



Mayor Alfred G.B. Mann is sworn in for a second term by City Alderman Anna Harrington.



Dr. Vincent Lobo [right] who represented the city's Third Ward, for nine years congratulates his successor Daniel R. Coleman.



Returned to office for a fifth term Jack Wyatt takes the oath to represent Harrington's First Ward on the City Council.

Mann, Wyatt & Coleman are sworn in at Harrington

by Harry G. Farrow, Jr.
HARRINGTON, DE - Alfred G.B. Mann was sworn in as Mayor of Harrington last Wednesday night. The incumbent Mayor led all candidates with 131 votes. He also topped the voting two years ago when he was elected to the office in his second attempt to win the office of Mayor. Councilman Jack Wyatt was returned to his council seat in the 1st ward. He was elected to his fifth term as

Councilman, Daniel Coleman was elected to his first term in office from the 3rd Ward. Coleman who works in government services is a native of Harrington.

Once the swearing in ceremony was complete, Councilman Wyatt was elected Vice-Mayor, Norma Short, Secretary to the Council and Howard Wagner was named the Town's Treasurer.

AN ERROR.....

.....Appeared in the letter from Harrington City Councilman Ray Gagne which was included in last week's *Harrington Journal*. In that letter, figures were quoted showing the estimated amount of tax increase should the city borrow funds for a new or renovated city hall. The estimates were based on a presumed rate increase of 6 cents per \$100 of the assessed value of real estate. Through an inadvertent error, the figures showed that the amount of tax increase on a property assessed at \$10,000 would be \$6,000 per year. This was obviously not correct. The figure should have been \$6.00.

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Felton gets its Jaycee chapter (in time for Jaycee Week)

by Barbara C. Brown

The foresight and the organizational efforts of several Felton men were rewarded last week when the brand new Felton Jaycee Chapter received its charter from Don E. Jones, 63rd President of the United States Jaycees. The presentation was made in brief ceremonies at the Felton Fire Hall last Tuesday, January 11, 1983, and then again at a banquet meeting of Region 2 and 3 Jaycees at Gary's Dockside in Milford that same evening. On those two occasions, the twenty-seven charter members of the Felton Jaycees were sworn in.

"A Jaycee chapter is.....just as much as you make of it," Jones told the new Jaycees. "No deposit.....no return."

The presentation by Jones was made to Bruce Stewart, Acting Felton Jaycee President and one of those responsible for organizing the group. Among others present for the brief ceremony in the new meeting room at the Felton Fire Hall were Mayor William Myers, Sr.; State Jaycee President, Ron Pleasanton; Mark Langford, Regional Director for Region 2, and J.D. Dennis, State Jaycee Treasurer.

It was just a little over a month ago that several men, Stewart one of them,

visited the Felton Town Council to announce their hopes of forming a Felton Jaycee organization. The accomplished fact came in good time for the celebration of National Jaycee Week, January 16 - 22.

Of the accomplishment Stewart said, "It feels good."

"It'll feel a lot better a year from now...when you get something (the chapter has) accomplished under your belt," Jones replied.

Charter Members

The 27 charter members of the Felton Jaycees are Bruce Stewart, Leon Donovan, Roger Melvin, Ernest Vogl, Donald Killen, Donald Deputy, Jeff Chambers, Carl Deputy, Patrick Ware, Glenn Goodnow, Frank Hrupsa, Daniel Bishop, Doug Warrington, Jimmy Carroll, Glenn Sherwood, William Jester, Brian Casper, Eric Hobbs, Roland Neeman, Ronald Jarrell, Charles Hudson, Anthony Bodulus, Ron Brown, Adam Hobbs, Bob Stokes, David Hrupsa and Robert Parnell.

Jones said the new Felton organization is one of 7,000 local chapters, "...each one as important as any other." The Jaycees have 275,000 members nationwide and 501,000 in 44 countries around the world.

The Jaycee movement was started by

Henry Giessenbier in St. Louis, Missouri, on October 13, 1915, and became a national organization with the creation of 29 chapters at the first convention in that same city on January 21, 1920. First known as the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, the organization, in order to avoid the misconception that it was affiliated with the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, changed its name to the United States Jaycees in 1965. Its stated purpose is "to offer young men (18-35) the opportunity for personal development and leadership training."

Don E. Jones, was elected 63rd president of the National organization at the 62nd Annual Meeting in Phoenix. During the year in which he serves as president he makes his home in Tulsa, Oklahoma, headquarters city for the Jaycees. He and his family have their permanent residence in Bossier City, Louisiana where Jones heads a family owned construction firm.

Ron Pleasanton, 28, who is president of Delaware Jaycees, has been a member of the Smyrna-Clayton chapter since 1977. He and his family live in Smyrna. A graduate of the University of Delaware, he is employed by Exhibits East of Wilmington as a designer.



19 horses die in nightmare fire

by Barbara C. Brown

Some people wake up from nightmares. Warren Graff, Sr. of rural Felton woke up to one last Thursday morning. His family was awakened by the arrival of fire trucks on their lawn and the realization that a lifetime of love and care had gone up in smoke and flames. Before the trucks arrived, the barns housing the Graff's stable of 19 standardbred horses had collapsed. All nineteen horses, including five colts, died in the fire. A set of puppies housed in the barn were also victims of the fire.

Deputy State Fire Marshal Robert Montgomery estimated in the fire at roughly \$500,000. But he said it could be much higher. The value of the

buildings can be pretty much fixed, he said. But it would be difficult to calculate the worth of the animals who perished. Their current sale value might be "guesstimated." However, there is no way to evaluate their potential, let alone the lifetime of work that has gone into their breeding, training and care. Their tragic death represents an untold loss for the whole family and particularly for Warren Graff Jr. who has invested his whole life in training and racing his parents' horses.

The early morning fire may have burned for as long as 45 minutes before it was discovered by a passing motorist on her way to work. The unidentified lady called the Kent County Control

Board from the hot line phone on the outside of the Felton Fire Hall just a few miles from the scene. The Fire Marshal's office said the report came in at 5:11 a.m. Trucks were on the scene a few minutes later, but there was never any opportunity to save the horses.

Two neighbors, Carl Moore and his son Gary, both Felton firefighters, did make an effort. They got "a little way" into the barn, the senior Moore said. But the flames were too intense for them to stay. Moore also said he thought the horses had already perished by the time they arrived. In his brief glimpse into the inferno he saw one animal lying partially out of the stall and burning.

Deputy Fire Marshal Montgomery

made it clear that the horses probably perished from smoke and fumes or heat inhalation before the flames reached them. Inhaling the heat from a conflagration he said would cause the lungs to collapse almost immediately.

The Moores were first alerted to the fire when the alarm sounded. They have a home alert unit installed in the house. Moore said he raced to a front room and saw that the whole house was lit up in the early morning darkness. He was not too sure it wasn't their own property that was involved.

Moore said the report on his unit placed the fire 2 miles west of Felton, but said the nature of the blaze was unknown. He called the control board to tell them it was a barn fire. Then he

and son Gary pulled on their clothes and ran across the road to see what they could do.

There was little that anyone could do other than control the spread of the blaze and put it out. The flames did spread to a corncrib, and the breeze drifted thick smoke across Delaware 12 creating poor visibility for a little distance along the road. If the sleeping Graff's were fortunate in anything, it was in that the wind did not blow in the other direction and set their home on fire, too.

About 50 firefighters from the Felton and Harrington Fire Companies responded to the alarm. The fire was extinguished by 6:30 a.m. Deputy Fire Marshal Montgomery

said the fire apparently started around 4:30 a.m. in the northeast corner of the older barn, a two-story structure with hay in the loft and housing ten of the horses in the lower portion. A newer extension housed the rest of the horses and also contained a feed and a tack room.

Cause of the fire, Montgomery said on Monday morning was an electrical malfunction in the fuse box in the older barn.

The Graffs, originally from New Jersey, have made their home on the farm just west of Felton for ten years. Their stable of 19 standardbred horses began with just one. It included Her Bar Yves, Pauper Blu and TH Girl.

O.A. Newton & Son celebrates expansion

by Barbara C. Brown

O.A. Newton and Son, of Bridgeville celebrated the visible evidence of its growth on Friday, January 14, with an open house and other festivities marking the completion of a mammoth 31,400 square foot addition. The new building, intended as an indoor tennis court in Ocean City, MD was transplanted by Newton expertise to the Bridgeville location. It houses under one roof many, but by no means all, of the firm's diverse activities.

Newton President Robert F. Rider was host and master of ceremonies as he welcomed guests, introduced dignitaries and gave an overview of the company's many facets before guided tours of the facility began. Among the guests were Delaware's Lt. Governor Mike Castle, State Senator Thurman Adams, Jr., Oliver Hill and Howard Workman of the Sussex County Council, a representative from the office of U.S. Senator Joseph Biden, representatives from the Bank of Delaware, Gale Rogers of the Delaware Industrial Revenue Bond office and Robert Martin of the Sussex County office of the Economic Development Administration. Mrs. Warren Newton, widow of Warren Newton, son of the company founder, and Mrs. Thomas Rider, mother of O.A. Newton & Son president, Robert F. Rider were special guests.

Rider told the assembled guests that the firm he described as a "mini-conglomerate" had grown from the time when it was "nothing more

than (a man with) an idea and a shovel." Started by O.A. Newton in 1916 as a chicken feed business, the company has expanded on the foundation of agriculture, industry and business. Rider said it has "prospered and grown because it has met a public need." It is on this basis, he contended, that it will continue to grow.

Described by Rider and on display in several booths assembled in the enormous structure were the activities in which the company, as it has grown, has become involved. These include:

Industrial Services - This is the next to the oldest division in the company. It has recently designed and built 5 grain receiving stations in Mexico and completed two hangars large enough to house a 747 for Georgetown Aircraft Services. Just in the past week Newton signed a contract for an 80,000 square foot project that Rider said will "add substantially" to the job picture in Sussex County. It was learned Monday that that project is an expansion that will double the operations of Nanticoke Homes in Greenwood.

Irrigation - Equipment ranges from a small system used by a one-man greenhouse operation to the giant center pivot irrigation used on fields of many acres. The one installed on the Earl Passwaters farm not far from the Bridgeville firm according to a company spokesman, may still be the largest of its kind east of the Mississippi. It irrigates 500 acres.

Plastics - Termed by Rider the "new kid on the block" this division was

added four years ago. It specializes in bulk storage and materials handling systems for the plastics and chemical processing industries. The plastics division developed the Micro Ingredients Controller (MIC) first installed at Harvel Plastics, a PVC pipe extruder, located in Forks Township in the Lehigh Valley, Pennsylvania. The MIC system features dual weighing of the additives used in Harvel's compounding operation to ensure that nothing is left behind in the conveying system. Newton built most and installed all of the system.

Darenth/Americas - Another facet of O.A. Newton in Bridgeville, represents the firm's tie with Darenth Limited of Orpington in Kent, England (The name comes from the Darenth Valley in Kent). It is self described as "part of a world wide network of consultants, designers, systems, engineers and manufacturers organized specifically to supply and commission facilities for batching, weighing and data collection for the plastics, chemical, pharmaceutical, food, steel, concrete and asphalt industries. One aspect of its operation are various types of weighing systems (scales) including pneumatic systems that operate on principles similar to that of hovercraft and the valve sack weigh packers and bulk container fillers on display at Friday's open house. The U.S. Bureau of Standards has a big Darenth scale that has surprising accuracy.

Special Projects - Whatever is beyond

the province of one of the other divisions often ends up in special projects. A huge material handling system in Mexico and a large food complex in Nigeria now under negotiation are two examples. Just before the snows set in in early fall, the Newton special projects division completed the installation of Long oxygen-limiting, glass lined silos on the farms of Jorvald Estenvoll of Tynset and Thorvald Brochs of Svanik, Norway.

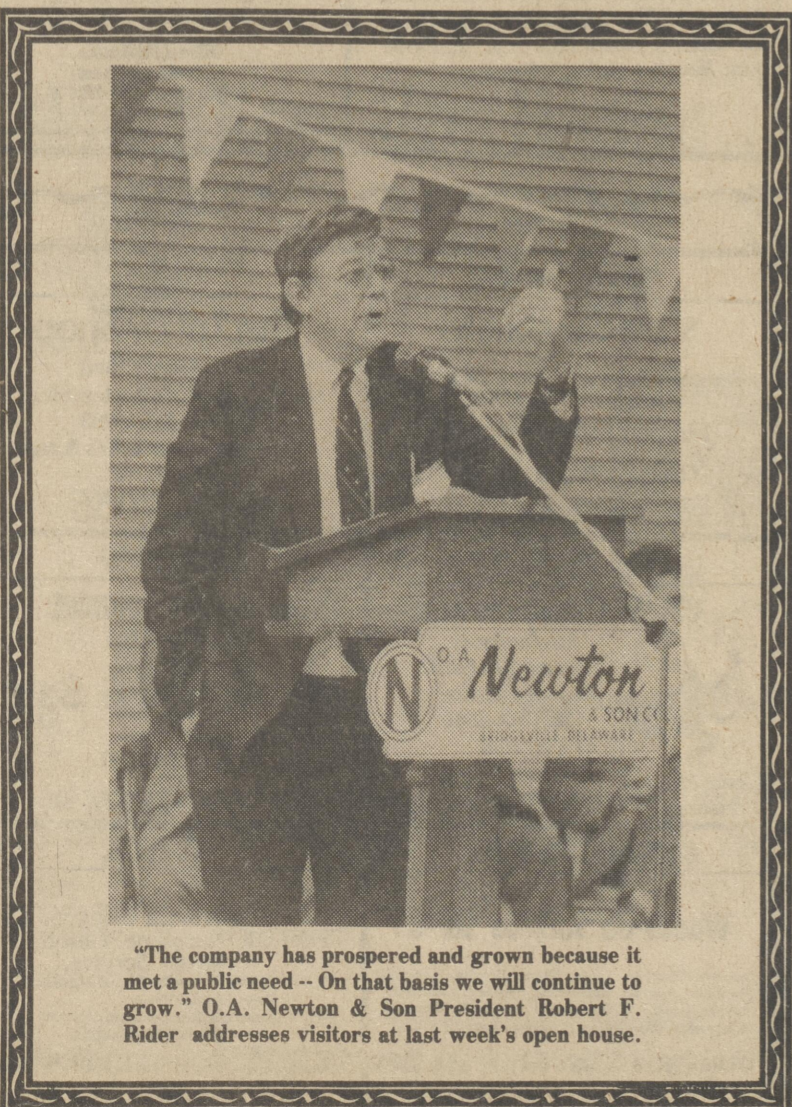
Port-A-Stall - The modular portable steel stalls marketed by Newton have been sold to several large stables. They are in use at Rosecroft, Buffalo, the Meadowlands in N.J., Freehold Stables, and in the pleasure stables of Jerry Hoffberger of Baltimore Oriole fame.

Parts - Rider said O.A. Newton and Son's inventory of pipe and fitting in this division is the largest on the Eastern Shore. Parts include often rare items for older agricultural machinery.

Homes - O.A. Newton is a dealer for modular homes, in a variety of styles. A sample home is located on the northbound side of U.S. 13 across from but slightly north of the mini complex.

Appliances - The home appliance store is located just north of the sample home. The display booth at Newton's open house included a home computer, usable with the appropriate software, for everything from the popular TV

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"The company has prospered and grown because it met a public need -- On that basis we will continue to grow." O.A. Newton & Son President Robert F. Rider addresses visitors at last week's open house.



Visitors stroll through the mammoth facility O.A. Newton opened for inspection last Friday. The building covers 3/4 of an acre.

O.A. Newton

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games to keeping track of household finances.

The new building opened for inspection Friday gives Newton the capacity to handle the large construction entailed in many of its projects in an atmosphere in which the quality of its production as well as the safety and comfort of its employees can be maintained. Features which help achieve these ends include the 35 foot building height which makes for easier, safer handling of very large equipment, the use of overhead cranes, overhead lighting and gas fired radiant heat.

Financing for the project was put together by Newton in cooperation with the private banking industry and with government through the Economic Development Administration and through free Industrial Development Bonds.

Construction was handled by Newton personnel. The firm employs over 100 people on a regular basis.

In addition to Rider, the firm is headed by Bill Farlow, Vice President, and Bradford Barnes, Vice President and Sales Manager.

Community Calendar



JANUARY 19 (TODAY) - The Del Tech Mobile Unit will be at the Quillen Shopping Center in Harrington, from 11 a.m. - 6 p.m. on Wednesday, January 19, to supply career and educational information to area residents.

JANUARY 19 & 20 - The 3rd Annual Delmarva Pork Congress will be held January 19 from 7-9 p.m. and January 20 from 10-4 p.m. at the Wicomico Youth and Civic Center in Salisbury, Maryland. Luncheon tickets for Saturday - \$5.00 in advance only - any Extension office.

GROUP OFFERS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The University of Delaware Human Resources Alumni Association will again sponsor a scholarship incentive program for freshmen entering the College of Human Resources who will be graduating in June from an accredited Delaware High School. A total of six recipients will be selected on the basis of scholastic achievement, interests, and activities in their school and community, and future professional goals and aspirations. All applications must be submitted by March 1983. For more information contact Ms. Susan McLaughlin, 215 Willington Road, Wilmington, DE 19802.

Del. Duck Stamp Contest

This is a reminder that all contest entries for the Delaware Duck Stamp contest must be received or postmarked no later than midnight, February 1, 1983.

We are looking forward to your participation in this contest and wish you the best of luck.

"SCENES OF DELAWARE" PRIZE-WINNING PHOTOS ON DISPLAY

"Scenes of Delaware," prize-winning photographs from the Delaware Conservationist Magazine, will be on exhibit at the Holzmuller Gallery in the Avenue Methodist Church, Milford, during January, beginning January 9. Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sundays.

The pictures are featured in the summer issue of the magazine, which is published quarterly by the Dept. of Natural Resources and Environmental Control. Copies will be available at the exhibit or at the Office of Information and Education, 89 Kings Highway, Dover.

After Feb. 1, the 41-photo exhibit will be on display at the Department's new offices on Kings Highway, Dover.

JANUARY 22 - A country-western music concert will introduce 1983 on the Del Tech Southern Campus in Georgetown as "The Mercy River Boys," appear there for the first time. Billed as gospel music's emissaries to the coming generation, "The Mercy River Boys," will perform in the Del Tech College Gymnasium at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 22.

Tickets are \$4 with an ID card and \$5 for the general public, available in advance or at the door the evening of the performance.

For information and/or ticket reservations, call the Southern Campus Office of Student Services, 856-5290, between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

AUDITIONS 22 & 23, 29 & 30 - Live theater is once again on its way to the area. Milford's Second Street Players is pleased to announce the selection of its next offering, *Arsenic and Old Lace*, to be produced this spring by the group under the direction of Miss Denise Baker. Auditions are open to everyone and will be held at Reformation Lutheran Church on Lakeview in Milford on two consecutive Saturdays, January 22 and 29 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and the following Sundays, January 23 and 30, from 6 to 8 p.m.; participants will be provided with audition materials when they arrive. Anyone interested in working on the play in a technical capacity - costumes, props, publicity, lighting - may come to the auditions or contact Carol Bixler, president of the theater group at 422-8399.

JANUARY 22 - Dance, Saturday, January 22, 1983 at the Carlisle Fire Company in Milford, DE. Music by Generation Gap, BYOB, 9 til 1. \$10.00 per couple. Benefit Carlisle Fire Company.

JANUARY 22 - Chesapeake Bay Girl Scout Council is sponsoring a ski trip to Doe Mountain in the Poconos on January 22, 1983 for Junior and Senior High School girls. There will be a full day of downhill, with special emphasis on beginners. Registration deadline is January 6th. Contact the Girl Scout office at 658-4258.

JANUARY 23 - Eastern Shore Bluegrass Association will have a show at Harmony Community Center, Hamony, Maryland on January 23, 1983 at 1:00 p.m. Bands playing will be Hickory Ridge, Old and New Grass and Sid Johnson plus Association Pickers. Admission will be \$1.00 for members \$3.00 for non members.

JANUARY 24 - REGISTER NOW - Registrations are now being accepted for Aerobic Fitness, a six-week non-credit course offered by Delaware State College Continuing Education.

A new section of Aerobic Fitness has been added for the convenience of working participants. The after work class will be held from 4:45 p.m. to 5:45 p.m., Mondays and Wednesdays, beginning January 24. The popular evening section will be offered again from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays, beginning January 25.

JANUARY 25 - There will be a meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Kent County Volunteer Firemen's Association on January 25, 1983 at the Frederica Fire House at 7:30 p.m. A platter will be served.

JANUARY 25 & 27 - A study skills workshop will be offered by Delaware State College Continuing Education on Tuesday and Thursday, January 25 and 27, 7:20 - 9:20 p.m. at the Jason Library. Fee is \$15. Call Continuing Education for information or registration, 736-5164.

JANUARY 25 & 27 - Registrations are still being taken for the CPR course offered by the American Heart Association on Tuesday and Thursday evenings January 25 and 27, 1983. This

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Rabies clinics planned

A series of rabies vaccination clinics for dogs and cats will be held throughout Delaware during the next six weeks.

A contribution of \$3 per pet will be requested to cover the cost of vaccine. All dogs must be on leashes, and all cats must be in carriers. Pets must be at least four months of age to be vaccinated.

Dr. Donald R. Cowan, chief of the Division of Public Health's Bureau of Disease Control, reminds pet owners that Delaware law requires rabies vaccination as a prerequisite for obtaining a dog license. Dog licenses will be available at clinic sites.

The vaccine used will protect dogs for three years, according to Dr. Cowan. Therefore, dogs vaccinated in last year's public clinics will not need another shot this year. Cat rabies vaccine is good for only one year.

Cosponsoring the clinics this year are the SPCA of Delaware, the State

Division of Public Health, kennel clubs and civic groups. Veterinarians are volunteering their services, and the clinics will be staffed by community volunteers.

Lower Kent & Sussex County locations and dates are as follows:

Kent County - (2-4 p.m.) Except S. Bowers, 1-3 p.m.; **Saturday, January 22** - Camden-Wyoming Fire Hall, Camden-Wyoming Ave., Camden, DE; **Saturday, January 29** - Milford Armory, N. Walnut St.; **Saturday, February 5** - Harrington Armory, Liberty Street; **Saturday, February 19** - South Bowers Fire Hall, Thompsonville.

Sussex County [1-3 p.m.] - **Saturday, February 5** - Georgetown SPCA, 326 S. DuPont Hwy.; **Saturday, February 12** - Lewes Fire Hall, Savannah Rd.; **Saturday, February 19** - Seaford Fire Hall, Conwell & King Streets; **Saturday, February 26** - Georgetown SPCA, 326 S. Dupont Hwy.

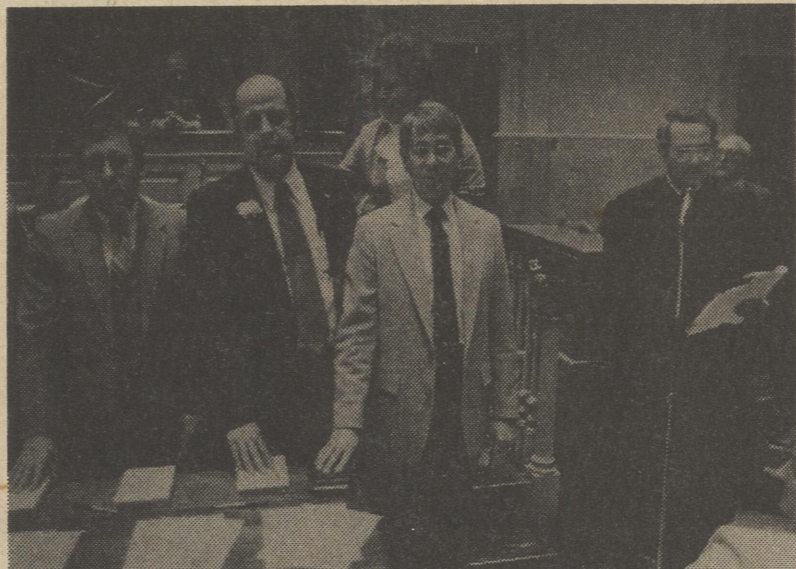
Seaford woman is 1983's first fatality

Delaware State Police at Troop 5, Bridgeville investigated traffic accident that occurred on Monday, January 10, at 5:40 a.m. on State Route 20, two miles west of Seaford and claimed the life of Peggy J. Webster, 48, of R.D. 2, Box 194, Seaford, Delaware. Ms. Webster became the state's first traffic fatality for 1983.

Investigation revealed that Webster was operating a 1980 Datsun station wagon on the shoulder of State Route 20 traveling west and delivering the morning newspapers. A second vehicle, a 1967 International truck owned by C.W. Wright Construction Company, of Richmond, VA was being operated by Donald Lee Brooks, 23, of Route 1, Box 136D, East New Market,

MD, eastbound on State Route 20. Due to heavy rain and poor visibility, Mr. Brooks was apparently traveling on the shoulder. The vehicles struck head-on and the truck pushed the Datsun stationwagon backward one-hundred and twenty-seven feet before both vehicles came to rest on the shoulder.

The Seaford Volunteer Fire Company had to use the hearse tool to remove Mrs. Webster from her vehicle. Mrs. Webster was taken to Nanticoke Memorial Hospital by the Seaford ambulance and she was pronounced dead on arrival at 6:05 a.m. by Dr. Vernon. Brooks was not injured. Neither operator was wearing a seatbelt. Drink does not appear to be involved.



State Representative George R. Bobby Quillen, Republican, of Harrington [center] was sworn in in ceremonies in Legislative Hall in Dover on Tuesday, January 11. With him are Representative Petrilli, Republican [left] and Representative Myers, Democrat [2nd from left.] Judge Vincent Poppiti [right] conducted the ceremony.

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Be Energy Wise...



Kerosene heaters - a good bet if you buy wisely

Window treatments save energy

People who live in houses with many windows probably pay heavily for them with inflated heating bills. A typical house loses 25-35 percent of its heat through the windows, says Delaware extension home economist Debbie Amsden. A home with very large window areas may lose more than half its heat this way.

It's easy to reduce the amount of heat lost through a window by placing something over it. Storm windows and doors and clear plastic permit light to enter, but may make opening difficult. Wood shutters and insulated fabric shades and curtains block light, so are usually used at night. All these materials add an extra layer to reduce heat conduction. Some do a better job than others. Insulated board and batting in fabric reduce heat flow better than plastic, foil or glass.

A single-glazed window conducts up to 20 times more heat from the house than a well insulated wall of the same size. Even a double-glazed window conducts 10 times more heat than an insulated wall. While switching from double to triple glazing will cut heat loss by one-third, it will also reduce the amount of entering light by 10 percent. Still, triple glazing is superior except on south windows where winter solar gain is important, the home economist says.

"Before choosing any type of window insulation, consider your needs," she advises. "Will a window or sliding glass door be opened? Is light needed during the day? How important is the view? The materials and installation you choose will depend on the answers to these questions."

Most decorative curtains and draperies are not designed to keep heat from escaping, Amsden says. To reduce heat loss from convection currents, a window treatment must be sealed around the top, bottom and sides. A tight seal keeps warm room air from flowing between shade and window and then outside. The seal also reduces air infiltration through cracks around the window sash.

For instance, hang a roller shade so that it comes down close to the glass pane. Some existing curtains can be modified into more effective thermal shields. Heavy draw draperies can be weighted with a chain, sealed with magnetic strips or clamped with a spring strip across the bottom. Bring them around the sash on the sides, and add a valance to seal the top.

Another approach is to install interior shutters in the form of rigid, lightweight panels that can be pressed into window openings at night and removed during the day. These may be attached by magnetic clips, or may fit so snugly they're held in place by friction. Such shutters are often made of foam sheathing materials. Take care to choose a fire-resistant product such as isocyanurate sheathing, or encase the foam in gypsum board, Amsden says.

Thermal shades also can be effective. These are quilted shades which run up and down on a track. They're commercially available or can be made at home.

In contrast, conventional draperies will prevent only 5-10 percent heat loss and Venetian blinds, only 6-7 percent.

In deciding how to reduce heat loss from windows, one must settle for something functional as well as affordable. Insulating a window can cost between \$1 and \$5 a square foot. Because of the expense, do the coldest windows on the north side of the house first. Insulating them won't eliminate the need to caulk and weatherstrip, though. These are standard procedures.

Do-it-yourself kits are now available for shutters and insulated curtains. And home furnishing centers sell insulated window treatments.

"Covering windows is not a new idea," says the home economist. "At one time shutters on houses served a practical function. We're rediscovering many ways to insulate windows and inventing new ones, now that it matters again."

The new generation of kerosene heaters appears to present one solution to spiraling home heating costs. At the same time, there is concern over the safety of these appliances.

Learn how to operate and maintain your new heater safely. Have the retailer disassemble and demonstrate it for you. Then study the owner's manual thoroughly.

Safe use of unvented heaters depends on many things: proper handling and storage of kerosene; using the proper grade of kerosene; burn prevention; clearance to combustibles around the unit; and adequate ventilation. These safety concerns are discussed in "Portable Kerosene Heaters," a fact sheet available from county extension offices in Newark (738-2506), Dover (736-1448) and Georgetown (856-5250). Observe these precautions when using a kerosene heater:

- *Use only 1-K kerosene.
 - *Do not refuel or remove the cartridge tank while the heater is hot.
 - *Store kerosene in a proper, labeled container (NOT red -- which is for gasoline cans). Keep the storage container outside the house and out of reach of children.
 - *Put a protective railing around the heater to keep children from falling into it or accidentally igniting their clothing.
 - *Place the heater at least 36 inches from combustibles.
 - *Provide fresh air entry to minimize indoor air pollution.
 - *Do not use aerosol sprays, lacquers or other flammables near the heater.
 - *Use the heater only as a supplemental heat source.
- The claim that kerosene heaters are 99.5 percent efficient is misleading, Jester says. Actual efficiency is much

less due to the ventilation requirement. In the U.S. there are no ventilation standards for unvented kerosene heaters, but the Canadian Standards Association requires one square inch of ventilation to the outside for every 1,000 BTUs of heat output. A proposed UL standard would require manufacturers to define what they mean by adequate ventilation for a specific heater. The proposed change would also require fresh air entry.

The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission and many experts on indoor air pollution advise users of unvented heaters to keep a window open at all times to prevent the buildup of harmful gases. Jester says children, the elderly and pregnant women are at special risk and should be alert to the need for adequate ventilation when using an unvented heater.

In midwinter 10,000 BTUs of heat per hour can escape through a half-inch window opening. It doesn't take much calculating to conclude that adequate ventilation is maintained at the cost of most of the additional heat provided, says Jester. "This doesn't mean you can't realize a net saving with a kerosene heater. By developing warmth centers and maintaining the rest of your house at minimal temperatures, you can still reduce your home heating bill," he says. "Just be sure you don't save energy at the expense of safety."

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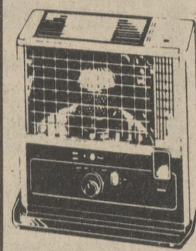
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Over The Backyard Fence

Fraziers celebrate "50th"

by Lola M. O'Day

The Golden Tea celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Fraziers Home Demonstration Club began at 1:30 p.m. on January 12, 1983 at the Diamond State Roller Rink in Felton. Mrs. Bea Gooden opened the program by introducing her officers and guests. The following officers were present:

President: Mrs. Bea Gooden
Secretary: Mrs. Frances Crozier
Treasurer: Mrs. Jean Kosco
Mrs. Judy Bennett, Vice President, was unable to be present.

Other guests were: Mrs. Stephanie Hawke - Kent County Homemakers Council President; Mrs. Beulah Rodway - Past President of Kent County Homemakers; Mrs. Jean H. Cranston - Home Economist, Retired; Mrs. Marion MacDonald, Mrs. Eleanor Voshell, Mrs. Violet Goodwill, Mrs. Claudia Holden. All of the above are from the Extension Office or have been on the Extension staff.

Sadie Coffin was the only charter member present; Helen Pippin was the only honorary member present.

Past homemakers members present were Mrs. Nedra Medford, Mrs. Barbara Webb, Mrs. Cleo Sullivan, Mrs. Marie Watts, Mrs. Connie Scheppins, Mrs. Hazel Darling and Mrs. Lola Mitchell.

Other guests celebrating were Mrs. John Curtis, Mrs. Ida Dickerson both of Harrington and Barbara Brown from The Harrington Journal. What a grand way to celebrate a "Birthday", Mrs. Cleo Sullivan, 80 years young was present. A past homemaker having a birthday on the same date, was unable to attend. She was Mrs. Virginia Witomski.

History

The first Home Demonstration work in Frazier's community was demonstration of canning peas and asparagus given by Miss MacDonald and Miss Whitcomb in Frazier's School House in June of 1932. This was followed by two other meetings, one in November at Mrs. William Thomas's, when a class was instructed in framing small pictures, the other in December at Mrs. Ed Coffin's, when the making of candy and Christmas boxes was shown by Miss Whitcomb; also plans were made to organize in January, 1933.

The club has contributed to the Cancer Control Fund, Red Cross drives, March of Dimes and a donation to Kent General Hospital. Now the Homemaker's Club is an organization contributing to citizenship and community outreach, crafts, cultural

arts, family relations and child development, family resource management, health, food and nutrition, environment, international relations, public relations, safety and emergency preparedness, scholarship, sunshine, Kent County Council Representatives and membership.

Frazier's membership at present is 21 active members they being as follows: Mary Lou Bass, Judy Bennett, Brenda Biggs, Grace Collison, Frances Crozier, Jean Enslin, Mary Farrell, Bea Gooden, Emily Jacobsen, Jean Kosco, Margaret Lingo, Lola O'Day, Peggy Rosengren, Lillian Shaughnessy, Mary B. Sherwood, Mildred Steele, Mary Thomas, Bessie M. Tracy, Frances Von Essen, Marie Wheeler, Mary Zayak and three inactive members: Minnie Atkins, Helen Pippin, Louise Virdin.

Items on Display

Pressure Cooker - In Frazier's Club since the early 50's. Purchased from Southern States during World War II.

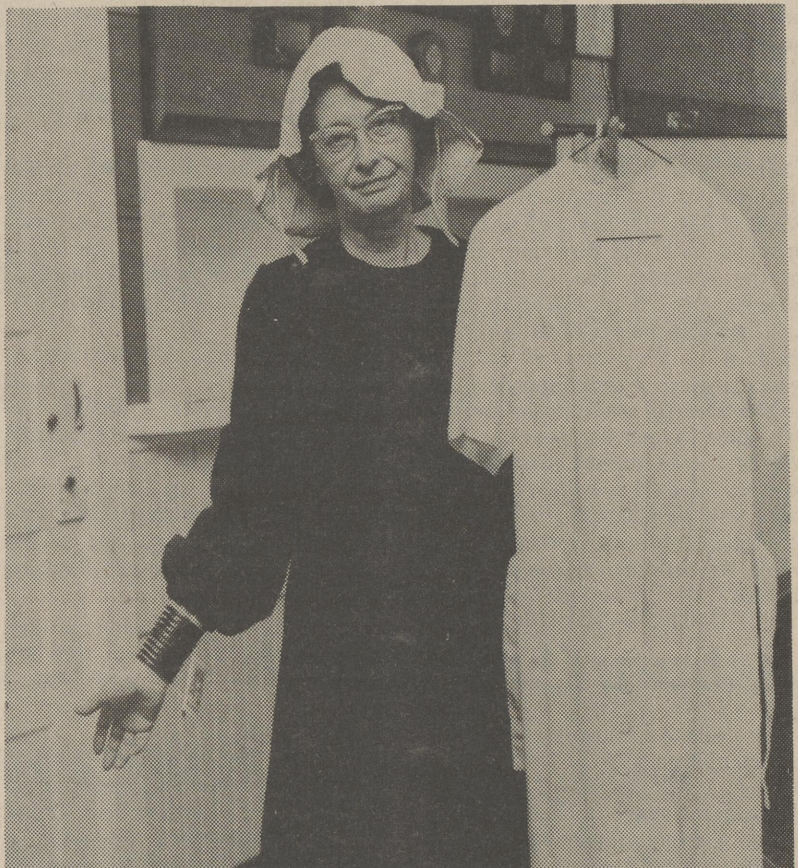
Aluminum Tray - Made by an honorary, Helen Pippin, from a round flat piece of aluminum, treated in acid, a paper pattern traced for decoration and used black etching to bring out the design and used a crimper tool for making design on the outside edge of tray, made in late 1946 and early 1947. Two sizes were made, one large and one small.

Other items on display: Candlewick bedspread, feather comforter, quilted comforter, cane chair and rocking chair, love seat and stool done in weaving, huck toweling, crocheted flowers, Easter egg decorations, Easter bunny of pom poms, needlepoint church with musical box inside, needlepoint houses, afghan, knit sweaters, homemade aprons, pocketbooks, macramé, embroidery, scrap books, National Notes, Good Old Days magazine, photos of 1972 National Convention held in Baltimore, Maryland showing Mrs. Emily Jacobsen and Mrs. Lola O'Day in attendance. History of Frazier's Homemakers, several knitted items, pillows, hand painted pictures, popcorn garland and hand crocheted snow flakes.

Decorating of the Diamond State Roller Rink was done by the Frazier's Club members. Refreshments was also provided by club members which consisted of: decorated anniversary cake, finger sandwiches, homemade cookies, candy, fruit cake, chocolate covered pretzels and others too numerous to list.



The Fraziers Home Demonstration Club set a festive table to celebrate the group's 50th anniversary last week.



Looking Back - Do you recognize Lola O'Day? This picture was taken when she brought out a white duster and hat that ladies wore out riding in horse and buggy or horseless carriage in the "Roaring Twenties" for a Fraziers Home Demonstration Club program at the Viola Community Building in 1972. More pictures will follow in succeeding weeks.

Senior Center

by Dorothy Graham

Smile! My, oh, me, it is so good to think of each of you as you read this letter just to you!

TRIPS - We have planned a trip to Reading Outlet Stores for Tuesday, February 8th. The public is welcome. Just call the Center for details at 398-4224. Now there is another trip coming up, now read this thru and thru - Florida Trip, May 2 to May 8, 1983, 7 days, 6 nights - includes 8 meals, tickets to Epcot Center and Disneyworld for 3 full days. Bus transportation, Motel Lodging included in price. Two in a room, \$250.00. It will be fun. Call 398-4224.

Reverend Koning of Nazarene Church, Harrington was leader of Bible Study Monday Morning at the Senior Center. Prayer, responsive reading, singing and a study in John, chapter 14, verse 1-5. Revelations, chapter 21, verse 1-6 and chapter 22, verse 1-21. Virginia Smith and Sylvia Meredith took turns at the piano. Present for the inspirational hour was Florence Minner, Roxanne and Marion Brown, Elsie Vineyard, Ruth Phillips, Frances Wright, Mary Sapp, Etzel McCready, Gladys Hill, Marguerite Nachod, Mamie Adams, Sylvia & Cecil Meredith, Elwood Morris, Thelma Legates, Annabel Morrow, Clara Judy, Ruth Vincent, Mildred Vincent, Ethel Holden and Amy Poynter. They closed the happy hour with *Beyond the Sunset*. All departed with a gleam in their eyes, all seemed happy.

Members Meeting was called to order Monday afternoon by President Maurice Adams. After Pledge of Allegiance and a prayer by Vice President Watson Brown, the minutes of last meeting was read by Secretary "Andy" Anderson, financial report by our director Gene. Final tabs on bazaar

Greenwood

Report from Hickory Ridge Congregational Church: The pastor and his wife wish to thank all members and friends for their kindness and love during Christmas.

We were able to distribute 19 boxes of food in the community and also to take many useful gifts to the Hospital for the Chronically ill.

We are grateful to the Rev. Frank Baynard who was our guest speaker at the New Year's Eve service and also to Walter Willey who played and sang several songs.

Our sympathy goes to the wife of George Johnson and other family members. God called George Johnson home on December 15 after a long period of suffering. He will be greatly missed.

Tommy Jones is back with us after a stay in Milford Hospital. Georgia Donovan has been there for tests and

were given, and we were all well pleased. Inquiries of the ill made.

Jolly Timers with Sylvia at the piano were in good tune Tuesday morning. Present were Andy Anderson, Tony Perrone, Florence Minner, Cecil Meredith, Virginia Smith, Mamie Adams, Lillie McBride, Bertha Dean, Annabel Morrow, Ola Tildon, John McCready, Marion and Roxanne Brown, Gladys Hill, Ella Golt, Marguerite Nachod and Mildred Vincent. Come on in and give them a listen.

Marguerite and Virginia really sounded great Wednesday morning with a duet *The Old Rugged Cross*. And then to round out the hour of pure joy, Julia Astfalt sang a solo *One Day at a Time*. Present and melodiously wonderful were Cecil and Sylvia Meredith, Mildred Vincent, Gladys Hill, Frances Wright, Virginia Smith, Mary Sapp, Julia, Ola Tildon, Marion and Roxanne Brown, Marguerite Nachod, Tony Perrone, Elwood Morris, Etzel McCready and Thelma Legates at "Senior Sounds" practice.

Wednesday afternoon was card day for me and a wonderful, glorious time we all had at Mildred Wagner's. Dessert was luscious and refreshing fruit, coffee and banana nut bread. Lots of homemade fudge and other candy. High scorer was Ruth Powell. Others present were Kathryn Smith, Hazel Langrell, Ethel Rapp, Dorothy Graham, Virginia Willey and Mary Nelson. We did have a festive time!

Local shopping, bingo, pool, ceramics, crafts. All at the Center. Come on and make our center your center, too!

Thanks to all volunteers. Best wishes to all. Be kind to each other. See you at the Center. Remember the trips! Love you! Faith!

treatment. Mrs. Eva O'Day has returned home. Nora Marvil, Lena Barwick and Madelyn Wilkerson are still hospitalized. Mrs. Helen Workman received treatment at Nanticoke Emergency for an infected finger.

On the 15th of December the Girl Scout Brownie Troop #920 visited the Country Rest Home. They sang carols and gave each person a handmade canister filled with Christmas candy.

Mr. and Mrs. Levin Paul Tull of Decatur, Illinois welcomed a baby girl on January 9, 1983. She weighed nine pounds and twenty ounces and has been named Leah Elizabeth.

Her grandparents, Col. and Mrs. Levin P. Tull will be leaving this week to visit their new granddaughter. Mrs. Jacob Hatfield was a Tuesday evening dinner guest of Mrs. Theresa Ottey.

Days of Our Years

by Carol Ann Porter

DAYS OF OUR YEARS

Thirty Years Ago
January 16, 1953

Ernest Killen was unopposed for mayor in the municipal election Tuesday, and drew 35 votes. Walter Messick was elected councilman from the First Ward, with J. Edward Taylor being unopposed for reelection as councilman from the Third Ward.

E. Powell Hopkins, 60, died at his garage, Harrington, early Tuesday morning. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lelia E. Hopkins; a daughter, Mrs. James T. Wilson, of Harrington; a son, Jacob Alfred Hopkins, of Milford; a grandson, Robert A. Wilson, of Harrington, and a granddaughter, Sharon Faye Hopkins, of Milford; a sister, Mrs. Reba Stafford, and a half-sister, Mrs. Myra H. Pflegar, both of Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Harry Quillen and Mr. Francis Hayward Quillen took Cpl. Francis Quillen to Philadelphia Airport, where he took a plane to his base near Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Graham and family spent Sunday in Wilmington.

Marriage Licenses - Carl Wright 19; Audrey Billings 18, both of Harrington.

Prices at Acme Market - Cake Mixes, 2 for 49 cents; Jellies - 3 for 50 cents; Heinz Ketchup - 2 for 47 cents; Heinz Cucumber Pickles - 25 cents pt. jar; Evaporated milk - 4 cans for 55 cents.

Trolley Bus Fares - Harrington to New York, \$4.35; Harrington to Dallas, Texas, \$30.90; Harrington to Washington, \$3.10.

Twenty Years Ago

January 18, 1963

Judy Burgess took home a trophy and cash prize Wednesday night as first place winner in the annual fire prevention essay contest sponsored by the Delaware Volunteer Firemen's Association.

Kent County's tax assessors say a general reassessment of county real estate will hurt longtime residents in Dover who purchased land and home before prices inflated.

Blonde and blue-eyed Carla Wilkins of Seaford was named Delaware Junior Miss for 1963 here Saturday night.

Sale at Cancellation Shoe Center in Dover - *Mademoiselle*, *Vitalities* and *Life Stride* shoes on sale. Regular retail \$19.98, now on sale at \$5.98 and \$6.98.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dean and daughter, Donna Faye, and Mr. and Mrs. James Rash and family visited the Smithsonian Institute and the Washington Monument in Washington, D.C. last Saturday.

Miss Anne Perry a student at the Jefferson School of Nursing was the weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Perry.

Births - Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gerardi, Harrington, girl; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harvey, Harrington, girl.

Births - Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stubbs, Harrington, girl; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Messick, Harrington, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Welch, Harrington, girl; Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Reed, Harrington, girl.

Playing at Reese Theatre - Jackie Gleason as *Gigot*; Elvis Presley in *Girls! Girls! Girls!*

Farming News - Mrs. George Langford and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Breeding, Sunday evening, in Hickman.

Senior Personalities at Felton High - Janet Carol Hays, Michael James Harrington, Zane Norman Markowitz.

Ten Years Ago
January 18, 1973

Miss Kay Raughley, daughter of Mrs. Irene Raughley, of Harrington, has been named to the Dean's list at the University of Delaware for the fall semester of this year. This is the third consecutive time that Miss Raughley has achieved this honor.

William Minner assumed the post of mayor Wednesday night, Jan. 10, in the city government's annual reorganizational meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Frank Nabone, of Felton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty Anne Wyatt, to Michael Leigh Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren K. Price of Viola.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Garey and children, Chrisy and Leroy, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Garey in Greensboro, Md., Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gerardi Jr. of Harrington, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathy, to Daryl Nashold, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Nashold, Frederica.

The Harrington New Century Club held its regular meeting Tuesday, January 9. Mrs. Joseph L. Brinster presided at the business meeting. Mrs. Francis J. Winkler introduced John Curtis who gave a very informative talk on "Conservation".

Officers installed in Harrington Fire Company Auxiliary 1973: President - Nancy Green; Vice President - Cheryl Manship; Recording Secretary - Beverly Hendricks; Treasurer - Betty Taylor; Assistant Treasurer - Dolores Collins; Financial Secretary - Mary Hendricks; Assistant Financial Secretary - Betty Minner.

Gab Fest

by Pat Hatfield

One of our Reader friends from Bridgeville has sent me a copy of the poem, "Ready for Christmas?" I had planned to use this in the week before Christmas issue if I had it, but now, after reading it over, it may well be appropriate for looking toward next Christmas. If we take this to heart, it may require a year for us to prepare. Anyway, you may like it for your scrapbooks.

Ready for Christmas, she said with a sigh, As she gave a last touch to the gifts piled high.

Then wearily sat for a moment to read, till, soon, very soon, she was nodding her head.

Then quietly spoke a voice in her dream, "Ready for Christmas?" What do you mean?

Ready for Christmas, when only last week you wouldn't acknowledge your friend on the street.

Ready for Christmas, while holding a grudge, perhaps you'd better let God be the judge.

She woke with a start and a cry of despair. There's so little time and I've still to prepare.

Oh, Father, forgive me, I see what you mean! To get ready means more than a house swept clean.

Yes, more than the giving of gifts and a tree. It's the heart swept clean that He wanted to see.

A heart that is free from bitterness

and sin, so be ready for Christmas--and ready for Him."

Do you know that the days are already getting longer? Isn't that exciting? Even that minute a day makes a difference. Now there is a wee bit of daylight when we sit down to dinner at five. Someone on the weather news suggested that we may be skipping winter this year and it will be known as the year without a winter. It is great on the fuel also.

Last Sunday morning we went over to have breakfast with the Graham A.M.E. Church folk and as we were getting out of the car we saw the wild geese coming. It was a beautiful sight and just made our day.

Two large "Vees" went over one time and then two more formations followed, stirring us with their beautiful flight and their haunting cries.

I'm still fighting the arthritis, so I'm still inventing oven meals. I do not have much luck with the regular oven-fried chicken, so I did it a bit differently. I browned the chicken on top of the stove with an old iron pan, then added a bit of water, covered it and put it into the oven. Put a container of frozen kale into a casserole and into the oven. Since stove top stuffing only takes ten minutes, that was easy and the oven gave us the chicken and vegetable, so it worked out. All of this may turn me into a permanently lazy cook.

Local Interest

by Joann Wyatt, 398-3943

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Mr. David Tarburton!

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Ryan are proud to announce the birth of their son, Shawn Patrick who made his arrival on January 10, 1983 at 6:32 p.m. and weighed a healthy nine pounds. The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ryan of Harrington and Mr. and Mrs. George Skeleton of Seaford. Congratulations to the happy family!

Evelyn Reinacher is proud to announce the birth of her daughter, Crystal Marie. Crystal made her arrival on Tuesday, January 4, 1983 at 3:02 p.m. and weighed in at a healthy 6 lbs. 11 oz. Congratulations Evelyn and Lynn!

Belated Happy Birthday wishes go out to Miss Toni Litalo!

Mr. Carroll Welch, Jr. celebrated his birthday with a party on Friday evening. Those attending were Mrs. Lillian Boone, Raymond, Carolyn, Bobbie Jo and Raymond Poore, Jr., Dave, Nancy, Tina and Davie Welch, Sue, John, Crystal and J.R. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Clark. Happy

Birthday, Carroll!

Crystal and J.R. Clark spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Welch, Jr. and Aunt Annette.

Happy Birthday Tracy Brown! The Harrington Volunteer Fire Co. held their annual dinner and dance on Saturday evening, January 15 at the W.T. Chipman Jr. High School. Happy first birthday wishes go out to Master Mike Grunden!

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Clara Watts.

Get well wishes go out to Mr. Tom Clendenning.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown this week have been Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coverdale, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Brown of Dover, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wix and Mary Lou, Mr. Carroll Wix, Mr. Brice Vanderwende, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bradley.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mr. Schley Biddle. Well wishes to all. Take care, share a smile, God bless.



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NOTES FROM CHARLIE BROWN - January 22, 1983, will mark the 10th anniversary of the 1973 Supreme Court decisions that revolutionized abortion practices in this country. Because of those decisions that revolutionized abortion practices in this country. Because of those decisions the unborn child is no longer seen as a human being entitled to constitutional protection for his or her life. Effective laws that would protect the unborn can no longer be adopted by individual states - those that have been passed in recent years have been declared unconstitutional by the courts or they are still tied up in the judicial system. The Court said in 1973 that a woman has an almost absolute right to privacy and the right to have an abortion if she so desires.

Speaking in Spain this past November, Pope John Paul II, however, reminded us of grave evil of abortion: "Whoever denies the defense of the most innocent and weakest person, the human person already conceived but not yet born, commits a most grave violation of the moral order. Nothing can legitimate the death of an innocent being. This would undermine the very foundation of society."

This spring the U.S. Senate will debate S.J. Res. 110 - commonly called the Hatch Amendment after its sponsor Senator Orrin Hatch of Utah. This bill calls for a constitutional amendment to allow both the federal and state governments to pass legislation to protect the lives of unborn children.

Let your Senators know that you are opposed to abortion on demand and ask them to support the Hatch Amendment. If we care about human life, we - as a nation and as individuals - must act now to protect the lives of unborn children.

WE ARE CALLED TO SERVE - Social Concerns Committee: The Delaware Blood Bank Donor unit will be in Milford twice in January. The first date is already "filled" with

appointments! The second date is January 27. If you plan to (a) donate as part of your Group Blood Bank Plan, (b) donate for someone who joined our group who cannot donate, (c) for the good of the "community" - call now for an appointment at 674-5130 or 856-2504. The Donor Unit will be at Reformation Lutheran Church, Milford DE on January 27 from 2:30 to 6:30 p.m. DO NOT delay or they may be filled up again.

If you need the name of someone to donate for in our Parish Blood Bank Group who cannot donate - call Marie Dulik (422-5134) or Don McDonough (422-7859) after you have gotten an appointment. Many parishioners have said they would donate when the need arises for people who belong to our Group Plan and cannot donate or when an emergency arises in our community. Your Social Concerns Committee wants to develop a list of such people. PLEASE (a) write your name, address, phone number and time you can be reached at this number on a slip of paper; (b) put the paper in an envelope marked "Social Concerns Committee", c/o Marie Dulik; (c) place the envelope in the collection basket as soon as possible. Thank you.

MORE THAN SIX CHURCHES - in Milford have come together to present *Focus on the Family*. You are invited to see and hear one of America's leading Christian authorities on the family, James C. Dobson, Ph.D. *Focus on the Family* is a film series with an excellent Christian viewpoint on the family. The 7 films will be shown on Wednesday evenings from 7-8 with a discussion following from 8-9. The series will start at The Calvary United Methodist Fellowship Hall on February 2 with #1 - The Strong-willed Child. All ages are welcome. Babysitting will be available. Babysitters, Adult and Teens are needed. Please call Karen Malone at 422-3290. These films offer families guidelines and support for better family relationships, responsibilities and caring. Please consider coming!

Calvary Wesleyan Church

The Children's Choir meets for rehearsal on Wednesday evening at 6:30. CYC and Youth meeting is set for 6:30 on Wednesday nights. Adults will meet for Bible study at 7:00.

A full schedule of Sunday services is set with a guest speaker on Sunday Morning at 10:40. Rev. Robert Mavis from United Wesleyan College, Allentown, PA will preach.

The Senior Choir rehearses on Sunday evenings at 6:00 and the Gospel hour follows at 7:00 p.m. Pastor Miller will be preaching during this service.

Interest continues in a Sunday School Attendance Campaign with Homer Sherwood and David Tarburton providing the leadership. Sunday School convenes at 9:30 a.m.

A Sweetheart Banquet is scheduled for Friday evening, February 11 for all interested couples. Louis Starkey, Wesleyan Men's President, is working with other officers in planning for this annual event. Details as to time and place are forthcoming.

Birthday greetings this week to Tracy Brown, Kathy Wetherhold, and David Tarburton.

"What a child is taught on Sunday it will remember on Monday." Welsh proverb



"Quilting is not a dying art," says Mary Lou Bass who made this quilt and comforter. The quilt was a Christmas surprise for her husband, Irvin Bass, Jr. Around the square with the home in the center are their children's birthdays, their own, and their wedding anniversary date. It is hand-quilted. The comforter sewn from 1,147 2x2" squares and hand knotted was done for her parents Mary and Norman Farrall of Magnolia. Each project took two months.

Harrington Baptist Church

Join with us Sunday, January 23 in the observance of Baptist Men's Day. We shall begin the day with an 8 a.m. breakfast with Don Reisinger, deacon as the speaker. The Chairman of Deacons, Don Phelps will bring the 11 a.m. worship message with laymen involved in all phases of the two worship hours. Deacon Munir Mall will be the evening speaker. To end the day, after the evening service, there will be a cake contest. Several men have volunteered to bake a cake. The cakes will be judged by a group of "impartial" wives as to the best and worst. We shall then cut them and eat them!!

February 11th at 6:30 p.m. at the Felton Fire Hall, the annual Sweetheart Banquet will be observed. The Rev. Settembrini of American United for Separation of Church and State will be guest speaker. The cost is \$6.75 each.

Saturday, 10 a.m. - Acteens meet at the Church.

Saturday, January 29th - 10 a.m. - 12 noon Mission Friends, 3, 4, & 5 yr. olds meet at the church.

"We know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are called according to his purpose." Romans 8:28.

Asbury U.M. Church

There will be a training session for all church officers from 10 - 2:00 p.m. at Avenue U.M. Church in Milford on Saturday, January 22. Please plan to attend. Take a bag lunch and beverage will be provided.

A worship committee meeting will be held at Asbury on January 24. Mrs. Clara Judy is leading a bible study on the Book of Revelations on January 25, and then the first and third Tuesday of each month thereafter. Join the study

any time.

The U.M. Men's annual "Venison Dinner" will be held on January 26 at 6:30 p.m. Bring a covered dish. There will be entertainment. Everyone is invited to this Asbury Church-wide event.

Verse for thought: "Walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God." (Col. 1:10)

Obituaries

LETTIA CANN
DOVER - Letitia Cann of R.D. 1 died of a heart attack Monday, January 10, 1983 in Kent General Hospital. She was 65.

Mrs. Cann is survived by her husband Edward; three sons, James T. Moore and Raymond W. Sheridan, both of Camden and Lee Sheridan of Dover; a daughter, Mary P. Cox of Petersburg; a brother, Raymond Biddle of Hartly; a

sister, Elsie Sharp of Milford; 14 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Friday at the Trader Funeral Home, 12 Lotus St., Dover, where friends may call Thursday from 7-8 p.m.

Burial was in Mount Olive Cemetery, Sandtown.

JEANETTE SARAH LOPER
Jeanette S. Loper of Rodney Village, Dover, died January 13, 1983 at the Wilmington Medical Center, Delaware Division, after a short illness. She was 26.

Miss Loper was a one-time employee of Scott Paper Co. and Kent and Sussex Industries in Woodside.

She is survived by her mother, Alice M. Maul of Dover; 2 brothers, Alfred Maul and William Loper of Felton; five sisters, Doris Jones of Richmond, Calif., Margaret Mosely and Yvonne Loper of Dover, Millie Jackson of Bixbird, Germany and Constance Loper of Felton.

Funeral services will be at 8 p.m. this evening, at the Stevenson Funeral Home, Dover.

Friends may call one hour prior to the services.

Burial will be in Sunset Memorial Gardens, Dover.

RUSSELL G. BUNTING SR.
MILFORD - Russell G. Bunting Sr., 74, of 404 N. Washington St., died Friday, January 14, 1983 in Delaware Division, of kidney failure.

Mr. Bunting was a laborer most of his life. For the past eight years he worked as a produce dealer. He was an Army veteran of World War II.

He is survived by his wife, Margaret R.; three sons, Russell Jr. of Portsmouth, N.H., and Robert and Russell III, both of Milford; four daughters, Betty Buckley and Mary Buckley, both of Ellendale, Nora Boone of Clarksburg, W. Va., and Lilly Mae Vilone of Glen Burnie, MD; two brothers, Milton of Milford and Roy of Georgetown; three sisters, Mary Kimmy and Etzel Jerman, both of Milford, and Tillie Munford of Las Vegas, Nev.; 20 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at 2 p.m. in the Berry Funeral Home, N.W. Front St., where friends called at 1 p.m. Burial was in Zion United Methodist Church Cemetery, Bishopville, MD.

BERNICE D. WALLS
MILFORD - Bernice D. Walls, of 318 Behringer Ave., died Sunday, Jan. 16, 1983, of kidney failure in Milford Memorial Hospital. She was 62.

Mrs. Walls was born in Sussex County, and lived there all her life. She was a member of Milton's Interdenominational Grace Church.

She is survived by her husband, John S. Walls, a local carpenter; a daughter, Sandra W. Pfeifle of Milton; and a sister, Barbara Chop of Lewes.

Services will be this afternoon in the Short Funeral Home, 416 Federal Street, Milton, where friends called yesterday evening.

Burial will be in Odd Fellows Cemetery.

The family suggests contributions to Grace Church, Union Street, Milton, 19668.

EMMA CARPENTER WILLIAMS
MILFORD - Emma Carpenter Williams of Mulberry Street died of heart failure Tuesday, January 11, 1983 in Milford Memorial Hospital. She was 90.

Mrs. Williams first husband, Lemuel J. Carpenter, died in 1953. Her second husband, Frank Williams, died in 1974. She is survived by a sister, Lillie E. Baker of Christiana.

Services were at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Short Funeral Home, 416 Federal St., where friends called an hour earlier.

Burial was in White's Chapel United Methodist Cemetery near Milton.

RITA O. SEELY
MILFORD - Rita O. Seely, formerly of near Greenwood, died of cancer Sunday, January 9, 1983, in Milford Manor House, where she lived for the past month. She was 92.

Her husband, J. Dean, died in 1967. She is survived by two sons, J. Fred of Smyrna and Richard C. of Greenwood; two daughters, Laura Rogers of Denton, MD and Cora Warrington of Bridgeville; 13 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Services were at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Fleischauer Funeral Home, Market St., where friends called the previous evening.

Burial was in Bridgeville Cemetery. Instead of flowers, the family suggests contributions to the Kent County Unit of the Cancer Society, 5 E. Reed St., Dover, 19901.

JOHN HENRY STEVENS
MILFORD - John Henry Stevens of 6 East St., died Sunday, Jan. 9, 1983, in

Milford Memorial Hospital of coronary thrombosis. He was 62.

Mr. Stevens was a truck driver for the Pennsylvania Railroad and then Conrail for 35 years, retiring in 1980. He was an Army veteran of World War II.

There are no immediate survivors. Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday at the McKnatt Funeral Home, 50 Commerce St., Harrington, where friends called one hour earlier.

Burial was in Williamsville Cemetery, near Houston.

IRA JOHNSON
MILFORD - Ira Johnson of Delaware 1 died Friday, January 7, 1983 in Milford Memorial Hospital of heart failure. He was 72.

Mr. Johnson worked as a laborer for many years at the H.P. Cannon food processing plant in Bridgeville, retiring in 1960 due to illness.

He is survived by his wife Thelma; three daughters, Evelyn Harden and Shirley Johnson, both of Jacksonville, Fla., and Gloria Johnson at home, and nine grandchildren.

Services were at 1 p.m. Friday at Young's Funeral Home, 526 Union St., Milton, where friends called Thursday from 7 - 8 p.m.

Burial was in Siloam Cemetery, Lincoln.

WILLIAM SCHLEY BIDDLE
MILFORD - William Schley Biddle of Paradise Road, died of heart failure Friday, January 14, 1983 in Milford Memorial Hospital. He was 84.

Mr. Biddle retired around 15 years ago after working all his life as a farmer in the Felton area.

His wife, Lena, died in 1972. He is survived by three daughters, Florence Kitchen of Newark, Leona Steen of Greenwood, and Leora Kelly of Dover; nine grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were at 1 p.m. Monday at the Berry Funeral Home, Main St. Friends called from 7 to 9 p.m.

Burial was in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Camden.

CLIFTON L. WING
MILFORD - Clifton L. Wing of near Milford died Thursday, Jan. 6, 1983 in the Milford Memorial Hospital of respiratory arrest. He was 73.

Mr. Wing retired in 1971 from International Playtex after 28 years of service.

He is survived by his wife Betty M.; a son, Verdis Wing of Mt. Laurel, N.J.; a daughter, Ruth Ann Wagner of Milford; a sister, Vera Moore of Dover; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday at the Berry Funeral Home, Milford.

Burial was in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Milford.

CLARA B. WATTS
SMYRNA - Clara B. Watts, formerly of Harrington, died of congestive heart failure, January 14, 1983 at Delaware Hospital for the Chronically III. She was 86.

Mrs. Watts taught school several years ago in Frederica and Blackbird. Her husband, Charles M. died in 1938. There are no immediate survivors.

Funeral services were at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at the Calvary Wesleyan Church, Delaware Avenue, Harrington. Friends called one half hour before services.

Burial was in Townsend Cemetery, Townsend.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Calvary Wesleyan Church, Harrington, DE, 19952. Arrangements by McKnatt Funeral Home, Harrington.

OLIVE M. WILLEY
CAMDEN - Olive M. Willey, 72, of Woodside, died Monday, January 10, 1983, in Kent General Hospital, Dover, after suffering a heart attack at her home.

Mrs. Willey had worked on the assembly line of the R&R Co. in Dover, a now defunct poultry packing firm.

Her husband, Martin, died in 1962. She is survived by two sons, Marcus R. of Lewes and Richard E. of Wyoming; a daughter, Kathryn "Jerry" Mitchell of Woodside; a brother, Eugene Schuyler of Dover; 12 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Services will be Thursday at 11 a.m. at the Trader Funeral Home Inc., 12 Lotus St., where friends may call Wednesday from 7 to 9 p.m. Burial will be in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Camden.

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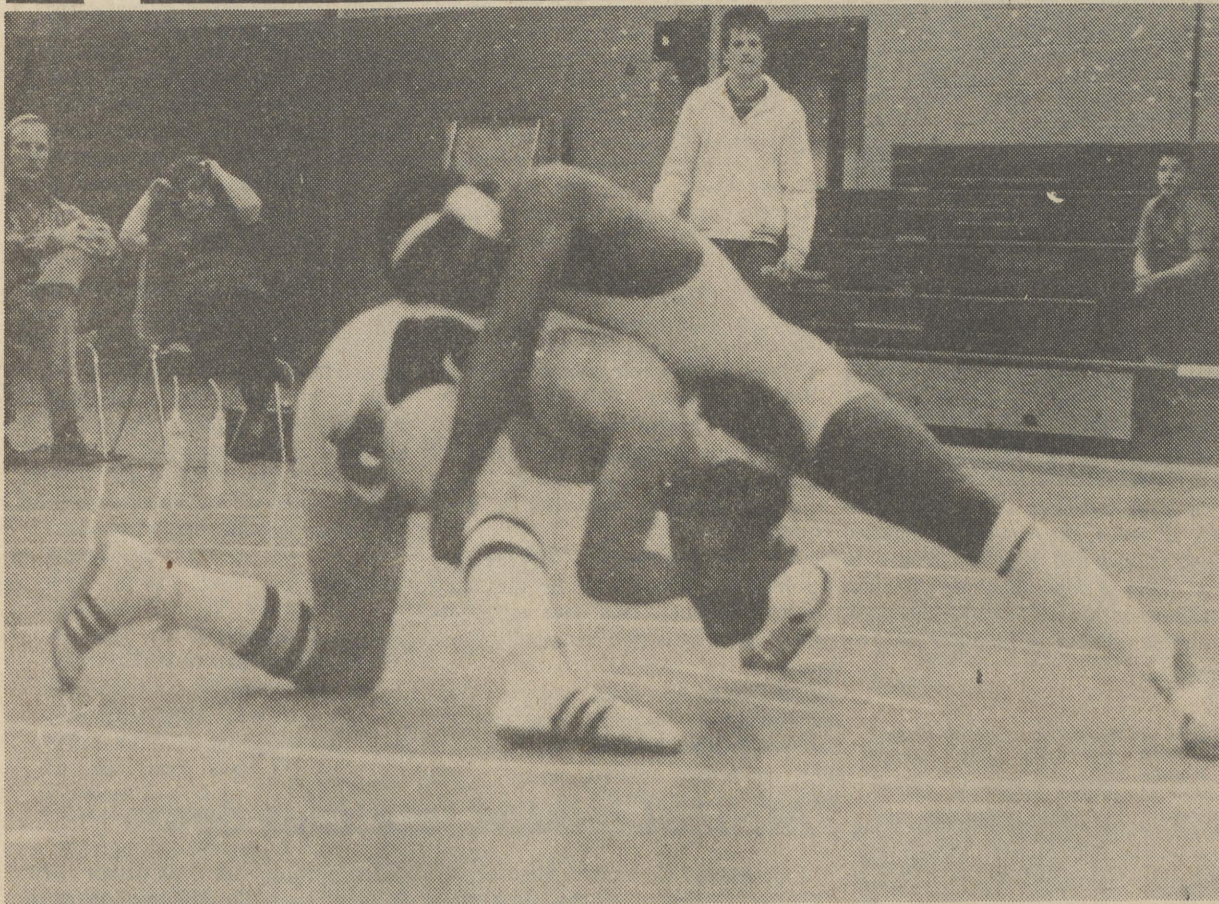
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Sports



Lake Forest's Marvin Parker has the upper hand against Seaford opponent Ed Higgins. Parker scored with a superior decision.

LF wrestlers slip in 33-30 loss to Seaford

by Barbara C. Brown

Lake Forest's Frank Wilson and Marvin Parker posted superior decisions in their bouts, and Dave Wilson had a major decision over his Seaford opponent, but the Spartan wrestlers ended three points behind the Bluejays in last Wednesday's match.

The Spartans trailed 27-24 giving into the 187 lb. bout when a last second pin by Joe Cianci of Seaford over the Spartans Russell Elliott gave Seaford six points. A forfeit by Seaford in the heavyweight division gave the Spartans six more points, but not enough to erase the deficit.

Individual Results

100 lb. - Lake Forest's Jeff Hughes, by forfeit.
107 lb. - Seaford's Dave Middleton won a 10-8 decision over Lake Forest's Ken Outten.
144 lb. - Lake Forest's Frank Wilson won a superior decision over Seaford's Shawn Rey, 12-0.
121 lb. - Seaford's Terrence Snow pinned Lake Forest's Mike Zdradzinski in 2:46.
128 lb. - Greg Eecenrode of Lake Forest won a major decision, 13-2, over John Horne.
134 lb. - Seaford's Craig Stanley pinned Lake Forest's Don Tiedgen in 2:48.

148 lb. - Dave Crouse of Seaford pinned Lake Forest's Scott Fleming in 1:41.
147 lb. - Seaford's Vickers won by forfeit.

157 lb. - Dave Wilson of Lake Forest won a major decision, 11-3, over Seaford's Mike Brisson.

169 lb. - Marvin Parker of Lake Forest scored a superior decision over Seaford's Ed Higgins 27-12.

187 lb. - Seaford's Joe Cianci pinned Lake Forest's Russell Elliott 5:57.
Heavyweight - Lake Forest's Kermit Mosley won by forfeit.

Indian River defeats Spartan grapplers

by Barbara C. Brown

Despite pins by Ken Outten, Frank Wilson and Greg Eecenrode, Tom Shaffer's Spartans wrestling team was defeated on Friday by Indian River. The overall score was 42-21. Three forfeits and a default by Lake Forest speeded the Indians to the victory.

Individual Results

99 lb. - Indian River's Mumford won by forfeit.
105 lb. - Ken Outten of Lake Forest pinned the Indians' Adams in 1:47.

112 lb. - Lake Forest's Frank Wilson pinned Indian River's Hall in 3:04.
119 lb. - Garrett of Indian River won by forfeit.

126 lb. - The Spartans' Greg Eecenrode pinned the Indians' Riven in 1:28.
132 lb. - Lake Forest's Don Tiedgen scored a 8-1 decision over Dean Esham of Indian River.

138 lb. - Short of Indian River won a 16-11 decision over Lake Forest's Scott Fleming.

145 lb. - Indian River's Farlow won by

forfeit.
155 lb. - Handy of Indian River won a 14-8 decision over the Spartans' Dave Wilson.

167 lb. - Indian River's Jones pinned Lake Forest's Robbie Rennie in 3:38.

185 lb. - The Indians' Flood won by default over Lake Forest's Russell Elliott.

Heavyweight - Wescot of Indian River pinned Kermit Mosley of Lake Forest in 5:38.

Boys lose 4th straight division game

by Barbara C. Brown

The Spartan boys' varsity basketball team managed just 8 points in each of the first two quarters of the game against the Golden Knights of Sussex Central on Friday night. With the Knights scoring 18 in the first period and 23 in the second, Lake Forest was in the hole by 23 points at half time. A

second half recovery kept them even for just those two periods, but narrowed the gap only one point. The Spartans ended 22 points in arrears for their fourth loss in Northern Henlopen Conference competition. The final score was Sussex Central 67, Lake Forest 45.

Tony Scott, with 18 points for the

game, was way ahead of all other Spartan scorers. The others were Darryl Tolson, 8; Kevin Murray and Robert May, 6 each; Jerome Harris, 3; and Stanton Spencer and Ralph Taylor, 2 apiece.

NOTE: The Spartan varsity basketball teams took on Dover at home last night. Results in next week's Journal.

Harris leads Spartans in 3rd season game

by Barbara C. Brown

Jerome Harris led the Spartan boys basketball team in scoring as Lake Forest took on Cape Henlopen in the Northern division third game of the 1982-83 winter season last Tuesday, January 11. Harris chalked up 21, but

the Lake Forest team as a whole was able to pile up only 54 to Cape's 48.

For the first half, which ended 39-31, the Spartans kept the gap under ten points. But they added only 23 points to Cape's 39 in the combined third and

fourth quarters.

Other Spartans scoring were Tony Scott and Kevin Murray, 8 each; Brian Gladden, 5; Vincent Thorpe, 4; Nelson Mosley, 3; Darryl Tolson and Stanton Spencer, 2 each, and Ralph Taylor, 1.

Spartan boys' swim team takes on 2 upstate opponents

by Barbara C. Brown

Spartan David Gagne came in first in the 100 Meter Freestyle in Saturday's swim meet against Salasianum, and the Medley Relay team of John Endres, Brian Hughes, Gary Price and Gagne won against McKean on Monday, but the Lake Forest boys swim team lost both meets. The fledgling team, coached by Charlie Michels, was hampered by illness which limited it to seven swimmers in the two meets. Both were staged in the Lake Forest pool.

The same Medley Relay team was second in the Salesianum meet. Other seconds were brought in by Brian Hughes (100 Meter Butterfly, against Salesianum and 50 Meter Freestyle against McKean), Ken Monroe (200 Meter Freestyle against McKean), John Szostak (100 Meter Backstroke against McKean) and Gary Price (100 Meter Breaststroke against McKean). Price was just one tenth of a second off the winning time. Scores and individual results from the two meets were as follows:

50 Meter Freestyle - Brian Hughes, 3rd (Time 29.6); David Gagne, 4th; Robbie Burgholzer, 6th.

100 Meter Butterfly - Brian Hughes, 2nd (Time 1:18.16).

100 Meter Freestyle - David Gagne, 1st (Time 1:09.4); John Szostak, 5th.

400 Meter Freestyle - Ken Monroe, 4th (Time 5:59.99).

100 Meter Backstroke - Robbie Burgholzer, 4th place (Time 1:25.4); John Szostak, 5th.

100 Meter Breaststroke - Gary Price, 3rd (1:27.2)

January 17 - McKean, 84 Lake Forest, 36

Medley Relay - John Endres, Gary Price, Brian Hughes, David Gagne, 1st (Time 2:17.08)

200 Meter Freestyle - Ken Monroe, 2nd (Time 2:43.3)

200 Meter Individual Medley - Gary

Price, 4th (Time 3:01.6); John Endres, 5th.

50 Meter Freestyle - Brian Hughes, 2nd (Time 29.9); David Gagne, 3rd; John Szostak, 5th.

100 Meter Butterfly - Brian Hughes, 3rd (Time 1:21.4)

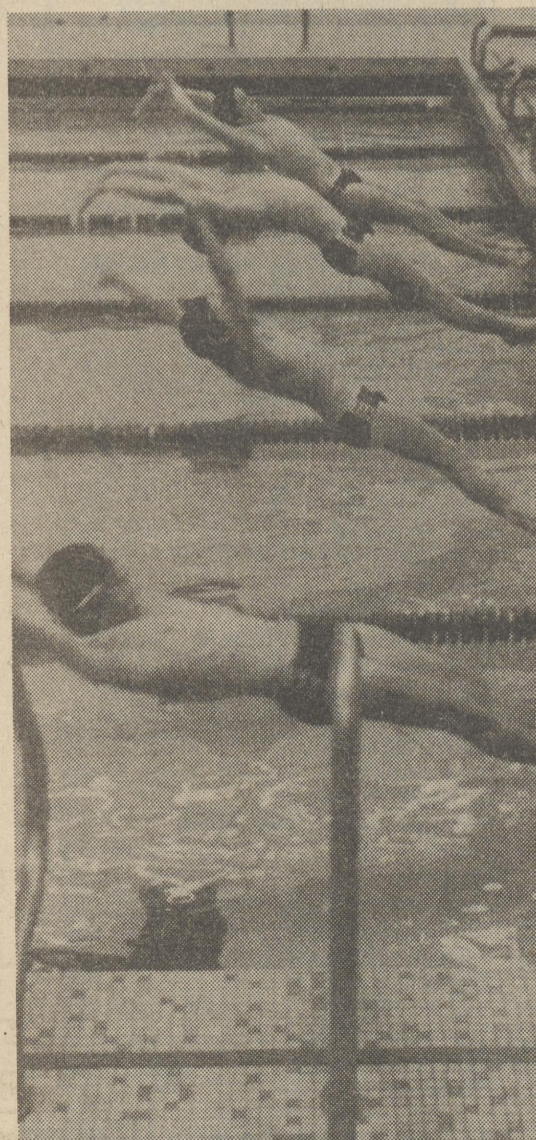
100 Meter Freestyle - David Gagne, 3rd (Time 1:09.01); Robbie Burgholzer, 5th.

400 Meter Freestyle - Ken Monroe, 4th (Time 5:57.25)

100 Meter Backstroke - John Szostak, 2nd (Time 1:25.9); Robbie Burgholzer, 3rd.

100 Meter Breaststroke - Gary Price, 2nd (1:25.6)

400 Meter Freestyle Relay - John Szostak, Robbie Burgholzer, John Endres, Ken Monroe, 4th (Time 5:24.30)



At the sound of the gun, swimmers take off in 100 meter backstroke competition between Lake Forest and Archmere on Saturday.

Spartan girls move into 1st place

by Barbara C. Brown

The Spartan girls' varsity basketball team moved into first place in the Henlopen Conference Northern Division with a key win over Cape last week. Led by sophomore Stephanie Tolson's 23 points, the Spartans stayed ahead for all four quarters and finished

with a 62-49 victory.

Junior Pam Pierce contributed 14 points, and Senior Dee Dee White added 13. Melissa Weaver and Pam Harris scored 4 each while Anita Sherwood and Carolyn Browne had 2 apiece.

Oops! girls slip to 2nd

by Barbara C. Brown

The Lake Forest girls' basketball varsity kept it close during the first half of Friday night's contest, but a dismal third quarter during which they tallied only 7 points to Sussex Central's 16 paved the way to defeat at the hands of the Golden Knights. The Spartans rallied with their best quarter and 17 points in the final period, but Sussex Central did them better by adding 22 points to make the score 67-50.

The loss was the Spartans' first defeat this year in Northern Henlopen Conference competition and only their second overall for the season. The team

is now 3-1 in the division. The loss also meant the Spartans have slipped into second place behind the 4-0 Knights. A second chance against Sussex Central will come on February 22, in the final Spartan home game of the regular season.

Stephanie Tolson and Pam Pierce led the Spartans with 15 points each. Anita Sherwood and Angie Akins contributed 6 apiece, while Carolyn Browne was good for 5. DeeDee White, Beverly Weaver and Sylvia Hicks all chipped in two-pointers, and Karen Sipple hit the basket on two foul shots.

HARRINGTON LITTLE LEAGUE
 The Harrington Little League will have a meeting January 20th at the Harrington Fire Hall. Anyone who is interested in helping with the 1983 season is requested to attend this meeting. This is for all age groups. Your help and support is needed and appreciated.



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Coming Events

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course will be held at the Kent Vo-Tech North on Denny's Road from 7 p.m. until 10 p.m. For more information on scheduled classes and to register, call the Heart Association Office in Dover at 734-9321. These classes are offered to the public free of charge. Upon completion of the course, volunteer instructors from the Kent County Heart Association will certify participants as heart savers according to the standards of the American Heart Association.

JANUARY 26 - A marketing workshop for swine producers will be held at the University of Delaware Georgetown Substation on January 26 from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

JANUARY 27 - The Delaware Development Office will host individual meetings between the U.S. Small Business Administration (S.B.A.) and area businesses on Thursday, January 27, 1983 at the Delaware Development Office in Dover.

Jack Williams, Wilmington Branch Manager for the S.B.A., and Delaware Development Office representatives will meet privately with businessmen and women and bankers with qualifying customers, to discuss S.B.A.'s guaranteed loans and technical assistance programs.

To schedule an appointment and receive a preliminary information packet necessary for determining eligibility for S.B.A. financing, contact Gloria Wenicki, Delaware Development Office, 302-736-4271.

JANUARY 29 - The Lions Club Annual Auction to be held at the Taylor & Messick Shop Vernon Road, Harrington at 7:00 p.m. A variety of home-cooked food will be available for your enjoyment. Contributions of food items are welcome. Please help the Harrington Lions Club charity event.

JANUARY 29 - "Talent Show" Saturday, January 29th, 8:00 p.m. at the Milford High School Auditorium. An evening full of entertainment for the whole family. Cash awards. Sponsored by the M.H.S. Band Boosters. Tickets: \$2.00 at the door.

JANUARY 29 - Saturday night, January 29, will sizzle when the local band Cookin' Good performs at the Clayton V.F.W. Hall in a benefit dance for the March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation. The band will perform from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the hall, located on Route 300 in Clayton. The \$15.00 per couple donation includes 4 hours of good music and dancing. Seating is running out fast, so reservations must be made soon. All of the money collected will go towards the March of Dimes' fight against birth defects. For information and reservations call 678-3663 or 737-1310.

FEBRUARY 2 - Ephesus, a musical group from the Lutheran Youth Encounter, will present a concert at the Wesley College Chapel Service on Wednesday, February 2 at 1:00 p.m. in the College Center Lounge.

FEBRUARY 3 - Theme of the 1983 Delmarva Corn and Soybean Conference is "Back to Basics" -- a topic that should appeal to farmers trying to reduce production costs and market their grain more profitably. The conference will be held Thursday, February 3, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Wicomico Youth and Civic Center in Salisbury, MD.

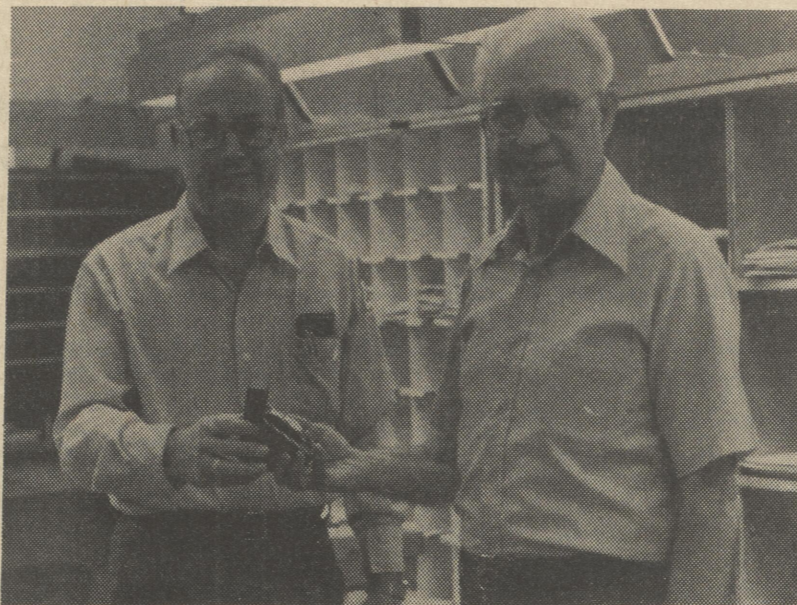
FEBRUARY 8 - University of Delaware Soil Testing Program Workshop for Kent County farmers - Capital Grange Hall, Dover (7-9 p.m.). Similar meetings will be held in Sussex County on February 15. Questions, call Extension Office 734-1448.

FEBRUARY 28 - 1983 Strawberry Growers' Meeting, Sheraton Inn, Dover, 7-9 p.m. Questions, call Extension Office 736-1448.



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Preston Moore plans to "enjoy life" and do some traveling now that he has retired from the Harrington Post Office after 12 years. His co-workers honored him Friday, January 7, with the presentation of a watch and their best wishes. In addition to the post office, Moore has over 31 years of experience with General Baking Company (Bond Bread) plus two in military service. Lifetime residents of this area, Moore and his wife Margaret have three children, a daughter and two sons. Russell Legates made the presentation.

Board Briefs

January

At its January meeting the Lake Forest Board of Education:

-expressed itself as 100% against any legislation to give local school boards the power to raise property tax rates up to the limit of 10 percent without a public referendum. Member James Gussett said, "If we're going to put our hands in someone's pocket, they should be given a chance to say yes or no." Other board members agreed.

-agreed to change the minutes of the special board meeting of December 29 to read that former superintendent Dr. Edward M. Powell's resignation was accepted effective January 14, 1983 rather than December 31, 1982. The reason given was that ten days vacation time to which Powell was entitled would have to be paid out of local funds instead of state money if the date change were not made. Member

James Gussett cast the only dissenting vote on the final motion. Powell who pled guilty last month to extortion and tax evasion charges stemming from his tenure with the Capital School District before he came to Lake Forest, is scheduled for sentencing today.

-heard a presentation by Tom Wilmore of the Frederica Town Council but said it would not make a decision on hooking East Elementary School into the community's new 10 inch water main until more accurate or complete cost estimates can be obtained. Wilmore told the board that the 2 inch line which is leaking near the school is 100 years old. The town wants to cap it off instead of repair it. Frederica Mayor Helen Powers and Council Member Rosalie Cline were also present.

-hired Carol Reid to teach math at the W.T. Chipman Junior School.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

Volunteerism is not out! A group of young men in our community who are a vital service organization still believes in the philosophy that service to humanity is the best work of life.

The Harrington Jayceettes would like to say thank-you to the Harrington Jaycees during National Jaycee Week - January 16-22. This dynamic group of men has been active in Harrington for 22 years. Major projects that the club have completed have been the annual haunted house, ice cream booth at the Delaware State Fair, pumpkins for the 3rd graders at Halloween, MDA, annual Christmas parade, community flag services, running of the State Fall Conference for Outstanding Young Farmers and the renovation of their clubhouse.

We, the Harrington Jayceettes, proudly hail our jaycees for the many accomplishments they have contributed to the Harrington community.

Judi Walls
President
Harrington Jayceettes

Dear Editor:

On behalf of the Harrington Fire Company, Inc. and the Fund Drive Committee, I would like to thank you and especially the citizens of Harrington for the most successful fund drive in recent years. It surely goes to show that the people in this community are very supportive. There were 510 mailing patrons that responded to our plea that made the goal of \$10,000.00 an almost sure thing. We received from our citizens \$9,304.00, less the expense to prepare for the fund drive of \$907.29, leaving a total to date of \$8,996.71. The monies received will surely help the fire company in their endeavors to provide the best fire protection to our citizens. Again, we want to thank each and every one that has supported us.

Sincerely,

Aubrey T. Brown,
Fund Drive Chairman 1982

Alcohol related fatalities down

Lieutenant Governor Michael N. Castle, Chairman of the Governor's Task Force on Drunk Driving, announced today that alcohol-related highway fatalities in Delaware dropped 26 percent during the last two and a half months of 1982. Prior to October 19, 1982, the date the State's tough new drunk driving law went into effect, 69 percent of Delaware's 1982 highway fatalities were alcohol-related.

The purpose of Delaware's new Driving Under the Influence law is to reduce the incidence of highway accidents in which alcohol and drugs are a contributing factor.

The Lieutenant Governor also announced that the Governor's Task Force on Drunk Driving will meet on January 26, 1983 to begin evaluating the impact of the new law and other aspects of the State's drunk driving program.

O.A. Newton appoints sales representative



Charles L. Towers

Robert F. Rider, President, O.A. Newton & Son Company, Bridgeville, Delaware, has announced the appointment of Charles L. Towers as sales representative for the Plastics Division, O.A. Newton & Son Company, Bridgeville, Delaware.

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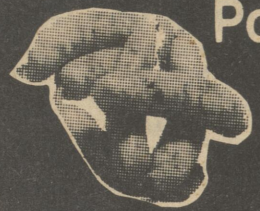
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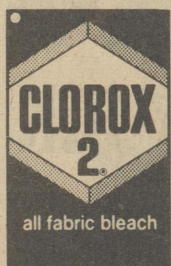
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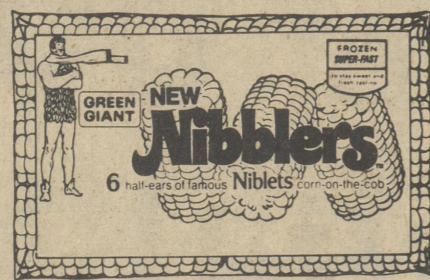
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