



### Ramblings

Easter came at just the right time this year, for with it came the re-birth of flowery blooms on all the early-budding trees and shrubs. The dogwood came out enough to hint of future lavish blossoms, and is only slightly behind the redbud that is just beginning to transform its branches into masses of pink frills. The Forsythia is still out in its full golden glory, and a word of thanks should be expressed to all who plant these beautiful bushes along the roadside and in dooryards where they make a showy display for those who drive by. The Japanese and many flowering fruit trees dot the landscape everywhere. The beauty is beggared by description, but springtime in Virginia, especially coming along with the joy of the Eastertide, is enough to make all who have seen it and are not here now, long to return.

The sun warmed and dried the earth enough to make for perfect ploughing recently. If only the loose red clods would remain as inviting for work as they do this early in the season. It is when the sun bakes them and the weeds begin to cover the earth that we wonder why we ever planted so much to take care of.

A compilation of the talks on the radio program, "This I Believe" which has been put into a book with the same title was given to me for Christmas, and it is interesting to read and compare the brief philosophies for living which 100 people in various walks of life have set down. In many cases, a clear-cut notion of what a person believes is hard to find. It came to the majority of these people after a test of their strength in loss or sorrow. Boiled down, the beliefs are expressions in nearly 100 different ways of the Golden Rule and the commandment, "Love Thy Neighbor." Prominent actors and actresses, authors and businessmen all came to the astounding solution after wallowing in a valley of bewilderment and selfish self-pity, that in helping others, happiness came to replace their misery. The astounding thing is that somewhere in the process of growing up, before a disaster hits a person, these beliefs should have been instilled for use not only in an emergency, but in every day life. They are maxims taught in every Sunday School, and by many parents. But evidently with not enough repetition and emphasis. There is an increasing interest, according to best-seller lists, in books on how to acquire peace of mind, success, etc. Perhaps if there were less digging into intricate psychological aspects of mental discomfort and unhappiness and less dog-eat-dog attitudes among business

#### Commonwealth of Virginia.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Fluvanna, on the 31st day of March, 1953.

Gladys B. Blakey, Complainant, against Arthur G. Blakey, Jr., 1014 North Ohio Street, Atlantic City, New Jersey, Respondent.

#### ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from bed and board from the respondent, Arthur G. Blakey, Jr., on the ground of willful desertion and abandonment and to merge and enlarge the same after the said desertion shall have continued two years into a divorce from the bond of matrimony.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the respondent, Arthur G. Blakey, Jr. is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Scottsville Sun, a newspaper published in the Town of Scottsville, Va., that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this County on or before the 31st day of March, 1953, and that the Clerk mail a copy hereof to each of the said defendants to the post-office address given in the affidavit herein, and file a certificate of the fact in the papers of this case.

A Copy—Teste:  
Richard F. George, Clerk  
P. A. L. Smith, Jr. p. q.  
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people who strive for the secrets of success, it would not be necessary to publish so many different words about the same simple theme. Maybe they only complicate and dim the original theme which is, after all, clear and simple, and 2,000 years old.

And while we're on the subject of psychiatry, or are we?, there's the story about the night a city rooming house caught on fire, and the tenants were forced to grab their most valuable possessions and leave in haste. A man from the first floor ran into his neighbor, who lived above him, clutching a rooster.

"For heaven's sake", cried the man, "I didn't know you had a rooster. I've been taking treatments with a psychiatrist for six weeks because I heard a rooster crowing every morning."

E. F. W.

Thirty-three states had prohibition before the 18th Amendment was adopted.

Elder-down is produced from the breast feathers of the elder, a large sea duck.

### WASHINGTON

as viewed by  
YOUR SENATOR



A. WILLIS ROBERTSON

#### NATIONAL SAFETY NEEDS SHOULD HAVE PRIORITY

Participation in a nation-wide television broadcast last week gave me an opportunity to point out the difficult choice now facing us of deciding how best to protect ourselves from atomic bomb attacks.

All military experts are agreed that the Russians have such bombs and an Air Force capable of dropping them in the United States. There is agreement too that we have no adequate defense now against such an attack.

The civil defense advocates are

urging construction of bomb shelters to minimize the danger of attack while military leaders urge that emphasis be placed on radar screens, interceptor planes and anti-aircraft guns, including the NIKE jet-propelled rocket which can reach any plane that flies, is faster than any plane that flies and can follow any plane any way it may twist or dodge. A demonstration of its remarkable destructive power will be conducted this month in New Mexico. Either course will involve tremendous expenditures but either, in my opinion, would be better than the cheaper choice of assuming that the Russians never will start World War III and that we can, therefore, afford to cut defense appropriations to balance the national budget this year.

Every member of Congress knows how unpopular the current tax burden is and how politically expedient it would be to cut taxes. It is my earnest hope, however, that the Congress will not yield to that temptation before we know the real intent of the new Rus-

sian leadership. We know that Malenkov is a faithful follower of Stalin and of Lenin, both of whom repeatedly said Communism and Capitalism could not live at peace in the same world. The peace gestures made by Malenkov in recent weeks have been words only. He has the power to stop the fighting in Korea whenever he sees fit, but by bitter experience from the Yalta Conference through the Pannum truce talks we know that the Communists have no regard for their pledged word. If Malenkov decides to end the Korean war and to ease the Cold War in Europe, it will be more logical to assume that he is using that device to end the rearmament program of the free world and cause a division over the resulting economic strains and stresses that would be a fertile field for Communist propaganda than to assume that the Politburo has abandoned the Lenin-Stalin conception of world domination.

If we fail to get peace in Korea on honorable terms in the near future, I hope our President, (Continued on page five)



From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

#### Chip Pulls a "Pip"

Chip Hanson is a clever commercial artist. Beside doing cartoons on our paper, he picks up "free lance" drawing jobs.

Right now he's whipping up posters for the Safety Campaign. They all have headlines like "PLAY IT SAFE!" ... OF, "A LIVE WIRE CAN START A FIRE!"

Chip looked a bit sheepish yesterday. Didn't want to tell me why. Finally he blurted out, "I feel like a dope. Here I am on this safety program and the fire inspectors tell me my own studio's a fire trap. I've been storing paint there for years..."

Joe Marsh

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Langhorne of "Scotland Farm" had an Easter Egg Hunt Saturday afternoon. The hunt is an annual occasion which is looked forward to and enjoyed by all who attend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hunter of "Grayson" entertained at a small cocktail party Saturday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Brady of Carter's Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell had as their week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Deane and Mrs. C. S. Deane of Duldolk, Maryland, as well as Mrs. George Johnson of Charlottesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Haynes from Richmond visited Mrs. Haynes' parents, Dr. and Mrs. Percy Harris over Easter week-end.

Mrs. John Mayo had as her week-end guests her daughter and son-in-law, Major and Mrs. Henry Dalbey of Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Grove and their children, Barry and Sally from Vienna, and Mr. and Mrs. Blake Kelso, and their daughter Rebecca from Richmond visited Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Beal, Jr. over the week-end.

Commander and Mrs. Kenneth Butler and their two children of Norfolk visited Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Moon, Jr. over Easter week-end. The Commander returned Sunday to leave on sea duty aboard his ship, the USS Fremont. Mrs. Butler and the children will stay on here until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schieps of Washington visited Captain and Mrs. Art Stuerwald for the week-end.

Mrs. Latane Driscoll of Richmond is visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. Jackson Beal, Sr. and Miss Louise Beal, and will be here for the rest of the week.

Miss Susie Blair has been here for the Easter holidays visiting her mother, Mrs. Susie Blair. Monday she returned to Hollins College where she is Professor of Dramatic Art and Literature.

Here for the funeral of Miss Daisy Seay, who died unexpectedly Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Mayo, were her mother, Mrs. Rosa Seay of Newport News, Mr. and Mrs. John Suddarth of Waynesboro; two sisters, Mrs. G. S. Parr of Newport News, Mrs. S. L. Atkinson of Buckroe Beach and a nephew, Tommy Parr.

Miss Irene Briggs has returned from Rocky Mount, Va. following the recent death of her sister, Miss Fanny Briggs. Also here are Mrs. S. V. Phillips and John Briggs, her sister and brother.

At the home of Mrs. M. I. Dunn and Mrs. C. C. Dunn were Miss Jean Burkhardt from Richmond, Mrs. James Guy and her son, Skip, also from Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. M. Dunn and their daughter, Susan from Cleveland. Mrs. M. I. Dunn returned to Richmond Sunday with Mrs. Guy to visit her until Friday of this week. Mrs. C. C. Dunn went to Baltimore to see her son, Davis Dunn, and to Washington to visit her brother and sister. She will also return to Scottsville on Friday.

Visiting Mrs. Gordon White for Easter Sunday was her son Gordon White, his wife and three children. Miss Mattie Wood who came with them is staying on for a week or ten days with Mrs. White.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cleveland had as their guests for Sunday, Mrs. Cleveland's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bourne and their daughter, Miss Agnes Bourne.

Mrs. Blair White's son and

daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas White of Charlottesville, and her son Odell White of Washington were all here for the week-end.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Pitts, "Mountain View Farm", were Mrs. Pitts' cousins from Vancouver, British Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Taylor and their two children, Susie and Phyllis.

Here for Cary Moon's funeral on Sunday were Dr. and Mrs. Sannon Butts of Washington, Miss Elizabeth Tompkins, Miss Cary Tompkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tompkins of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Few, Birmingham, Ala., G. P. Few from Jacksonville, Ala., Mrs. Moon's brothers. Three of her sisters were here; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gaines and their children, from Bainbridge, Ga., Mrs. T. J. Knight, Social Circle, Ga. and Mrs. Lee Barnett, Bishop, Ga. Mrs. Burnett will be at "Shirland" for a while longer.

Miss Linda Deane had an Easter Egg hunt at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Campbell Holt. After the hunt she served supper to a few of her friends.

Miss Luana Rutland was home from Longwood College, Farmville for the Easter holidays with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rutland, Sr.

Mrs. John P. Dorrier and Mrs. Elizabeth Goodwin went to Richmond shopping on Wednesday.

Mrs. Ralph Steinbeck and sons, Barry and Leonard, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cohen on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Jack Beal held an Easter egg hunt Sunday night for her grandchildren, Sally Ann Groves and Rebecca Kelso.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Paulett over Easter were Mrs. Phil Richardson of Saltville and Tom McCarrick of Staunton.

Mrs. E. W. Hudson spent the Easter week-end with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burns of Washington, D.C.

Mrs. D. G. Smith of Brems Bluff visited her sister, Mrs. E. W. Hudson on Monday.

Miss Martha Ann King and Charley Shawtell of Richmond were guests of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. King for the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Fuquay of Burlington, N. C. visited in the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Buel Carden last week. Mr. and Mrs. Carden and son, Butch, spent Easter in Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Darby of Richmond spent last week-end with Mrs. Mary V. Mayo.

Miss Lillian Barker of Richmond spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Barker, of Buckingham.

David Barker spent the week-end with relatives in Bristol, Tenn.

Guests in the home of Mr. and

Mrs. W. A. McDearmon Friday and Saturday were Mrs. Mary McDearmon and Lyle McDearmon of Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and son, Larry, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith of Appomattox were visitors in the McDearmon home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Duncan had as guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W. Lash of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mustard and son of Narrows, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Turner and son and daughter of Baltimore and Mrs.

Walter Duncan of Richmond. T. S. Gillis spent the Easter holiday with his mother, Mrs. R. S. Gillis, at Lawrenceville.

## Mrs. Ewoldt Discusses Perennial Borders

Mrs. E. Ewoldt talked on perennial borders at the regular meeting of the Fair Haven Garden Club Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Floyd Bramham, Mrs. R. V. Krouse served as co-hostess. Mrs. C. M. Tucker joined the

club as a new member. The spring flower show, which will be held in May at a place not yet chosen, was discussed, and plans were made to make a tour of gardens in the vicinity which will be open Garden Week. Members will take the tour on Thursday, April 30.

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## Country Lawyer

By Walter Johnson

A quite lively controversy has arisen in Washington over the value of a battery additive. This was developed by one Jesse M. Ritchie of Oakland, California. It is a powder which the inventor claims will lengthen the life of a lead storage battery and which the Bureau of Standards and the Post Office Department claims is worthless.

It all arises over the making of determinations by the Bureaus. Federal law makes it a criminal offense to use the United States Mails to defraud. If and when the Post Office Department decides that some enterprise using the mails is fraudulent or obscene or a lottery or something of that nature it issues a fraud order and which prohibits delivery of any mail to the person or business that is involved and such mail is returned to the sender. Any business or person against whom a fraud order is issued is, under such conditions, completely ruined as is easy to understand.

The Post Office Department relies heavily in its determinations upon various government bureaus. These include the Bureau of Standards and the Food and Drug Administration. Often patent medicines are involved.

In the case of the battery additive the Bureau of Standards decided it was of no value and the Post Office Department held up the man's mail and was about to return this mail to the senders under a fraud order when the new Postmaster General stepped into the picture and called a halt. He ordered the Department to deliver the mail to the man and to stop holding it up.

In the meantime the man, Mr. Ritchie, had gotten other independent laboratories to test his powder and these tests are alleged to have shown that the powder does have some merit. Members of Congress interested themselves in the controversy. Then Secretary of Commerce Weeks fired the head of the Bureau of Standards, Dr. Allen V. Astin or at least asked for his resignation and which is the same thing.

In turn Dr. Astin defended his conduct and that of the Bureau as being "fair and adequate". He may be invited before some Committee of Congress to explain. Whether in this particular case the battery additive is a fraud or an item of real value to the people is beside the point. The real point is that such things can be done; that the bureaus have it within their power to not only destroy a man in business but also deprive the people as a whole from having made available to them something that they may want.

It has been the history of the world that everything new is subject to ridicule. That has been the lot of every great invention and quite often the initial presentation is crude and often ridiculous when

### Commonwealth of Virginia,

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit of the County of Fluvanna, on the 25th day of February, 1953.

HERMAN FITZ CLARENCE MORRISON, Plaintiff,

against

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Elaine Dickson Morrison

defendant.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bond of matrimony from the defendant on the ground of desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she appear before this Court within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be 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 Scottsville Sun, a newspaper published in the Town of Scottsville, Virginia, that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this County on or before the 25th day of February, 1953, and that the Clerk mail a copy hereof to each of the said copy hereof to the post-office address given in the affidavit herein, and file a certificate of the fact in the papers of this case.

Teste: Richard F. George, Clerk

Annie Moring Fallwell, p. q.

A Copy Teste: Richard F. George, Clerk.

## Senator Robertson

(Continued from page two)

Cabinet and the Congress will agree that we cannot afford to gamble with the destiny of this nation by giving up the restraining influence of potent armed forces in return for what is euphemistically called "butter instead of guns". Former Speaker Rayburn of the House has assured President Eisenhower that he will support any defense program which the President deems necessary for our safety. And so will I. Last week was the anniversary

of the supreme sacrifice made for mankind by the Prince of Peace. Nearly two thousand years ago He gave the world a plan for peace but the world-wide lack of faith in that plan was reflected in the cynical remark of Stalin to Roosevelt at Yalta when Roosevelt referred to the Pope's influence among his Catholic followers. "How many divisions does the Pope have?" asked Stalin. Stalin had respect for physical force and so does his successor, Malenkov. Realizing that our nation would from time to time be confronted

with rulers of that type George Washington said: "To be prepared five means of preserving peace."

viewed later, after there has been refinement. This is particularly true as to such now common inventions as the automobile, the steamboat, the sewing machine, the airplane, the radio and others now considered essentials. We would be in a rather sorry state today if some bureaucrat could have stopped such inventions and choked them to death at birth by denunciation as frauds.

It so happens that in this case Mr. Ritchie is not only a man of determination but also a man with the prestige and the finances necessary to put up a fight. In most such cases the person involved cannot do this because he lacks the finances and the staying power necessary to fight and to be able to withstand a long drawn-out proceeding and series of proceedings. It is so much easier to just quit when the adversary is some over fat government bureau that can draw on the public treasury for finances and which the citizen being pushed around cannot do.

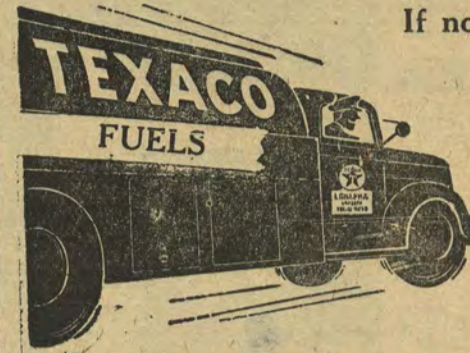
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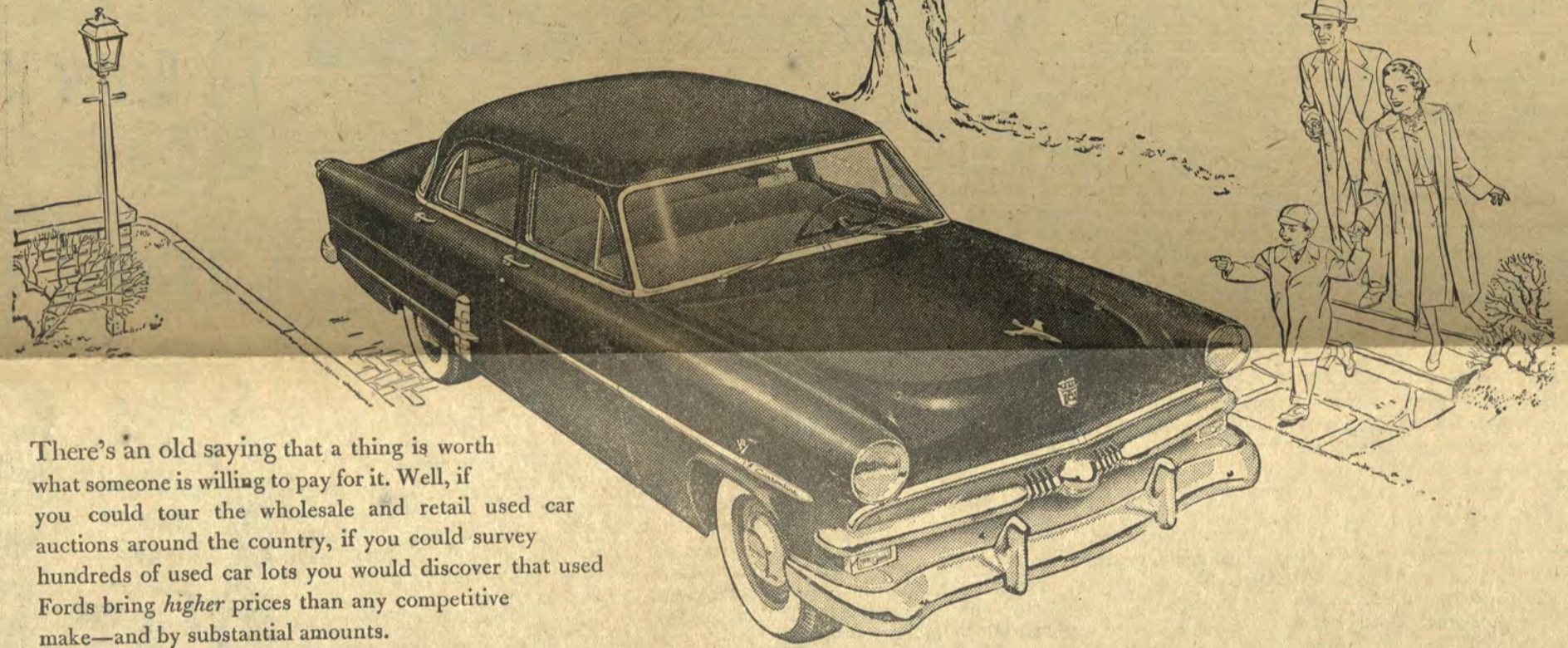
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**What about ride?** Here's another Ford similarity with high-priced cars... *Riding Comfort.* One of the misconceptions for many years has been that weight—sheer weight—is what it takes to make a car ride well. Ford has found that you can make a 3000-pound car ride softer and hold the road better by far than many cars that weigh a full 1000 pounds more. In the '53 Ford, for example, front end road shock has been reduced up to 80%. We say it compares most favorably with the heaviest cars sold today.

**What about automatic transmissions?** It would take the fingers of both hands to count the various kinds of automatic and semi-automatic transmissions on the market today. The one we

offer is called Fordomatic. It is the most versatile on the market, it represents the most profound consideration of engine-to-wheel power transfer—and that it does the best job for our engines isn't even open to question. It "shifts" better than you could shift by hand.

**What you can see is also important.** Here again Ford Cars lead not only in their price field but in the medium and upper brackets as well. Ford visibility is *Full-Circle* Visibility. This means huge, curved unobstructed glass area, front and rear, plus side windows that allow all passengers what the hotels call "room with a view."

**Appearance?** A higher price, of course, does not make a car more beautiful. Conversely, beauty in a Ford comes "for free." Ford has found that it costs no more to develop a beautiful car than one that is less pleasing in appearance. You can drive up to the most exclusive doorways in the world and feel perfectly at home in your Ford. Fords "belong" . . . in exactly the same social category as the finest, one-of-kind creations. After all, a Ford is a custom creation multiplied.

**What about running costs?** Here's one place that Ford's advantages are obvious. For oil and gas economy Ford has the big cars whipped. Ford parts cost less. Ford service charges are less. Ford tire mileage is thousands of miles greater. And, Ford depreciation is the lowest of any car on the market—bar none.

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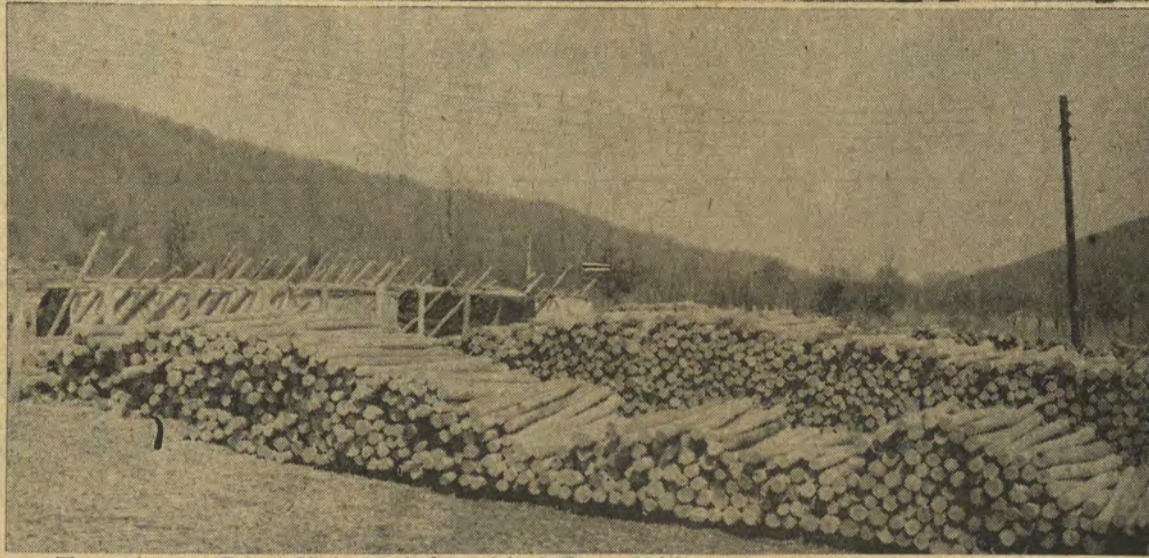
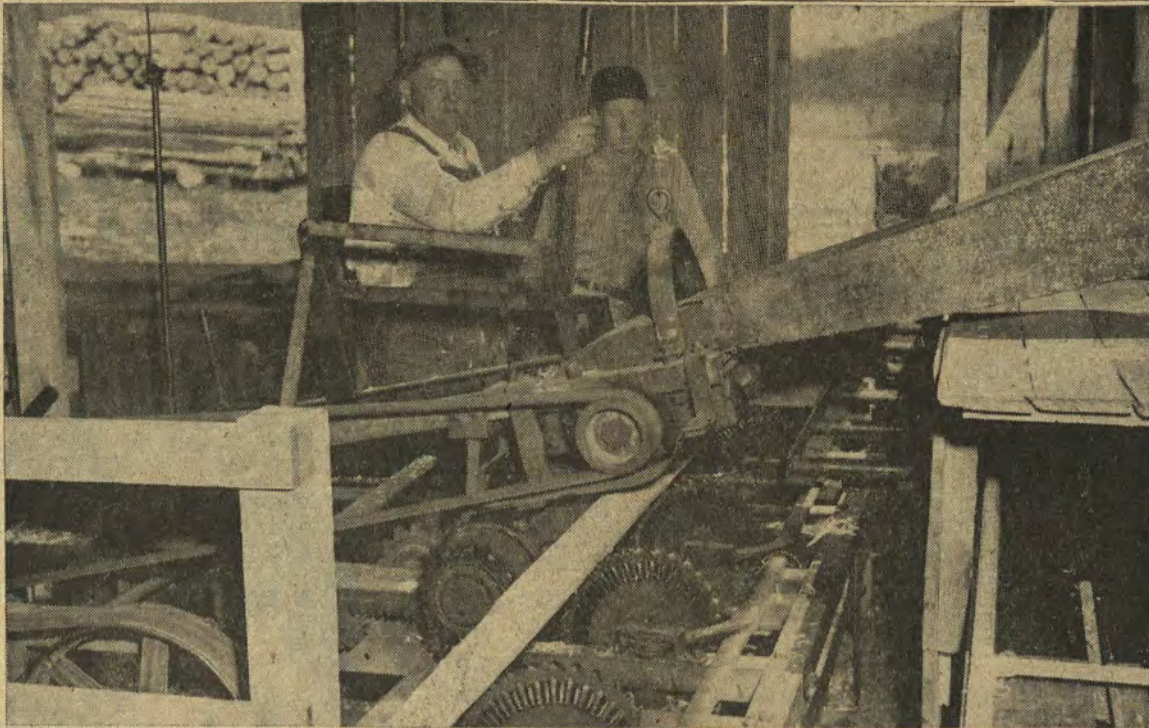
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Top photo—Bory Hunter, left, with helper Eddie Hunt operates new lathe-type post peeler at the Virginia Wood Preserving Company plant at Coveseville. Lower photo shows treated material stacked for shipment. (AEP Co. Photos)

Virginia Wood Preserving Company, near Coveseville, has spent approximately \$4,000 in revamping their wood preserving plant.

The change over from a chain type wood peeler to a lathe type post peeler enables this concern to produce from 500 to 1,000 posts per day as compared with 150 posts per day with the old machines. In addition, they are also able to process 10,000 to 15,000 ft. of lumber each day.

Logs from 2 feet to 18 feet in length with a diameter ranging from 3 inches to 16 inches can be peeled and cleaned with the new lathe type peeler.

The advantages of the lathe over the chain peeler are a nicer product, cheaper operating cost, can peel any species of wood any time of year plus the ease of operation. The change over was made in October, 1952.

The conveyor belt, which carries the peeled lumber through the Osmose Wood Preserving bath, has been increased in length. This belt also takes the treated lumber into the storage yard where it is stacked and stored. At the present time the belt is 115 feet long and can be increased to 300 feet.

The plant is so constructed that all types of wood including dressed and sawed building material can be treated. This process increases the life of wood indefinitely and the treated product can be used in its natural state or painted.

Two men operate the plant and sell material from the yard, one salesman travels throughout the state soliciting business. The bulk of the sales come from Richmond and the eastern part of the state.

The concern purchases logs and material locally and also will treat lumber for individuals for their own use.

The plant makes use of electric motors in all phases of its operation.

24-Hour Watch To Be Delayed Until Post Built

John Dorrier, Supervisor of the Scottsville Ground Observer Corps, announced this week that the local post would not go on 24 hour air watch until the Observation Post is built in Scottsville. Albemarle County was asked on Monday to begin 24 hour air spotting on Tuesday of this week. Dorrier stated that since "Scottsville did not have any suitable place to use as a post that the Ground Observation Corps here will not go on duty until the Post is constructed." "The contract for the construction of the shelters throughout the county has been let and the Scottsville shelter should be completed in two or three weeks," Dorrier stated.

The Scottsville shelter will be constructed in the side yard of Dr. R. L. King's home near Scottsville. This is where the Air Watch Station was located in the latter part of World War II. During test runs which have been scheduled in the county the post has been maintained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dorrier. Mr. Dorrier urged the citizens of the community who are scheduled to man the Scottsville post to consult the operational charts in Bruce's Drug and Jones Store. These charts give the day and time that each watcher is scheduled to air spot during the month. "Now that Scottsville will definitely go on 24 hour watch within a few weeks, it is important that every spotter know when he is to man the Air Watch Station," Mr. Dorrier stated.

Cohasset News

By Frances Kie

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Anderson, Jr. of Marshall spent Easter with Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Glass.

Mrs. Isabelle Marshall and son, Bobby, have returned to Arlington after spending several days with Mrs. Marshall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bransford.

Miss Kay Gentry had an Easter egg hunt at her home Sunday. Guests included May Robinson, Wayne Gentry, Ty Cobb, Phil Snead, Bobby Marshall, Sara Lou and Jerry Kie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cleveland had as their guests last week-end Miss Mary Cleveland of Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Peacock of Fremont, N. C.

Mrs. John Dabney returned from Medical College Hospital Sunday to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jack Robinson.

Mrs. J. P. Cleveland returned home Friday after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Woodfin Snead in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Gentry had as their guest Sunday afternoon Mrs. Howard Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gentry, Mrs. Malcolm Gentry, Mrs. Randolph Snead, Mrs. Frances Kie and Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Anderson, Jr.

Miss Georgie Kie of Washington, D. C. is spending several days with Mrs. Frances Kie and Mrs. Agnes Kie in Fork Union. Mrs. H. M. Bransford visited relatives in Carson Wednesday.

North Carolina suffered the greatest number of casualties in the Civil War.

Thirty-three states had prohibition before the 18th Amendment was adopted.

W. A. Hamner

Scottsville Nine Loses First Game Of Year

Funeral services were held yesterday for William A. Hamner, 75, of Rockfish, who died suddenly at his home Monday morning after a brief illness. Services were conducted at Riverside Presbyterian Church by the Rev. W. H. Elder, assisted by the Rev. Robert Camden of Rocky Mount, with interment in the family cemetery.

Mrs. Hamner was the son of the late William Edward Hamner and Elizabeth Ferris Hamner of Howardsville. His wife was the late Mrs. Mary Thurmond Hamner. She was a member of the Rockfish Baptist Church.

Survivors include his daughter, Mrs. E. H. McKenzie of Tye River; three sons, Russell Hamner of Norton, Frank Hamner of Washington, D. C. and Wallace A. Hamner of Rockfish; two sisters, Mrs. W. A. Dawson of Fredericksburg and Miss Marie Hamner of Roanoke; five brothers, Frank Hamner of Altavista, Robert Hamner of Howardsville, Nick Hamner of Dallas, Texas; Wright Hamner of Fredericksburg and Jim Hamner of El Paso, Texas; 12 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Honorary pall bearers included B. C. Small, C. C. Rothwell, H. D. Mawyer, G. H. Whitehead and Robert C. Goad.

The Scottsville High School Baseball team lost the first game of the season when it played Red Hill High School at the Scottsville Ball Park on Wednesday afternoon, April 1. Red Hill won 6 to 3 over Scottsville.

Billy Moon, High school senior who is entering his second year as pitcher for the Scottsville High team, gave up 5 hits in the game and struck out 16 Red Hill men. Line up for the Scottsville "Hornets" was as follows:

Butch Carden—CF, Durwood Balloue—(came in in 9th inning in CF); Bobby Jones—LF, Milton Ferneyhough—1B, Frank Ferneyhough—2B, Billy Moon—P, John Bolick—RF, Alex Ward—RF, David Catlett—3B, Luther Maupin—SS, Robert Baber—C, and Robert Taylor—C.

On Honor List

Richard T. Heath of Esmont is one of the 51 VPI students on the honor list of the Dean of the School of Applied Science and Business Administration for the quarter just completed. This is the second time he has won the honor and was on the Dean's list for the fall quarter.

Heath is a freshman, majoring in biology.

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