

## CAPITAL PUNISHMENT PASSES CARVEL'S VETO

The House of Representatives late Monday night voted by the slimmest possible margin to override the governor's veto of the capital punishment bills.

Capital punishment was restored in Delaware, after having been off the books for 3 1/2 years, when the House concurred with the Senate in overriding the vetoes of the two bills.

In each case, the House mustered the bare 21 votes necessary for a three-fifths majority.

This could not be done earlier Monday when the House first took up one of the vetoed bills because of the absence of Rep. Charles F. Richards, R-Dover. There were 20 votes to override the bill in the absence of Richards, and the roll call was tabled.

Thus, because of his absence during the afternoon, the quiet, mid-mannered Republican had thrust upon him the power to cast the deciding vote.

When he appeared Monday night his mind was made up. He said he had been at Legislative Hall until 1:30 p.m. and then had been called to the hospital where his son, Dr. Charles F. Richards Jr., a Wilmington surgeon, underwent surgery.

Richards said he voted against abolishing capital punishment in the 119th General Assembly.

"I voted against it and I still have that conviction . . . Until the state gets me something better than what we have I'm going to vote 'Yes.' And he did.

The roll call revealed 21 yeas (Annett, Baker, Busker, Clifton, Eskridge, Exley, Fifer, Gove, Hoeker, Moore, Pretzman, Quigley, Richards, Robbins, Shulties, Snowden, Truitt, Tribbitt), and 14 nays (Bartleson, Best, Blendt, Casey, Davidson, Dineen, Downs, Ehinger, Keenan, Kleinbach, Livingston, Murray, Pawson, Shockley.)

The roll call also revealed that upstate representatives generally voted to sustain the governor (and not return the death penalty) while down state legislators voted to restore capital punishment.

Only three representatives from New Castle County (Gove, Quigley and Tribbitt) voted to override. One representative from Sussex (Best) and one from Kent (Ehinger) voted against overriding.

After overriding the first capital punishment bill, the House quickly overrode the veto on the companion measure which specifies hanging as the method of execution. There were the same 21 yeas with 12 nays and 2 absent (Davidson and Pawson).

Earlier the House spent a long, tense time debating the merits of restoring capital punishment before it voted. It is doubtful the debate changed any votes, but it served to explain why some members voted as they did.

Speaker Tribbitt, who also voted for passage of the bill, said: "I am very much disturbed by the innuendo cast by others that one who votes for this bill at this time has lost his Christian concepts and is devoid of that requirement of conscience that a God-fearing man should possess.

"Such thinking is not American, unless those who have it desire it to apply to our forebears who laid down the principles and concepts of law and

## New Score Sheet Same Old Rules,

Farmers who are starting to fill out their 1961 income tax forms will find they're slightly different this year, says George Vapaa, Kent County agent. The rules are still the same only the "score sheet" has changed.

A new form 1040 consisting of only two pages replaces the old four page form. Farmers must also file form 1040F-1 to report earnings for social security taxes.

Deadlines for filing are the same as last year, Mr. Vapaa reports. The declaration of estimated tax is due by January 15. Final tax return must be filed and the tax paid by April 15th. If a farmer does not file an estimate of his tax, he must file his final return and pay the tax by February 15.

Copies of the 1962 edition of the Farmers Tax Guide are now available from the County Extension Office on the second floor of the Dover Postoffice building. The 64-page booklet gives complete instructions on how to report income and expenses and take deductions. It also includes a complete calendar of dates that affect taxpayers in 1962.

order which have sustained our society from the beginning."

Earlier in his comments Tribbitt said he concluded that "It is wrong for anyone to say that any penal statute is not a deterrent to crime." He said no one can provide a yardstick to measure the amount, but he suggested that being mindful of the consequences could deter premeditated murder.

Best, who voted for the bill, declared he is glad he had "a second chance." He said that after a lot of thought and sleepless hours he concluded he did not

## Three Students Receive Science Awards

Science awards were presented to David Brobst, Frank Welch and Susan McDonald at an Award's Assembly Thursday morning (Dec. 21) at Harrington High School.

Also letter awards were given for fall sports to the following students:

Hockey, Varsity—Jackie Ruscum, Linda Smith, Jean Thomas, Dawn Hopkins, Shirley Cox, Sue McDonald, Sue Brown, Pat Richardson, Claudia Neeman, Carol Smith, Michele Jack, Nancy Harrington, Bonnie Tucker, Lois Larimore, Nancy Blades, Mgr.; Carol McNally, Mgr.; Sharon Walls.

Hockey, Jr. High—Nina Hitchens, Marilyn Walls, Phyllis Robinson, Elizabeth Trotta, Brenda Neeman, Judy Burgess, Peggy O'Neal, Sylvia Outten, Nancy Callaway, Barbara Cox, Joan Smith, Frances Downing, Jeanne Anderson.

Cross-Country, Varsity—Clarence Hackett, Kenneth Garey, Dennis Rogers, Wayne Carson, Erwin Rogers, Milton Szmajda, Allen Wix, Jeff Adams, Robert Smith.

Cross-Country, Jr. High—Frank Cain, Lawrence Bonniwell, Albert Ratledge.

Jr. High Football—Dennis Simpson, Richard Black, Ricky Jester, Fred Parker, Larry Garvey, Rusty Jack, Glenn Smith, Artie Taylor, Ronnie Hughes, Jim Lyons, Ellis Myer, William Lord, Gary Harris, Mike Wansley, Donny Knox, Danny Adams, Donny Fry, Charles Dean, Ed Wheatley, Steve Motter, Mike Knoch.

Varsity Football—Tim Strohl, Wayne Collison, Mannie Robinson, Tom Jones, George Jerread, William Adams, Terry Johnson, Nelson Reed, Ron Broce, William Parker, Jeff Adams, Barry Fry, Dave Harcum, Joe Taylor, Paul Rash, Ronald Melvin, Ken Garey, Tom Lord, Charles Taylor, William Porter, Stewart Greenberg, William Sollars, Randy Knoch.

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## Reassessment of 10 Best Race Mares Now Underway

The annual reassessment of the Ten Greatest American Race Mares is underway by Delaware Park according to an announcement from Helen Stairwalt, who mailed ballots to the members of the American Trainers Association. Sent along with the ballot, which asks for a vote on two questions, is a set of past performances provided by Triangle Publications which show the great races of the famous mares of yesteryear.

Originally the ranking of the Ten Greatest American Race Mares was made in 1955 by the membership of the American Trainers Association, and those horsemen are asked their opinion at the end of each season what filly or mare, regardless of age, is the best of the year. The second question is whether or not they would re-assess the ranking, and include the winning selection among the Ten Greatest.

The past performances that go with the ballots include the races of such as Miss Woodford who was foaled in 1880, Imp, a foal of 1894; and Beldame, a foal of 1901. This is to give modern trainers a knowledge of mares long gone. The complete ranking

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## Anna Mae Baker Wedded to E. Alan Draper

The candlelight wedding of Miss Anna Mae Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Baker Sr., to E. Alan Draper, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Draper, took place on Saturday evening, Dec. 2, at 7 o'clock in the Union Methodist Church, Burrsville.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Donald Hurst.

Wedding music was played by Mr. Melvin Brobst, with Mrs. Imogene Kramedas as soloist.

The church was decorated with palms, candelabums, white chrysanthemums, and white pom-poms.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of white chantilly lace and nylon tulle over taffeta. The sculptured lace bodice featured a sabrina neckline with lace applique embroidered in irridescent and baby seed pearls with long tapered sleeves, points ending over hand. The bouffant skirt featured a scalloped hemline with the back panels of the gown forming alternate tiers of scalloped lace and tulle. Her fingertip veil of nylon tulle fell for man irridescent and baby seed pearl tiara. She carried a cascade of white fugi mums.

Mrs. Adel Jones was matron of honor. She wore a ballerina length gown of holly red brocade with matching shoes. The molded bodice featured a scoop neckline with short cape sleeves. An inverted front pleat accented the bell shaped skirt with a large loop bow in the back. She carried red carnations in a half-moon design placed on a white fur muff with a matching white fur head band.

The bridesmaids were Mrs. Margie Baker, sister-in-law of the bride, and Mrs. Madalyn Jones, sister of the bride. They were dressed identical to the matron of honor.

Mr. Jack Jones was best man. Ushers were Mr. Richard McKenzie and Mr. Eugene Wright.

The mother of the bride wore a blue and gold brocade sheath. The fitted bodice featured a scoop neckline with dropped shoulder length sleeves. She was adorned by a corsage of yellow pom-poms with brown accessories.

The mother of the bridegroom wore a mid-night blue wool sheath featuring a jewel neckline with bracelet length sleeves. She wore a corsage of white pom-poms with black accessories.

The reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the American Legion Home in Harrington.

After a honeymoon in the Poconos, the couple will reside at 8A Mechanic Street, Harrington.

## What to Do With A Living Christmas Tree

Now that you've spent your hard earned money on a "living Christmas tree" this year, what do you do with it when Christmas is over? A lot of folks are asking this question.

For the past few seasons, nurseries in this area have been selling "living trees" which are simply evergreens with roots still growing in soil. The soil is held in place by baskets, cans, plastic or burlap. These trees have enjoyed a lot of popularity this year.

Time was when you put the decorations back in the box, carried the tree out to the trash pile and forgot about it until next Christmas. It's not that simple with a living tree.

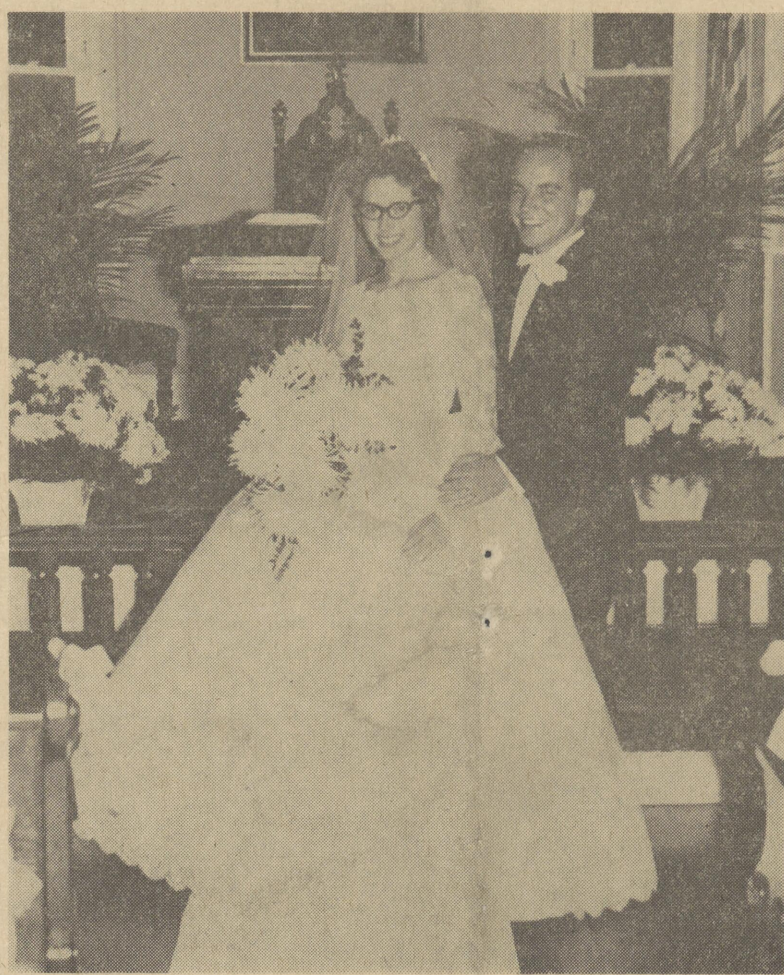
I hope you thought about a place to re-plant the tree before you bought it. If not you may find yourself crowding it in someplace or wishing you had a different size or shape.

The next consideration is what does it take to keep a living tree living? Be sure to supply plenty of water to the soil since the warmth of your home will cause a lot of evaporation.

The tree is in a dormant state now and should remain that way until spring. If it is kept indoors too long, the dormant buds may start to grow. This in itself may not be too serious but when the tree is planted outdoors these buds may be injured or killed by the cold weather.

Living trees should be kept indoors no more than three or four days to prevent these dormant buds from starting to grow. A cool location in the house will also help.

Plant the tree as soon as possible and mulch it to prevent frost heaving and root injury and hope the ground isn't frozen too hard to prevent digging.



MR. and MRS. E. ALAN DRAPER

## CHILD BUREAU GETS \$400 MORE IN KENT

The Kent County Levy Court voted Tuesday to grant \$400 more to the Children's Bureau.

Mrs. M. Hayes Wilson Jr., member of the Children's Bureau, asked for the \$400 to bring the county in line with work the agency does for orphaned babies and young children.

The bureau, supported mostly by the United Community Fund of Northern New Castle County, spends about eight per cent of its budget for the county's homeless children through finding foster homes or arranging adoption.

Mrs. Wilson asked the Levy Court to "consider her most earnest request" and also indicated she would make the same request of the Sussex County Levy Court.

The \$400 makes \$1400 given to the bureau by Kent County but Levy Court members agreed that "this is an agency which saves the taxpayers money."

Mrs. Wilson told the Court the Bureau takes babies or children from the Welfare Board up to 9 years old and either places them in foster homes or arranges adoption. She said \$12 a week is paid to families of a home for the children.

The added money from Kent County plus money to be requested from Sussex will help eliminate a dangerous deficit, according to Mrs. Wilson.

In other action Tuesday the Levy Court reviewed a \$31,199 request by the State Welfare Board for the county's share of welfare costs, a \$10,000 increase over previous years for January.

The members bridled a bit but Walter A. Handsberry, clerk of the peace, said later he thinks the large increase is based on normal estimates for January.

Judge William G. Bush III, court of common pleas, Dover, discussed additional expenses he expects as a result of new laws giving his court increased jurisdiction in misdemeanors and allowing jury trials.

Bush told the court he expected more jury trials, especially

## Reese Theatre To Give Free Show Today

The Reese Theatre will give its 48th annual free Christmas show today at 2:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.



PHONE NUMBERS: Leon de Valinger (left) state archivist at the Dover Hall of Records on Monday (December 18) accepted micro-filmed copies of Delaware telephone directories (1899-1960) from William S. Cashel Jr., operations manager for the Diamond State Telephone Company. Dory Collins, the company's public affairs supervisor, is at right. The 18 film rolls contain 36,482 pages of alphabetical and classified listings. The earliest is the 1899 Dover directory with 23 pages. Wilmington's earliest is 1903 with 59 pages. Wilmington's 1960 book has 762 pages. A similar set of micro-films was presented recently to the Wilmington Free Library.

## Jr. Football League Plans Covered-dish Banquet

Plans for a covered-dish banquet honoring the Harrington Jr. League Football players and cheerleaders are being completed. The banquet will be held in January and the date will be published later. Trophies for Team Championship, best defensive player, best offensive player, player showing most sportsmanship and the most outstanding player will be awarded. In addition, each player and cheerleader will receive a medalion representing Jr. League Football. Every player, cheerleader and his or her family is urged to attend this gala affair.

Officers for the incoming year were elected as follows:

President, Jack Swain; vice president, James Lobo; secretary, Doris Fry; treasurer, Jack Redden.

A set of league by-laws was compiled and adopted by those members present at this meeting.

The league wishes to express their sincere thanks for the generous donations which have been and are still being received. This community project has proved to be quite successful and rewarding. The league is anticipating an even more enjoyable and inspiring year during the incoming one.

## Petty Officers May Re-enlist At Same Pay Grade

Because of the increasing demand for qualified personnel in certain specialties, the Navy Department has announced that some former petty officers, discharged from the regular Navy within the last four years, are now eligible to re-enlist in the same rate and grade held at the time of discharge.

Robert A. Kuehn, Jr., SO1 Recruiter in charge on the U.S. Navy Recruiting Station, Keith Building, Dover, stated that, formerly, only men re-enlisting within three months of discharge could be assured to re-enlisting in the same status that they held prior to their discharge. "While this three months policy is still in effect," Kuehn said, "the Navy has now broadened the scope of re-enlistments to include a wide variety of specialties in which men can re-enlist without reduction in grade or loss of pay up to four years from discharge."

Recruiter Kuehn explained further that ex-naval reserve petty officers, discharged within the last two years are eligible to enlist in the regular Navy under the same provisions. Former Navy men can determine their eligibility under this new re-enlistment program by contacting Robert A. Kuehn Jr., SO1 at the local recruiting station, in the Keith Bldg., or by calling him at RE 4-7319.

## FHA Praised By McDowell

Congressman Harris B. McDowell, Jr., (D-Del.) reviewed the 1961 program in Delaware of the Farmers Home Administration and praised the agency for its contribution to Delaware's agricultural advancement.

The Delaware Congressman pointed out that: "During 1961, the Farmers Home Administration advanced more funds in Delaware and other States than in any previous year, assisted thousands of additional farm families, and received a number of credit authorities needed to meet changing conditions in agriculture.

"In February, the Administration made available through Farmers Home Administration an additional \$50 million for farm housing loans and \$35 million for farm operating loans. These funds had been appropriated by Congress but not used.

"During fiscal year 1961, the Farmers Home Administration advanced \$70.3 million for farm

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## Felton to Award Prizes To Christmas Decorators

Prizes will be given as usual for the most effective Christmas decorations to two homes in town and two in surrounding community. Also one prize to the business place either in town or surrounding community.

NOTICE

All Correspondents have copy by Wednesday of next week.

## MERCHANTS YULETIDE PROGRAM ON LAST LAP

### Carvel's Christmas Address to Delawareans

Noting that "Providence has been kind to us" and that Delawareans "have prospered in nearly all fields of endeavor," Governor Elbert N. Carvel this week pointed out that citizens of the First State should "approach the Christmas season with especially grateful hearts."

In his annual Christmas message to the people of Delaware, the chief executive also advised that "we know that forces for good are at work among our people and that the spirit of brotherhood is strong within us."

Governor Carvel also quoted writer Charles Dickens, whom he said had expressed the Christmas spirit most eloquently when he said: "Christmas is a good time; a kind, forgiving, charitable, pleasant time; the only time I know of, in the long calendar of the year when men and women seem by one consent to open their hearts—freely."

Governor Carvel concluded his Christmas message by wishing for all Delawareans "a joyous and a blessed Christmas."

### L.O.O.M. Christmas Party for the Underprivileged

Sunday afternoon, Dec. 17, the Harrington Lodge No. 534 Loyal Order of Moose held its annual Christmas party for underprivileged children at the Moose Home.

At the party were 50 children of which 15 were from the Felton area, 4 from the Greenwood area and 31 were from the Harrington area.

The party began with the Rev. Nelson Benjamin of the Trinity Methodist Church reading "The Christmas Story" to the children.

Christmas carols were sung by the children accompanied by Mrs. Dorothy Wilson of Milford at the piano.

The highlight of the afternoon for these children was Santa coming into our Lodge Home, greeting the children and presenting each child their gifts. Drawings were held and games which refreshments were served for extra prizes after ed. The enjoyable two and a half hour party was then brought to a close with each child receiving apples, oranges and candy.

The members of Harrington Lodge No. 534 and Women of the Moose Chapter No. 1229 wish to express their sincere appreciation to the following: the Rev. Nelson Benjamin of the Trinity Methodist Church, who gave of his time to bring the Christmas message to these children; Jack Redden, manager of the Acme Market; The Huber Baking Co.; Quillen's Market; C. E. McWilliams, all of Harrington; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reed, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Dorothy Wilson, of Milford, for their donations that helped to make the children happy and the party a success.

The committee of the Women of the Moose Chapter No. 1229 consisted of: Mrs. Iva Banning, committee chairman, and Mrs. Ann McWilliams, both of Harrington. Kay Jones, Etzel McCready, Blanch Carr, Elizabeth Reed, all of Harrington; Mrs. Dorothy Wilson of Milford; Mrs. Margaret Link, of Frederica, and Ina Reed, of Wilmington, also assisted with the party.

The committee of Harrington Lodge No. 534 consisted of committee chairman, Earl Yoder and assisted by Brothers: C. E. McCready and C. E. McCready.

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## Armed Forces Notes

Louis P. Everline, airman, U SN, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Everline of Route 2, Greenwood, is serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Independence, operating with the Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean.

The carrier, scheduled to return to its Norfolk, Va., home port late in December, has visited Cannes, Athens, Istanbul, Genoa, Naples and Rhodes.

## WILLIAMSVILLE CHURCH HAVE CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The annual Christmas Program will be presented in the Williamsville Methodist Church Fri., Dec. 22, at 7:30 p.m. A treat will be given the children of the Sunday School.

The final phase of the annual Christmas program sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and other civic interests will be featured by treats to the children, a drawing for the major prize of merchandise, a free movie for everyone, and the judging in the annual lighting contest.

The children will receive their final treats of the season at 1 p.m., tomorrow at the Santa Claus house at Commerce and Fleming Streets.

The Reese Theatre will give its annual Christmas show, free to everyone, at 2:30 p.m. today.

The annual drawing of merchandise will be held tomorrow at 8:45 p.m., at the Christmas tree at Commerce and Clark Streets. The major prize will be a stereo and \$100 in other merchandise.

Winners must be present. Tickets may be picked up from co-operating merchants who are identified by signs in their windows.

Winners in last Saturday's drawings were Gene Tipsword, Ben Emory, Dennis Spicer, Earl Knotts, Kenna Jo McKnatt, Clara B. Hammond, Oscar Cohee, Donald McKnatt, and Mabel Knotts, all of Harrington.

The annual Christmas lighting contest, with prizes to be awarded community-wide, will be judged next week. Prizes will be as follows: Best-decorated home, \$25, second, \$10; most original home, 1st, \$10; second, \$5; best window, \$10; best door, \$10.

## Starkey, Jerread Cop Matches at Milford Mat Meet

By Keith S. Burgess

Lewis Starkey and George Jerread performed the unusual feat of winning in their first competitive outings as Coach Mike Mock's wrestling Lions made a good showing at the Milford Invitational Wrestling Tournament held Saturday. Eight schools competed in 125 matches.

Wrestling is brand-new at Harrington High and the Lions must face more experienced foes every time out this term. Experience is more important in the mat sport than it is in some other athletic endeavors because a grappler who has mastered the many holds, counters and other moves can defeat a tyro with great strength.

Starkey, wrestling in the 165 pound class won over Long of Milford by referee's decision after an overtime period. The Lion freshman is very strong, has good speed, works hard in practice and should be one of the best in the state in his junior and senior years. Lewis accounted for Harrington's four points as he finished fourth in the final standings.

Jerread lost his first match but came back in the consolation bracket to take an overtime decision over a Caesar Rodney grippster.

Paul Rash, George Bonniwell, Nelson Reed and Charles Taylor had the disquieting experiences of having the luck-of-the-draw pit them against state champions for their first matches in competition. This quartet gave the titleholders stiff opposition. Reed and Rash actually had the state kings in trouble before finally yielding to superior mat knowledge.

Delmar was the carnival champion with Georgetown second, and Milford third. Other teams were Harrington, Millsboro, Caesar Rodney, Wicomico and Smyrna.

The locals next match is January 5 when tough Georgetown comes here. Starting time is 7 p.m.

Changes to the schedule show Cambridge, Md. meeting the Lions here in Feb. 14th and the Milford dual meet will be January 25 at Milford, instead of Jan. 20.

## Trinity M.Y.F. To Present

The Methodist Youth Fellowship of Trinity Church, under the direction of Mrs. Jack Redden, will present Sunday evening, Dec. 24, a sacred service of lights entitled "The Great Light." The time of the service is to be 7:30 o'clock. The service of lights has been adapted from the New Testament story of the Birth and Life of Jesus by Mattie B. Shannon.

The public is invited to attend the presentation.

Sulky Slants



By MRS. DAVE (PAT) SMITH

With Christmas almost here everyone seems to have the holiday spirit. As you dash around meeting friends, the same old saying, Gosh, am I glad it's almost over.

Course there are always a few, like myself that wait till the last minute to finish off.

Out here at the track trainers, owners and groomers are all busy. Some will spend Christmas in far off places, some right here.

What trailers that are out over here this year are all lighted up with wreaths, mistletoe and holly. The youngsters, that all you hear, "Nearly Christmas."

You can guess it's going to be really merry as you see the cars, some full of gift wrapped packages.

You will hear one youngster say, "See Pat, what I got for my mother or dad. Maybe it's a dog, cat, bird or for their horses."

After all that's really where the Christmas spirit begins, with the children.

Lucy has the restaurant all fixed up so nice. She has tried to make it as homey as possible for the people out here that have to make their home away from home.

As usual was over to the managers office. Mr. Simpson, our new manager out here back from his hunting trip, but I forgot to ask him did he get a deer.

Had long chat with Virginia Holloway. With her first Christmas alone. I couldn't say too much for I know exactly how she feels.

Was over to the Stokley barn which always looks so nice. Mrs. Stokley tells me they have eight head of horses. Mostly colts with more coming in after first of year.

Ken Ernest and his daughter have six of their own in training this year.

Sam Kennedy, our harness repair and equipment man, just as busy as can be.

But the cutest thing about his trailer is th big blue kitty that sits in the picture window watching everyone come and go. Sam do you remember the old days? So many have gone since then. When the boys would gather in your small quarters, race all the races over of the

season. And how you could work up a breeze. Laughing and talking. Why, Sam, you would even put boards for benches for the boys to sit on.

Now it's all so commercial. Gone are all the old timers that used to sit and spin those yarns.

But Sam you're no different. And don't leave out Mrs. Kennedy, how she would work too. But not in the little place.

I can hear Solly Swartz or Mr. Lyons Sr. say, let's go over and keep Sam company, he works faster.

Nod really for an old timer. Jim Davis Sr., that has been with Mr. Vineyard for years is all excited for a little bird told me he has been shining his silver for a week getting ready for a Christmas visit down in Rocky Mt., N. C. We wouldn't dare to really tell how old he is.

I can't imagine who they call Lover Boy out here but I've been asked, do I know him. Yes I do but I won't give him away.

Mrs. Ellison busy cleaning the club room. Getting it ready for Christmas.

A little news outside the track. All the boys in the Post Office here are really so nice. Take our postmaster, Howard Dill, never too busy for happy hello. Then there's John Lord, Al Price, Mr. Wise and Carl Brown, Keith Burgess and Lewis Wroten, everyone is wonderful. What a grand bunch. With all the rush everyone will have a Merry Christmas to everyone.

Each and everyone of the stores here are all the same way. Just as friendly as can be. The Acme Market. The manager and employees are so nice with all the Christmas rush.

Miss Thorpe, who owns the Star Lite Shop, with cheery hello, Pat.

Was over to The Bridle Bit, had a chat with Sarah. She has the place fixed up so nice and the eats are really out of this world. Don't seem to run into Bobby. Still a gathering place for old friends.

Harry Adams happened to come in while I was there. Now for sure we talked of old times when he and Irene ran the place. If the walls could only talk. Maybe it's just as well.

While we were there someone came in said the Bowers Barn in Greenwood was on fire. So Harry and his friend and I took off to Greenwood. But when I got down there I happened to remember I had left roast in the oven. So we turned around and came back. Well it was blacker than the barn that burned.

But I went down later to see the Bowers. Was so glad no

horses were burned up.

Mrs. Bowers told me that it was one time when Andy turned the horses out and said scat, they really ran. When I left to come home the barn was still burning. Over a thousand bales of hay and grain.

Was over to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Griffiths and when I get there it's hard to leave. Always so much to talk about. For one thing Mr. Griffith had a birthday last week. I asked, Mr. Griff, are you like Jack Benny, only 39? No he said 80 years young. A lot of fire and ginger for his age. Gets around better than a lot of younger people.

Carrington on his way to breakfast today reading his paper. Just a smile and hello.

Mrs. Winnie Burgess in the Acme store. See you had that basket full. Was there a Christmas turkey in it too. If so, I'll be over.

Mrs. Connie Enslin the former race secretary of Freehold also in getting her Christmas supplies.

Well for me I took trip into Philadelphia to buy a Pek (white) pup. But the pup was cream. Why don't they get the right color? So I didn't get the pup. After all the fog I fought going up.

But I enjoyed Market and Walnut St. store so pretty. The town was really beautiful with all the Christmas decorations.

Anyone having anything they would like to put in this column of interest horses or otherwise that I might miss just send it

to Box 163 here. If it can be used it will be in. Thanks.

Merry Christmas to all our readers of The Harrington Journal.

Burrsville

Church services for the Burrsville churches for Sunday, Dec. 24, the Rev. Donald Hurst, pastor.

Union — worship service 10 o'clock. Sunday School 11 o'clock Anstine Stafford, supt.

Wesley — Sunday School 10 o'clock, Norman Outten, supt. Worship service 11 o'clock.

The Sunday evening service will be a Christmas entertainment at Union Church followed by a candlelight service at 9 o'clock at Wesley Church. The public is invited to both services.

This community extends their sympathy to Mrs. Fred Thawley in the sudden death of her father, John Richards, near Henderson, Md., Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bradley and Frankie called on Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bradley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown and family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Smith and daughters were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dunworth Welch and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Welch visited Edward Kohland on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Baker visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Singer Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corderdale of near Milford called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bradley and son, last week.

Cranberries Mean Holidays Ahead

by Miss Janet L. Coblentz

There's a gaiety about cranberries that's more than their rich red color. They sparkle the message—holiday ahead—from the grocers' shelves.

Maybe you wish you could do something different with cranberries this year. You can. Use them instead of raisins in your favorite muffin recipe. Or, freeze them with apple sauce to make a refreshing ice to serve in place of a salad. This ice is tart enough to be good with the meat course. Use two cups each of cranberry and applesauce, and fold in a meringue made with two egg whites and one-fourth cup sugar.

For a wealth of treasure-laden menu magic recipes try: Christmas tree salads—add chopped fresh cranberries, apples, celery and pecans to partially set lime gelatin. Pour mixture into cone-shaped paper cups which have been placed in water glasses to prevent them from tipping. Chill the gelatin until set. To serve, loosen edges with a knife and place broad end down on a bed of shredded greens. Decorate with a fluting of whipped cream, beginning at the base and swirling around the tree to the top. Make a rosette for a star and sprinkle tree with red sugar sparkles.

Cranberry Jewel Salad Mold 1 package cherry-flavored gelatin, 3/4 cup boiling water, 1/2 cup cold water, 1 orange, quartered (seeds removed), 1 can (1-lb) whole cranberry sauce.

Dissolve cherry gelatin in boiling water. Add cold water. Chill until partially set. Put orange (including rind) through food chopper (coarse blade). Mix it with whole cranberry sauce

and fold into partially set gelatin. Pour into a one quart mold or six to eight individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold on lettuce leaves and surround with fresh orange slices.

Cranberry Crunch 1 cup uncooked rolled oats, 1/2 cup flour, 1 cup brown sugar, 1/2 cup butter, 1 can (1-lb.) cranberry sauce.

Mix oats, flour, and brown sugar. Cut in butter until crumbly. Place half of this mixture in an 8x8 inch greased baking dish. Cover with cranberry sauce. Top with balance of

crumb mixture. Bake 45 minutes in 350 degrees F oven. Serve hot in squares topped with scoops of vanilla ice cream. Serves 6 to 8.

Cherry Cranberry Punch 3 pints cranberry juice cocktail, 3 cups orange juice, 1 1/4 cups lemon juice, 1 1/2 cups pineapple juice, 1 1/2 cups sugar, 3 cups water.

Combine sugar and water and cook for three minutes. Mix fruit juices with the syrup. Serve over crushed ice or ice cubes. Makes 25 servings.

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### Horticultural Society to Conduct Market Survey

The first step in improving the marketing situation of horticulture crops in the Delmarva area was taken at the 75th annual meeting of the Peninsula Horticultural Society held recently.

Meeting in Salisbury, Dec. 12 and 13, the society adopted a resolution establishing a committee to make a survey of the present horticulture crops and markets on the Peninsula. This committee will make recommendations for needed changes in the cropping practices and marketing systems to meet the changing times.

It was also decided to set up a meeting of leaders from fertilizer dealers, agricultural chemical manufacturers and distributors, fruit and vegetable package manufacturers, processing companies, and representatives of the Extension services of Virginia, Maryland and Delaware early in 1962. This group would explore and discuss ways to work together in promoting the production and marketing of horticultural crops on the Delmarva Peninsula.

George Kemp, Princess Anne, Md., 1961 president of the Society, in his report to the group said, "In the early days, we were mostly concerned with fruit production. We have seen this phase dwindle and the major emphasis switched to vegetable production. Horticultural crop production amounts to a 25 million dollar income annually. We are now trying to stress agricultural engineering practices and marketing concepts in our program. I feel more help and information is needed in these fields."

In the Secretary's report to the society, Robert F. Stevens, University of Delaware horticulturist, suggested some important changes be made in the annual meeting. He said it was the feeling of many of the members that more speakers be obtained from outside the Delmarva area so that members might be kept up-to-date on progress in production and marketing in other areas.

Also he pointed out the society should take a more active part in co-ordinating activities of various groups that affect horticultural crops on the Peninsula.

The 1962 slate of officers elected at the meeting include: president, Carlton Lowe, Laurel; vice-president, Irving Guy, Salisbury; treasurer, Herbert A. Richardson, Magnolia; secretary, Robert F. Stevens, University of Delaware; assistant secretary, Edward H. Ralph, University Substation, Georgetown; editor, Francis C. Stark, College Park, Md. County vice presidents from Delaware are: Warren Baker, Middletown, New Castle; Joseph Jackewicz, Magnolia, Kent; and George Rider, Laurel, Sussex. In his acceptance remarks, president Lowe said, "Farmers should ask for help, not be told what help they need. We should be asking our universities and other sources for the technical information and knowledge we need to do an effective job."

Research reports held most of the spotlight during the two-day meeting. Research workers from Maryland, Virginia, and Delaware reported on new varieties, disease and insect control and other production practices.

Professor E. P. Brasher, chairman of the horticultural department at the University of Delaware, reported on two new varieties that have been developed at the University. Delaware Belle, a new pepper variety, has been released after 12 years of hybridization and selection. It is highly resistant to tobacco mosaic and bears fruit of excellent quality for processing and the fresh market. Professor Brasher also reported on a new tomato variety, Delsler, which he feels is a highly desirable variety for commercial producers and the home garden.

Dr. D. J. Fieldhouse, University of Delaware horticulturist, reported excellent results with plastic sprays in reducing water loss in plants and improving plant survival. Other uses for this plastic material include: speeding up of germination by increasing soil temperature; reducing the severity of soil-borne diseases and reduced wind and water erosion. These materials can be applied with a farm prayer at relatively low cost, he said.

Professor E. M. Rahn, University of Delaware horticulturist, told the society that nutgrass and Johnsongrass can be effectively controlled or eradicated by following certain practices. He said repeated diskings or clean cultivations for one or two seasons, resulted in a great reduction in nutgrass infestations. Also Atrazin, Eptam and Tillam were effective herbicides in controlling nutgrass. The most effective control of Johnsongrass in University of Delaware experiments resulted with Dala-pen as a foliage spray.

### Fish & Game News

#### Duck Season Ends

Delaware's 40-day duck season ended at sunset Fri., Dec. 15. Although the season was the shortest ever, the general appraisal by the majority of duck hunters was that it was a successful one. Ice restricted hunting in only a few places and then for only a very few days. A little more true "ducking" weather would have been helpful.

Black ducks and mallards made up most of the take. The elusive green-winged teal stayed on later than usual and contributed much to the shooting if not always to the bag. Mixed bags of ducks and geese were very common adding to the general interest of the hunter.

The goose season continues in Delaware through Jan. 4.

Game officials stated that the 1961 season was characterized by heavy hunting pressure, large local duck populations, and an abnormal amount of illegal shooting both before and after the legal shooting hours.

#### Night Hunting and Public Opinion

Night hunting for deer, rabbits and waterfowl has been the most serious game violation this fall according to wardens of the Delaware Game and Fish Commission. Night patrols have been stepped up to combat these practices.

Magistrates co-operate with game wardens in opposing night time violations by levying heavy sentences against guilty parties. Fines usually exceed \$100 per person.

Over most of the State excellent co-operation with landowners and other true sportsmen has resulted in information leading to the arrest of violators. Public opinion is generally dead set against night hunters because groups of armed boys and men roaming the countryside at all hours of the night is a constant threat to life and property. Recent shootings at mail boxes, buildings and in one case, the wounding of a young girl has been attributed to night hunters.

Law enforcement officers feel that, in the final analysis, the best deterrent to night shooting is strong public disapproval which is made known to those who would consider such law violations.

**The Public Want to Know**  
Requests for the various information and education aids provided by the Game and Fish Commission continue at a record rate according to Elizabeth Caulk, division head. During November, there were 28 showings of wildlife films viewed by 2,400 persons, a live animal display in Dover viewed by thousands, mounted animal displays placed in nine public schools, 15 special meetings attended by Commission personnel, work completed on the winter issue of the "Delaware Conservationist" and a newsletter issued each week. In addition, hundreds of requests for information on hunting and fishing in Delaware were answered.

**Legislative Report**  
With the State Legislature about to recess for the next few weeks their action on fish and game matters can now be summarized.

House Bill 321, co-sponsored by Davidson and Hoeker, to in-

crease hunting and fishing licenses to \$3.20 and \$2.20 respectively passed the House handily but failed to get out of committee in the Senate. Passage of this bill was requested by the Game and Fish Commission at the urging of many hundreds of sportsmen throughout the State. Delaware licenses are now the lowest in the United States and are inadequate to meet rising costs of all phases of the Commission's operations.

A bill to increase the dog license from \$1 to \$2 has never come out of committee in the House. Latest reports are that a supplemental appropriation is being considered to prevent a complete winter shut-down of the Commission's Dog Control Division. This would provide a stop-gap solution to a nagging financial problem of long standing.

A bill to prohibit the hunting of deer with dogs passed both houses and became law.

### Property Transfers

Charles & Helen E. Potzer, Smyrna, to John & Ruth Dillmore, Smyrna, to Charles Pitzer, Smyrna. 28.1 acres on the north side of road leading from Smyrna and Woodland Beach Highway to Leipsic-Flemings Landing Hwy. \$10.00 consideration.

Howard H. & Clara M. Pletsch, duPont Highway, RD 2, Smyrna, to Arlington J. & Josephine M. Williams, 152 Killoran Drive, New Castle. 87,500 sq. ft. on the easterly side of the northbound lane of the dual highway, U. S. Route No. 13. \$8750.

Howard C. Stevenson, to Fred & Amy Thompson, 125 Mispillion Street, Harrington. Northerly side of Mispillion Street in Harrington. \$55 Stamps.

Bill R. & Jacqueline S. McCallon, Dover, to Albert C. & Margaret A. Marlin, Dover. Lot No. 65 in Lakewood Manor. \$5.30 Stamps.

### Delaware Food Market Report

Christmas is here, this season of traditions—a time of giving, a time of family togetherness, a time of merriment. Perhaps because all three blend so well in holiday feasting, special foods top the list of Christmas traditions around the world. Almost every country has its holiday dishes which say "Merry Christmas" anew each year.

In the United States, historically young in terms of Christmas, holiday foods have been borrowed and adopted from all over the world. Regardless of what your favorite Christmas menu is be sure to plan ahead so Christmas Day can be a day of joy and peace.

Here are a few pointers to remember. If you are having turkey, rib roast of beef or any other meat which you have kept in your deep freeze, be sure to allow enough time for it to defrost. It is true you can cook frozen meat, but it takes long and it also has a tendency to be watery because all the thawing is done while it cooks. The flavor isn't quite as good either. If you thaw your meat in the refrigerator it requires days not hours so do check your favorite cookbook to see how long it will take. There are quicker ways such as thawing the wrapped meat in a pan set under cold running water, this will cut the time in half or better.

If you are serving plum pudding remember that it should be piping hot to be at its best. Put the can in a pan, cover with water and let it simmer. It can also be put in a little water in your deep well cooker and steam. Either way it takes an hour or better depending on the size of the pudding. Another way is to cut the pudding and place the servings on a cookie sheet, cover with foil and put in the oven.

Salads, many vegetables and other trimmings can be prepared a day or so ahead. Sweet potato casserole is an excellent example of a vegetable that can be prepared ahead. Here is a don't though. Don't stuff your turkey ahead. Do this job before you put the bird in the oven.

A quick way to take care of leftovers for those of you with home freezers—bag and freeze any leftovers to use a week or so later.

### Greenwood

Christmas dinners and Christmas programs are delighting everyone in this area at the present. The Home Demonstration Club had its annual Christmas dinner on Dec. 12 with a wonderful attendance. The group was glad to have as their guest Mrs. Ralph Snowberger who showed some of her gifts taken in Europe. Gifts were exchanged and an hour of fellowship was enjoyed.

Saturday evening the Ever-Welcome Class of Grace Church held its annual Christmas dinner with about 48 present.

The Grace Church Choir held the annual candlelighting service Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Joyce Lane Dyer sang compositions by Handel and Gounod; Lou Reynolds, director of Union Methodist Choir in Bridgeville, did solo work in compositions by Yon, Hall, and Handel; Jeanette Clifton Coulter sang the spiritual, "Sweet Little Jesus Boy"; Leon Donovan sang "But

Who May Abide the Day of His Coming." Mrs. Kathryn Copple presented a prelude of carols at the console. A coffee hour followed with Mrs. Rosa Johnson presiding.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mariner were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mariner in Snow Hill on the occasion of the Senior Mariners 54th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cockburn, Sr. of Dover were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Meredith.

Dickie Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allison Davis is home for the Christmas holidays, also Dickie Copple, son of Mrs. Kathryn Copple. Many other young people will be wending their way home to be with their parents and friends over the season.

### Reese Theatre Notes

Everybody is invited to the 48th annual free Christmas Matinee at the Reese Theatre Friday afternoon, Dec. 22 at 2:30 o'clock.

For the evening, Fri. and Sat., Dec. 22 and 23, a giant holiday bill is listed; something to please every member of the family. Rock Hudson and Hugh O'Brian, TV's Wyatt Earp, are the stars in the technicolor story of the old west, "The Lawless Breed", with the great circus hit "Hippodrome" featuring Koko and a bevy of the worlds greatest circus entertainers.

### Brown Buys Ayrshire Cow

Alvin Brown, Harrington, recently made an initial purchase of a registered Ayrshire cow from G. C. Simpson, Houston, according to the Ayrshire Breeders' Association secretary, David Gibson Jr., of Brandon, Vt.

The transaction was recorded in the national office of the Association, where complete registry records on all purebred Ayrshire dairy cattle in the United States have been maintained since 1875. Because of their thriftiness and ability to produce an abundance of 4% milk economically, Ayrshires continue to become increasingly popular with breeders and commercial dairymen.

### Of Local Interest

Miss Lois Ann Keim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Keim of Farmington, will be home for the holidays. She is attending the Maryland Medical Secretarial School in Hagerstown, Md.

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS**

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CARVEL PROVES LEADERSHIP IN GETTING GAS TAX PASSED

The passing of the gasoline tax, to be hereinafter referred to as the gas tax, was an example of the leadership of Gov. Elbert N. Carvel.

The governor, in his campaign for election last year, commented on "the lack of leadership" in the opposition.

The inference was that he, Carvel, could supply leadership. He proved his point by safely navigating the gas tax ship through the shoals of opposition to the port of economic necessity.

However, the storm was considerable. Some clamor, for funds, wanted the governor, to draw from the contingency fund. The Laurel resident, in his second term (his first was from 1948 to 1952), did not fail for this. There was still the matter of raising funds for much of the administration's legislation.

Thus, patience, hard work, political maneuvering, and backscratching were necessary to get the job done. As time went on, some objecting legislators were placed on a spot: Their constituents were demanding that appropriation bills, which might come from gas tax funds, be passed.

Consequently, after resistance for a long time, which made the opposing legislators look good, the gas tax was passed. It is expected to return \$1,800,000 per year.

Any way we look at it, the tax was justifiable. With sharply increasing population, the demands of the public are, necessarily, out of proportion with the increase. While economizing would help alleviate the state's need for additional funds it would not solve the problem.

TV TRIVIA

TV is going through a stage which newspapers went through a half-century past. In time, with the help of the federal government and the stand of the public, it should be an agent of much good.

In the meanwhile, numerous changes will have to be made; viz: The side-show barkers, who, not only insult the intelligence of those unfortunate to be within their hearing, but show exceedingly bad manners by shouting, as if we were all deaf, will have to go. Otherwise, we will invest in "Blab-Off," a device which, by remote control, will cut off sound but preserve the picture. The announcer, who smacks his lips over his malt beverage, or gloats over his food, will have to go. Food and drink should be consumed and not heard. TV is imparting new meanings. Message means commercial, for example.

"Do you worry about being close?" In our case, it all depends. A lot of people around here are "close." Use "Woofus. That's right—W-O-O-F-U-S. Woof, woof, woof, WOOFUS. And with each borte we will give you, absolutely free, a package of flea powder. And now for the weather report, but first this important message."

The above implies we listen to a TV set. On rare occasions, particularly in the broadcasting of sports, we do. However, most of the time we merely hear the idiot box. We do not own one but, in time, we will buy one with Blab-Off and one permitting us to pay for and select our programs. The idea of many TV commercials is to brain-wash their victims. We counteract this by remembering the product and refusing to buy it unless necessary.

Harrington School News

Mrs. Grant—Grade 1

We have a lot of nice Christmas decorations in our room. Amy Reed brought us a tree. Larry Carter brought some pretty white bells to put on it.

Robin Hill, Gerry Steerman, Terry Turcotte and Joyce Gustafson are absent today.

Most of use have been to see Santa Claus. We are looking forward to Christmas very much.

Band Works for Uniforms

The Harrington High School band is now half-way to their goal for new uniforms. The proceeds from refreshments served at the Christmas program amounted to \$150 and were added to the fund. It is hoped that the uniforms will be ready in time for the spring concert.

Christmas Holidays

Now is the time of joy for the students of Harrington School. Dec. 22 is the last day of school for 1961. Of course everyone has 20 more weeks of school, but most students are thinking only of Christmas vacation, which has been anticipated for weeks.

French Class Progress

The ninth grade French classes are now learning Christmas carols in French. One of the carols is "IL Dort Dans Une Creche" or "Away in the Manger."

The classes are also using the tape recorders for practicing along with the daily lessons.

Progress in Geometry

The 10th grade geometry classes are studying quadrilaterals, pentagons, hexagons, octagons, and decagons.

The students prove the angles equal by using algebra, theorems, and Corollaries. This information will be needed in order to study other figures.

Progress in English

Mrs. Graden's ninth grade English class has just finished studying the poem "The Rime of the Ancient Mariner." The students were asked to learn at least two stanzas of this poem. The class studied the vivid descriptions and alliteration used in the poem.

The tenth grade English class taught by Mrs. W. A. Smith, is now reading Shakespeare's Julius Caesar. The class will have a

six week's test on the book this week.

Mrs. Graden's tenth grade class will soon begin reading Caesar too.

Progress in Biology

Mr. Horst's 10-M division biology class has been dissecting grasshoppers for the past few days.

On the first day of dissection the class cut off the head and legs and examined them under the microscopes.

On the second day the students finished by examining the wing under the microscope and cutting open the ventral side of the grasshopper.

Wednesday, Dec. 20, Mr. Horst's 10th grade biology classes had half of the mid-year examination which covered the first eleven phylums on animals in the text book.

Fri., Dec. 22, Miss Morris' homeroom is going to have a Christmas party. Potato chips and canned sodas will be served.

Ernest Gallo brought in the Christmas tree, to be decorated by Jeri Jarrell and Paige Quillen.

Junior Class News

The Junior Class had made final plans for its Christmas dance Thursday night. Dress is to be formal and new Student Council rules will be in effect.

Boys' Basketball

Basketball practice for the Harrington Junior School basketball team started Dec. 12 and will continue through January and up to February 7, which is the last game for the boys.

The schedule is as follows: Jan. 9—Milford; 13, Caesar Rodney; 17, Lewes; 20, Caesar Rodney; 24, Greenwood; 26, Milford; Feb. 1, Lewes; 7, Green-

George Vapaa Gives Fallout Facts

Your county agent will attempt to answer publicly specific questions on nuclear protection for rural areas based on available research information. In most cases we can supply printed background material as well. Call in your questions to REDfield 6-1448 or write or visit the county agent on the second floor of the Dover postoffice building.

Is your insurance paid up? Take a quick check — auto, health, fire, theft, life insurance. When they are paid, you are prepared for the disasters they cover, even though you really don't want to collect.

But what protection have you or your family against nuclear attack? Such insurance is available at relatively low cost—through civil defense preparation.

President Kennedy has said, "Nuclear weapons and the possibility of nuclear war are facts of life we cannot ignore today. In these dangerous days we must prepare for all eventualities. The ability to survive coupled with the will to do so are essential to our country."

Contrary to what many people think, the effects of nuclear explosion are not confined to large cities, industrial areas, and military installations. Radioactive fallout is just as likely to fall in rural areas. But with proper protection and preparation—we can survive.

Wrestling

The Harrington wrestling team attended its first match on Saturday, Dec. 16, at Milford.

Louis Starkey and George Jerread won a match each. Louis came in fourth in his weight class. Coach Mook said that the boys made a good showing.

Girls' Basketball

The girls' varsity basketball team is preparing for its first game against the Dover Air Base High School on January 19; this is not a league game.

The team is practicing out-of-bounds plays, and plays from near the center of the floor.

Personals

Ann Preziosi, a student in Mr. McDonald's tenth grade homeroom will visit her relatives who live in East Boston, Mass., over the Christmas holidays.

Wrestling News

The Harrington Lions Wrestling team recently elected Tim Strohl and Paul Rash to be its co-captains.

Tim Strohl, an eleventh grade student, has been active in various other sports throughout the years. Tim was also elected co-captain of the Harrington Lions football team last season.

Paul Rash, of the eleventh grade, has been active in many other sports also.

Both Paul and Tim are expected to serve the wrestling team by helping the boys to keep order and by leading in various exercises.

If the U.S. is ever attacked, recovery will depend greatly on rural areas. Frank B. Ellis, director of the Office of Emergency Planning, says, "It is essential that farmers and others in rural areas understand the nature of radioactive fallout so that steps may be taken now to minimize the damage from such a catastrophe."

Farmers have the double job of preparing protection for themselves and their families and for continuing livestock and crop production for the sale of the entire nation.

We in the extension service have a major job to help continue necessary government operations in case of attack and to inform the public of those plans. We also have a special assignment to help rural people prepare protection for themselves, their livestock and crops.

This is a big job. Here is a chance to defend ourselves and our nation against a hazard for which no company can offer insurance.

Here is one question I've already been asked: "Why should I take any precautions? I wouldn't want to live in a world messed up by a nuclear war."—J. C. Magnolia

Answer: You can't be sure you want to give up. The severe damage will be limited to small target areas. We can learn to live with radioactivity just as we learned to control fire, to harness electricity, and to fly planes. We gain the confidence to use new things with experience and knowledge. Am mailing you a copy of our government bulletin entitled "Facts about Fallout Protection."

Think twice, and recognize that we have an obligation to make this a better world, in spite of agnostics who would misuse atomic energy for selfish advantage.

Andrewville

Mrs. George Pittman, Mrs. John Closser visited Mrs. Lizzie Butler last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray King, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jewell and children, of Wilmington, and Mr. and Mrs. Lowder Vincent were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Griffith on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lane and

daughter, Mrs. Barbara Saulsbury were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arley Bradley and family on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Simpson of Seaford visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowder Vincent on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David Jones of Vernon are operating the Andrewville Store.

Lawrence Sullivan called to see Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walls on Sunday.

The Andrewville 4-H Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Larimore for their Christmas party.

Terry McCready spent the weekend with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Arley Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Breeding and Florence Walls were in Wilmington Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jenkins, Mrs. Lawrence Tatman, Mrs. Jennie Bradley visited Mrs. Harry Saulsbury Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Shultie visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ryan Sunday.

Mrs. Donald Jones and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Breeding and sons Sunday evening.

Preaching at Bethel Church Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock. The Rev. Ewell Crockett, pastor.

Sunday School at 10:30, Maurice Wright, supt.

Saturday, Dec. 16, Mr. and Mrs. John Closser entertained a group of girls to help Patricia Closser celebrate her 9th birthday. Those attending were Susan Warner, Susan Algier, Sue Satterfield, Jennie and Mary Lamica, Beverly Miller, Debbie Short, Carolyn Mills, Kathy Donovan, Suzanne Closser, Marilyn Closser. Those assisting were Beverly Cannon, Nancy and Peggy Closser.

Births

Milford Memorial Hospital Dec. 16:

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crapper, Georgetown, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Davis, Milford, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Ward, Georgetown, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hurd, Felton, girl.

Dec. 17:

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cain, Milford, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Green, Lincoln, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dennis, Greenwood, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Johua Handy, Selbyville, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Byram, Georgetown, girl.

Dec. 18:

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Warrington, Georgetown, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Kenton, Milford, boy.

Dec. 19:

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dugan, Milford, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin J. Davis, Milford, boy.

Advertisement for Harold's Market featuring a large illustration of a Christmas tree and the text: BEST WISHES FOR CHRISTMAS HAROLD'S MARKET HAROLD MELVIN Harrington, Del.

Farmington

Ronnie Hatfield is spending the holidays with his parents. Fred Tibbett is a patient in Milford Memorial Hospital under observation.

Mrs. David Grant was in Wilmington Tuesday and Wednesday. Eugene Crockett is in Seaford Hospital.

The Farmington Methodist Church will hold its Christmas entertainment Friday evening, Dec. 22. Everyone is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Pratt of Linwood, Pa., visited Mrs. Mildred Gray Sunday.

Little Garola Langford is on the sick list.

X-ray surveys among high incidence groups such as slum dwellers and migrant laborers are one means of early detection of tuberculosis. The alcoholic with TB is hard to find.

Advertisement for Kennett Shoes featuring an illustration of children and the text: ALL GOOD WISHES FOR CHRISTMAS KENNETT SHOES 147 S. Gov. Ave. DOVER, DEL.

Advertisement for W. T. Grant featuring an illustration of reindeer pulling a sleigh and the text: GREETINGS OF THE SEASON Here is sentiment genuinely felt... May joy, health and happiness be yours this Christmas W. T. GRANT MILFORD, DEL.

Advertisement for St. Stephen's Episcopal Church featuring an illustration of the Three Kings and the text: CHRISTMASTIDE 1961 St. Stephen's Episcopal Church HARRINGTON, DELAWARE CHRISTMAS EVE 10:45 P. M. — Prelude 11:00 P. M. — Festival Choral Eucharist Candlelight Procession Music — Carols — Greetings CHRISTMAS DAY 11:00 A. M. — Morning Prayer Choir — Carols — Sermon 12:15 P. M. — Holy Communion A Hearty Welcome is Joyfully Extended to All.

Advertisement for Melvin Brothers featuring an illustration of a Santa Claus figure and the text: Greetings to all MELVIN BROTHERS Heating Specialists and Home Improvements HARRINGTON, DEL.

Advertisement for Joseph T. Richardson featuring a circular graphic with the text: FOR A MERRY GOOD WISHES MERRY CHRISTMAS JOSEPH T. RICHARDSON Mechanical Contractor Electric - Plumbing - Heating HARRINGTON, DEL.

Advertisement for Peoples Service Station featuring an illustration of the Virgin Mary and the text: Blessings What greater blessings to cherish than the love and devotion of our friends and those dear to us. A Joyous Christmas to all. PEOPLES SERVICE STATION Harrington, Del.

Advertisement for Christmas Cheer featuring an illustration of a girl reading a book and the text: Christmas Cheer Milford Wallpaper & Paint Co. MILFORD, DEL.

Advertisement for Texaco Service Center featuring an illustration of children and the text: Christmas Wishes to Everyone TEXACO SERVICE CENTER JACK PITLICK

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All ads in this column must be paid for in advance. This is the only way in which orders will be accepted for want ads. No ad order accepted for less than 75 cents. If you have an ad which you want inserted, count the words (name and address included), and multiply by the number of times you want the ad to run. Send that amount with the advertisement.

- One Insertion, per word 3 cents
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- Classified Display, per column inch \$1.00
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- Memorial, per line 10 cents
- (Minimum \$1.00)
- Legal Advertising, per gate line 15 cents
- Accounts of bakes, dinners, rummage sales, entertainments are considered as advertisements. If you charge, we charge.

### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE**—Floor covering, Armstrong and Gold Seal in 6, 9 and 12 foot widths. Argo Linoleum Co., Milford, Del., phone G42-8481. tf 11-28b

**MOBILE HOMES**—New and used—Melody Home, Schult, Kozly, Hart, Atlas, Frontier. See the NEW LOOK in "Luxury Coaches" Visit our lots at Camden, Gov. Prints Blvd., State Road, Del.; Easton and Betterton, Md. Harman Mobile Homes Sales, RE 4-5834 — Eve. 4-2144, Camden, Del. tf 5-6

**USED FURNITURE**—Automatic Washers, Refrigerators, Elec. Stoves, Dryers, Gas Stoves, Living Room Suites, Bedroom Suites, Kitchen Sinks—Bargains. Harman Mobile Homes Sales, Camden, Del. tf 5-6

Wallpaper, new fall patterns just arrived. — Taylor Hardware, Phone EX 8-3684. tf 3-25

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### WALLPAPER

**Milford Wallpaper & Paint Co.**  
Phone Milford GA 2-8317

### TURKEYS

Fresh Dressed  
also GUINEAS

**MRS. HARRY CLARK**  
AV 4-4652  
7t 12-23 exp.

House for sale—6 room bungalow, new baseboard heat, 2 baths, 2 car garage. Corner lot, 100 feet north of draw bridge on Rehoboth Boulevard. Look for signs. Wm. Gray, phone GA 2-9558, Milford, Del. tf 12-12 exp.

For sale—Child's winter dress coat and hat, size 3. Call EX 8-8007 after 5 p.m. tf

2-Pc. Early American living room suite \$199.00. 2-Pc. Modern Living Room Suite, nylon and foam cushions, \$169. Only a few left. Paul Callaway Furniture, Appliances, Home Improvements, Awnings and Screen Mfg., 2 mi. N. on U.S. 13 Harrington, Del. Phone EX 8-8888. 11-17 tf

Red Delicious, Stayman Winesap apples, sweet cider by gallon or barrel. Geo. B. Russ, 200 E. 1st St., Harrington, Del. Phone EX 8-8888. 11-17 tf

For sale—Taxi franchise. P. O. Box 269. tf 12-1

For sale—9-room house on Wehner Ave. in Harrington in good condition. Hot air forced heat with apartment possibilities. Call EX 8-8477. tf 12-22 exp.

For sale—10 piece walnut dining room suit in good condition, with made to order table pad. \$65. 1 odd bed with box spring and mattress \$10. Call EX 8-8477. tf 12-22 exp.

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Complete Line of TOYS  
GIFTS  
For the entire Family  
Open — 7 A.M. to 10 P.M.  
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**PINE OLD BRICKS**—Ideal for Colonial Architecture. N. E. Taylor Contractors, Box 717, Easton, Md. Call TA-2-2059. tf 12-22 exp.

For Sale—1956 Buick Century convertible, 32,000 miles, perfect condition, radio, heater, white walls, power steering, power breaks, power windows, and power seat. Phone EX 8-8861. 2t 12-22 exp.

For Sale—Fireplace wood and stove wood. Also tree trimming. Telephone EX 8-8654 or EX 8-8663. 2t 12-22 exp.

For sale—Christmas trees, Norway Spruce and Douglas Fir, \$3.00 each. Choose and tax now; cut when you are ready. Henry Capelton, School Street, Houston, Phone GA 2-8405. 3t 12-22 exp.

For Sale—13 cu. ft. Philco refrigerator with freezer compartment at top. In good condition. Reason for sale, want a refrigerator. Call EX 8-3244, 9 — 4 and EX 8-8667 evenings, on-site. H. Burgess, tf

**DON'T GET UP NIGHTS**  
It takes just 50c and 12 hours to start relief—your money back on any drug store. When functional kidney disorders cause getting up nights, scanty flow, burning, hazy, ache, leg pains, dizziness, use easy-to-take BUREPES 4-day treatment. Acts fast to increase and regulate passage. NOW at Clending Pharmacy. 3t 12-22 exp.

For sale—Scratch pads, 4x6 inches, at bargain prices.—The Journal.

### FOR SALE

For sale—Envelopes—100 Plain 6 1/2, env. \$75; 100 Window 6 3/4, env. \$85; 100 No. 10 env. \$1.00. The Harrington Journal Office.

**Christmas Trees**  
The finest in Delaware  
Selling at lowest prices  
in 5 years  
**JOE KIRBY**  
81 Lockerman St.  
adj. Lockerman Restaurant  
All trees guaranteed or money back  
Open 24 hrs. — Redfield 4-1902

For sale—farm located on South side of Delaware Rt. No. 275 in 100-acre tract, Kent County, 7 1/2 miles West of Blades Crossroads. Improved by house, in good repair, barn, chicken house and other out buildings. Phone Milford Garden 2-8229 for information. tf 8-11

**NOTICE**  
Christmas Trees for Sale  
Balsam trees, the most popular Christmas tree, holds needles well. Same place last 8 years, 100 feet north of draw bridge on Rehoboth Boulevard. Look for signs. Wm. Gray, phone GA 2-9558, Milford, Del. 3t 12-22 exp.

For Sale—Gas range used, 36" all white porcelain, looks good, works good, see it in operation, new low price. We need the room. \$39.50. Refrigerators, Crosley \$52.50, Philco \$59.50, Westinghouse \$39.50. All good operating condition. Free oil burning space heaters, \$49.50, \$49.50. \$29.50. Sewing machines, washers, one Maytag automatic washer \$74.50. Cahall & Shaw, Harrington, EX 8-3281. tf 12-12

For Sale—Boy's Bicycle. New. call EX 8-3223 after 5 P.M. 2t 11-22 exp.

**FOR RENT**  
For rent—furnished apt. 3 large rooms and bath, utilities. No pets. \$45 mo. Call after 4 p.m. EX 8-8459. Also weekends. 1t 10-5

For rent—new unfurnished, 2 bedrooms and bath apt., heat and hot water. Immediate possession. No Pets. \$40 month. Call after 4 p.m. EX 8-8459. 1t 10-5

Apt. for rent—326 Wehner Avenue. 1t 12-8

Apt. for rent—Commerce Street, 4 rooms and bath. Available Jan. 1, 1962. Phone EX 8-3563. 4t 1-12 exp.

For rent—Stucco house on north-end Wehner Ave. Possession at call. H. C. Murphy, Harrington, Del. Phone EX 8-3225. 4t 12-29 exp.

For rent—houses—Railroad Ave., Delaware Ave., Wehner Ave., and Ward Street. Newly decorated. Also office on Commerce Street. Call Mrs. Honora Quillen EX 8-3319 or Mrs. T. C. Collins, GA 2-5210 or Rehoboth 227-2101. 1t 10-6

For rent—country home near White's Church. All modern conveniences. Call EX 8-3329. 2t 12-22 exp.

**HELP WANTED**  
Lady to live with and care for elderly couple, John Curtis. EX 8-3274 or EX 8-3773. 2t 12-22 exp.

**Miscellaneous GREETINGS**  
To all our relatives, friends and patrons, we extend our warmest greetings for a  
Joyous Holiday Season  
**Tony Perrone & Family**  
**WANTED**  
Wanted—good home for 4 male English Shepherd puppies. EX 8-8617. 2t 12-22 exp.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the fire companies of Farmington and Greenwood for their prompt and efficient service in saving our outbuildings and residence in the fire Sunday morning, Dec. 10, 1961.  
BOHEMIA FARM  
1t 12-22 exp.

**SERVICES**  
WE HAVE REPAIR PARTS for all modern Maytag washers, Cahall and Shaw Furniture. 1t 12-1

I wish to baby sit evenings. Well experienced. Sharon Kibler, EX 8-8582. tf

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\* Serging \* Moth Proofing  
\* Binding \* Repairs

**HALLETT'S**  
**RUG CLEANERS**  
PHONE Redfield 4-3330  
422 S. Governors Ave., Dover, Del.

**NOTICE**  
Milton Dispensary, Inc., T/A Stone's Hotel, hereby intends to file an application with the Delaware Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission for a license to sell alcoholic liquors in a taproom, for consumption both on and off the premises where sold, located at 4 Mechanic Street, Harrington, Delaware. These premises are presently licensed to sell alcoholic liquors in a restaurant, for consumption both on and off the premises where sold, and this application will be for a change of classification. 3t 1-5 exp.

**NOTICE OF REDUCTION OF CAPITAL**  
**SUPERIOR OLDSMOBILE, INC.**  
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**NOTICE OF REDUCTION OF CAPITAL**  
**MURPHY CADILLAC-PONTIAC, INC.**  
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### Classified Rates

**CREDIT SERVICE**  
A bookkeeping charge of 25c will be made for all Classified Ads not paid in advance and an additional charge of 25c for each 30 days bills remain unpaid.  
RATES ARE NET.

### SERVICES

**FLOOR COVERINGS**  
Sandran and Forecast  
6', 9' and 12' Widths  
Gleam Paint  
Wholesale and Retail  
**MILFORD**  
**WALLPAPER CO.**  
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Boost Crop Yields With a Fall Application of  
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Harrington EX8-3539  
tf 8-14 b

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We Service All Makes  
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HARRINGTON - DELAWARE  
PHONE EX 8-8568

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**OF LANDRUM CHEVROLET, INC.**  
Pursuant to the provisions of Section 244 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, notice is hereby given that the capital of the above corporation has been reduced from \$58,428.05 to \$46,419.49 by (a) the transfer of \$5,508.56 of its capital surplus to earned surplus, which amount was originally transferred thereto from earned surplus, and (b) the redemption for retirement of 85 shares of the outstanding 241 shares of Class A Stock. A Certificate of Reduction of Capital was filed with the Secretary of State of Delaware on December 8, 1961 and on the same date a certified copy thereof was left with the Kent County Recorder of Deeds for the completion of the record in his office, all in accordance with the provisions of said Section 244 of the Delaware General Corporation Law.

**NOTICE**  
**LEGAL NOTICE**  
Magnolia School District No. 50  
**SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS**  
In accordance with the provisions of Code Section 2121, Title 14, Delaware Code, 1953, and supplementary hereto, the State Board of Education hereby gives notice that it has canvassed the vote of the Magnolia School District No. 50 special election for the issuance of Magnolia School District No. 50 school building located in the Town of Magnolia, Kent County, Delaware, on Saturday, December 2, 1961 between the hours of one o'clock and eight o'clock p.m., E.S.T., and hereby declares the result of said special election to be as follows:

**FOR THE BOND ISSUE 110 AGAINST THE BOND ISSUE 1**  
In Witness Whereof the State Board of Education has caused this certificate to be executed by its President and its Secretary on the fourteenth day of December, A. D. 1961.

By: J. O. Small, President  
Attest: George E. Miller, Jr., Secretary  
1t 12-18 exp.

**NOTICE OF REDUCTION OF CAPITAL**  
**JEFFERSON CHEVROLET COMPANY**  
Pursuant to the provisions of Section 244 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, notice is hereby given that the capital of the above corporation has been reduced from \$350,000.00 to \$314,657.52 by (a) the transfer of \$15,342.48 of its capital surplus to earned surplus, which amount was originally transferred thereto from earned surplus; and (b) the redemption for retirement of 193 shares of the outstanding 193 shares of Class A Stock. A Certificate of Reduction of Capital was filed with the Secretary of State of Delaware on December 19, 1961 and on the same date a certified copy thereof was left with the Kent County Recorder of Deeds for the completion of the record in that office, all in accordance with the provisions of said Section 244 of the Delaware General Corporation Law.

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Pursuant to the provisions of Section 244 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, notice is hereby given that the capital of the above corporation has been reduced from \$350,000.00 to \$314,657.52 by (a) the transfer of \$15,342.48 of its capital surplus to earned surplus, which amount was originally transferred thereto from earned surplus; and (b) the redemption for retirement of 193 shares of the outstanding 193 shares of Class A Stock. A Certificate of Reduction of Capital was filed with the Secretary of State of Delaware on December 19, 1961 and on the same date a certified copy thereof was left with the Kent County Recorder of Deeds for the completion of the record in that office, all in accordance with the provisions of said Section 244 of the Delaware General Corporation Law.

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### Armed Forces News

Two soldiers from Dover, Sergeant First Class Charles W. Miller and Pfc. Richard A. Emery, recently participated in Exercise Main Barge, a V Corps field training exercise in central Germany.

The exercise, which involved some 28,000 troops, was designed to test small unit leadership and maintain the corps' ability to conduct sustained land combat in time of war.

Sergeant Miller, son of Mrs. Elsie V. Miller, Dover, entered the Army in 1940 and was stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., before his arrival overseas last May on this tour of duty. He is a platoon sergeant in the 1st Missile Battalion, 38th Artillery, in Barmenhausen. The 41-year-old soldier attended Dover High School. His wife, Bertha, is with him in Germany.

Emery, a medical technician in the 48th Infantry's Headquarters Company in Worms, entered the Army in September 1960, completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C., and arrived overseas last February. Emery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis L. Emery, 401 W. Water St., attended Dover High School.

Army Pvt. Randall A. Pettit, son of Mrs. Dorothy V. Pettit, Milford, recently participated in Exercise Main Barge, a V Corps field training exercise in Central Germany.

A rifleman in the 48th Infantry's Company C in Worms, he entered the Army in November 1960, completed basic training at Ft. Jackson, S. C., and arrived overseas last May.

The 20-year-old soldier attended Milford High School.

Army Sergeant First Class George B. Angford, whose wife, Lois, lives in Farmington, completed the 12-week fuel and electrical system repair course at the Ordnance School, Aberdeen Proving Grounds Md., Dec. 8.

During the course Sergeant Langford was trained to inspect, adjust and repair fuel and electrical system components on wheeled and tracked vehicles.

The 25-year-old soldier, son of Emerson G. Langford, Farmington, is a 1954 graduate of Greenwood High School.

Army Pvt. Ronald L. McCloskey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCloskey, Felton, recently completed the eight-week powerman course under the Reserve Forces Act program at the Engineer School, Ft. Belvoir, Va.

McCloskey was trained in the operation and maintenance of hand and power tools, gasoline and diesel engines and various electric generators.

McCloskey, 18, is a 1961 graduate of Felton High School.

Airman Third Class William H. Fisher, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Fisher, 534 Gay St., Denton, Md., completed the food service course at the Quartermaster School, Ft. Lee, Va., Dec. 8.

Fisher received instruction in cooking, baking, meat cutting and operating a field kitchen.

A 1961 graduate of Lockerman High School, he entered the Air Force last July and completed basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Tex.

James H. Roscoe, son of Vroom W. Roscoe Sr., Wyoming, was commissioned a second lieutenant Nov. 28 after completing the officer candidate course at the Army Artillery and Missile School, Ft. Sill, Okla.

During the course Lieutenant Roscoe received instruction in conventional and missile artillery and such subjects as transport, communications, security procedures, physical conditioning, tactics and combined arms and map and aerial photo reading.

The school, which has as its motto, "skill is better than luck," emphasizes leadership and the practical application of field artillery tactics and techniques in the employment of artillery mortars, conventional cannon, free rockets and guided missiles.

The 22-year-old officer is a 1957 graduate of Caesar Rodney High School.

### Vaccinate Against Brucellosis

Calfhood vaccination is a vital step toward control and eventual eradication of brucellosis, says George Vapaa, Kent County agent.

Beef calves should be vaccinated when they are four to eight months old.

Do not vaccinate calves after they are nine months old. Do not vaccinate beef calves before they are four months old and dairy animals less than six months of age, the county agent warns.

Calves born in April should be vaccinated not later than December.

For more information on calf-hood vaccination for brucellosis, contact your veterinarian or the county extension office.

### Turkey Enhances Christmas Meal

"Are you planning a magnificent Christmas dinner this year? For a crowning glory, choose a fine turkey, a generous-sized bird that will do you proud as it's brought to the table in all its massive golden splendor," says Mrs. Judith A. Pheil, foods and nutrition specialist at the University of Maryland.

Turkeys are so economical these days, the lowest they've been in 21 years, that they're well worth the investment.

It's a good idea to get a bird that's bigger than you might need for an ordinary meal, as the Extension specialist demonstrated on a recent "At Home in Maryland" WBAL telecast. Holiday feasts are great appetite stimulants, and second and even third helpings are likely. If there are leftovers, so much the better. They'll make future tasty meals.

Allow about a half pound per serving on the large birds; about a pound for the smaller birds.

Serving a roast turkey has become wonderfully convenient and easy in recent years largely because most of the birds sold today are "ready-to-cook"; that is, they're cleaned inside and out and the pinfeathers are removed.

Still, it's best to check the pinfeathers are out when readying your bird for cooking. Then rinse the bird inside and out under cold running water, and blot it dry.

Next, salt the cavity and stuff it, if you wish.

To hold the wings in place during cooking, bring the wing tips onto the back of the bird and place over the flap of neck skin. Wrap string around the ends of the legs and tail and tie, or if there's a band of skin above the tail, tuck the legs in to it.

Brush the skin with softened butter, magazine or other shortening. You're now ready to get on with the roasting.

Roasting the turkey is an easy job, no matter which of the various methods you choose. Among the most popular is the slow-oven roasting method in an open pan. This method assures a flavorful and evenly browned bird with a minimum of shrinkage and juice loss.

Pre-heat the oven to 325 degrees F. Place the turkey on a rack in the roasting pan to keep it out of the juice. To insure even browning of a large bird, start roasting it breast side down, then turn it breast side up for the last hour of cooking. If turning the bird is too difficult, you can also get good results by roasting it breast side up for the entire cooking period.

To prevent excessive browning and drying out, cover the bird with a piece of cheesecloth dipped in melted fat or with a tent of aluminum foil. Baste several times during roasting. When half or two-thirds done, cut the string or skin to release the legs.

If time is of the essence, try cooking your turkey in foil or covered with the roaster lid in a hot oven. It will save the most time with this method on the larger birds.

Your turkey will be just as tender, flavorful, and juicy as when roasted without a cover, but will not develop the same rich even brown of the slow roasted bird. When rapping in foil, use a heavy duty aluminum foil and seal tightly with the seam on top.

Cook the foil-wrapped or lid-covered turkey on a rack in the pan in a 450 degree F. oven. Uncover for the last 15 minutes of cooking to allow the turkey and the juices to brown. Baste

the bird once or twice.

Here are some quick ways to tell if your turkey is done to tender perfection. The drumsticks should twist freely and the joints break easily. The meat in the fleshy areas, like thighs and breast, should feel soft when pressed with the fingers. If you use a meat thermometer, the internal temperatures should register at the poultry mark — around 100 degrees F to 200 degrees F. Make sure to place the thermometer in a thick meaty part like the thigh where it doesn't touch bone and can be read easily.

Here is a Christmas dinner menu you might like to serve this year: cranberry juice (served in living room), roast turkey with oyster stuffing, giblet gravy, mashed sweet potato in orange shells, brussel sprouts with chestnuts, glazed small onions, celery and carrot sticks, mince-meat pie, coffee.

### Work Begins On Greenwood Post Office

According to Postmaster James L. Smith, construction has started on the New Postal facility in Greenwood. This new and modern post office building is being constructed under the post office department's commercial leasing program.

The new post office will contain about 2652 square feet of floor space plus a loading platform. The building is being constructed on the site located at the southeast corner of Market and Mill Street; the former location of Cooks' Ice Cream Manufacturing Plant. The site is comprised of 8220 square feet which will provide adequate parking and maneuvering space for mail trucks. It is expected that the new office will be ready for occupancy by early spring of 1962.

### Zwaanendael Museum Notes

A Noah's Ark, handmade around 1875, again has its place under the Christmas tree. This year it is in the Zwaanendael Museum and is a part of the Christmas display which was lent by Marjorie Speakman, Incorporated, of Greenville. With the Ark are 77 handcarved wooden figures representing Noah, his family, and the animals which marched, two by two, into the ark before the great flood prophesied by Noah. Noah's Ark, once a part of every Christmas, is now a very rare toy and is very desirable to collectors.

Both boys and girls were remembered by Santa in this display. For the boys are a small tin steam engine, painted black with bright red decorations and a tingling bell on top, a fireman's hook and ladder truck, a tin horse and buggy, and an elegant stage coach.

For the girls are dolls, one with a china face, long blonde hair and dressed in a fancy white dress, petticoat, and panties, all trimmed with lace, insertion, and pink ribbon. Over this lovely outfit is a white serge coat, lined with pink mull and trimmed with braid and lace. She has a hat to match and is sitting in a coach which has red wheels and a sunshade with fringe. The most exquisite doll has a china head, stuffed kid body, and wears a white staid dress with blue fringe. Sitting in a small rush bottom fancy chair, she would gladden the heart of any little girl. There are other dolls, crudely made of wood and dressed in batiste, wool, and handknit outfits. There are a quaint round-topped trunk having tills with fancy paper decorations, a dresser for the doll's clothes, and flatware and beautiful china dishes.

For any child on Santa's list, either boy or girl, are several games including a deck of "Old

Maid" with the note, "Robert from Sister, Christmas, 1884," and two sets of "Jack Straws" in their original boxes.

The china head doll, c. 1850, which belonged to Mrs. Annie Manning Hickman and was presented to the museum in 1940, has a "brand" new calico dress trimmed with baby rick rack, and new muslin underwear edged with tatting. She now looks lovely in her buggy-type carriage, probably made by Joel Harris, and has her place in this display.

This Christmas exhibit, composed almost entirely of toys lent by Marjorie Speakman, Incorporated, will be on display until after New Year's Day.

The regular museum hours are Tuesdays through Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Sunday and holidays 12:30 to 5:30 p.m., closed on Mondays.

### Fire Destroys Barn At Bohemia Farm

A barn and adjoining feed room were destroyed by fire Sunday morning at Bohemia Farm, Milford Road, Greenwood.

Prompt action by the fire companies of Greenwood, Bridgeville, and Farmington saved remaining buildings. The firemen were on the scene from 8 a.m., to 8 p.m., but had control in an hour.

Prompt action by Andy Chytrenko, farm manager, saved the contents of the bottom floor of the barn, including 10 harness horses and harness.

The fire, charged to a short circuit in the wiring, also destroyed 2000 bales of hay and 350 bushels of oats in the barn loft.

The loss was covered by insurance. Owners are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowers.

### Three Weights Checkers Appointed

Appointment of three inspectors to enforce the state's new weights and measures law was announced Friday by John G. Tarburton, president of the State Board of Agriculture.

The appointments were made at a board meeting the previous day.

Named to the \$5,000-a-year jobs were:

Floyd C. Colamaio, 47, 2405 Jessup St., Wilmington.

Ralph R. Smith, 49, N. 10th St., Milford.

Lewis R. Harrington, 42, Haven Lake Ave., Milford.

Smith is from the Kent side of Milford, Harrington from the Sussex side.

No one was appointed director of weights and measures because of lack of funds, according to Tarburton. John C. Clough the director of the state laboratory and former secretary of the board, was appointed temporary director.

Fifty-two persons applied for the inspector jobs. The final appointments were cleared with the Governor and the "powers that be" in the legislature, according to Molloy C. Vaughn, secretary.

Through appointments by the Governor, control of the agriculture board passed from the Republicans to the Democrats.

The state's regulators of weights and measures, one from each county, left office Dec. 6 when the comprehensive new weights and measures law came into effect.

A man from the office of weight and measures, National Bureau of Standards, will help set up the state office, Vaughn said.

The three inspectors and Clough will go to Washington next week for training. The General Assembly has appropriated \$22,100 for operation of the weights and measures agency for the first six months of 1962. The inspectors appointed are on probation for the first six months, Tarburton said.

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C.K.R.T. News

More than 100 gifts were collected this month from members and friends of the Callaway-Kemp-Raughley-Tee American Legion Auxiliary for the Christmas gift shops at the veterans hospitals at Perry Point and Brack-EX. Mrs. Gooden Callaway, rehabilitation chairman of the local unit was in charge of the collection.

As in the past several years the service clubs and organizations in Harrington were also asked to join in this program. Mrs. Callaway expressed her sincere appreciation to the Harrington New Century Club, Harrington Fire Company, Harrington Fire Company Auxiliary, Eastern Star, and the Lions Club for their donations, at the regular meeting of the Auxiliary on Tuesday evening.

Miss Madalyn Tharp and Mrs. Wilbur Jacobs were also most generous with gifts of clothing.

The gift shops are held each year in the hospitals by the Legion Auxiliary members from all units in the state. They are planned to give the hospitalized veteran a chance to select gifts for his family at home. Many times he has no opportunity to get out of the hospital to do his shopping and this program literally "brings the store to him." The gifts are given to him without charge. A special group of ladies spend most of the gift shop days wrapping the presents and mailing them for the veteran.

Mrs. Jarvis Hurd presided at the meeting. Mrs. Frank O'Neal, Jr., Child Welfare chairman told the group that a basket of food had been delivered to a family at Thanksgiving, and that she had sent gifts for Christmas to the unit's adopted children at Stockley and Governor Bacon Health Center.

Mrs. Clyde Tucker, a member of the past president's party told of the party which members of that group took to the women patients at Perry Point Hospital recently. 200 women veterans were entertained with gifts and refreshments.

The unit voted to purchase 11 freedom bricks at a cost of \$1 each. This is the method devised by the National President, Mrs. J. Howard McKay, to raise money for her project for 1962. The money will be used to build the John Morton Cold War Briefing Room at the Valley Forge Headquarters of the Freedom Foundation. This American freedom center will be a marshalling point for the forces of freedom and a center for study, research and training in the American way of life. The cost of the room will be \$80,000.

The Junior Auxiliary will be spreading Christmas cheer this week when they entertain a group of children at the Legion Home Saturday for a party. On Thursday they will also give a party for the children at the mentally retarded school held in the Armory. Mrs. Don Dell, Junior Activities chairman, Mrs. O'Neal, and Mrs. Norman Brown, Community Service chairman, will assist the young members with the projects.

W. O. T. M. Notes

The regular enrollment ceremony for Chapter No. 1229 was held on Thursday, Dec. 7. The two new members enrolled were Mrs. William Scott of Greenwood sponsored by Mrs. Kay Jones and Mrs. Hilda Willis of Dover sponsored by Mrs. Thomas Carr.

Mrs. Dorothy Wilson from Milford was installed as pianist and Mrs. Esther Crisp was installed as Argus.

Remember that a chicken and dumpling dinner will be served at the Moose Home Sunday, Jan. 7, from 1 p.m. until 6 p.m. Come and bring your friends and neighbors.

Asbury Methodist Church Notes

We invite you to begin this Sabbath day by attending one of the many church school classes in our growing church school at Asbury. Classes for all ages begin at 10 a.m. Howard S. Wagner, superintendent, is in charge.

Morning worship service 11 a.m. conducted by our minister, the Rev. Olin J. Shockley, Jr. Special Christmas anthems will be rendered both by the Crusader and the Cathedral choirs. The sermon "The Message of Christmas", will be given by the minister. A nursery for pre-school children will be available, Mrs. Don Dell in charge.

The live Nativity Scene will be opened for public viewing at 6:30 p.m.

Evening worship service 7:30 p.m. This will be our traditional candlelight service. Special Christmas anthems will be rendered by the Cherub, Crusader and Chancel choirs. There will be over 100 in the combined choirs. A brief Christmas meditation will be given by the minister.

We invite every member of Asbury and the general public to participate in this service of Christian worship commemorating the birth of our Lord.

Altar flowers will be presented by Mrs. Sara Abbott in memory of son.

The ushers for the month of December are: Fulton Downing, Guy Winebrenner, Horace Johnson and Wesley Butler.

A strange and wonderful miracle happens to the world when Christmas comes. It is as though some gigantic fairy waved an enormous wand over mankind, softening and regenerating us all. The deepest sentiment and love within us are released and, for the moment at least, we are ennobled.

Year after year we are thrilled by this strange something that happens at Christmastime. How wonderful if we could only extend the mood and spirit of Christmas into the rest of the year! Perhaps Christmas is a blueprint of what life might be if our highest ideals were made permanent.

It is the sincere hope and wish on the part of Asbury for its membership and the community that this Christmas will truly be a blessed experience, an experience of love and joy, and that he was born as a Savior in the life of all of us this blessed day and remain with us throughout 1962.

Hickman

The Chargewide M.Y.F. met on Monday evening, Dec. 18 at Bursville. The Intermediate M.Y.F. entertained.



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The Christmas entertainment for Union Church will be held Christmas Eve at 7:30 and will be followed by candlelight service at Wesley Church at 9 p.m. The pastor and his family are planning to leave Christmas eve after the services to spend the holidays with Mrs. Hurst's parents in Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Scott, Kenney, and Rita Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Porter, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Parker and son.

Mrs. Richard Wilson and daughters of Williston, were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fearins.

Alfred Breeding of Linwood, Pa., spent last week with his mother, Mrs. Verma Breeding. Mrs. Bill Tull and Mike of Greenwood were Saturday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Breeding.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Good of Holms, Pa., spent the weekend recently with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Drummond and visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trice Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Breeding of Boothwyn, Pa., were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Noble recently.

Pvt. James Trice of Fort Chaffee, Arkansas, expects to arrive home Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trice.

Miss Barbara Ellen Breeding is a patient for observation and treatment in the Easton Memorial Hospital.

A number of relatives and friends have called on Leslie Schott, who returned home from the hospital recently.

Alfred Breeding of Linwood, Pa., and mother, Mrs. Verma Breeding, were guests one evening last week of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fearins.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin O'Day were last Wednesday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Noble.

The Rev. and Mrs. Ira Crum of

Fruitland were last Thursday guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Porter.

Trinity Methodist Church News

Here is always something new and old in every Christmas. The world situation changes, men struggle to dominate one another, to be free. One ideology vies against another for the allegiance and the minds of men; and still after nineteen hundred centuries Christmas has the unfailing power to stir into expression the best that is within us, "always sleeping but never dead." I greet you with the spontaneous song of the angels at that first Christmas, "Peace on Earth, Good Will toward Men."

This Christmas, above all, let us tune in with the angel chorus, worship the Babe in the manger with shepherds and sages, and then go our way with a stronger purpose than ever to make good will the ruling principle among ourselves and with all mankind.

We trust that all of our people in the area will make their way to the church services on Christmas Eve Sunday, December 24. The services are: 9:45 Church School-11, Divine Worship and Christmas Music Program by our choirs under the direction of Melvin Brobst and Mrs. Nancy Benjamin; 7:30 p.m. a Christmas program by our Methodist Youth Fellowship entitled, "The Great Light," directed by Mrs. Jack Redden.

May this Christmas be an especially blessed one for you and yours. And may the blessing of Christmas remain with you throughout the New Year. The greeters at the door on Sunday morning will be by the O.U.R. Class. The Commission on worship has made the request that shrubbery be purchased for the edu-

national building in lieu of the usual memorial flowers that are placed in the church chancel at Christmas. Individual pieces of shrubbery are available at: \$4, \$7.50 and \$10.

At the Official Board meeting of Monday evening reports were heard from the committees and commissions. Randall Knox Jr. reported for the Commission on Education that the annual Christmas offering received by the Sunday School for the Official Board would be taken Sunday night, December 24, following the Christmas Eve program.

Announcements will be made concerning choir practice for this coming week.

L. O. O. M. News

Last Tuesday night, Dec. 19, an enrollment ritual was performed at the Harrington Lodge No. 534 Loyal Order of Moose to enroll a class of candidates into our order.

A class of five candidates were enrolled who are as follows: Franklin Swain, William Lyons, Franklin A. Callaway and Charles L. Wyatt all of Harrington; John A. Caniford, of Ches-

wood. The Degree Staff of the Harrington Lodge performed the enrollment ceremony.

Brother Willis J. Boyd, of Wyoming, the Past Governor of our Lodge and at present vice president of the Seventh District of the Maryland, Delaware and District of Columbia Moose Association, spoke on the coming

mid-winter conference which will be held at Baltimore on Feb. 16-17-18, 1962. Southern Hotel in Baltimore will be the Convention headquarters. Make plans now to attend.

A Christmas Dance will be held at our Lodge home this Saturday night, Dec. 23. Donation will be \$7.50 per person and \$1.50 per couple.

December 30, Saturday night a new Years dance will be held at our Lodge. Donation for this dance will be \$1.50 per person and \$3 per couple.

Music will be furnished by Jimmy Emberlain's band.

Of Local Interest

Mrs. Margaret Homewood spent the weekend in Cape Charles, Va., visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Homewood.

H. E. Speicher, Mrs. H. C. Austin and Mrs. Lelia Hopkins attended the Rebekah and Odd Fellows Christmas Party held at the Smyrna Morning Star Lodge room, Saturday evening.

Jean Martin, a student at the University of Delaware, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin.

Mrs. Ruth Nemesh of Fort Pierce, Fla., is here for the holidays.

Miss Joyce Downing, a student at the University of Delaware is spending the holidays with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Downing.

A surprise birthday party

was given in honor of Mrs. Clarence Barlow's birthday on Saturday night by her family.

Frank Murphy, who has been a patient at the Milford Memorial Hospital has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Baker have moved into the property at 106 Center Street.

Clarence Hackett of New Castle spent the weekend with the Rev. and Mrs. Harold Garland. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barlow spent Sunday in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lopes have moved to Dover.

Harry Knotts of the U. S. Navy stationed at Great Lakes, Ill., is expected home for the Christmas

holiday season. Harry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Knotts of near Vernon.

Property Transfers

Anna M. Loper, Dover, to Virgil N. & Clara M. Jarrell, Viola, Lot in Viola, \$1000.

Eugene Harold & Louise E. Mercer, Dover, to Woodbrook Realty Co. to Crescent Farm, Inc. % Walter Ellis, 2 parcels—No. 1, 6.45 acres on the westerly side of the State Highway or road leading from the Dover Hartly road to the Dover-Hazlettville road in East Dover Hundred. Parcel No. 2—2 acres of woodland. \$49.50 Stamps.

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Felton

The Sunday morning sermon of the Rev. Wilmer E. Abbott was, "The Bible Speaks To Us." There was special music by both choirs. White Christmas gifts were placed within the altar before the worship service.

A candlelight service will be conducted Sunday evening, Dec. 24, between 7 and 8 o'clock in the Sanctuary. About fifteen men will assist the pastor. We feel that you too will greatly enjoy singing the Christmas carols and participating in this program on Christmas Eve.

The Official Board will not hold a meeting in December. The next meeting will be held Fri., Jan. 12.

Members of MYF sang Christmas carols at the nursing homes and at the homes of shut-ins, Monday evening. After which they returned to the church for refreshments.

The Sunday School presented their Christmas program in the church, Thursday evening, Dec. 22.

The Willing Workers Class of Felton Methodist Church held its Christmas party, Friday evening, Dec. 15. The chairmen for the evening were the Rev. and Mrs. Wilmer Abbott and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adams. The theme of program was, "Sing Along With Rich," conducted by 'Rich' Adams. Santa Claus was present to give out the gifts. Refreshments were served by the committee.

A Christmas program will be presented by the Manship Sunday School at the Manship Church, Friday evening, Dec. 22, at 8 o'clock. A social hour will follow in the Manship Church House.

Mrs. Albert Warren and children, Downes and Elva Jane, recently visited Mrs. Warren's grandmother, Mrs. Harry Jennings, who was 86 on Dec. 11.

Mrs. Ella Melvin spent last Tuesday with her niece, Mrs. Evelyn Weaver, in Viola.

Mrs. James Porter and daughter, Debbie, of Dover, spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Burton spent last weekend with her sister, Mrs. Roland Diefenderfer and Mr. Diefenderfer in Wilmington.

Mrs. Mary Keller and Mrs. Lanah Milbourn spent several days last week with Mrs. Milbourn's brother, Walter Muncy in Audubon, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crockett of Wilmington were Felton visitors over the weekend.

Saturday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Hattie Eaton were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lynch, Wilmington.

Alan Haldeman, U. S. Navy, stationed on the U.S.S. Abbott, Newport, Rhode Island, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Haldeman and his sister and brothers, Karen, Billy and Lawrence.

Richard Davey EM 1/SS of San Diego, Calif., and Walter W. Moore EN2, both stationed at New London, Conn., spent the weekend with Walter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore.

Arthur Henry, student at Dental School, Temple University, Philadelphia, is spending his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Henry.

The Rev. and Mrs. Robert Hodgson left this Tuesday to spend the Christmas holidays with their son-in-law and daughter Lt. Col. and Mrs. Donald Honeman and three sons at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Delong and Mrs. Pearl Delong and Arlene were Mrs. Richard Delong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Breeding and family, of Harrington.

Bobby Donaway, a senior at Valley Forge Military Academy, Wayne, Pa., is home for the Christmas holidays.

Students home from the University of Delaware, Newark for their Christmas vacation are Nancy Ludlow, Jay McGinnis, Jimmy Goerger and Johnny Yeager.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hurd and receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, at the Milford Memorial Hospital, Dec. 16. Mrs. Hurd is the former Miss Marlene Hughes.

Felton Avon Club Notes

Tuesday evening, Dec. 12, the officers of the Avon Club gave a Christmas party for club members and their families.

Christmas carols, gifts for everyone, and party refreshments were enjoyed by those present.

The president, Mrs. Leland Price, extended wishes for a Merry Christmas and prosperous New Year to all members and guests.

Of Local Interest

Maralee Kirwan is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kirwan, during the Christmas holidays. She attends Niagara University, Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Baptist Church News

Sunday School is at 9:45 a.m. with classes for all ages. The lesson in the adult class will be, "Good News of a Great Joy." Morning worship service begins at 11 a.m. This Lord's Day the Pastor will bring us the third in a series of sermons on "The Virgin Birth." Nursery will be in charge of Mrs. Wilma King.

Training Union is at 6:30 p.m.; followed by evening worship service at 7:30 p.m. Nursery will be in charge of Mrs. Howard Sutcliffe.

Bible study and prayer each Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. Junior Choir practice Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. Senior Choir practice Wednesday evening at 8:30.

Our church will have a Bible study course January 10 through 17. There will be classes for adults, Intermediates and Juniors.

The W.M.U. met at the home of Mrs. Jack Brown Tuesday evening. Mrs. William Pritchitt had charge of the program.

The church will sponsor a caroling party at the close of the worship service or Christmas Eve.

New year's Eve Watch-Night Service will be sponsored in this church by the Training Union. Services of the evening will begin with the Training Union Program at 6:30 as usual. Evening worship at 7:30 p.m., after which a fellowship will be enjoyed by all that are in attendance. The Watch-Night program will begin at 10 p.m. and will consist of vocal and instrumental numbers, Bible skit, film strip, and hymn and chorus singing. The worship service will be conducted between 11:15 and 12 mid-night. Brother Orville Smith will bring the New Year's message. The public is invited to attend.

The Baptist Convention of Maryland, will conduct an evangelistic conference at the Middle River Baptist Church in Baltimore, Jan. 8 and 9. Dr. R. G. Lee, one of the great preachers of the Southern Baptist Convention, will be the featured speaker.

If you are looking for a church home with a gospel message we invite you to worship with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crockett of Wilmington were Felton visitors over the weekend.

Saturday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Hattie Eaton were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lynch, Wilmington.

Alan Haldeman, U. S. Navy, stationed on the U.S.S. Abbott, Newport, Rhode Island, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Haldeman and his sister and brothers, Karen, Billy and Lawrence.

Richard Davey EM 1/SS of San Diego, Calif., and Walter W. Moore EN2, both stationed at New London, Conn., spent the weekend with Walter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore.

Arthur Henry, student at Dental School, Temple University, Philadelphia, is spending his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Henry.

The Rev. and Mrs. Robert Hodgson left this Tuesday to spend the Christmas holidays with their son-in-law and daughter Lt. Col. and Mrs. Donald Honeman and three sons at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Delong and Mrs. Pearl Delong and Arlene were Mrs. Richard Delong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Breeding and family, of Harrington.

Bobby Donaway, a senior at Valley Forge Military Academy, Wayne, Pa., is home for the Christmas holidays.

Students home from the University of Delaware, Newark for their Christmas vacation are Nancy Ludlow, Jay McGinnis, Jimmy Goerger and Johnny Yeager.

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Houston

Sunday School at 10 a.m. Robert H. Yerkes Sr., general superintendent, Alvin O. Brown, supt., of the Junior Department, Carl Prentice, supt., of Missions, and Mrs. William Scott has charge of the cradle roll.

The service of worship begins at 11 a.m. with the organ prelude, Agnes T. Webb at the organ assisted by John Clark at the piano.

Call to worship by the pastor, the Rev. Ray W. Kirwan. The Senior and Junior Choirs will present special selections.

Friday evening, Dec. 22 at 7:30 a Christmas program will be presented in Williamsville Methodist Church. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The annual Christmas program sponsored by the Chancel and Junior Choirs was quite successful and a most enjoyable affair. Lloyd Armour is home again after being in Milford Memorial Hospital for several weeks after having a very serious accident.

Oley F. Sapp returned home from the Hospital on Saturday after spending a week there for observation and treatment.

Freddy Thistlewood, who has been ill for several days is still quite sick and was not able to return to school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Rowe and children, Ray and Diane, have gone to Cottageville, S. C. to be with her parents, the George Youmans. The Rows expect to be gone ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Morgan spent Tuesday of last week in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Kennedy and daughters, Elaine and Kathleen, of Old Porter Road, Bear, and Mrs. Viola Thistlewood were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and

Mrs. Emory Webb and Mr. and Mrs. John Clark. Other callers in the afternoon were Dave Vinyard and Mr. and Mrs. L. Paul Greenlee.

Miss Marie Watkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Watkins who has been taking a Bible course through the Vane of Prophecy of Los Angeles, Calif., has completed the course and received her diploma and all her friends are very proud of her.

Lester Wilson and Sterling Baynard were dinner guests of Mrs. Eva Wilson Sunday.

Miss Mary Robinson, West Chester, Pa., visited her nieces, Mrs. Paul Stafford and Mrs. Frank Willoughby.

Mrs. Roland Towers and Mrs. Reba Howard were in Milford last Friday.

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Pilgrim Holiness Church Notes

Sunday School Hour, 10 a.m. In place of the regular classes for this Sunday only, Dec. 24, the Christmas program by the Sunday School Department of the Church will be presented. Program will include songs by the Junior Choir, recitations, and a treat for all children present.

Morning worship service 11 a.m. Special Christmas Song by the Young Peoples' Choir. Christmas message by the Rev. Miller.

Pilgrim Youth Service 7 p.m. James Collins will be in charge of the youth service.

Evening Service 7:45 p.m. The Young Peoples' Choir will present the Christmas Cantata entitled, "Kneel at the Manger" by Byron Carmony. This will be an entire service of Christmas songs, featured by a closing Candlelight Service. The church extends a cordial invitation to the people of Harrington and the surrounding area to attend this Christmas Eve musical program.

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Hobbs

A Christmas program will be presented at the church here next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Our M.Y.F. joined the charge-wide M.Y.F. at Burrsville Monday evening. The Burrsville Intermediate M.Y.F. entertained, after which they all went caroling.

Mrs. Roland Towers and Jeff spent Tuesday of last week with Federalburg relatives.

Mrs. Dawson Fountain called on Mrs. George Butler last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Clifton Fluharty has been a patient in Easton Hospital for several days.

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Magnolia

Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Roe were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Richardson Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Pugh, and family, left Tuesday for Florida where they will spend the winter, and possibly longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hart, and Wayne, were among the guests who attended the dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Davis at the Dinner Bell Inn Saturday night.

G. M. Charles Orvis is spending Christmas leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Orvis and family. Charles flew from Madrid arriving in New York and on to Philadelphia where he was met by his family Sunday morning. He will be home until January 7, when he will return to duty at Rota, Spain, where he has been stationed for the past sixteen months.

Remember the community sing around the Christmas tree on Friday evening and the party to follow at the Fire-House when Santa will be there to take your Christmas wish list!

The Rev. and Mrs. Hood will be holding open house at the parsonage Sunday afternoon.

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Felton School Notes

SENIOR CELEBRITIES

Sylvia Jean Knox

June 2, 1944

Sylvia Jean Knox is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Earl Knox of Felton. She has served on the poster committee and as a hall monitor. She is an honor student.

Sylvia is taking the commercial course. After graduation she plans to become a secretary.

Richard E. Linder

July 13, 1944

Richard E. Linder is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Linder of Harrington. His activities include basketball, play prompter, and safety patrol. His out-of-

school activities are coin collecting, sports and driving.

Richard is taking the academic course. He plans to enter trade school after graduation.

ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

The Varsity boys and girls basketball teams of Felton High School will



### Instructions to The Public

The State Department of Civil Defense has recently revised the "Instructions to the Public," which are a part of the Delaware Operational Survival Plan. These instructions give necessary information to the individual and family for (1) learning the public action warning signals; (2) sustaining themselves during the initial stages of an emergency; and (3) contributing to the general survival and recovery effort.

Individuals and families are responsible for learning the public action warning signals, for sustaining themselves during the initial stages of an emergency, and for contributing to the general survival and recovery effort. Professional, labor, service, religious, and other similar organizations are responsible for contributing to the preparations for and the conduct of such activities as may be possible for the assurance of National, State, and community survival.

#### Warning Signals

The following uniform outdoor warning signals will be employed throughout the State to warn the public of an enemy attack:

The "ALERT" signal—a three to five minute steady blast or tone, meaning "attack is probable, take action as directed by local authorities."

The "TAKE COVER" signal—a three minute warbling tone or series of short blasts, meaning "attack is imminent, take cover immediately in the best available shelter."

When the "ALERT" is sounded, tune your radio to one of the CONELRAD frequencies, either 640 or 1240 kc on the radio dial; do not use your telephone. Take actions which will reduce hazards, such as disconnecting electrical appliances, shutting off fuel oil and gas lines, etc. Complete, as necessary, preparations to survive from the dangers of radioactive fallout for an extended period of time, such as filling additional containers with water, moving additional food stores to shelter area, increasing radiation shielding of shelter area, etc.

When the "TAKE COVER" is sounded, take the best available shelter immediately. This shelter may be a culvert, a basement, a doorway, a depression in the ground, or simply the floor of your car. This type shelter is taken to avoid the immediate dangers of the heat, blast, and initial radiation which results from nuclear explosions.

#### General Emergency Information

This information is based upon the assumption that an enemy attacking the United States would employ nuclear weapons. Although the measures discussed would in some respects be applicable to conventional weapons, the much greater devastating effects of nuclear weapons must be the basis for emergency preparations if our Nation, State and communities are to survive and recover from the effects of a possible enemy attack.

A nuclear explosion results initially in the release of a great

amount of energy, which is manifested in the form of heat, blast, and nuclear radiation. The latter takes the form of initial radiation and residual radiation, which is normally associated with the term "fallout." The heat, blast and initial radiation are generated at the instant of explosion and for a period of up to about one minute thereafter, depending upon the size and type of the weapon. Although no feasible protection can be afforded individuals in the immediate proximity of a nuclear explosion, because of the great intensity of heat, blast, and initial radiation, those on the fringe areas of an explosion can be protected to a considerable degree from the effects of heat and blast (initial radiation offers relatively little danger outside the area of "total destruction"). For this reason, the immediate seeking of the best available shelter when the "TAKE COVER" is sounded is considered the most effective means of reducing casualties due to heat and blast for the greatest number of individuals.

The residual radiation, which represents approximately ten percent of the total energy of a nuclear weapon, is potentially the greatest casualty producing effect of a nuclear explosion. When a nuclear weapon is exploded on or near the surface of the earth, literally millions of tons of earth and other materials are vaporized. This vapor and other small particles of material are sucked up to great heights by the rapidly rising heated air resulting from the explosion. A large number of radioactive isotopes, formed at the time of the nuclear explosion, adhere to, or become fused with, these small particles of matter, which start to settle back to earth in the form of dust. This dust, which starts to settle back to earth within approximately one-half an hour after a nuclear explosion, is referred to as radioactive fallout, and settles in varying intensities over vast areas down wind from a nuclear explosion. Although the radioactive particles in this fallout decay at a rather rapid average rate, the level of radiation resulting from fallout in Delaware could be high enough to require individuals to remain in shelters for two weeks, or possibly even longer. In some areas of Delaware, however, radiation levels might be sufficiently low to allow individuals to leave shelters intermittently after several days. Inasmuch as the intensity of fallout in any area cannot be accurately forecast prior to an attack, plans should provide for remaining in shelters for a minimum of two weeks.

Protection against radioactive fallout is provided by three factors—shielding, distance, and time. Shielding consists of placing between the individual and the sources of radiation a sufficient amount of material with adequate density to absorb partially or reduce substantially the penetration of nuclear radiation.

Distance from sources of radiation provides some protection in much the same way that the intensity of light is reduced in

proportion to the distance from the source. Moving to a basement, the walls of which are surrounded by earth, would provide shielding from radiation the same time would decrease sources on the ground, and at the radiation received from fallout on the roof by increasing the distance. Time is a protective factor because radioactive materials decay, or lose their intensity of radiation at a rather rapid rate with the passage of time. For example, in about two days the average radio-active material in fallout would emit only about one-hundredth the nuclearradiation that it emitted one hour after an explosion. Time is obtained, of course, by being prepared and able to remain in a shelter area until radioactive decay has progressed far enough for outside radiation levels to become safe.

As a rough guide only, the following types of shelter might be expected to reduce radiation to the indicated fraction of that to which an unprotected person would be exposed:

Interior area on first floor of two story masonry house—1/2 to 1/10;

Basement (without exposed walls) of small house or building—1/10 to 1/40;

#### Essential Supplies - Equipment

In order to remain in the shelter or shelter area for a sufficient period of time, in order to meet any emergencies which may arise, and in order to be as comfortable as possible, steps should be taken to obtain and have available in the shelter area the following types of supplies and equipment:

Food and water sufficient for at least two weeks. Both should be in containers which will protect the contents from contamination. A variety of canned foods and packaged foods, including meats, vegetables, fruit and fruit juices of the types to which the members of a family are accustomed, will usually provide an adequate selection and can be rotated through normal use. Two quarts of water per person per day will provide

enough for drinking purposes and limited amounts for washing utensils and personal hygiene; more is very desirable.

Sufficient bedding, clothes, towels, wash cloths, expendable paper supplies, such as toilet paper, paper towels, paper cups and plates, old newspapers, sacks, etc., should be stocked in or near the shelter.

Medical supplies, first aid kit, aspirins, vitamins, sanitary napkins, disposable diapers, special medicines, deodorants, disinfectants, insecticides, soap, toilet articles and similar items should be maintained at sufficient levels to be adequate for a minimum of two weeks; some of these items may be unobtainable for some time after an emergency.

Sanitation equipment such as a garbage can, covered pail or bucket for human waste, plastic bags for human waste, household bleach to reduce bacterial content of garbage and waste, etc., should be available in the shelter area.

Other items of equipment such as a battery-powered radio, electric lamps and flashlights, spare batteries for radio and lighting, clock, calendar, writing materials, matches, candles, cooking utensils, source of heat for cooking, and books or other means of diversion or amusement are considered essential.

An up-to-date list or chart showing the location of all the supplies, tools, and equipment required in the shelter should be maintained and certain members of the family should be assigned the emergency responsibility of taking to the shelter those items not stored there. By having activities planned and rehearsed will save valuable time, which might be needed to make last minute improvements which add to the protection of the shelter or shelter area from the hazards of radiation, such as sandbagging basement windows, piling books on the floor over the shelter area, etc.

One adult in each family should be trained in First Aid or medical self-help.

#### Post-Attack Information

Subsequent to an attack, and as soon as information regarding levels of residual radiation from fallout has been collected and analyzed, information will

be broadcast on 640 and 1240 kc, or on regular broadcast bands when CONELRAD has ceased operation. Instructions as to when certain categories of personnel may leave shelters, in-

formation on obtaining supplies, and any other necessary instructions will be broadcast periodically to insure that the public is informed and instructed. Later, when outdoor movement for

greater number is feasible, teams will start recovery operations; all able-bodied adults will be utilized in these efforts.

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**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

As the sights and sounds of Christmas gladden your heart and home, we wish that you may enjoy many Holiday pleasures . . . many memorable delights.

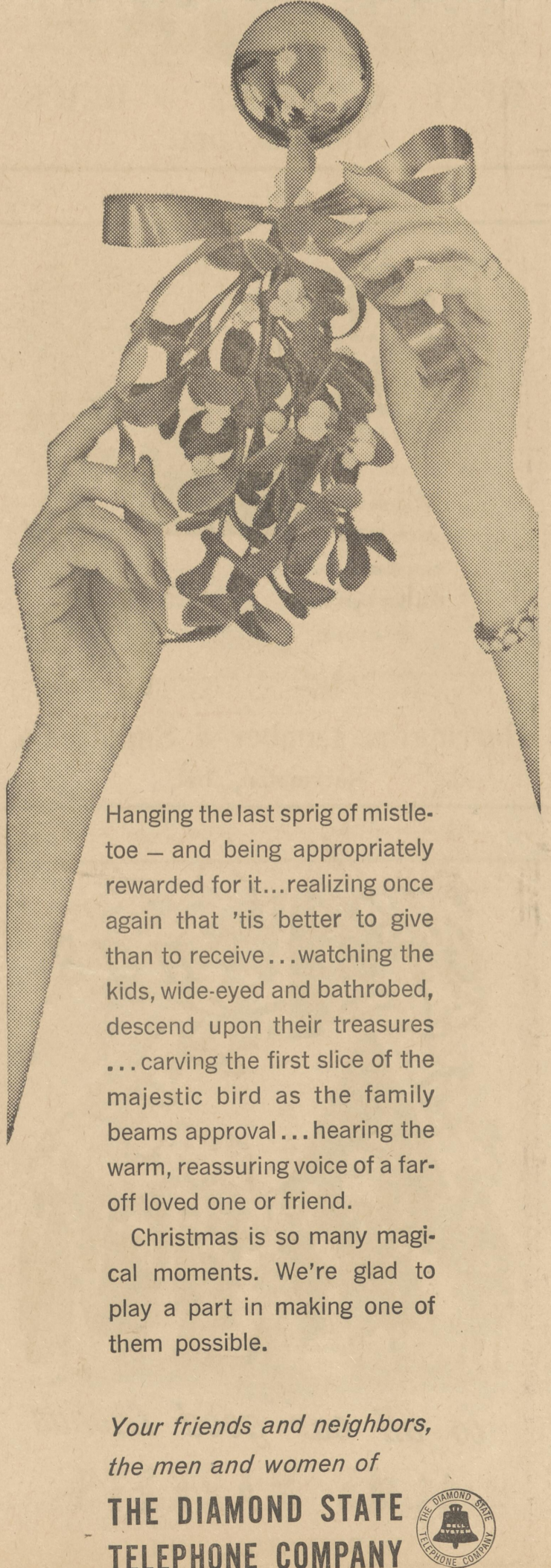
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**Merry Christmas**

With our thanks to you for your patronage.  
Have a wonderful Holiday Season.

**D. COOPERSMITH**  
MILFORD, DELAWARE



Hanging the last sprig of mistletoe - and being appropriately rewarded for it...realizing once again that 'tis better to give than to receive...watching the kids, wide-eyed and bathrobed, descend upon their treasures...carving the first slice of the majestic bird as the family beams approval...hearing the warm, reassuring voice of a far-off loved one or friend.

Christmas is so many magical moments. We're glad to play a part in making one of them possible.

Your friends and neighbors,  
the men and women of  
**THE DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE COMPANY**



**Season's Greetings**

Wishing you a most happy holiday season, with sincere thanks for the pleasure of serving you.

**Kent & Sussex Fair Association**  
Harrington, Del.

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housing loans—an amount far greater than any previous year. Farm operating loans also reached a new high of \$233.5 million. The total loans advanced by Farmers Home Administration in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1961, were \$396 million—the largest amount loaned in any fiscal year.

Congressman McDowell said: "Loans made and insured in fiscal year 1961 in Delaware totaled \$233,980, compared with \$97,461 the preceding year. These loans were used to pay for equipment, livestock, feed, seed, fertilizer, other farm and home operating needs; to enlarge, develop, and buy farms not larger than family farms; to develop water supply systems for irrigation, household use and livestock, drain farm land, carry out soil conservation measures; to construct and repair homes and essential farm buildings; to refinance certain types of indebtedness, and to aid farmers hit by a natural disaster such as flood, hail, or drought. Borrowers repaid \$141,275."

Congressman McDowell went on to say that: "Last June, following recommendations made by President Kennedy, the Congress passed an Omnibus Housing Bill which expanded FHA's program so that families living in rural areas and small rural communities as well as farmers could provide themselves with decent, safe, and sanitary housing. Approximately \$430 million was made available for these types of loans. The Housing Act marks another advance in housing legislation by authorizing the Farmers Home Administration to make small improvement loans without taking a mortgage on the farm for security, and permits the making of rural housing loans without taking a mortgage on the entire farm. This will cut down closing costs and speed up loan making."

New legislation contained in the Agricultural Act of 1961, signed by President Kennedy on August 8 modernized Farmers Home Administration authorities to meet changing conditions in agriculture and enable it to meet the credit needs of small farmers who need a bigger base to build on and young farmers who must overcome fantastic barriers to enter farming on a sound and secure basis. Established farmers who need to make large scale adjustments to keep up with changing time and farmers hit with natural disasters such as hail, drought or flood will be better served now because of the new legislation. Operating loans can now be made for up to \$35,000 compared to the previous limit of \$20,000 and loans scheduled for repayment over 7 years may be renewed in some situations for an additional 5 years. Loans to buy and enlarge farms may now be made on any family farm if the total indebtedness on the farm is not more than \$60,000 when the loan is closed. Previously these loans had been limited to farms whose value was no greater than that of the average family farm in the county. Loans may now be made to farmers with off-farm income to buy and enlarge small farms. Previously such loans could only be made on farms large enough to support a family.

Congressman McDowell added: "These and other credit authorities contained in the legislation permit the Farmers Home Administration to fill the gap long existing in agricultural credit. The agency has approximately \$500,000,000 available for loans during the 1962 fiscal year."

10 BEST MARES  
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with foaling date, is: Gallorette (1942); Twilight Tear (1941); Regret (1912); Top Flight (1929); Miss Woodford (1830); Busher (1942); Beldame (1901); Princess Doreen (1921); Bewitch (1945); and Imp (1894).

In an unique ceremony this year, there was a meeting in Delaware of Preston and Elliott Burch, Max Hirsch, George Poole, John Gaver, John V. Hennegan, R. E. Handlen and others representing the officers and directors of the American Trainers Association. The occasion was to honor Donald P. Ross, President of Delaware Park, and William duPont, Jr., one of its founders, who were presented with engrossed resolutions as follows:

"The American Trainers Association has the honor to declare that: Whereas, the ranking of the Ten Greatest American Race Mares has benefited the thoroughbred horse and has emphasized the importance of the distaff side of the breeding industry; and

Whereas, the ranking of the Ten Greatest American Race Mare is the most successful nationwide effort of its kind and has been widely acclaimed by turf reporters, breeders, magazine writers, track administrators and numerous public figures; and

Whereas, the American Trainers Association has earned both prestige and dignity due to its sponsorship of this ranking passasear pur ramouar si ortum annually by Delaware Park; and

Whereas, the ranking of the Ten Greatest American Race Mares was established by the membership of the American Trainers Association in a nationally conducted poll with the tabulation carefully cross-checked and analyzed by auditors and accountants; therefore, be it Resolved, that the American Trainers Association continue its sponsorship and participation in the ranking of the Ten Greatest American Race Mares now and hereafter; and be it Further resolved, that Donald P. Ross and William duPont, Jr., be commended, congratulated and felicitated on their part in forming the ranking of the Ten Greatest American Race Mares, in establishing the Distaff Big Three, and on their lifetime work with and for the Thoroughbred horse."

MELVIN BROS. TO HANDLE NEW LINE HEATING EQUIP. Melvin Brothers has been appointed as a dealer for Timken heating equipment in Kent and Sussex Counties, and in Caroline County, Md.

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(Continued from Page 1) vote right the first time. Innocent people have been executed, he argued.

Many others took the floor in the hushed chamber, before an unusually large audience, to give their opinions.

Rep. Charles L. Klejnach, R-Cooch's Bridge, who voted against the bill, told the Legislators their responsibilities go beyond their constituents. "Our obligation transcends any geographical area," he said.

Rep. A. J. Casey, R-Mill Creek Hundred, another foe of the measure, told of a burning at the stake at New Castle on Sept. 10, 1731, and of a sentence for hanging, disembowelment and burning in 1780.

"Many of our elected leaders from Thomas Jefferson to our present governor are opposed to capital punishment," he reported. "The vast majority of the experts are opposed to capital punishment. Should we as responsible representatives go against their advice?"

He cited opponents including the Delaware Bar Association, Sen. J. Caleb Boggs, Atty. Gen. Januar D. Bove Jr., Dr. M. A. Tarumian, the state psychiatrist, and "most of our churches."

Rep. George Ehinger, R-Dover, who voted "no," declared "the tragedy is both sides are striving for the same goal."

Former State Sen. Elwood F. Melson Jr. of Claymont, who was granted the floor. He had been a leader in the fight for repeal of capital punishment at an earlier session. He said it was done because "after three years of quiet discussion, we became convinced it did not serve a useful purpose, and that on the other hand it served a bad purpose."

Melson added: "I say to you every person in the state is influenced by the fact that the

state says murder is not justified by anyone—the state or by anyone—It makes us a little safer, when the state sets the example and says it is never justified."

L.O.O.M. PARTY

(Continued from Page one) Williams, Thomas Carr, James Jopp, Harvey Passwaters, all of Harrington; James Foxwell, of Denton; Bill Reed, of Wilmington, and Archie Hughes, of Felton.

The Harrington Lodge and Womens Chapter No. 1229, wish to express their thanks to everyone who furnished transportation to the children.

The annual Christmas party to and from the Lodge for for Moose members' children was held Friday night, Dec. 15. Santa Claus arrived at 8 p.m. The children then received their gifts. They played musical chairs and Richard Wilson III, of Milford, won the prize for this game. Gene Vanderwende, of Harrington won the boys door prize and Michele Smith of Harrington won the girls door prize.

The children had refreshments of dixie cups and cup cakes. The parents were served punch and dixie cups.

Everyone at the party had an enjoyable evening. The Lodge and Chapter wishes to thank everyone who assisted with this party for their support and help.

The committee chairmen for this party consisted of: Kay Jones from the Chapter and Earl Yoder from the Lodge. Assisting the committee chairmen were, Elizabeth Reed, Ann McWilliams, Blanch and Tom Carr, and Ina Banning, all of Har-

ington; James Foxwell of Denton; Dorothy Wilson, of Milford; Delema Jerman, of Greenwood.

Kent Home Doings

Looking for just the right gift for the favorite man in your life? What could be more relaxing and practical than a comfortable chair? But you can't go out and "just buy a chair," warns Mrs. Katie Thomas, Kent County home agent. It has to be the "right" chair—one that fits. If you bought your husband a shirt you'd need to know his garment size. The same is true of a chair—to be sure it's one he'll enjoy, you need to know his bone measurements. It's not enough to know if he's tall or short, lean or heavy or just average. Take his measurements, under false pretenses if you want to surprise him Christmas Day.

The human body sometimes gains in height by greater distance from heels to back of knee—sometimes the length is comparatively greater from the knee to hip line. Many people

with average length under pinings have longer back bones.

Each of these measurements is important in choosing a chair for comfort and real relaxation, says Mrs. Thomas. For instance, the person with short bones from knee to heel will never be comfortable in a chair seat higher from the floor than his leg measurement.

The depth of seat from front to back should correspond in inches with the person's measurement from back of knees to base of spine. The height of the chair back should be equivalent to the measurement from tip of spine to the shoulder blades. A high back can be selected which will rest the neck and head, if desired.

If you plan to buy a chair for your husband, take your tape measure along and check the chair you're choosing. Make sure the chair fits your husband, even if you have to compromise on the style, concludes Mrs. Thomas.

Christmas Seals aid the fight against TB. Use them on all your holiday mail.

Veterans News

QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

Q—Do servicemen receive the same benefits as servicemen after they are discharged and become veterans?

A—Yes.

Q—When a veteran believes he holds re-employment rights in a Federal agency, but the agency

refuses to re-employ him, to whom does he appeal his case?

A—In the case of a field service position, appeal should be made to the Civil Service Regional Office having jurisdiction over the area; in case of a departmental service job or central office position, appeal should be made to the Central Office of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

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