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## Church Notes

**THE METHODIST CHURCH**  
SCOTTSVILLE CHARGE  
SCOTTSVILLE

JACK B. TAYLOR PASTOR  
Church School 10:00 a.m. George  
T. Omohundro, Jr. General Supt.  
Morning Worship 11:15 o'clock  
Sermon by Rev. J. E. Daniel

**MT. ZION**

Morning Worship 10:00 o'clock  
Church School 11:00 a.m. Dudley  
Patterson, General Supt.

**HOWARDSVILLE**

Morning Worship 9:00 o'clock  
Church School 10:00 a.m.

**PREBYTERIAN**

Sunday School 10:15 a.m. Russell  
Brill, General Supt.  
Worship Service 11:15 a.m. Dr.  
R. G. Hutcheson, Pastor  
Edward Brammer, Student Minister

Scottsville Presbyterian Church  
will hold a revival from August  
10, to August 16. The theme of the  
services will be "Christ is the  
Answer." The speakers will be  
Messrs. Ed. Gaxhart, Reid Mont-  
gomery, and Edward Brammer all  
student pastors in the Old Provi-  
dence Parish. Men need wear no  
coats and all are urged to attend.  
Union Services at 8:00 p.m. Sun-  
day—Edward Brammer Preaching

**FLUVANNA**

**FOX MEMORIAL CHURCH**  
"Christian Love" will be the topic  
of the Pastors Sermon  
Sunday morning Worship Service  
at 11:00 a.m.

Preaching each 1st. and 3rd, Sun-  
day evenings at 8 o'clock  
Each 2nd. and 4th. Sunday morn-  
ing at 11:00 o'clock.  
Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock.  
Rev. Temple Collins of State Hill  
and Fox Memorial Churches, and  
Mrs. E. F. O'Brien and Miss Vir-  
ginia Townsend, of Fox Memorial  
Church attended the Baptist As-  
sembly at Massanetta Springs last  
week.

**BAPTIST CHURCH—**  
SCOTTSVILLE

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
B. T. U. 4:45 p.m.

**ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday School 2:00 p.m.  
Preaching 3:00 o'clock

**FLUVANNA CHURCH**  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Preaching 11:00 a.m.

## Annual Membership Meeting Set For Aug. 13

Patrons of J. B. Hasher, Troy,  
and of E. W. Thomas, the South-  
ern States Agency in the Palmyra  
area, will hold their annual mem-  
bership meeting Wednesday, Aug-  
ust 13, at 8 P. M. EST, at the  
Center High School, Bybee.  
Chairman of the meeting will be  
B. W. Loving of Tyro.

Highlights of the meeting will  
include the report of local Agency  
operations by J. B. Hasher of  
Troy, the presentation of the  
Southern States Annual report by  
District Manager M. F. Borden  
of Knoxville, Tenn., the election  
of the local Advisory Board and Farm  
Advisory Committee members, and  
the Come-n-Win Contest, in which  
all farm people of the Troy-Pal-  
myra area will compete for  
prizes.

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## Drought Conditions Extremely Serious In Some Areas

The Virginia State Agricultural Mobilization Committee believes that drought conditions at present in the state are not serious enough for the state as a whole to be considered as a disaster area. However, there are certain areas where conditions are extremely serious. Immediate steps will be taken by the AM committee to find out what can be done to assist farmers in these areas to get feed and hay. The following actions will be taken to help relieve the feed situation.

1. The VPI Extension Service will release information on crops to seed and fertilizer practices to follow that will increase feed production as soon as moisture conditions will permit. The animal husbandry and Dairy Department of VPI will release information on methods of feeding to conserve feed.

The use of feed concentrates was suggested as a means of reducing hay needs.

2. The State Department of Agriculture will locate sources of hay.

3. The AM committee will request railroads to reduce freight rates on hay shipped into distress areas.

4. Bankers will be requested to give consideration to long-time loans at reduced interest rates to individuals who need such assistance.

5. The feed and hay dealers will be requested to supply hay and other feeds in these distress areas at the lowest possible cost.

6. The county AM committee will be requested to make a careful survey of the situation and report its findings to the state AM committee to supplement the regular report of the State Crop Reporting Service.

## Howardsville Masons Hold Their Annual Watermelon Feast

HOWARDSVILLE.—E. W. Snoddy worshipful master of George Lodge No. 32 AF and AM presided here Saturday night at the Annual Watermelon Feast in memory of Jordan B. Wells and the official visit of Charles M. Lankford, Jr., the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Virginia. The Grand Master was presented by a committee composed of the District Deputy Grand Master W. O. Holland of district No. 17, Channing H. Moon and George Nulty. He spoke briefly on Founders Day, Endowment Fund, Masonic Home and the proposed home for Aged Masons. Dr. R. S. Griffith of Waynesboro, Grand Senior Steward of the Grand Lodge, who will be 92 years old next April, was present, also two Past Grand-Masters of the Grand Lodge, Rudolph R. Cooke and A. Douglas Smith, Jr. Others present were J. E. Gardner, S. N. Lichtenstein, J. T. Sublett, August T. Boley, Oscar M. Scott, W. S. Miller, J. P. Borden, H. T. Thomas, S. D. Forbes, and W. H. Stoneburner. E. A. Lyons, H. W. Bryant, A. R. Thacker, E. H. Parrish, Jr., F. B. Newton, A. C. Caulk, Otha F. Armentrout, J. H. Lucado, Charles E. James, Claude G. Branck, George D. Nulty, L. A. West, A. T. Davidson and A. R. Thacker. J. H. Duncan, Joe Wilson, J. W. Martin, W. L. Dansey and Larkin Londeree, S. R. Cobb, L. M. Cunningham, S. P. Parrish, John M. Dixon, B. F. Wells, C. H. Moon, C. V. Giannini, L. L. Miles, F. R. Moon, Jr., W. H. Tapscott, A. W. Tapscott, H. E. Fenwick, John T. Hurt, J. B. Ramsey, B. O. Templeton, G. W. Duncan, C. S. Duncan, R. C. Backwell, A. T. Baber, Joe Steger, Tyree Agee and B. F. Wells.

## We Support Eisenhower

With this issue of your weekly newspaper comes a strong, outright endorsement from the publishers of the candidacy of Dwight D. Eisenhower for the presidency of the United States.

Our all-out effort for the election of General Eisenhower comes despite well-meaning advice from some of our Democratic friends that such an endorsement might not be wise in view of the fact that an overwhelmingly majority of our residents have been life-long Democrats. However, we believe that the people of this area, many of whom are sick and tired of the present administration's continual bungling of both our domestic and foreign affairs, want a change.

We, along with thousands of other Democrats, expect to go to the polls in November without any political party affiliation in mind. We will be voting for Eisenhower not as Democrats or Republicans, but as Americans who realize the dangers which lie ahead if the present administration is returned to office.

Our endorsement of General Eisenhower comes because we feel that the nation needs a leader who has the highest of character, a great record and last but not least because he represents the principles of true democracy.

We feel that Governor Adlai Stevenson, although a capable and honest man, would not be able to change the policies of the already entrenched administration which has disgraced the nation with graft and waste, has sent thousands of our boys to be shot and maimed in a useless war in Korea and put us well on the road to socialism.

Stevenson's nomination stemmed from the present administration and the platform of the Democrats this year shows practically no change from present policies. Thus, he cannot stray far from the present administration.

The New Deal, designed to bring this nation out of the doldrums of a depression, did just that. But the Fair Deal has taken us too far. We have entered upon the threshold of socialism whereby the government runs the people rather than the people running the government. Now is the time to turn back.

The Eisenhower-Nixon ticket is the answer. This nation needs to get back to the principles upon which our forefathers built this nation and restore the faith of the people in their government.

General Eisenhower has promised that he will reduce taxes by curtailing the spend-spend program in Washington. He believes that we should end the fighting in Korea with a just armistice. He advocates fair treatment for all—giving no group special consideration.

The future of the next generation is at stake this November. Those who go to the polls and vote the Eisenhower-Nixon ticket will be insuring our children and yours a chance to live in a free, democratic nation.

## Alberene Nine Upsets Scottsville, 9 to 2

In the records Alberene upset Scottsville 9-2 in a Tri-County baseball game at the Scottsville High School diamond this past Sunday.

Scottsville fans are a bit disgruntled about the results. Seems Tex Tyler, veteran hurler who kept the locals at bay throughout the afternoon, has been doing his pitching regularly for Charlottesville in the Valley League and was the man who stopped Acme for Schuyler in the State semi-pro tourney.

With more experience than Scottsville batters have been accustomed to facing the visitor had little trouble setting them down.

Billy Moon, Scottsville High Ace during the school year, wasn't in his usual form Sunday as the Alberene nine hit him hard throughout the game.

## Four Fined On Morals Charge In TJ Court

Four residents of the little Carter's Bridge community received six-month jail terms in Trial Justice Court Wednesday afternoon in Charlottesville, on conviction of frequenting a house of ill-fame.

Pet Jones, Maud Watson, Walker Ellis, and Ethel Amos each had all but ten days of their six-month terms suspended on condition of good behavior.

The quartet was apprehended Sunday night when Deputy Sheriffs J. W. Cobbs and C. R. Marshall raided the home of Walker Ellis.

Camels humps are composed of fat—the backbone is straight.

## Slays Wife, Wounds Man, Kills Self

Pershing Woodson, 30-year-old Alberene Soapstone Corporation mill employee murdered his wife, attempted to kill his father-in-law, then fled to a nearby uncle's home where he shot himself to death last Saturday night in Wheeler's Cove about 10 miles from Lovingson in the Rockfish district.

Victim of his murderous rage was Kathleen Woodson, 31, mother of the couple's four children, the oldest of whom is 12. According to reports, she was shot several times with a pistol, and her throat slashed with a curved knife, resembling a tobacco knife. Her father, Marion Woodson, recuperating in a Charlottesville hospital, told Sheriff Forest D. Wood of the events which ended in disaster, when Sheriff Wood went to the home of Mrs. Woodson's parents and discovered her body, and her father on Sunday morning, 17 hours after the shooting occurred. Woodson was suffering from bullet wounds in his chest and left arm.

Marion Woodson, who was also Pershing's uncle, stated that he was sitting on the front porch of his home when an altercation started because his daughter would not go home with her husband, from whom she had separated three weeks before, after having him arrested for beating her. The case was compromised, and while she withdrew the warrant, the court had ordered Woodson to pay for the support of his children. According to Sheriff Wood, a receipt for \$50 was found in the dead man's pocket, and Mrs. Woodson's father said that Pershing had come to the house and given her the money.

Pershing shot his father-in-law, and then fired his .25 caliber pistol at his wife until it was empty. He slashed her throat.

After this the murderer ran to the home of his uncle, Grover Woodson, a few miles away, and demanded at the point of his empty pistol another gun. Mr. and Mrs. Grover Woodson, not believing Pershing's statement that he had shot Marion and his wife, fled to the Wright home in the sparsely settled area, and spent the night.

It was not until the next morning that they returned to see Pershing's body on the bed behind a barricaded door. It was then that Grover reported the crime. Sheriff Wood appeared on the scene about 9 a.m. and broke down the door to find Pershing's body. His hands were on a shotgun he had found in the house, which he pointed under his chin. The murder weapons were on a table nearby.

In the house at the same time as the shooting at her parents' home were Mrs. Kathleen Woodson's four children and her mother, Mrs. Marion Woodson, who fled to the back of the house until the killer left. Afraid to leave, thinking he was still at large, Mrs. Woodson remained in the house with her wounded husband. Kathleen's body was discovered lying at the front entrance to the home.

The couple's separation on July 14 was the seventh one during the length of their marriage, and it has been reported that their marital difficulties were numerous. Although they were first cousins, the families did not live harmoniously in the mountainous little settlement. Each body was buried in a separate family graveyard.

Graveside services were held for Pershing Woodson at 2 p. m. Tuesday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Woodson. Survivors include his parents; four children, Dorothy Kathleen, James Pershing, Alma Christine and George Otis Woodson; two sisters, Miss Beatrice G. Woodson and Mrs.

The term "hand" in measuring the height of a horse, is four inches.

Ivory is supplied by the boar, hippopotamus and walrus, as well as the elephant.

A span is ten and seven-eighths inches.

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## Former Principal Fined For Failure To Bury Sheep

Luther Flynn, former principal of Fluvanna County High School, was fined \$10 and costs for failure to bury dead sheep on his farm by Trial Justice B. W. Seay in court session at Palmyra yesterday morning.

Attempting to plead ignorance of the law, Mr. Flynn stated that he didn't know that the sheep had to be buried. Game Warden Haden told the court that he had informed Mr. Flynn on July 24 that the sheep would have to be buried.

Checking on August 1, the Game Warden found 14 dead sheep lying around the farm and again instructed Mr. Flynn to bury them. Returning the following morning, the Game Warden issued a warrant.

Judge Seay, in fining Mr. Flynn, told him that an example had to be set and the law abided by. This was, stated the judge, a case of pure negligence.

The court session was rather light yesterday morning with only two other cases being heard. In all a total of 20 was all that was meted out in fines. Other cases were as follows:

Malcolm Pendleton, Washington, D. C., fishing on posted property. \$5 and costs.

Edward Lawman, Charlottesville, towing a race car without proper license plates and without a safety chain attached. \$5 and costs.

## Drive Going Slowly

The cleanup drive backed by the Scottsville Town Council has been going very slowly according to Dr. Percy Harris, town mayor. There are still large areas throughout the town which haven't been touched, the Mayor stated. Some people in town have been complaining to the mayor about some of his own property. Someone even put in a call to the County Health Office about certain areas of the town. Dr. Harris said. Requesting that citizens continue to clean up Scottsville. Dr. Harris pointed out that if anyone has any suggestions or complaints they can contact either him or Police Chief F. F. Marsh.

## Births

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Semicklose, of Brems Bluff, Saturday at Martha Jefferson Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob W. Sprouse, of North Garden, became the parents of a son born Saturday at Martha Jefferson Hospital.

A son was born August 3 at University Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Morton Paul Anderson, of Scottsville. He has been given the name, Paul Ray Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Freeman of Sweet Briar announce the birth of a daughter at Virginia Baptist Hospital on Thursday morning, July 31 at 5 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. James Early McGuire of Scottsville are the parents of a daughter, June Elizabeth, born July 30 at the University of Virginia Hospital.

## Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses recorded during the past week in the clerk's office of Nelson Circuit Court were issued to the following persons: William Murckley Hughes, 22, and Margaret Louise Cook, 28; and Mary Jane Purvis, 23; Heber Alfred Henry Drumheller, Jr., 23, G. Hilbish, 22, and Georgia Temple Farrar, 21; Moses Lee Wade, 30, and Mary Austen Perry, 22



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THE UNITED STATES!



Not Good Enough

If the Administration has its way, the Federal government will spend \$85,400 million of our money this year. The Treasury anticipates an income of \$71,000 million which would leave a deficit of \$14,400 million. Even that picture is probably over-bright—the Joint Congressional Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation believes that the Treasury's revenue estimates are too high by about \$4,000 million.

Luckily for the present and future strength and security of this country, Congress seems to be finally opening its eyes to the fact that the budget can be cut — and must be cut. Many requested appropriations have been sharply pared, and more reductions are in prospect. All in all, it looks as if Congress will reduce the President's budget by a total of something like \$9,000 million.

This is good news—but it isn't good enough. A great many experts on government administration and policy are convinced that, so far, Congress has only dealt with some of the more flagrant wastes and extravagances. They are convinced that many more billions can be saved without impairing any necessary government activity—including an adequate national defense and a reasonable amount of foreign aid.

The ordinary American family is undoubtedly giving more thought to the tax burden than it ever did in the past. That family must contribute about \$1,500 a year to meet the current tax bill. It is the people of modest means who must carry most of the load now—for the rich have long been taxed to the point of confiscation.

Waste can destroy a nation just as it can destroy a business or a family. We're no exception to that grim rule.

Wilmington News

By Mrs. Douglas Folkes  
 Mrs. W. W. Bercaw had as visitors last week her nephew's wife, Mrs. J. K. Arnold Jr., of Silver Springs, Md., and Johnny, Jimmy and Sally Arnold. Charles Arnold, who spent last month with Mrs. Bercaw, returned home with his mother.  
 Mrs. T. H. Griffin was in Richmond last week. While there she visited her brother-in-law, Mason Smith, who is ill at the Medical College of Virginia.  
 Mrs. Tommy Haden of McIntoch Fla. John S. Seay of Raleigh N. C. and Mrs. T. A. Campbell were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Campbell were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Campbell on Friday evening.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Claude Evans and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wills of Richmond spent the week-end with Mr. Ashby Campbell at the old home place. Mrs. Thos. Haden and Mrs. T. A. Campbell were their dinner guests on Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Bell and Miss Mary Lou Bell spent last week at Massanetta Springs.  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Gareau and sons, Richard and Chrisman, spent their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Fernand Gareau.  
 Mrs. Bercaw's sister-in-law, Mrs. B. B. Martin of Leaksville, N. C. and her niece, Mrs. Forrest Lewis, and little Forrest Ray Lewis were visitors at 'Bonrebels.' Mrs. Bercaw entertained for her guests with a bridge party on Saturday.  
 Lt. and Mrs. W. W. Bercaw, Jr. are spending a few days with Lt. Bercaw's mother at 'Bonrebels.' Mrs. B. W. Seay V accompanied them from Fort Knox and is visiting Lt. Seay's parents.  
 Mrs. Mary Smith and her grandson, Billy Bell, visited Mrs. Smith's son Leland at Goochland last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Winn are spending their vacation at Hotel Chamberlain, Old Point, Virginia.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Folkes visited last week Mr. and Mrs. T. Frank Flippo at Pinehurst, Hanover.

Country Lawyer

By Walter Johnson  
 Wonders never cease. The Richmond News Leader has come out with an editorial policy favoring the Republican nominee for President over the Democrat nominee. This it does somewhat cautiously. It seems to conclude that a change with new faces and a fresh approach is essential in Washington. The important thing is that the paper seems to have abandoned the theory that the word "Democrat" spells virtue and the word "Republican" spells evil.

Presumably the News Leader takes that position only as to the national scene. It seems to remain in steadfast support of what is being done in Virginia even though there is a very close similarity with what is being done in Washington.

As to the Washington picture the News Leader says: "We are sick of an administration grown callous to corruption; we are ashamed of its moral tone; we are weary of its official spokesmen and their unending excuses. "Certainly we must agree with that but those words describe Virginia government as well as Washington government. Some of us are prone to calling a situation "corruption" in Washington and calling it "good government" when it happens in Virginia.

Here in Virginia we have had the same group in control so much longer than in Washington that we have developed a ruling class. We say there is no corruption in the Virginia government. That is true only as we fail to recognize corruption. Many of our most influential public officials are up to their ears in the public utilities through not only sucking the earnings of the people away through public utilities but also supporting those utilities in rendition of grossly inferior service at extremely high rates.

Our League of Virginia Counties was built for the stated purpose of protecting self-government at the county level against encroachments by the state. It is supported by dues paid by counties out of the county treasuries. But in recent years it says never a word in defense of county government. Instead it spends its money as a propaganda media for the machine, for machine rule, and extolling the virtues of persons in bureaucracy who are inching into control of county government.

Our Department of Welfare and Institutions is devoted to expanding control over the people and over county government. No Washington bureau is more ambitious to direct the people than is this Richmond bureau. It has a propaganda machine of a size and efficiency that would make any Washington bureau envious.

Our Compensation Board is bound and determined to take control of county officers away from the electorates of the counties and reduce county officers to mere puppets of bureaucracy. This it does through control over salaries of county officers. It not only controls salaries as to amounts but it has also arrogated to itself power to refuse to pay salary at all to county officers who might object to turning their offices over to Richmond control.

Our State Board of Education has stripped our public school system to where our children are denied the right to learn the wisdom of the ages contained in history or the basic concepts of our form of government as written for us in 1776. Our children are turned out as "educated" but helpless in coping with the problems of self-government from the standpoint of knowledge and understanding. Instead they are swayed this way or that by carefully coined high sounding phrases.

Washington bureaucracy gets slapped back sometimes by Congress when the bureaus take too big a bite at one time but Richmond bureaucracy is never slapped back. It operates and is supported on the theory that only fools talk back or resist or decline to appease the hunger of the bureau-

crats to rule and direct. He who resists is denounced as a fool who cuts off his nose to spite his face. The blacksnake of bureaucracy biting into the flesh of the citizen is not lacking in sting because it comes from Richmond instead of Washington.

Anyway the News Leader deserves commendation for coming as far as it has come. Perhaps having liberalized its thinking that far to recognize some of the evil in Washington it may liberalize further to where it sees some of the evil within biscuit toss of its ivory tower. We congratulate the News Leader for coming out into the daylight as far as it has.

Fork Union

By Mrs. Ellis Harding  
 Those who have returned after spending a week at Massanetta Springs at the Baptist Sunday School Conference are the Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Connelly, Sylvia, Jean and Gordon Gentry, Bersch White, Judy Bransford, Linda Crockett, Jean Mabry, Jean Thomas, Ann Loving, Betty Brown Jane and Clara Minter.

Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Yonce, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Wade White, have returned to their home in Alexandria.

Miss Gladys Jones left Monday for a week in Farmville where she will attend a Home Economics Conference.

Mrs. Ralph Mahan and daughter, Brenda, have left for the Eastern Shore of Maryland, where they will spend six weeks with Mrs. Mahan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris.

Mrs. Robert Yancey and two children of Florida will arrive this week to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Asa Brown.

Mrs. Raymond Snead and daughter, Judy, are spending some time at Virginia Beach. Mrs. Lottie T. Payne was a week-end visitor in the home of her son, W. T. Snead.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Roach have been visiting in the home of Mrs. Roach's sister, Mrs. Asa Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Charlton and daughter, Mildred, have returned from West Virginia, where they have been visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lacy, Jr. were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. Lacy's parents in South Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Brown and daughter, Douglas, spent last week-end at Massanetta Springs.

Mrs. H. B. Plyler, who has been spending some time with her daughter, Douglas, spent last week-end at Massanetta Springs.

Mrs. H. B. Plyler, who has been spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Pendergrass, has returned to her home in Lancaster, S. C.

Dr. J. W. Cammack, beloved pastor of the Fork Union Baptist Church, was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Davis. He is leaving in the near future for Arizona, where he often spends the winter.

P. W. Anderson, Jr., of Marshall was a week-end visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Glass.

Miss Jean Johnson of Richmond visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Snead last week-end.

Mrs. Lee Crump and daughter, Miriam, spent several days last week at Buckroe Beach.

Janet and Sally Baker and a friend, all from Fredericksburg, spent last week with Mrs. Harry White.

C. G. Thomas has returned home from Johnston Willis Hospital, where he underwent an operation. He is recuperating nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Costello and family of Arlington spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Costello.

Charles L. Costello spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Costello, at Blue-mont.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gentry spent several days last week motoring through parts of Virginia, Tennessee, Kentucky and North Carolina. They returned home Saturday afternoon.

The people of the community were sorry to hear that Marion and Lula Roberts' house was completely destroyed by fire last Tuesday afternoon. The disaster was caused by lightning.

Last Tuesday evening a baby shower was given for Mrs. Barbara Kritzer in her apartment by Mrs. Gloria King and Mrs. Patsy Griffin. There were about 20 present, and many lovely gifts were received.

There will be a Lawn Party at Cunningham Church on August, 15, beginning at 6 p.m.

The menu will be:  
 Ham and Chicken  
 Potato Salad  
 Cole Slaw or corn  
 Pudding  
 Tomato — deviled eggs  
 Pie or Cake  
 pickle  
 Tea or Coffee  
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# Personals

By Annie Melton

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Proffitt and daughter, Wanda, are spending the week in Washington, D.C.

Miss Robin Johnson gave a picnic lunch for her friends, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harrison and son of Richmond were week-end visitors in town.

Herbert Lewis Dansey of the US Navy has been home on furlough for the past week.

Mrs. Sidney Tapscott left Tuesday for a month's visit to her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reynolds, of Arlington.

Garland Ripley, of the US Navy, is home on furlough.

Miss "Polly" Robertson of Richmond spent the week-end with home folks.

Mrs. Cary N. Moon left at 6 p.m. Saturday via bus for Georgia to attend the annual family reunion.

Billy Walden, of the US Army is spending a seven day leave with his wife.

Major and Mrs. J. H. Dolby of Richmond, were guests of Mrs. Virgie Mayo.

Nelson Carroll who has been a patient in the Martha Jefferson Hospital for several weeks returned to his home here Thursday, July 31.

Mrs. Willie Seay of Richmond,

is spending several weeks in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Melton.

Miss Ora Lee Bell was the guest of Mrs. Elizabeth Turner at Sweet Briar last week.

Russell F. Payne has accepted a position at "Iron Gate" near Clifton Forge and was a recent visitor with his mother Mrs. Tom Payne of "Payne's Mill, Buckingham.

Miss Betty Gale Payne, the granddaughter of Mrs. Tom Payne, spent this past week with Mrs. Tom Payne at "Payne's Mill", Buckingham.

Mrs. Sylvester Payne returned home Saturday after spending a week in Washington D.C. with her husband. Mr. Payne has a position there as a "shovel operator."

Mrs. Tom Payne and Mrs. Annie Payne White were recent visitors in Richmond.

Miss Ida Clements has accepted a position with the State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Co. in Charlottesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Melton were dinner guests in Charlottesville Sunday.

Miss Christine Herndon and Mr. Crewe, both of Richmond, were week-end visitors in the home of Mrs. B. L. Herndon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Conrad, Jr. had their small son Carter Hunter christened at the Scottsville Methodist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Butler and family were dinner guests in

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Melton Sunday.

Miss Betty Onks of Richmond spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Onks.

Joseph Smith spent last week-end in Richmond with Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Allott Goode and Mrs. Charles Butler, Jr. spent the week-end in Washington with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hagerdome.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler of Alexandria spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Allott Goode of Warren.

John Newton is a patient in the Martha Jefferson Hospital.

Miss Barbara Smith spent a few days this week with Mrs. Mary Lee Butler, of Warren.

## Howardsville

By Venard Hurt

Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Collins and two children, Paul and Joe, of Rocky Mt., North Carolina were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Mills recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miles and family, of Petersburg, visited in the home of Mrs. Tom Miles and also in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Miles all of Glenmore.

Mrs. L. L. Miles and two children, Ranny and Sue Ann, Mrs. Tom Miles and Mrs. Sam Ragland spent Thursday in Charlottesville.

Miss Margaret Bell has returned in Richmond after spending three weeks with her parents, at "Social Hall", near here.

Mrs. Dewey Goolsby spent the week-end at her home at Glad-

stone.

Mrs. R. E. Morgan and children, of Newport News is spending some time with Mrs. Annie Goolsby.

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

Mrs. C. W. Morris spent Wednesday with Mrs. Sue Bullinston, at Galts Mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jr. Mawyer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Branch and children, all of Wingina, visited Mrs. Cora Taylor on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunt, Miss Halsey Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin Lumpkin, all of Richmond, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Hurt on Sunday afternoon.

Dr. Margaret Nolting and Miss

Courtney Irving, of Richmond, are spending the month at their cabin on Mt. Alto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dudley, of Danville, spent Sunday with Mrs. H. E. Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wyland and children, of Scottsville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Annie Goolsby.

L. L. Bell, of Richmond, spent the week at his home at "Social Hall" near here.

Clarence Wilkerson, of Alexandria, spent the week-end with his wife here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Gianinni, Jr., of Richmond, spent a few days at Mt. Alto.

A youth Fellowship Supper was held August 1 in the Lodge Hall. Plenty of food and a good time was had by all. 25 persons were

present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hurt, Mrs. C. W. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wells, and June attended homecoming Day at Goshen Baptist Church.

S. R. Cobbs, of Buffalo, Va. visited Mrs. John Hurt on Saturday afternoon.

### Invitations Issued

Mr. and Mrs. John Randolph Phillips have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Kathleen Elizabeth, to Ensign Sheridan James McNamara, USN, at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of August 9 at Belle Haven, Scottsville. A reception will follow the ceremony.



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### Ramblings

Summertime usually brings a rash of country auctions, and some people make a practice of attending all and sundry, realizing that not mentioned on the advertised lists may be a neglected antique under the newspapers or the fruit jars on the back porch. Auctions are funny things. It is because they are unpredictable, probably, that they hold a fascination, especially to women. It gives some ladies a lift to buy a new hat. Others will shop their feet off for a certain preconceived color combination in drapery material. Others let off steam by outbidding each other at auctions of household furniture and bric-a-brac. Each time I admire a friend's piece of furniture, or sandwich glass, and she tells me, "Yes, I picked that up for 50 cents (or a couple of dollars) at an auction." I began to catch the disease. But anything I ever saw at an auction got past my bidding price before I could look into my pocketbook to see how high I could go. I never want what nobody else wants.

Now and then you run into "dealers", the unwanted guests at an auction, who know what they are doing, and often come off best. Then you run into bystanders, who are not tempted by anything unless they have made up their minds before the sales just what they came for. They have my admiration for their will-power. I never leave with what I went for, but I never leave empty-handed.

Some buyers are the nonchalant type. They will be chatting with someone next to them, and suddenly pitch into the fray by upping the bid fifty cents and then taking a better look. Once in a while they get stuck, but that sort of buying is like roulette—they're willing to take a chance to see if they can win.

Friends have been known to come close to blows around the auctioneer. I know of two instances when an article was bought by someone just to keep someone else from having it. There seem to be

some tricks to stopping the bid at your own price, but the intricacies of such systems are still a mystery to me. All I know is that a pick-up truck is a handy thing to have, and that most people are probably surprised at themselves when they get home with all that stuff.

Then after they do, most of it has to be "done over" or repaired. This gives people with leisure a new lease on life, and they can start scrubbing and polishing their fingers to the bone, often with amazingly wonderful effects. If you have in mind to paint a piece of furniture, it is best to keep it a dark secret, for it is a horrible thought to the scrub and polish school.

Once you've caught the auction fever, especially if you come home with an object that the little antique shop would sell for five times the price, you're practically incurable, as long as your cash hold out. But it's fun, you're bound to run into someone you haven't seen for months, and you never know what you'll find.

E. F. W.

### Bremo Bluff News

By Mrs. Mary Smith

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Holland, of Roanoke spent the week-end with Mrs. Holland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Flanagan.

Mrs. E. P. Osborne and Mrs. James Wright were business visitors to Dillwyn Thursday.

The Rev. and Mrs. James Ferneyhough, of Fayetteville, North Carolina are visiting Mrs. Ferneyhough's mother, Mrs. L. W. Cabell.

Barbara Kay Melton returned home Wednesday from University Hospital, Charlottesville, where she was a patient for three weeks.

Bobbie Morris returned to his home here a few days ago, after spending several weeks with his aunt, Mrs. J. A. Bowles, in Maryland.

Paison Crowell came home Friday from Richmond where he had been a patient in a hospital for about a week.

Mrs. B. O. Davidson is a patient in Stuart Circle Hospital

Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wright left Sunday for a few days stay at Niagara Falls and Canada.

The Rev. and Mrs. Dorsey G. Smith and children, David, D. G. III and Debrah, of Brownwood, Texas are visiting Dorsey's parents, Mr and Mrs. Dorsey Smith.

A pig is the nearest relative to a hippopotamus.

Cosner-Wood

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cosner of Kents Store announce the marriage of their daughter Marianne to Clarence J. Wood, of Columbia. The ceremony took place in Chesterfield, S. C. July 12.

The bride and groom spent their honeymoon in North and South Carolina and are making their

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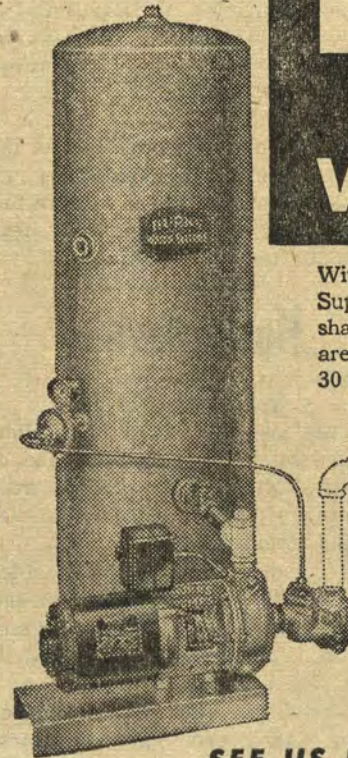
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### County Farm Notes

By P. H. France

**NEW Pasture Leaflet Available**— "Here's How to Seed That Pasture" is the title of a newly prepared leaflet now available at my office.

The leaflet advises farmers to take soil samples now and send them to the agronomy department for analysis. Apply the amount of lime needed at least 30 days before seeding, and plow or disk it into the soil.

The soil test also will give an indication of the amount and analysis of fertilizer needed.

The leaflet also gives suggestions on what and when to seed, and other tips for top pastures.

If you are interested in having soil tested, let me know and I will be glad to assist you.

**Air Sac Infection Studied in Virginia**—

"Air Sac Infection", a respiratory trouble of poultry, which reached alarming proportions in flocks on the eastern shore and in the Valley last year, is the subject of research underway at VPI Agricultural Experiment Station.

The Virginia Station is one of seven states along the eastern seaboard which are cooperating with the Bureau of Animal Industry in research on the disease.

Dr. E. P. Johnson, animal pathologist at the Experiment Station, says the Virginia research will deal mainly with improved methods of diagnosis, the possibility of transmitting the disease through the egg, and various treatments.

Overall, researchers are exploring: the nature of the agent which causes the disease; relationship of air sac infection to other respiratory disease of poultry; effect of live-virus vaccination against other diseases on the spread of air sac infection; effect of antibiotics on the disease; and the effect of proper sanitation measures on control.

The malady has been spreading through poultry flocks of the United States since it was first recognized 2 or 3 years ago. Broiler producers along the eastern seaboard have been particularly hard hit, with mortality running as high as 30 and sometimes 50 percent. The disease causes marked inflammation of the air sacs, the membranes of which generally thicken and covered with a frothy of cheesy coating.

Some \$235,000 has been made available in the seven states for these studies. Other states participating are Connecticut, Delaware, Georgia, Maryland, Massachusetts, and North Carolina.

If you have any trouble with your poultry, let me know as we are anxious to keep a close check for any outbreak of air sac or any other infection that might appear in this county.

**Demonstration Farms Report Dairy Profits**—

Dairy farm profits have more than kept pace with profits on beef cattle farms in southwest Virginia.

Kenneth Loope, farm management specialist at VPI, says that records from farm unit demonstration farms in southwest Virginia show that dairy farm profits averaged higher than those from any other type of farm for the 12 year period 1939-1950.

Dairy farm profits averaged \$670 higher than beef in 1939-43; \$1,190 more in 1942-46; and \$1,412 in 1946-50. The average difference

for the 12 years was \$1,066.

Dairy farm profits increased continuously from \$803 in 1939 to \$5,552 in 1946. The following two years brought a drop in profits to about \$3,600. They stayed near this level through 1950. During the period labor income on dairy farms varied as much as \$4,747. The average labor income on beef reached a high of \$3,657 in 1945, dropped to \$1,288 in 1949, but came back to \$2,632 in 1950. The variation in labor income on beef farms has been greater than for dairy farms or on general farms selling milk.

General farms selling milk averaged \$464 more labor income over the 12 year period than other general farms. Loope says this probably accounts for the increased profits.

**Feeder Calf Sale**—

Fluvanna County is one of several counties making up the Richmond Feeder Calf Sale which will be held in October.

If you are interested in selling calves in the Richmond sale, get in touch with me on or before August 15th, so that we can make necessary arrangements to have the calves inspected etc.

**Fertilizer**—

Another big factor in achieving American agriculture's production miracle has been the spectacular increase in the use of commercial fertilizer. In the mid-thirties fertilizer consumption was around 5 million tons per year. During the 1951-52 crop year fertilizer use reached an all time peak of 20,983,740 tons. Thus in 20 years the tons consumed have been multiplied four times. The plant food use has increased even more because analyses are now substantially higher.

**Egg Prices**—

High demand for eggs, coupled with weeks of hot weather which made biddy lazy and less productive, have sent egg prices skyrocketing. Large eggs advanced on the New York market 20 cents

per dozen in two weeks. The price increase has been so spectacular that some reaction downward would seem probable. Nevertheless, egg prices were much too low in relation to production costs, and most of the price improvement can be expected to stick during the rest of the summer and this fall. Storage stocks are a little above last year but below the five year average.

### Kent's Store News

By Mrs. S. T. Richardson

Little Roger Bowles has been quite ill with the mumps the past week. We hope to see him out playing soon.

Mrs. Janie Gordle and daughters, Phyllis and Eileen, of Richmond visited relatives in the community Saturday.

Mrs. Claire Stover and daughter, Marshall, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Land and C. J. Richardson.

Mrs. Frank Grubbs is a patient

in Johnston Willis Hospital. We wish for her a speedy recovery. Among her visitors were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Payne, F. B. Grubbs, Dora Lee and Charlie Grubbs.

Andrew Sheridan had the misfortune to fracture his arm in an accident on his farm this week. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richardson, of Newport News spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Richardson. Mrs. Richardson stayed for several days visit with relatives.

Miss Helen Morris spent last week in Richmond visiting her aunt Mrs. Lewis Vines.

Mrs. Edna Roberts, of Charlottesville, and Mrs. Addie Richardson attended the Piedmont Assembly at Gordonsville from Monday through Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Richardson attended the Piedmont assembly on Thursday. Rev. and Mrs. Watson returned with them and visited until Saturday.

Mrs. E. C. McGehee spent the week-end with her daughter Mrs.

W. D. Perkins, Sunday night they visited Mrs. Carrie Perkins in Louisa Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Sheridan spent several days last week at Blacksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins and Mrs. Mabel Kent, of Richmond, attended services at Beulah Baptist Church Sunday.

Revival Services will begin at Byrd Chapel Methodist Church Sunday August 10th with all day services Sunday and each evening through the week. The District Supt. Rev. Aubrey Hughes will assist the Pastor, Rev. Eugene Rawlings. The public is cordially invited. Services will begin at 11 a.m. Sunday; at 8 p.m. each evening during the week.

Miss Claire Altis, of Richmond is visiting Mrs. J. S. Bowles and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Haden. They

all called on Mrs. Lily Holland Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Selden Vines visited relatives at Deerfield Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Perkins and daughters, Joyce and Diane, were shoppers in Charlottesville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Richardson and Mrs. D. F. Harvey were in Richmond Friday.

### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. William Miller Payne of Scottsville announce the engagement of their daughter, Amanda Virginia to Conrad L. Hall of Scottsville, son of Mrs. Jason H. Hall of Winnsboro, S. C. and the late Mr. Hall.

The wedding will take place in October.

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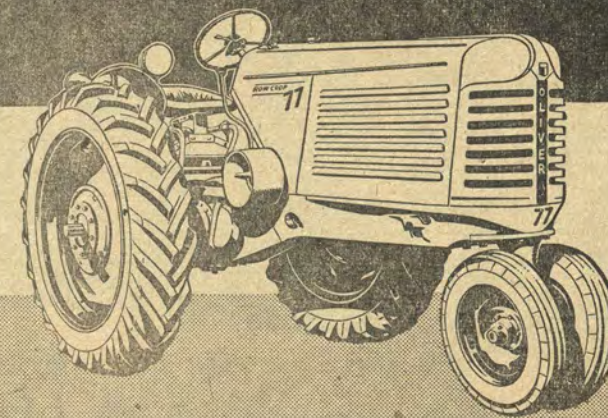
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**News Of Palmyra**

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 R. O. McCormick, Asst. Co. Agent of Courtland, Va. visited in the W.A.S. Conrad home this week. Mr. McCormick was formerly Asst. Co. Agent in Fluvanna.  
 Richard George, Mrs. Amine Pearl Conrad attended service in George, Mrs. Lucy Wood and Mrs. Scottsville Friday night of last week at which time Eddie Goodwin son of Mr. and Mrs. William Goodwin was ordained as a Baptist Minister.  
 Mrs. Annette Haden, widow of the late Dr. T. H. Haden of McIntosh, Fla. is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Conrad.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Trainum, of Charlottesville, were in town Tuesday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shiflett spent last week at Virginia Beach visiting Judge J. Davis Reed. They also visited relatives in Norfolk and Portsmouth.  
 Capt. John Hughes who has been a patient at McGuire's Veteran Hospital for the past two weeks is improving satisfactorily. His many friends hope he will soon be home again.  
 Homecoming Day was observed at Bethel Baptist Church, Sunday August 3, Rev. Connor, the pastor brought the morning message and Miss Chinn, a missionary to China was asked to bring the afternoon message.  
 Mrs. Clare Strathey and Mrs. Douglas Hughes spent one night last week in the S. P. Harland

home.  
 Mrs. E. P. Snead flew to California this week to visit her brother, Thomas ("Tommy") Jones who is quite ill. Mr. Jones is a Fluvannian having lived on the Carysbrook farm at Carysbrook, Va. as a boy. He many friends wish for him a complete recovery very soon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. P. H. France and Miss Katherine Omohundro attended the Institute of Rural Affairs at VPI this week.  
 Mr. McCarthy was in town Friday auditing the Treasurers Records.  
 Judge Meeks was in Palmyra this week clearing his docket.  
 Ivanhoe Seay, of South Carolina, who is visiting his sister, Miss E. K. Seay, has been confined to his bed several days on account of an allergy.  
 Rev. E. W. Rawlings has been assisting Rev. E. R. Collie in Revival Services at the Methodist Church this week.

Sheriff J. A. Hughes visited his father Capt. John Hughes at McGuire's Hospital in Richmond Friday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Winn Scott and two children who have been visiting their parents in Richmond and Palmyra for the past two weeks returned to their home in Cincinnati, Ohio Saturday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hannah and daughter, Mrs. W. E. Lloyd attend the wedding of Miss Rennie Kezell and William Robert Harrison, August 2. The wedding was performed in the Methodist Church at Keezle Town, Va. at 3:30 p.m. Reception followed at the home of the bride's mother Mrs. Rembrandt Pearl Kezell, immediately after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Hannah and Mrs. Lloyd will spend the remainder of the week-end with their cousin, Mrs. Fred Simms at Pen Laird, Va.  
 A mandrill is a large baboon with a light blue nose, orange and yellow beard and a forehead crest of greenish hair.

**Further Improvements Started On Route 29**  
 Further improvements have been started on the Lynchburg-Charlottesville road, US Route 29, by state highway forces who are widening the 4.2 miles section from Colleen to Lovingsston to a full 24 feet with wide shoulders.  
 Forces from Camp No. 16 have virtually completed the widening of a two-mile gap north of Amherst and moved on to the section north of Colleen, State Highway Resident Engineer W. M. Jeffress, of Amherst, said this week (today). Remaining to complete the sec-

tion north of Amherst is final dressing work and the widening of Buffalo River Bridge. Steel for the bridge is expected in the last quarter of this year, the engineer said. After that time, men from the camp will be engaged in widening the river bridge, widening the 18-foot roadway north of Colleen to 24 feet, and widening Ruckers Run bridge from a 23-foot width to 36 feet.  
 When the Colleen-Lovingston section is completed about the end of the year, US 29 will have a 24-foot pavement for some 16 miles from Lovingsston to Amherst and a three-lane highway from Amherst to Lynchburg.  
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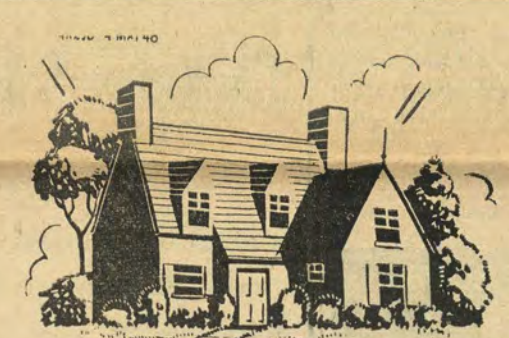
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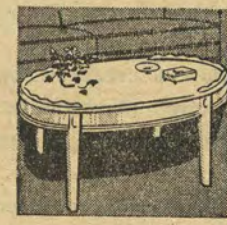
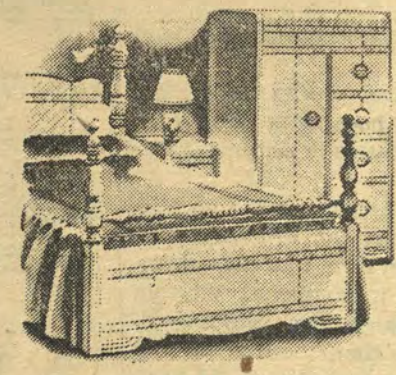


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The marriage of Miss Emogene Helen Stephen, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Stephen of Keysville, to Dallas Maden Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Early Johnson of Palmyra, took place at 3 P.M. on July 26 at Ash Camp Baptist Church in Keysville. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Charles Morgan.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white satin with rose point lace. Her finger-tip veil fell from a halo of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of lily of the valley, white roses, and stephanotis with orchids.

Miss Carolyn Cate, of the Johns Hopkins school of Nursing, was maid-of-honor. Other attendants

were Mrs. Dorothy Lane Self, of Fredericksburg, niece of the bride and Miss Beverly Ann Johnson, of Palmyra, sister of the bridegroom. Pamela Pettus, of Keysville, was flower girl and Donald Stephen, of Orange, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer. Miss Sarah Gardner, of Newport News, was the soloist.

Bernard Spivey, of Richmond brother-in-law of the bridegroom was best man. Ushers were Westly Beale, of Pennsylvania, cousin of the bridegroom and E. C. Browning, of Scottsville.

After a reception in the Keysville Community House, the couple left for a wedding trip in the Smokey Mountains. They will make their home in Fluvanna County.

**Surprise Shower**

Mrs. Bill Moore, of Warren was entertained by her many friends of the community with a surprise china shower in her home last Thursday night.

Guests included: Mrs. C. A. Whitted, Clara Marie Whitted, Mrs. Maggie Gardner, Mrs. Fife Hughes, Mrs. Tom Anderson, Mrs. Robert Stargell, Mrs. Wallace Tapscott, Mrs. Tucker Tapscott, Miss Page Tapscott, Mrs. Calwood, Mrs. Vernie McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Baber Jr. and son, Mrs. Luther Baber, Sr., Mrs. Edna Davidson, Mrs. Madeline Roberts, Mrs. Walker Bell, Mrs. W. M. Bell, Miss Ora Lee Bell, Mrs. Sam Robertson, Mrs. Tom Goodman, Mrs. Clyde Moore, Mrs. Hazel Tucker, Mrs. Frances Moore, Mrs. Elliott Goode, and Mrs. G. C. Golladay.

Games were played and delicious refreshments served.

**Cunningham News**  
By Frances Taylor

Miss Annie Parrish spent the past week in Richmond, visiting her cousin and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Parrish.

Pvt. Marion Breeden is spending his furlough with his mother, Mrs. Mattie Breeden.

Mrs. Clarence Haden, of Charlottesville, was in the neighborhood during the week-end.

Mrs. Katherine (Kate) Goodman was buried at Effort Church on Friday. We wish to extend sympathy to her relations living in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown and Miss Myrtle Mann were business visitors in Scottsville last week.

Remember the lawn Party at Cunningham on August 15 and arrange to come.

**VETERANS REPRESENTATIVE**

Veterans of the Scottsville area will be able to receive advice about their rights under the GI Bill twice a month when a man will come hear from the area office. Next appearance will be Thursday, August 21. The representative can probably be reached on that date at the residence of Dr. Percy Harris.

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**Columbia News**

by Mary Walton

Miss Nancy Snoddy spent last week visiting Peggy Phillips, of Kents Store.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston, Jr. and two sons of Butler, Pa. spent several days last week visiting in the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Palmore last Saturday, were Dr. and Mrs. R. N. Snead of Richmond, and Beverley Anne Glaze, of Rock Castle, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Cowherd attended the dedication of a Memorial Window for Mr Cowherd's parents, Benjamin Rush and Roberta Taylor Cowherd, at St. John's Episcopal Church at Columbia, July 27.

Oil Paintings by Virginia School Children are being shown at the summer studio of Jeanne Fowler Roberts, in Charlottesville. Thirteen of the paintings have returned recently from the National Exhibition, Fine Arts Galleries, Carnegie Institute, Pittsburgh, Pa. Eleven of thirteen paintings were painted by Fluvanna children, one of which was Jane Proffitt, of Columbia. Her painting was called "Design for Spring."

H. S. Mosby, Jr. of Richmond, spent the week-end in the home of his mother, Mrs. H. S. Mosby.

Mrs. Joe Walton spent several days last week visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. A. Hatcher.

Wilmer Nelson, of Richmond is spending his vacation in the home of his mother, Mrs. Cora Nelson. Mrs. Grace Shifflett, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cooke, Jr., and Mrs. Fred Butler, of Richmond, spent last week-end visiting in the home of Mrs. Ronald Cooke.

A dance was held at the Episcopal Parish House here last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Glass and son Roger, of Roanoke visited in the home of Mrs. B. E. Glass last Sunday, on their way home from a vacation spent in New York City.

Mrs. Tom Blount of Denver, Colorado visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Louis Stoneman last week.

Columbia ball team played Genito team at Genito last Sunday. The score was 4 to 2 in favor of Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Shepherd motored to Natural Bridge and Harrisburg last Saturday.

Mrs. Wilmer Nelson and Bobby Nelson motored to Glade Spring on Wednesday to visit in the home

of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cowherd. Mr. and Mrs. Garland Lipscomb of Chester visited friends in town Sunday.

Mrs. George Huckstep and Mary Garland Lipscomb spent several days this week visiting Mrs. W. F. Kayser.

Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall and Judy Marshall attended the Annual Radio Shenandoah Ham Festival at Dickie Ridge on the Skyline Drive last Sunday. About 180 people were present.

Mrs. Al Willis and two sons of Hampton, Mrs. Thomas Hansburger and son and daughter, and Mrs. Sidney Bailey of Falls Church are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Kent this week.

Mrs. Claude Amos spent last Saturday in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner and son, of Charlottesville, and Miss Lucy Turner of Richmond, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Amos over the week-end.

Fluvanna County's Mass X-ray program was completed last week. 791 persons had a free chest X-ray. The program was sponsored jointly by the Tuberculosis Association of Fluvanna County and the State Health Department. The X-ray unit was in the county for four days and during that time was stationed in the following six communities. (1) Columbia, (2)

Bybee Post Office (3) Breomo Bluff (4) Fork Union, (5) Cunningham, and (6) Palmyra.

**Plant Nine Walloped**

The U. S. Rubber Company sank deeper in the Tri-County baseball league cellar Sunday when they were shellacked 18-1 by a hard hitting Shipman nine.

Playing at Shipman the Plant team wasn't able to do anything right as their errors combined with hard hitting by the home team ran the score up to lopsided proportions.

Melvin Simpson, usually the Plant's ace, was unable to cope with the Shipman batters and left the game in the Seventh after allowing 15 runs. Alvin Fernyhough pitched the last two innings and had slightly better luck but couldn't keep the winners from scoring.

Plant batting averages dipped as no member of the squad was able to do much damage against Shipman pitching.

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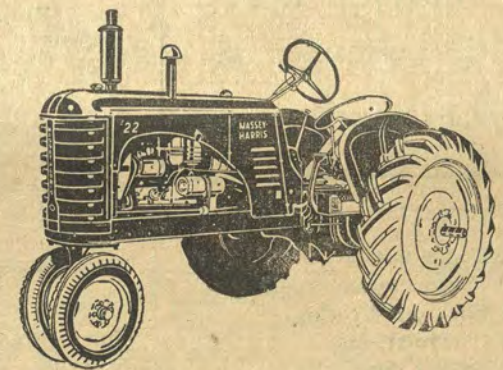
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**Household Hints**

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

Homemakers can save a great deal of time by arranging to cook the entire meal in the oven. The automatic time clock can be set to start the meal and to cut the units off when it is time to serve it. However, those who do not have the automatic clock can very easily prepare the same meal.



Following are few menus that are tempting and that require the same temperature and length of time:

- Baked Trout
- Steamed Carrots
- Baked Rice
- Baked Apples
- Gingerbread

1 Hour **BAKED TROUT**  
 2 to 3 pound trout  
 1/4 lb. sliced bacon  
 1 onion, thinly sliced  
 3/4 cup buttered cracker crumbs  
 Bay leaves  
 4 tablespoons butter  
 4 tablespoons flour  
 1 teaspoon salt

Arrange half of bacon in shallow pan. Then, cover with onion slices and a few crushed bay leaves. Wipe trout and place over bacon, onion and bay leaves. Cream butter and flour and spread over the top of trout. Cover with crumbs and arrange other half of bacon over crumbs. Salt.

**STEAMED CARROTS**  
 Carrots  
 1/2 cup water  
 1 teaspoon sugar  
 Salt

Pare and slice carrots. Add water, sugar and salt and place in a covered casserole. (If no cover is available for casserole, use aluminum foil crimped tightly over edge of dish.)

**BAKED RICE**  
 1 to 2 cups rice  
 1 teaspoon salt  
 Water (1 cup rice to 2 cups water)

Wash rice well. Cover with water, and add salt. Place in a covered casserole.

**BAKED APPLES**  
 6 apples  
 Raisins  
 Walnuts  
 Sugar

Butter  
 Core apples for baking and fill centers with raisins, walnuts, sugar and butter. Place in baking dish. Add 1/2 cup water.

John S. White Sr.

John Stephen White, Sr. of Scottsville, died Tuesday in a Richmond hospital.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary F. White; two daughters, Miss Betty White, of Richmond, and Mrs. Anne Anderson, of Arlington, Jr., of the U. S. Navy; four sisters, the Misses India and Josephine White, both of Red Hill, Va.; Mrs. Bernard Teel, of Charlottesville, and Mrs. Carrie Patterson, of Nexia, Texas; two brothers, Edward M. White, of Red Hill, Va., and Jerry White, of North Carolina, and one grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 5 o'clock at Red Hill Wednesday.

**Slays Wife**

(Continued from page one)  
 Flora Jackson, both of Alexandria, and brothers, William Andrew Woodson, Otis W. Woodson, Jr., Matthew Lee Woodson, all of Alexandria, Lushian Alfred Woodson of Camp Pickett, who was home on leave during the tragedy, and Fulton and Truitt Woodson, both of Wheeler's Cove.

Mrs. Woodson's funeral was conducted at her family's home at 4 p.m. on Tuesday. Her survivors include the four children above, her parents, and two brothers, Marion C. Woodson of Norfolk and Vernon Lee Woodson of Shipman.

**Personals**

By Mrs. Annie C. Melton  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell spent this week-end in Newport News.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kent, of Orange, visited their daughter, Mrs. Merrill Carter last week.

Hamden Fleming, of Richmond, spent the week-end with his niece, Mrs. Guy Moon.

Conrad Hall has returned from two weeks' training at Camp Pickett.

Rev. and Mrs. Jack B. Taylor and family are visiting relatives in Solomons, Maryland.

Mrs. F. W. Sprague of Richmond, spent a week with Mrs. Guy Moon recently.

Miss Barbara Simmons of Washington, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simmons.

Miss Mollie B. Whitlock, of Arlington, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Phillips.

Little Miss Virginia Wrenn Seay of Breemo Bluff, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Guy Moon.

Mrs. Wilson Dansey returned home this week-end after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Massie, of Newport News.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parrott and son, of Arlington, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Caldwell last week.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Leap Sunday were: Mrs. W. P. Harrison, Mr and Mrs. Thomas Harrison and son, all of Richmond, Mr and Mrs. J. S. Leap, Edith Dunkum, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rhodes.

Jimmy Leap, of the US. Navy left Sunday for Norfolk after

spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Leap. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Combs, of Albemarle, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collie Combs.

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