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Church Notes

The Methodist Church
Scottsville Charge
Jack B. Taylor, Pastor
Next Sunday is the first Sunday in Lent. During this period a record of Church Attendance will be kept. The names of all those present five of the six Sundays will be placed in the Easter Bulletin. You are cordially invited to worship with us.

SCOTTSVILLE
Church School 10:00 A. M. George T. Omohundro, Jr. General Supt.
Morning Worship 11:15 o'clock
Message by Pastor
Youth Fellowship 7:00 P. M.

MT. ZION
Morning Worship 10:00 o'clock
Message by Pastor
Church School 11:00 Dudley Patterson, General Supt.

HOWARDSVILLE
Church School 2:00 P. M.
Afternoon Worship 3:00 P. M.
Message by Pastor

BAPTIST
Morning Worship 11:15 o'clock
Message by Rev. John Elliott, Jr.
Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.

ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL PARISH
Sunday, March 2, 1952
St. John's Church, Scottsville
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School
Christ Church, Glendower
11:30 A. M.—Holy Communion
St. Stephen's Church, Esmont
10:00 A. M.—Holy Communion
11:00 A. M.—Sunday School
St. Anne's Church, Alberene
8:00 P. M.—Holy Communion

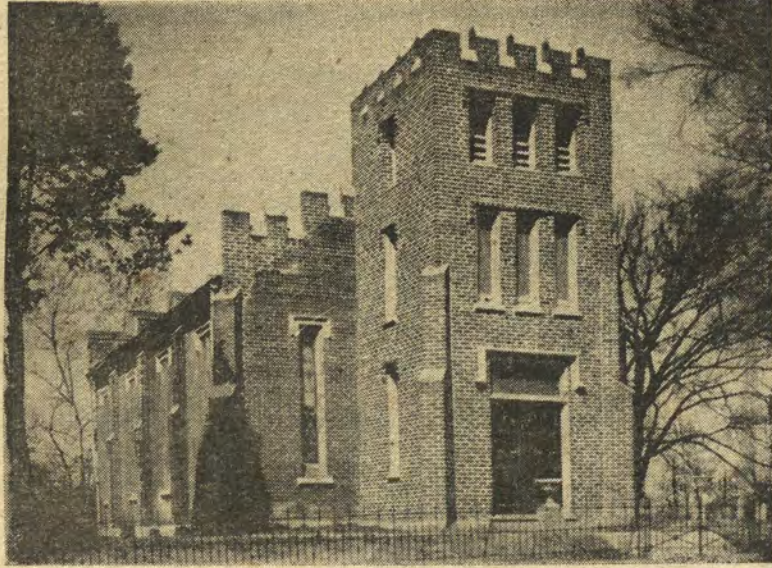
LENTEN SERVICE—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH
There will be a special Lenten service every Tuesday evening in Lent at eight o'clock at St. John's Church, Scottsville. The first of these services will be held this coming Tuesday, March 4, 1952.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY — ST. JOHN'S CHURCH
There will be a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Church, Scottsville, immediately following the Lenten service on Tuesday, March 4, at the home of Mrs. John Roberts.

FOX MEMORIAL CHURCH IN FLUVANNA
MESSAGE by the Rev. Temple Collins
Subject "What the Bible says on Alcohol."
On the 2nd and 4th Sunday mornings there will be services at 11 A. M.
On the 1st and 3rd Sundays there will be services at 7:30 P. M.

Proffitts Store

BY MRS. EUGENE SEAY
Dan and Harvey McNickle of Farram, Neb. were visitors in the Maynard Wood, Eugene Seay, and Walter Kidd homes this week. Dan McNickle is a brother-in-law of the late Judge E. N. Wood.
Mrs. Russell Jennings, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wood, of Tennessee, and her granddaughter Mrs. Pat Gaskins, of Mississippi for the past week, has returned to her home with Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Wood.
Jean Crenshaw entertained her young friends at a birthday party, Monday evening.
Maynard Wood, Dan and Harvey McNickle were visitors in Richmond Wednesday.
Cumberland were visitors in the Eugene Seay Jr. and family of Eugene L. Seay home Monday evening.



St. John's Episcopal Church

St John's Episcopal Church Built In 1850; Has Interesting History

By Elizabeth Wimer

While Episcopal churches existed in what is now Fluvanna county before and during the American Revolution, they were lost when all Episcopal churches in the Goochland area were confiscated and the land sold by the legislature in 1790.

Previous to the formation of a new parish in Fluvanna county on May 3, 1847, Episcopalians in the vicinity of Columbia and Palmyra belonged to the parish of St. James, Goochland and Fluvanna, of which the Rev. I. P. B. Wilmer was rector, and they worshipped one Sunday each month at Fork Union church.

In May, 1847, members of the Episcopal church in and around the village of Columbia met to organize a new parish, which was called Rivanna Parish, in the county of Fluvanna. This parish now includes two churches—St. John's Church at Columbia, built in 1850, and Grace Memorial Church at Brems Bluff, started about 25 years later as a mission church.

At the meeting in 1847 a vestry was chosen and boundaries of the parish decided upon. The Rev. Mr. Wilmer continued as rector of the new organization. Those on the original vestry included William Galt, James Galt, Joseph Hudson, Samuel Stillman, Dr. William B. Towles, Edward Brown and Robert W. Ashlin.

The Rev. Joseph Wilmer has been credited with the founding of this parish, according to one record. When he succeeded Rev. I. P. B. Wilmer is not known, but both had resigned before St. John's Church was completed.

The new church was consecrated on Sunday, July 30, 1850, by the Rt. Rev. John Johns, D.D. The next day the Rev. Lewis P. Clover was called and accepted the call, serving as rector for about two years.

In 1857 the Rectory near Dixie was completed at a cost of \$3,000, a munificent sum in those days, and evidence of pre-war prosperity. This was during the charge of Rev. R. R. Mason, who served as rector for nine years.

St. John's Church stands on a high hill overlooking the town of Columbia, and the original structure was the same with the exception of the tower, which was added in 1912, when the interior was also remodeled with new paneling, ceiling and stained glass windows. This was done under the rectorship of Rev. Martin Johnson. An iron fence and gate have replaced the old white picket one shown in an early picture of the church.

During the rectorship of Rev. George Vest, between 1917 and 1921 a new floor, new pews and

choir rooms were added to the church.

A new parish house, built in 1950 and now being completed, stands a short distance from the church.

It is with pride that members of this century-old church remember the young men who worshipped in it and went into the ministry to continue the religious study which they started here. Among them were the Rev. Telfair Hodgson, Rev. Benjamin Ancell, Rev. Charles Durkee, Rev. George E. De Witt Zachary, Rev. Quarles Wood and Rev. Dorsey C. Smith, the latter going out from Grace church at Brems Bluff.

At the present time there is no rector of Rivanna Parish, but a call has been extended and it is hoped that there will be one in the near future. The vestry includes the following members: E. W. Beattie, W. M. Quick, J. Payne, P. N. Stoneman, R. B. Holberton, Arthur Richeson and B. T. Cowherd, who serves as church treasurer.

Mrs. P. N. Stoneman serves as church organist, and Mr. Stoneman as Sunday School superintendent.

Officers of the Woman's Auxiliary, which helps with church projects and missionary work, are Mrs. I. S. Wood, president, Mrs. Stoneman, secretary, and Mrs. W. M. Quick, treasurer.

Sunday School is held every Sunday and services are held twice a month with a supply minister.

The work of the many loyal members whose names have been recorded during the past century in the graveyard beside the church and on the memorial windows is still being carried on. There is a permanence about this brick church that is inspiring to all who come within its influence.

Scottsville Quartet Sings At Meeting Of P. T. A.

BL. MARJORIE SMITH

The Scottsville quartet Tom Gillis, W. A. McDearmon, W. J. Smith and John Henry Phillips, entertained at the last meeting of the Cunningham District P.T.A. following the business session.

Miss Annie Nicholas, health chairman gave a very encouraging report on defects in the children that had been corrected. The dental clinic is well under way with plans for 100% defects to be corrected by April 1.

Following showing of a film on health, refreshments were served by the hospitality committee.

Old Faithful, Yellowstone National Park's famous geyser, erupts once every hour.

Five Fluvanna Men Attend Bureau Meeting

The Farm Bureau Organization held its statewide membership meeting in Richmond, Virginia on February 19. Representing Fluvanna County and attending from this area were Harry Shepherd, County Chairman, Ernest W. Morris, Ellis P. Snead, W. T. Snead and Howard Black.

Publicity ideas were presented in the afternoon conference by Mrs. John Putney of Cumberland and John R. Batts of Dinwiddie. Prospective listings, Renewal of Present Membership and Securing Membership Workers, were some of the topics discussed. Membership maintenance was stressed by O. R. Long, our Southern Field Representative. After a short intermission the Federation mem-

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Plans Completed For Bloodmobile Visit

Plans were completed last Friday night for the second visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile to Fluvanna County on Wednesday, March 19. It will be stationed at the Fluvanna County High School in Carysbrook all day.

Mrs. J. P. Snead, chairman of the Fluvanna Chapter of the American Red Cross, held a meeting of the blood program chairmen at her home in Fork Union, with Miss Margaret Margrave, assistant administrator of the Roanoke Regional Blood Center, present to help make final plans.

Assisting in the blood program, all of whom were present at the meeting, are Mrs. H. M. Burford, blood program chairman; Miss Wallace Heard, donor recruitment chairman; Mrs. F. A. Crockett, registration; Mrs. S. E. Wagner, hostess; Mrs. J. H. Yeatman, chairman of volunteer nurses; Mrs. E. C. Browning, canteen chairman; Mrs. W. M. Quick, publicity and several others.

Mrs. Bransford pointed out that shortly after the last visit of the Bloodmobile to Fluvanna some of the blood donated was used in the county for a transfusion. There were 124 pints of blood donated at that time. The chapter hopes to have 150 donors on March 19. The blood given will be for the Armed Forces and civilian use.

Troy Home Club Meets

By Mrs. Carl B. Omohundro
Mrs. A. L. Green and Mrs. Edward Jones were co-hostesses, in the former's home, to the Troy Home Demonstration Club on Monday, February 18.

Mrs. Augusta Watkins gave a short talk on Citizenship. Miss Lottie Smith discussed our club project, "Gardening," with lots of helpful advice to the gardener.

Mrs. Don Florence and Mrs. Carl Omohundro, with the help of our Home Demonstrator Miss Katherine Omohundro.



RED HILL 4-HER'S STUDY ELECTRIFICATION — Top photo shows Jack Bowers, area representative of the Appalachian Electric Power Co as he instructed members of the Red Hill School 4-H Club last week. Bottom photo shows those who attended the meeting.

Red Hill 4-H Club Members Study Electrification

All day school for the 4-H Electric Group was held for the boys and girls of the Red Hill High School Senior 4-H Club on February 21. The school was arranged and under the direct supervision of Miss Virginia Roller, assistant Home Demonstration agent and

Marvin Bates, Assistant County Agent of Albemarle County.

Harry L. Candler, agriculture engineer and Jack Bower, area representative of the Appalachian Electric Power Company conducted the classes.

The school consisted of classes

in home lighting, elementary wiring and making of extension cords.

The same school was repeated the following day for the 4-H Electric Groups in the Scottsville High School.



Fluvanna County Farm News

By P. H. France
 Mark this date on your calendar — March 4, 1952. If you are interested in increasing your livestock and dairy herds, increasing your net farm income, and at the same time conserving your soil and cutting down on your labor cost, then come to a county-wide meeting being held at the Courthouse at Palmyra on Tuesday night, March 4th, at 7:30 P.M.

I have arranged to have G. R. Mathews, Associate Extension Agronomist from V.P.I., discuss the pasture program with us. D. S. Moore, Fieldman for the PMA, will discuss the special sum of money being set aside by the PMA for development of new pastures in line with the recommendations made by Mr. Mathews.

I am happy to report that we have vaccinated approximately 500 calves for Bangs and we will try to finish the others who have requested the work probably within the next two weeks.

If you know of anyone who was a heifer between the age of 4 and 8 months and wants it vaccinated, and have not sent me a card, let me hear from you on or before March 5th, and I will make every effort possible to include them in this round of testing.

I wish to report that the T.B. testing program under the supervision of Dr. Rainey is progressing very nicely.

I wish to urge those of you who have beef cattle to build a place to hold the cattle at your earliest convenience as this will lessen the hazard of injuring the cattle and also speed up the work in the county. We have plans for building chutes and will be glad to send you one upon request.

In order for your county to stay on the T.B. accredited list, it will be necessary to have all breeding animals tested. With the fine cooperation we are receiving, I trust that we may have a large part of the work done before the cattle are put on pasture. If those of you who have large herds will let me know as soon as you are ready, it will help us to get to your place sooner.

Do you know how much \$5,000-700 is? This is the amount Virginia farmers could earn extra in 1952 if they planted two new hybrid seed corns proven by the Virginia Agricultural Experimental Station and now recommended by the Agricultural Extension Division.

V.P.I. No. 802 is the one recommended for this area of the state. It yielded last year about 10%

above the other recommended varieties. Think what it would mean if we could increase our corn crop approximately 5 bushels per acre by planting this variety other than the ones we have been planting. I would suggest that you at least plant part of your crop with VPI No. 802 this year. The supply of seed is limited. If I can assist you further let me know.

How about trying for the 100 Bushel Corn Club this year? Watch for the next issue for more detailed information on the Fluvanna County 100 Bushel Corn Club.

F. U. M. A. News

By Mrs. J. W. Pendergrass
 Mrs. Ralph Mahan and daughter, Brenda, left Saturday for a two week visit with Mrs. Mahan's parents in Henderson, Maryland. While there they will attend the wedding of Mrs. Mahan's brother. Little Charlie Wayne Suttentfield is confined to his home with measles.

Mrs. S. Y. Kennedy recently returned from a visit with her daughter in Chicago, Ill.

Captain and Mrs. T. W. Pendergrass and son, Jeffrey, and Capt. and Mrs. S. L. Kent motored to Richmond Sunday.

F.U.M.A. basketball team closed its home game schedule Wednesday night with a 52-48 victory over Staunton Military Academy in a thrilling game with five-minute overtime.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Lillian Joyce entertained with a drop-in, honor of her uncle, Dr. J. J. Wicker who was celebrating his birthday.

Mrs. J. R. Price recently returned to her home in Union, South Carolina, after a two week visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Captain and Mrs. James R. Price of Fork Union.

Mrs. S. L. Kent entertained her bridge club on Wednesday night. Congratulations to Mrs. F. A. Crockett and her winning jingle on the T.V. contest.

Household Hints

By Betty J. Minnick, Home Economist Appalachian Electric Power Company



Cooking for two has been a problem to many. How much food to buy, new menus and cooking time savers are of an interest to this type of person, so first let us look at some foods and the amount to buy.

- Beef—Liver, ¾ pound; Roast beef, rolled, 1 rib; Chuck, 1 pound Round, 1 pound; Sirloin Steak, 1½ pounds; ground, ¾ pounds.
 - Lamb — Chops, 2; Shanks, 2.
 - Pork — Bacon, ½ to 1 pound, chops, 2; Ham slice, 1 pound.
 - Veal — Cutlets, 1½ pounds; kidneys, 2; chops, 2; Shoulder 1, to 1½ pounds.
 - Poultry — Broiler or fryer, 1; Chicken breasts, 2; Livers, ¾ pound.
 - Fish — 1 to 1½ pounds.
 - Vegetables, fresh; Asparagus — 1 pound; Beans — String — 1 pound; Cabbage — 1 small head; Cauliflower — 1 small head; Lettuce — 1 small head; Onions — 3 pounds; Potatoes — 5 pounds; Sweet Potatoes — 2 pounds; Turnips, yellow — 1 small; Beans, Lima — 1 pound; Broccoli — 1½ pounds; Carrots — 1 bunch; Celery — 1 bunch; Mushrooms; — ½ pound; Peas — 1 pound; Spinach — 1 pound and Tomatoes — 1 pound.
 - Fruit; Apples — 2 pounds; Grapefruit — 2; Bananas — 1½ pounds and Oranges — 12.
- Time savers are a must in cooking for two. Try:

Puddings made in quantities for four. The second time you serve it, add chopped nuts and whipped cream or serve it with a sauce.

Chopped Liver may be prepared for two meals by serving it the second time in a casserole with noodles.

Bake your apples in fours. Two can be served for the evening's dessert and the remainder will be good breakfast fruit.

Cook enough cereal for two meals. Cover left-over cereal with a small amount of cold water and place in the refrigerator. Stir and reheat for second meal. The flavor is nice as the original flavor.

Then too, a kitchen is never complete without an emergency shelf. A hostess can be poised at all times. Package directions give good results on the following items:

- Ready-to-mix piecrust, pancake flours, cake mixes and canned dates and nut bread.
- Canned spaghetti, macaroni, baked beans, canned meats, such as corned beef and spiced ham.
- Canned fish, such as salmon, tuna, crab meat, shrimp.
- Chicken 'a la king
- Chop suey vegetables
- Canned nuts
- Corned beef hash

Maraschino cherries
 Condensed milk
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 Pickles, olives

Three states in the Union have four-letter names—Ohio, Iowa and Utah.

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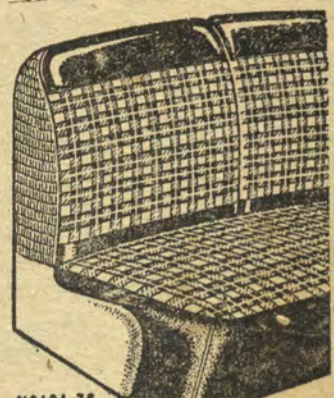
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Personals

BY ANNIE MELTON
Mrs. Frank Snumaker, Mrs. Martin Turner, Miss Catherine Johnson and mother, Mrs. C. B. Johnson, spent Saturday in Richmond.

Rudy Taggart was home for the week-end. He's in training in New Jersey with the US Army.

Mrs. Leslie Clements, of Scottsville is spending this week in Richmond with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mullan.

Edward Moody, of the US Navy spent the week-end with his parents Dr. and Mrs. Moody, of here.

Chester Onks, of the US Army was home for the week-end. He visited his parents at Howardsville.

John White, of the U. S. Navy spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John White, of here.

Mrs. Willie Harrison, of here has returned from the hospital in Charlottesville and is now staying with her daughter Mrs. Worth Leap also of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Melton, of Scottsville left early Thursday morning motoring to Providence Forge. Late that afternoon they motored from Providence Forge to Richmond where they spent the night with relatives. Early Friday morning they visited one of their friends in the Jefferson Hotel in Richmond. After leaving the hotel they motored to Williamsburg, while there they visited some of the historical places. They both reported a successful trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Pace and small son of Schuyler, visited in the home of Mrs. L. E. Clements Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Bill Moore of Warren was visitor in Scottsville on Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Moore, of Newport News spent Thursday and Friday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Moore, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pippin and daughter Faye, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Dorrier in Charlottesville, Sunday. Mrs. Dorrier is improving from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Hall and son Gregory, of Alexandria, and Faye Pippin, of Richmond spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pippin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deeds are now living with her parents awaiting the completion of their new home in Fluvanna.

George Washington Tea

By Mrs. Joseph Snead
The Point-of-Fork Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution held a George Washington Tea on Friday afternoon at "Bride's Hill", the home of Mrs. C. E. Kie, in Fork Union. Mrs. Robert E. Walters, soprano, sang several selections accompanied by Ralph Stoughton at the piano.

The boys quartette of the Fluvanna County High School, composed of Bobby Jones, Jackie Davis, Phil Seay and Kenneth Webb, and the girls sextette composed of Jean Thomas, Peggy Phillips, Jane Proffitt, Betty Lee Jones, Nancy Snoddy and Gayle Edgerton sang several patriotic selections directed by G. R. Edgerton, director of music in the Fluvanna County Schools.

Columbia News

Mrs. H. S. Mosby

The holiday on Friday brought many of our young people home for the long week-end. Miss Audrey Johnson was home from Longwood College with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Tryall.

Tommie Proffitt Jr., student at the University of Richmond spent the week-end with his parents and brought with him a classmate.

Eugene and William Griffin of Fort Belvoir visited their family Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Griffin.

J. N. Snoddy Jr. of R.P.I. spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Snoddy.

Miss Helen Kidd, Miss Mary Louise and Lewis Marks of Richmond were also home for the holiday.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society was held on Wednesday with thirteen members present.

The Cooper home was completely destroyed by fire on Sunday afternoon. The family escaped without injury but only a few things were saved from the kitchen and dining room.

Mrs. Otis Shepherd is sick with the flu.

The Sunbeams of Memorial Church held their regular meeting on Wednesday with Mrs. Crowder and Mrs. Berry as leaders.

Mrs. Winston Connor, of Richmond and daughter Dabney spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Cowherd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kent were visitors to Charlottesville on Friday. Visitors to Richmond this week were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Quick and Mrs. Dabney Cosby.

Master "Wimpy" Palmore celebrated his fourth birthday with a party for all his little friends last week.

Mrs. W. F. Kaper, who is teaching in Chester, spent the week-end with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Williams, Jr.

Fluvanna Ruritan News

The Fluvanna Ruritan Club held its February meeting this week at the Cafeteria Hall of the Fluvanna County High School, with the

usual fine banquet and a large attendance. In its business meeting the club endorsed the importance of having narrow bridges on some highways in the county made wider by the highway department in Virginia. A moving picture was put on in the interest of reforestation in Virginia and keeping our state green. The guest speaker was R. L. Small, of Elkton, Virginia.

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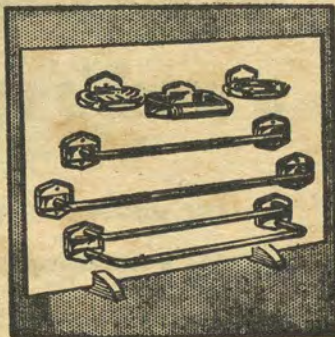
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WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY THOUGHT !

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Taft Working Hard

It is clear that there has been a marked drop in the momentum behind the Eisenhower campaign, to the grave concern of those who are directing his political affairs, and that Taft's chances have prospered accordingly. Some time ago the standard polls indicated that, among Republican voters, the General had a very substantial edge over the Senator in popular following. The most recent samplings of GOP opinion indicate that Eisenhower has stood still, and that Taft has caught up with him and is marching ahead.

There are two primary reasons for this, one negative, one positive. On the negative side is the fact that General Eisenhower has contributed nothing to his campaign aside from his statement that he is available if wanted. He is far away, immersed in his duties as commander of the Western European Army, and he has not offered an opinion on any of the specific issues which will dominate the campaign. On the positive side, is the kind of campaign which Senator Taft has undertaken.

Taft is adapting the techniques which were so successful in his Ohio battles to the national stage. Naturally, he cannot make every whistle-stop and cross-roads, as he did within his own state. But he is getting around, he is letting himself be seen, he is meeting people, and he is making a multitude of formal and informal talks. A great many people disagree with the Taft policies on this problem or that, but no one can say he is not making those policies plain. He is unequivocal and direct. He apparently has endless physical and mental energy — something which is all-important in an active candidate, in the light of the grueling, 18-hour-a-day grind involved.

He is striking hardest at the Truman Administration where he, and multitudes of others believe is most vulnerable — on the issues of taxation, governmental corruption and foreign policy. He summed up his basic stand in a single paragraph in a Portland, Oregon speech, when he said, "There is only one way in which we can win. That is by an all-out attack on the immorality of this administration, and on the unlimited spending and taxing and bureaucratic regulation of the fair deal and on the disastrous foreign policy which has led to Russian power and unnecessary war." He also said, "Under this administration there never will be a reduction in either expenses or taxes, because it believes in spending for spending's sake, spending for political advantage, spending for increased power." His view on foreign policy was summed up in his recent book, when he said, "Fundamentally the ultimate purpose of our foreign policy must be to protect the liberty of the people of the U. S."

Mr. Taft has been particularly outspoken on the Korean war. In his estimation, the proper strategy was to blockade China, to attack bases via the air, and to back the Nationalist Chinese on Formosa in an invasion of Red China. Regardless of differing views on what our Korean policy should have been in the present and future, it is obvious that this war, with its stalemate, its heavy casualties, and the seeming impossibility of

achieving victory, has angered and disheartened millions of Americans. When Taft hits here, the political experts think, he is hitting home to the people.

It still remains to be seen what General Eisenhower will do. In the meantime, some of his warmest supporters are convinced that he must return to this country and make his position clear well before nominating time, if he is to have a chance.

The Grange Looks At The Railroads

Herschel D. Newsom, Master of the National Grange, recently wrote an extremely important letter to a conference made up of railroad presidents. Mr. Newsom expressed himself as being greatly concerned with the financial difficulties of the railroads, and with our outmoded transportation policy. He pointed out that when the Grange proposed regulation of the railroads in 1876, they had a virtual monopoly of transportation, and that conditions have changed enormously since then. He added:

"Recent events have made it all too evident that railroad bankruptcy means eventual government ownership or government subsidy—neither solution is tolerable. It seems clearly apparent that our total transportation policy must be modernized . . . We are, therefore, suggesting that this be a subject of study in Grange meetings throughout America."

Commenting on this, The New York Times said, "Among the local agrarian parties of the Seventies the general slogan was: 'The state must either absorb the railroads or the railroads will absorb the state.' That is a far cry from the present view of the Grange, quoted by Mr. Newsom . . . Yet it is not too much to say that the contrast mirrors with rather complete fidelity the historical change that has taken place in the economic status of our railroads between 1871 and 1952." In that time we have regulated the railroads to the point of strangulation, have often denied them rates adequate to meet their bills and return a fair profit on their huge investment — and we have concurrently, subsidized and encouraged their competitors. Our whole transportation policy is unfair and obsolete—and, it menaces the welfare of the country which depends so much on adequate, expanding transport by rail.

Country Lawyer

By Walter Johnson.
Another powerful bureaucrat has resigned. He is Wayne Coy, Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission. He resigned because he said he could no longer in justice to his family continue to work for \$15,000.00 per year.

He did not mention the fact that his earning power had been greatly enhanced by the knowledge and influence gained in his present job. His predecessor in office, Charles R. Denny, moved from chairmanship of the FCC over into the job as Executive Vice President of National Broadcasting Company.

Mr. Coy became FCC Chairman on December 27, 1947. This commission has seven members each serving a seven-year term. Each takes his job through nomination by the President and confirmation by the Senate. The President alone names the chairman.

The commission is bi-partisan in the sense that not more than four members can be of one political party. The bi-partisanship aspect intended for the commission is pretty well nullified through placing "me too" Republicans on the commission. Because of the availability of the "me too" Republicans the commission has been weak for years. There has been no one to say: 'Let us also consider the other side of this problem.'

Power of the FCC is tremendous. All radio operates under FCC license. The standard under which the license is granted is a finding that such grant will 'serve public interest, convenience and necessity.' This can and does mean whatever the FCC chooses. As the license is issued only for a stated period the broadcaster must and does rig his sails to keep his station in good graces with the FCC.

That commission cannot deny any new or renewal application without hearing, but the trouble and cost of a hearing is so vast that all naturally seek to avoid them. The commission has power to revoke a license as well as power to deny renewal of license.

During chairmanship of Mr. Coy the FCC has been involved in some quite serious assaults upon the

freedom of the people. In one instance Mr. Coy stated that free speech was all right but must be tempered with responsibility. This carried the implication that the

FCC would assume to determine the responsibility. This would encourage all to speak only such words as might be considered satisfactory to the FCC. With that there could be no freedom of speech and the people would be denied their right to hear anything they might want to.

In another extremely violent direct assault upon freedom the FCC decided that slanting of news was wrong and it proceeded to determine what constituted news-slanting. Obviously all news is slanted because in it is reflected the slant of he or she who sees it and reports it.

Be that as it may the commission

leveled an attack upon George Richards who controlled the three broadcast stations. Through months of ridiculous hearings the FCC pursued this attack. It ended only when Mr. Richards died. This was and is terrorism. It constituted notice to all broadcast licensees that to avoid trouble they better avoid slanting of news and this means, of course, that news must not be slanted in a manner displeasing to those bureaucrats.

In leaving government Mr. Coy will be able to take in more dollars and improve his economic condition. There is a remote chance that the vacancy he leaves

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 - 1948 Chevrolet 2 Dr., Fleetline
 - 1943 Chevrolet 4 Dr., Stylemaster—Heater
 - 1948 Chevrolet 4 Dr., Fleetmaster — Radio & Heater
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News Of Palmyra

By Mrs. C. C. Conrad, Sr.
Mrs. C. S. Duncan motored to Richmond Thursday of last week and brought her little granddaughter, Judy back with her. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Duncan, Jr. came up for the week-end with the home folks.

Mrs. Chester Jennings has returned home from Martha Jefferson Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Harland and Mrs. Henry Davis left Sunday for Melbourne, Fla., where they will spend two weeks with Mr. Harland's aunt, Mrs. W. R. Abbott.

Fluvanna and Madison High Schools met in a boys and girls basketball game Tuesday February 19. The scores were: Fluvanna High School girls 35—Madison 46 Fluvanna County High School boys 50, Madison 48.

Dinner guests Monday in the home of Mrs. Pearl Conrad and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. S. Conrad were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Conrad, of Charlottesville and Mrs. Alayne C. Williams, Palmyra.

Word was received here Wednesday morning of the death of Mrs. Craddock. Mrs. Craddock was the widow of the late Rev. Craddock who was the Baptist Minister of Bybee's Road's Church and Beaverdam Church for some years. She was the mother of Miss Helen Craddock who taught school in Fluvanna for some time. Mrs. Craddock passed away in the Baptist Hospital in Lynchburg. The many friends of the family extend sincere sympathy.

Attorney and Mrs. Ralph Zehler were in Charlottesville Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Evelyn Perkins underwent a major operation at the Martha Jefferson Hospital Thursday night. Miss Elva Tate and Conway Hasher of King George Court House spent the holiday weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.

M. Hasher.
Sunday was Layman's Day on the Fluvanna Charge. The following Laymen spoke at these Churches: B. B. Kent, of Batesville, Palmyra, Cunningham, and Kents Store, Chester Jennings — Shores; George E. Glenn — Zion; Howard Black — Wesley Chapel R. I. Harris — Salem.

Mesdames Pearl Conrad, P. H. France, Henry McGhee and C. E. Ruff, visited Mrs. Chester Jennings Friday afternoon. Mrs. Jennings is recovering satisfactorily from a recent operation.

Mrs. H. C. Carter celebrated her 87 birthday Sunday. Many friends and relatives were in during the day to wish her the best of everything.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Conrad, Jr. and little daughter, Mary Curtis, of Scottsville, Charlie Harland, of Richmond and John Pierce, of Sandston visited in the C. C. Conrad home Thursday.

Basketball again! Fluvanna boys' and girls' teams met Arvonnia in the Fluvanna County High School gym. Friday February 22 at 8 P.M.

Lt. White Recalled To Active Duty

ARMY CHEMICAL CENTER, MARYLAND, FEBRUARY 21.—2nd Lt. James E. White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elcon O. White, of Scottsville, Virginia, has been called back to active duty and is now stationed at Army Chemical Center, Md.

Lieutenant White has 55 months of overseas service to his credit of which time he spent in Germany. He was recalled to active duty October 8, 1950.

The Lt. is a graduate of Virginia Military Institute, at Lexington, Virginia.

Ramblings

It was a refreshing experience the other day to see an exhibit of oil paintings by the late Georgia Morgan of Lynchburg. There were several reasons why it was refreshing, or perhaps the word is interesting. One was that the pictures on display seemed to be the kind that needed hanging in a home. Like puppies in a pet shop window (needing a home, not hanging.) Another was that they were for sale, and were within the reach of an average housewife's pocketbook. Another was that the subject material was pleasing to the eye rather than the brain. Now if this sounds as though she was an artist of second-rate calibre, just because her paintings did not have to be "understood," it is not meant that way. Miss Morgan is a recognized Virginia artist, and her work has been hung in many shows and in museums. More praise be to her that she took delight in painting the everyday scenes about her in, a wealth of blended colors that appeal not only from a technical standpoint, but appeal to the emotions and to the average intellect. There are the brown barns, the red mud roads, the rolling fields, a white country church, the soft blue mountains, the pink and gold chrysanthemums that bloom in our yards, a tree in springtime green beside a translucent lake with a rowboat waiting for a passenger. There is the corner of 12th and Main, and the dark blue mystery of Church Street in the moonlight, which could be any street—everyone has seen the same scenes, and likes to see them again. To have left seeing them appreciated the technique, the effect, the use of line and color. But what made the exhibition different was that it was in a department store, which took away the self-conscious and "arty" atmosphere of a draped gallery.

There was a personal note in the way the women looked at the pictures. As though they were thinking, how will it look against the living room wall? Will the peach blossoms match the slipcover on the wing chair? One lady was measuring because she had a frame she wanted to put around an oil painting. Some pictures appealed strongly because the scenes were recognizable. All of them reflected the spirit of the artist, who evidently saw the world as a beautiful place, full of life and color. The beauty is reflected in her work as no photograph could. Several hundred pictures such as these for the public to obtain and continue to enjoy and show to others is to have made a real contribution to the world. They are poetry in paint.

Unlike an art show in a gallery, the spectators did not walk with awe before the paintings, examining them in a detached and analytical manner, catalog in hand, ever show it.

It is a pity there is not more time given in our public schools to

the appreciation of art and to stimulating the desire to create it. E.F.W.

Garden Club Meets

Mrs. Annabelle Grimes, of the Waynesboro Nursery, was guest speaker at the meeting of the Fluvanna garden club on Thursday afternoon at the Fluvanna County high school.

Mrs. Grimes, who was introduced by Mrs. J. P. Snead, program chairman, spoke on flowering shrubs and trees. She showed colored slides of various varieties

showing the coloring in bloom and with autumn foliage and berries. Mrs. W. J. Smith, president, and Mrs. W. M. Quick attended the Flower Show Judging School held in Richmond last week.

Mrs. N. J. Perkins was elected recording secretary at the annual business meeting held recently and two new members, Mrs. Ralph Stoughton and Miss Lottie Smith, were voted into the club.

The hostesses, Mrs. W. J. Smith and Mrs. H. M. Bransford, served refreshments in the high school cafeteria.

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In days when problems of defense are foremost in the minds of everyone, it is wise to ponder on the limitations of bomb shelters, radar, and weapons. They can protect only the body—when there is still the spirit to keep safe.

Prayer is essential to the well-being of every human person, and now is the time to begin. Go to church and learn with millions of others how prayer can give new meaning and strength to your life.

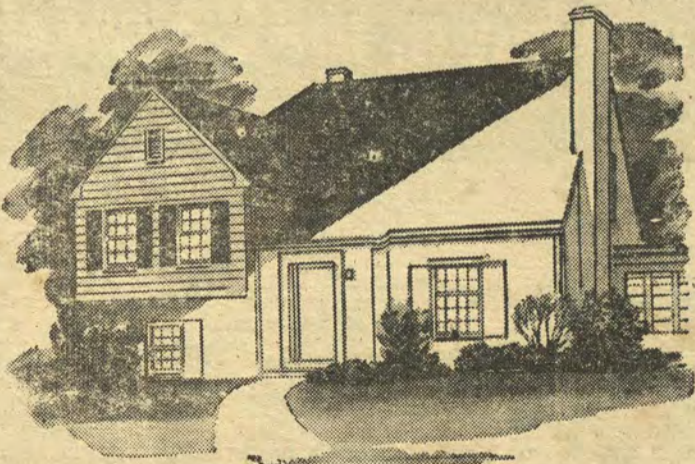
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Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Exodus	3	1-5
Monday	Exodus	15	1-7
Tuesday	Deuteronomy	5	10-20
Wednesday	Matthew	5	7-17
Thursday	Matthew	5	7-15
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Cunningham News

BY FRANCES TAYLOR

Sunday being Layman's Day, the people of Cunningham, had the honor and pleasure of having with them, B. B. Kent, of Greenwood, who is associate Layleader of the Charlottesville District. He gave a talk on the subject "The Mission of Our Church."

John Onis is visiting this week in the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosso, in Arlington, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Burton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ingle on Sunday.

Mrs. Otis Haden has been confined to her home on account of illness.

James Conis was in Richmond Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cammie Thomas, of Charlottesville and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bragg, of Williamsburg, visited Mrs. Bettie Thomas, Sunday.

George E. Glenn was Layman speaker at Zion Church on Sunday.

The quarterly meeting for Fluvanna Charge will be held at Wesley Chapel Church, on March 19. Please keep this in mind.

News Of Howardsville

By VERNARD HURT

Kenneth Carroll of Schuyler, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wyland and family of Scottsville, Mrs. Annie Goolsby and Wyonno Goolsby of Howardsville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Morgan at Newport News, Va.

Mrs. Dewey Goolsby is spending a few days at her home at Gladstone.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fenwick spent Friday in Charlottesville.

J. W. Cunningham spent a few days at his home at Chester, Va. J. W. Kitchen, Jr., Mack Carroll, Kenneth Carroll, of Schuyler and Mary Clements visited Clyde Kitchen at the Univesity Hospital in Charlottesville on Tuesday night.

C. N. Bronw and son spent a few days in Richmond with Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Bown.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Floyd of Richmond visited Mrs. Emma Catlett on Thursday night.

Mrs. Mary Morris, of Richmond visited Mrs. J. T. Hurt on Thursday.

Jack Cobbs, of Richmond spent Friday with his sister.

Ms. and Mrs. John T. Hurt, Carro Tooley and Mrs. H. E. Fenwick spent Saturday in Charlottesville.

Mrs. B. F. Wells is spending a few days with Mrs. M. S. Fenwick at Mt. Alto near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas White of Charlottesville spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fenwick.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Gianninni, Jr. and family of Richmond spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Gianninni.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Campbell and two children and Mrs. Electric Cobbs, of Arlington recently visited Mrs. Annie Goolsby and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hurt.

Mrs. A. L. Thacker of Scottsville spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hurt.

Joe Londeree, of Orange spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Goolsby and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wyland in Scottsville on Wednesday night.

G. D. Nulty is recovering from a sprained leg which he received in Richmond recently.

Mrs. Charlie Adcock and children of Scottsville and Mrs. Allan Baird and children spent Wednesday with their sister, Mrs. Paul Cobbs.

Mrs. R. E. Morgan and children of Newport News is spending a few days with Mrs. Annie Goolsby.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burcher visited her sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coleman in Appomattox Sunday evening.

Friends of Russell Moon Jr. in this community are glad to hear he is improving in the Martha Jefferson Hospital and will be coming to his home in Scottsville soon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burcher, Mrs. Garland E. Burcher and small son Jimmy are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Boggs at Buckroo Beach this week. Mrs. Garland Burcher will go to Virginia Beach to be with her husband when he comes there from Jacksonville Florida for a few days.

Vernard Hurt and J. T. Irving spent Friday evening in Scottsville.

Mrs. John T. Hurt, Carro Tooley, Mrs. C. N. Brown, Mrs. Grady Fenwick spent Tuesday morning at Buckingham Court House.

Kenneth Carroll, of Schuyler spent Saturday night with the Goolsby's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Nulty, Mrs. Paul Cobbs and son spent Monday in Richmond.

J. T. Irving and Vernard Hurt, were visitors to Arvonnia, Dillwyn,

and Sprouses Corner on Monday.

Mrs. C. V. Giannini has returned to her home and is able to be back at work in the local post office after being absent for two months, due to injuries received in an auto accident on December 20. We welcome her back.

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may be filled by some one with a higher regard for the freedom and dignity of his fellow-citizens. While wishing Mr. Coy well we are not downcast at the vacancy his leaving creates.

Bremo Bluff News

by Mrs. Hazel Ranson

Mr. Field, a student from the Virginia Seminary, held services at Grace Church last Sunday, Mrs. Field accompanied him. After the services they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Duvall of Arvonnia were dinner guests of D. G. Smith last week.

Mrs. Nora Guyer of Ashland is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Ranson.

Mrs. Ben Staunton was called to her home in Florida to be with her mother in her last illness. She

passed away February 14th.

Mrs. Watkins, Mrs. Frank Crowell's mother, continues ill. Mrs. Watkins was with her this week-end.

Mrs. Andrew Seay and Ms. Lou-trell Seay from Shores visited in the home of Mrs. Hazel Ranson last Thursday.

Mrs. D. G. Smith was a visitor in Scottsville last week.

Mrs. B. O. Davidson, with her daughter, Mrs. G. B. Ellington, were visitors in Richmond last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ranson, and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Mumpass from Roxboro, N. C. attended the Potentate Ball in Roanoke last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ranson and Mr. and Mrs. Asa Brown attended the Shriner's Ball in Richmond Friday evening.

FARM BUREAU

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bers convened in the ballroom of the Hotel Jefferson to enjoy a sumptuous meal and hear reports by T. C. Peterson, Midwest Field Representative.

The "Kick-Off" Meeting for Fluvanna Membership drive will be on March 5 at Fluvanna County High School Cafeteria. The menu that has been planned includes a fried chicken dinner to be served at 7 p.m. to the Membership work-

ers. A good attendance at this meeting is necessary to reach the goal that has been set for Fluvanna County.

Last year Fluvanna was first in the state to reach its quota and it should be the desire of every member of this organization to maintain this standard.

The workers for this membership campaign will be contacted individually by the district chairman prior to the "kick-off" meeting.

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF DATE FOR MONTHLY MEETING OF FLUVANNA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

This is to advise all persons of interest that the Board of Supervisors of Fluvanna County, at its regular monthly meeting on February 18, 1952, unanimously adopted a proposal to change the date for the regular monthly meetings of the Board from the 3rd Monday of each month to the first Monday of each month. Pursuant thereto the Board will hold its next regular meeting on March 3, 1952, and the first Monday in each month thereafter.

R. P. Zehler, Jr., Commonwealth's Attorney for Fluvanna County

NOTICE OF MEETING OF ZONING APPEAL BOARD

All persons of interest take notice that on March 14, 1952, at 3 P. M., at the Courthouse at Palmyra, Virginia, the Fluvanna County Zoning Board of Appeals will meet to hear the Appeal of the Fork Union Military Academy, Fork Union, Virginia, from a decision of the Zoning Administrator denying them a permit to erect two signs along Highway 15, in Fork Union Magisterial District.

E. H. Morris, Chairman, Board of Appeals

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Jones was convicted of breaking into an unoccupied home near Warren, belonging to Mrs. Dorothy Miller, January 5 and stealing a sawed-off shotgun.



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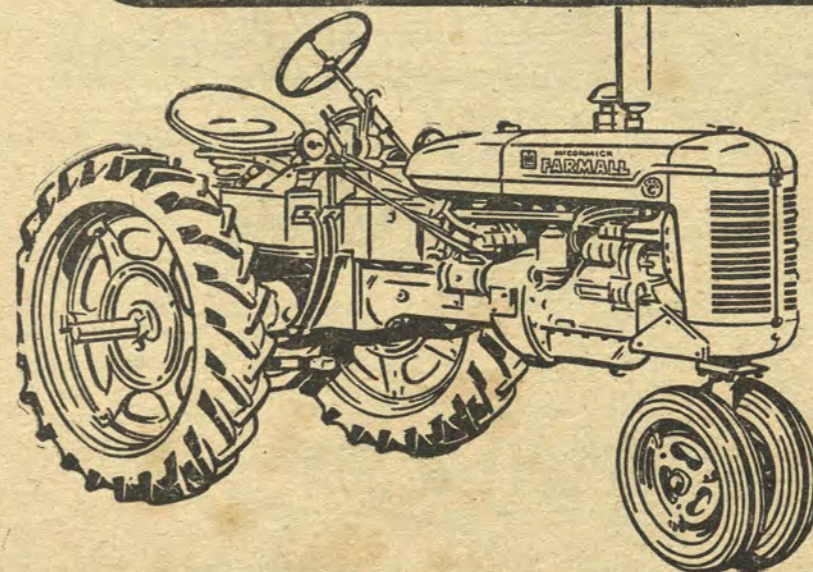
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