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## Palmyra Budget Hearing Scheduled For April 6

The regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Fluvanna County was held at 10 A.M., on March 5, in the board room of the clerk's office at Palmyra.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and routine bills were considered, approved and ordered paid. A proposal that the Board pass a resolution approving the appointment of general registrar for the County was tabled until next year. The Commonwealth's Attorney was authorized to advertise that a public hearing would be held at 2 P.M. on April 6, 1953 concerning the enactment of an Ordinance prohibiting the operation of dance halls in the county after midnight on Saturday.

The question of which roads the Board would recommend for improvement during the next fiscal year was deferred for a future meeting.

The tentative budget for the fiscal year 1953-54 was examined and approved, and the Clerk was authorized to publish the tentative budget, together with notice that a public hearing would be held at the Courthouse at 2 P.M. on April 6, before final approval.

## Baptist Quartet Sings At Sharon Church

The Quartet from the Scottsville Baptist Church sang at the Sharon Baptist Church in Buckingham last Sunday in special services connected with Family Day. Members of the Quartet are Cosby Patterson, W. J. Smith, John Henry Phillips, and S. R. Pugh. Mrs. L. E. Armistead accompanied on the piano. The selections sung were "Face to Face" and "In the Land Where We'll Never Grow Old."

## Local Merchant Holds 6-Class Fishing Contest

The best fisherman around this locality will get something more than a good story when they catch a big fish during the next few months. The Western Auto Associate Store in Scottsville, operated by John R. Williamson, is holding a contest for the first and second largest fish (by weight) in each of six classes caught between the first of April and the end of September.

Mr. Williams is putting the prizes, fishing tackle, of course, on display in his window this week. They may be won by residents of Albemarle, Buckingham, Fluvanna and Nelson counties.

The six classes are bass, trout, brim, perch, catfish and pike. All entries must be officially weighed by Gilbert Gibb at Miller's Grocery.

## Spencer To Emcee 7th Grade Pupils PTA Talent Show

Bobby Spencer, Senior at Scottsville High School and well known entertainer in the community, will be master of ceremonies at the Talent Show which the Scottsville P.T.A. is sponsoring on the night of March 27. The show will be held at Scottsville High School and will open at 8 p.m. Cash prizes will be awarded to the winners in the talent contest.

The contestants will be divided into three groups. Children from the 1st grade through the seventh will make up one group, high school students will comprise another, and adults will form the third group. Winners in each classification will receive cash awards for first, second and third prizes.

Elmer Johnson, president of the local P.T.A., stated that letters had gone out to the principals of surrounding schools with applications for anyone who wished to appear in the show. Applications are asked to be returned by March 18. Mr. Johnson stated. Anyone wishing to be in the talent contest can obtain applications from any member of the P.T.A. committee in charge of the show, Johnson reported.

Russell Brill is chairman of the committee for the Talent Contest. Members of his committee are Bobby Spencer, Mrs. Ashby Mayo, John Williamson, and Jack Miller.

Pupils of the Seventh Grade of Scottsville High School presented three plays for the program for the Scottsville P.T.A. held last Monday night. The skits were adapted from stories and were entitled, "The Flea", "The Three Sillies," and "Jack and the Beanstalk".

A nominating committee composed of Forrest Paulett, chairman, Mrs. W. C. Duncan, Mrs. John Williamson, and Tom Gillis, who will serve in an advisory capacity, was elected at Monday night's meeting. The committee will present a slate of officers for the Scottsville P.T.A. for 1953-54 at the April meeting of the P.T.A. Nominations from the floor will also be called for, preceding the elections at that meeting. Officers elected for the coming year will be installed in May.

P.T.A. President, Elmer Johnson, announced plans for the Talent Show which the organization is sponsoring on March 27. Mr. Johnson announced that the talent contestants will be divided into three age groups. Cash prizes of \$3, first prize, \$2, second prize, and \$1, third prize will be awarded to each group. School pupils will sell tickets to the show.

Mr. Johnson announced that total receipts from the Card Party came to \$106. A treasury report listing \$246.25 in the P.T.A. School Improvement Fund and \$146.13 in the General Fund was given.

Forrest Paulett, member of the Albemarle School Board from the Scottsville District, reported that the suit which is being brought against the County School Board for their decision to deny bus transportation to the Consolidated School for pupils from Esmont has been entered in Circuit Court. No date for a hearing has been set as yet, Mr. Paulett stated.

The secretary of the P.T.A. was instructed to write the County School Board a letter of appreciation for the 204 new chairs which have recently been placed in the Scottsville School auditorium.

Mrs. Randolph Phillips' Seventh Grade presented the three plays which they had adapted from stories. All members of the grade were in the skits or had worked on the sets. The following did the adaption and dialogue for the skits: Jimmy Haga, "The Flea"; Merle Staton and Pearl Spradlin, "The Three Sillies"; James Miller, "Jack and the Beanstalk".

The mothers of second grade pupils were in charge of refreshments served at the close of the meeting.

## Open Meeting

The Fluvanna Garden Club is having an open meeting on Thursday afternoon, March 19, at three o'clock at the Fluvanna County High School and has invited members of various organizations in the county to be present.

H. J. Neale, landscape engineer of the Virginia Department of Highways, will speak on "The Highway System and What the Public Can Do To Make the Highways Safer and More Pleasing".

Mr. Neale will be instructed by Mrs. Ellis P. Snead, secretary of the Fluvanna War Memorial Association. The public is invited to attend.

## Riding Club Luncheon

Officers of the Tri-County Riding Club had a luncheon meeting on last Friday with Mrs. R. V. Krouse at "Old Orchard Farm". Plans were made for the march breakfast ride which will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Christenson at "Riverlawn". The ride will be held on Saturday March 14 at 9:30 a.m. rain or shine.

## Church Notes

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Scottsville Charge  
Rev. John P. Elliott, Jr. Pastor  
Sunday School 10 a.m., Clarence Whitted, Supt.  
Worship Service 11:15 a.m.  
B.T.U. 7 p.m.  
Antioch  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Roscoe Duncan, Supt.  
B.T.U. 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.  
Fluvanna  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Russell Collins, Sr. Supt.

### METHODIST CHURCHES

Scottsville Charge  
Rev. Jack B. Taylor, Pastor  
The Rev. Aubrey Hughes, our District Superintendent, will visit us this Sunday and will deliver the message at each church. Everyone is invited to hear and meet him.  
Scottsville  
Church School 10 a.m. George Omohundro, Jr., Supt.  
Morning Worship 11:15 a.m.  
Pastor's Pre-Easter Class on "The Meaning of Church Membership" 3:30 p.m. daily in Parsonage Basement.  
Mt. Zion  
Morning Worship 10 a.m.  
Church School 11 a.m. Dudley Patterson, General Supt.  
Howardsville  
Afternoon Worship 3 p.m.

### PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday School 10:15 a.m.  
Church Service, 11:15 a.m.  
EPISCOPAL  
Christ Church, Glendower  
Morning Prayer 11:15 a.m.  
St. John's Church, Scottsville  
Sunday School 11:15 a.m.  
St. Stephen's, Church, Esmont  
Sunday School 11 a.m.  
St. Anne's Church, Alberene  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Services 8 p.m.

Rev. H. W. Connelly, Pastor  
Fork Union Baptist Church  
Sunday School 9:45  
J. W. Pendergras, Supt.  
Worship 11:00 a.m.

Fox Memorial  
Rev. Temple Collins, Pastor  
Second Sunday—Sunday School at 2 p.m.  
Church Services 3 p.m.  
Fourth Sunday—Church service 11:00 a.m.  
Services each first and third Sunday evenings at 8 p.m.  
Sunday School each Sunday at 10 a.m. R. L. Napier, Supt.

Columbia  
St. John's Episcopal Church  
Sunday School—Sundays at 10 a.m.  
Communion and Sermon 11 a.m.

Bremo Bluff  
Grace Episcopal Church  
Rev. J. A. Figg, Rector  
Sunday School Sundays at 10 a.m.

## Fluvanna Trial Justice

In Fluvanna Trial Justice Court held on February 25, Judge P. W. Seay tried eleven cases on traffic violations. Alfred Carter of Palmyra received a \$100 fine for drunk driving, which was the largest fine meted out by the Judge.

Three cases of reckless driving appeared. Charles F. Hoffman and W. G. Kees, both of Fork Union, each received a \$10 fine on that charge. James E. Adams of Palmyra was given a \$5 fine for reckless driving. Russell Carter of Shores was meted out a \$15 fine for reckless driving and driving without a permit.

Charges of speeding were brought against Norman E. Hicks, Jr. of Charlottesville and James Reed Clarke of Newport News. Each received a \$10 fine. William Ruffin Andrews of Richmond appeared on two charges, speeding and failing to answer a legal summons. Andrews was given a \$15 fine.

Willie George Keith of Unionville and Mamie E. Richardson of Charlottesville were each fined \$5 for having no operator's license.

## Final Plans Made For Beauty Contest Next Wednesday

Final preparations were being made this week by members of the Commercial Club at Scottsville High School, for the Beauty Contest which it is sponsoring next Wednesday night at 8 p.m. at Victory Theatre. Miss Katherine Tindall, Commercial Class teacher, announced the following 34 girls who will be in the contest and their sponsors:

Melva Adcock, Parr's Furniture Store and Athletic Club; Madeline Bailey, The Hub; Betty Butler Johnson's Service Station and W. F. Paulett and Son; Peggy Boatwright, Sophomore Class and Scottsville Sun; Barbara Coleman, Mathias Stores; Betty Coleman, Traveler's Rest Hotel, Moore's Beauty Salon and Dramatics Club; Doris, Cunningham, The Silver Grill and Miller's; Doris Davis, Pitt's Market and Co-Ed Hi-y Club; Ann Dawson, W. A. Dawson, Jr., Distributor; Barbara Fitzgerald, Simmon's Service Station and Forensic Club; Sylvia Gay, Texaco Service Station and Senior Class; Shirley Golladay, Faulconer's Jewelry Store and F.F.A.; Boyce Heath, Valmont Dairy; Barbara Hunter, Scottsville Cleaners; Callie Vee Johnson, C. R. Dorrier; Shirby Jean Johnson, Omohundro Hardware, Daisy Flower Shop and Safety Patrol; Mildred Jones, Coleman's Restaurant; Nancy Kidd, Spencer-Cleveland Insurance Co., Junior Class; Virginia Lee Londeree, Bruce's Drug, Lee's Restaurant, The Garment Shop; June Mayo, L. L. Armistead, Wholesale Grocer and Science Club; Margaret Moore, Jefferson Mills and the Commercial Club; Mary Catherine Moore, Harrison's Beauty and Barber Shop and Coral Club; Judy Newton, W. P. Beal Co. and Jones Store; Phyllis Patterson, Smith Chevrolet Sales; Antelle Payne, James River Market; Barbara Payne, R. L. Collins, Plumbing; Joyce Pyles, Bruce-Dorrier and F.H.A.; Lyle Rea, United States Rubber Co., Atlantic Life Ins. Co., W. H. Spencer, agent; Doris Ripley, Western Auto; Barbara Roberts, Jackson Beal Ins. Co. and W. G. Mason, Plumber; Pearl Spradlin, 4-H Club; Elsie Staton, Publications Club; Nellie Taylor, Scottsville Flour Mills; Betty Tooley, Freshman Class.

The Scottsville Orchestra will play as the girls enter the stage. All the contestants will wear evening gowns.

A short skit "The New Secretary" under the direction of Mrs. Josephine Magnifico will be given. Characters in the skit will be played by Billy Moon, Franklin Ferneyhough, Joe Kidd and Bobby Spencer.

## Officers Installed

Officers of the Women of the Presbyterian Church for the coming year were installed in a Candlelight Service on Sunday morning at the Presbyterian Church. T. A. Allison, Clerk of Session, conducted the installation.

The following took office: Mrs. M. V. Hill, president; Miss Frances Morris, vice-president; Mrs. Russell Brill, Secretary; Mrs. Tom Allison, Treasurer; Chairman of the committees are Mrs. Pollard Staley, World Missions; Mrs. Carl Faulconer, Church Extension; Miss Francis Morris, Christian Education; Mrs. Sam Spangler, Spiritual Growth; Mrs. Daisy Morris, Annuitants and Relief; and Mrs. Joe Wilson, Assembly's Special Courses.

The Scottsville Home Demonstration Club will meet on Friday, March 20, at the home of Mrs. Raymond Thacker at 2 p.m. The demonstration for the meeting will be given by Mrs. Jack Miller on "Flower Gardening."

## Local Pupils Attend Electrical School



AT ALL-DAY ELECTRICAL SCHOOL—Here are two pictures taken last week as 4-H Club members of Scottsville High School attended all-day electrical classes. Top photo shows Jack Bower, area representative of the Appalachian Electric Power Company, (left) and E. F. Button, assistant county agent of Albemarle County as they explained electrical board to students. Lower photo shows group of students who attended the classes. (AEP Co. Photos)

All-day electric schools for 4-H members taking the 4-H Farm and Home Electric Project were held for members in the Red Hill High School and Scottsville High School club. Thirty-two club members under the supervision of Miss Virginia Roller and E. F. Button, Assistant Albemarle County Agents, met in the school cafeteria on February 24 to receive instruction planned to help club members complete their electric project.

Harry L. Candler, Agricultural Engineer, and John M. Bower,

Area Representative of the Appalachian Electric Power Company, taught the classes. Subjects discussed and demonstrated included simple electrical repairs, improved home lighting, electrical safety, and infra-red brooding. The same school was repeated on February 27 for 48 Scottsville 4-H club members. The Scottsville meeting was held in the Firemen's Building.



**Household Hints**

Betty J. Minnick, Home Economist  
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Let's have pudding for dessert tonight — homemade pudding made specially light and fluffy with the aid of a portable mixer and topped with an easy-to-prepare custard sauce.

Here are two simple pudding recipes from the General Electric Consumers Institute and also the directions for making a delicious custard sauce.

**Snow Pudding**

- 1 envelope (1 tablespoon) unflavored gelatin
- ¼ cup cold water
- ¼ cup granulated sugar
- Pinch Salt
- 1 cup boiling water
- ¼ cup lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon grated lemon rind
- 2 egg whites

Sprinkle gelatin in cold water in large mixing bowl. Let stand five minutes. Add sugar, salt and boiling water; stir until gelatin is dissolved. Add lemon juice and lemon rind; stir until well blended. Cool egg whites in small mixing bowl until gelatin begins to set. Place egg whites in small mixing bowl. Using portable mixer, beat at a high speed until stiff but not dry. Add gelatin mixture and beat combined mixture at a high speed until mixture holds its shape. Pour into quart mold or six individual molds, or pile into sherbet glasses. Chill in refrigerator. Serve with custard sauce. Makes six servings.

**Fruit Whip**

- 1 egg white
- ½ cup fruit pulp\*
- ½ cup sugar
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice.

Place egg white, fruit pulp and lemon juice in medium mixing bowl. Beat with portable mixer at a high speed until mixture is very thick, light and fluffy. Approximately 8 to 10 minutes. Serve immediately with Custard Sauce. Makes 5 to 6 servings.

\*Prune, peach or apricot may be used. For apricot whip, you may fold in ¼ cup finely chopped, dried

apricots at the end of beating time. One 5-oz. jar of pureed fruit (baby food) may be used for pulp. Custard Sauce  
2 eggs (or 4 egg yolks)  
¼ cup sugar  
¼ teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon vanilla extract  
1½ cups milk

Place eggs in top of double boiler. (On an electric range you can use Low heat and omit the double boiler. Add sugar, salt and vanilla and continue to beat at a low speed for about 30 seconds. Pour in milk and cook over simmering (not boiling) water or Low heat, stirring constantly, until mixture "coats" a metal spoon with a thin film of custard. If the mixture begins to curdle, remove from heat and beat at a high speed until smooth. Chill and serve with simple desserts. Makes 2 cups of sauce.

**Chocolate Meringue Macaroons** are quick and easy to prepare and eliminate the use of a double boiler.  
1 7-oz. pkg. semi-sweet chocolate  
2 egg whites  
½ teaspoon salt  
2-3 cup powdered sugar  
1¼ cups shredded coconut  
1. Melt chocolate over Low heat.  
2. Beat egg whites and salt until whites hold soft peaks.  
3. Add sugar gradually; beat well.  
4. Fold in warm chocolate mix-

**Howardsville**

By Vernard Hurt

Mr. and Mrs. John Hurt, Carro Tooley, Mrs. C. W. Morris and William Goodman motored to Palmyra on Saturday morning.

Mrs. Annie Goolsby visited Mrs. John Hurt Saturday evening.

Pvt. Kenneth V. Carroll, who has been stationed at Camp Polk, La., is now discharged from the Army and is living with his wife at the home of Mrs. Annie Goolsby. He arrived here February 28. Rev. John W. Garrett, Mrs.

Denson, Mrs. C. N. Brown and Mrs. C. W. Morris visited Mr. and Mrs. John Hurt on Sunday evening.

Hugh Brown, who is employed at Hopewell, has been called to report for duty in the Army on March 27. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Brown.

Miss Sally Brady spent a few days with the Scotts in Richmond. Mrs. John Moore of Avon Hill reported seeing a large black bear cross the road near here last week while driving to Scottsville.

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

Miss Virginia Clements visited the Carrolls at Schuyler on Sunday.

B. F. Wells is a patient at the Martha Jefferson Hospital in Charlottesville.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Omohundro, Jr. and Mrs. Emma Simmons, all of Richmond, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Omohundro, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wyland and children of "Social Hall" visited the Wylands in Schuyler on Sunday evening.

J. T. Irving and Vernard Hurt, Harry Bryant and H. E. Fenwick spent Friday evening in Scottsville. Mr. Hurt and Mr. Irving drove to Scottsville again on Saturday evening.

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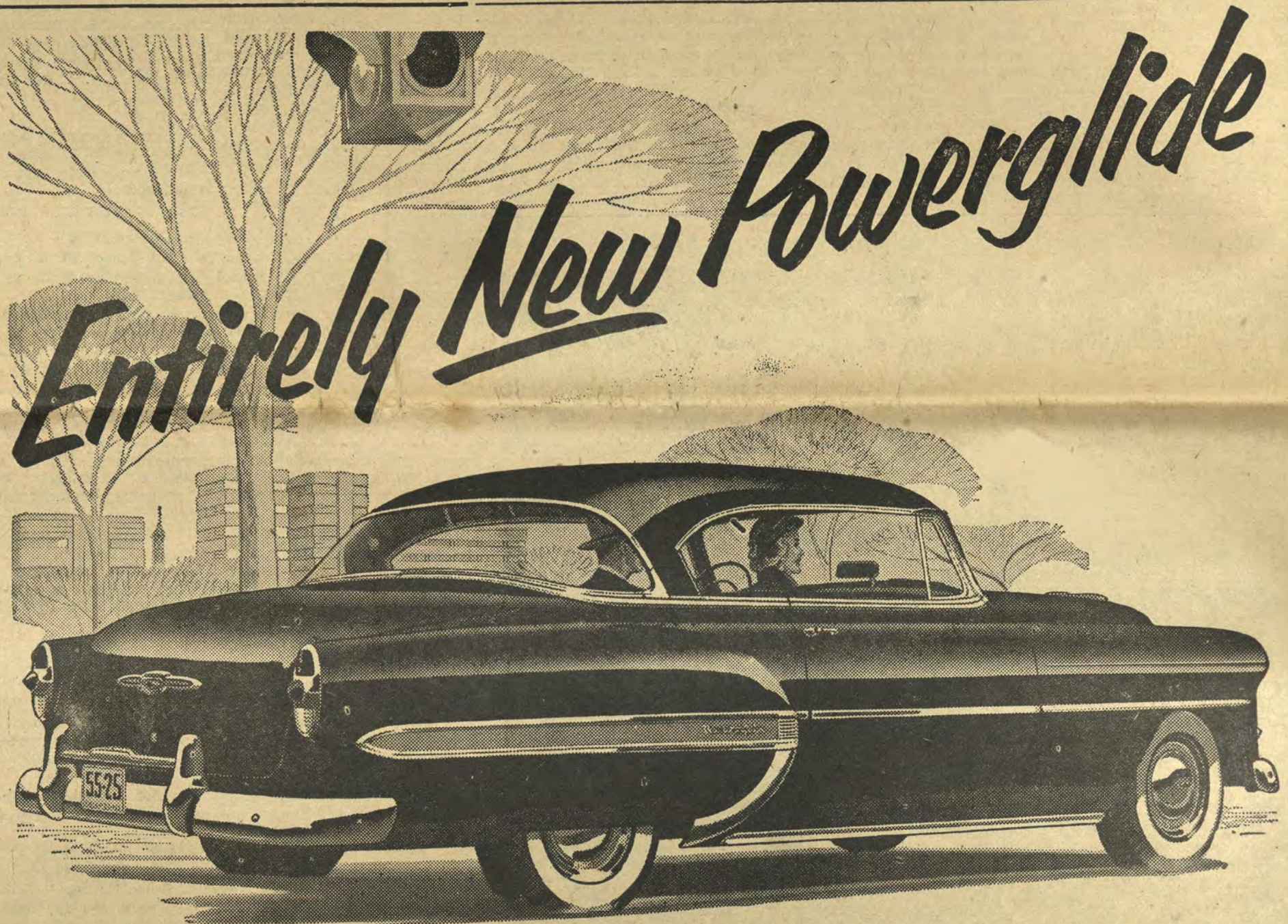
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**VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY OF FLUVANNA.**

JOSIE MERCER SEAY AMOS, ET ALS., COMPLAINANTS, VS: STEWART BOWLES, WHEREABOUTS UNKNOWN, ET ALS., DEFENDANTS.

**ORDER OF PUBLICATION. IN CHANCERY.**

Leave of Court having been granted the Complainants herein to file an amended Bill of Complaint bringing in as additional parties defendant hereto Fay Nash Bowles and John Stewart Bowles, Jr., an infant, and any unknown heirs of Joanna M. Seay as may be in existence, and the original order of publication herein not yet having been published, it is ordered that the same be superseded and the following issued in its stead and place.

The object of this suit is to partition the land of which Joanna M. Seay died seized and possessed, said land being comprised of four adjoining lots lying and being situate in the Town of Columbia, in Columbia Magisterial District of Fluvanna County, Virginia, they being Lots No. 67, 84, 68 and 83 as shown on a plat of survey of the said Town of Columbia of record in the Office of the Clerk of the above named Court in Deed Book 30 (o.s.) Page 262; being in all respects the same lots or parcels of land conveyed unto the said Joanna M. Seay by deed of J. Mercer Seay, dated the 31st. day of December, 1892 and of record in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Deed Book 27 (o.s.) at Page 109.

An affidavit having been made and filed that due diligence has been used and the whereabouts of the defendant Stewart Bowles cannot be ascertained, and that the unknown heirs of Joanna M. Seay are proceeded against as parties unknown, it is ordered that the said Stewart Bowles and the unknown heirs of Joanna M. Seay appear within ten days after due publication of this order in the Scottsville Sun, a newspaper published in the Town of Scottsville, Virginia and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

Richard F. George, Clerk  
R. P. Zehler, p.g.  
Palmyra, Virginia



# Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John Williamson and their daughter, Margaret, and son, Johnny, visited Mr. Williamson's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hughes, in Farmville last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Langhorne spent last Thursday in Richmond and attended the performance of "South Pacific" at the Mosque.

Mrs. S. L. Atkisson of Buckroe Beach has been spending some time with her sister, Miss Daisy Seay.

Com. and Mrs. Leonard Ewoldt and family arrived on Saturday to visit Mr. Ewoldt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ewoldt, at "Springhill." Mr. Ewoldt returned to Washington on Sunday and his wife and children will remain for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Covington spent several days in Richmond last week. While there Mr. and Mrs. Charles Giles entertained them at a dinner party at The Commonwealth Club.

James G. Browne of Louisville, Kentucky and Mrs. Cecil Watts of Charlottesville visited their sister, Mrs. T. E. Bruce, on Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. John McLaughlin and Mr. McLaughlin's mother were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Allison on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas White of the University of Virginia and Odell White spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Blair White.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. King and Bobby visited Mrs. King's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Jones, in Burlington, North Carolina last week-end. Mrs. Bob Jones was also the guest of her son for the week-end.

Mrs. S. F. Tapscott has returned home after spending some time with her daughter and son-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Butler in of Washington was also the guest of her parents last week-end.

T. H. Gillis visited his mother, Mrs. R. S. Gillis, in Lawrenceville last week-end. They drove to Richmond on Saturday and attended "South Pacific" that night.

Miss Susie Blair has returned to Hollins College near Roanoke after spending some time with her mother, Mrs. J. P. Blair, and aunt, Miss Lucy Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McDearmon and family spent Sunday in Lynchburg visiting Mr. McDearmon's mother, Mrs. W. A. McDearmon, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Aylor and three sons of Culpeper visited Mrs. Aylor's mother, Mrs. L. G. White on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Holt and family visited Mrs. Alice Carlton in Shanghai on Sunday. They were guests at a surprise birthday party for Mrs. Holt's niece, Susanne Carlton, who with her parents, Lt. and Mrs. Francis Carlton of Norfolk, were also guests of Mr. Carlton's mother.

John Fox is spending his Tur-rough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fox. Miss Helen Fox

of Washington was also the guest of her parents last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Carden visited their parents and daughter, at in Burlington, North Carolina last week-end.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert B. Forrest and their children, Nancy Ellen, Robert, and David, of Lynchburg visited Rev. and Mrs. Jack Taylor on last Saturday.

Mrs. L. T. Driscoll returned to Richmond on Sunday after spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Jackson Beal, Sr. and sister, Miss Louise Beal.

Mrs. Nettie B. Turner, Miss Mary Pearl Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Marion Payne and Mrs. George Payne in Richmond on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Fitzgerald, Jr., in Concord on Sunday.

Miss Lois Anderson of Warren and Mrs. Blair White are spending some time with Mrs. L. G. White.

Mrs. C. V. Nees had as her guests for a luncheon recently,

Mrs. Henry Batten, Mrs. R. E. Tanner, and Mrs. Francis Clark of Charlottesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Saul of Appomattox visited Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Mayo last week-end.

Mrs. A. M. Glover of Florida is spending some time with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Alkire. Mr. Alkire has been ill recently and Mrs. Alkire is recovering from a burn she received in a recent fall on a stove.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haines and Mrs. Lorena O'Field of Arlington were the guests of Mrs. Haines and Mrs. O'Field's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holt last week-

A surprise dinner was given, March 1 for Mrs. W. H. Robinson and her brother, C. E. Winks, at the home of Mrs. Robinson. Among the relatives and friends present were Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Winks, Seay in Scottsville on Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Winks and (Continued on page six)

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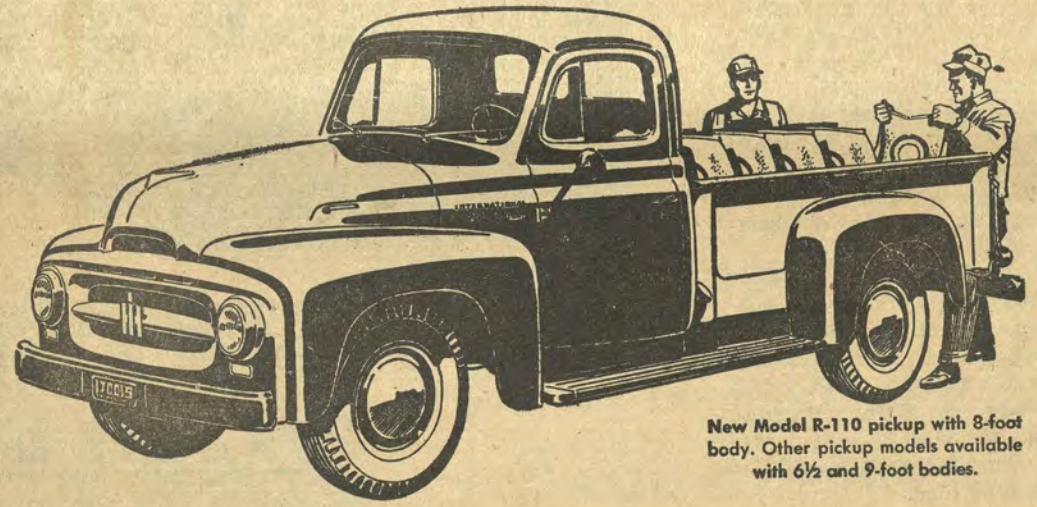
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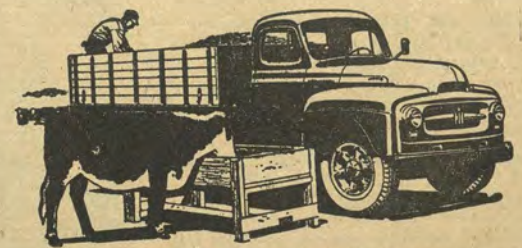


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### V.F.W. News

#### Rehabilitation Services

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Today the V.F.W. rehabilitation services include medical, legal and claims experts in Washington and trained field representatives. These men maintain active contacts with Veteran Administration offices, with every veterans hospital and with all our Posts which work direct with the ex-servicemen and their dependents.

The V.F.W. rehabilitation section helps ex-servicemen gain government insurance, pensions and other compensation, hospitalization, vocational training and educational advantages provided by law. Assistance also is given the dependents of war veterans.

Government records show that since World War II far more veterans' claims have been referred to the V.F.W. for representation than to all other similar organizations combined.

Getting the right kind of job is important to every man and the Veterans of Foreign Wars helps its members along that line. The V.F.W. campaigns constantly for strengthening of national, state and local civil service priorities for war veterans. The V.F.W. counsels veterans; presents appeals before the Civil Service Commission and personnel boards; compiles data relevant to veteran employment preferences; presents finding and conclusion to appropriate Congressional committees. Also V.F.W. employment officers work closely with local, state and federal employment agencies and contact employers in efforts to place veterans in suitable jobs.

One of the major obligations assumed by the Veterans of Foreign Wars—an obligation fulfilled with genuine compassion—is assisting veterans' needy families. This we do throughout each year, quietly without ballyhoo or self-praise.

The record of V.F.W. Post aid to veterans and their families on the community level is much too lengthy for me to quote in detail. Suffice it is to say that no worthy man, woman or child suffers from want when the Veterans of Foreign Wars can help.

Our humanitarian aid is far reaching. When a V.F.W. man dies, leaving a widow, children and little else, our organization extends a helping hand that is warm and practicable.

#### National Home

Our organization has one humanitarian project of which it is particularly proud. Since 1925 the Veterans of Foreign Wars National Home at Eaton Rapids, Michigan, has been a refuge for children whose fathers were totally disabled or died.

The National Home occupies a 640-acre farm complete with orchard, gardens, poultry, pigs, a dairy herd and grazing lands for sheep, cattle and horses. On that farm there are two dozen modern, two-story houses and others are being constructed. In each lives a family of boys, girls and their house mother.

The home has its own modern nursery, hospital and dental clinics, laundry, pasteurizing and storage plants, well-equipped community center, library, gymnasium and play grounds.

The foremost endeavor at the Veterans of Foreign Wars National Home is to give each child a normal, healthy, refined family environment in which he may grow into a mature, useful citizen. The main consideration is development of a youngster's own individuality, whether he be an infant or 17. Hundreds of young folks have "graduated" from this V.F.W. care into college, the business world and other careers. They are the product of a "real home."

The Veterans of Foreign Wars National Home has three principal sources of income (1) percentage of proceeds from the annual sale of V.F.W. Buddy Poppies, (2) life memberships in the home corporation and (3) sale of National Home Christmas seals.

#### Community Services

What do Veterans of Foreign Wars Posts do for their communities? That is an important question—and one we are always eager to answer.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Posts and their Ladies Auxiliary Chapters—in cities, towns and neighborhoods throughout the country are, of course, the very life blood of the entire organization. What they accomplish is directly before the eyes of all the people. In each community lies the V.F.W. strength.

"Community Services" is the term applied to the many things V.F.W. Posts contribute to: (1) improve a city, town or neighborhood; (2) assist needy families; (3) establish better recrea-

tional and educational opportunities for everyone; (4) cooperate with schools, churches and other organizations also; (5) provide special benefits for youth; and (6) direct aid to needy individuals whether or not they are members of our organization.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars declares that democracy and true Americanism begin at home. Our members maintain that making communities better places in which to live is one of the best means of strengthening national unity. That is the theme behind all the things our Posts do in the name of community services.

More than 300 types of community services have been developed by V.F.W. Posts—many of them right in our own state. I do not have time to tell you all about them but if you want a record of our community services the Americanism Department will send you the information. The extent and variety of those services will amaze you. They represent millions of dollars and man hours' work contributed by men and women representing the Veterans of Foreign Wars—all for the welfare of fellow citizens.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Posts and their Ladies Auxiliary Chapters receive plenty of cooperation in making possible these community services. Civic officials, business men's service clubs, women's groups, educators, the press, radio and leaders in professional, commercial and labor fields—all these work with the V.F.W. Posts in every other state of the union.

Doing these things for others pays us good dividends. Our Posts gain strong public acclaim and support through their community services. That attracts better leadership and more members to the active Post. It works like a magic circle—for everyone's benefit, because the stronger a Post becomes the better it can serve its community.

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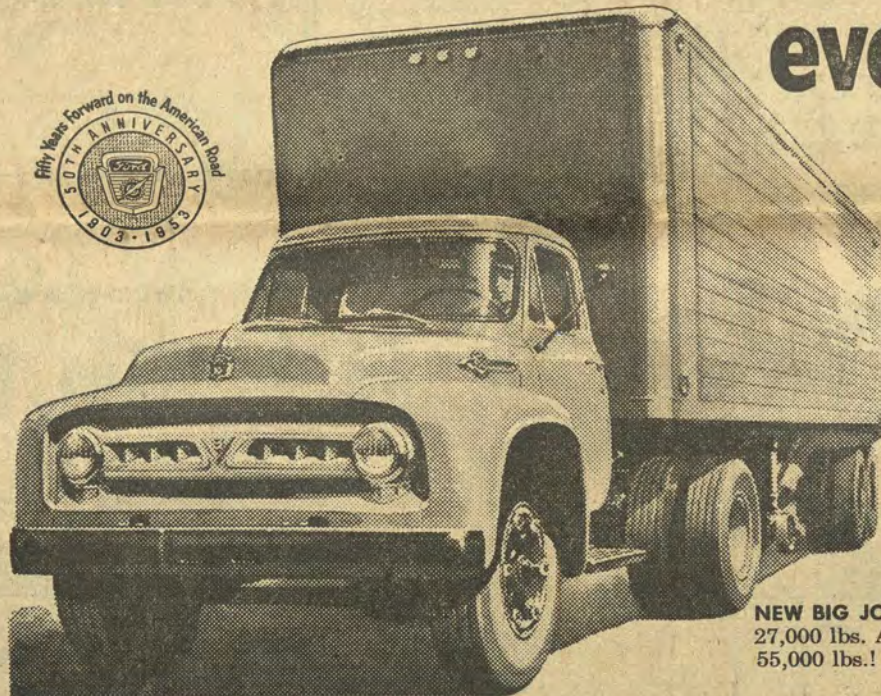


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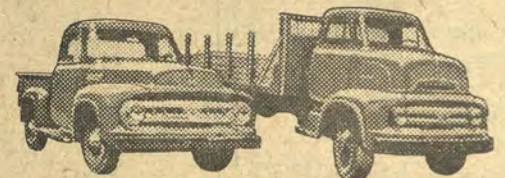
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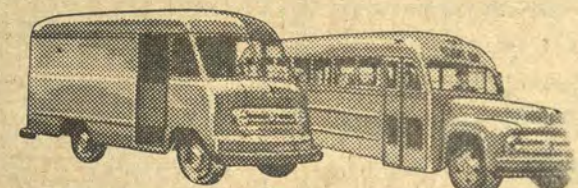
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V. ORDER OF PUBLICATION JOHN CLINTON TRAYNHAM Southold, Long Island, New York IN CHANCERY

The object of the above styled suit is for the complainant, Kathryn Russell Traynham, to obtain a divorce a vinculo on the grounds of desertion for a period of more than one year.

And an affidavit having been made and filed according to law, certifying that John Clinton Traynham's whereabouts are unknown, it is hereby ordered that the said John Clinton Traynham do appear within ten days after due and legal publication of this order in the Clerk's Office of this Court and do what is necessary to protect his interests.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Scottsville Sun, a newspaper published in and having circulation in Charlottesville and Albemarle County, Virginia, and it is further ordered that a certified copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Court House of Charlottesville, Virginia, in accordance with the law.

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### County Farm Notes

By P. H. France  
Artificially Sired Cows High Producers

High milk production is being reached by artificially sired cows in Virginia.

Dr. K. A. Huston, associate dairy husbandman at VPI, says the first production report on artificially sired cows in the state has just been released. It shows that 316 cows produced 9,279 pounds of milk and 395 pounds of fat. This is twice the production of the average dairy cow in Virginia in 1952.

Dr. Huston also says that latest reports point to 1952 as a record year for dairy cattle improvement. Over 42,000 cows, better than 9 percent of all the dairy cows in the state, were artificially bred to production-proven bulls. It is expected that over 46,000 cows will be bred artificially in 1953 in Virginia.

I would strongly recommend that all who can avail themselves of the opportunity to use artificial breeding to raise the standard of their herd.

Tests Run On Replacement Ewes For Lamb Production

Texas (Suffolk & Rambouillet) ewes were first from the standpoint of total lambs raised per ewe

bred and of average daily gain and slaughter grades of lambs, in a test with four kinds of western ewes at VPI Agricultural Experiment Station.

The aim of the test was to determine better types of replacement ewes for spring lamb production.

The northwest blackface (Hampshire x Rambouillet) and the whiteface crossbred type (Columbia x Rambouillet) were about equal in terms of lambs raised and in average daily gain of the lambs; but the lambs from the whiteface crossbred ewes were somewhat lower in grade than those from the northwest blackface ewes.

The fine wool (grade Rambouillet) ewes were distinctly poorer than the other three types in respect to lambs raised and growth rates and slaughter grades of their lambs. However their lambs were harder than those from the other three groups.

The whiteface crossbred ewes produced the heaviest fleeces, followed by the fine wools, northwest blackface, and Texas ewes. The trend is upward in sheep production in Virginia. If you want further information, let me know, and I shall be glad to assist you.

Spring Oat Seeding Tips  
It's almost time to seed spring oats in Virginia.

This reminder, is particularly important for farmers who did not seed grains in the fall and who were unable to seed in mid-winter.

Prepare a seed bed that is firm and free of clods. Seed 2 to 2½ bushels per acre. Fertilize with 400 to 600 pounds of 3-10-10, 4-16-8 or 4-12-8 at time of seeding. If land is thin use a 10-10-10 fertilizer. Where a legume has been turned or manure has been used, it may be necessary to eliminate all nitrogen in the fertilizer.

Plant Andrew or Clinton between March 5 and April 7.

Treat all home-grown seed with Ceresan M. or New Improved Ceresan to help in controlling smut. Most seed coming from commercial channels will already have been treated but it would be well to check on this.

Many farmers are growing oats as a companion crop to hay. In such cases the oats are either cut for hay, or used for grazing. This is a good method of increasing the available feed supply, particularly this year when hay supplies are short.

Researchers Seek Rust-Resistant Orchard Grass

Over 4,300 orchard grass seedlings which show degrees of resistance to rust have been set in the field for further study at VPI Agricultural Experiment Station.

Researchers say rust is one of the three major diseases that seriously damage orchard grass. These diseases may kill the plants, but more often cause the leaves to turn brown prematurely and die.

The researchers also are seeking varieties of various maturity dates, and varieties with the ability to grow better during hot weather. They say considerable progress is being made in getting new plants with more of the desirable characteristics, and that improved varieties will be upcoming for Virginia in the future.

The alfalfa breeding program is being devoted primarily to increasing vigor and disease and insect resistance.

March Good Time To Plant Wood

March is a good time to plant dogwood in Virginia.

A. G. Smith, Jr., associate horticulturist at VPI, says the common white dogwood and its pink sport are used in Virginia more than any type. White dogwood is grown from seed and may be bought from nurserymen. Pink dogwood is budded on the roots of white dogwood.

When nursery-grown plants can be obtained, it is generally cheaper to buy them than to collect them from the woods.

Smith advises using small trees,

especially if you're planting many. Young trees, three to four feet high, have a better chance to grow into healthy trees than the larger ones.

Transplanting dogwood involves digging, moving and setting. Be sure the roots do not dry out anytime while the plants are being moved or handled.

Dogwood likes shade but can be made to grow in the sun. Do not plant when soil is muddy. Dig a hole deeper and larger than the root system. Fill the hole nearly to the level of the ground. Set plant, with roots properly spread, just deep enough to cover roots about one inch. Firm soil. Pour a gallon or two of water slowly around the plant. Let it soak into the soil. Mulch with one or two inches of sawdust, leafmold or peat.

As soon as the tree is planted, cut off at least 1-3 of the top. Be careful not to plant too deep.

### The Meanderer

We are one of those who follow religiously the "Mark Trail" comic strip (so-called for lack of a better name) in the daily papers. The originator of Mark Trail, his great dog Andy, Cherry, Malotte, and the many other interesting characters that are portrayed, is Ed Dodd, a tireless and effective edu-

cator in the field of conservation. If somehow you have missed Mark Trail, look him up. And if you are accused of being juvenile in reading Ed Dodd's daily strip, you have plenty of good company. It is this same Ed Dodd who is national chairman of National Wildlife Week, being celebrated this year March 15-21. Every week in the year it seems is taken up in celebration of something, and we can't all be interested in all of them, but National Wildlife Week is one that all should be interested in, for the wildlife of the country belongs to all of us.

This "Week" was first proclaimed in 1938 and has been sponsored annually since then by the National Wildlife Federation and the state groups belonging to that Federation. This purpose is to focus public attention on the importance of resources and on broad and pressing problems of conservation. The Federation is not a government agency, but a citizen's organization, and has been responsible for much important legislation and action programs in the conservation field. It is financed by persons throughout the nation who every year send in small contributions in exchange for Wildlife Conservation Stamps.

The emphasis in this year's National Wildlife Week is on saving the Prairie Chicken. A national committee is already at work on (Continued on last page)

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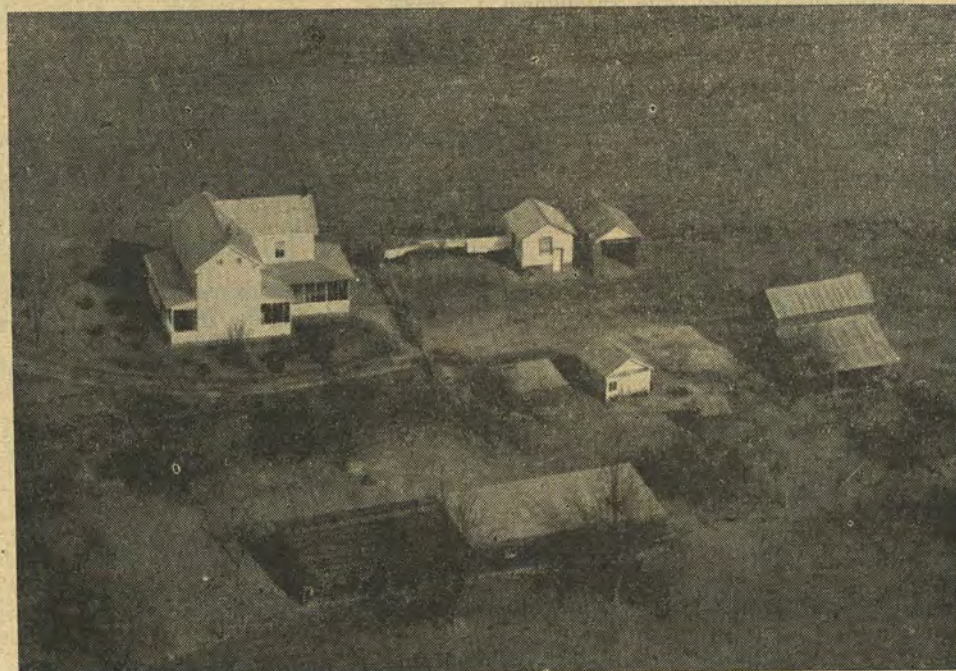
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Practical Compromise

On the subject of tax reduction, two views now prevail in Congress. One is that taxes should be cut at once, and Congress then trim its financial sails to fit its cloth. The other is that the budget should be balanced first, and tax reduction considered thereafter.

Senator Taft proposes a "standby tax reduction law." Under this law, tax reduction would go into effect automatically once the budget was balanced. If Congress failed to cut spending sufficiently to achieve this, the law would be inoperative.

It is certainly true that if a law were on the books making tax reduction mandatory once appropriations were reduced to a certain level, the people would demand action. Senator Taft may have a practical answer to the problem.

Wild And Woolly

Not long ago many of us wistfully envied the cattlemen. Prices were high, demand seemed limitless in spite of that, and tale after tale of fabulous profits came from the beef-producing regions.

Now the picture has undergone an almost incredible change. Steers that sold for as much as 40 cents a pound are going to market for as little as 20 cents. In case after case, heavy losses have replaced the big profits.

In its February 20 issue, U.S. News & World Report deals vividly with what has happened. It explains the causes—the tremendous increase in our cattle population, the potent influence of weather, the speculative spree and the dream of vast profits which caused people who knew little or nothing about the cattle business to enter it as a sideline, the booming cattle auctions where producers sold to each other at ever-rising prices.

U.S. News emphasizes that this hasn't been a fatal blow—there is still money to be made in cattle, and over a period of time the losses will be paid off and recovery attained. There has been no big rush of cattlemen to Washington for government aid. At the end of the magazine says, "Most cattlemen are willing to concede that the big prices of the postwar years are probably gone for good. Many don't want to see such prices again. . . . But almost all of them will agree with the Texas livestock man who said that the spree, while it lasted, was 'one of the wildest, wooliest, crap-shootingest booms that ever was seen.'"

So much for the facts. The moral seems to be that in a free, competitive economy, that which goes up must eventually come down.

Fluvanna School News

By Peggy Phillips
Editor of Fluco Hi Quill
SCHOOL NEWS

League Play Festival at F.C.H.S.
F.C.H.S. will be the scene of the League Play Festival on March 13 at 1:30. At this time one other school, Crozet, is scheduled to present a play.

Minstrel Show To Be Given
March 20-21

This year the 1953 minstrel shows will be held on Friday and Saturday nights, March 20 and 21, if everything goes according to schedule. A variety show is planned for this year's performance. Deep South Songs, Old Time Minstrel Songs, and popular songs will be used.

Gym Clock
The students at F. C. H. S. have set a goal to reach by next winter. The goal is to purchase a gym clock by basketball season. The fund now boasts around two hundred and twenty dollars, but the clock will cost around seven hundred. It is hoped that the citizens of the county will contribute and make it possible for the students to reach their goal.

State High School Forum
On Saturday, February 28, the Virginia High School Forum met in Richmond at John Marshall High School with student representatives from twenty-five foreign countries. Students from high schools throughout the state, invited by the S. C. A. were guests. Fluvanna was represented

by Roy Loving, David Johnson, Joanne Snead, Carrie Breeden, Bobbie Williams, Gordon Gentry, and Mrs. Snead. The program featured Clifford Dowdy, Richmond author and historian. His topic was "Out of the Ashes of Civil Strife." Foreign and state students participated in two panel discussions whose topics were "Social Customs and Habits of the Various Cultures of the World, in Comparison and Contrast," and "How Can We Bring Better Understanding Between the Peoples of Different Nations of the World."

S. C. A. State Convention
The twenty-seventh State Convention will be held at Mary Washington, Fredericksburg, Virginia, on Friday and Saturday, March 20-21, 1953. Fluvanna High will lead a discussion group with Roger Goodson as Chairman. Miss Phyllis Mann as faculty advisor, and Mary Lou Bell. The topic of the group is "Problem of the Small High School."

P. T. A. Meeting
Dr. Abney Robertson, Executive Secretary of the Virginia Federation of P. T. A.'s, spoke to a joint meeting of the Fluvanna P. T. A.'s at 8 p.m. on March 12 in the high school auditorium.

Announcements
The Speed Reaction Tests will be held on March 20. The F.H.A. Spring Rally will be at Powhatan High School on April 29.

SPORTS

Flucos Lose Three In Row

Topped By Lane, Madison, Powhatan

Madison
Carysbrook, Virginia
February 20, 1953
An abundance of sharp shooters and a second half scoring assault spelled doom for Fluvanna's cage unit here tonight as they absorbed a 59-48 lacing at the hands of Madison's speedy Indians.

Lane
February 23, 1953
Lane High's basketball forces scored a narrow 52-48 triumph over a fighting Fluvanna quintet. The Black Knights pulled the game out of the fire when Bob Rodgers, with 20 seconds of Play remaining, dumped in two goals.

Powhatan
February 24, 1953
Powhatan, behind at half time, struck for 33 points in the second half to seal down a 47-42 victory over the home-standing Fluvannians, thus gaining revenge for the 52-29 swamping the Flucos scored earlier in the season.

Girls Lose To Madison
Defeat Powhatan
Madison
Fluvanna's girls, playing host to Madison High on February 20, lost a thriller and a heartbreaker by the narrow margin of three points. This was a hard fought battle from beginning to end with the score being tied at several different times before the final 44-41 victory by Madison.

Powhatan
By winning an exciting 53-44 victory over Powhatan High here Tuesday, February 24, Fluvanna's girls thus ended the season with a record of five wins and only two defeats.

Flucos Defeated By Madison
In Final Round Of Tournament
February 26 and 27
Orange, Virginia

Madison High's basketball team walked off with top honors in the first annual District H basketball tournament by swamping Fluvanna 53-34 in the finals at the Orange High Gymnasium. In the first round first place Madison met Greenwood. In the second game of the first round of play Fluvanna and McIntire tangled. The McIntire club stayed in striking distance until the waning seconds when the Fluco's pulled away 46-39.

Fork Union News

By Mrs. Ellis Harding
Word has been received here announcing the recent marriage of Dr. J. W. Cammack, who is a former pastor of Fork Union Baptist Church. Dr. and Mrs. Cammack have recently purchased a home in Sunny Slope near Phoenix in Arizona. Their many friends in Fluvanna County and throughout Virginia wish them much happiness.

The Cornelia Levell Circle of Fork Union Baptist Church met Monday evening with Mrs. Tap Snead and Mrs. Clarence Kritzer.

The Ruth Kersey Circle of Fork Union Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. T. J. Bruce on Sunday evening.

Overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Harding this week were Major and Mrs. Fred Wiggins and daughter, Kathy of Fort Bragg, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Perkins have recently returned from Florida, where they have been vacationing for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Troxler moved this week to the house owned by E. B. Weaver on Route 15.

Invitations have been issued to a tea to be given by Mrs. Ellis P. Snead in honor of Mrs. Ed Morris, who has recently moved into the community.

A speedy recovery is wished for Mrs. L. S. Mabry, who is convalescing in a Richmond Hospital from severe burns received in an accident recently.

We also wish a speedy recovery to R. M. Ivins, who was a patient at University Hospital as a result of injuries received in a recent fall. Mr. Ivins has returned home and is in the Fork Union Military Academy Infirmary.

Word has been received here announcing the birth of a son, Spotswood Coleman, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Charlton, former residents of Fluvanna.

Personals

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son, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Winks and family and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Parker and family all of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson and son of Sandy Springs, Maryland, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Winks, Miss Lillie Winks, Mrs. Helen Stricker, Mrs. C. E. Winks, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lockwood of Scottsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Moon entertained at a birthday dinner in honor of Miss Louise Horsley on Sunday. Guests present were Miss Ida Horsley, F. R. Moon, Sr. and Channing Moon of Traveler's Rest, Warminster, Miss Ethel Daniels, Miss Elizabeth Woodson and Felix Woodson of Richmond, Mrs. C. C. Robinson and Mrs. Emma Anthony, Miss Sandra Anthony of Farmville, Miss Mary Simpson of Midway, Miss Mary Glover and Cnapman Glover of Buckingham, Miss Gay Gilliam, and Mrs. Cary Moon and her guest, Dr. Francis Moon Butts.

Mr. Charles Patterson of Kentucky visited Mr. and Mrs. Cosby Patterson last Saturday.

Harry Deines, who is attending special classes at Harvard University for several months, spent the week-end at his home "Greenfields."

Mrs. George Omohundro, Jr., Mrs. W. T. Miller, and Miss Hazel Proffitt are leaving Monday to attend the Baptist Woman's Missionary Union Convention being held in Richmond on Monday through Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Spencer and Mrs. Blair Moon were in Richmond last Thursday for the day.

Miss Hazel Proffitt and Mrs. L. L. Armistead visited Mrs. C. S. Huffman in Esmont on Monday afternoon.

Robert Maidment, English teacher at Scottsville High School, will attend the conference of Teachers of Language Arts of Virginia at the University of Virginia on Friday.

Mrs. Lucy Mann of Arvonnia is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ida Davis. Herbert Lewis Dorsey U.S.N. of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Carrie Dansey.

Mrs. Carrie Dansey is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Eula Mullon, at Falls Church this week.

Miss Julia Ann Martin of Richmond spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Martin.

Palmyra News

By Mrs. George P. Smith, Jr.
Mrs. Mary L. Thompson from V. P. I. trained the Food Leaders of the Home Demonstration Clubs of the County in Miss Katherine Omohundro's office on Monday.

The Rutitan Club presented a comedy entitled "Night Court Revue" on Friday evening at Fluvanna County High School. A large audience enjoyed the performance.

Mrs. P. H. France and Mrs. S. P. Harland attended the joint semi-annual meeting of the Bethel and Fork Union Woman's Missionary Societies at the Fork Union Baptist Church last Wednesday.

Miss Amanda Pitts of Richmond visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Duncan, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Conrad of

Falls Church spent the weekend with Mr. Conrad's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Conrad.

We're sorry to hear that Mrs. Cecil Duncan is ill and we wish for her a very speedy recovery. Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Garber of Woodbridge, Virginia were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. France.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Duncan returned last week from Daytona Beach, Florida where they spent their vacation.

Mrs. C. E. Ruff is on an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. P. H. France.

A warm welcome is extended to Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Wright who moved to Palmyra last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis P. Black of Charlottesville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Smith, Jr. last Sunday.

Marvin L. Conner and Garnet Farmer left Monday for duty in the U. S. Air Force in which both had volunteered for service.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hannah have returned from a two weeks' vacation in Fort Meyer, Florida.

History Class Takes Trip To Williamsburg

Members of the Third Year History Class at Scottsville High School took a class trip on Wednesday of this week to visit Williamsburg. Accompanied by their teacher, Harry Kent and Mrs. Kent the group left Scottsville around 7 o'clock on a chartered bus. After spending the day touring the restored buildings of Colonial Williamsburg the class returned to Scottsville about 9:30 p.m.

The Third Year History course is on American History and the Williamsburg trip was planned in connection with their course. The expense of the trip was paid by the Junior Class.

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## Albemarle County Baseball League Schedule Released

The Albemarle County Baseball Schedule, which was issued last week, lists three baseball games to be played by Scottville High School at Scottville. Tom Gillis, school principal, announced that the home games are all scheduled for Wednesday afternoons and it is hoped that they will be well attended by local people. The games are scheduled for 3 p.m. on April 1, April 6, and May 13.

The Scottville High School squad will begin practice on the first of March. The Athletic Club has adopted the name of "Hornets" as the official name for teams from the Scottville school. Harry Kent will continue as coach for the squad. Three or four lettermen were lost from the squad in last year's graduating class, but Mr. Kent is expecting a large number of boys to report for practice when the season begins.

Following is the schedule for baseball in the high schools in Albemarle county:

DATE	GAME AND PLACE
Wed. April 1	Red Hill at Scottsville
Thurs. April 2	McIntire at Broadus Wood
Tues. April 7	Crozet at Greenwood
Tues. April 7	Scottville at Meriwether Lewis
Thurs. April 9	Broadus Wood at Crozet
Thurs. April 9	Red Hill at McIntire
Tues. April 14	Greenwood at Broadus Wood
Tues. April 14	Meriwether Lewis at Red Hill
Thurs. April 16	Greenwood at Meriwether Lewis
Thurs. April 16	Scottville at Crozet
Tues. April 21	McIntire at Greenwood
Tues. April 21	Crozet at Meriwether Lewis
Thurs. April 23	Red Hill at Greenwood
Tues. April 28	Crozet at Red Hill
Tues. April 28	Scottville at McIntire
Thurs. April 30	Meriwether Lewis at Broadus Wood
Tues. May 5	McIntire at Meriwether Lewis
Wed. May 6	Greenwood at Scottville
Thurs. May 7	McIntire at Crozet
Thurs. May 7	Broadus Wood at Red Hill
Wed. May 13	Broadus Wood at Scottville

### \$10 FLAT FEE

Richmond — Virginia motorists were urged by Acting Commissioner, C. H. Lamb, to observe the \$10 flat fee when mailing checks to the Division of Motor Vehicles or applying in person to its various agencies for their 1953 license plates.

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

HERMAN FRITZ CLARENCE MORRISON, Plaintiff, against

ORDER OF PUBLICATION HERMAN FITZ CLARENCE 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 Scottville Sun, a newspaper published in the Town of Scottville, 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 defendants 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.

## Postmasters Under Civil Service Act, League Report Says

(From the National League of Postmasters)

Information given to the press by some political leader has, in some instances, created the impression that postmasters might be removed from civil service and appointed politically. This, of course, is erroneous, as postmasters have the same civil service status as other federal and postal employees and are protected in their positions by the civil service laws and regulations so long as they render efficient and satisfactory service.

The United States Civil Service Commission has issued a statement in which it said, "Postmasters were brought under the Federal civil service system in 1938. Every postmaster not only has to qualify for appointment through an examination given by the United States Civil Service Commission, but in the examination, he must be among the top 3 eligibles. After appointment, like other Federal workers, the postmaster serves without limitation on his term,

subject to the same competent handling of his office, as is required of all other civil service personnel.

"The country benefited when postmasters were placed under the competitive civil service. We should remember that not only post office clerks, carriers, and supervisors, but postmasters themselves are civil service workers appointed through competitive examinations. Postmasters are also under the Retirement Act.

"Today, a postmaster is a full-time representative of the Federal Government rendering particularly important service to his community. The postmaster and his employees are the most important daily contact a citizen has with his Government. They bring the American system of Government close to the homes of the American people."

### ON CRUISER

INDIAN OCEAN (RETRIC) — While serving aboard the heavy cruiser USS Pittsburg, Carl H. Carter, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy B. Carter of Rock fish, Va., visited Karachi, the capital of Pakistan, last month.

The Pittsburgh will also visit Madras, India, and Colombo, Ceylon. In early March she will return to the Mediterranean and operate with the U. S. Sixth Fleet.

## New Sales Record Set By Company

United States Rubber company established a new sales record of \$850,151, 566 in 1952 and profit amounted to \$28, 169,955, the second largest in the company history, according to the 61st annual report to stockholders released for publication by H. E. Humphreys Jr. chairman.

The company invested \$26 million in expansion and modernization programs during the year, \$5 million more than in 1951. It purchased a plastic film plant in Stoughton Wis., adding new equipment in all its tire plants to streamline tire production, and started an expansion which will ultimately double the capacity of its Marvinol Vinyl Resinplant at Painesville, Ohio. It also expended high pressure manufacturing facilities at Passaic, N. J. and agricultural chemical production facilities at Naugatuck, Conn.

Mr. Humphreys said about 16 percent in 1951. expansion 4. vi percent of 1952 sales represented defense orders compared with 13 percent in 1951. The company

started the year with a defense order backlog of \$112 million delivered \$140 million worth of defense products and ended the year with unfilled orders amounting to \$96 million. Military tires, rubber treaded tanks, trucks, aircraft fuel cells, aircraft nose and communication cables were the principal defense products.

The year saw the second highest foreign sales in the company history despite difficult economic conditions. Foreign sales were hampered by an acute dollar shortage and a return to competition which had not been in evidence since the start of the Korean war. Sales of the company's Canadian subsidiary Dominion Rubber Company will continue at near record levels.

Edwin Wills and Charles Farrar. The ceremony was held by candle light in the Fluvanna County Fire House, the official meeting place of the troop. Scout master, George W. Madison, conducted the court of honor.

Each Scout had an active part in the program, and parents and members of the committee officiated in pinning the badges on the boys. The ceremony came to a close as all pledged allegiance to the flag.

Assistant Scout master, J. T. Robinson, was unable to be present at the program, but had given much help in training the boys.

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### GET THE AD READING HABIT

### Palmyra Scout News

The newly formed Palmyra Scout Troop No. 54 held their first court of honor ceremony on Friday evening, February 27. At that time the following candidate Scouts were presented their Tenderfoot Badges and registration cards: William C. Richardson, Billy Hale, Bobby Pace, Robert A. Lanford, Harold Johnson, Robert J. Kendrick, Davis Stoughton, James

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

### A Difficult "Situation"

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Slim Thomas, who ran that ad more or less as a joke, called and said, "I got 23 answers and almost every one claimed they could meet all those qualifications! That means I want to keep the man I have—'Handy' Peters.

"He was thinking of quitting but now I've got to talk him into

staying. Handy never pretends to be an expert, he's just a good all-around hired hand."

From where I sit, Slim's smart to be wary of people who consider themselves to be all-around "experts." Some folks will "expert" on anything—from the clothes a man should wear to whether he ought to drink beer or buttermilk. Personally I don't want to "classify" myself as knowing all the right answers.

Joe Marsh

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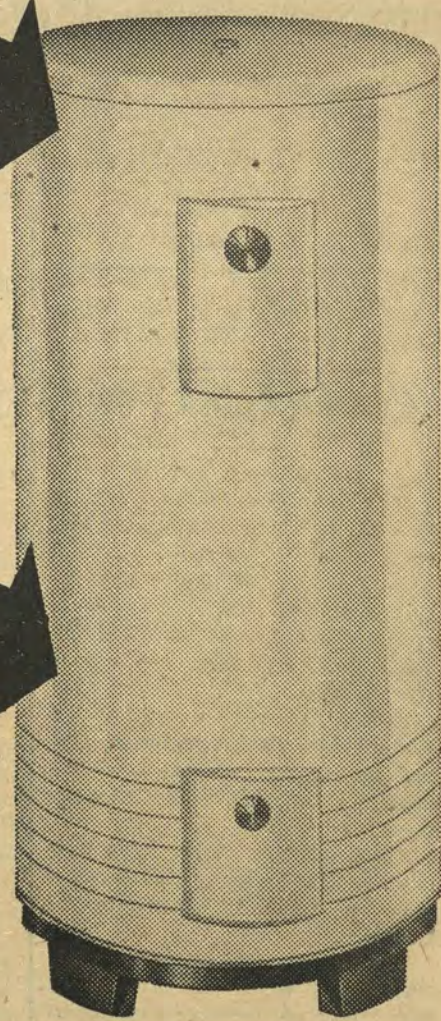
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**Cunningham News**

By Frances Taylor

Mrs. John Conis of Washington, D. C., spent several days last week at her home here.

Mrs. Gordon Faulkner has returned to her home here after spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pearch, in Akron Ohio.

Rev. E. R. Collie brought to the Cunningham congregation a fine sermon Sunday afternoon on the subject, "Repentance and forgiveness."

There will be special Easter Services at Cunningham April 5 at 9:45 a.m. The public is invited to attend.

The official board of Cunningham Church will meet with Miss Frances Taylor on Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Garland W. Ingle visited in the home of Mrs. C. E. Taylor Sunday evening.

C. R. Lippard has been on the sick list the past week due to a siege of flu.

Mrs. H. E. Brown and children of Charlottesville visited her mother, Mrs. Walter Sclater and sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Gibson, last week

**Wilmington News**

By Mrs. T. H. Griffin

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Harland and Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Seay attended the Tyson-Harland wedding and reception in Richmond on Saturday. After the wedding they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Haden at a dinner party.

Miss Harriette Bell from Johnston-Willis School of Nursing spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bell.

Charles Garean of Arlington spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fernand Garean.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Toomer and Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Jones saw "South Pacific" at the Mosque in Richmond Friday evening.

Judge J. B. Seay was absent from his court last Wednesday due to a severe cold. This was the second time he has been absent from court on account of illness in the 20 years that he has served as Trial Justice.

The week of Prayer Program for Home Missions along with the regular monthly meeting of the WMU of Lyles was postponed from Tuesday of last week until Tuesday of this week. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Susie Campbell.

Private Cecil M. Williams, who is stationed at Camp Pickett, was at home on furlough last week.

Mrs. Eunice Mann of Baltimore spent last week with her brother, W. W. White.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Duncan were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Seay Sunday evening.

Miss Hazel Bell spent last week-end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith of Bremo.

Bobby Lane of VPI was a weekend guest in the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Loving.

We are so glad to see Mrs. D. L. Folkes out again after spending six weeks at St. Luke's Hospital in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Parrish, parents of Lewis Parrish, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Parrish in their home at Green Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson of Richmond have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnston. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Parrish.

Mrs. Sarah Bowles spent several days in Richmond last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston McGehee were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. McGehee.

Mrs. C. E. Watkins and Miss Marguerite Watkins visited in the

E. V. Payne home on Thursday.

Mrs. John Lewis Parrish, Mrs. E. V. Payne and Miss Marguerite Watkins were Charlottesville shoppers Monday.

Mrs. Carrie Perkins of Kents Store is in the University of Virginia Hospital.

Mrs. T. J. Loving and Mrs. W. W. Bercaw were visitors in Richmond Thursday and saw "South Pacific" at the Mosque.

Mrs. Bernard Gareau and Mrs. Thomas H. Griffin attended the Leaders Training meeting in Palmyra Monday.

Miss Mary Lou Bell, Miss Cary Bell and Miss Hazel Bell saw the play "Othello" at the University of Virginia last Thursday evening.

**Garden Club Meeting**

Robert Merritt from the Education Department of the Virginia Game and Inland Fisheries Department showed colored bird slides and talked to the members of the Fairhaven Garden Club at their meeting on March 4. Mr. Merritt, who lectures throughout the state, presented a recording of bird calls in connection with his slides, so that as each slide appeared, the call of the bird being shown was given. He also had for showing a number of bird specimens, mounted in glass tubes.

Officers for the coming year were announced at the March 4 meeting. Election took place at the February meeting of the Garden Club and installation will take place in April. Mrs. C. V. Nees will serve as president of the club for another year, Mrs. John Glass, 1st vice-president; Mrs. E. C. Browning, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Merrill Carter, recording secretary; Mrs. Grady Covington, Corresponding-Secretary.

The Garden Club made plans to do garden therapy for shut-ins in the community.

Hostesses for the March meeting were Mrs. John Glass and Mrs. Alvin Smith. The meeting was held in the Church Parlor of the Methodist Church. Refreshments were served following the business meeting.

**Columbia News**

By Irene Newton

Visitors in Richmond last week were Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cowherd and Mrs. Dabney Cosby.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eden are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter at Stuart Circle Hospital last week.

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Miss Jean Pedigo of Roanoke spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nelson.

Mrs. Helen Jennings and daughter, Susie, spent last week in Maryland where her husband is working.

The Fire Hydrant Fund now stands at \$350. This leaves a balance of \$175 to be collected. Any contributions from those interested would be appreciated.

**District PTA Meeting**

The March meeting of Columbia District School PTA will be held at the school March 18 at 8:00 p. m. The program topic will be "It's Your Community—Is It Conscious of the Need of Healthy Thinking?"

Mrs. Sarah S. Matthews, Record Librarian at the University of Virginia Hospital, who also served on Meacham Committee to inspect State Hospitals during Governor Tuck's term of office, will speak on "Mental Hygiene for the Average Citizen." Miss Sheila Drury, who is studying here from England, will discuss a subject concerning the family and the

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I respectfully and sincerely ask for your support and influence on July 14th, 1953.

Harold H. Purcell

individual. A period of discussion will follow these talks. Free literature will be distributed also.

**Father-Daughter Supper**

Members of Brownie Troop No. 44 and Girl Scout Troop No. 45 of Scottsville have issued invitations to their Father-Daughter Supper to be held next Monday night. The supper will be held at 6 p.m. at St. John's Parish House.

Father-Daughter Suppers have become an annual event with all Girl Scout Troops of the Albemarle Girl Scout Council. The Scottsville Troops which were organized last Fall are holding the event for the first time. Miss Adah Brangan, Executive

Director of Albemarle County Girl Scouts, will be present at the supper. Pictures of Scout Day Camp will be shown following the meal.

Scout meeting will be held next week on Monday afternoon at 3:30 preceding the supper, instead of the regular time on Tuesday. During the afternoon the Scouts will assist with the preparations for the dinner. Fathers are invited to come at 6 p.m.

Mrs. Elmer Johnson, Leader, and Mrs. Buel Carden, Assistant-Leader, of the Brownie Troop and Mrs. Gordon Dorrier, leader, and Mrs. John Dorrier, Assistant-Leader, of the Intermediate Troop, are in charge of the supper.

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