

Palmyra News

By Mrs. Thomas B. Shifflett
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ballance, Jr. of Norfolk spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Conrad. Mrs. Ballance remained for a week's visit.

The Fluvanna County High School Homecoming was attended by a large crowd last week-end. Included in the activities for the week-end were a dinner followed by a dance in the gymnasium. The football game with Louisa which was scheduled for Saturday afternoon was cancelled due to rain.

The community wishes to express sympathy to the family of Mrs. Theodore Wamsley who was killed in an automobile accident in Pennsylvania recently. Mrs. Wamsley was the former Doris Wright of Fluvanna County.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wade and daughter of Clifton Forge and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cassidy and three children visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Farrar, last week.

Miss Effie Wright, a former resident of Fluvanna County and now a resident of Richmond, is now a patient in a Richmond hospital.

The Turkey Supper held at the Palmyra Methodist Church last Wednesday night was well attended despite the rain.

William McLaughlin, a former resident of Fluvanna County but who has lived in Richmond for several years, was buried at Bybee Roads, Sunday, November 23.

Mrs. C. E. Ruff spent last week with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Mason, in Harrisonburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn O'Neil of Manassas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. France.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Morris Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Haden, Warren Haden, Tommy Haden and Ralph Blincar, all of Charlottesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Connor attended the University of Virginia-Washington and Lee football game in Charlottesville on Saturday afternoon. Also attending was Miss Grace Eleanor France with a group of friends.

Billie Terrell of Roanoke is spending some time in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Pearl Conrad.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Shepherd of Culpeper spent Saturday visiting friends.

Ivanhoe Morris of Boyds Tavern suffered a heart attack Thursday but is getting along nicely. Mr. Morris is the father of Mrs. Clayton S. Duncan Jr. and Jones Morris. Mrs. Duncan is spending a few days in the home of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Minter have as their guest Mrs. Minter's father, Mr. Stevens of Baltimore.

A. C. Whitley, Jr. who is a student at Woodberry Forest, spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Whitley.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. McGehee attended the wedding of a friend at Fort Lee Chapel, Fort Lee, Va.

Winston Parker of Williamsburg spent last Sunday in the County.

Paul H. France, County Agent for Fluvanna, was recently elected governor of the Rappahannock District of Ruritan Clubs at the district convention in Fredericksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Conrad, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Conrad, Jr. and two children, Mary Curtis and Carter, spent Sunday in Falls Church recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Conrad.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell and daughters, Bobbie Lee and Jackie of Richmond, spent the week-end recently with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Campbell.

Mrs. Luther Pitts Duncan recently entertained at a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Chester Jennings.

Mrs. W. F. Duncan had as her house guest for the week-end Mrs. Violet Gilmer, Mrs. Sue Chapman and Miss Amanda Pitts, all of Richmond.

L. F. Campbell of Rocky Mount, N. C. was the recent guest of his sister, Mrs. J. O. Sadler.

Swollen Streams Back To Normal

Streams around Scottsville were above the banks on Thursday and Friday of last week due to the unusually heavy rains. Over three inches of rain fell during the 48-hour period ending Friday morning, according to a check made by the University of Virginia's McCormick Observatory. However, no major flood trouble developed in Scottsville. The James River easily assimilated the heavy flow from its feeder creeks. The river reached a crest of about 6 to 8 feet above normal, but did not threaten to reach the 21-foot level that puts in Scottsville's streets.

Charlie Lenahan, operator of the town water works, reports that the intake of the water line in the James River was stopped. Trash and sticks, which were heavy in the swollen waters, clogged the strainer over the intake pipe in the river. The Fire Department pump was borrowed, and water for the town was pumped from the mouth of Mink Creek until the strainer could be cleaned on Tuesday.

Mink Creek and the two Totter Creeks which Rt. 6 crosses over were well out of banks on Thursday and Friday. By Saturday the swollen streams started dropping off and were soon back to about normal water level.

Hunting Is "Damp"

Hunting season opened November 20 in "a damp way" due to the heavy rains on Thursday and Friday of last week. A great many of the hunters postponed their proposed plans in order to wait for more suitable weather. Groups of men in the usual red cap and hunting clothes could be seen in Scottsville on opening day, as they stood around town waiting for the weather to clear. It was rather ironical that the rain kept many hunters home, as the opening of hunting season had originally been postponed on account of forest fire dangers due to dry weather. This postponement had been lifted when rain fell the week before opening date.

Despite the Thursday downpour, the game checking station at Staley's Service Station reported one deer and one turkey checked in on November 20. E. F. Farrish of Charlottesville bagged the deer, which Mr. Staley estimated at around 90 lbs. Harmon Cook reported in the turkey. Two additional deer and two more turkeys have been checked at the station since Friday.

Fall Bazaar

The women of the Scottsville Presbyterian Church are urging shoppers to buy Christmas gifts from their Fall Bazaar which is to be held on December 5. The Bazaar, an annual Fall event, will be held at Mrs. Ethel Wilson's Beauty Shop and will open around 9 o'clock.

A variety of items will be for sale including doll clothes, dressed dolls, handmade children's clothes, linens, stuffed toys, nylon flowers, a crocheted rug, and many other gift items. Each woman of the Presbyterian Church is asked to contribute for the sale 12 articles, one for each month of the year. Home baked foods will also be put on sale around 10:00 o'clock.

France Elected District Governor Of Ruritan

Paul H. France of Palmyra, at a recent meeting at Fredericksburg, was elected District Governor of the Rappahannock District of Ruritan National. He will succeed Clay Wood of Nokesville.

The Rappahannock District includes 27 clubs in the area of Central and Northern Virginia from the James River north and three clubs in southern Maryland.

Church Notes

The Methodist Church
SCOTTSVILLE CHARGE
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SCOTTSVILLE

Church School 10:00 a.m. George T. Omohundro, Jr. General Supt. Morning Worship 11:15 o'clock Sermon Subject: "A Crooked Man—Jacob—Becomes Straight" Official Board Meeting on Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. at the Parsonage MT. ZION:

Morning Worship 10:00 o'clock—Sermon by Pastor Church School 11:00 o'clock a.m. Dudley Patterson, General Supt. HOWARDSVILLE
Holy Communion 3:00 o'clock Episcopal Service conducted by the Rev. Beverley Tucker.

BAPTIST CHURCH
JOHN P. ELLIOTT, JR., PASTOR
SCOTTSVILLE
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Clarence Whitted, Supt. B.T.U.—7 p.m.

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Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Roscoe Duncan, Supt. B. T. U.—7:30 p.m.

Wednesday Evening Prayer Service to be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Baker. 7:30 p.m. FLUVANNA

Sunday School—10:30 a.m. Russell Collins, Sr., Supt.

PREBYTERIAN CHURCH
EDWARD BRAMMER,
Student Minister
Sunday School 10:15 a.m.

No church services on fifth Sunday FLUVANNA

FOX MEMORIAL CHURCH
Rev. Temple S. Collins, Pastor
Services each first and third Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Services each second, fourth and fifth Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Sunday School at 10 A.M. R. L. Napier, Supt.

"Blessedness—Ungodliness" will be the topic of the Pastor's Sermon Sunday morning.
The Singing School was a success last week. Rev. Cook was unable to come because of illness but with Gordon Rutland and the Choir and Quartettes of the Scottsville Baptist Church coming to our assistance, we had four very successful nights which will long be remembered.

Nicholas Is President Of Fire Department

Reeve Nicholas was elected president of the Scottsville Volunteer Fire Department for the coming year. Officers were elected at a meeting of the Fire Department members held last Thursday night, November 20. Harold Parr was elected vice-president and other officers are R. L. King, secretary-treasurer, Roy Hamner, Fire Chief; John Williamson, Assistant Fire Chief; Gene Johnson, Captain; Tom Coleman, First Lieut.; James Ripley, Second Lieut.; F. F. Marsh, Fire Marshall; John Williamson, Chaplain, and Charlie Lenahan, Quartermaster.

John P. Elliott, Jr. and Waverly Butler were accepted as new members by the Fire Department.

A New Year's Eve Party to be given by members of the Fire Department was discussed and the following committee was named to be in charge of it: John Williamson, chairman, Roy Hamner, Tom Coleman, Lee Wharam, G. C. Golladay, Jr.

H. H. Parr was asked to investigate the heating of the new Firehouse Building which will house the Department's two fire trucks and the town street sweeper.

Church Meeting

A study class on "Understanding the Bible" was held by the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church on Friday night. Mrs. Ray Caldwell was in charge of the program and the book was presented by Mrs. J. J. Clarke of Amherst, District Chairman of Spiritual Life. Mrs. T. E. Bruce, Mrs. Jack Miller, Mrs. S. L. Caldwell and Mrs. Ray Caldwell assisted Mrs. Clarke.

"Unusually Quiet" Board Meeting Reported By Harris

Ashby Harris, Supervisor from the Scottsville District, reports "an unusually quiet meeting" of the Albemarle County Board of Supervisors on November 19. A tentative appropriation of \$2,500 by the county for air spotter shelters and the passing of a resolution asking that Albemarle and Greene Counties be made into a separate House of Delegates District made up the major items of business.

The \$2,500 appropriation for the construction of aircraft warning service shelters in the county and Charlottesville hinges on a like amount being provided by the city. Venable Minor, chief of Aircraft Warning Service in this area made the requests before the Board, stating the need for six shelters in the county and one in Charlottesville.

John Dorrier is the local organizer of aircraft spotters in Scottsville, and has been using his home for plane spotting and reporting in. Mr. Dorrier stated that the original location where the building stood during World War II, on Dr. R. L. King's property, is the proposed spot for the erection of the new shelter in Scottsville. The shelters are being built in preparation for around-the-clock 24 hour watch, according to Mr. Dorrier.

The resolution endorsing the establishment of a separate House of Delegates District composed of Albemarle and Greene Counties was unanimously passed by the County Supervisors. The Charlottesville City Council has already adopted a resolution urging that the city be made a separate House District. At the present time the two House of Delegate Representatives for the three localities of Greene, Albemarle and Charlottesville are residents of the city.

Under discussion by the Supervisors were election procedures in the county, but no action was taken on this until Henry B. Goodloe, Secretary of the Albemarle Electoral Board, could be present. Supervisor E. H. Bain from Crozet, gave the Board a report on an agricultural fair but action on this was postponed until further information can be presented.

The County Supervisors approved a League of Virginia Counties Project to aid the Virginia Advisory Legislative Council in formulating legislation that gives counties broader taxing powers. Counties now are restricted in their taxing power by specific authorization of the General Assembly.

Dedication Is Held At Palmyra School

Dedication exercises were held at the Palmyra school on Monday night, Nov. 17, sponsored by the Parent Teachers' Association.

The guest speaker, Robert F. Williams, executive secretary of the Virginia Education Association, was introduced by Mrs. W. A. Talley, president of the P.T.A. Mr. Williams gave a brief history of the progress of the Fluvanna County schools in the past twenty-five years, during the administration of Supt. J. P. Snead. He praised Mr. Snead, the school board and the board of supervisors for their far-sightedness in planning and building the consolidated schools in the county.

The Palmyra School has recently been modernized with a \$145,000 addition which includes an auditorium and additional classrooms.

Ralph P. Zehler, Jr. also spoke on the subject of Fluvanna schools and the Palmyra school especially. Mr. Snead responded with remarks of appreciation in behalf of the school board and the board of supervisors.

Refreshments were served by the P.T.A. in the new cafeteria.

Mrs. Carroll Is Committed To Hospital For Mental Observation; Trial Delayed

A 48-year-old Scottsville housewife, charged with fatally shooting her husband here last Sunday afternoon, yesterday was ordered committed to a State institution for mental observation by Trial Justice Waddell in Charlottesville. The action postponed her trial indefinitely.

The woman, Mrs. Ethel Rainey Carroll, was permitted to stop here for a few minutes yesterday morning on her way from the Charlottesville jail to Southwestern Hospital in Marion. In the custody of officers she visited her home and went to a local funeral parlor to see her husband's body.

Mrs. Carroll had been held in the county jail without bond at her own request. When asked by officers if she wanted to be bailed, she answered no, she just wanted to go to the electric chair and get it over with.

Her husband, Sizer Eugene Carroll, also 48, died instantly about 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon when he was shot through the heart with a 16-gauge double-barrelled shotgun. The second bullet, which Mrs. Carroll had planned to use to kill herself, ripped into the kitchen window.

The cause of the tragedy, said Mrs. Carroll, was a 27-year-old woman, mother of four children, with whom Mr. Carroll had taken a trip last August. When asked by Town Police Sgt. F. F. Marsh, summoned to the scene immediately afterward, she explained "I couldn't stand it any longer to see him leave home in the morning and not know if he was coming back."

Later, at the jail, Mrs. Carroll said she suffered "the one thing nothing can be done for—a broken heart. I'd made up my mind that he'd go first, and I'd go later," she said.

After the shooting, Mrs. Carroll calmly walked into the home of her next-door neighbor, Lester Bailey, and asked him to call the police. "I shot Sizer," she said. As Mr. Bailey went for the police, Mrs. Carroll returned to her home, and sat down in the living room, where she greeted Marsh.

Carroll was shot as he sat at a table in the kitchen going over insurance books. Previously he had helped his wife dry dishes after a family dinner. The couple's only son, Sizer, Jr. and his wife and family had left the home only a few hours before the shooting occurred. There had been no quarrel during the day, she said. Mrs. Carroll went upstairs to take a bath, then picked up the shotgun, and went downstairs.

Having never shot the gun before, she said, she pulled both triggers, discharging both shells. She picked them up and put them in the trash basket, then went upstairs to find more shells with which to kill herself, but could not find any.

She said she had been planning the killings for three weeks, had planned to do it while her son was there, but "for some reason didn't do it."

Carroll had been a "wonderful husband" for 29 years of marriage, his wife told Sheriff W. S. Cook in Charlottesville. But recently, she said, a woman whom her husband had been seeing since last May, kept calling her up and telling her she was going to work in Charlottesville, where Carroll has been working with the Peoples Life Insurance Company for the past five months. The woman, she stated, said she'd "leave with him next time and there'd be no coming back." Mrs. Carroll said she talked to the woman as a daughter, and she admitted the same story about their trip as Carroll had. However, her husband had told her he had stopped seeing her.

Mrs. Carroll had suffered nervous spells since an operation last May, and she told officers she had tried before to kill herself. Carroll had removed a pistol from the house, it was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll moved into a new brick home two years ago on Route 6, just outside Scottsville. Sgt. Marsh said the house was in perfect order, with no sign of struggle, and very little blood on the floor.

Prior to taking up his insurance

business, Carroll had run the Scottsville Restaurant for about six years. During that time he also ran the Dixie Coffee Shop for several years.

Carroll grew up near Schuyler, and his wife was from Faber. They had lived in Schuyler and in Washington, D. C. before coming to Scottsville.

Carroll Funeral

Funeral services for Sizer Eugene Carroll were held Wednesday afternoon in the Scottsville Methodist Church. Mr. Carroll is survived by his wife, Ethel Rainey Carroll, and one son, Sizer Eugene Carroll, Jr. He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie E. Carroll of Schuyler and two grandchildren; three brothers, Nelson Eugene Carroll of Schuyler, Dewey Carroll of Washington and Basil Carroll of Newport News, and five sisters, Mrs. Muriel Ragland and Mrs. Margie Brooks Craig of Schuyler, Mrs. Beatrice Harding, Mrs. Alice Clark and Mrs. Nellie Goolsby, all of Washington.

Church services were conducted by the Rev. Jack B. Taylor, pastor of Scottsville Methodist Church. Interment services followed at Rock Spring Church Cemetery in Faber. Masonic rites were held at the grave. Mr. Carroll was a Mason and a Shriner.

Local Student Loses Finger In Accident

Herbert Kidd, freshman at Scottsville High School, lost the end of his right index finger in an accident in the Agricultural Shop at the school on Wednesday of last week. In using the joiner machine his finger was severed at the last joint and his thumb was badly cut. Tom Gillis, school principal, immediately took Herbert to Dr. Percy Harris, who sent him to the emergency room at the University of Virginia Hospital. He was released by the hospital later in the afternoon and was able to return home.

Tom Allison, teacher of the Agricultural Shop class, states that this is the first accident of a serious nature to occur in the Agricultural Shop since he has been at Scottsville School. Mr. Gillis also reports that although minor cuts or burns occurred in the shop work, nothing as serious as Herbert's accident has happened in the six years since he became principal.

Herbert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Kidd who live across from "Plain Dealing Farm" near Scottsville. The North American Assurance Society of Virginia will pay all of the injured student's hospital and doctors expenses. He was covered by a special Blanket Insurance Policy which a large number of students and faculty carry at a cost of \$1.00 for the school term.

Household Hints

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

With school well on its way, many homemakers are faced with the problems of seeing that the children are dressed for school, that breakfast is on



the table, and that box lunches are ready to be picked up before that last-minute rush out the door.

Lucky you are if you have a food freezer to simplify your box lunch problem, says the General Electric Consumers Institute, for quick-as-a-wink you can prepare a variety of box lunches from the freezer.

It takes little more time to prepare a week's box lunches at once, and it's only a little more work than your daily routine of preparing lunches on a day-to-day basis. Why not try setting aside a definite time a week or so ahead to prepare soups, sandwiches, cookies or pastries and store them in your food freezer?

Foods for a box lunch can be prepared in different ways: A complete lunch box may be prepared so that it is simply taken from the food freezer as a single unit in the morning and allowed to thaw until lunchtime. If this method is used, only foods which can be frozen should be used.

A greater variety can be obtained, however, if foods are packaged individually and assembled when ready to use. Then foods which should not be frozen can be added when the box lunch is assembled.

Set Up A Production Line
Decide what kind of fillings you want to use and how many sandwiches you want to make. Do not make more sandwiches than you will be able to use during a two to three week storage period. Prepare fillings first, and store them in the refrigerator.

Lay out as many slices of bread as you think you will need. Slices that are next to each other in the loaf are about the same size and should be paired together so the sandwich will cut and wrap easily and will be easy to handle while eating. Softened butter or margarine spreads evenly and easily onto bread and prevents fillings from soaking into it.

Spread fillings in one operation,

using a flexible spatula. You'll find that spreading goes much faster if you standardize proportions by using an ice cream scoop or another definite measure. Fillings should be generous enough so that the sandwich can be identified for what it is, and should be spread uniformly to insure even thawing time.

Lightweight aluminum foil and polyethylene are probably the most convenient moisture - vaporproof wrappings for sandwiches, for they require no overwrap and may be thrown away after use. Sandwiches may be individually wrapped in wax paper, placed in a labeled plastic bag along with other sandwiches with the same filling, and removed one by one as needed. Moisture-vaporproof cellophane or Pliofilm may be used, but they require an overwrap of stockinette to protect the wrappings from tearing. Molded plastic containers just the right size for one sandwich are available and may be used over and over again.

Some Do's And Don'ts
DO wrap pieces of cake and pie, cookies, cupcakes and turnovers and freeze in individual servings to be used as needed. In season, freeze fruit in half-pint containers to include in box lunches at a later date. Wrap all items separately in moisture-vaporproof material, label, and freeze as a complete box lunch or individual items. You might like to label the youngsters' favorites with their names. And, to insure a variety from day

to day, mark sandwiches with days of the week (Johnny, Monday; Sue, Monday; Johnny, Tuesday; etc.).

DON'T freeze lettuce, celery, tomatoes or carrots as they will lose their crispness when frozen. Add these to the lunch box after it has been taken from the freezer. Diced celery, green peppers, etc., may be added to fillings provided you do not mind a loss of crispness when thawed. Hard-cooked egg whites should be avoided in sandwiches to be frozen as they develop off-flavors and become tough and rubbery in texture.

Ramblings

With the season in full swing again, hunting stories are beginning to go around. Stories of good shooting, such as downing a hunting deer at 300 yards, are told by those who love hunting as a sport—a game of chance and skill. But the stories of cornering either bird or animal where flight is not possible do not seem to be worthy of telling. Killing for meat seems a logical reason, too, for hunting, but at times the motive and means of killing does not seem sportsman-like at all.

Some people claim to love wildlife and the study of the habits of animals. But if, in the process of studying them, they delight in trapping and killing them, I can't see how they can say they like animals. Perhaps to outwit a wild beast gives one a "super-man"

feeling. These reflections stem from reading a review of a recent book about capturing the Chad Elephant in North Central Africa. It is authored by a bring-'em-back alive man, Heinrich Oberjohann. The only trouble is, he didn't bring 'em back alive. He defied the fierce anger of 20 or more mother cow elephants to capture their babies. He risked his life continually to trap the young elephants, succeeded in catching 19 of them, and they all died. In his study of the pachyderms, he found that mothers do not desert their children, but will go to any lengths to get them back. Many of these mothers became crazed with sorrow at losing their children. One mad elephant destroyed a native village. But even though driven to ferocity, the elephants never attacked their tormentor when he was asleep in his tent. He says this is their code of honor—not to attack a human being while he is asleep. It would seem that humans could follow a code of honor equally as just. The balmy, rainy weather has

fooled the forsythia into putting forth a few out-of-season blossoms, and the Dutch iris has shot up and green spirals all over the flower bed. What will happen when the frost and snow comes and they can't pull in their fresh new shoots?
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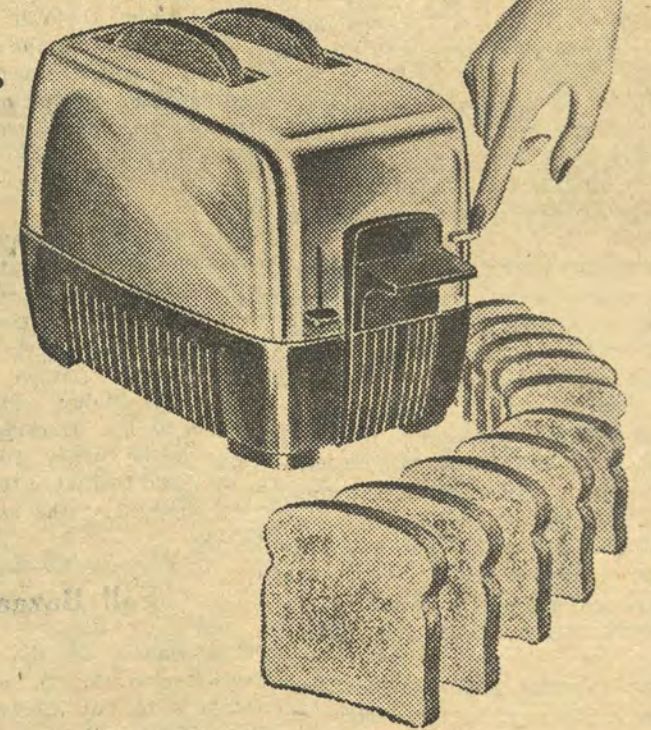


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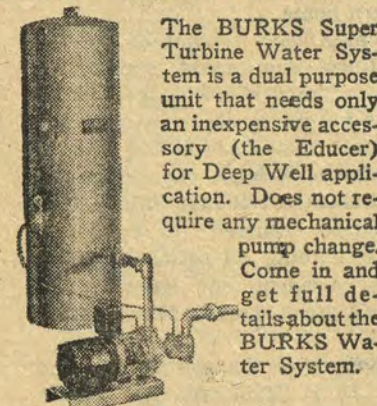
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Personals

Mrs. Mary F. McDearmon has been visiting in the home of her son, W. A. McDearmon, for a few days. She was accompanied by another of her sons, W. Lyle McDearmon, who came for the opening days of the hunting season.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dawson and Mrs. Elizabeth D. Goodwin attended the W. & L.-University of Virginia football game at Scott Stadium on Saturday.

Mrs. Allen Randolph visited in Washington several days last week.

B. W. Wood of Miller School and Grove Mawyer of Crozet visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Robertson last week.

Mrs. R. S. Gillis, who has spent several weeks visiting her son, Tom Gillis, in the home of Mrs. Mary Golladay, is returning to Lawrenceville this week. Mr. Gillis is accompanying his mother home and will remain through the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. John Moulton and Mrs. Percy Harris spent Monday in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Steuerwald left Saturday to spend a week in West Terre Haute, Indiana, visiting Mr. Steuerwald's mother, Mrs. Slata Steuerwald.

W. J. Heath of Norwood was in Scottsville on business on Monday.

Elmer Johnson was in Winnsboro, S. C. last week at a meeting of Industrial Relations men in U. S. Rubber plants in the Textile Division. On his return trip home, Mr. Johnson stopped by Gastonia, N. C. to visit Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ward, formerly of Scottsville.

Barry Staley has been spending a few days' vacation from Woodberry Forest at the home of his parents in Howardsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Davis and family were guests on Sunday in the home of Mr. Davis' mother Mrs. Mac Epperson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Huffman and son from Thomasville, N. C. spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Goodwin. On Saturday they attended the W. & L.-University of Virginia football game.

Miss Norah Pitts is arriving on Wednesday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Pitts, of Mt. View Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Moon and family left on Monday to visit Mrs. Moon's sister, Com. and Mrs. K. L. Butler in Greencove Springs, Florida. The Moons are driving down and will remain through the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. H. N. Conduff of Charlottesville spent Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Goodwin.

Mrs. J. J. Clarke of Amherst spent Friday night with Rev. and Mrs. Jack Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Exum Horton of Burlington, N. C. visited Mr. and Mrs. Buel Carden on Friday of last week.

Lt. Peter Hunter has recently returned to his home near Scottsville after serving for some months with the U. S. Army in Korea.

Mrs. Elmer Johnson, Mrs. John Dorrier, and Mrs. Gordon Dorrier were in Charlottesville Tuesday night to complete the Girl Scout Training Course for Leaders which they have been attending for the last six weeks. Also eligible to receive a pin was Mrs. Buel Carden, who was unable to attend the last meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Riddick of Holland visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gildersleeve last week-end.

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Miss Whitted Married To T. M. Burruss

One of the largest weddings in the memory of Scottsville residents took place on Sunday afternoon at Scottsville Baptist Church when Miss Margaret Adelle Whitted was married to Thomas Marshall Burruss.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Alvis Whitted of Warren and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Willie W. Burruss of Free Union.

Before a crowd which filled the church to overflowing, the Rev. John Elliott performed the double

ring ceremony amid a setting of palms, candles, white gladioli and chrysanthemums. Organ music was provided by Mrs. T. E. Bruce. George Rex, vocal soloist, sang "Through The Years", "The Lord's Prayer", and "O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee."

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore an ivory-colored satin gown with a Peter Pan collar, long sleeves tapering to points over the hands, a yoke featuring inserts of French lace, and a full length train. Her fingertip length

veil fell from a Juliet cap and she carried a golden-throated orchid on her prayer book.

Mrs. John Varner, of Farmville, was matron of honor. She was costumed in a rose-beige gown with an off-shoulder velvet top and a skirt of net over taffeta. She carried a bouquet of gardenias and white roses, and wore a headpiece of the same flowers and the fabric of the gown.

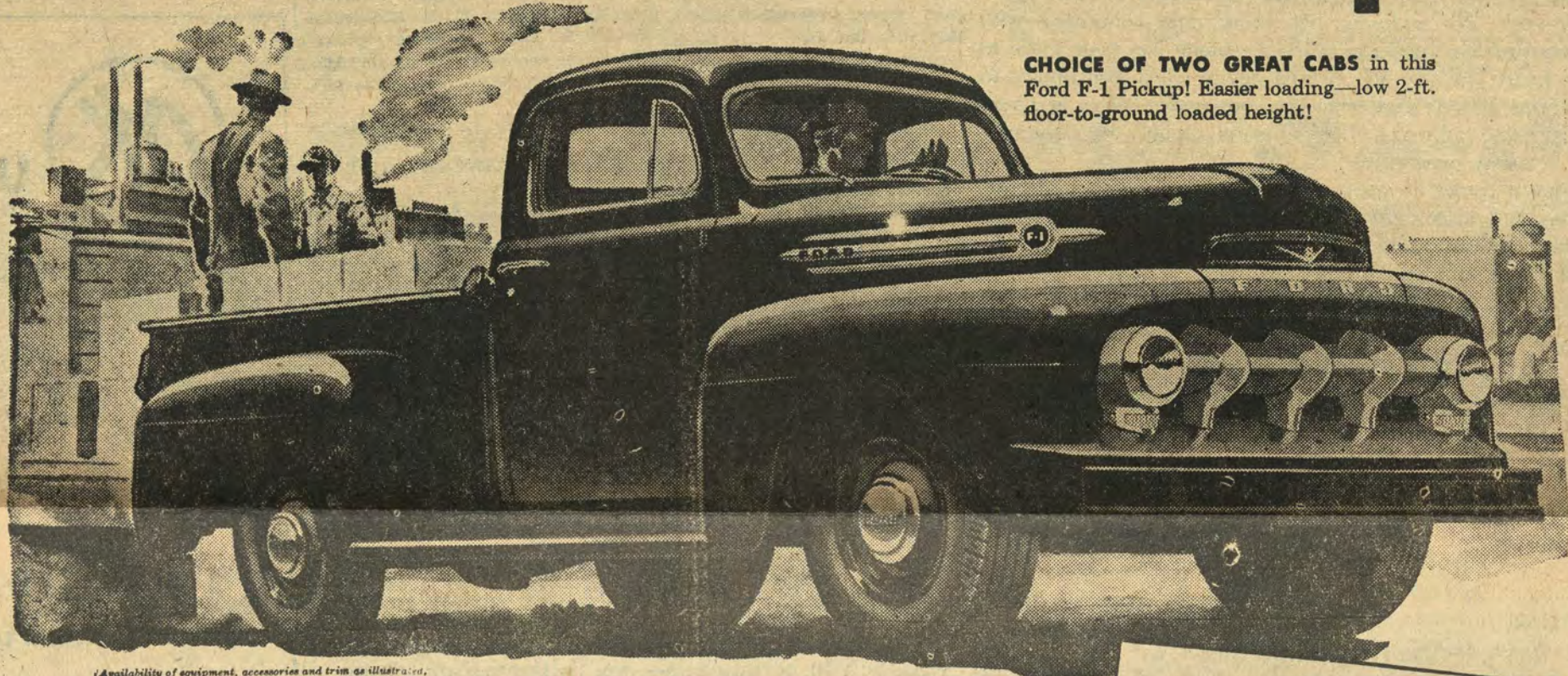
The bride's sisters, Miss Clara Marie Whitted, of Richmond, and Miss Patricia Whitted, of Mary Munford Hall, University of Virginia; the bridegroom's sister, Miss

Jean Burruss, of Grady Avenue; and Mrs. Landon D. Birkhead, of Del Mar Drive, also attended the bride. Their gowns of emerald green were styled like Mrs. Varner's and they carried bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums and yellow roses, with headpieces of the same flowers and the material of their gowns.

The bridegroom's cousin, Daphne Burruss Aylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Aylor, of Chatham, was flower girl. She wore a miniature replica of Mrs. Varner's costume.

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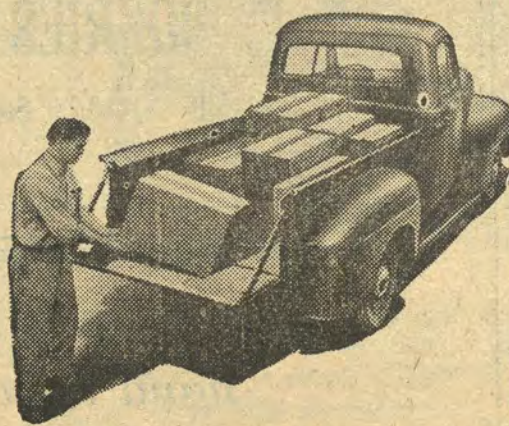
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Champion

The New York Times recently paid a well-deserved editorial tribute to the splendid safety record established by the American railroads.

"The gain in railroad safety has been a remarkably steady one," the Times said. It is seen most clearly when one contrasts recent performance with performance, say, of 10 and 25 years ago. Thus, comparing 1951 and 1941, the number of fatalities decreased 35 per cent and of non-fatal injuries nine per cent. This was in the face of 33 per cent more freight service and 18 per cent more passenger service.

In the first half of this year the fatality rate has been one of the best in railroad history, reaching the astonishingly low mark of .01 per 100,000,000 passenger-miles. The nation's railroads reserve congratulations for their productive emphasis on safety—a mark to be shot at by all other means of transportation.

Like all such achievements, this one was earned by unremitting work. No industry has been more concerned with the safety problem than the railroads—none has done more to solve it. Every practical and proven device which contributes to the safer operation of trains has been adopted—often at a very heavy cost. And railroad workers of every category are rigorously trained in safety procedures.

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The End Of Education

(From the Baltimore Sun)

A school official was talking the other day about his educational objectives. He wanted a sound mind in a sound body, all right, and he wanted training in the fundamentals. But then he wound up for his peroration and came out with this ultimate purpose. To turn out graduates who took a "progressive" view of things.

But is that really a legitimate end of education? Ought the schools to inculcate a particular point of view? Is it good to try to standardize them into a "conservative" point of view?

Education should not try to make up a man's mind for him, it should teach him to make it up for himself.

County Farm Notes

By P. H. France
VIRUS ATTACKS
LADINO CLOVER

A "disease" which has plagued ladino clover during the past year has been "definitely identified" as a virus, according to S. B. Fenne, Extension plant pathologist of VPI. The virus causes a stunting of the ladino clover plants.

Fenne said diagnosis of the trouble as a virus was confirmed on October 22 during a visit of several farms in Hanover and Henrico counties where complaints had been received concerning ladino clover failure. On that tour were Dr. K. W. Kreitlow, plant pathologist, USDA, Dr. R. G. Henderson, plant pathologist and Dr. G. M. Shear, plant physiologist, respectively of the Agricultural Experiment Station, VPI, and Fenne.

The virus affecting ladino clover is the same as the one found on alfalfa and many other clovers commonly grown on the farm. The reason this disease has not previously caused serious damage to ladino clover, plant pathologists point out, is probably because the virus is not carried in the seed. However, after ladino clover is grown on a farm for several years, the virus is apparently spread from leguminous crops that carry the virus but which are apparently not damaged by it. Ladino clover, therefore, appears to be more severely damaged by this virus than alfalfa and other crops.

No control is known at this time for the virus although experiment stations throughout the United States are attempting the development of a resistant variety of ladino clover, plant pathologists say. While several lines have looked "very promising," they have not

been sufficiently tested "to determine whether or not they will meet rigid agronomic requirements".

If you should have any ladino which shows symptoms of this virus, let me know and I'll be glad to take a sample of it and have it checked by our plant pathologist at V.P.I.

LIME, FERTILIZER SPELL DIFFERENCE ON PASTURELANDS

A boost with lime and/or fertilizer means the difference between a "fair" pasture and a "top pasture".

Agricultural Extension Service agronomists at VPI say top pastures require a pH of from 6.0 to 6.5, and plenty of plant food. Proper liming and fertilization means high yield of quality forage, two weeks earlier grazing in the spring, and two weeks later grazing in the fall.

Recommendations for top-dressing various pasture mixtures... ladino clover-grass, orchard grass lespedeza, and blue grass-white clover... are listed in a new leaflet now available. If you want one of these leaflets, let me know, and I shall be glad to send you one. If you want your soil checked for lime needs, let me know, and I'll assist you in getting it done.

PINE BETTER THAN CEDAR FOR CHRISTMAS TREES

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

Foresters at VPI say 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 droop-

ing, 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.

The foresters 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 as entitled to pay for a Christmas tree as he is for the 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.

Kent's Store News

By Mrs. L. T. Richardson

There was a good attendance at the Columbia School PTA November 19 in spite of the rain. Dr. Abner Robertson, Executive Secre-

tary of Virginia Congress of Parents and Teachers, gave a splendid talk on "Parent and Family Life Education". After the meeting a social hour followed with pie and coffee served by the refreshment committee.

The choir of Byrd Chapel Methodist Church is making final plans for its Christmas Pageant, "White Christmas", to be presented December 21. A free will offering will be taken and given to the orphanage in Richmond.

Charlottesville and Richmond shoppers during the week were Mrs. Wesley Haden, Mrs. W. D. Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Richardson.

Bob and Raymond Holland of Arlington are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melton. Dave Richardson of Silver Springs, Md., is visiting Mrs. Lily Melton and family and Mr. and Mrs. William Bowles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thrift and son of Richmond visited Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Richardson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Hopkins and Mrs. Frank Grubbs visited their brother, Joseph Payne, in Bowling Green recently.

Don't forget your Christmas seals that you have received in the mail and send your donation to your seal chairman promptly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Holland were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Hurst of Gordonsville Sunday.

COMMITTEE TO MEET

The Executive Committee of the Scottsville P.T.A. will hold a meeting on Monday night, December 1, at 8:30 p.m. It will take place at the home of John Wagner.

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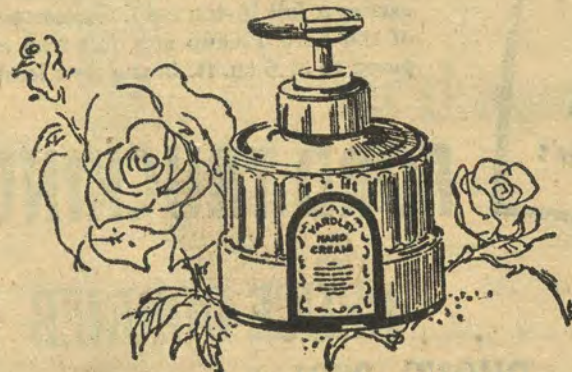
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Miss Whitted

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The bridegroom's brother Lawrence Burruss, of Altavista Avenue, was best man. Ushers were John Varner, of Farmville; John Littlewood, of Gordon Avenue, William Johnson, of the University; and Edward Gallalee, of Harrisonburg.

The wedding reception after the ceremony took place at "Donegal", Warren.

The bride wore a gray suit with

red accessories as the couple left to honeymoon on a southern wedding trip including a stay at Sea Island, Ga. When they return they will make their home at the Grady Apartments.

The bride, who was graduated from Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia, is on the Meriwether Lewis High School faculty. The bridegroom is employed at the bursar's office of the University of Virginia.

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Scottsville School News

by Bobby Spencer

The first year Home Economics students are now studying the unit on Foods and as one of their projects they are serving breakfast this week to members of the High School faculty.

A shipment of new Science equipment has been received. This equipment will be used in the Science and Chemistry classes as an aid in increasing our scientific knowledge through experimentation.

Milk sales start on Thursday November 20th. This project is being handled again this year by the Publications Club. Plain and chocolate milk will be available this year to all students.

The Seventh Grade presented two plays, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" and "Jack and the Beanstalk" at our assembly program on Wednesday of this week. Both plays were well acted and were enjoyed by all.

The assembly program for next week will be presented by the Junior Class of which Harry Kent is sponsor. (Sorry, they would not divulge what the program would consist of.)

All of us here at Scottsville High are aware that Christmas is just around the corner and many of the classes have already begun making plans for the Christmas Program. Each grade will participate in this program. Everyone is happy that our Christmas holiday is a long one this year.

The Senior Class is kept busy these days with play practice, preparing programs and ticket sales. All this, of course, is in preparation for the Senior Play which will be presented at Victory Hall on Wednesday December 10th at 8:15 P.M.

The Commercial Club is busy preparing for publication of the Thanksgiving issues of the Ripples.

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7 From Fluvanna Attend Farm Bureau Meeting

Seven members of the Fluvanna Farm Bureau attended the annual Virginia Farm Bureau Federation convention in Richmond last week. These Fluvanna representatives were Harry Shepherd, P. H. France, Harry Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Black, and Mr. and Mrs. Kent Loving.

After hearing such prominent speakers as George Passage WRVA News Editor; Representative Burr Harrison; and Senator Albert Gore of Tennessee discuss the present economical and political situation in our country, the convention went to work on its 1953 resolutions.

A total of 23 major resolutions were passed by the delegates, representing 11,000 Farm Bureau members in 62 counties. These dealt with almost every matter of concern to the farmer from economy in government to a stronger stray dog law. All these resolutions came up from the county organizations where the farmers themselves made them.

The farmers of Virginia through their Farm Bureau resolutions favored a balanced federal budget, flexible price supports, and all expanded foreign market for their products.

They voiced bitter opposition to the Office of Price Stabilization and branded price and wage controls as "economic nonsense and sheer political quackery" as a means of controlling inflation.

As a major means of controlling rabies, the group went on record as favoring a law that all dog owners be required to vaccinate their dogs against rabies. Realizing the importance of correct weighing at livestock markets, a resolution was passed calling for a law to require the use of State weighmasters at all livestock auctions.

This farm group also voiced their strong disapproval of telephone companies charging higher rates to farmers according to how far they are from the central exchange. This practice was labeled as an unfair and unjustified penalty which is not practiced by electric companies of other utilities. Also, opposition was voiced to the enactment of any legislation which would make self-employed farmers come under the Social Security program on a compulsory basis.

Certain changes and improvements were called for in the Civil Service Commission, the administration of farm programs and in national labor relations.

Other resolutions dealt with profitable use of idle land through reforestation, expanded operations of VPI's livestock department, and enlargement of the state Literary Loan Fund.

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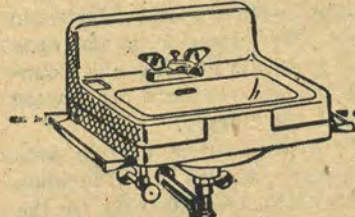
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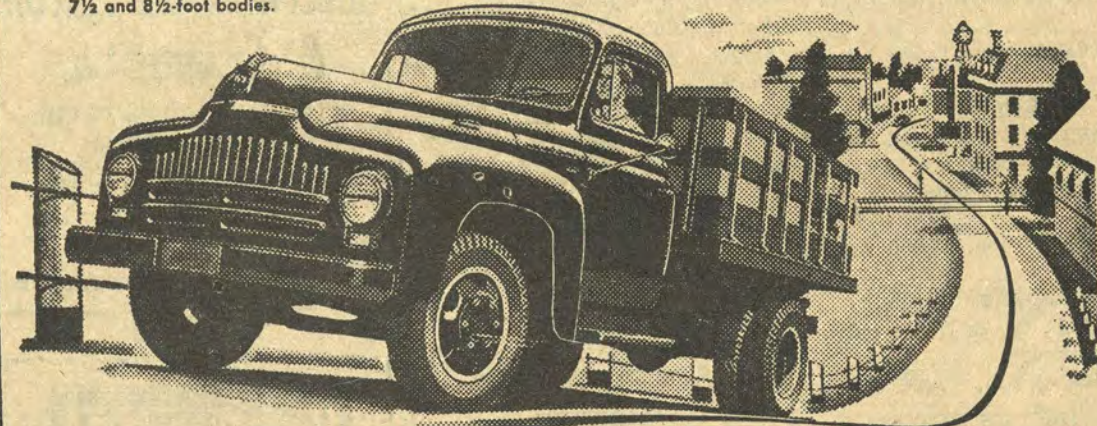
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The object of the above styled suit is to obtain a divorce from bed and board from the defendant on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment, and at the expiration of the statutory period (as provided in such cases) from date of said desertion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

Bookmobile Schedule For Fluvanna Listed

Any resident of Fluvanna is entitled to free use of the Bookmobile and may have this service by signing an application card. The application of a child under fourteen must be signed by a parent or a guardian.

Books, magazines, and phonograph records are lent for a period of three weeks. The loan may be extended for another three weeks, except for popular fiction or books on reserve which must be returned on date due.

Books may be renewed at the Bookmobile or by mailing a request to The Bookmobile Librarian, Charlottesville Albemarle Public Library, Charlottesville.

Each person taking out books, magazines or records undertakes and agrees that he shall be responsible for their careful use and that they shall be returned in good condition at the end of the period for which they were issued.

The main library building of the Charlottesville - Albemarle Public Library, second and Jefferson Street, Charlottesville, is also open to all residents of Fluvanna County. Fluvanna residents are invited to visit the library.

The demonstration of free public library service in Fluvanna County until June 30, 1953, by the Charlottesville - Albemarle Public Library is financed and sponsored by the Virginia State Library.

Schedule of Bookmobile Trips and Stops.

Columbia Run

Friday, November 28, 1952

Ferncliff 10:00 a.m.-10:15 a.m.
Kent's Store 10:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.
Wilmington 11:10 a.m.-11:45 a.m.
Stage Junction 12 noon-12:15 p.m.
Columbia 12:30 p.m.- 1:30 p.m.
Dixie 1:45 p.m.- 2:00 p.m.
Rosa Carter's Store 2:15 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Palmyra Run

Friday, December 5, 1952

Troy 9:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m.
Union Mills 10:15 a.m.-10:30 a.m.
Wildwood 10:45 a.m.-11:45 a.m.
Bybee 11:30 a.m.-12 noon
Palmyra 12:15 p.m.- 2:00 p.m.
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Best sellers available on the Bookmobile are: Giant by Edna Ferber, The Silver Chalice by Thomas B. Costain; A Man Called Peter by Catherine Marshall; My Cousin Rachel by Daphne De Maurier; and Adventures in Two Worlds by A. J. Cronin.

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Fluvanna School Alumni Attend Homecoming

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The activities of the day had been planned to begin with a football game with Louisa, featuring the Louisa and F. C. H. S. bands during the half. A tea dance would entertain the guests until time for supper at 6 P. M., after the game. To climax the day a dance was to be held in the gym that evening. Despite the dismal weather which caused the postponing of the game, the other scheduled activities went off as planned.

Of the one hundred and ninety present for the supper, approximately fifty were alumni of the school. The number increased to over two hundred for the evening dance.

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