faculty will have a basketball game. There will be no admission charged. All donations from 1 to 10c will go to the March of Dimes. Officials will be Barbara Edwards and Elliott Darby. Results will be printed next week.

Senior Personality Phyllis Irene Curtis better known to her classmates as Phyl, is the daughter of Mrs. Hazel Curtis of Lincoln, and Albert Curtis of Harrington.

Phyl is taking the commercial course and likes all her subjects. She is now president of Student Council, secretary of F.H.A. and treasurer of Senior class. Phyl plays guard on the basketball team.

She likes sport clothes. Her future plans are to be a receptionist.

Ronald Vaughn Link is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel V. Link, of Felton. Ronald is better known as Ronnie to his classmates. He is taking the vocational course.

Ronnie is very active in sports, he plays on the basketball team and is pitcher in baseball.

Ronnie's hobby is working on cars. His future plans are to combine farming and stock car driving.

Girl Scout News

Intermediate Girl Scout Troop 143, Patrol 1, under the leadership of Mrs. Kenneth McKnatt, held an election of officers as follows: president, Kenna Jo McKnatt; vice-president, Barbara Spicer, secretary, Charlotte Rapp; treasurer, Carol Ann Moore; corresponding secretary, Darlene Hutchins, and sergeant-at-arms, Sandra Tatman.

Monday, the girls visited the split-level home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Peck in connection with their interior decorating badge.

Saturday afternoon the group went skating in Dover.

Hobbs

Mrs. Dawson Fountain very pleasantly entertained our W.S. C.S. Wednesday afternoon. After business transactions, the hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. Walter Calloway is on the sick list. Lorraine Harris, Denton, spent Sunday with Ann Butler. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lord and daughter, Sheila, of Baltimore, were last weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Maloney and family.

L. Hopkins Thomas and Tommy Lee, Easton, were Saturday evening dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fisher, Federalsburg, called on Mr. and Mrs. Roland Towers one evening last week.

Mrs. Clara Stafford has been nursing Mrs. Wilbur Breeding of Ridgely.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lord were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Maloney and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Thomas were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Richards and Mrs. B. B. Allen, Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Towers and family visited Federalsburg relatives last Sunday.

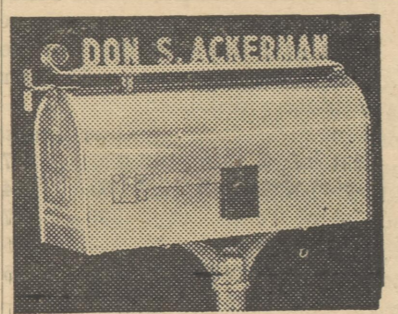
MRS. ELMER O'DAY

Mrs. Dorothy R. O'Day, 41, wife of Elmer L. O'Day, of Felton, died at University of Pennsylvania Hospital in Philadelphia Sunday.

She was born in Delaware. Mrs. O'Day was a member of the Felton Methodist Church, the Women's Society of Christian Service, the Avon Club, the Parent Teachers Association, the Ladies Auxillary of the Felton Fire Company, and was a leader of Felton-Paradise 4-H Club.

Surviving besides her husband are two sons, Elmer, Jr., a senior at Felton High School, and William, 7th grade; a sister, Mrs. Mary Johnson of Bear; her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Raughley of Odessa.

Services were held at the Berry Funeral Home, Felton, at



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2 p.m. Thursday, the Rev. Larry Renner, pastor of the Felton Methodist Church, officiated. Burial was in Barratt's Chapel Cemetery, near Frederica. A team of German zoologists, from Hamburg University, is in India to collect zoological, entomological and piscicultural specimens.

Hickman

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trice and family were recent guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fisher of Wilmington.

Mrs. Lina Harrington was last Wednesday dinner guest of Mrs. Sallie Wrotten.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Breeding

and Jeanene Bryant of Boothwyn, Pa., visited the latter's grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Breeding.

Mrs. Lina Harrington spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Noble.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul van Dyke and daughter, Sarah, of Denton, were Sunday dinner guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs.

William Croll. Mrs. William Tull and children of Bridgeville were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Breeding.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Lillie Hignutt in the loss of her husband, Willie Hignutt, who passed away on Saturday morning.

Our community extends their

heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family and friends of Newton Drummond, who passed away Jan. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lankford of Farmington announces the birth of a son born at the Milford Memorial Hospital last week. Mrs. Lankford will be remembered at the Lois Dingeldine, daughter of Mrs. Paul Breeding.



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Needlecraft News

by Nancy Bancroft

A fairy tale has come to life with the development of man-made "miracle" fibers. Like the many wise leprechauns that favor Irish folklore, these fibers reveal a hoard of wardrobe treasures. They promise your clothes good luck, good looks, a happy future and a long life. They free you from the drudgery of laborious washing or costly cleaning bills, and make you feel as carefree as Cinderella after her fortunate encounter with the magic wand.



Recently in lukewarm water, rinsed thoroughly and dried out of the sunlight.

THRILLING YARNS

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The crocheted dress is a favorite with every woman who owns one because of its constant good looks. This style was made of obedient orlon yarn that answers the demand for a fashionable and well-groomed appearance on every occasion. The elegant look is achieved by the lacy inserts worked in bands down the slim skirt and around the neckline. Think ahead to Spring with this dress. You will want to start on it now. Full crocheting instructions in sizes 12 to 14 are available to you. For a copy, simply send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Needlework Department of this paper. Ask for **CROCHETED DRESS**, Leaflet No. C-248.

Soil Bank's '57 Corn Acreage Reserve Sign-up Underway

Agreements signed under the Soil Bank's '57 corn acreage reserve program will be made on a first come, first served basis, George C. Simpson, chairman of the State Stabilization and Conservation Committee, reminds farmers.

Allocations of funds for payments under commodity acreage reserve programs for Delaware are corn, \$673,000, and wheat, \$54,000. Acreage reserve payments will be in the form of negotiable certificates, redeemable in cash.

Producers on farms having corn acreage allotments are eligible to take part in the 1957 corn acreage reserve program by reducing corn acreage below the farm allotment—unless the allotment is a new farm allotment for 1957.

Payments will be divided among landlords, tenants, and sharecroppers according to the contributions each makes to the production of corn that would have been produced on the diverted acreage, and on the basis on which they would have shared in the corn profit.

The amount of payment, Simpson explains, will be figured on an individual farm per-acre rate, based on the average county dollars—and cents rate of corn per acre. Farm rates per acre will vary, up or down from the county rate, according to the productivity of the land and the farming methods used.

Chairman Simpson says farmers taking part in the corn acreage reserve program must reduce their corn acreage below the farm allotment, and they must also comply with any other crop allotment established for their farms. He emphasizes, however, that taking part in the acreage reserve program will not affect the establishment of future allotments for the farm.

Producers have until March 8 to sign agreements to take part in the corn acreage reserve program. When the agreement is signed, the farmer may put up to the maximum number of acres in the program, but in no case may this maximum exceed the acreage allotment.

The maximum for corn is 20 acres or 30 percent of the allotment, whichever is larger. Should the farmer wish to put a larger acreage in the program, he should indicate this when the original agreement is signed. The additional acres will be accepted if the necessary funds are available after the program sign-up ends.

FARM AND HOME FACTS

Delaware farmers in 1956 sent 6,017 soil samples to the soil testing laboratory at the University of Delaware. This is an increase of 1,517 over the 4,500 samples sent in 1955. Farmers sent 2,000 samples in 1951.

Try placing tissue paper under sheer or tightly woven fabrics, if they tend to pucker during stitching.

Cutting down on brooder house ventilation or keeping the house cooler than it should be to lower fuel costs is poor economy. Chicks are more apt to get respiratory disease this way.

On jersey use a fine needle, medium length stitch, and slightly loose tension. This gives elasticity to the seams and helps prevent broken threads and puckering along the seam line.

Suitable Fabrics for Children's Clothing Can Reduce Care Problems

Wise selection of fabrics and trimmings for children's clothing can save mothers hours of ironing. And many new minimum-care fabrics have recently been put on the market.

By checking the fabric label before making a purchase you've taken the first step to getting this better clothing, suggests Miss Lois Korslund, extension clothing specialist at the University of Delaware. Always buy a good quality fabric for children's clothes. Look for pre-shrunk materials that are washable and colorfast. Closely woven materials are best for long wear and soft textures provide comfort.

Smooth finishes launder well, give long wear, and do not collect dirt as readily as rough finishes. Also look for special finishes that make fabric wrinkle-resistant or blends of cotton with man-made fibers that require only a minimum of ironing.

Ironing time can be cut about in half if you choose clothing simply constructed. Well designed clothing for children is simple, comfortable and functional. Lightweight, flexible fabrics rather than those that are heavy or stiff, are less tiring to a child.

Children like color, so choose gay but no harsh or gaudy colors. Prints with colored backgrounds or all-over patterns do not show dirt or wrinkles as readily as material with widely spaced patterns or white background. Prints, plaids, stripes, and checks should be small and in scale with the child's size.

All trimmings on a garment should be as washable as the garment itself, reminds Miss Korslund. Avoid non-washable ribbons and edgings. Pearl buttons, zippers, and grippers are good.

Children's clothes do not take a large amount of fabric, so remnants are a good source of fabric supply.

The greatest accident-prevention device in the world is—you according to the U.S. Department of Labor.

By 1960 Japan's production will be three times the prewar figure, the Ministry of International Trade and Industry predicted in Tokyo.

Trinity Methodist Church Notes

Trinity is host to Methodist churches of Harrington, Milford, Lincoln, Greenwood, Millwood, Houston, Bridgeville and Farmington, in a "Christian Workers' School" which meets for the first time tonight at 7:30, and also Saturday at 7:30, but Sunday at 2:30. Teachers are Rev. William Hitchens of Clayton; Rev. George Goodley of Denton, Md.; Miss Jean Middleton, of Laurel; and Mrs. H. G. Bethards of Wilmington. They offer four courses: Church Administration, i.e., Church School improvement; Teaching Intermediates, Teaching Juniors, and the Church Plans for Primary Children. All who are interested in a better Sunday School are invited to enroll. Dean of the School is Rev. A. Jason Blundon of Bridgeville.

Sunday, the service of the church to the community begins with Sunday School, Randall Knox, Jr., supt. Then follows morning worship at 11 (S.S. at 9:45); the anthem, "Lord, with Glowing Heart" by Peery; and sermon, "O Sleeper, Arise."

In the evening, the Methodist Youth Fellowship meets at 6:30 Mrs. Harry Darby sponsor. Leader is to be Edward Wilcox; subject, a filmstrip on marriage. The evening service follows at 7:30-8:15, with hymn singing and talk by the pastor on the hymn "Almost Persuaded."

Monday, the Loyal Workers' class meets in the church at 7:30. Mrs. Harry Boyer is president of this group. Monday morning also the regular weekly prayer meeting of the W.S.C.S. assembles in the church

and is led by Mrs. John Walls. Tuesday evening, the W.S.C.S. meets for its regular monthly business session at the church. Thursday choir rehearsal: Junior 6:45; Vesper 7:15, and Senior 8.

Flowers for Sunday are the gift of Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson. The O.U.R. class members will give church flowers for February. For January the members of the Loyal Workers' Class gave them, for the last Sunday in January being the gift of Mrs. Zella Hopkins.

Armed Forces

Pfc. Louis Dexter, whose wife, Marian, lives at 57 Church St., Bridgeville, is a member of the 25th Infantry Division in Hawaii.

A driver in Company B of the division's 27th Regiment, Dexter entered the Army in January 1956 and was last stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Dexter, son of Mrs. Alphia Dixon, 104 S. W. Fifth St., Belle Glade, Fla., attended Everglades Vocational High School, Belle Glade.

Army Pfc. Roland L. Rogers, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Rogers, Greenwood, is assigned to the 11th Airborne Division in Germany.

Rogers, who arrived overseas last March, is an ammunition bearer in Support Company of the division's 188th Regiment.

The former Greenwood High School student entered the Army in August 1955 and completed basic training at Ft. Jackson, S.C.

Buses on 75 routes in central London now carry posters showing places of interest served by the route.

GOV. BOGGS EXPECTED TO PRESENT TEN TON TOMATO AWARDS

Delaware's 1956 Ten Ton Tomato club winners will be named and receive awards Feb. 7 during Farm and Home Week at the University of Delaware, reports R. F. Stevens, extension horticulturist.

Gov. J. Caleb Boggs is expected to present the awards in Agricultural Hall auditorium at 1:30 that afternoon.

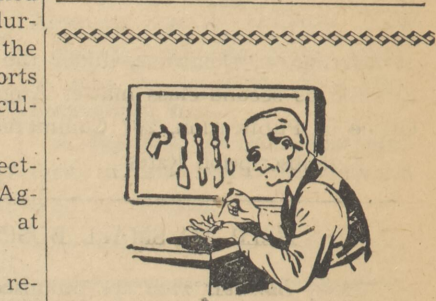
The top state grower will receive an engraved watch, with the second prize winner getting a desk pen set, and the third prize winner a wallet.

The top eight winners will be given excellent rating certificates for producing more than 20 tons of tomatoes per acre on their fields. Certificates for harvesting 10 to 20 tons per acre will be given to other winners.

Following the awards presentation, Roscoe Fraser, extension vegetable specialist at Purdue University, will tell how Indiana growers produce top yields of high quality tomatoes.

Panama has banned price increases.

Angelo Corsaro has arrived in Rome, Italy, after walking the 560 miles from his home in Catania on stilts.



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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION AND WELFARE

Self-employed individuals should attach a special form, called Schedule C, to their income tax reports to obtain valuable social security credits which build protection for them and their families, according to Myron Milbouer, district manager, Wilmington social security office.

If you are self-employed and have net earnings of \$400 or more during 1956, you must report your self-employment earnings in your Federal income tax return and pay the 3% social security tax on your net earnings up to \$4,200 whether or not you are required to pay an income tax Milbouer explained. Doctors of medicine are excluded by law from social security protection. Christian Science practitioners and ministers may elect coverage on an individual voluntary basis. With these exemptions only, all self-employed come under the system.

Mr. Milbouer reminds the self-employed that some day they or their families will be on the receiving end of social security. To insure for that day be sure to complete and attach the Schedule C to your income tax return. Make certain that you enter your social security account number in the block provided for it. Send the return and Schedule C to the District Director of Internal Revenue with payment of any tax owing.

By following these pointers, Milbouer stated, you will be building for the day when the Government will be on the paying instead of the collecting end, thus assuring you and your family of a monthly income when needed.

Requests for tax return and tax information should be directed to the District Director of Internal Revenue in the Federal Building in Wilmington. Questions regarding social security benefits including the need for a social security account number card should be sent to the social Security office at 504 W. 10th St., Wilmington.

Veterans News

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q—Could I take a correspondence course under the War Orphans education program?

A—No. The law prohibits correspondence training. War Orphans education must be taken in the school or college classroom.

Q—How do I go about paying my GI insurance premiums once a year instead of every month? I understand I can save a little money that way.

A—First, find out how much you will have to pay. Your local VA office, or the VA district office where you pay your premiums, can tell you. Then send VA district office where you pay your premiums, can tell you. Then send VA a check for that amount, explaining in a letter that you are paying on an annual basis.

Q—Is it possible to change courses of study under the Korean GI Bill more than once?

A—No. The law allows only one change of course—and no more, under any conditions.

Q—I am planning to get a GI business loan. No real estate is involved. How much money does the law allow me to borrow?

A—The law places no restrictions on the amount you may borrow from a private lender. The amount of the loan is strictly up to the lender. The law, however, does limit VA's guarantee on non-real estate business loans to 50 percent of the loan up to a maximum guarantee of \$2,000.

A new town is rising on a swamp near Lagos, Nigeria, where 750 acres have been cleared and many creeks drained by a suction dredger.

A candle light procession featured the annual yam festival of the people of Ho Bankoe, in the Gold Coast. A yam exhibition rounded off the celebration.

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HELP TO SMALL BUSINESS MAN VAGUE

Small Business men are promised help by some political orators of the present day. They appear visibly affected when telling small business they need help, but are delightfully vague about telling how they expect to render this assistance.

The operators of small business will be gladly accept help from any quarter. And there are a lot of us scattered over the United States which certainly fall into the "small business" category. And our number appears to be growing. There were 60,000 new small business concerns started in the United States in 1955. This was the largest increase in any one year since 1948. Incidentally, there was also an increase in the discontinuance of small business enterprises. If there is any place in this great country of ours where competition has free flow it is among small business concerns.

But we haven't been told yet how this "help" was to come and we hope none of the firms up and down business row in Madrid is living in expectations of this happening.

However, small business is being variably defined. Some say the upper boundaries of small business is a firm employing 500 people. Others say it is firms doing an annual volume of a million dollars or less.

The Madrid (La.) Register-News

Truer words were never spoken than those of our Iowa compatriot. The politicians, which does not carry an invidious connotation but merely means those interested in the science of government, bring up the subject of the Small Business Administration (hereinafter to be referred to as the SBA) usually in an election year.

The federal government has always had money to lend to the big outfits, with subsidies to the airlines, shipping, and the farmer. In our business we are avid readers of newspapers and magazines and listen to the radio in our car when we are compelled to by the tedium of long trips. Yet, we have encountered very little mention of the SBA.

This past year, we heard it mentioned by some Harrington interests and volunteered to check into the matter. A Delawarean, remotely connected with SBA in an advisory capacity, could not supply the desired information but gave us the address of the Philadelphia SBA office.

We wrote for literature and then, as they say in the cinema, "came the dawn." The booklet received was up-to-date. It had been published in 1955. Newspapers, radio stations, and liquor stores were not eligible for federal loans.

Presuming one's credit was good and one was not encompassed by the above category, one had to apply to a bank for the loan. If the bank was unable to lend all the money, the government would lend half of it. If the bank couldn't supply any of the loan, the government would take all of it. Interest rate would be 5 per cent, if our memory serves us correctly. Loan must be paid off in 10 years. In other words, SBA would not give the small businessman, the 20-year loans Uncle Sam has been granting on homes and farmland.

We have come to the conclusion SBA is playing politics and is just about as sincere as its federal service. Once again the old saw emerges, "It's not what you know; it's whom you know."

HIGH-SCHOOL LEAGUES WOULD INCREASE INTEREST IN ATHLETICS

Gov. Caleb Boggs, at a banquet of the Wilmington Sports-writers and Broadcasters Association Wednesday night, spoke of consideration being given to the formation of leagues, for high-school athletics, with championship games.

We recall when we had the Delaware Interscholastic Athletic Association. There were baseball leagues, for example. At the end of the season, there were play-offs for the state championship. Here in Harrington, the chief conversation piece was the high-school baseball team. Not even harness racing supplanted it.

We won the state championship in baseball three years in a row. It was an honor to be on the high-school team in those days, BEKHAC (before every kid had a car). When we played away from home, there was always a large delegation of home rooters on hand.

We believe the formation of leagues, with play-offs, would increase interest in high-school athletics and, more important still, in our schools.

Odd Facts

As a test to overcome the effects of smog, some London postmen will wear plastic collars with small bottles of ammonia attached.

New Calendonia has denied an oil company's request for permission to use explosives in prospecting a lagoon near the capital. Due to the threat of a world oil shortage, Japanese shipyards have orders for scores of super-tankers, mostly over 38,000 dead weight tons.

Foreign private investors in recent years have financed 193 new enterprises in Turkey in partnership with Turkish investors, Istanbul learns.

Ex-King Farouk, of Egypt, now in Rome, is reported spending many hours a day in prayer—and hoping he may be able to return to his throne.

India does not expect the Suez situation to cut its "gas" supply, as some parts of the country already are supplied from Indian fields in Assam.

Six pedigreed pigs got drunk when two casks of wine packed into their railway car broke in a minor rail mishap at Sarreguemines, France.

New Delhi, despite its careful planning, is one of India's worst cities in respect to traffic accidents, the Central Road Research Institute declared.

A nurse in an Auckland, New Zealand, hospital, in an examination paper, defined rigor mortis as "a condition of the body following an operation."

As a result of recent drilling in Assam, India believes its oil output may be 3,000,000 tons a day by 1959 and 5,000,000 tons by 1962, New Delhi reports.

To avoid the annual haggle with farmers over prices, the British Government is expected to guarantee stabilized farm prices, perhaps for three years.

In the Japanese 12-year time cycle 1957 is the 10th, or Year-of-the-Clock. It is considered a very lucky year. Persons born in it are expected to be intelligent and kind.

More than one million ticketless passengers were caught on India's South Eastern Railway in 1956—the most ever. An intensive drive is being started to stop the practice.

Three nurses of the Papua New Guinea Health Department have traveled more than 40,000 miles in 12 months of duty, caring for native mothers and children, Port Moresby reports.

During her visit to the new Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland next July, Britain's Queen Mother will be installed as first president of the University College at Salisbury.

Americans and other foreigners driving through Scandinavia this year will face no gasoline shortages brought about by the Suez crisis, the Scandinavian Travel Commission promised in Stockholm.

International Silk Association, headquartered at Lyons, France, now has 21 countries as members, including the United States and Japan. Its next congress and silk fair will be held in New York in October, 1957.

By expanding its Hindustan telephone cable plant to turn out coaxial telephone cable, India hopes to link major cities by an underground cable network. The plant will produce coaxial cable by 1958, New Delhi reports.

Helsingborg, Sweden, and Elsinore, Denmark, on opposite sides of Oresund, the strait connecting the Baltic and North seas, plan a joint exposition. The Baltic Exhibition, as it will be called, will occur June 2-23, 1957, in both cities.

The new Government of West Bengal, India, Miss Padmaja, declares that military training should be made a compulsory part of education there.

With its 2,200 employees, the Austrian State Theater Administration in Vienna now constitutes the world's largest theatrical concern it claims.

Armed Forces

"Because this new law modifies or changes many of the provisions of the Reserve Forces Act of 1955, I believe it is necessary to review the law as it affects us now, and as it will affect us on April 1, 1957," Colonel Carl F. Chirico, US Army Military District Chief, Delaware, announced Wednesday.

"First of all, every man who enlisted in the Army Reserve after August 9, 1955, under the special provisions for 17 and 18 1/2 year olds, will have his active Reserve obligation reduced from 7 1/2 to 4 1/2 years, automatically. His total eight-year military obligation will remain the same; now, however, three years of it will be as a non-participating Reservist; that is, a Stand-by Reservist. This feature of the new program has been made retroactive in order to assure fair and equitable treatment to those young men who enlisted under the old program and are serving currently, either on six months' active duty, or with active Army Reserve unit here in Delaware."

"Thus, Ready Reserve service obligations incurred by induction or enlistment, subsequent to August 9, 1955, will be adjusted to conform to the new programs when they are implemented April 1. Prospective Army Reserve enlistees are assured, therefore, that they will not lose any advantages by enlisting now. In fact, their creditable service will begin earlier than if they wait for the new program."

Added feature of the new program provides two choices for the 18 1/2 through 25 year olds, and the 26 through 35 age group.

After April, these Army Reserve enlistees will discharge their active duty requirement by training six months on active duty and fulfilling their military obligations by participating actively in a Reserve unit for 5 1/2 years of in the former age group; and 2 1/2 years in the latter group. Those who enlist in the Army Reserve between now and April 1 in these age groups, will be permitted to volunteer for six months' active duty on April 1, within limited quotas, to be established by higher headquarters.

The new military program is broken down into six enlistment choices, thus presenting 40 American youth the most progressive, complete selection of ways to fulfill military requirements ever devised. "In fact," the Delaware District Chief, said, "it is my personal belief that this new program is so remarkably well conceived and considered, that within an unbelievably short time we will have the best trained and prepared corps or reserve strength this nation has ever known, and furthermore, this will be achieved with the least inconvenience and imposition to the private lives and personal careers of the men involved."

The program is divided this way:

"Choice No. 1: Enlist in the US Army for a period of 3, 4 or more years of Active duty. Individuals electing this choice incur a 6-year military - service obligation. Upon completion of a total of four years active duty and ready reserve service, the enlistee is eligible for transfer to the stand-by reserve for the last 2 years of his service. Individuals who at time of enlistment are over age 26 do not incur a reserve service obligation."

"Choice No. 2: A 6-year enlistment in the USAR under the provisions of Reserve Forces Act '55, after 2 years of active duty and 2 years service in the ready reserve. Such enlistees are eligible for transfer to the stand-by reserve for the final 2 years of service."

"Choice No. 3: Induction into the active army. Inductees incur a 6-year obligation. Upon completion of 2 years active duty and 2 years ready reserve inductees are eligible for transfer to the stand-by reserve for the final 2 years of their enlistment."

"Choice No. 4: Enlist prior to age 18 1/2 - 25 (inclusive). Such enlistees incur a 6-year service obligation which they satisfy by performing six months' active duty for training and by participating satisfactorily in ready reserve duty training for the remainder of the six year term."

"Choice No. 6: Enlistment in the Delaware National Guard or USAR of individuals in the age group 26-35 for a three year term. Such enlistees to perform six months active duty for training and to participate satisfactorily in ready reserve duty training for the remainder of their enlistment term."

An Austrian architect may build a \$400,000 tourist hotel at Saalbach, Austria.

Police patrolling Glasgow's outskirts now use motor scooters instead of bikes.

Britain's first Automation Show will be staged in Olympia, London, this May.

To ease labor shortage, Holland may act to retard certain types of new industries.

Board of Health Clinics

Feb. 4
Well Child Conference - Dover Health Unit, 414 S. State St. Call Dover 5711, Ext 10 for appointments.

Feb. 5
Well Child Conference - Smyrna (c) Health Unit, E. Commerce Street, 2:00 p.m.
Venereal Disease Clinic - Milford Health Unit, Shore Theater

Building 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Crippled Children's Clinic - Dover Health Unit, 414 S. State St. 9:30 a.m.

Feb. 6
Chest Clinic - Dover Health Unit, 414 S. State Street - 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Feb. 8
Chest Clinic - Milford Health Unit, Shore Theater Building - 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

A large new concert hall has been opened in Dublin, Eire.

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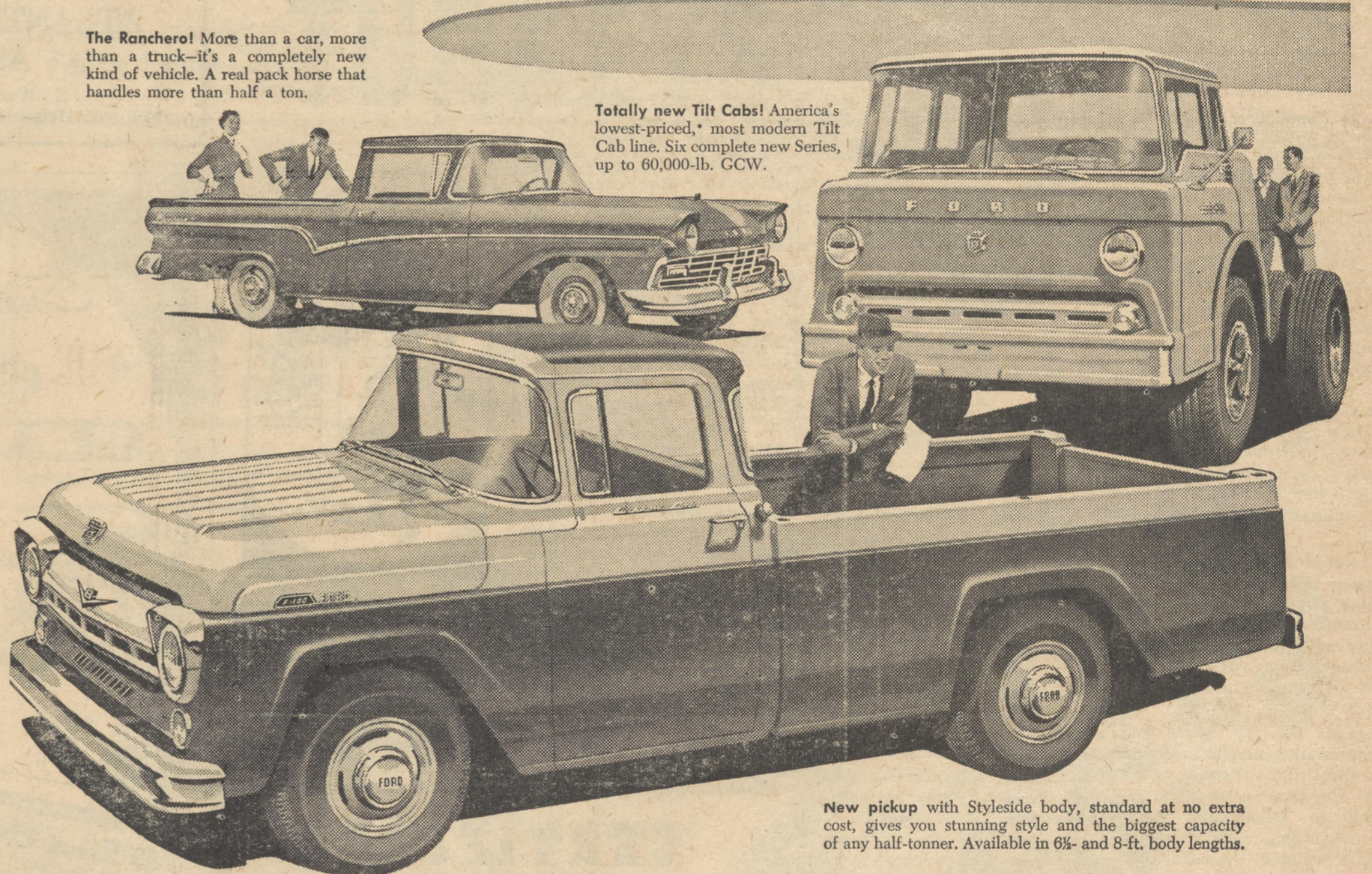
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Odd Facts

The United States and Korea have signed, at Seoul, a treaty covering their economic relationships—a pact of friendship, commerce and navigation.

A Holland firm has developed "Duoroller", a road-making machine equipped with scrapers on front rolls and rear wheels, with a water sprinkling system.

Pakistan plans to increase capacity of its Zealpak Cement Factory in Hyderabad to 1,200 tons of cement a day, from the present 800 tons, within a year.

Holland will have an Atomic Energy Law under which a pro-

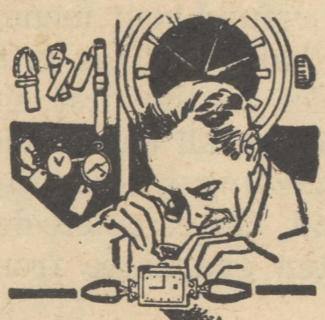
gram for the use of such energy will be achieved, The Hague learns.

In the first 10 months of 1956 an average of more than 350 motor vehicles a month were reported stolen in South Africa, Pretoria learns.

A powerful new transmitter now enables the Gold Coast Broadcasting Service to be heard clearly in all parts of the country, Accra reports.

A new law which will affect the military obligations of all draft age men become effective April 1, 1957.

Panama is soon to have four TV stations.



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Delaware ASC District Supervisor Officers Elected



New officers of the Delaware State Association of Soil Conservation district supervisors elected recently at a meeting on the campus of the University of Delaware. They are, left to right: Waters Davis, League City, Texas, national association treasurer; Arthur Taylor, Harrington, treasurer; Isaac Thomas, Maryland, president; Earl White, Bridgeville, first vice-president; George K. Vapaa, Dover, secretary; and Dr. Allen Norton, Washington, Northeast Area Soil Conservation director. W. Levis Phipps, Centerville, was elected second vice-president.

Greenwood

The Men's Club of the Greenwood Circuit held its monthly meeting Sunday, Jan. 20, in the Educational Building. There were nineteen members and seven guests present. The program featured a lecture and display on antique firearms by Philip Porter.

Lester Draper's father, Edgar Draper, has been spending some time with his son, and family. Jan. 19, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Draper entertained at a turkey dinner in honor of two birthdays in the family—that of Lester's father and also Lester's son, Allen.

Jan. 21, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Draper and family spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Draper and Bruce. In the afternoon they went into Wilmington to visit relatives and to leave Edgar Draper for a longer visit.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Medford Calhoun attended a surprise birthday dinner for Myrtle's brother, Benjamin West, of Laurel. Mr. and Mrs. Millard Calhoun and children of Glasgow were Sunday dinner guests of the Medford Calhouns.

Dickie Davis received word from Leroy Calhoun that he had arrived safely at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio, Tex.

Nolan Warnick and Dickie Davis spent Sunday in Chester, Pa., visiting friends.

The crowd of girls which we dub the Society for the Celebration of Birthdays have been busy little beavers this week. Wednesday they surprised Barbara Dennis with a luncheon at noon and a pretty gift.

Saturday evening, Julia Davis arrived home from her weekend marketing to find surprise guests in her livingroom all ready to celebrate her birthday. The gifts were opened with much fun and laughter. Another birthday guest who was to share the honors, Lauretta Draper of Farmington, was unable to be present.

VO-AG TEACHER
NAMED COUNTY AGENT

Chester M. Cissell, vocational agriculture teacher at Gaithersburg High School has been appointed Queen Annes county agricultural agent. In making the announcement, Dr. Paul E. Nystrom, director of the University of Maryland Extension Service said the appointment is effective Feb. 1.

Cissell comes to Queen Annes county with wide experience and training in agriculture. He was brought up on a dairy farm in Howard county where he was active in 4-H club work for eight years and the Future Farmers of America for four years.

He is a graduate of the University of Maryland. He taught vocational agriculture at Lisbon High School in Howard county and has served as assistant county agent in Queen Annes, Frederick and Carroll counties. He managed a dairy farm in Virginia for six years, operated a dairy farm in Frederick county for five years and has had some experience in the commercial fertilizer industry.

Cissell is active in the Farm Bureau, Grange, Dairy Herd Improvement Association and local community affairs. He is married and the father of three children.

Dr. Nystrom said, "Queen Annes county is fortunate in getting a county agent with so much training and experience."

He replaces B. Wayne Kelly, who is now farm management specialist at Pennsylvania State University.

Luxembourg is electrifying its railroads.

Delaware Food Market Report

If you have a pencil handy you can easily figure that eggs are the best buy for a main dish this week. At an average price of 4½ cents apiece, two eggs furnish as much solid nourishment as a standard 4 ounce portion of meat. Where can you get a quarter of a pound of boneless meat at less than 10 cents?

To get the best buy on eggs, check size, grade and price, then compare.

Beef prices remain about the same, but special weekend prices will offer sharp price reductions. There is more evidence, also, of better quality beef now being on the meat counter in much larger quantities. This weekend look for good buys on standing rib roast, chuck roast, and steaks of all kinds—all in good choice grades. If you have a home freezer now would be the time to put some of these "best buys" away for future use.

Pork shows the greatest overall increase in price. Loin roast up about 3 cents a pound, is averaging 69 cents. Center cut pork chops are up 5 cents and rib chops are up a few pennies also. Bacon seems to be shoot-up again. It rose another 2 cents this week. So be sure to look for weekend specials to help stretch the pork dollar.

Again this week look for excellent buys on broiler-fryers. The quality is good and what could be better than golden fried chicken. You can even make chicken and dumplings.

Citrus fruit still leads the list of "best buys" in fruit. Regardless of the recent cold weather in Florida, the quality of oranges and grapefruit is excellent and prices are very reasonable. Try broiled grapefruit for lunch as a pleasant change. Why not give the family homemade orange syrup for their pancakes in the mornings. Now is the time to use these good citrus fruits often. Other fruits that are economical are grapes, avocados, Eastern apples and bananas.

Odd Facts

Miss Elizabeth Hhys, 19, great-niece of the Duke of Wellington, has started her first job—as an assistant in a London garage.

Scotch whisky prices are now free from the "stop price" of about \$5 a bottle in Britain, and dealers can charge any price they like.

Work on new buildings to cost \$2,800,000 is underway at the University College of the Gold Coast at Legon.

Vienna will be able to offer tourists over 11,000 hotel beds during 1957, well above the 1956 total, due to opening of new hotels.

Health programs, new drugs and better sanitation are saving about 30,000 Egyptian lives a year, laboratories in Cairo report.

Georg Demus, Austrian pianist, won first prize in an international competition held at Busoni, Italy.

Clothes made from wood were a feature display at the All-Australian Timber Congress in Sydney.

India manufactured 4,182 diesel commercial vehicles—almost its first—in the 1956 first half.

After complaints, barbed wire has been removed from a kissing gate at Whitstable, England.

Newsprint now heads the list of exports from Austria to the United States, Vienna reports.

The Rolls-Royce Co. in Britain now claims to have more than half the world's orders for jet engines.

STRICTLY FOR THE BIRDS

What did you have to eat today? Undoubtedly it was ample satisfying-nutritious. I am sure your answer would be yes. If you had to miss a few meals because of scarcity of food—you would survive, but your disposition would not be too pleasant.

Birds like men, must have food to live. The high rate of metabolism (providing energy for living processes) in birds requires that they have vast quantities of food for their size.

A study of the food habits of birds shows us they get along all right in ranging toads, but when winter conditions become severe they have a trying time; even though thousands of their cousins have passed through on their way to Central and South America to return again next spring.

Birds by the thousands die during adverse winter weather because scarcity of food weakens their physical stamina, since their body temperature - 110 degrees F. - is considerably higher than man's.

The greatest reward from feeding birds at your home is enjoyment in observing their individual behavior and antics. No matter where you live there are birds around that would come to your window or yard cafeteria. Although the environment as a whole must be suitable to hold birds, it is safe to say that food is the most significant offering you can make. Be sure to arrange your feeding stations so that the birds have easy access and also a good chance for a quick escape. Vermin soon learn the location of places to which birds are attracted and a badly constructed feeder sometimes does more harm than good.

Once you start feeding birds at feeding stations, keep up the activity until the cold, miserable weather of winter is absorbed by the fresh vigorous beacon of spring. It is a regular and dependable supply of food that counts.

WHAT ABOUT DELAWARE'S GAME BIRD - THE QUAIL?

These little fellows do not migrate and they must survive the entire winter here. We are approaching now the time of year that could be the most critical period for this game bird. Under ordinary conditions there may be sufficient food on the ground which can be obtained by scratching, however, snowfalls and ice or sleet may mean death from starvation.

The shrub lespedeza planting program carried out by the Game and Fish Commission personnel on private and public lands is an attempt to counteract these severe winter foodless periods. This plant continually sheds its seeds and there are always some to be found even on the crusty snow. Many a quail and undoubtedly many other birds have been saved by lespedeza. Rabbits also utilize this plant considerably throughout the year.

Cooperative research continues at the University of Delaware to obtain even better strains of shrub lespedeza which will produce more seed and hold more of them for shedding during January, February and March when other foods are scarce or entirely absent.

Private landowners can be assisted in planning and planting food and cover for quail and other wildlife by contacting employees of the Game and Fish Commission.

Odd Facts

Becks Pond, four miles east of Newark - has been completed except for the boat launching ramp which will be installed before spring. The pond will then be flooded and stocked.

Horsely Pond, at Laurel - final brushing and clearing will be completed in February and the pond should be ready for flooding by spring.

Ingrams Pond, Millsboro - construction work has been completed and brushing and clearing has begun. The latter is being done by the Game and Fish Commission.

These three ponds will be maintained for public fishing with adequate parking areas and boat launching facilities. There will be sufficient room around the spillways and tumble dams for desiring to fish from the bank.

Odd Facts

Britain's Standard - Triumph Motor Co. has orders from the United States for 2,000 T.R.3 sports cars.

A cargo of metals is being raised from a Cumar liner, the Vinovia, sunk off Land's End, England, by a German sub in 1917.

Germany's airline, Lufthansa, has expanded service with Super-G Constellations on its Hamburg-Baghdad-Tehran route.

The blackboard remains the simplest, most effective tid to teaching, according to the British Ministry of Education.

Odd Facts

A fiber plant now sown on 20 acres may make Burma Valley, 28 miles from Umtali, Southern Rhodesia, a great fiber-growing center. It is a good jute substitute.

Two bridges had to be strengthened before a 160 ton alternator was transported 60 miles from Stafford, England, to a power station near Derby.

Due to an acute shortage of shipping space, it is being sold in the black market, a textile firm in Karachi, Pakistan, has advised its agents in Dacca, East Pakistan.

A committee report submitted to officials of Belfast, Northern Ireland, urged a ban on curbside parking of private cars throughout the entire downtown area.

William Warfield, American Negro baritone on a concert tour of Africa made a 20-minute recording at the Gold Coast Broadcasting Service studios in Accra.

Maurice Lambert, sculptor, reduced the price of a statue by \$1,400, to \$6,000, so that the work could be purchased by the New Zealand Government in Wellington.

Russia had commitments, up to Oct. 15, 1956, to sell some 40,000,000 bushels of wheat to non-Communist nations—far more than in other recent years—Moscow reports.

Since India nationalized life insurance, many insurance workers have quit writing new business because they have not been paid their commissions, Muzaffarpur reports.

The State of Andra Pradesh, India, has sworn in B. Gopala Reddi as its 13th Cabinet Minister but may add another Ministry, as 13 is considered unlucky, Hyderabad reports.

As part of the New South Wales Government's action against "quacks," new legislation has been drafted in Sydney to prevent doctors from taking legal action to recover fees.

India already has made a score of arrests for malpractices in its new "fair price" shops where government-supplied rice is sold, Calcutta learns. A black market is said to have developed.

Eire's Minister for Industry and Commerce has announced that full-scale development of the Avoca copper mines, by Canadian developers, will be continued at a cost of \$5,600,000 in 1957.

"Products of Freedom for all Free Men" was the theme of the United States' elaborate exhibit at the recent Constitutional Fair in Bangkok, Thailand. It showed a wide range of consumer items and was the fair's biggest exhibit.

A development association organized in the town of Aseesewa, Gold Coast, hopes to improve the social and education standard of the people and to cultivate the spirit of self help, without depending on the Central Government for everything, said its founder, Yeboah Mensah.

India will try to buy a dozen of the United States "Liberty" ships, New Delhi reports.

Portuguese cork manufacturers have formed a guild as a clearing house for their problems.

Sweden's latest set of stamps marks the centenary of her railways, Stockholm reports.

Cape Town's port has been clogged by a high ship diversion since the Suez incidents.

Sweden invited American firms to enter its 1957 Photo Show, "Camera 57", at Göteborg.

With living costs inching up, Denmark forges new wage boosts, Copenhagen reports.

Labor was critical when Ecuador proposed to return its railways to private ownership.

A mile-long, 7,300-foot-high ski lift is open on Mount Rugehu, on New Zealand's North Island.

A new French stamp bears a portrait of Pierre de Coubertin, founder of the Olympic Games.

A railroad is being planned by Israel across the Negev desert to Beersheba and Eliath on the Red Sea.

A British motor car producer offers a tandem scooter usable as a car for two, a motorbike, and a boat.

"Mushroom airlifts" now carry Northern Ireland's mushrooms almost every day to English markets.

Germany's Ministry of Defense and aeronautical training schools are buying French planes, Bonn reports.

A 10,000 page encyclopedia on Buddhism, in the English language, is being compiled in Japan, Tokyo reports.

A "yam session" is the year's biggest event in the Trobriand Islands, Papua-New Guinea, where yams grow to 12 feet in length.

South African officials in Pretoria have warned farmers that the Government will no longer subsidize bad farming practices. Compulsory military training will be introduced in all schools and colleges in the part of Kashmir held by Pakistan, Lahore reports.

Kent Home Doings



by Charlotte L. Swanson
 Kent Home Demonstration Agent

The new spring fabrics in the stores now are the most tempting ever! It's time to start planning your spring wardrobe, and to check your sewing machine to be sure it will do its job.

If the thread on your sewing machine keeps breaking as you stitch, some easy checking may help you overcome this annoying situation and save you a needless repair bill, too.

Usually the upper thread is broken by the needle. First, check to see if your machine is threaded right and that the needle is threaded in the proper direction. Next see that the needle is correctly set in the needle clamp. Replace a bent of blunt needle—or one with a sharp eye that breaks the thread.

Another trouble spot may be the tension. Upper thread can break because the tension is too tight. Also, check to be sure the needle doesn't rub against the presser foot, needle plate, or shuttle.

The bobbin may break lower thread. See that the bobbin is wound evenly, and that the bobbin case or shuttle is threaded correctly. Dirt or thread in the shuttle cavity may be keeping the bobbin from turning freely, causing the thread to break. With either broken upper or lower thread, don't overlook the possibility of faulty thread.

If you're interested in a few other ideas for keeping your sewing machine in top running condition, I'll be happy to send you the bulletin: "Sewing Machines, Cleaning and Adjusting." The address is: Home Demonstration Agent P. O. Box 30, Dover.

Odd Facts

A society to restore kilts to popularity has been started in Edinburgh, Scotland.

By using existing plants better, Yugoslavia hopes to boost 1957 production over 1956.

Pakistan's new \$519,000 prestressed pipe factory in Karachi is now in production.

A six-hour working day is being introduced in Russia, according to Moscow Radio.

Britain is hoping the Suez situation will clear up before gasoline rationing is necessary.

Odd Facts

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We presume he was also a dangler of participles.

There have been several requests for this booklet, priced at 25c, but we were unable to comply with them. Fortunately, however, we uncovered a limited supply of this valuable booklet recently while looking the effects of the estate.

We also have a number of pamphlets, "Hosses, Hosses," written by Mr. Burgess, and depicting Harrington's harness-racing life. The price is 25c.

When the above-named pamphlets have been sold there will be no reprints.

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FARMERS MAY SIGN-UP FOR CORN ACREAGE RESERVE STARTING FEBRUARY 4

Kent County farmers may sign up for the 1958 corn acreage reserve starting Feb. 4, according to an announcement of Joseph Ennis, ASC county chairman. For the present, farmers will be able to sign up only 20 acres or 30% of their corn allotment, whichever is larger. The sign-up will terminate on March 8, unless the county quota is met sooner. If the quota is not met, then farmers will have the privilege of setting aside a larger acreage.

Mr. Ennis said that payment rate notices and a letter of explanation are being mailed out Feb. 1 from the county ASC office in Dover. Farmers will have the right to appeal their payment rate to the county committee within 15 days of receiving the notice. This is a change from the previous year.

There seems to be a great deal of misunderstanding concerning the results of the corn referendum in December. The vote means that corn in 1957 is being supported at the higher allotment rate, although the number of acres that a farmer can plant is kept at a lower figure. The end purpose of the whole program, says Mr. Ennis is to reduce the supply of corn and thereby permit better market conditions to prevail. Our huge surpluses have a depressing effect on market prices.

An Ankara, Turkey, firm will make artificial wallboards from fibers and wood chips.

Mexico hereafter will restrict the number of Christmas trees that may be imported.

Denmark's new National Pension Plan is putting a strain on the national economy.

Costa Rica now has 214 ocean-going vessels registered under its flag, San Jose learns.

Over 100 orders are booked for Holland's new Fokker F-27 "Friendship" airliner.

India will produce 1400 tons of DDT a year at a new plant at Alwaye, Kerala State.

French oil companies may prospect for oil in Israel's Negev desert, Tel Aviv learns.

Ecuador's new administration announced that it would foster private enterprise.

Turkey has set up an Istanbul office to administer new price-control regulations.

Austria now is the only country where four state theaters play 10 months each year.

A dolomite plant is to be developed for India's steel works

at Rourkela, Orissa.

An Apapa, Nigeria, firm is in the market for a hog-killing, pork processing plant.

American capital is sought to develop lead deposits in Burma, Rangoon reports.

Geonkali, 27 miles from Calcutta, may be developed as a supplementary port.

A Japanese gardener now produces apples with red flesh as well as redskin.

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Needlecraft News

by Nancy Baxter

Crocheters are always looking for new methods, new materials with which to further their favorite pastimes. Crocheters, being no exception, take delight in every novel treatment that helps to enrich their leisure hours. One of the latest needlework ideas to tempt the fingers of the avid crocheter is illustrated here. It is a design, worked with cotton, that assumes the appearance of milk glass.



MILK GLASS MANIA

Since milk glass has made its recent comeback as a collector's item, a crocheted design of the same mood is sure to gain equal popularity. This new look in needlework circles effectively copies the pure white, knoblike surfaces of the real thing. Just as milk glass takes time and skill to make, its crocheted likeness took many years to develop. First, a double-thick crochet cotton had to be created to achieve the same full form as milk glass. This cotton had to be mercerized to supply a gloss that could simulate glass. And, to retain a clean, white appearance always, it had to be easily and completely washable. It is doubtful that a milk glass design could have been successfully crocheted before these developments. Now, with this crochet cotton and the right stitches, the crocheter can have her own milk glass collection quickly and inexpensively. Yes, crocheting with double-thick cotton takes half the time.

CROCHETED MILK GLASS SET

A collector of milk glass desires only to display it, while a crocheter of milk glass wants more than that—she wants to show it AND use it. This set of bright, white cotton serves both purposes at the dining table. The casserole and tumbler jackets look like precious milk glass but are as practical as a pot holder. Start your crocheted milk glass collection with these pieces. The instructions are available to you through the Needlework Department of this paper. Simply send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for MILK GLASS CASSEROLE AND TUMBLER JACKETS, Leaflet No. S-798.

RAIL LESSEE FIRM REELECTS

Net income of the Delaware Railroad Company last year totaled \$115,330, it was announced at the 105th annual meeting of the board of directors at Dover Friday.

David C. Bevan, president, said dividends totaling \$106,092 or eight per cent of the capital stock held by the public were paid during the year. Mr. Bevan and other officers of the firm, which leases its property to the Pennsylvania Railroad, were re-elected.

The president reported that rental paid by the Pennsylvania last year totaled \$129,694-\$10,320 less than 1955. Road property increased \$66,218. Expenditures for property during the year aggregated \$345,328, and retired property amounting to \$279,110 was written out of the accounts.

Principal expenditures by the railroad were reported in connection with the conversion to single track operation to Delmar, begun in 1955, and installation of heavier rail and other improved track material, according to the report.

Retirements were chiefly one of two main tracks from a point south of Wilmington to Delmar, a passenger station and portion of freight platform at Delmar, and portion of a water station including tank, at Clayton.

The sinking fund decreased \$60,218 due principally to retirement of \$70,000 principal amount, Delaware Railroad Company first mortgage 4 per cent bonds, Series A, last July 1. During 1956, settlement was

made with respect to depreciation, amortization, and obsolescence loss on road property in accordance with revised lease effective Jan. 1, 1956, the balance in accrued depreciation-road account being \$333,371 the past Dec. 31.

The amount due from the lessee in the construction account as of Dec. 31, 1956, was \$737,068, an increase of \$267,152, due to an excess of settlement for depreciation and retirements over expenditures for additions and betterments last year.

Officers Listed

J. A. Schwab, Baltimore, and P. D. Fox, Philadelphia, are the vice-presidents; Ralph C. Wilson, Dover, is secretary; W. R. Gerstnecker, Philadelphia, treasurer; H. J. Ward, Comptroller; W. R. Dunn, Jr., Manager; real estate; C. J. Henry, Chief engineer, and John B. Prizer, general counsel.

The stockholders reelected the directors as follows: Charles du Pont Ridgely, Camden; J. Wallace Woodford, Dover; Dudley G. Roe, Sudlersville, Md.; L. Lee Layton, Jr., Dover; C. Douglas Buck, Wilmington; Julian E. Townsend, Georgetown; Albanus Phillips, Jr., Cambridge, Md.; Warren C. Newton, Bridgeville; John M. Conway, Wilmington; Benjamin F. Shaw II, Wilmington; David C. Bevan, Philadelphia; Fulton J. Downing, Harrington; Otis H. Smith, Lewes; J. Reese White, Millsboro, and J. A. Schwab, Baltimore.

Mr. Ridgely, oldest director in point of service, has been a member of the board since Dec. 2, 1926. Second to him is Mr. Woodford, a director since June 19, 1934.

Farm and Home Week Speakers



R. B. ALDERFER

Rutgers University soils specialist R. B. Alderfer will offer Delaware Farm and Home Week visitors facts on the value of sub-soiling on the February 5 soils and fertilizers program.



J. T. COYNE

John T. Coyne will discuss how the "Miller" Bill affects Delaware farmers during Farm and Home Week. The vegetable session speaker is assistant head of the pesticide regulation section, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Saudi Arabia has banned the import of statuary "for any purpose", Jidda reports.

Pilgrim Holiness Church Notes

Sunday School 10 a.m. You are invited to attend our growing Sunday School. Classes for all ages under the guidance of friendly teachers.

Morning worship 11 a.m. Our guest speaker for Youth Sunday, Feb. 3 will be Everett Isaacs. Mr. Isaacs is a ministerial student at Eastern Pilgrim College, Allentown, Pa. He is also a member of our church and formerly made his home at Greenwood.

Pilgrim Youth Service 7 p.m. John Mervine is the president of our society and extends a cordial invitation for all young people between the ages of 12 and 35 to attend.

Evening service at 7:45 p.m. Everett Isaacs will also speak during this service. You are invited to worship with us as we observe Youth Sunday. Special singing including solos, duets and a quartette.

Our Sunday School has shown an excellent gain for January. It averaged 153 as compared to last year's average of 113. There were 107 who had perfect attendance for the month of January.

The Young People's Program Committee will meet at the parsonage today at 7:30 p.m.

TIDE WATER FISHING

Some of the most productive bass and pickerel fishing to be found in Delaware is in the brackish water areas of tidal streams. Fisheries studies have shown that food supplies in these areas result in faster growing and bigger fish. Some of these streams are Broad Creek, Nanticoke Rives, Broadkill Creek, Murderkill River, Appoquinimink Creek and Primehook Creek. The locations of these streams can be found on fishing maps available from the Commission office in Dover.

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Cricks everywhere are lauding MGM's "Teahouse of the August Moon," with Marlon Brando and Glenn Ford, the super attraction listed for showing at the Reese, Sunday thru Wednesday, Feb. 3, 4, 5, and 6. Ed Sullivan says he laughed until he cried, and that's saying something. Adapted from the most popular book as well as a hit stage play, in the movies it gains greater heights in entertainment. To miss it is to miss one of the finest of the new season.

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Odd Facts

Soviet scientists in Moscow say that the level of the Caspian Sea has dropped several feet during the last 25 years.

Because it is not perforated, a certain sheet of Britain's current 4c Postage Due stamps has been valued at \$23,800.

Davy Crockett garb now has replaced space man's equipment with the youths of New Zealand, Wellington reports.

India's Lok Sabha (Parliament) passed a bill, in New Delhi, to ban publication, sale or distribution of "horror comics."

Shipyards at Belfast, Northern Ireland, are building three 20,000-ton liners for use in the Britain-South American service.

Over 200 firms have said they would join an association to provide a "brighter" downtown in Belfast, Northern Ireland.

"The State of Kutch," biggest diesel cargo ship ever built in India, at 8,000 tons, has been launched at the Kidderpore docks.

Austria claims that Vienna has the lowest theater prices in the world because, by the wish of Parliament, they are kept low.

The Vadilal Sarabhia Hospital in Ahmedabad has become the first in Asia to use the "cobalt cancer bomb" in treating cancer.

Leprosy is declining in Nigeria, Lagos reports. In the Idu Laper Colony at last count there were 1,000 lepers against 3,000 six

years ago.

German visitors to Britain make themselves unpopular by showing too much hairy leg, says a Nuremberg, Germany, publication.

A master plan has been drawn to connect Calcutta, India, and Cochin and the Narbada River

with the Ganga River by inland canals.

London's oldest bus conductor, Henry Cruise, 75, has been allowed to stay on for another year's service. He has been on the same route since 1912.

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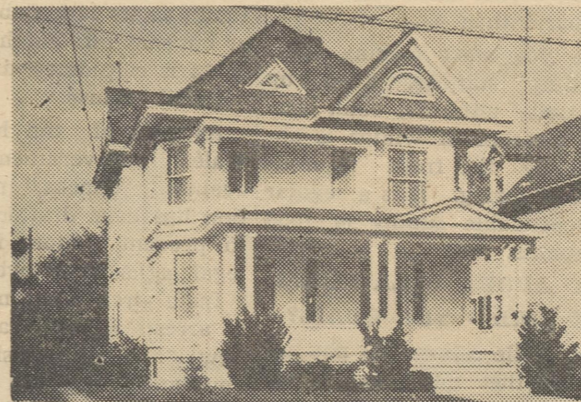
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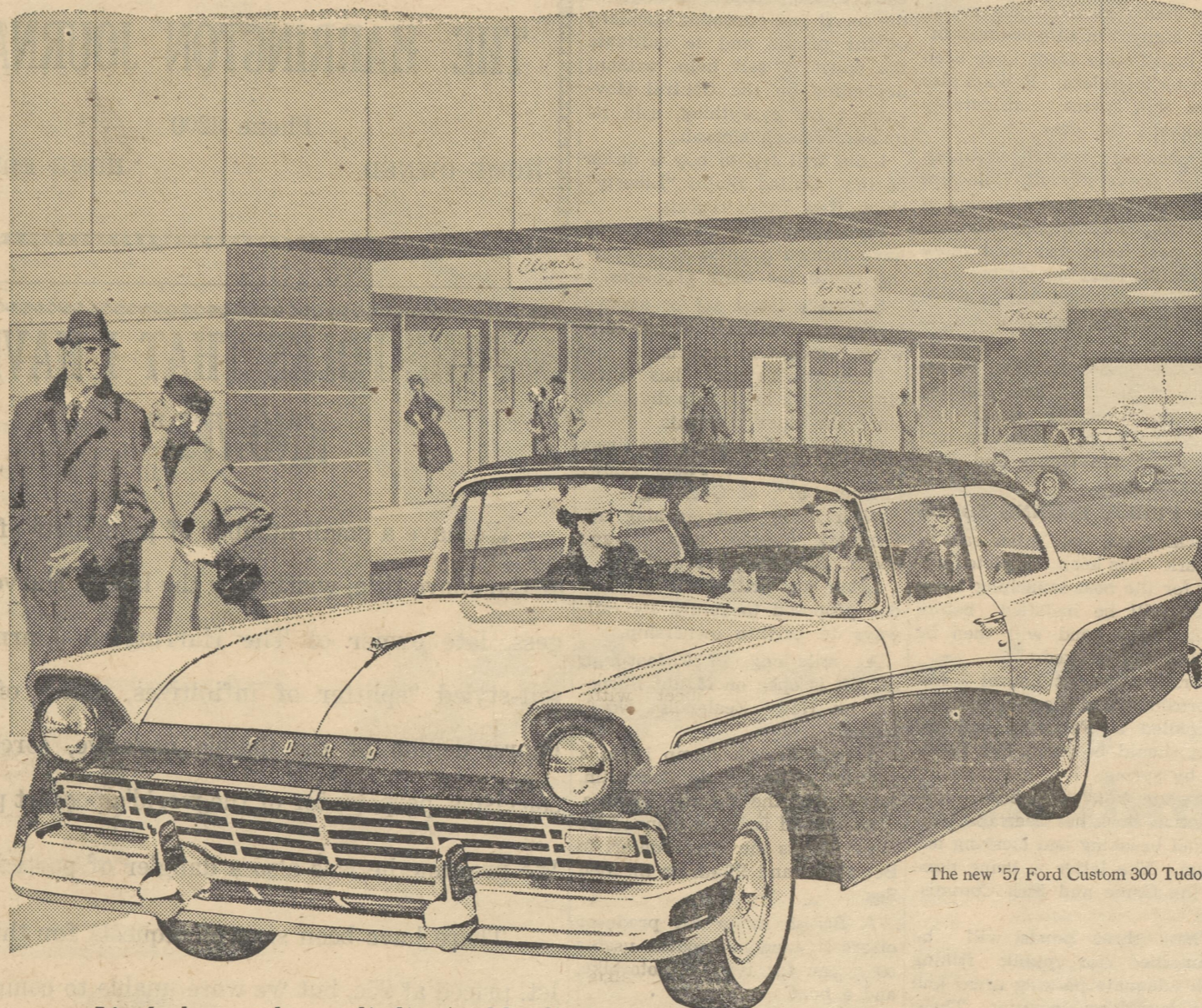


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St. Bernadette's Church Notes

Mass Sunday will be at 9:30 a.m. Confessions will be heard before Mass. Instructions for high school students will be given Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the parish house.

Serving at Mass last Sunday were Tony Perrone and Edgar Wroten. The visiting oblate was the Rev. McCoy O.S.F.S. of the Salesianum School in Wilmington.

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Nazarene Church Notes

The girls are ahead in the Sunday School contest which is now in progress. The purpose of this contest is to help the Delmarva Zone, of which the local church is a member, to win the zone contest from the New Jersey Zone.

The youth of the church began their three fold emphasis of evangelistic, benevolence and activities with a cottage prayer meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Day Tuesday night.

Joanna Ottinger will have charge of our N.Y.P.S. which meets at 7 o'clock each Sunday evening.

Sandra Smith is the chairman of our Youth Book Reading program which is cooperating with the District Program.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rentz were surprised Thursday evening when a group of his friends from Frederica and some of the townsfolk gathered with all the making for an old fashioned serenade.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hill were Sunday dinner guests of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gourley and family in Frederica.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Sharp held open house at their home Sunday, Guest were Mr. and Mrs. George B. Collins, Sr., of Dover; Mr. and Mrs. Melville Huber, Sr., of Wilmington; Mrs. Evelyn Sharp, of Frederica, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Bostick, of Elendale, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Collins, Jr., and daughter, JoAnn of Milford; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bostick, and daughter, Pam, of Greenwood, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Sharp, of Dover, Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Johnston and son Rick, of Frederica, Mrs. Elizabeth Slaughter of Frederica and Mrs. Delores Dill and daughter, Susan, of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Case were married in Camden Wednesday evening and are living in one of Hart's trailers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ryan and Mrs. Ruth Silbereisen of Milford visited Mr. and Mrs. Elver Ryan Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Breeding and sons were dinner guests of their mother, Mrs. Ella Breeding.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Prettyman were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elver Ryan were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ryan Sunday evening.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walls this week were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson, Bill West, George Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walls, Mr. and Mrs. Elver Ryan, Donald Jones, Kenneth Walls, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Breeding and son, Mrs. Earl Griffith and Lawrence Sullivan.

Pauline Sipple of Seaford, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arley Bradley and sons Sunday.

Chile has two new airports, Chacabunco at Punta Arenas and Chacalluta at Arica.

FARM AND HOME WEEK EXHIBITS ABOUT READY

Exhibits for Delaware Farm and Home Week are in the final planning and building stages. Staff members of the University of Delaware School of Agriculture, State Geological Survey, State Board of Agriculture, Soil Conservation Service, and Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee will offer exhibits Feb. 5, 6, and 7 telling about new aids to farming and homemaking.

Exhibits in Agricultural Hall at the university will deal with insects, dairy herd improvement, control of plant diseases with resistant varieties, enhancing home decor with tinted lights, laying flock management, holding water in soil, measuring irrigation water, plant disease symptoms, using eggs in virus disease research, fertilizer placement, better quality hay, soil testing, soil organic matter, horticultural uses for plastic film, CMU weed killer, plant growth regulators, communicating farm and home facts, and 4-H and F.F.A. work.

Visitors to the greenhouse near Agricultural Hall will see exhibits on signs of plant food deficiency, nitrogen-potassium ratios for asparagus, blossom end rot of tomatoes, soil moisture measuring equipment, tomato plant-water relations, greenhouse soils, tip burn on Croft Easter lily, fertilizing snapdragons, propagating dogwood, good house plants, plant propagation, African violet varieties; beet breeding, tomato breeding, and strawberry runner control.

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Girl Scout News

On January 28th, Girl Scout Troop No. 142 met at the home of Mary Ann Fair. We first held a business meeting. The girls decided to hold a roller skating party on Feb. 1st but it has been postponed to a later date.

Bonnie Dickerson and Mary Ann Fair told about the Workshop meeting they attended at Denton on Saturday afternoon. The business meeting was closed and the girls went to work on aprons in connection with the Needlecraft Badges they are working for.

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Of Local Interest

Mrs. Katie Austin is recovering at home after a severe illness. Saturday callers of Joseph Ward were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ward and Mrs. Howard McCoy and daughter, Doris, all of Chester, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wagner recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Williams and daughter of Wilmington.

Mrs. Oscar Gillette and grandson, Bobby, and Mrs. Viola Zimmerman visited Mrs. Margaret Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Leinsz of Preston, Md., Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Dean was hostess to her Bridge Club Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. T. Scott Purse, of Seaford, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. George Graham and daughter, Grace, and Robert Carson made a trip to Baltimore on Sunday where Grace remained to affiliate at the Baltimore City Hospital.

Mrs. Norris Adams entertained her Bridge Club Friday evening.

Mrs. Charles Griffith and daughter, Shirley, of Felton, and Mrs. Annie Betts called on Joseph Ward Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Lynch of Philadelphia were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker. Mrs. Lynch was a classmate of Mrs. Parker at the Delaware Hospital School of Nursing.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Corrin, Jr., and daughter of Wilmington spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Harrington.

Farm machinery has been made a feature of the Industrial Fair at Charleroi, Belgium.

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St. Stephen's Episcopal Church

In deference to Theological Education Sunday, Jan. 27, a very special service was held at St. Stephen's, Sunday, 11 a.m. Young men representing various organizations and activities of the church conducted the service. Robert E. Baynard, Jr., church school superintendent, and Allen Hopkins, a member of St. Stephen's youth group, read the opening sentences, prayers, and verses of the morning prayer service. George A. Thompson, a member of the vestry, read the Old and New Testament lessons for the third Sunday after Epiphany. Frank Welch was server; Charles McNally, acolyte; William Thompson, crucifer. Our vicar's sermon stressed the theme of Theological Sunday, the call that comes to many of our people, not only to those who serve in the capacity of missionaries and ministers, but to all of us in whatever church field or activity our talents lie. The answer to this call is "Lord, here am I." It is through generous donations on Theological Sunday, through prayer and service, that our seminarians can train young men who have answered this call to do God's work. The offering from St. Stephen's will be sent to the Protestant Episcopal Theological Seminary in Alexandria, Va. Thesshdri uhrdu hrdudlu Va.

The words of Dean Jesse M. Trotta make all our previous sacrifices for this work seem pitifully inadequate: "Men of the highest type, of the finest calibre, are today seeking to enter the ministry. To teach and to train them is a high privilege, and an exciting one. It is also a grave responsibility. We who are teachers in the Seminary simply cannot educate and train them adequately without your help. So we must ask each of you, as church-goer and Christians, to share this privilege and this responsibility with us. Only by our joint endeavors can we carry through with our common responsibility to provide an excellent training for these excellent men."

Parishes and missions, here and overseas, are giving their annual Theological Education Offering a permanent place in the yearly calendar. Our own vicar graduated from the Virginia Seminary; we feel that we have a somewhat closer tie to this institute of ministerial training. It's alumni are now ministering in 82 of the 87 dioceses and missionary districts in the United States; others are engaged in a great effort overseas. The pressing need for financial support can be felt keenly when we realize, for example, that of the 83 applicants who sought admission to the present Junior class, there was room for only 66.

St. Stephen's supper club met at 5 o'clock last Sunday at the parish house. Refreshments were furnished by the refreshment committee. After the group enjoyed their supper, a business meeting was called to order with Ronnie Correll, presiding. Expenses for the Kent County Convocation held at our church last week were tallied and bills given to Mary Ann Lyons, treasurer. Plans for a Mardi Gras Ball were formulated, and it was agreed to invite four couples to the Episcopal Youth Clubs in Milford, Smyrna, Dover, Camden-Wyoming.

A list of possible judges for the best costumes was submitted to Janet Cluley, secretary. The following young people were present: Robert Greer, Bill Coady, Allen Hopkins, Ronnie Correll, Rosalie Wix, Mary Ann Lyons, Rosalie Yowell, Richard Ralledge, Janet Cluley, Buckeye Baker, Ruth Ann Melvin. After the business meeting the young people adjourned to the church for evening prayer.

Next Sunday, the Reverend Joseph S. Huiks of Milford and our vicar will dedicate the beautiful new altar cross presented by Augustus and Thelma Raughley. The cross, 30 inches high and of alite design, hangs over the altar on two heavy brass chains and was given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Katherine Hieger Rutsche 1885-1926, and Louise Knipp Hill, 1917-1943.

The service of evening prayer will precede the dedication service.

Mrs. Archie Ford and Mrs. Robert McNally attended the diocese epiphany meeting last Thursday at Calvary Church, Wilmington. There was a communion service at 10:30 a.m., followed by a session of the Woman's Auxiliary. Mrs. Paul Kellogg of Dover, presided and introduced the two distinguished speakers. Dr. Eleanor Mason of Madras, India, told about the work of the church of South India and Mrs. Angus Dun related some of her experiences as one of a delegation of churchwomen who visited Hungary

Felton School News

The C.A.P. has had five new members to join their squadron. They are as follows: Warren Price, Ellen Maris, Bessie Peterson, Nancy Ludlow and Joyce Kemp.

Beginning the 6th of February, the C.A.P. meeting time will be changed from 7:30 to 6 p.m. to allow those C.A.P. members who are also members of the Kent County Band, to go to band practice.

On Saturday evening, Feb. 2, the Northeastern Regional Convention will have a banquet at the Hotel DuPont. Attending the banquet will be Cadet 2nd Lt. Frank Dill, from the Felton C.A.P. Squadron. Also attending the banquet will be 1st Lt. Melvin C. Luff, Commander of the Felton Cadet Squadron.

Cadet Dill will be one of several Delaware Wing Cadets who will act as host for Cadets from other wings within the region.

Music

The Music Department announces that the following have been selected for the all county band. Richard Rosengren, Elmer O'Day, Homer Torbert, Mary E. Hughes, Lois Dill, Dorsey Hammond, Frank Dill, Ronnie Jester, Marlene Hughes, Wayne Dill, Maureen Hoffman, Janet Sherwood, Edmund Bak, Clarence Voshell, John Kates, Doris Gruwell, Louise Henry and Virginia Dill.

The Kent County Band concert will be held Sunday afternoon, March 10, at the Dover Field House.

Student Council

On Wednesday, Jan. 30, the Student Council presented a full-length movie called "The Great Cantor Story" to the student body.

Yearbooks

The Seniors are now busy selling subscriptions for their 1956-57 yearbook. The pictures of all activities have already been photographed by Roy Wall.

Anyone wishing to subscribe for a yearbook is requested to write or telephone Laura Belle Sharpnack in care of Felton High School.

A down payment of \$1.00 is required. The total cost is \$2.75. Hurry and subscribe now!

Elementary Assemblies

The elementary grades saw the Student Council movie on Tuesday, Jan. 29. On Wednesday, Jan. 30, they saw a movie called "Milky Way" which was presented by the third grade.

Class Rings

The Junior Class has long been waiting for their class rings. Finally, on Monday, Jan. 28, they arrived. They are now proudly showing them off.

Sports

On Tuesday, Jan. 22, the boys varsity basketball team played one-on-one basketball. The game was a hard fought contest, with Felton leading throughout the game until the final four minutes when Caesar won by a slight edge and held a lead of 8 points at the end of the game.

On Friday, Jan. 25, Bridgeville boys came to Felton in hopes of increasing their five-game winning streak.

After another hard fought game, Felton won with a score of 50-47. The lead changed hands four times in the fourth quarter with Felton having the upper hand at the final whistle. The loss knocked Bridgeville out of second place position in the Kent-Sussex County.

After a rather slow start, the boys' varsity has won three of their last four games. Much of the success can be attributed to the improved team effort.

Bob Jester, Nelson Wyatt, Frank Dill, Bill Wood, and Dorsey Hammond have been seeing most of the action for Felton.

The girls' varsity team now has a record of four wins and four losses. The individual points of the girls are as follows: Betty Jo Walters, 145; Jean Reed, 123; Janet Sherwood, 76; Eleanor Kemp, 21; and Jean Miller, 7.

Betty Jo Walters is now recuperating from an injury received in the Caesar Rodney game on January 22. We are hoping she will be able to return real soon, to her position as right forward.

Menu for Feb. 4 to Feb. 8

Monday: Macaroni and cheese, stewed tomatoes, milk, pineapple, bread and butter.

shortly before the recent upheaval there.

We now have a fine new banquet table for use in the parish house. It was made by the men of the church, and it will be in evidence at our parish suppers, coffee hours, etc. Also there are three handsome new chairs in our vicar's office, and the addition of a desk and filing cabinet will soon complete the furnishings.

Tuesday: Hot pork sandwiches, whipped potatoes, milk, peaches, bread and butter.

Wednesday: Meat loaf, cut green beans, milk, coconut pudding, bread and butter.

Thursday: Turkey pie, buttered peas and carrots, milk, fruit or pie, bread and butter.

Friday: Egg salad platter, succotash, milk, pears, bread and butter.

FELTON SCHOOL HONOR AND HIGH HONOR STUDENTS

- 2A—Wayne Salsbury, Charles Brown, Jr., Irving Tatman, Billy Edwards, Kay Baker, Bruce Kimball.
- 2B—Joe B. Green, Marcia Dill, Hazel Farrow, Jane Killen, Connie Moore, Sandra Fletcher, Charlene Woikoski, Joan Wright.
- 3A—Hermon Degnat, William Degnat, Rodney Fletcher, Scott Randy, William McGee, Wright Salsbury, Cathy Adams, Jo Ann Green, Dorothy Longfellow, Regina Pfeiffer, Elaine Thompson, Martha Tribbitt, Susan VanNess.
- 3B—Thomas Bouchard, Donald Brown, Philip Cohee, Norma Jean Farrow, Robert French, Ellen Mack, Marian Markowitz, Cynthia Melvin, John Sheets, Larry Vesco, Donald Wells.
- 4A—Victor Bak, Tony Brittingham, Ronnie Draper, John Hall, James Hutson, Paul McGinness, Sandra Stubbs, Elsie Tribbitt.
- 4B—David Alexander, Bonnie Biggs, Richard Goeger, Tommy O'Day, Georgian Lomicky, Danny Price.
- 4C—James Ross
- 5A—Linda Buffkin, Ruth Gerardi, Samy Ludlow, Charlotte Wyatt, James Sheets
- 5B—Arthur French, Minnie Alleband, William Green, William Myers, Robert Thompson, Doris Walls
- 6th—James Buffkin, Susan Roland, Patty Warren, Zane Markowitz
- 7A—Lillian Casper, Kathleen Anderson, Curtis Webb, William O'Day, Albert Gerard, Robert Donoway, Sylvia Knox, Claire Hrupsa, Pearl Hamilton, Ruth Donophan, Arlene DeLong, Linda Cook
- 7B—Carol Jean Arnett, Linda Diehl
- 8A—Robert Edwards, Ralph Bell, Joyce Ann Kemp, Barbara Hoffner, Joyce Marie Cohee, Phyllis Ann Baker, Carol Ann Wright, Rose Ann Lufsey, Earl Walters, Dawson Richards, Wayne Minner, Jay McGinnis, Norman Jackson.
- 9th—Nancy Ludlow, Lois Dill, Edith Postles, Bessie Peterson, Edward Ross, Claude Peterson, John Kates, Lowell Farrow
- 10th—Judy Weinberg, Thomas Statton, Wallace Caulk
- 11th—Janet Paskey, Thomasine Miller, Shirley Hurd, Jane Grier, Nancy Van Sant, Billy Wood
- 12th—Elmer O'Day, Thelma Griffith, Doris Legates, Wayne Dill, Charlotte Ludlow, Mary Anne Jackson

High Honors

- 2-A—Joyce Frazier, Patricia Carlisle, Mitchell Godwin, Charlotte Robinson, Janet McDowell, Sharon Wisk, Joanne Pierman, Marilyn Green.
- 2-B — Craig Eliason, Melody Bassett, Barbara Jarrell, Linda Price.
- 3-B—Joyce Brittingham, William Dill.
- 4-A — Carol Kashner, Patty Warren.
- 4-B — Lois Holden, James Blades, Peggy Kates.
- 5-A—Joyce Tatman.
- 5-B—Diane Killen, Rita Hall, Brenda Blunt, Sharon Reynolds.
- 6th—Ann Hall, Ruth Weinberg.
- 7-A — James Reed, Mary Sharpnack.
- 8-A—Margaret Chambers, Ellen Price, James Goeger.
- 9th — Marie Carlisle, Jerry Barr.
- 10th — Doris Gruwell.
- 11th — Jean Reed.
- 12th — Louise Henry, Norma Jean Walls, Evelyn Good, Gene Carlisle, Laura Belle Sharpnack.

Odd Facts

Japanese silk is making a strong come-back in overseas markets, Tokyo learns.

Undersea oil will be sought by an American firm off Puerto Cabezas, Nicaragua.

A Rangoon, Burma, firm wants American capital to help mine lead sulfite ore.

World rice output in 1956-57 should reach an all-time high, Tokyo reports.

On an average, 20 persons disappear daily in the British Isles, London reports.

All property and "gas" taxes the Government of Iraq collects now go to its cities.

Jean Pearson, 9, collected 84 different wildflowers in a contest at Dover, England.

Plans for an \$18,000,000 hydro plant on Liberia's St. Paul River are under study.

Costa Rica now has four plants producing machine-made shoes, San Jose reports.

Cigarette output has gained four per cent in South Africa during the last year.

Felton

The subject of Rev. Larry Renner's sermon Sunday morning was, "Halting Too Long". The junior choir anthem was, "Our Best and the Senior Choir anthem was, "Closer to Jesus."

The W.S.C.S. will hold its February meeting at the home of Mrs. James Cahall Monday, Feb. 4 at 2 p.m. The theme of the February program is, "Whom Shall I Send?" Mrs. A. C. Dill is worship leader for February. Mrs. Lawrence Cain is chairman of the hostesses and will be assisted by Mrs. James Cahall, Mrs. Marin McGinnis and Mrs. George Harrington.

The Evening Circle will meet at the home of the president; Mrs. Lee Harrington Monday evening. Mrs. Vesco and Mrs. William M. Hammond will be in charge of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Niepke have moved into the apartment in the home of Mrs. Cora Hughes. Mrs. Niepke is the former Virginia Saboe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ingwald Saboe.

Masten Satterfield of Detroit, was the guests of his sister, Mrs. Lee Harrington and Mr. Harrington from Sunday until Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tindall of Beverly, Mass., were the weekend guests of Mrs. Grace Turner and sons Morris and Terry. Mrs. Tindall was a former classmate of Mrs. Turner at the hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Edmund Harrington was hostess to her Bridge Club, last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Russell Torbert and daughter, Nancy, spent Thursday and Friday in Ocean City, with Mrs. Torbert's mother, Mrs. Mary Young.

Mrs. Richard Hardy attended a luncheon of the Wilmington New Century Club in the Gold Ball Room at Hotel DuPont, past Thursday.

Last Sunday's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Harrington were, Masten Satterfield of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Layton and Mrs. Arta Masten of Harrington.

Mrs. Benjamin Rash spent the weekend in Philadelphia with her mother, Mrs. Helen Russell.

Mrs. Lewis Taylor returned to her home Saturday after being a patient in the Milford Memorial Hospital several days last week.

Mrs. William E. Haines of Wilmington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Torbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blades had for their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Alcorn and son, Bobby, of Wilmington.

Walter W. Moore E.N.F. of Naval Shipyard Philadelphia was home for overnight on Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Moore.

Mrs. Clarence Ott, of Riverside, N. J., is spending a few days with her niece Mrs. Cora Killen.

Mrs. Walter H. Moore entered the Delaware Hospital Sunday for an operation on her hand.

Avon Club Seeks Scholarship Fund

William Hall, Speech and Hearing Therapist of Child Guidance and Development of the Department of State Instruction at Dover awas the speaker at the Avon Club last Wednesday. Mr. Hall spoke on the Development of the Speech and Hearing Program in Delaware and Kent County.

Feb. 6 the Club members will visit the John Dickinson Mansion near Dover. Members are to meet at the Fire Hall at 1:15 p.m. for a brief business meeting before leaving for the mansion. This program is in charge of the Conservation chairman, Mrs. Lynn Torbert and her committee, Mrs. Russell Torbert, Mrs. Edgar Killen, Mrs. Charles Bostick and Miss Dorothy Heyd.

The Club will sponsor a card party—bridge, 500 and Canasta at the Fire Hall, Saturday, Feb. 9 for the benefit of the scholarship fund for a Felton High School senior.

Western Samoa has ordered equipment for a government printing press, Apia learns.

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Cub Scout News

The Pledge to the Flag led by David Coverdale opened the Pack meeting of the Cub Scouts of Pack 76 held Friday evening in the Methodist Asbury Church. The following awards were given by Cubmaster Robert Masten: Donnie Draper, silver arrow; Lee Vincent and Charles Taylor, bear badge and gold arrow; Bobby Matthews, wolfe badge and gold arrow; Randy Knox, gold and silver arrow; Ronnie Hughes, bear badge, gold arrow, and lion book.

A Bobcat ceremony was performed for Den 2. The Cubmaster dressed in Indian headdress and blanket called the boys around the campfire. After passing the requirements a red feather was placed in their colored head bands. Those receiving Bobcat badges and membership cards: Charles McNally, John Greenhaugh, Alex Argo, David Greenly, William Lord, and Billy Outen.

The Cubmaster then performed a Webelo ceremony with each colored burning candle marking each step taken in Cub Scouting. Randy Knox and Walter Purdue received the Webelo badge and are now Boy Scouts.

Skits was presented by Dens 2, 4, and 5 and interesting displays in keeping with the January theme, "Eyes in the Sky." Den 3 made a very nice game in which the Cubs and their dads participated.

The Cub Scouts will celebrate Scout week starting Feb. 8 with Cub Scout achievements displayed in Mr. Bullocks window. On Sunday Feb. 10 the Cub Scouts will attend the Pilgrims Holiness Church meeting there 10:30 a.m.

The plans are being completed for the Blue and Gold Banquet of the Cub Scouts and their parents. This will be held in the cafeteria of the Harrington School, Feb. 22 starting at 6:30 p.m. Each family will bring one covered dish and pay one dollar.

The next committee meeting will be held at the home of Mr. Mrs. Randall Knox, Fri. Feb. 15.

Contributions To March of Dimes

Despite the inclement weather the most successful Mothers March on Polio ever held in Harrington resulted in a collection of \$450 last Tuesday evening. The March was heralded by a blast of the fire siren at 7 p. m. The Harrington Volunteer Fire Company ambulance driven by Chief Douglas Mills and a fire truck driven by Russell Blades toured the city in advance on the Marchers. It can be said that more porch lights were burning Tuesday evening than at any other given time in the history of Harrington. The residents were highly praised by the Marchers for the courtesy shown and the liberal contributions.

The American Legion Auxiliary Unit, sponsors of the March, acknowledge the assistance given by the Boy Scouts, the Harrington Fire Co., the officials of the City of Harrington, the volunteer solicitors, and the publicity by the Harrington Journal and other sources.

The committee regrets that pamphlets were distributed elsewhere where not available Tuesday night. These pamphlets urge all citizens under the age of 50 years to get a SALK vaccine vaccination as a preventative against polio. The American and Delaware Medical Associations join in this plea.

If you have not already contributed to the March of Dimes you are urged to do so before the end of the campaign on Feb. 11th. Contributions will be received at the First National Bank and the Peoples Bank.

The following were among those who participated in this year's Mothers March on Polio: Rosella Humes, Matilda B. Brown, Nell Clendening, Emily Killen, Kathryn Simpson, May Jester, Bessie Jester, Lillian Black, Grace Adams, Pauline Price, Elma Price, Anna Lee Anderson, Jeanne McDonald, Mary Tucker, Thelma Rash, Gladys M. Hurd, Janice Callaway, Irene Outten, Betty Hopkins, Merle Roth, Anna Lee Taylor, Leaner Waters, Elma Thorpe, Thelma Dill, Emma Lee Hughes, Martha P. Smith, Marie M. Callaway, Hazel Hopkins, Ellen Perry, Pauline Warrington, Margaret

W.B.A. News

The Officers Club of the Women's Benefit Association met at the home of Mrs. Katherine Johnson Tuesday evening, Jan. 29th with 17 members present and one guest. Mrs. Edith Shockley won the door prize. An election of new officers for 1957 took place and the results were as follows: President, Mrs. Lilly Sullivan; vice-president, Mrs. Katherine Johnson; recording secretary, Mrs. Elsie Barlow; treasurer, Mrs. Josephine Wechtenhiser; sunshine, Mrs. Virginia Clarkson; publicity, Mrs. Katie Austin.

The members of the W.B.A. are planning to celebrate their 33rd anniversary in the form of a covered dish dinner to be held at the home of Mrs. Katherine Johnson Thursday evening, Feb. 7th, at 6:30. Each member is requested to bring a 50 cent exchange gift.

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4 Dr., Radio and Heater, Ready to go.
- 1953 CHEVROLET \$945
4 Dr., Very Good Buy. Radio and Heater
- 1954 PLYMOUTH \$1345
2 Dr., Station Wagon
- 1954 CHEVROLET \$1195
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