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Glendower

Historic Glendower Very Much Same Today As When Built 144 Years Ago

By Elizabeth Wimer

"Glendower-On-Totier," as it is called in the deed, is one of the old Virginia homes on which the patina of old age rests lightly and beautifully without being artificially superimposed. The house called Glendower is very much the same as it was when it was built some 144 years ago. The land on which it stands is of much historic interest to Albemarle County, for it was in a modest brick cottage back of the large house that some authorities hold that on the fourth Thursday of February, 1745, the government of the County of Albemarle was organized after the division of Goochland County in 1744. According to record, the next court after this organization was directed to be held at "Mrs. Scott's plantation on Totier."

Mrs. Scott was the widow of Edward Scott of Goochland County, to whom a grant of land at Totier was made from the King of England in 1732. This was described as being in Goochland "on the north side of the Fluvanna River at a place called Totier." No one has been able to discover just where the name came from, but the creek which runs through the property is called Totier Creek. It is recorded that the Widow Scott and her son, John, bought 1750 additional acres on Totier from David Merithwether in 1764, and it is to be assumed that the plantation was a large and thriving one.

Research has not uncovered the origin of the name, Glendower, by which the present estate has always gone. The home which now dominates the some 500 remaining acres of the original tract is thought to have been built about 1808 by Samuel Dyer, who owned the property at that time. It seems presumptuous to fix a date for the erection of such a home, for after seeing the amount of labor, even allowing for a multitude of slaves, that must have gone into its construction, one may be sure that one year was not enough to complete it.

The Flemish bond brick of which the house is constructed was burnt on the grounds, made from clay which was also dug on the grounds, and put together with mortar made from lime quarried on the grounds. Some of the bricks are numbered, and one has the imprint of the careless foot of a large-sized dog. Much of the old glass may be seen in the many-paned windows, bubbly and iridescent.

Inside, as well as outside, the house has been kept in good repair, with little or no changes made except for modern conveniences. The original staircase is a beautiful specimen of the wood-carver's art. The mantles are beautifully carved, simple, artistic, and some are unique in pattern. The deep-set windows, the paneled doors and the woodwork around the chair rails and doorways are all original, as are the floors. The owners have bowed to modernity enough to put a kitchen into what was a pantry,

but the old kitchen is still used as such, and is entered through a breezeway over the old brick walk connecting it with the house.

Of the many original outbuildings on this plantation, only the smoke house and the ice house remain standing. Mrs. Scott's cottage is another fine example of early American architecture, although it is small in comparison to the 19th century houses. A narrow stairway winds through the center of the house from the basement kitchen to the two rooms on the main floor and the upstairs sleeping quarters. Intricate woodwork marks the railing of the front porch.

Following many changes of ownership, Glendower was bought in 1867 by William Gordon Merrick, who lived here for 40 years. In 1910 the estate was purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Edgar L. Bradley, Jr., who now occupy it. Mr. Bradley raises pure-bred Aberdeen-Angus cattle, sheep and engages in general farming. He is Soil Conservationist for Albemarle County.

The Bradleys modestly claim no credit for the beauty of Glendower, saying that the magnificent boxwood hedges, the landscape, the simple charm of its interior is all due to its original owner, but they may be justly praised for keeping a piece of Virginia in the manner for which its homes are justly famous.

Winter Is Here; Two Snows Fall

Two snows within the past week made Scottsville residents aware of the fact that winter doesn't have to wait until December 21 to arrive. Tuesday's snow began falling in the early morning and continued until around 12 o'clock when it turned to rain. Above freezing temperatures kept it from sticking for any time. Saturday night around an inch and a half of snow fell beginning around 9:30 p.m. By noon on Sunday the sun had melted most of the light fall. Roads remained clear during both snowfalls.

Cold weather arrived over the week-end in addition to the snow. Saturday morning the thermometer showed 19 degrees, but Sunday was not as cold. Monday, the first day of December, a low of 12 degrees was recorded at around 6:30 a.m. There was no doubt about it — winter had arrived three weeks early.

CORRECTION

In a recent article about P. L. Minter of Cohasset the writer added 10 years to his age because of a mistake in subtracting the year of his birth from the present year. We take this opportunity to reduce Mr. Minter's age from 86 to 76, his true age, and to apologize for the error.

Church Notes

BAPTIST CHURCHES
John P. Elliott, Jr., Pastor
Scottsville
Sunday School—10:00 A.M.
Clarence Whitted, Superintendent
Worship Service—11:45 A.M.
B.T.U.—7:00 P.M.
Worship Service—8:00 P.M.
Antioch
Sunday School—10:30 A.M.
Roscoe Duncan, Sr., Superintendent
B.T.U.—7:30 P.M.
Wednesday Evening Prayer Service
7:30 P.M. At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Perkins
Fluvanna
Sunday School—10:30 A.M.
Russell Collins, Sr., Superintendent

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Scottsville Charge
Jack B. Taylor, Pastor
Scottsville
Church School 10:00 a.m., George T. Omohundro, Jr. Supt. Morning Worship 11:15 o'clock—Sermon by Pastor
Mt. Zion
Morning Worship 10:00 o'clock—Sermon by Pastor.
Church School 11:00 a.m. Dudley Patterson, General Supt.
Official Board and Woman's Society of Christian Service Wednesday December 10, 8 p.m.
Howardsville
Afternoon Worship 3:00 o'clock—Sermon by the Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Edward Brammer, Student Minister
Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
Church Services 11:15 a.m.
The Woman's Circle will meet on Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Tom Allison.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Beverly Tucker, Pastor
St. John's Church
Sunday School 11:15 a.m.
Christ Church, Glendower
Church Services 11:15 a.m.
Grace Episcopal
Grace Episcopal Church, Bremo.
Rector: J. A. Figg
Church School, Sunday, 11 A.M.
W. H. Ranson, Supt.
First Sundays: Communion Service and Sermon.
Third Sundays 11 A.M. Morning Prayer and Sermon.
St. John's, Columbia.

Rector: J. A. Figg
Church School: Sundays 10 A.M.
Phillip Stoneman, Supt.
Second Sundays: Communion services and Sermon.
Fourth Sundays: Morning Prayer and Sermon.

Mrs. Perkins Entertains Fluvanna Garden Club

Mrs. Robert C. Perkins entertained the Fluvanna garden club at her home, "Corinth Hill", in Fork Union on Thursday afternoon, November 20 with Mrs. L. W. Cabell and Miss Ann Cabell as co-hostesses.

Representatives of the five Junior garden clubs from the following schools, Fork Union, Palmyra, Cunningham District, Columbia District and the Fluvanna County High School, gave a brief history of the development of gardens beginning with the garden of Eden. They presented a corsage to Mrs. J. P. Snead, who started the Junior Garden Clubs in the county in 1937.

There were exhibits of dried arrangements made by club members.

The hostesses served refreshments during the social hour which followed.

Billy Ray Kills 9-Point Buck, Station Reports

Bill Ray, of near Scottsville, checked in a large buck at the Game Checking Station in Scottsville on last Saturday evening. The deer weighed in at 132½ lbs. and had nine points. This is the largest deer that has been killed in the Scottsville area according to Polard Staley, checker at the Station.

C. W. Farish Retires After 18 Years In Road System

Charles Wesley Farish, former foreman with the State Highway Department recently retired after 18 years of service. He was honored at a meeting of highway department employees in the Charlottesville City Armory on November 20.

A retirement certificate congratulating Mr. Farish on his retirement on June 30, 1952 was presented to Mr. Farish. J. A. Anderson, Commissioner of the Virginia Department of Highways signed the written award which read:

"The Virginia State Highway Department in appreciation of the benefits to the public accruing from the accumulated and continuous faithful service of Charles Wesley Farish, after 18 years of meritorious public service, offers congratulations and good wishes for a long and happy life."

Mr. Farish was raised in Fluvanna County and has traveled all over the state in his work with the Highway Dept. His wife was from Goochland County and they have been married for 46 years. Mr. and Mrs. Farish had 8 children, 4 daughters and 4 sons. They lost their oldest son, who died at the age of 31. There are five children now living in Richmond, one in Point-of-Fork, and one in Chicago. There are two grandchildren in the family.

Five years ago Mr. Farish came to Albemarle County to work. When his retirement came due he and his wife decided to settle near Scottsville, and they have recently built a new home on the Richmond road. Mr. Farish did a great deal of the work on his new house himself, but he says that he could not have built it without the help of his fellow workmen in the highway crew and his friends and neighbors. Now that he has retired, Mr. Farish hopes to practice his trade as a carpenter.

On November 25 Mr. Farish celebrated his 71st birthday.

Keep Sidewalks Clean Of Snow, Marsh Says

Sgt. F. F. Marsh, Scottsville's Chief of Police, requests that merchants and residence owners in the town keep the sidewalks clean of snow in front of their property. Mr. Marsh states that it is a town ordinance that sidewalks must be cleaned within 12 hours after the snow has stopped falling.

Sgt. Marsh points out that the packed snow can be very dangerous to pedestrians. After the snow is allowed to freeze it not only becomes more dangerous for walking but is harder to remove. A quick removal of the snow from the sidewalks will help prevent any serious accidents.

Club To "Breakfast" At Spring Hill Farm

Members of the Tri-County Riding Club will breakfast on Saturday, December 6 at "Spring Hill Farm" with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ewoldt and Miss Erma Ewoldt as host and hostess.

In case of rain or snow the breakfast will be postponed until the following Saturday, December 13.

Cunningham School PTA Schedules Food Sale

The P.T.A. of Cunningham District School will hold a food sale in Scottsville on Saturday, December 13. The sale will be held at Walton's Radio and Appliance Center, next door to the Post Office. Home-baked foods, homemade pickles, and chickens will be offered for sale.

The vanilla plant belongs to the orchid family.

Chandler Builds Large School Children Lake On Esmont Road Entertain Members Of Lions Club

A large lake is under construction just west of Scottsville on Route 6 by L. B. Chandler. The lake is being built on the 8½ acre lot Mr. Chandler owns which is on the Esmont road. Chandler's property adjoins the lot recently purchased by W. A. McDearmon, who plans to build a home on it in the immediate future. Dr. John Manahan owns the tract of land from which these lots were sold.

The lake which Chandler is building is spring fed and will be about 15 feet deep at the deepest point. Mr. Chandler stated that it will be stocked for fishing and can be used for boating but will not be good for swimming, as there will be no shallow section. In the future Chandler hopes to build a ranch style home on the knoll overlooking the lake.

Three homes have been built within recent years on Route 6 near the Scottsville town limits. S. B. Rittenhouse, building contractor, is now at work on his home adjoining this new residential development and the W. A. McDearmon property.

Bookmobile Serving Fluvanna Area

The Virginia State Library Board is providing the services of the Bookmobile to show them what can be done. At the expiration of this term, Fluvanna County may continue to have the same service for a contribution to the library system of \$1400 per year.

The children's collection is large and varied. Leisure reading, and phonograph records will entertain adults as well as children. Books on all subjects are available, lent for a period of three weeks, with the privilege of renewal for three more weeks.

Citizens who were responsible for bringing the Bookmobile to Fluvanna urge that all who are interested make continuous use of it and take advantage of the opportunities it has opened for them.

A schedule for the month of December follows:

Palmyra-Run
Friday—Dec. 5, 1952.
Troy—9:30 a.m.—10:00 a.m.
Wildwood—10:45 a.m.—11:15 a.m.
Bybee—11:30 a.m.—12:00 noon
Palmyra—12:15 p.m.—2 p.m.
Cunningham—2:15 p.m.—3:00 p.m.
Fork Union Run
Friday Dec. 12, 1952
Carysbrook 10:00 a.m.—10:30 a.m.
Fork Union—10:45a.m.—11:45a.m.
Bremo Bluff—12:00 noon—12:30 p.m.
Cohasset—1:00 p.m.—1:15 p.m.
Shores—1:30 p.m.—2:00 p.m.
Profit Store—2:30 p.m.—3:00 p.m.
Antioch—3:15 p.m.—3:45 p.m.
Columbia Run
Friday Dec. 19, 1952
Lafayette Service Station—9:40 a.m.—9:50 a.m.
Ferncliff—10:00 a.m.—10:00 a.m.
Kent's Store—10:30 a.m.—11 a.m.
Wilmington—11:10 a.m.—11:45 a.m.
Stage Junction—12:00 noon—12:15 p.m.
Columbia—12:30 p.m.—1:30 p.m.
Dixie—1:45 p.m.—2:00 p.m.
Ross Carter's Store—2:15 p.m.—3:00 p.m.

C. M. McCary

Funeral services for Charles M. McCary were held at the Presbyterian Cemetery in Scottsville on Sunday, November 30. Mr. McCary, a farmer, died November 8 at the age of 75. He was the son of the late Richard and Sallie Goodman McCary.

Mr. McCary is survived by one brother, George P. McCary, and several nephews. Rev. Jack Taylor conducted the funeral services.

A group of children from grades one through four entertained the Scottsville Lions Club at their meeting last Wednesday night. Dr. Walter S. Flory, Jr., District-Governor of Lions from Boyce attended the meeting and later met with the Board of Directors of the club.

Mrs. Ray Caldwell planned and directed the program that the grade children presented. Songs, poems, dances, recitations, a story, and a piano selection were included in the entertainment. The children performing were: Baxter Allison, Pat Pitts, Johnny Williamson, Diane Moore, Julianna Faulcones, Claire Dorries, Bill Goodwin, Sandra McDearmon, Don Carron, Alice Hamner, Billy Dawson, Walton Goodwin, Sawrie Carroll, and Lindsay Dorrier.

Hugh Flynn was chairman of the program for the evening. Rev. Jack Taylor gave a short talk on "The Meaning of Thanksgiving."

A traditional turkey dinner was enjoyed by the Lions at their meeting on the eve of Thanksgiving Day. The children participating in the program were treated to ice cream and cookies by the club.

Senior Class Play To Be Presented On December 10

The curtain goes up on "A Ready Made Family," Scottsville High School Senior Class play, at 8:15 p.m. December 10 at the Victory Theater. A farce in three acts, the play tells the story of Henry Turner, a widower, and Agnes Martin, a widow, who plan to marry. Neither is prepared for the objections that the Martin and Turner children display before they accept the fact that they are to be "A Ready Made Family."

Bobby Spencer takes the part of Henry Turner, the widower. The attractive widow is played by Barbara Hamner. Other characters are portrayed by Franklin Ferneyhough, Elsie Staton, Margaret Moore, Virginia Clements, Phyllis Morris, and Joe Kidd. Two particularly comic parts are Sylvia Gay as Begonia, the cook, and Billy Moon as Nicodemus, the handyman, in the Martin family.

Mrs. Josephine Magnifico, Senior sponsor, is directing the play. Daily practices are being held at Victory Theater. Mrs. Magnifico, who is teaching for the first year in Scottsville, has directed "A Ready Made Family" on two previous occasions.

The Senior Class numbers only 16 this year. Ten members of the class make up the play's cast. Doris Bragg and Joyce Pyles will act as ushers. Treebie Dudley and Edith Moon will be in charge of selling tickets. Tom Allison and the Agricultural Shop students are assisting with the sets. Miss Katharyne Tindall and members of the Commercial Club are preparing the programs.

Tickets for "A Ready Made Family" are now on sale at Bruce's Drug Store. There are 75 reserved seats offered for sale at 75c apiece. General admission tickets are selling for 50c each.

There are 6,080 feet in a sea mile.

Lindbergh received the first Distinguished Flying Cross awarded by the U. S.

Rhode Island was the first state in the union to build its own airport.

Fork Union News

By Mrs. Ellis Harding
Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Davis were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Soures of Charlottesville.

Week-end guests at "Corinth Hill", home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Perkins, were their daughter, Miss Winifred Perkins, and Miss Peggy Benfield, Miss Kathy Keller and Miss Ann Tinder, all of Woman's College, Greensboro, N. C. The group attended the University of Virginia-Richmond football game on Saturday.

Attorney and Mrs. Milton A. Jones and children of Washington, D. C., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Jones Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Balney of New York City are spending several days at their cabin at Dixie.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Perkins, Jr., of Fredericksburg visited Mr. Perkins' parents last week.

Mrs. Asa Brown and Mrs. Gessner Jones were business visitors in Waynesboro Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tap Snead entertained at a dinner-party on Saturday evening in honor of Miss Jane Vogeley of Richmond. Miss Vogeley and Mrs. Snead were classmates at the Richmond Professional Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lannon and son, Bobby, of Richmond were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bruce of Dixie.

Announcement has been received here of the birth of a daughter, Carol Lisa, to Capt. and Mrs. James Lynch of Philadelphia. Mrs. Lynch is the former Miss Anne Bruce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bruce, of Dixie. Capt. Lynch sailed last week for duty in the Korean theater.

Mrs. H. M. Bransford, Mrs. J. P. Snead, R. C. Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Haynes attended a district Red Cross meeting in Farmville last week.

The community offers its sympathy to the family of Mrs. Jessie Davis, who died last Wednesday.

Among the Fork Union "little folk" that are confined to their homes with chicken pox are Courtney and Mary Sue Omohundro, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Omohundro, Jr., Sandra Loving, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Loving and Jackie Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alex-

ander. The Ladies' Auxilliary of the American Legion met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Howard Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Young of Richmond are spending several days visiting Mrs. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Griffin, of Carysbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Williams of Richmond were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Snead on Monday evening.

A benefit bridge party, sponsored by the Fluvanna Garden Club, was held at "Bride's Hill", home of Mrs. Agnes Kie, Tuesday evening. High prizes for bridge were won by Mrs. Charles Costello and Henry Thomas. High prizes for set-back were won by B. A. Burgess and Mrs. R. M. Ivins. The door prize of one-half bushel of apples was won by R. B. Holberton. Mrs. Hazel Ranson of Brems Bluff was chairman of the event.

Mrs. Frank A. Crockett and Mrs. J. P. Snead attended a reception given by Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Salban at their home, "Gallison Hall," in Charlottesville for the Hollins College Alumnae.

Miss Jane Glass was a week-end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Anderson at Marshall.

Those attending the dedication Sunday afternoon of the pipe organ given to River Road Baptist Church, Richmond, by Mrs. Jeanette Snead Daniel of Weldon, N. C., in memory of her husband, the honorable Walter Daniel, and her father, Capt. Charles G. Snead, C.S.A. of Fork Union, were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis P. Snead and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Weaver, W. O. Snead, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Snead, Mrs. Isabelle Snead, Job Creager, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Snead and Mrs. N. C. Alexander, all of Fork Union.

R. W. Ford

Robert Walter Ford, formerly of Richmond, died on Saturday, November 22, in the Gordonsville Hospital in Gordonsville. He was buried in Oakwood Cemetery in Richmond on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mr. Ford was a retired C and O railroad conductor. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Marie Ford Preddy of Orange, one son, Leslie W. Ford of Richmond, and two foster daughters, Mrs. Mildred Turner and Mrs. Marie West.

Columbia News

By Miss Mary Walton

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Willis of Hampton are the proud parents of a baby boy born last Tuesday, November 18.

A Baptist Adult Union Thanksgiving Social was held in the home of Mrs. Walter Thurston last Tuesday night, November 18. After some interesting games were played, delicious refreshments were served. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Crowder, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stump, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Seay, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Newton, Mrs. Bernard Morris, Mrs. Joe Newton, Mrs. James Marshall, Mrs. H. S. Mosby and Miss Mary Walton.

The Columbia District School held their regular monthly PTA meeting at school Wednesday night, November 19. The theme was, "It's your community— is it conscious of the need for adult education." The guest speaker was Dr. Abner Robertson of Richmond, who is the Executive Secretary of the Virginia Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Those from Columbia who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Newton, Mrs. M. B. Winfrey, Mrs.

Johnny Tryall, Mrs. Johnson Snoddy, Mrs. A. Walton, Jr., and Dabney Cosby.

Mrs. Jessie Hughes Davis died Wednesday at her home here. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. W. W. Arnold of Raleigh, N. C., and Mrs. C. R. Adair of Narrows; one son, Henry H. Davis of Columbia; one sister, Mrs. L. H. Walton of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walter of Richmond and several grandchildren.

Funeral rites were held at 1:30 p.m. last Friday at Fork Union Baptist Church with burial in Fork Union Memorial Cemetery, Fork Union. The Interimmediate and Young People's Training Union held their social last Tuesday night in the home of Anne Carter Walton.

Richmond spent several days last week visiting Mrs. W. A. Hatcher. The Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Crowder spent Thanksgiving in Colonial Heights.

E. M. Taggart of Glenville, W. Va., spent several days visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stump last week.

Earl Palmore of Wilson, N. C., spent several days last week visiting in the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Palmore.

C. W. Farish of Scottsville, formerly of Columbia, received a retirement certificate last week from Highway Engineer W. W. Shields after eighteen years as a highway foreman in this county. The ceremony took place in the City Armory in Charlottesville at a highway department safety meeting. Mrs. Robert Perkins entertained the Fluvanna Garden Club at her home in Fork Union last Thursday afternoon.

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Mrs. R. P. Kent and Mrs. Dick Jennings visited Mrs. Alfred Willis in Hampton this week.

Bernard Morris of Columbia and Lee LeSturgeon of Richmond spent last Monday and Tuesday duck and turkey hunting near the York River.

Motor Firm Is Honored For Civic Contribution

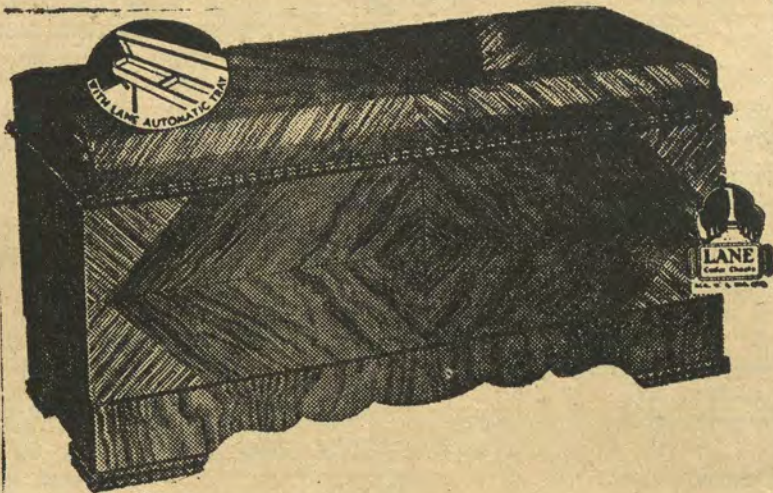
Smith Chevrolet Sales recently received a certificate honoring the company for their civic contribution in making available for Scottsville High School the use of a dual control car for driver education purposes. For two years the special car has enabled the school to offer classes in driving with Miss Katharine Tindall as teacher.

The award states that "By generously loaning this equipment in the interest of public safety this dealership has earned the lasting gratitude of the students, their parents, and other citizens of this community and of the undersigned participants in this cooperative program." The certificate is signed by the Inter-Industry Highway Safety Committee, National Automobile Dealer's Association, Tidewater Automobile Association, Automotive-Trade Association of Virginia and Automobile Club of Virginia.

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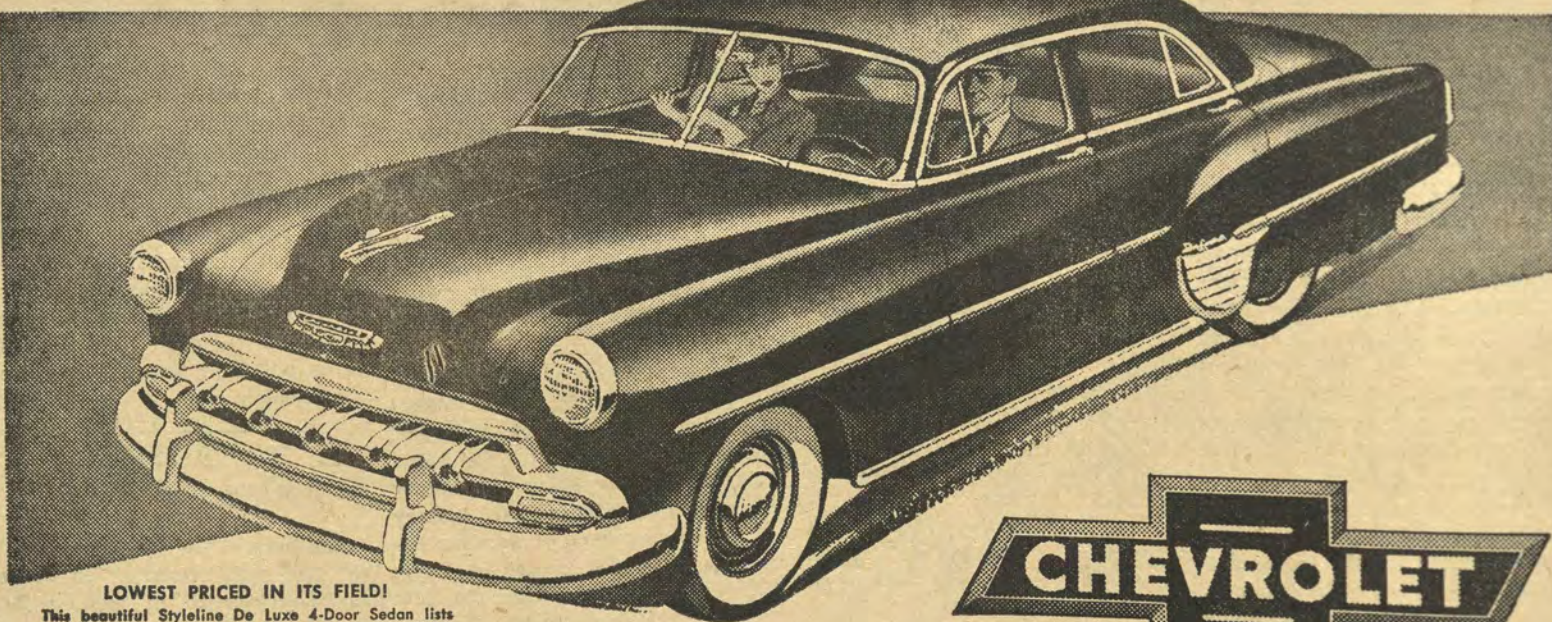
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Bremo Bluff News

By Hazel Ranson
Mr. and Mrs. Figg of Columbia were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowell last Sunday.

Mrs. N. J. Perkins of Carysbrook and Mrs. Hazel Ranson visited in Roanoke. Mrs. Perkins stayed with her sister, Mrs. C. R. Hughes, and Mrs. Ranson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Small.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bradburn of Baltimore, visited in the home of Mrs. B. W. Ancell this last week.

S. T. Ranson of Richmond was home for the Thanksgiving holidays, at "Hillcrest."

Howard Winn Ranson of Richmond spent Tuesday with his mother, Mrs. Hazel Ranson.

Mrs. W. F. Ranson is spending some time in Roanoke, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap.

Little Mary Sue Nuckols has been confined to her home for about a week with a very bad cold. She is much better now, and we hope she will soon be out, and back in school.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Charlton of Arlington visited Bremo Sunday, spending some time with friends.

Dr. and Mrs. Tommy Saunders of South Hill spent Thanksgiving, with Mrs. Saunders parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hasher and son and Mrs. Lottie Wright of Troy visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wright, Sunday.

Miss Mary Holman spent several days last week in Richmond, with her sister, Mrs. Fred Barry.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bowles and children of Maryland and Mrs. Kelso of Troy spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris.

Thanksgiving dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. White were T. C. Harris of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. John Spano and daughter, of Long Island, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. William Baker-Smith and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Melton, Jr. and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Marty Martin and daughter, R. A. Shipp and Kyle Dugger.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lips of Portsmouth spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Fiter.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Larus of Richmond spent Sunday in the home of R. M. Holman and the Misses Holman.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morris were Mrs. Hugh Walton, and daughter, Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hammond of Richmond, Mrs. R. A. Morris, Miss Sarah Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Turner and daughters, Clara and Jane.

Double Wedding

The marriage of Miss Edith Elizabeth Patterson to Thomas E. Goodman and Miss Ida Lee Clements to Charlie Walker Patterson took place in a double wedding ceremony on Thursday, November 20, at 8:30 at the Mt. Zion Methodist Church at Esmont.

Miss Patterson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Patterson of Esmont, and Mr. Goodman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Goodman of Scottsville. Miss Clements is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Clements of Scottsville, and Mr. Patterson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Patterson.

The Rev. Jack Taylor performed the ceremony. The brides wore navy blue suits with matching accessories. Their corsages were white gardenias.

Upon Mr. and Mrs. Goodman's return from a wedding trip to Tennessee, the couple will make their home in Scottsville. Mrs. Goodman is a graduate of Scottsville High School. Mr. Goodman is also a graduate of Scottsville School and is presently employed by the Westinghouse Agency in Charlottesville. He has served a number of years with the U. S. Marines in this country and in Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson went on a wedding trip to Rocky Mount, N. C. On their return they will make their home in Scottsville. Mrs. Goodman is a graduate of Scottsville High School and is now employed by State Farm Mutual Insurance Co. in Charlottesville. Mr. Patterson is a Scottsville High School graduate and is working for the C and O Railway Company

Lange-Morton

The wedding of Miss Virginia Marshall Morton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Morton II, of Charlottesville and Peter Wolde-mar Lange, of New York and "Canaan Farm" near Scottsville took place at 8:30 o'clock on Saturday evening. The ceremony was held at Christ Episcopal Church in Charlottesville, and was performed by the Rev. Herbert A. Donovan.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her dress was of white taffeta, fashioned with a portrait neckline and a full skirt which had tiers of Pointe Duchesse lace and ending in a circular train. She carried a bouquet of white orchids.

Mrs. Holden M. Clarke of Washington, D. C., sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a gown of fuschia-colored taffeta and her bouquet was of large pink chrysanthemums.

The bridesmaids were Mrs. Andrew D. Hart, Jr. of Bronxville, N. Y.; Miss Hilary Whittaker of Grosse Pointe, Mich.; Miss Helen Tasche of Sheboygan, Wis.; and Miss Katherine Kidde, of Montclair, N. J., former classmates of the bride at Vassar College; and Mrs. Alan Bruns of Ivy, and Miss Virginia Waddell and Miss Sarah Vest of Charlottesville.

They wore gowns of dusty rose-colored taffeta and carried fuschia-colored chrysanthemums.

O. William Kracht of Larchmont, N. Y. was best man. The ushers were C. Bruce Morton III, brother of the bride, Edgar Paltzer of Hartsdale, N. Y., Richard Werhlin, of New York City, William Perkins Jr., and James H. Lindsay of Charlottesville; Frederick W. Scott and Larned D. Randolph of North Garden and Pierson Scott of Warren.

A wedding reception followed as a telegraph operator and agent.

Those attending the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Goodman, Mrs. Leslie Clements, Mrs. Louis Melton, Mrs. Charlie Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Ranny Pugh and Mrs. Clyde Moore.

the ceremony at Farmington Country Club.

Mrs. Lange is a graduate of St. Anne's School and Vassar College. Mr. Lange was educated in Switzerland and is now associated with an investment brokers firm in New York.

Following a wedding trip to the Hawaiian Islands, Mr. and Mrs. Lange will make their home at "Canaan Farm" near Scottsville.

Among the parties given for Miss Morton and Mr. Lange prior to their marriage was a dinner at "Bondoran Farm," North Garden, on Wednesday, November 26 given by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scott and Pierson Scott. Mr. Lange entertained at "Canaan" on Thursday night November 25. His guests included members of the wedding party, the families of the bride and groom, out of town guests and a few close friends.

The book of Revelations in the Bible is called the Apocalypse.

GET THE AD READING HABIT

Wesley Community

By Frances Haislip

Wesley Chapel Church will have its Christmas program on Wednesday, December 24, beginning at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bunting and son, Tommy, and Carlyle Bunting, all of Portsmouth, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Collins of Charlottesville spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Irving.

Lewis Irving is spending his vacation with his brother, W. J. Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. James Guy Haislip visited Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hatterman Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Patterson entertained the Methodist Youth Fellowship of Wesley Chapel at a Thanksgiving party.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mathias and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mathias spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Black.

Wade Mathias had his tonsils removed at the Martha Jefferson

Hospital on Friday He is improving rapidly.

Cecil Black had the good fortune to kill an eight-point buck while hunting this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph N. Hackett and Lantha Matney have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carefoot.

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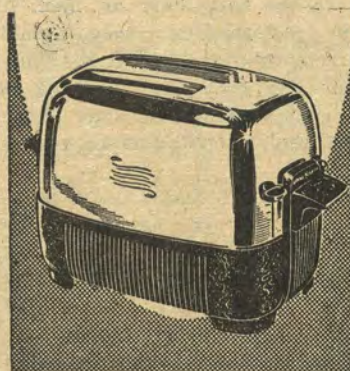


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Country Lawyer

By Walter Johnson
Probably good intention motivated naming Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby to the highly important post of Federal Security Administrator. The appointment was probably intended as recognition of the South as a section and of women as a group. But despite any good intention the appointment is a most unhappy one.

Mrs. Hobby is a gracious lady of 47 years. She is publisher and Executive Vice-President of The Houston Post Company at Houston, Texas and which is a family corporation. Her husband, W. P. Hobby, born in 1878, served as Lieutenant Governor of Texas in 1914-1918 period and then as Governor until 1921.

The Houston Post Company publishes one of the largest daily newspapers in Texas, the Houston Post. Also it is licensee of three important radio stations. These, all located in Houston, are KPRC, KPRC-FM and KPRC-TV.

During this last campaign Mrs. Hobby supported General Eisenhower and which is all well and good. But she also supported leftism. She made a money contribution to the campaign of Senator Benton of Connecticut and who was campaigning for reelection as one of the extreme leftists. Thus Mrs. Hobby was standing in support of both the right and the left. That is what is known as being a political opportunist. It has the effect of keeping the path greased both ways no matter who wins. And it has the effect of causing doubt on the sincerity of those who do it. Surely they cannot be impelled by conviction to straddle the fence.

The Federal Security Administration is a maze of bureaucracy that is tremendous in size and ramification. It has some 35,000 employees. It has offices all over the United States. It includes the Food and Drug Administration; the Office of Education; Office of Vocational Rehabilitation; Public Health Service including Freedman's Hospital; Social Security Administration; Bureau of Employees Compensation; Employees Compensation Appeals Board; and St. Elizabeth's Hospital. Also it has to do with other things such as the American Printing House for the Blind, Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Howard University.

And the power to direct and control that massive agency with all those employees is to be put into the hands of a woman whose political convictions are so empty and hollow that she can work both sides of the street.

It may be that she is not a leftist even though she did support such an extremist as Senator Benton. But there remains that suspicion and the people did not clean up the mess in Washington expecting that it would be carried on along the leftist pattern. We worked hard to elect General Eisenhower as a Conservative; to give us conservative government and expecting that he would replace such leftists as Oscar Ewing and others with persons adhering to conservatism.

It is proper that women should be recognized in politics but it is also proper that they should be put to the same test as men. If they are straddlers they should be recognized as such. If they disclose such lack of conviction as to permit working both sides of the street that should also be recognized.

In the South there are a number of women who have stood for conservatism for years. They have done so in the face of great difficulty. They have contributed much in time and in substance to the end that a minority party might be sustained in the South to eventually serve as a vehicle through which a housecleaning in Washington might be accomplished. A considerable number of them have the strength of character and of conviction that would permit them to serve with credit to themselves and to their party in Washington.

The naming of Mrs. Hobby as Federal Security Administrator is less than a good appointment. It

can hardly be accepted either as recognition of the South or as recognition of women as a group. Surely the General can do better than that.

Household Hints

By Betty J. Minnick
Home Economist
Appalachian Electric Power Co.

The Home laundry division of the Consumer's Institute has been making a series of tests for several years to determine proper washing, drying and ironing techniques for all synthetic fabrics.

Although washing instructions found on synthetic fabrics usually recommended hand washing, the Institute has discovered that many may be laundered in the washing machine. Most synthetic fabrics washed in a machine will look better and will require less ironing than those laundered by hand.

Hard creases and wrinkles are sometimes put into clothing by the squeezing and wringing action of hand laundering; however, clothing which is gently agitated through large quantities of water lack these qualities.

For perfect washability the trimming and lining should be of the same fiber as the outside of the garment. Hidden cotton inner linings, facings, seam bindings or thread, for example, might cause puckering in the washed garment.

Construction such as weak seams or too narrow margins may also prevent soap and water laundering by hand or by washer; therefore, before washing a garment made of a synthetic fabric, test the seams with a fingernail to be sure they will not ravel.

Below are listed correct laundering methods for some of the most common synthetic fabrics. In all cases, however, warm water and a mild soap or detergent should be used.

To avoid wrinkles around the shoulder line, pad shoulders of clothing which is to drip dry with wash cloths and smooth out wrinkles.

Seams, collars, and cuffs should be fingerpressed occasionally as the fabric is drying. For best results, seams and trimmings can be ironed with a cool iron after the garment has completely dried.

Lorette (55% Orlon—45% wool)

Dress (accordion-pleated skirt)
Wash 2 minutes, spin 3 minutes, rinse 2 minutes. Remove from washer. Hang on well-shaped hanger; pad shoulders. Allow to drip dry.

Nylon Dress

Wash 3 minutes, spin 3 minutes, rinse 3 minutes. Remove from washer. Hang on well-shaped clothes hanger. Allow to drip dry. Finger press seams to prevent puckering as dress dries.

Nylon-Rayon Dress

Wash 3 minutes, spin 3 minutes, rinse 3 minutes. Allow to dry. Press when dry with iron set for "rayon".

Dynel Baby Blanket

Wash 1½ minutes, spin 3 minutes, rinse 1½ minutes, spin-dry 3 minutes. Place in automatic clothes dryer for 15 minutes. Blanket needs no stretching but may be brushed in one direction with soft brush. Press binding with steam iron.

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Curtains (Marquisette Curtains)
Shake curtains to remove dust. Place them in pillow cases or mesh bags 2 - 3 curtains per bag). Use 3-minute wash, 3-minute spin and 3-minute rinse. Remove from washer, squeeze gently to remove excess water and hang on rust-proof curtain rods.

OFFICE TO CLOSE

Fluvanna County Draft Board No. 42 will be closed at the end of the business day on December 19 until January 5, it was announced today by N. J. Perkins, chairman of the local board.

The holiday has been ordered by Capt. James S. Jones, State director of Selective Service.

Meanderer

The snow and colder weather have brought more birds to our feeders. The only unusual one has been a Fox Sparrow who appeared last Sunday, but we have not seen him since. The regulars are the Juncos, White-throats, Chickadees, Titmice, Carolina Wrens, White-breasted Nuthatches, Cardinals, Downy Woodpeckers and once in a while a Song Sparrow, a Sapsucker or a Myrtle Warbler. We do not seem to have as many birds as we have had other years. We'll have to work on getting a little more cover along our fence and in the woods. Brushy undergrowth is where they take refuge, especially in the winter, and if things are swept clean, so to speak, there will be few birds.

An article in the December issue of NATURE MAGAZINE entitled "Christmas Vandalism in our Forests", gives one something to think about. With the spirit of Christmas ascendant throughout the land, the effects of some phases of this "spirit" on conservation in our rural areas are sad indeed. Christmas is the time of year to express kindly feelings toward fellow men and to exchange greetings among friends. In forests

all over the country, however, the Yuletide season too often leads to disaster. Evergreens suffer tremendously in all of the states because of thoughtless persons seeking decorations for the holidays. Ground pine, Prince's pine, laurel, holly and other such greens are often torn up by the roots or broken off so that ragged limbs invite infection. The collecting of cones often results in the breaking and snapping of limbs by bending them down with a long pole or similar tool. Some trees are literally hacked to pieces by individuals gathering branches. In most instances, no effort whatever is made to make a clean cut; there is no thought of the future of the trees.

Many farmers who own plots of woodland are glad to grant permission to gather greens to persons who they know will not abuse either the privilege or the plants. But is it not keeping the spirit of Christmas to trespass on posted land or on what looks like remote, wild property, seemingly belonging to none. We were disgusted and angry last year when we went a few days before Christmas, to a white pine planting we had made to gather some lower limbs of the trees. The most handsome tree, which had been growing some ten years, and was larger than the

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Lucky You

by Dick Shaw



Lucky you—you won that argument without losing your life

The School Controversy

The current controversy over whether Scottsville should be allowed to keep its present high school or students should be sent to the new consolidated county high school near Charlottesville is of paramount importance to every citizen in this area. The decision in the end will be one that will have a far-reaching influence in the future of the community and its young people.

For the past decade there has been a trend in the nation toward centralization in public schools. Certainly a centralized system is theoretically the best. There are more and better courses offered. The curriculum is more diversified. Students receive a "well-rounded" education, so to speak.

Many states in the union have gone all out for the centralized "modern" method of teaching their children. In some instances the "three R's" have been shoved out the window to be replaced entirely by audio-visual and other such systems. At first, the nation's leading educators were profuse in their praise of this new method. But now some of those same leaders are less enthused about the centralized "modern" methods.

It has been found that one of the principal objections to centralization is that students attending school with hundreds of others are "lost in the crowd." In other words, individualism is discouraged.

Another disadvantage — and one that certainly applies in the local situation — is that students spend too much of their time on school buses. Not irrelevant on this score, too, is the safety of those riding buses. Certainly if students make longer rides there is more chance of accidents.

Needless to say, not even the most ardent supporter of Scottsville school could say that it is perfect. Is it a small rural school in need of more space, more teachers, more courses and facilities. However, local residents who have made a study of the situation claim that a comparatively small initial appropriation and annual additions could place the school in a much more favorable light.

Most of all, we believe, the Scottsville High School should be continued because of the part it plays in the community life. A school is always the center of activity of a community and here there is no difference. From personal observation it is our opinion that Scottsville High School is one of the best small high schools in this area. The spirit with which students, teachers and parents enter into local projects seems matchless. The May Day Ceremony at the school last year was comparable with those of small colleges.

Scholastic, business and professional records of Scottsville High graduates are not available but we would be willing to bet that they compare favorably with those of other small schools.

With a united front of parents, non-parents, students and others interested we believe the people of Scottsville and this immediate area would do well to put up a fight to the finish battle before relinquishing their high school.



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Social Notes

By Mrs. Gordon Dorrier

Miss Christine Catlett of Mary Washington College visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Catlett for several days last week. Other guests in the Catlett home on Thanksgiving were Mr. Catlett's sister, Mrs. P. G. Simmons of Georgia, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Simmons of Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. William Street and Mrs. Shirley Randolph of South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mullans of Richmond were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Clements and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Williams and three children visited Mrs. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cleveland, for several days last week.

Miss Joyce Mason spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mason. Miss Mason is a student at Mary Washington College.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Grove and family were week-end visitors at the home of Mrs. Grove's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beal. Mr. and Mrs. Beal and the Groves spent Sunday in Richmond visiting Mr. and Mrs. Blake Kelso and daughter, Rebecca.

Percy Harris and his son and daughter, Percy, III and Peyton, of Camden, South Carolina spent several days with Dr. and Mrs. Percy Harris.

Mrs. Madie Hill spent Saturday and Sunday in Crozet visiting Mrs. Daniel Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pitts, Jr. of Bloomfield, N. J. who have been visiting Mrs. John Pitts and Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Phillips at "Belle Haven", returned home Sunday.

Guests spending a few days over Thanksgiving at "Pleasure Hill," the home of Mrs. Charles W. Nees, were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Tanner, new owners of "Woodland", Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Groat and daughter, Pamela, and Mrs. A. G. Koehler of Queens Village, New York.

Mrs. R. T. Carroll, who has been visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carroll, has returned to her home in Shelbyville, Tenn.

Thanksgiving day guests of Miss Beal and her father, Mr. Ed Beal at "Sunnyside" were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Chevace and Mrs. Kenneth Beal and Sammy of Charlottesville. They had as their guests on the week-end Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Talley of Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jones of Burlington, N. C. spent the week-end with Mr. Jones' sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hickey and three children of Washington were guests over the Thanksgiving holidays of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ewoldt and Miss Irma Ewoldt of "Springhill Farm." Mr. and Mrs. Ewoldt's son and his family, Com. and Mrs. Leonard Ewoldt and Jennifer, Eric, and Matthew also spent Thanksgiving at the Ewoldt's home.

Don Carroll is spending Thursday and Friday of this week in Richmond at a meeting of executives of U. S. Rubber Co. from New York and Detroit with Du Pont. Mr. Carroll is attending as the representative of the U. S. Rubber Plant in Scottsville.

Mrs. Bessie Davis, for many years a teacher at Scottsville High School, is a patient at the University of Virginia Hospital with a broken hip, which she received as a result of a fall at her home on last Friday.

Harold Burgess, a student at the University of Virginia, was an overnight guest of Mrs. John Pitts at "Belle Haven" last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Francis Woody of Alberene have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Nelda Elizabeth, to Edward Arthur Moody on Sunday afternoon, December 21, at two o'clock at the Scottsville Methodist Church. Mr. Moody is the son of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Moody of Scottsville and is now serving in the U. S. Navy and is stationed in Norfolk.

Mrs. H. L. Small of California is spending the winter with Mrs. Arthur Lloyd at Esmont.

Mrs. John Henry Phillips visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Cox, in Richmond last week-end.

Those from around Scottsville who attended the Junior Cotillion Club Dance last Friday night at Farmington Country Club were the Misses Ann Dawson, Ann Goodwin, Madeline Bailey, Maureen Philpot, Pat Carden, Elizabeth Randolph, and Gretchen Deines and the Messrs. Ralph Flynn, Buel Carden, Jr., Mark Deines, William Heath, Ralph Baber, Petey Johnson, Andy Johnson and Graham Randolph.

Among those who attended the Morton-Lange wedding in Charlottesville and the reception following at Farmington Country Club on Saturday night were Col. and Mrs. Stuart Morgan, Mr. and Mrs.

R. R. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deines, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bates, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Randolph.

Miss Susie Blair, Professor at Hollins College, and Miss Martra Bell, Librarian at Randolph-Macon Women's College, spent several days with Mrs. J. P. Blair, Miss Met Powers, Miss Lucy Powers, and Kate Smith at "The Terrace."

Miss Lawana Rutland of Farmville State Teacher's College visited her family during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Donald Combs, a student at V.P.I., spent several days with his

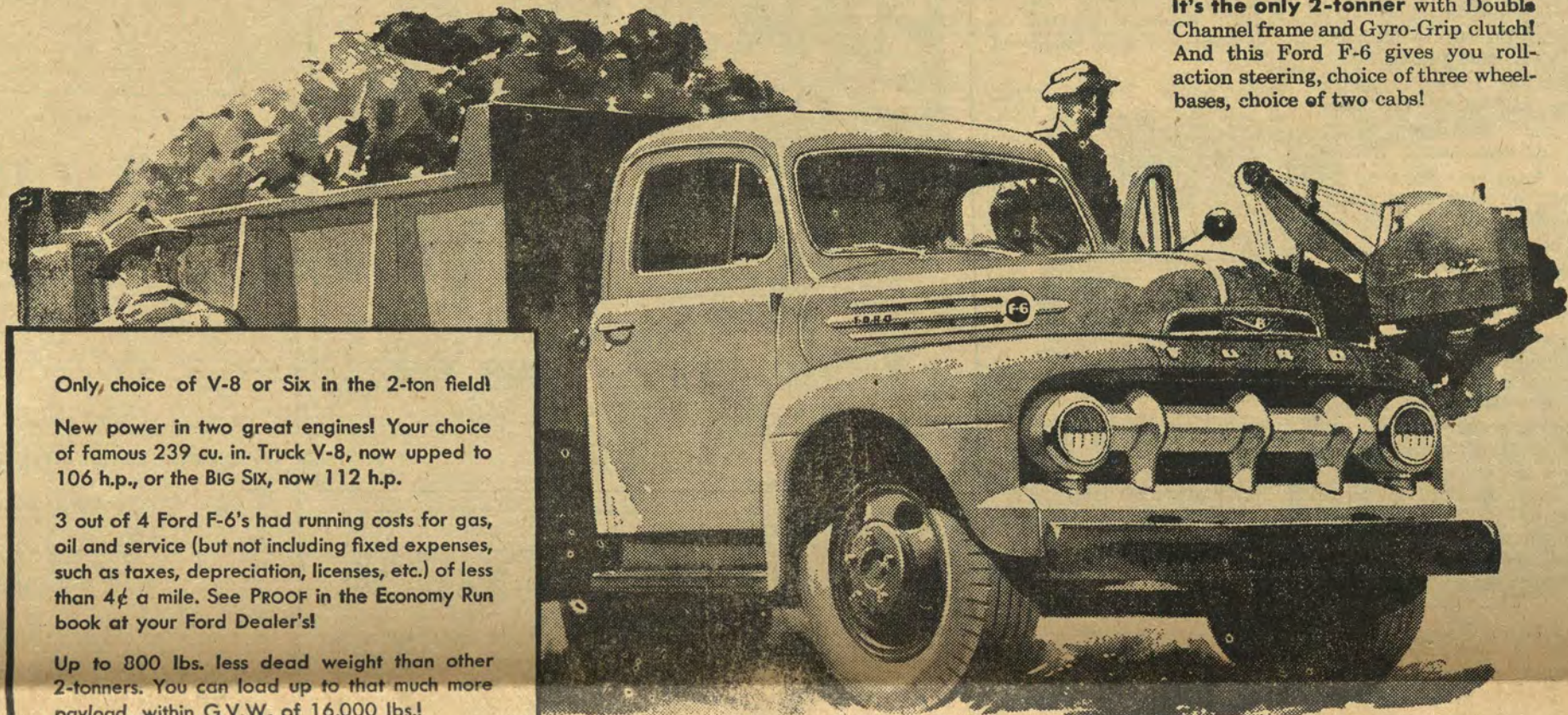
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collie Combs last week.

Miss Ann Paulett and Miss Nora Pitts have returned to Washington after visiting their parents for the Thanksgiving holidays last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Forsyth and children of "Congaree", Breemo Bluff, and Bill Bradley of Blacksburg were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bradley over the week-end.

Captain and Mrs. Elmer Johnson of Charlottesville were Thanksgiving (Continued on last page)

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County Farm Notes

By P. H. Frances

The common Virginia pine is a better Christmas tree than the more popular red cedar.

Red cedar, which is the most popular native tree in Virginia, has several disadvantages.

Cedar is very inflammable. It is one of the few trees which will burn fiercely even while still green. The needles are sharp, making the tree disagreeable to handle. The branches are slender and drooping, making them hard to trim and unsuitable for holding gift packages.

Furthermore, the red cedar is a valuable tree and easily sold for cedar chests, fence posts, and other uses.

We remind Christmas tree-fanciers that when trees are growing on land belonging to someone else, pay for them. Trees are the product of the land on which someone has been paying taxes. A farmer is entitled to payment for a Christmas tree as he is for tobacco he grows in the adjoining field.

Other Christmas tree facts—of the 30,000,000 used in this country each year, 21,500,000 are cut here. The rest come from Canada. Most cutting for this season began in October so trees could be taken from the woods before deep snows hid them and made travel impossible. The trees have been sorted and stored in yards near roads from which they will be hauled by railroads and trucks to all parts of the country. A carload of Christmas trees on a rail siding represents 80 to 100 hours of work for cutters, haulers, and sorters. More hours are added by shippers and dealers.

Since nearly 44 percent of the trees cut in this country come from small farms, many farmers get a good income from the industry. In Montana, the only state to keep accurate records on Christmas tree production, the sale of trees adds nearly a million dollars annually to the farm income.

Orchestra Plays

The Scottsville Orchestra furnished the music for the wedding reception of the Morton-Lange wedding. The reception was held at Farmington Country Club following the ceremony on Saturday night.

Members of the orchestra are: Mrs. Robert Pitts, Jack Miller, Curtis Conrad, Wiley Anderson, and John Henry Phillips.

Fork Union News

By Mrs. Ellis Harding

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ranson and children, Billy, Jonette and Jerry, motored to Roanoke this week-end to visit Mrs. Ranson's parents.

Mrs. Ranson and the children will remain for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Winn visited Mrs. Winn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Meadows in Roanoke this week-end.

Ivan Yonce of Richmond spent the Thanksgiving week-end with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wade White.

The Fork Union Bridge Club met on Wednesday evening with Mrs. Lawrence Heiskill. High score for the evening was won by Miss Jane Davis.

Those from Fork Union and vicinity attending the William and Mary—University of Virginia football game in Williamsburg on Saturday were Mrs. and Mrs. Asa Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jo Folkes, Mr. and Mrs. Wade White and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Charlton and son, Moreau, of Dumfries visited friends in Fork Union this week-end.

The Tuesday Evening Bridge Club met with Mrs. F. F. White this week. High score was won by Mrs. Wade White.

Mrs. Louise Toney and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Toney of Richmond were visitors in Fork Union during the Thanksgiving week-end.

Mrs. Bernard J. Roach of Fairfax visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Brown during Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Burgess and sons, Billy and Ernie, of Alexandria were Thanksgiving visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy White have returned after a week in Tennessee, attending the National Fox Hunters Field Trials.

E. H. Snead of Atlantic, N. J. and Bill Johnson and daughter, Jean, of Richmond were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ellet Snead.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Pippins and children, Calvin and Betty of Gafney, S. C. were Thanksgiving visitors in Fork Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellie Snead spent the past week-end in Richmond.

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Columbia News

by Miss Mary Walton

Mrs. Robert Nelson and Bobby Nelson spent Thanksgiving Day in Roanoke visiting in the home of Miss Gene Pettigo and attended the V.M.I.-V.P.I. football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glass of Hampton and Tom Tipton of Narrows visited Mrs. B. E. Glass on Thanksgiving.

Henry Marshall of Parris Island, South Carolina visited his brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall several days last week.

T. J. Proffitt, Jr. of the University of Richmond, Miss Mary Ellen Proffitt of R. P. I. and Miss Mildred Proffitt of Pamplin spent the Thanksgiving holidays here at their home.

Miss Doris Marks of Fork Union, week-end in the home of his mother and Miss Helen Kidd of Richmond.

spent the week-end here at their respective homes.

Mrs. W. F. Kayser spent Thanksgiving visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Connor and daughter of Richmond spent several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cowherd.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ankers of Falls Church spent the week-end at "Grand Oaks" the home of their daughter, Miss Mary Alice Ankers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mosby of Richmond are the parents of a baby girl, Susan Hayes, born Friday November 26 in Johnson-Willis Hospital.

Mrs. J. N. Snoddy, Mrs. J. N. Tryall and Miss Elizabeth Johnson were Richmond shoppers last Saturday.

Bumpy Pickett spent the past week-end in the home of his mother, Mrs. M. O. Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Tryall spent last Sunday in Lynchburg visiting her sister, Mrs. C. E. Reynolds. Gene Griffin of Maryland spent Thanksgiving in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Griffin.

Miss Audrey Johnson of Richmond spent the week-end here at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Mayo of Charlottesville spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bollinger.

Guests in the home of Miss Mary Alice Ankers last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Link and son Tommy, of Tayors, S. C., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilkey and son of Arlington, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ankers and family of Culpeper.

There will be a Turkey Dinner on Friday, December 12 at the Parish House in Columbia given by the Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Episcopal Church.

Young People's Social

The young people of the Scottsville Baptist Church who are members of the B.T.U. enjoyed a social at the church on last Friday night. A movie on "America the Beautiful" was shown to the group. Games were played, after which refreshments were served by some of the ladies of the church.

Bobby Spencer is the present director of the Baptist Training Union which is the former B.Y.P.U.



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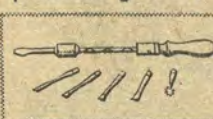
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Howardsville

By Vernard Hurt

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thacker of Warren visited Mr. and Mrs. John Hurt and Mr. and Mrs. George Nulty on Sunday evening.

L. B. Bryant, agent for the C. and O. is on vacation this week. E. B. Scott is acting as Agent during Mr. Bryant's absence.

Hugh Brown from Hopewell spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Brown.

Mrs. C. E. Clements and her grandson, and Mr. and Mrs. Otho Woody and son spent Monday in Charlottesville.

Kenneth Carroll has received orders to report for duty on December 12 with the U.S. Army. Mr. Carroll is married to the former Miss Wyonno Goolsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Birchhead and daughter of Charlottesville spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fenwick.

James Sammons of Newport News, Tamarage Sammons of Norfolk, and David Thomason and Don Sammons of Russell, Kentucky spent a few days with the Clementses.

Mrs. C. W. Morris spent Monday of last week in Scottsville.

Mrs. T. B. Omohundro visited her father in Norwood on Thursday of last week.

Miss Paula Cobbs has been sick recently.

Mrs. H. E. Cooke has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dudley in Danville.

Mrs. Cooke returned to her home here after visiting in Catersville, Hampton, and Richmond.

Dr. Margaret Nolting and Miss Courtney Irving of Richmond spent Sunday at their cabin on Mt. Alto.

Cunningham News

By Frances Taylor

Miss Helen Hardy of Scottsville was a week-end guest of Miss Jean Parrish and her family.

Visitors of Mrs. R. E. Haden and Mrs. G. W. Ingle on Sunday were Mrs. Robert Dunlop, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Burton of Charlottesville and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guiff.

Mrs. Gordon Faulkner was a shopper in Charlottesville Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Mann who has been visiting in Roanoke has returned to her home.

The Cunningham Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Herbert Greer on Friday, November 21. The demonstration for the meeting was on "The Decorating of Cakes."

Otis F. Haden is a patient at a Charlottesville Hospital. His friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

Richard Dunning bagged a large deer on the opening day of hunting season.

Mrs. Frank E. Schumaker has been confined to her home due to sickness recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Melton attended the funeral of Mr. McClockin on November 16.

Beginning with the second Sun-

VIRGINIA, IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF FLUVANNA COUNTY ON THE 19th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1952.

WILMER WINN WHITE Vs. ORDER OF PUBLICATION FLEETA DANFORTH WHITE, 747 WEST BITTERSWEET PLACE

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce from bed and board from the defendant on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment, and at the expiration of the statutory period (as provided in such cases) from date of said desertion to merge the same into a divorce from the bond of matrimony.

And it appearing from an affidavit filed according to law that Fleeta Danforth White is not a resident of this state, it is, therefore, ordered that the said Fleeta Danforth White do appear within ten (10) days after due publication of this order in the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the The Scottsville Sun, a newspaper having general circulation in the County of Fluvanna.

Richard F. George, Clerk.

day in December there will be two preaching services at the Cunningham Church. These will be held on the 2nd Sunday afternoon and on the 4th Sunday morning. The public is cordially invited.

Ramblings

It is almost gift time, which to most of us is synonymous with Christmas time. Christmas ritual, the Christmas spirit, the whole tradition of observing Christmas—these are among the few things in the world which unite races, nations, and people in all walks of life for 24 hours, at least. The celebration of Christ's nativity was observed in many different ways for centuries before America came into being. At first it was observed with religious dramas, with feasting, and later the giving of gifts grew into a more elaborate system. Throughout the ages it has been a time for gladness and goodwill.

The giving of gifts, however, seems at times to have snowballed into something not quite what it started out to be. The whole subject of giving is too many-sided to get tangled up in anything smaller than a large pamphlet. But before fraying your nerves reading magazine suggestions for "people who have everything," "For Mom," "For Dad," etc., let's stop and get personal about it. What does any magazine writer, or ad writer, for that matter, know about what to give mom or dad, or Uncle Jerry who-has-everything? A hand-made article from a small child, given with love and a pride in giving, would be more valuable to Uncle Jerry than an unusual gadget which he never craved, and which is given out of duty. How many times do you receive a present and think, "I wish I had the money it cost."

It seems to me something should be said about the spirit of receiving, as well as the spirit of giving. It would be a lovely thing if we could give to those we want very much to give to, regardless of systems of exchange. It might balance up, if we gave without considering what we have received

from a certain person in a material way. Some people are made very uncomfortable by receiving a gift that is far more elaborate than they can return. If that gift is presented out of love, rather than duty, then it would seem gracious rather than greedy, to accept it with sincere thanks and no apologies for not returning one equal in cost. Personal service, such as promissory notes for baby-sitting, cake-baking, piano lessons, mending for busy mothers, would be gifts of great value from someone who had more time than money.

A classic example of the perfect gift is the story of O. Henry's, called "The Gift of the Magi." Here a man and his wife each sacrifice the one thing they value most in order to enhance the other's possession. In one case, it was the wife's beautiful hair sold to purchase a watch chain, and in the other, the watch sacrificed to buy combs for the hair. In the end, all that remained was the perfection of the true spirit of giving. It is the spirit behind it that gladdens or saddens the heart when a gift is received. Don't let's be led astray by price tags.

One of life's baffling moments: What to do about "lay-aways" when an offspring makes up a list of Christmas wants for mother and dad to ponder, then a week or so before Christmas makes up a new list to tell to Santa Claus!

E. F. W.

Church Meeting

The Women's Business Circle of the Scottsville Baptist Church met with Mrs. Charles Stone on Thursday night, November 20. Mrs. Stone was program leader for the meeting. Mrs. Robert Pitts gave a reading, "Led by the Light of the World". The devotional was given by Mrs. Cosby Patterson. Mrs. George Omohundro was guest speaker and talked on "Work of our Missionaries in Africa." A prayer closed the program.


Following the business session Mrs. Stone served refreshments to those present.

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Palmyra News

By Mrs. Thomas B. Shiflett

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Conrad of Falls Church were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Conrad.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lloyd and four children of Chester spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hannah.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Meade Seay, Jr. and E. Meade, III, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Conrad.

Mr. and Mrs. Livingston Toomer had as their guests during the Thanksgiving holidays Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Shiflett and daughter, Ann Carter, of Norfolk.

The Fluvanna County Draft Board will be closed from December 20 through January 4.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Smith, Jr. attended the wedding of Mrs. Smith's brother, Hollis Black, in Louisiana recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell and family of Richmond spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Campbell.

Mrs. H. R. Stephenson of Rich-

mond was a guest recently of Dr. Hospital. Funeral services were held at Hines Funeral Home, Washington, D. C. on Thursday, November 20, at 2 o'clock with burial in Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

Rev. J. H. Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rosson, Jr., and son, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Dickenson on Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. R. W. Runkle
 Mrs. Ray Winn Runkle died in St. Petersburg, Fla. on Sunday, November 16, at St. Anthony's friends.

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Social Notes

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ing day guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson.

Mrs. Elizabeth Goodwin and C. R. Dorrier attended the V.M.I. - V.P.I. football game in Roanoke on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Carden had as their guests last week their daughter, Pat, and Mrs. Carden's sister, Mrs. W. E. Bivens and daughter, Ellen, and W. T. Hinshaw, Mrs. Carden's father, all of Burlington, N. C.

Wilson Harrison, who is attending the Univ. of Richmond, spent several days last week visiting his father, Leslie Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Syme and family of Petersburg spent the week-end at "Hilltop" as guest of C. R. Dorrier and Mrs. Elizabeth Goodwin.

Mrs. Ambrose Payne and twin babies, Ambrose, Jr. and Margaret Lee, are spending some time with Mrs. Payne's mother, Mrs. Nettie B. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Dalvey of Richmond spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Dalvey's mother, Mrs. John Mayo.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cohen visited Mrs. Cohen's sister, Mrs. James Hogan, in Washington on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McHenry and Miss Mattie Leigh Golladay motored to Roanoke last Thursday for the V.M.I.-V.P.I. football game.

Miss Julia Ann Martin, who is employed in Richmond, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Massie and children of Newport News spent Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Dansey.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Dorrier motored to Martinsville Thanksgiving day and attended the V.M.I.-V.P.I. game in Roanoke. Mrs. Dorrier and daughter, Sarah, remained in Martinsville for a visit with her mother, Mrs. John Shockley.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thacker had as their guests recently Mrs. Thacker's brother, Willie Via, and

daughter, Mary Paige, of Patrick Springs. Mrs. Thacker's sister, Mrs. Madge Patterson, arrived from Martinsville and will spend some time with the Thackers. Thanksgiving Day guests in the Thacker home were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kenshaw and Buddy Hudson of Hampton.

Mrs. Calvin Davis and daughter, Shirley, of Bishop spent Friday with Mrs. Vaden Butler.

Mrs. Willie Butler and family were guests of Mrs. Sidney Tapscott on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis and children of Bishop spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ragland of Burlington, N. C. spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Ragland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burns and five children of Washington spent Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mrs. Burns' mother, Mrs. E. W. Hudson.

The Meanderer

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others because it had successfully survived a fire that required replanting over most of the area, had been pitifully dealt with. The whole top, about three feet from the base, had been hacked out. It must have made a beautiful Christmas tree!

Vision 20-30 means that you see at 20 feet what you should see at 30 feet.



Cunningham News

By Frances Taylor

Glenn Walker Schumaker celebrated his birthday, with a party at his home, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Herbert Greer, Mrs. Frank Schumaker, Mrs. H. F. Browning, Mrs. J. W. Parrish and Mrs. E. E. Black attended the Palmyra Homemaker's Club meeting which was held at the home of Mrs. Fletcher Duncan on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. R. Faulkner is ill at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roby Parrish.

Otis Haden, who has been a patient in a Charlottesville hospital for some time, is expected to return to his home on Monday.

Miss Meta Taylor of Washington D. C. spent the week-end with Mrs. C. E. Taylor and family.

There was a family gathering at the home of Mrs. Jim Parrish on Sunday. The occasion was in celebration of the return from Overseas duty, of Claude Giannini, grandson of Mrs. Parrish.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Black and Capt. and Mrs. George P. Smith motored to Richmond Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Southworth.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Glenn had as guests Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heizer, and son, R. G., Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ellinger and daughters, Elizabeth Ann and Doris Jean, and son, Richard of Middlebrook, Mr. and Mrs. Ellwood Myershoffer, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Galloway and two sons, Thomas and James, all of Staunton. Mr. and Mrs. Charles King and son, Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Schumaker and children, Glenn, Patsy and Nancy, and Miss Nancy Dunkum.

Charles O. Taylor was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dunning on Thanksgiving Day.

Mason (Dick) Brown bagged a nice white deer one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilts and children motored to Bedford Sunday and visited Mr. Wilts' mother.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Greer and the Misses Judy Greer and Brenda Parrish attended the Butler-Black wedding on Thanksgiving Day.

A Fire Troop has been organized at Cunningham, with William Forstbauer as Chief. Other members are Frank Shumaker, Roby Parrish, Wendell Parrish and Barry Nelson Parrish.

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Howardsville

By Vernard Hurt

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Morgan and children of Newport News spent the week-end with Miss Annie L. Goolsby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Walker spent a few days in Florida.

J. T. Irving and Vernard Hurt were shoppers in Scottsville on Friday evening.

Calvin Ripley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ripley, received his orders to report to the U. S. Army on December 8.

Miss Courtney Irving of Richmond spent the week-end with her brother, J. T. Irving.

Mrs. Ed Brickhead and daughter of Charlottesville spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fenwick.

Mrs. C. W. Morris spent Monday in Scottsville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Moyer and children and Mrs. Cora Taylor moved to Schuyler on Saturday to make their future home. Mr. Moyer is employed there.

Clarence Wilkerson of Alexandria spent Thanksgiving and several days at his home here.

Pvt. Charlie Clements of Fort Eustis spent the week-end at his home.

Miss Phyllis Morris of Schuyler visited the Clements several days.

Pvt. John W. Kitchen of Fort Story and Miss Mary Clements of Richmond were visitors in the home of the Clements on Sunday.

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