

24th Delmarva Chicken Festival Begins June 4th

The attention of the nation will be focused on Ocean City, Md., and the poultry industry of the Delmarva peninsula as the 24th annual Delmarva chicken festival and national chicken cooking contest take place Friday, June 4, Saturday, June 5 and Sunday, June 6, at the resort town's Convention Hall.

Opening event features Delmarva's giant fry pan which has brought fame to the area through the years. This enormous piece of equipment is 10 feet in diameter, weighs 650 pounds, holds 392 gallons of oil when full and 800 pieces of chicken can be cooked in it at one time.

It was designed and constructed by Mumford Sheet Metal Works in Selbyville, and was donated to Delmarva Poultry Industry in 1950 to be used in the promotion of Delmarva chicken.

Fried chicken, either as part of a platter meal or in tubs, will be available all three days of the festival from 11 a.m. until 8 p.m.

Delmarva's poultry princess pageant will take place in two stages. On Friday night June 4, twenty teen-age girls representing towns throughout the peninsula will make appearances in street clothes and evening dresses and will be interviewed. Each will make a three minute talent presentation, starting at 8 p.m.

On Sunday, June 6, p. m., the curtain will open on the twenty teen-agers in evening dress and at that time five semi-finalists will be selected.

These five semi-finalists will then do a repeat performance of their talent acts and from them a 1971 Delmarva Poultry Princess will be chosen.

Exactly one dozen baby chicks, little 4 and 5 year old girls, will also be on stage Sunday afternoon, both in chicken costumes and party dresses, vying for the Little Delmarva Poultry Princess title. Each will recite a nursery rhyme as part of her competition.

Honored guests at the pageant will be last year's winners, Miss Diane Bunting of Pocomoke City, Md., 1970 Delmarva Poultry Princess, and Miss Sheila Kay Yoder of Greenwood, 1970 Little Delmarva Poultry Princess. Harry Kelly, mayor of Ocean City, James Gordon, festival chairman, and William O. Hudgins, president of DPI will participate in awards.

Tickets for the pageant are 50c each, with children under 12 admitted free. Tickets will be available at the door.

Frank Hennessy, director of community relations for the National Brewing Company, will be master of ceremonies for the pageant. Judges are: Mrs. Jacqueline D. Barney, instructor, home economics education, University of Delaware, Newark; Les Coleman, account executive and announcer, Radio WDEL and WSTW-FM, Wilmington; Miss Martha Espedahl, fashion editor, News Journal Papers, Wilmington; William LaForce, Jr., director of photography, The Sun Papers, Baltimore. (Continued on Page 3)



GIRLS & BOYS STATE—Front left to right, Gwyn Melvin, Donna Mahony. Back Ricky Hamm, Craig Moore.

Four Lake Forest Students Chosen For Girls' And Boys' State

Gwyn Melvin, Donna Mahony, Craig Moore and Ricky Hamm have been selected to represent Lake Forest as delegates to Girls' and Boys' State.

This year's conference will be held at Wesley College and Delaware State College from June 21-25. Sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary and the American Legion, these annual events provide outstanding students in the state an opportunity to gain a better understanding of the processes of American government.

Alternate delegates are Dottie Melvin, Peggy Phelps, Bill Erne and Michael Trotta.

Memorial Day Services To Be Held At Hollywood Cemetary

James O'Neal, commander of C.K.R.T. Post #7, the American Legion, announced this week that plans are complete for the memorial services to honor the memory of deceased veterans of all wars.

Sponsored jointly by Post #7 and its Auxiliary, these services will be held at Hollywood Cemetary beginning at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, May 31.

The memorial address will be given by the Rev. Ellwood Cursey, pastor of Trinity United Methodist Church in Harrington. Necie Coleman, Donna Wetherhold and Tom Clarke from Lake Forest High School will speak. Also participating will be the high school band, under the direction of Prof. Louis Guisto and a firing squad commanded by George Langford. Rev. William H. Miller, minister at Calvary Wesleyan Church of Harrington, will give the invocation and benediction.

Legionnaires and Auxiliary members will meet at the cemetery gates and enter as a group. The public is invited to attend these services.

The parade will begin at the Quillen Shopping Center immediately following services at the cemetery.

Memorial Day Parade

The annual Memorial Day parade sponsored by the American Legion C.K.R.T. Post No. 7 of Harrington will take place Monday morning, May 31, forming at the Shopping Center on Clark Street immediately following the Memorial Day services at the Hollywood Cemetery, or about 10:30 a.m.

All units who plan to be in the line up are requested to report promptly. Bands who will be reporting will be the South Elementary School band and the Lake Forest High School band.

The parade will be escorted by the City of Harrington police staff car and include equipment from the Harrington Volunteer Fire Company. The parade route will be Clark Street to Delaware Avenue, north to Center, west to Donnan, south to Commerce and north to city hall where it will disband.

Once again we remind you to fly America's flag on Memorial Day!

Harry Sullivan Observed 82 Birthday

Harry M. Sullivan observed his 82 birthday, Saturday. On Sunday afternoon, his family gathered for cake and ice cream. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Sullivan, Trenny and Tracy, of Milford; Harry M. (Buck) Sullivan of Dover, Mrs. Jean Miller, Martin and Barbara Jean; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Taulane, Steven, Tracy and Janelle, of Dover; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel N. Matthews, and Jo Anne.

Markers Available On Veterans Graves

Flag holders are available for the grave of war veterans at Hollywood Cemetery, Harrington, at no charge. When notified, Callaway - Kemp - Raughley - Tee Post No. 7, American Legion, will place the marker on the grave.

Drainage Work In Lower Kent Is On The Homestretch

Flooded conditions in Harrington and the western portion of Mispillion Hundred will soon be a thing of the past, if the work on tax ditches is any criterion.

Work completed on Horse Pen Arm. Black Arm should be completed late this summer.

Next under construction will be Prospect tax ditch, with completion scheduled for latter part of year.

Bright-Haines has a survey in preparation for construction plan.

Prospect Ditch is ready for construction this calendar year.

Brown's Branch drainage area, of which Harrington is a part, is in planning stage.

Brownsville ditch being surveyed for construction plans.

When the above ditches are out of the way, Mott figured attention would be paid to a prong of Brown's Branch, the Cemetery Ditch, which extends to the east of the Delaware State Fair grounds. This ditch would drain part of Harrington.

DSEA SUIT ASKS FOR FACT-FINDING

The Delaware State Education Association has filed suit in Court of Chancery seeking an injunction to force the Lake Forest School Board to submit its dispute with the district's teachers to fact-finding.

According to Nicholas H. Rodriguez, attorney for DSEA, the court must decide if the board should be forced to abandon negotiations, or if, indeed, the law permits the teachers to seek the injunction at all.

The board contends the teachers have no right under the professional negotiation law to go to fact-finding in search of a contract.

No contract has been agreed upon and the teachers have been working for more than a year with no signed agreement.

Under fact-finding procedures, the Lake Forest Education Association and the school board would each select a negotiator. Those two would in turn select a third person. The team would then prepare a contract and present it to both sides.

James B. Testerman, president of the teacher association, said the teachers will accept whatever is written by the fact-finding team.

"We may not like the results, but we'll go along with them just to get a contract," Testerman said.

Negotiations were broken off in February after a representative of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service was unable to find a solution to the problem. The talks have been held intermittently since last April.

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Richard N. Downing Elected President Of Downing Company

At a special meeting of the board of directors held May 11, Richard N. Downing, grandson of the founder was elected president of Harrington Lumber & Supply and Downing Eng. Co. Inc.

The Downing's wish to thank the people of Harrington for their business in the past. The business will continue to operate as always by the Downing family.

Piano Recital Friday

The annual piano recital by the pupils of Melvin L. Brobst will be held in the music room of the W. T. Chipman Junior School this Friday, May 28, beginning promptly at 8 p.m.

Students being presented are Beth Horleman, Jackie and Nancy Dill, Becky, Kathleen and Debbie McKnatt, Cathy and Susan Ricker, Teresa Smith, Lynne Parker, Debbie Winebrenner, Lisa Brown, Karen Kimmey, Kathy Harrington, and Donna Mahony.

Parents and friends of the young pianists are invited to attend.

W. T. Chipman Junior School Receives Contribution

The W. T. Chipman Junior School has received a \$50 contribution from Mrs. Hazel B. Taylor of Federalsburg, Md. The gift will be used for the purchase of library books in memory of C. Elwood Taylor, Harrington High School Class of 1921 and Walter B. Taylor, Harrington High School class of 1938.

Two Local Students Graduate From Wesley College

Andrea Peck Walls, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Walls, Harrington and Charles Reynolds Sipple Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Sipple, Felton, were members of the ninety-eighth graduating Class of Wesley College, Dover, commencement for which was held Sunday, May 23. Dr. Robert H. Parker, president of Wesley College, presided at the baccalaureate and commencement services and the honorable Russell W. Peterson, governor of the state of Delaware, was the principal speaker.

Andrea Walls and Charles Sipple were members of the 1969 Harrington High School graduating class and will enter the Virginia Commonwealth University in Richmond, Va., in September.

Kirby & Holloway Co. Qualifies For Interstate Shipment Of Products

Kirby and Holloway Provision Company of Harrington, processors of scrapple, sausage and other meat products, is Delaware's first state inspected plant to qualify for federally approved interstate shipment of its products.

Secretary of Agriculture G. Wallace Caulk has notified Russell Kirby, the firm's president, of the company's approval by federal officials.

Under the recent state-federal co-operative inspection program, the department of agriculture will staff the plant with state inspectors but all products will bear the federal inspection seal.

Acceptance under the program was based on federal standards pertaining to renovated plant facilities and the qualification of the state inspection program and personnel, Caulk said.

He also stated that other meat processing plants are expected to receive similar approval in coming months.

Immunization Urged For Polio And Measles

The Delaware Division of Physical Health urges all parents to have their children immunized against polio and measles. These immunizations are given by the county health units in well-child conferences and regularly scheduled immunization clinics.

For information about times and locations of well-child conferences, telephone the nearest county or city health unit. Immunization clinic schedules are listed below.

Kent County — Kent County Health Unit, Federal and Water Streets, Dover, every Monday, 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.

Sussex County — Sussex County Health Unit, So. Bedford St. Ext., Georgetown, 1st Monday, 10 to 11 a.m.

Wilson Laurel Federalsburg Plant To Open

The Wilson Laurel Farms, Inc. processing plant in Federalsburg, will resume operations June 1, according to an announcement made May 24 by Charles Martin, Delmarva area manager. The facility, closed since Jan. 20, when employees walked out on strike, will reopen as a cut up and further processing (Continue on Page 4)



Greg Warren, 14, Woodside, was presented the \$25 first prize in the 1971 Delaware Junior Broiler contest by Joseph Isaacs, president of the Delaware Poultry Improvement Association. Other winners included (right to left) Cheryl Warren, Woodside, second place; Margaret Thomas, Marydel, third place; and Vickie Godwin, Georgetown, fourth place. Marvin Mesibov, Kent County representative of DPIA, served as master of ceremonies at the awards presentation in Harrington.



LEGEND 1—Horsepen Arm Tax Ditch* **2**—Black Arm Tax Ditch* **3**—Brown's Branch (Proposed) Tax Ditch Co.** **4**—Brownsville Tax Ditch* **5**—Prospect Tax Ditch* **6**—Bright-Haines Tax Ditch. * Within the Marshyhope Creek Watershed Project** Within the Murderkill River (Proposed) Watershed Project

Felton

Mrs. Walter Moore The Felton United Methodist Church, the Sunday after the ascension of our Lord, May 23 - Heritage Sunday. The anthem of the Senior Choir was "Good News in the Kingdom." John Dill was baptized at the morning service. The Rev. Charles M. Moyer's morning sermon was "Finally, My Brethren." The altar flowers were vases of orange blossoms.

This coming Sunday, May 30 let's have a good attendance to welcome our new pastor.

Wednesday at 6:30 the Willing Workers will have a pot luck dinner.

Annual conference will be held this week at Wesley College and Dover Central Middle School.

The Felton street fair is being planned for Saturday, June 26. More details will be given at a later date.

Mrs. Elbert T. Case of Rehoboth Beach is a patient at the Fletcher Nursing Home.

The Senior Choir met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Woodward for choir practice last Thursday evening. Rev. and Mrs. Charles M. Moyer were presented with "book-ends" from the choir.

Rev. Moyer has been active with the choir during his charge here.

Dr. Elwood Jones and son, Allan of Bridgeport, Conn., were Wednesday visitors of their aunt, Mrs. A. C. Dill. Another Wednesday visitor of Mrs. Dill was her grandson, Kenny East of Georgetown.

Mrs. Lynn Torbert was a Tuesday visitor of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Alcorn, Cedar Crest, Wilmington. Mrs. Torbert and Mrs. Alcorn visited Mrs. William E. Haines at a Wilmington nursing home.

William "Billy" Green of the U.S. Air Force who has been stationed in Vietnam is spending a 30 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Green.

Benny Potter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Potter Sr., Canterbury is home from a Philadelphia hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alcorn of Cedar Crest, Wilmington spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Torbert.

Scott Chambers entertained a few of his friends on Saturday at a picnic lunch at a park near Denton, Md.

Miss Amy Hurd of Wilmington has been visiting Mrs. Rachel Reed.

Thomas Riley Melvin of Bowie, Md., and son of Mrs. Ella Melvin of town recently suffered a heart attack, but his friends will be glad to know that he is improving at this writing.

Mrs. Virgie Carlisle and son, Gene attended a dance program at Wicomico Junior High school auditorium Saturday evening to see Mrs. Carlisle's little granddaughter, Debbie Carlisle, who took part in the program.

Airman First Class Robert Sherwood of Seymour Air Force Base, N. C., and girlfriend, Ann of Goldsboro, N. C., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sherwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Torbert spent the weekend at their trailer, Rehoboth Beach.

Also at their trailer in Rehoboth Beach for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Marion McGinnis.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Torbert were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Blades, daughter, Donna Lee and son, Lester Jr., of Fox Hall, Dover and Charles Robinson of the Dover Air Force Base.

Mrs. Thomac C. Baker

Mrs. Pauline Chaffinch Baker, 46, of Federalsburg died of a cerebral hemorrhage while in a doctor's office Wed., May 19.

Mrs. Baker was born in Grasonville.

She is survived by her husband, Thomas C. Baker; five sons, Thomas C. Jr., of Maryland, and Donald E., Ronnie Lee and Richard C., all at home; a daughter, Mrs. Paul Fisher of Seaford; three brothers, Orville Chaffinch of Philadelphia, John L. Chaffinch of Seaford, and Charles Summers of Federalsburg; three sisters, Mrs. Mildred Campbell of Harrington, Mrs. Delma Hubbard of Federalsburg and Mrs. Doris Richards, also of Federalsburg; and two grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday morning at the Williamson Funeral Home, Federalsburg. Interment was in Bloomery Cemetery, Federalsburg.

Greenwood

by Pat Hatfield On Sunday of Memorial Day weekend there will be the annual Memorial Day service held at St. Johnstown M.E. Church. This year the service will begin at 3 p.m. The speaker will be Dr. Thomas McDaniel of the Eastern Baptist Seminary, a former missionary to Japan. There will be special music in charge of Miss Grace Porter.

Miss Mary Lookerman is a surgical patient in Milford Hospital.

Mrs. Lena Barwick has returned home after being a hospital patient.

Spec. 4 Kenneth Huey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Huey arrived home on May 20 from his duty in Vietnam.

His leave of absence came early and surprised his parents. Following this leave, he will serve in Germany.

On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Ceibert Bragg motored to Silver Springs, Md., there they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crowe.

On Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. John Jester and Mr. and Mrs. Ceibert Bragg motored to Cambridge and visited the Schriver family.

The Greenwood Kiwanis Club celebrated its 25th anniversary on Friday evening in the junior high school cafeteria. Some 80 Kwianians and their wives were served a prime rib roast beef dinner by the cafeteria staff with Mrs. Helen Wilson in charge.

President John Dorofee Jr., welcomed the guests, with visitors from Rehoboth, Milford, Seaford and Georgetown Clubs.

Past Lt. Gov. William Henderson, was presented as toastmaster for the evening. Capital Dist. Governor, William S. Foster of Seaford addressed the group on "World Changes Since 1946."

He also presented Legion of Honor certificates and pins to Ebe Reynolds Sr., Lawrence Meredith, Nelson Meredith, Alvin Mills, John Lyons and Charles Conaway. E. Laird Kratz received his in absentia as he is now a patient in Kent General Hospital in Dover, room 305.

A guest of the club was Miriam Lord whose husband, W. Paul Lord, was a governor of the capital district.

Miss Grace Porter accompanied Eddie Adams of

Milford who delighted the group with vocal selections from several famous musical comedies. Group singing was led by Ralph Hynson with Miss Porter at the piano.

Troop #686 Junior Girl Scout News

Sat., May 22, was the official closing of the Girl Scouts for 1969-70 season, however, two troops will have a couple more meetings.

The ceremony (fly up) is when Brownies become Girl Scouts and Girl Scouts become Cadettes. This meeting was held at Asbury Church parking lot at 11 a.m., with all three Harrington troops present.

Troop No. 686 had a very successful booth at the Milford Hospital fair, May 15. We made 300 grab bags and sold them at 10c each. We were sold out at 1 p.m. The troop had their last meeting at Wheeler's Park in the form of a picnic on May 17.

On May 10, a meeting was called of all the scout mothers. We (the leaders) wanted to discuss with these mothers the need for help in keeping these troops active in the coming year. Approximately 50 post cards were mailed to these people and a total of ten came to the meeting. Of these ten ladies who did come, we were not successful in getting a single one to say they would definitely take charge of a troop next September. It's sad to see the lack of interest in these girls. It would be a shame if the 60 girls were unable to continue in Girl Scouts just because their mothers had better things to do than help with these girls one day a week.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the people who have helped us over the past year.

Armed Forces News

Army Captain Ben C. Wethington Jr., son of Mr. and Ben C. Wethington Sr., Milford, recently was assigned to the 23rd infantry division in Vietnam.

Capt. Wethington is adjutant of the 3rd battalion, of the division's 18th artillery near Chu Lai.

His wife, Cathy, lives at 4608 Broad St., Virginia Beach, Va. He received his

B.S. Degree from North Carolina State University, Raleigh, in 1969.

Army Private James P. Calhoun Jr., 20, son of James P. Calhoun, Robinson Trailer Park, Lincoln recently completed eight weeks of basic training at the U. S. Army Training Center, Ft. Campbell, Ky.

He received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Pvt. Calhoun's mother, Mrs. Betty I. Bray, lives at 3507 Gatling Ave., Norfolk, Va.

Navy Seaman Apprentice Ernie Kohland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest F. Kohland of Route 1, Harrington aboard the destroyer escort USS Vreeland which is participating in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) training exercise "Dawn Patrol 71" in the Mediterranean Sea.

Navy Fireman Daniel C. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Williams of 5 Wilbur St., Milford is aboard the amphibious cargo USS Charleston which participated in operation "Keystone Robin" which carried more than 1,600 Marines and 724,000 cubic feet of equipment out of Vietnam during the sixth increment of troop redeployment.

At Danang, the loading was coordinated among Army, Navy and Marine Corps men

who worked continuously for 24 hours a day as ship moored to the pier, loaded and left within 10 to 12 hours.

The 1,600 Marines boarding the amphibious ships were from the First Marine Division.

Off-loading points for cargo and personnel included, San Diego, Long Beach, Calif., Pearl Harbor and Okinawa.

Nazarene Church News

Sunday, May 30 - 9:40 a.m. Sunday School for all ages, Mrs. Doris Morris, supt.

10:50 a.m. - morning worship service, Impact Team singing a special. Pastor's message "The Old Landmark"

6:30 p.m. - youth service - Jane and John Morris are in charge

7:00 p.m. - evening evangelistic service, special music Pastor's message, "The Sweetest Name on Earth"

Wed., June 2 - 7:30 p.m., prayer and praise service, you will enjoy the testimonies, the singing and the studying of God's word. Come and join us.

Thurs., June 3 - 7:00 p.m. our visitation groups will be going visiting. Please come and join us if you can.

Our Sick Mrs. Lewis Cain is home after being in the Delaware Division Hospital in Wil-

mington. Elwood Wyatt is resting at home and is recovering after a heart attack.

Mrs. Maxane Reitano is home following a brief stay in Milford Memorial.

Mrs. Irene Lee is at home recovering after a serious operation.

Happy Birthday

To Mrs. Mae Meredith, a member of our home department. She has meant so much to the church in years past and I'm sure she would enjoy hearing from her friends.

Our Visitors

It was good to have Roberta Lois Darling in our services Sunday. She is the youngest member of our Sunday School - 2 weeks old.

Mrs. Doris Rust and her son were with us also.

By age groups in New Castle County, 1,305 of the children receiving immunizations were between 1 and 4 years old; 1,011 were aged 5-9; and 248 were over 10 years of age.

May is "End Rubella in Delaware" month by governor's proclamation. Special clinics, staffed by physicians, are offering free rubella vaccine to all children ages 1 through 10.

Rubella, formerly called German measles, is highly contagious. Although common among children, rubella can cause serious birth defects if contracted by a pregnant woman.

This week, clinics are being held in Kent County. Clinics were held in Smyrna and Dover Monday and Wednesday evenings. The "End Rubella" clinic in Milford will be Friday, May 21, from 6 to

8 p.m. at the Milford Health Center.

Rubella immunization clinics will be held in Sussex County during the final week of May. All clinics will be open from 6 to 8 p.m. The Sussex County schedule follows:

Monday, May 24, Delmar Fire Hall, Lewes Fire Hall Tuesday May 25 - Laurel Fire Hall, Milton Fire Hall Wednesday, May 26 - Seaford Fire Hall, Millville Fire Hall Thursday, May 27 - Bridgeville Fire Hall, Indian River Fire Hall Friday, May 28 - Georgetown Fire Hall, Selbyville Fire Hall

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Annuals Will Add Color

There's nothing like a good selection of annual flowers to add beauty to a yard, accent to a landscape or provide a blaze of color, according to David V. Tatnall, garden specialist at the University of Delaware.

For best emphasis, Tatnall recommends using one type and color of annual in each planting area. Place flowers in beds along the foundation of the home, within areas that complement the house or in planters and planter boxes.

Since flowers often need a dark or contrasting background for maximum effectiveness, try planting a flower border in front of shrubs, walks or fences.

Annuals make excellent edging plants for either sun or shade. In the sun, try ageratum, alyssum, dianthus, dusty miller, marigold, petunia, phlox, snapdragon, zinnia or verbena.

In the shade, you'll have better luck with flowering tobacco, coleus, pansy, impatiens and vinca rosea.

Built-in outdoor planters are becoming increasingly popular for areas along porches, walls, patios and foundations.

Annual flowers selected for these should be free-flowering and provide continual color. Tatnall suggests marigold, petunia, salvia, snapdragon, verbena or zinnia.

A variation of this limited-space planting is the urn or tub, now available in a variety of ceramics, plastics and redwood.

For combination plantings, try ageratum, sweet alyssum, begonia, coleus, marigold, petunia, snapdragon or zinnia.

Window boxes remain an important flowers area for many urban dwellers with limited time and space, says Tatnall.

Among the annuals best adapted to window boxes are sweet alyssum, begonia, coleus, impatiens, nierenbergia, petunia, salvia, snapdragon, french marigold and dwarf zinnias.

Calendar of the week of May 26 to June 1 Wednesday 7 p.m. - Cadette Girl Scouts

7:30 p.m. - evening prayer and healing service Sunday 9:30 a.m. - church school

10:45 a.m. - holy communion with the Rev. Joseph S. Hinks 7 p.m. - Episcopal Young Churchmen

8 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous meeting Tuesday 3:30 p.m. - Junior Girl Scouts 6:30 p.m. - Boy Scouts

Q-I converted by "Q" NSLI term policy to the Modified Life plan in July 1970. I received dividends each year on the term policy, but failed to receive a dividend payment on the Modified Life policy. Why?

A-When you convert your NSLI policy, you also changed the anniversary date on which dividends on the Modified Life policy will be paid. The Modified Life policy with a "V" prefixed number you converted to is a participating policy and dividends have been declared on these policies for 1971. However, your dividend in July will be smaller than those on your NSLI term policy.

Q-Some of the services have a six months active duty training program, followed by so many years of weekly drills. Are these people eligible for educational assistance under the GI Bill?

A-No. This is a six months active duty program for training enlistment in the reserves or National Guard, and is specifically excepted from the definition of active duty for GI Bill purposes.

Q-I have remarried, and my present husband has adopted by daughter. Since her father died from injuries sustained in World War II, is she entitled to training under the War Orphans Assistance program?

A-Yes. Her eligibility is based on the fact that her parent died from service-connected causes. Subsequent adoption does not affect this original eligibility.

CHICKEN FESTIVAL (Continued From Page 1)

Md.; and, Mrs. Linda Lortz, fashion consultant, Montgomery Ward, Baltimore, Md.

Cooking in the national chicken cooking contest cook-off finals will begin on Saturday, June 5, at 9 a.m. Fifty-one home cooks, one from each state and the District of Columbia, four of whom are men, whose original recipe ideas have already been determined best from their states, will prepare their recipes. These finalists were chosen from among 15,500 recipe entries. Each recipe will be cooked twice, once for a final evaluation by a panel of magazine and newspaper food editors and once for a display for public viewing. Display will be set up by noon on Saturday.

A total of 5328 square feet of space has been devoted to range and work area installations for these contestants. Two will be cooking on outdoor grills.

Each state winner has already won \$100 cash and a trophy and an expense paid trip to the cook-off.

National winners of this contest will be announced at an awards dinner dance on Saturday evening. Maryland's Governor Marvin Mandel will present awards.

Top prize is \$10,000 cash, second is \$5,000, third is \$3,000 and fourth is \$2,000. There will also be nine \$100 awards for recipes that are outstanding in some special qualifying area, such as low calorie, adapts well to large groups, etc.

A special flair will be added this year with winners being feted by the Portuguese agricultural fair since these events will be taking place at the same time.

Panel of judges for this event is headed by Dorothy Crandall of the Boston Globe. Others are: Miss Ruth Ellen Church, Chicago Tribune; Miss Julie Benell, Dallas News; Miss Mary Norton, McCall's Magazine; Miss Bette McNear, Wilmington News-Journal; Miss Mollie Martin, Baltimore News American; Miss Jo Ellen O'Hara, The Birmingham News; Miss Ella Elvin, New York Daily News; Miss Selma Andrews, Los Angeles Herald-Examiner; Miss Rita Molter, Parents' Magazine; James Beard, cookbook author and columnist; and, Miss Marie T. Walsh, Family Circle.

Over 50 food editors of nationally distributed magazines and major city newspapers will be on hand to cover the activities and spread the word about Ocean City and chicken and new recipe ideas throughout the nation.

The national chicken cooking contest is sponsored by the Delmarva Poultry Industry Association in conjunction with the National Broiler Council and Best Foods, a division of CPC International.

An antiques flea market will be located outside of Convention Hall on Saturday, June 5, and Sunday, June 6, from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. This is sponsored by the Delmarva Antiques Dealers Association.

On Sunday, June 6, the flea market will be joined by antique cars brought in

by their owners from all over the peninsula.

Various exhibits will be set up inside the Convention Hall building. Memorabilia from the 23 preceding Delmarva chicken festivals and national chicken cooking contests will be on display. There will also be an incubator in which real baby chicks will be hatching.

Arts work assembled by local enthusiasts will be on display throughout the building.

Frank Hennessy will have his authentic old skipjack "The Chesterpeake" cruising the waters of Ocean City area when he is not on stage with the pageant.

Training In Crafts Is Neglected Area

No matter how much money the government devoted to education, here would be calls for more. Yet for every \$14 of federal money invested in universities, only \$1 is spent on vocational education.

Vocational education is a forgotten stepchild with no powerful lobby in Washington looking out for its interests. But conventional education on which we spend so much money in the belief that it is the answer to poverty, claims one government official.

Poverty would be reduced not by opening new universities but by offering education with a vocational purpose, says Marvin J. Feldman of the U.S. Office of Economic Opportunity and director of the presidential task force on vocational education and poverty.

He proposes a national system of vo-ed with the federal government supplying funds for the initial cost of buildings and materials. Another method would be performance contracts with materials. Another method would be private institutions to provide the education for the same amount allowed the school system.

Ideally, he says, vo-ed should begin in the third grade and continue through high education schools, culminating in a degree in vocational education.

Indeed, it might be added that vocational education could be a boon not just for the sons and daughters of poverty but for thousands of middle-class youths who enter college every year not because they want to but because of social pressures and the lack of any other alternative.

Strange, for a nation that was built by working people, who made a reality out of the dreams of the political philosophers, a lot of us look down on the person who works with his hands.

Meanwhile, some of them, like energetic plumbers earning \$18,000 a year, chuckle all the way to the bank. — Democrat-News, Marshall Mo.

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Information Center Opened In Wilmington

The cooperative extension service of the University of Delaware has announced the opening of its new home economics information center in Wilmington.

The center is located at 2106 Market Street in a three-story dwelling that was donated to the university by J. Bruce Bredin.

The Market Street facility has been turned over to the extension service to serve as headquarters for its expanded nutrition program in Wilmington. This a federally-funded program designed to help low-income families improve the quality of their diets.

Supervised by extension home economists at the university, the nutrition program has 13 nutrition aides working in center city. The aides, who are recruited from the neighborhoods in which they work, visit homes teaching homemakers what foods are needed for good health and nutrition. They also show homemakers how to plan simple dishes using surplus products and how to improve their cooking so food values are not lost.

According to Miss Janet Reed, state leader of home

economics extension, the Wilmington information center will provide the nutrition aides a place to plan their work and exchange ideas. They will be able to test new dishes and new programs that will make their work more useful to their neighbors. The center will also be used for small groups of homemakers who need special advice on information.

The first floor of the center has been converted into office and conference space for the nutrition aides. Eventually, one of the other floors will be renovated and used as a model low-income apartment for teaching programs.

L. F. North Elementary School News (Menu for June)

Tuesday 1 - (Donald Baynard) hot dogs, baked beans or sauerkraut, milk, pudding. Wednesday 2 - meat loaf, buttered rice or green beans, milk, roll/butter, applesauce. Thursday 3 - (Everetta Floyd) sloppy joe, kale, milk, chocolate cake. Friday 4 - (Mike Morrow) submarines, buttered corn, milk, jello. Monday 7 - (Jimmy Roland) chicken noodle soup, peanut butter sandwich, milk, fruit cocktail.

Tuesday 8 - fish fillet, stewed tomatoes or macaroni & cheese, milk, corn-bread, fruit.

Wednesday 9 - (Vickie Hobbs) spaghetti, cole slaw, milk, roll/butter, ice cream cup.

Thursday 10 - tuna salad, potato chips, milk, roll/butter, bread pudding.

Friday 11 - (Eddie Fort) veal cutlet, peas, milk- roll/butter, fruit cup.

Monday 14 - (Herbert Jarrell) pork patties, whipped potatoes or peas, milk corn-bread, applesauce.

Tuesday 15 - (Robin Bishop) hamburger/roll, string beans, milk, jello/topping.

Events of the month June 11 - end of 4th marking period.

June 16 - in-service (no school).

June 17 - report cards issued - last day of school.

Hickman

Mrs. Isaac Noble Rev. and Mrs. Ira Crum of Fruitland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Porter. In the afternoon they all visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Torbert of rural Denton.

Mrs. Alvin Fearnings of Williston was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Jesse Fearnings.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tull, Mike and Robbie of rural Greenwood were Sunday dinner guests of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Breeding.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hignutt Jr., and Janet of

Blackbird were Saturday guests of his father, Herman Hignutt Sr.

Sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Mrs. Addie Stuart of Charlestown, Md., but formerly of this community, who passed away at the Union Memorial Hospital, Elkton, Md., Monday, May 17.

Services were held at the Fleischauer Funeral Home Greenwood and interment was in the Concord Cemetery Concord, Md.

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PUBLICITY FOR UTILITIES AND HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT COULD IMPROVE

Now, we know handling publicity involves much more than merely sending out releases to the press. However, we believe there could be more releases on the local angle.

For example, Diamond State Telephone Company sent us a newsletter, used elsewhere in this publication this week, telling of the number of phone calls from the Harrington exchange.

Enlightening, of course, but we have not been informed on an item of more interest. There has been a lot of digging on U.S. 13 between Harrington and Felton and on Delaware Avenue. This, we find, is a project to put telephone lines underground. When the work is finished, we will find subterranean lines from Camden to Harrington, with similar lines and some overhead lines to Dover.

When we published a historical edition on, the 100th anniversary of the incorporation of the City of Harrington, the phone company sent a public relations ringtone, the phone company sent a public relations man down from Philadelphia to do the research. He couldn't wait to take the noon bus back to Philly.

His article carried very little of the local angle: he had not remained long enough to do the proper spadework. His writing included the invention of the telephone and when it came to Dover, with very little on Harrington. We rewrote the article and found out who had the first telephone here and the early locations and operators of the exchange.

Turning to another utility, the Delmarva Power & Light Company, which has a division office here, rarely sends a good release from Salisbury. The ones we receive usually involve the promotion of top officials. We would like to know about construction and improvements in this area. There also must be some news in the division office.

Many years ago the State Highway Department sent the newspapers a weekly report of the detours in the state. Wouldn't it be nice if the department sent a weekly release on construction work and its progress throughout the state? This could save the motorist time and inform the taxpayer what he is getting for his money. The highway department does have an expensive publicity man.

One might say, why do we not contact the publicity men instead of putting it in the paper? A reputable telephone company employe suggested publication to achieve maximum results.

Of course, the press is supposed to go out and get all the news possible, but this is impossible, especially on a small newspaper.

Of Local Interest

Mrs. Stella Sapp spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Robert May and family of near Millford. On Sunday Mrs. Sapp spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. William Wechenhiser of Harrington.

On Wednesday evening, May 12, a surprise stork shower was given at the home of Mrs. Nelson Reed for Mrs. Nancy Harrington Lawson.

Mrs. George Mahony assisted by Mrs. W. W. Sharp entertained the Priscilla Circle of Asbury W.S.C.S. at her home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. William W. Sharp attended the alumni luncheon at Wesley College last Saturday. Mrs. Sharp was a luncheon guest on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Howard J. Gannon and also attended the commencement exercises of Wesley College on Sunday when Howard Joseph Gannon Jr., graduated.

The Merry Circle of Asbury Women's Society of Christian Service, Mrs. Allan Parsons leader, was entertained on Monday evening by Mrs. William G. Stokes on Wiener Ave.

Sam Denny formerly of Delaware Ave., is a patient in the Milford Memorial Hospital.

Henry Stubbs has been removed from the Jewell Nursing Home and is now at his home on Ward Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grutz of Faulkland Heights spent part of last week with Mrs. Arthur Layton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marvel of Falls Church, Va., spent Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Arta Masten.

Miss Della Ryan is a patient in the Milford Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. W. R. Massey entertained the M.A.B.A. post officers' club at her home Monday afternoon. After the business meeting a social hour followed.

Mrs. Elsie Walker of Wilmington spent the weekend with Mrs. Edith Massey and Mrs. Olive Clark of Camden has been spending sometime with Mrs. Massey.

Harry G. Farrow Sr., enjoyed four hours of the Tall Cedars parade on the Atlantic City, N. J., boardwalk last Saturday, May 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, Mrs. Anna Tucker, Mrs. Bessie Warrington, Mrs. Ira Huffman and Mrs. Elton Smith attended the reception for the worthy grand patron, Order of the Eastern Star, Robert Marshall at Seaford, Thursday evening.

Leonard Blades attended the wedding of his nephew in Wilmington last Saturday.

Mrs. Katie Austin has been removed from the coronary unit to a private room in the Milford Memorial Hospital and is now permitted to have visitors. The room number is 252.

Mr. and Mrs. William Etherington were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hearn in celebration of Alice and her grandmother, Ida Hearn, who will celebrate their birthdays May 24 and Alice, May 27.

Miss Norma Frost a junior at Brigham Young College, Provo, Utah, is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Henry and son.

Mrs. Jessie Coleman returned to home Sunday and is recuperating at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baker after undergoing surgery in the Milford Memorial Hospital. Other visitors on Sunday at the Baker home were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shultie of Millsboro, Robert Shultie of Dover and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Minner.

Mrs. Elwood Shultie has returned home after spending a week in Serverna Park, Md., at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Roberts Jr., and family.

Mrs. Ira Huffman, Mrs. Violet Bliss, Mrs. Anna Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams and Mrs. Elton Smith attended Victory Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, 29th anniversary party, Monday evening in Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Tucker had as their Sunday dinner guests several members of their family in celebration of Clayton's birthday which he observed on Monday. His brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tucker of Houston visited him and his wife, Stella.

Houston

Mrs. Margaret Thistlewood Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Coulbourne and daughter of Milton, Mrs. William Coulbourne, Zack Johnson and Miss Connie Parvis of Lewes were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Parvis. The occasion was the 90th birthday of their mother, Mrs. William Coulbourne.

Senior Center News

The most enjoyable program of the month of May was a luncheon at which the mothers of the Center membership were honored. The affair attracted fifty-two persons. Invited guests were the Rev. and Mrs. William Halliburton. Corsages were presented to the youngest mother present, Mellie Wilson of Milford and to the oldest mother, Emma Denny. The door prize, a ceramic piece, was won by Lillie McBride. Each member attending received a small potted flower. The luncheon was catered by Marian Moore, a member of the Board of Directors.

The statewide conference on aging held at the University of Delaware was well-attended by the members with sixteen traveling by bus to Newark to attend the various workshops which had been set up to inform the mature citizen of the legislation that will or should be proposed for his benefit.

On Monday, May 24, Wilson Green of the American Handicraft Co., spent the day instructing the members in the art of decoupage. Each person present had a completed small plaque to take home.

Rev. John Edward Jones, who has served as president of our Board of Directors, celebrated his birthday on the 26. Members of the Center wish to extend their best wishes for a very pleasant year ahead.

The Center will be closed on Monday, May 31, in observance of Memorial Day, opening on Tuesday June 1, at 10 a.m. with a very full schedule for the month.

Watch for bingo, birthday party, ceramics, picnic at Killen's Pond, card party, and an entertainment for guests of the Fletcher Nursing Home in Felton. Never a dull moment or person.

There are seven members celebrating their birthday this month and anyone of them would be pleased to have you remember their day. On June 2 Ida Vander Borgh of Felton will enter another year; Irene Welch won't show that another year has passed on June 14; Emma Denny will celebrate on June 16; a year "younger" on June 20 will be Madeleine Bennett; Frances Penny and Florence Blessing share June 27 the longest day of the year; and on June 27 one of the youngest and most

Mrs. John A. Crist

Mrs. Nancy B. Crist, 85, of 126 Dorman St., Harrington, died Wed., May 19, at home after a short illness.

Born in Maryland, Mrs. Crist lived most of her life in Delaware.

She is survived by her husband, John A. Crist; two sons, John A. of Bradenton, Fla., and Maurice A., at home; four daughters, Mrs. Novella Caldwell of Dover, Mrs. Denelda Moore of Harrington, Mrs. Hazel Winstead of Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. Alice Billings of Felton; 18 grandchildren, and six great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Saturday afternoon at the McKnatt Funeral Home, 50 Commerce St., Harrington. Interment was in Mt. Olive Cemetery near Sandtown.

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active of the group, Gladys Hill, will observe her day. A happy birthday to each and everyone and may this year be filled with many pleasant days.

With the help of the civic organizations, friends of the Center, dinners, rummage sales and members of the Center, an amount of \$2,173 has been paid on the mortgage or about 45% of our indebtedness in less than 2 years. All this help is greatly appreciated. Not included in this total is \$421 donated by many of the same people specifically for the purpose of enclosing the front porch.

Asbury United Methodist Church

10:00 a.m. - church school, classes for all ages, you are invited to attend.

11:00 a.m. - morning worship, sermon by the Rev. John Edward Jones, "A Time of Sacred Memory". Anthems by the Cherub, Crusader, and Cathedral Choirs.

6:00 p.m. - Senior High M.Y.F. in the Pathfinders' room.

7:00 p.m. - evening worship, choir award night, special program of music presented by the Cherub, Crusader and Chancel Choirs. This is the closing evening service for the season.

Altar flowers this week will be presented for the glory of God by Mrs. Catherine Carson in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Derrickson.

Next evening service will be September 26, at 7 p.m., which will be a family night service.

Fire Company News

Harrington Fire Company answered only alarm this week.

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Local Chit Chat

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Olson of Drexel Hill, Pa., were guests of Mrs. Hilda Peterson and daughters Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bonniwell and April are touring the western states on a 3 week camping vacation.

BIRTHS

Beebe Hospital

May 13 - Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Harold Hall from Frankford, a girl, Samantha Ann.

Andrewville

Mrs. Florence Walls

Preaching service at Bethel Church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. Robert Ross, pastor. Sunday School at 10 o'clock, Lester Larimore, supt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Booth of Orlando, Fla., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lane, Charlotte and Danna.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hyland, Mrs. Fannie Perrine of Wilmington, were dinner guests of Mrs. Florence Walls and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Breeding and sons on Sunday. Other guests, Mrs. Helen Cordory, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walls, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walls, Arthur Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Booth.

Mrs. William Veale of Arlington, Va., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cannon over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Price of New Jersey over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Chew were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Morgan on Sunday.

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Poems from Paradise Pastures

By W. Cliff Miller

THE LORD LOVETH A CHEERFUL GIVER

I saw a man live,
And I saw a man die,
I heard a man laugh,
And I heard a man sigh.

The cheerful one served,
Spent a lifetime in giving,
The sad one departed,
And died while still living.

THE SECRET

One plant had love the other had none,
Though, both had water, food and sun,
The loved one filled its pot of clay,
The other wilted and passed away.

The secret of the thumb that's green —
Is known to all whose eyes have seen —
That living things from plant to dove —
Can only thrive when given love.

DSEA SUIT

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According to Testerman, the talks are stalled on two major issues, grievance procedures and teachers salaries.

The board agreed to a broad plan for hearing complaints, but then withdrew it. Testerman said in favor of a narrow list of items which could be presented to the board.

"When a teacher thinks he has a problem, we want someone to at least listen to him," Testerman said. "The answer may not be the one he wanted, but the problem would have been heard."

"As for salaries, they say they have no money and we say they have. They just refuse to negotiate salaries the way the law says they must."

Testerman has been fired by the board because of a letter he wrote to the faculty regarding the negotiations. The letter said a board statement that the district coffers were empty was "an utter and complete fabrication."

The board decided this was disloyalty and voted not to give the eight-year veteran of the district school a contract for the next school year.

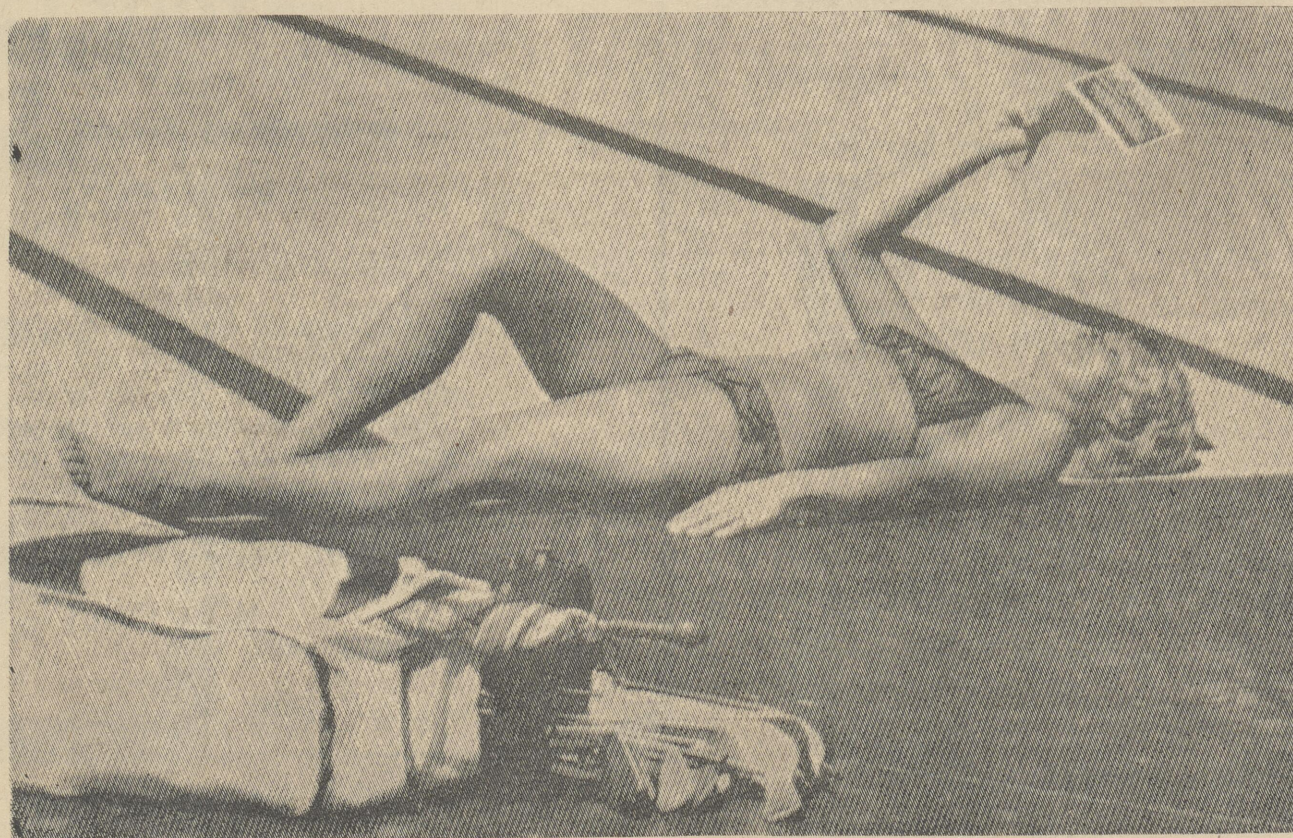
No date has been set for the Court of Chancery hearing.

WILSON LAUREL

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operation. Wilson Laurel Farms Denton plant will operate as a whole bird processing plant only, with all cut up being done in Federalsburg. This type operation should allow for maximum efficiency in the plant.

The Federalsburg plant will begin as a small operation with 40 to 50 employees. There is opportunity for tremendous growth and it is expected many more employees will be needed as volume increases. As products are developed and markets are secured, management expects the Federalsburg plant to grow and become a very profitable operation.



Above Par

Joyce Deese, a regular on the women's pro golf tour, studies the yardage of Los Coyotes Country Club in Buena Park, Cal., while sunning. She played in the Suzuki Golf International last week. The tourney's purse was \$41,000, second largest of the tour.

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Town And Country Topics

The University of Delaware weekly pesticide luncheons will be held in Milford this year. Monday, May 24, was the first meeting of extension personnel, commercial representatives, and farmers to discuss insect, disease, and nutritional problems on various vegetable and field crops.

The meetings this year are being held at 12:30 p.m., in Geyer's Restaurant located on Rt. 113 just south of Milford. All homeowners and farmers with plant problems of any kind can bring their specimens to Geyer's from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., each Monday for identification by your university extension personnel. We hope that all interested persons dealing in the agricultural field will join us for a Monday luncheon each week throughout the growing season to solve pest and nutritional problems.

Johnsongrass is now just starting rapid growth. I would like to suggest that anyone who has a Johnsongrass problem and does not have control recommendations or a understanding of the control procedures for Johnsongrass to contact their nearest extension office for control procedures.

Anyone who has already planted corn in Johnsongrass infested fields and now finds Johnsongrass plants starting to grow should keep these areas sprayed with chemicals. Dalapon is the only labeled chemical for post application in field corn.

Those of you planting soybean in Johnsongrass infested fields should allow the Johnsongrass to grow 8 to 10 inches tall, then spray with dalapon, wait three days or more and plow. You should then incorporate a soybean herbicide such as Planavin, Treflan, or Veram for Johnsongrass seedling control. Then later in the growing season, all Johnsongrass plants that were missed or seedlings not controlled can be spot sprayed with Glytac plus No. 2 diesel fuel.

I would like to say that in fields with 30% or more infestation, clean tillage is probably the best method for Johnsongrass control during the first year. On non-crop-land areas, we have several very effective chemicals such as Pramitol, Hyvar-X, MSMA and others.

Johnsongrass can be controlled, but it will take more than one or two years to do so. The seeds can lie in the soil for eight to ten years and still germinate and produce viable plants.

If you need further information on Johnsongrass control or weed control of any kind, call the Kent County Extension Office 736-1448, and we will be glad to talk with you.

Many homeowners enjoy having a green and lush lawn throughout the summer. This is only accomplished by thorough and timely waterings.

Most lawns in the Kent County area are Kentucky bluegrass. This is a northern grass and Delaware is on the southern border of the growth region for this particular grass species. During the hot, dry spells in the summer, this grass will turn brown and grow into dormancy.

This grass can be kept green during these periods with proper water management. Sprinkling with the hose after work as you are standing in the yard observing your flowers and shrubs may cool you off, but it doesn't do much for your lawn.

Lawns should be watered when the soil begins to dry out, but before the grass wilts and turns brown. A thorough watering is needed at each application. Approximately

one inch of water should be applied each time, and during dry periods one good watering five to seven days is usually quite sufficient. Newly seeded or sodded lawns should be kept watered more frequently to insure good establishment.

To prevent disease problems in irrigated lawns, it is recommended that watering be done early in the morning from 6 to 11 a.m. Watering through the day can be done, but is inefficient use of water. Watering at night is not recommended because it encourages many of our fungus diseases on lawn grasses.

Remember, proper watering of lawns requires at least one inch of water applied during each application. These few minute sprinkles that so many of you apply really are detrimental to your grasses.

It Seems To Me

by Janet Reed

It's dress revue time for 4-H club members. Many of the clothes they create are works of art and an inspiration to anyone who sews.

Sheer fabrics were popular this year, but when sheers are used, different techniques may be needed. All the workmanship on the wrong side of the garment shows through unless it's underlined. Since the "see through" effect is in style, underlinings are no longer used as frequently now.

Seams must be narrow and neat. French seams are appropriate but time consuming to make. Or, you can sew both seam allowances together close to the seam with a zig-zag stitch or a second row of straight stitching. Then trim away the seam allowance close to this stitching. The finished seam should be no wider than 1/4 inch, preferably narrower.

Facings on a sheer fabric doesn't look very attractive either. Finish neck and armhole or sleeve edges with a French binding (a double bias binding).

If the skirt is a straight style, use a double hem. It looks smoother and gives the skirt a bit more weight. Plan for this when you cut so there is enough fabric to fold over twice.

Curved edges, regardless of fabric, requires special care to avoid that "home-made" look. Scallops, round collars and other curved areas must be stitched accurately.

Trace the line of the curve on tissue paper and stitch right through—or use the paper pattern if you don't plan to use it again. Use a very short machine stitch, 20-22 stitches per inch. This gives a truer line and you can trim away the seam allowance to 1/8 inch, without being afraid it will ravel out.

After turning the edge, you must press carefully. The seam must come exactly to the edge with no depressions in the line.

Facing edges also presents problems. The seam line should not show; work it to the under side—ever so slightly—before pressing carefully. With some permanent press and crease resistant fabrics, the facing seam may not stay where you want it without top stitching. This is one reason why we see so much top stitching being used as a trimming detail.

The sleeveless lined vest or coat in all lengths was a popular choice at the revues.

but the lining peeped out over the edge too often. Lining must be a smidgeon smaller than vest. Then top stitch the edges to keep the lining from easing out.

Pants of varying styles were the choice of many girls. Maybe some girls grew too much after finishing them, but some appeared to be too short. Straight styles should come to the top of the shoe in back. Fuller styles can be slightly longer.

And, it seems we never get through talking about hems. I guess when we get to the hem, we tend to rush a bit. Hems should be even, not too wide, and with excess hem fullness shrunk in to make the hem as smooth and flat as possible.

Pressing, too, often needs more attention. Some fabrics are difficult to press, so pressing may take about as much time as actual stitching.

4-H members always try to "make the best better". Judging project work helps them learn how to improve their best.

Soils Laboratory Serves Rural And Urban Residents

Farmers, homeowners and commercial establishments in Delaware had more than 4,500 soil samples analyzed at the University of Delaware's soils testing laboratory in Newark during 1970, according to Leo J. Cotnoir, associate professor of plant science. Individual fertility recommendations based on these tests helped increase crop yields, improve home lawns and maintain commercial landscapes.

Over 1,500 soil samples came New Castle County Cotnoir says 938, or more than 60 percent, of these were for golf courses, lawns and home gardens.

Approximately 2,300 soil samples were forwarded to the soils lab from Sussex County, while another 740 samples came from Kent County. The majority of these soil tests were for farmers who raise corn, soybeans and vegetables crops.

In addition to the work mentioned above, the soils lab also analyzed 4,400 soil and plant samples for research projects at the university.

A routine soil test costs \$1. For that dollar, university technicians determine the soil pH—or degree of acidity; the phosphorus, potassium and magnesium contents; and then prepare an individual recommendation for fertilization.

Cotnoir explains that the soils laboratory is also equipped to test samples for micro-nutrients, nitrogen, boron and organic matter. How-

ever, an additional service fee is charged for these tests.

Name Junior Broiler Winners

A Kent County 4-H'er was named winner of the 1971 Delaware junior broiler program during recent ceremonies at the state fairgrounds, Harrington.

Greg Warren, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gooden T. Warren, Woodside captured first place honors with seven broilers that weighed 34.50 pounds—an average of 4.93 pounds per bird. His total score was 94.75 out of a possible 100.

Greg, a member of the Woodside Emeralds 4-H Club, was awarded the first place trophy and a \$25 cash prize by Delaware Poultry Improvement Association president Joseph Isaacs.

Second place and \$20 went to Greg's sister Cheryl whose seven birds scored 92.50. Margaret Thomas, Marydel, was awarded third place and \$15, while Vickie Godwin, Georgetown, took fourth place and the \$10 prize.

Fifth through tenth place winners were Kenneth Carlisle, Dover; Danny Palmer, Wyoming; Bill Winkler, Harrington; Robert Suppe, Newark; A. Paul Dill, Wyoming. Each youngster received \$7.50 the prize money.

Eleventh through twentieth place winners included Kay Niblett, Bear; Paulette Naumowich, Bear; Kathleen McFarland, Hartley; George Rhinehardt, Marydel; Emil Pavlick, Rehoboth; Charles Hudson, Felton; Kathy Redman, Middletown; Ronnie Cain, Greenwood; Debbie Hearn, Georgetown; and Greg Reissman, Delaware City. Each of these winners received \$5.

The junior broiler program started on March 19 when contestants were each given 50 chicks to grow to maturity. Birds were fed and cared for by the youngsters until May 12 when the seven best broilers from each flock were sent to Harrington for competition. Of the 96 4-H'ers and F.F.A. members who received chicks, all but one had an entry in the finals.

At Harrington, birds were leg banded for identification and dressed by a commercial

processor. Judging were based on conformation, appearance, uniformity and weight. The judges for this year's program were D. Ernest Matthews, Salisbury and W. T. McAllister, University of Delaware.

The Delaware junior broiler program is an educational project sponsored annually by the Delaware Poultry Improvement Association and the Delaware Cooperative Extension Service. The contest is designed to teach youngsters how to raise broilers, keep records, develop responsibility and learn more about the poultry business.

Hatcherymen, processors, feed dealers, vocational agricultural instructors and area service clubs also co-operate in the annual program.

Honey Bee Club Visits Sunshine 4-H'ers

Honey Bee 4-H Club members were guests of the Harrington Sunshine 4-H Club on May 10 at St. Stephen's social hall, at which time

Terry Gallo presented a program on "How to Give a Demonstration", preparing members for the county visual presentation day.

Donna Shultie also presented a health report on "Discover the Magic of Ice" and safety reports were given by Becky Gruwell and Terry Gallo on "Danger Stranger" and "Antidote and First Aid for Poisoning" respectively. Terry said an emergency always exists if someone swallows poison. Do not delay contacting hospital or physician concerning first aid and she passed out sheets giving first aid measures that

Fresh Strawberry Season

Strawberries — just seeing the word is enough to make mouths water and eyes light up.

Go ahead. Fresh strawberry season has arrived in Delaware, according to Roger Gander, extension crops marketing specialist at the University of Delaware. Red and delicious local berries are now available at roadside stands and "pick your own" farms. Check newspaper ads for locations.

No matter where you buy strawberries, look for those with a full red color, a bright luster and firm flesh. The cap stem should still be attached, according to Miss Marguerite Krackhardt, extension foods and nutrition specialist at the University. "Berries without caps may be overripe."

Also make sure the berries are dry and clean; avoid those with white, green or hard tips or with large seedy areas. If they have a shrunken look or they're soft, the berries are overripe. Usually medium to small strawberries have a better taste than extra-large ones.

Uncooked strawberries are an excellent source of vitamin C, one cup will give you

more than your daily requirement. And, calorie counters can relax and enjoy this spring treat with a clear conscience since one cup has only 54 calories—until you add the whipped cream and the shortcake.

Cooked as plain or as fancy as you like, strawberries add flair to pies, cakes and desserts. Check your cook books for recipes. But strawberries taste so good all by themselves with a sprinkle of sugar, many people say, "Why bother fancying them up?"

The peak strawberry season is all too short, but fortunately they're easily preserved, says Miss Krackhardt. For home freezing select firm, ripe, red berries, preferably with a slightly tart flavor. Large berries are better sliced or crushed. Sugar and syrup packs make better quality frozen strawberries than if you pack them without sweetening.

For more information on freezing strawberries, write for a free copy of Home and Garden Bulletin No. 10, write Freezing of Fruits and Vegetables, from The Mailing Room, Agricultural Hall, University of Delaware, Newark, 19711.

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KENT COUNTY COMMENTS



by JOSHUA M. TWILLEY
Levy Court President

Last Thursday the Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce received the completed "Fantus Report." This was a joint project with the Levy Court.

The Fantus study is an in depth industrial survey of Kent County. The Fantus Company is in the business of analyzing counties to determine what kind of industries would be attracted to the area and why.

It provides the community with guidelines on how to go about getting companies to come to Kent County and also provides lists of companies which might consider locating in the area.

Although the Fantus Company does not direct companies to Kent County, it is also in the business of doing industrial surveys for companies which wish to relocate.

Obviously, there is some advantage in having a report on Kent County for them to use when companies ask about relocating.

The success of the Fantus Company in this area is well proven. Following their last study of the area in 1962, General Foods came to Dover. This was a direct result of the information provided by the study.

The final report presented last Thursday indicates that Kent County would be especially attractive to industries in the audio-visual communications field. It suggests that companies which make products such as electronic timing devices, teaching machines, photo-

William Sipple Cain Sr.

William Sipple Cain Sr., 61, a carpenter and part-time trainer and driver of standard bred horses died Tues., May 18, in Orlando, Fla., after an apparent heart attack.

Mr. Cain, a native of Harrington, lived most of his life in the Harrington and Dover area. He moved to Florida five years ago and lived at 38 Dr. Love Road, Orlando, where he was stricken.

He is survived by two sons, Donald, of Harrington and William Jr., of Dover; a brother, George, of Harrington; two sisters, Mrs. Elsie Nelte of Milford and Mrs. Sarah Emily Masten of Harrington, and one grandson. He was divorced.

Services were last last Friday afternoon at the J. Millard Cooper Funeral Home, 110 E. Center St., Harrington. Interment was in Hollywood Cemetery.

Of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Taylor, Miss Susan Brown, Mrs. Matilda Brown attended the graduation of Artie Taylor at Salem College, Salem, W. Va., recently.

flash equipment, timing mechanisms, security alarms and intercom systems all have excellent economic and geographic potential in the area.

These industries would be most suitable because they require a relatively small amount of heavy metals and an ample supply of talented labor.

Though the finished product of such industries are expensive, they do not weigh much. This keeps the cost of transporting them to large northeast and eastern markets relatively low.

One of the more interesting observations concerning such industries is that more than 1/2 of the people who work in them are women. Such jobs require a high degree of skill and not a great amount of heavy work.

The Chamber is now beginning the second phase of this program, which is to select specific types of industries recommended, and solicit their interest in our county. The Fantus report is used as a basis to show them what advantages this community can offer them.

It is the hope of the Levy Court that Kent County may realize a positive benefit from the Fantus report with the next two years.

The Levy Court has also joined with the Chamber to conduct a transportation survey, an airport survey, and a civic center survey. Such surveys are not just information finding reports. They are forming the basis for future actions and sound decisions concerning the future growth of Kent County.

Your Levy Court commissioners feel that the new steps we have taken in this direction will be of substantial benefit to all the residents of Kent County.

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Mrs. Milared Gray

Mrs. Ruth Vincent and Mrs. Clara Adams of Greenwood were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Adams of Federalsburg, Md.

Mrs. Mary Alice Harding of North Carolina, daughter of Charles Hatfield visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Collins Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Collins of Cordova, Md., and Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Collins of Washington, D. C., visited Mrs. Harry Selders Wednesday. Mrs. Selders returned home with the Washington folks for a few days.

Sophomores Rita - Messick and Maria Lambert were inducted into the Woodbridge High School National Honor Society on Monday. Mrs. Mrs. Emily Womach, state treasurer was guest speaker.

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Del. River And Bay Authority News

Dredging in the area of the Lewes Terminal of the Cape May-Lewes Ferry should start in September, pending approval of the state agencies and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Reporting on the progress of the dredging project at the May meeting of the Delaware River and Bay Authority, director William J. Miller Jr., expressed concern over continued delays. "In both Lewes and in the Cape May Canal where sand dunes are building out from the jetty there is a possibility that a ferry vessel could become grounded," he said.

Miller added that after a dredging permit is granted, the Authority must still advertise for bids on the job before a contract can be awarded. He warned that costs will probably be higher than amounts provided in the budget prepared last October.

The Authority will receive a federal grant not to exceed \$135,000 to be used for installation of a marine sanitation demonstration project. A waste disposal system will be installed on the ferry flagship S.S. Delaware in the fall. Total cost of the project will be \$180,000, of which the Authority's share will be \$17,000; the contractor's share, \$28,000, and the federal \$135,000.

The waste disposal system will be installed by Pollution Control Industries, Inc., of Wayne, Pa. The new system is a pilot project in the field of treating sewage aboard vessels. It provides a higher level of treatment than minimum standards now contemplated by the federal government.

Authority members approved a revised employees' pension proposal effective July 1. The new plan reflects "an approximate 30 percent increase in benefits to employees," noted A. F. Smith, chairman of the Authority. Retirement age with 10 years continuous service has

been lowered from 65 to 62 years of age. For bridge police, it has been revised from 60 to 57 years of age with 10 years continuous service.

It was noted by Miller that traffic on the Cape May-Lewes Ferry has increased for the first four months of 1971 despite the reduced ferry schedule which went into effect in March.

The first four months of 1971, which include the two months of the revised schedule, showed a total of 22,034 vehicles and 54,621 passengers as compared to the same period in 1970 of 19,355 vehicles and 50,933 passengers, reflecting a 13 percent increase in vehicles and a 7 percent increase in passengers, Miller reported.

Mrs. Christian L. Maul

Mrs. Jennie M. Maul, 85, of 8 N. Market St., Frederica, died Wed., May 19, in the Wagner Nursing Home, Frederica, after a year's illness. She was the wife of Christian L. Maul.

She was a member of the Frederica United Methodist Church.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Maul is survived by a son, Thomas W., of Dover; two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Lawton, also of Dover, and Mrs. Avis Farley of Frederica; a sister, Mrs. Lydia Hill of Magnolia and two grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday afternoon at the Berry Funeral Home, N. W. Front Street, Milford. Interment was in Barratt's Chaul Cemetery, Frederica.

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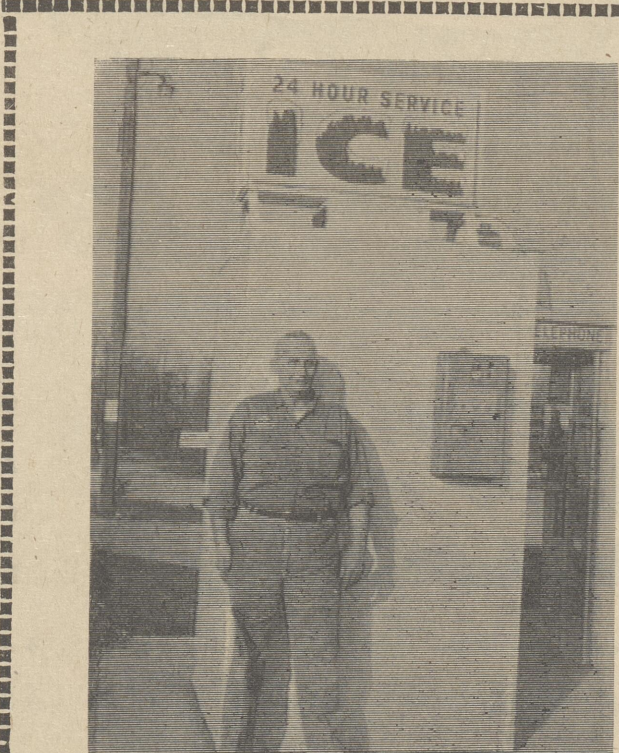
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Will Participate In Tropical Study Tour

Four recent graduates of the University of Delaware's Longwood program in ornamental horticulture will participate in a three-week tropical study tour starting May 31, announced Dr. Richard Lighty, Longwood coordinator.

Frederick E. Roberts, Canterbury, Conn., Mrs. Loretta Hodyss, Newark; Gordon E. Buswell, Fort Worth, Texas; and Edward J. Depoto, Athens, Ga., will study tropical agriculture in Florida, Honduras and El Salvador. Accompanying the group, in addition to Lighty, will be Mrs. J. Folsom Paul, short course coordinator at Longwood Gardens.

The three-day Florida tour will include visits to the U.S. Department of Agriculture Tropical Plant Introduction Station, Fairchild Botanical Garden and several ornamental nurseries in the Miami area.

While in Honduras, the group will visit the experiment station of the United Fruit Company a Lanecilla. According to Lighty, this station has one of the most outstanding collections of tropical plants in the new world. There will also be a stop at the Pan American Agricultural School at Zamorano where many of the top horticultural and agricultural

leaders in Central America have studied.

In El Salvador, the group will examine commercial nurseries, experiment stations, private gardens and parks near San Salvador. They will also tour Mayan ruins and see natural areas representing various floristic communities found in the subtropics.

The tropical study tour is sponsored by Longwood Foundation, Inc.

Trinity United Methodist Church News

10:00 a.m. - Sunday School, classes for all ages, Leroy Calhoun, supt. All are welcome

11:00 a.m. - divine worship, Dr. Ellwood W. Cursey, minister. Sermon topic "The Choice of Moses" special music by the Children's Choir and the Senior Choir, also a sextet instrumental music. The flowers and the greeters will be arranged by the Women's Society of Christian Service.

On Thursday, May 27, the Children's Choir will rehearse at 7:00 p.m. The Senior Choir will rehearse at 7:45 p.m.

On Tuesday, June 1, the Women's Society will hold their June meeting in the chapel at 7:30 p.m.

Vacation Bible School will be held in our church Monday through Friday, June 21-25. The sessions will meet from 9 to 11:30 a.m. each day. Children 4 years of age and above are urged to attend.

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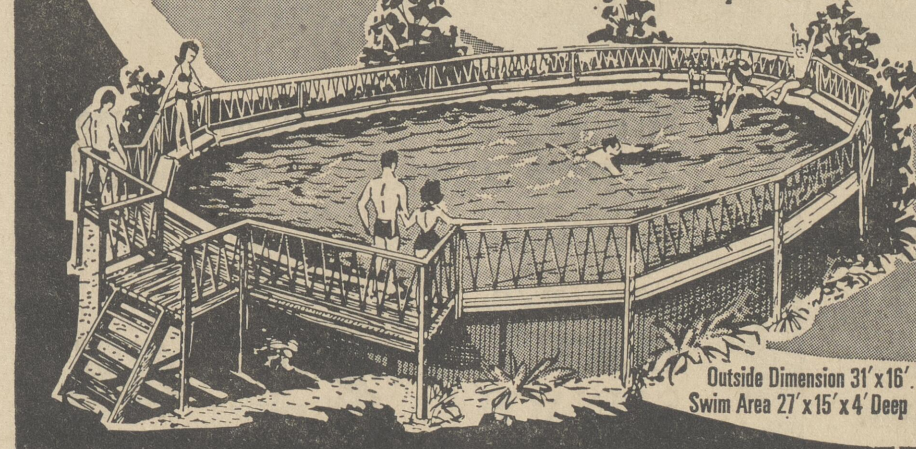
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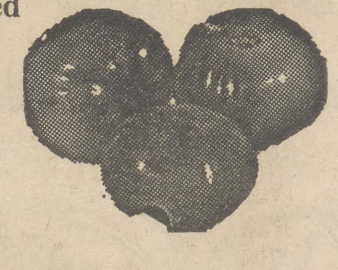
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