



## News of London-Britain Vicinity

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Last December 21, the Jack Boggs family of Londonderry Farm, was very happy over the arrival of Mrs. Evelyn Baldwin, Mrs. Boggs' mother, from Bryn Mawr College. Mrs. Baldwin is well liked in the community, and her visits are all too infrequent, on account of the position she fills as manager of Rhoads Hall at Bryn Mawr.

On December 22, the whole Boggs family, in company with others of this community had the pleasure of attending the annual Candlelight Service at Kennett Consolidated School. For the benefit of those who didn't know about this annual event, and enjoy such things, it should be remarked that Christmas songs are done beautifully by the trained students, and the excerpts from the Hallelujah Chorus this year were superb. Shirley Boggs had the honor of singing alto in the double trio.

Mrs. Louis Losee thought she had one sick boy as young Jeff was taken for medical attention, due to the obvious recurrence of an infection of the middle ear, last Tuesday, December 22, but Cliff claimed he felt badly too, and sure enough, within three hours, Clifford was a very sick boy with a case of virus pneumonia. As things now stand, the boys are getting well, but it's not too late to extend our sympathies and best wishes. Hard lines being sick during vacation, isn't it, fellers?

Dr. Arthur Kelley, well-known botanist and member of the community, was a dinner guest at the LaRue Van-Sant home for New Year's dinner.

A much-appreciated Christmas card, picture and communication came to the Ness home this season from one Harry Geist, who had stopped by from Johnstown, Pa., on the "Last Grand Tour" early last summer. This fine Quaker gentleman, over eighty, was driving himself in very competent fashion, to scan once more the "scenes of his childhood," for he felt that the time was coming when he would have to "slow down a little," and perhaps forego driving, if you please! It seems that his mother had told the family of the old home in which she was born in 1830, and her brother in 1825, and there had been a couple of previous visits, one just after the first World War, to the present Ness home. Now he was coming, as the last member of his generation, to see what was happening to the old place. I spent a wonderful summer afternoon listening to his tales of yesterday, and the country as it used to be. We took some pictures, and this card and letter from "Dad" Geist, served to confirm the things he had told me about our home having been built by his great-grandfather, Thomas Shortledge.

One of the most amusing stories about Christmas cards and the customs connected therewith, just came to my attention. As is the habit of many of us, this person wrote a short note on cards designated for old friends with whom frequent correspondence was impractical. Last season the dead-line closed in relentlessly, and one dear friend got the line, "Will write a letter very shortly." Nothing further took place until this year the author opened a card from that friend and on it was inscribed the single word, "When?"

On December 24, the Herman Boggs and the George Lee Jones, from Del Monte Acres, near Wilmington, were co-guests with Jack Boggs' brother, Harry, and his daughter, Joanne, plus Louis Halsey and Robert McMillan, from Landenberg, at a buffet supper given at Londonderry Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nichol and little son spent part of the day and had Christmas dinner at the home of Mrs. Norman Worth, Mrs. Nichol's mother, Concordville. The dinner guests were eleven in number, and the affair constituted a family get-together.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Charles Shirley's mother, who died December 18, at Laurel, Maryland.

The Max Goebbels of Landenberg, have been coping with a bit of a siege of children's diseases.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eggers announce the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth to Corp. Raymond Evans, Saturday, December 24, in the chapel at Ft. Blair, Virginia, where Corporal Evans is stationed. The couple is spending their honeymoon in the Shenendoah Valley, Virginia.

Lt. J.G. and Mrs. Robert Enright and son, Joseph, of Newport, Rhode Island, have been spending several days at the home of Mrs. Helen Sheehan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, of Downingtown, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roland Minshall, of Kaolin, and Thomas Crossan, of Richmond, Virginia, were Christmas guests at the John Le Fevre home.

Mrs. Martha Carlin was a dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carlin and family, Christmas Day.

Christmas Eve callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gibson were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hendrickson and daughter, Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rigler and son, Earl.

Margaret Bryan was a guest at the Andrew Ford home December 22.

Rev. Corbett and wife visited Mrs. Corbett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond D. Rapp, at their home on Massachusetts Avenue in Washington, D. C., from December 25 to December 28.

Projected sermons at the Landenberg Methodist Church are:

January 8—"Ye Must Be Born Again."  
January 8—"Our Faith in the Bible."  
January 15—Communion, Meditation around Da Vinci's "Last Supper."

## Capitol Trail News

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The Raymonds' home, in Roseville Park, was the scene of a most successful Christmas party on December 27th. Despite the strenuous week-end schedule, Santa was present with gifts for everyone. Refreshments were served under a gayly decorated Christmas tree, and all the neighborhood children carried away a feeling of good fellowship, beside their gifts. A lot of credit to Mrs. E. Rohrbaugh, who was in charge of the party.

Those present were—Anna, Barbara, Carolyn, Frank Beecher and Leonard Beecher, Audrey, Carl, and Rodney Bitterworth; George, Jerry, Carol, Jean, Margaret, Bobby, James and David Foraker; Frank Green; Betty Hallman; Wallace, Anna and George Harrigan; Rose McMullen; Anita and Jack Long; Grace Miller; Rosalee O'Neal; Eddie, Eloise and Emory Rohrbaugh; Rebecca, John, Dale and Kenneth Wimmer. Santa also brought gifts for the children unable to attend, these were delivered the next day. Also present were—Mr. and Mrs. Wimmer, Mr. and Mrs. George Foraker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Rohrbaugh, Mrs. Anthony Bone, Mrs. Maude Miller and

Mr. Frank Butterworth.

Mr. and Mrs. David Eastburn, Sr., have had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Conover, of Sea Girt, N. J.; and Mrs. Eastburn's sister, Mrs. Ernest Lamborn and family, of Elmhurst, Del. On Sunday all motored to Valley Forge, where they attended the Delaware Day services in the chapel. Mrs. Eastburn reports this was a most impressive and solemn ceremony.

The New Year was welcomed in by a party, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eastburn, Sr., on Red Mill Road. After an enjoyable evening, a buffet supper was served, and enjoyed by the guests who gathered around the beautiful old fire place, center of family life, in this lovely old home. The ringing of the farm bell at midnight climaxed the party, attended by more than thirty-five members of the family and friends.

## White Clay Creek Presbyterian Church News

At 8 p. m. on Tuesday, Jan. 10, there will be a combined meeting of the Church Corp. and congregation. Mr. Allen Morrison will preside for the Church Corp. and Rev. James Bishop for the congregational meeting. The Ladies' Missionary Society will meet on Jan. 12th at the home of Mrs. Paul Peach. Meeting time 2 p. m.

The new officers are: President, Mrs. Howard Bradley; vice-president, Mrs. James Bishop; secretary, Mrs. Andrew Lindell and treasurer, Mrs. Nathaniel Richards.

Our church will cooperate with the Wilmington Council of Churches, for a series of meetings to be held in Grace M. E. Church, Wilmington, on each evening next week, at 8 p. m. This will be the E. Stanley Jones series.

Regular services next Sunday: Sunday School for all ages at 10 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m. Subject: "Star Gazers and Star Followers." Rev. James Bishop presiding.

## Outlook Favorable For State's Farmers

Cash Farm Incomes Rise In 1949, Worrilow Says

Delaware's agricultural outlook appears to be favorable when compared with that of other regions of the country, as well as the nation as a whole, according to George M. Worrilow, Director of the Delaware Agricultural Experiment Station and Extension Service.

"Delaware is one of the few states where cash farm income for 1949 was greater than for 1948, says Director Worrilow." Our gross income increased from \$99,000,000 in 1948 to \$105,000,000 in 1949, while the national agricultural income declined about nine per cent.

Worrilow points out that both prices received by farmers and cash receipts from farming for 1950 may average about 10 per cent below last year. Meanwhile, farm operator's net income is likely to drop somewhat more than cash receipts. This is because farm production costs and prices paid by farmers are expected to decline less than their cash receipts in 1950.

"Efficiency of production on the farm," concludes Worrilow, "will be even more the key to successful farming in 1950 than it has been in the past."



## HOW TO BE AN "ANGEL" on Party-Line Telephones

It's easy! Simply give your party-line neighbors the consideration you'd like them to give you... and you'll almost always find the courtesy returned. This means good telephone service for everyone on the line!

Suppose you start to make a call and find the line in use. It's courteous to hang up gently and give the other person a few minutes to finish his call before you try again. And suppose, while talking, you realize that your neighbor wants to make a call. It's courteous to hang up in a few minutes and free the line.

See? It doesn't take much to win your "party-line halo"... and thus to help make service better for all.

The Diamond State Telephone Company



# What Can The People Believe?

When the anti-trust lawyers in Washington filed their suit to put the A&P out of business, they immediately handed out for all the newspapers of the United States a story giving in detail their "allegations" against this company.

When we published advertisements giving our side of the case, they protested, even though they had made, and have continued to make, in newspapers, in speeches and over the radio these charges that would seriously damage our business, if they were believed by the public.

Every week millions of American housewives patronize A&P stores. Many of them would not want to deal with the kind of people that the anti-trust lawyers represent us to be.

We think we have a right to protect this 90-year old business which has made it possible for millions of American families to get more and better food for their money, which is providing high-wage employment for 110,000 Americans and which is helping millions of farmers to improve the methods of distributing their produce.

No answer by us would be necessary if the anti-trust lawyers were always right.

But they, like all other human beings, can be wrong.

In this case we know they are wrong.

*They have been wrong before.*

In case after case they made charges against A&P which were proved in court to be utterly without foundation.

We will prove that statement right up to the hilt.

The anti-trust lawyers tell the public that they won a previous anti-trust suit against us at Danville, Illinois. They did.

What they do not tell you is that they brought case after case against the A&P in federal courts all over the United States. Before they won this case they suffered three defeats.

The anti-trust lawyers have told everybody about the time that the courts said they were right. We think you are entitled to know about the three times the courts said they were wrong.

Now we are going to tell you about the first one. In future advertisements we will tell you about all of them.

## The Washington Bread Case

In April, 1941, the anti-trust lawyers brought a criminal suit in Washington, D. C.

They charged that the A&P, two grocery chain competitors, two labor unions and other good American citizens had conspired to fix the price of bread.

Can anyone imagine any charge calculated to be more damaging to a retail grocery business? They asked millions of people to believe that we were the kind of grocers who would take bread out of the mouths of poor people and make it harder for a wife and mother to feed her family.

*These charges were false.*

In that case it developed that the A&P and the two competitors who were charged with conspiring with us to maintain high bread prices actually sold bread cheaper than most of the other stores in Washington.

The anti-trust lawyers presented and argued their case. When they were through, Federal District Judge Allen T. Goldsborough ruled that A&P and the other defendants did not even have to put in a defense. He ordered the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty."

*Judge Goldsborough said to the anti-trust lawyers:*

*"If you were to show this record to any experienced trial lawyer in the world, he would tell you that there was not any evidence at all.*

*"Honestly, I have never in my over forty years' experience seen tried a case that was as absolutely devoid of evidence as this. That is the honest truth. I have never seen one like it."*

So here was a case in which the anti-trust lawyers made seriously damaging charges against the A&P, in support of which, in the words of the court, they did not have "any evidence at all."

This was not the only time the anti-trust lawyers made charges against the A&P which the courts said were not true. In future ads we are going to tell you about these other suits. We are not going to duck, either. We are going to tell you about the criminal suit that the anti-trust lawyers won at Danville, Illinois.

The anti-trust lawyers say that they are not attacking "bigness" or efficiency. They have to say that because the courts have decided that "bigness" and efficiency and selling at low prices is not a crime.

But the fact is crystal clear that they only brought their bread suit against the big companies and against companies that sold good bread at the lowest prices; just as in this current suit they are attacking a big company that sells good food cheap.

We are going to show the American people that the suit to destroy A&P is really a suit against efficiency and against real competition.

The real question involved in this suit is whether businessmen are going to be encouraged to do a better and more efficient job; or whether we are going to let the anti-trust lawyers in Washington blow the whistle on anybody who gets big by giving the people more for their money.

*No one can make us believe that it is a crime to try to sell the best quality food at the lowest possible price.*

THE GREAT ATLANTIC &  PACIFIC TEA COMPANY

# FINE CARS OF GREAT VALUE

## ...AND THE IDEAS

## PEOPLE LIKE

*Features that serve you and your family  
are the contribution of Chrysler Corporation  
in the dramatically beautiful new  
1950 Plymouth, Dodge, De Soto and Chrysler cars.*

AMERICA'S splendid automotive progress is the result of free and vigorous competition. No one company has an "exclusive" on good ideas.

Yet it is a fact that many of the basic milestones in automotive engineering — improvements you now take for granted as standard . . . were originally developed by Chrysler Corporation. This is simply the result of our conviction that our job is to develop features that truly serve the driver. You can see this demonstrated again in the dramatically beautiful new 1950 Plymouth, Dodge, DeSoto and Chrysler cars being introduced this week and the next.

From smooth, responsive, powerful engines, to safe, dependable brakes . . . these new cars are built to serve and to please the driver. The wonderful transmissions on all four cars are a good example . . . and each in its way is one of the basic milestones of Chrysler Corporation in automotive engineering.

You will see Plymouth with its superbly engineered easy-shift standard transmission . . . silent, quick, completely dependable. You will see Dodge, DeSoto and Chrysler with *gérol* Fluid Drive and their smooth, quiet, wonderful automatic transmissions. Cool running, trouble-free . . . they actually contribute to rather than detract from gasoline mileage, and above all, they give you complete control of your car at all times . . . a marvelous contribution to effortless driving!

YOU WILL see dramatic new beauty — with an all-important difference . . . beauty that reflects the sound engineering and solid comfort inside. They are designed for the job they must do for you. In their crisp, clean, honest lines, you will see advanced the functional styling set by Chrysler last year, which met with great public acceptance, and has become a major influence in design.

These new cars have a combination of safe driving that allows you to see clearly, to drive or stop with ease, to maneuver freely, even in close quarters. You can enjoy the relaxation which is such an important element in safe driving.

THEIR ROOMINESS will delight you. With seats of chair height, you can sit back, stretch out, cross your legs, relax. And a new peace of mind awaits you in the driver's seat. For never before have you enjoyed such complete control of a car with so little driving effort.

We invite you to see and to drive the new 1950 Plymouth, Dodge, DeSoto and Chrysler cars! They are by far our finest cars—for they truly serve you and your family better than any cars we've ever built. We are confident you will find them the right, the exciting, and the beautiful answer for all you want in your new car.

*You get the good things first from Chrysler Corporation*

For fine cars of great value go see these new 1950 cars



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# YELLOWJACKET HIGHLIGHTS

A Column of News Contributed By the Journalism Class At Newark High School

**Holiday Parties and "Going Ons"**  
Saturday night, December 31, a party was given by Joan Barzewski at her home, near Glasgow. About eighteen people attended to help "ring in" the New Year. Games of all sorts were played and prizes were given for winners of many of the games.

Refreshments were served in the basement of Joan's home at a late hour. Everyone remarked about the delicious food, especially about the fine home-made Polish pretzels. After refreshments were served Thelma Gray played the piano and several people sang. About 1:30 the guests left to return home or go on to another party being held at Rodney Smith's home.

New Year's night about 8:30 Rodney Smith held another party at his home. Fourteen people attended and enjoyed an evening of singing, dancing and listening to music. Because of the late hours the evening before the party broke up very early.

There were also big doings at the home of Jean and Joan Stiltz during the holidays. Layton Zimmer, home from William and Mary for the vacation, also entertained at his home on New Year's Eve. Guests at Layton's played cricket, square danced, and enjoyed excellent food. Our reporter also was learned that Cissie Murray entertained at dinner at the Murray home during the holidays.

Many Newark students watched the old year go out at the Newark Country Club where about 130 couples enjoyed an evening of dancing and fun.

Peggy Smith  
Mary Alice Fulton.

**Student of the Week—Betty Menges**  
Student of the Week—Betty Menges is editor-in-chief of the school newspaper, the Yellowjacket Buzz. This is only one of her activities. Betty is an excellent student and one of the most reliable young ladies in our school. She is responsible for the fine editorials in the Buzz and much of the work done on the paper. Besides her school work Betty has many other interests.

Betty is a young lady with hobbies. She makes Chinese ming trees and sells them. Several of her trees are on sale at the Corner Cupboard in Newark. She is, in addition, an excellent seamstress and makes most of her own clothes. Betty is seriously interested in science and would like to go on with the study of a science in college. We have great hopes for Betty and know she will succeed.

Bill Everhart.

### Calendar of Events

- Tuesday, January 3—A. I. duPont basketball game (home).
- Friday, January 6—P. S. duPont basketball game (home).
- Tuesday, January 10—Claymont basketball game (home).
- Wednesday, January 11—Assembly program given by Miss Wilkinson's home room. A movie, entitled "Westminster Abbey."
- Friday, January 13—Brown basketball game (home).

## Peace, World Order Vital Aims For '50

Sen. Frear Calls On U. S. To Work For Peace In New Year's Address

United States Senator J. Allen Frear, Jr., Monday night called on all Americans to work unceasingly for conditions leading to a just and lasting peace. In a New Year's message to the eye of the new session of Congress Senator Frear declared that world order is the most important objective toward which the Congress can strive in 1950.

Senator Frear said that another principal obligation on the part of the lawmakers during the coming year is to encourage the continued healthy state of our domestic economy, which he said is essential to our own welfare and that of other nations with whom we are allied.

The Delaware Senator expressed the belief that 1950 would be a "relatively prosperous year" in the United States. However, he warned that serious international disputes, particularly in key countries, could have an adverse effect on the nation's economy. "When such disputes occur," he said, "the elements of arbitration should be continually employed in an effort to bring about an agreeable settlement. Both management and labor," declared Mr. Frear, "have a clear-cut responsibility to the American public in this regard."

Senator Frear, who spent a month in Europe last fall, expressed the belief that a reduction could be made in appropriations for foreign aid. He cited evidence the rapid recovery which Western Europe has already made as a result of the Marshall Plan and pointed out that American assistance enabled western democracies to stand the line against communism.



# Acme Super Markets

## BETTER BUYS AND BETTER FOODS

Rob-Ford Fancy Calif. Large

**Prunes 2 43¢**  
Sweet Prunes from the famous Santa Clara Valley of California - - the thin skin, small, pit variety. Rob-Ford Evap. Fruits are rich in food value and fine flavor. Easy to prepare - - and economical. An ideal breakfast fruit, for dessert or as an accompaniment for meat or delicious salads.

Rob Ford Sun-Dried Evap. Peaches 11-oz pkg 25¢  
Rob Ford Evap. Mixed Fruit 11-oz pkg 25¢  
Rob Ford Fancy Evap. Apricots 11-oz pkg 35¢

Macaroni or Spaghetti G. S. 1-lb pkg 15¢  
Asco Noodles fine or wide 5-oz pkg 10¢  
Smith's Lentils 1-lb pkg 21¢

Great Northern Beans 2-lb pkg 29¢  
Sunmaid Seedless Raisins 2 pks 35¢  
Sunsweet Large Prunes 2 1-lb pkgs 45¢

The Best Costs No More... America's Prize-Winner

**LoVELLA Sweet Cream Butter**  
lb 71¢  
Wrapped Quarters

**CREAMERY BUTTER**  
Richland lb 69¢

New Low Price!  
**Crisco or Spry**  
3 lb 79¢  
can

**CREAM WHITE SHORTENING**  
3 lb can 69¢

Filbert's Margarine reg. lb 28¢  
Nucoa Margarine reg. lb 28¢

**FARMDALE MILK** Enriched 4 tall cans 45¢  
**ENRICHED FLOUR** Gold Seal 5-lb bag 37¢  
**MARGARINE** Princess Enriched 2-lb 41¢  
**CHERRIES** Musselman's Red, Pitted 20-oz can 27¢  
**MAYONNAISE** Fresh Hom-de-Life pt jar 33¢  
**APPLE SAUCE** Ideal Fancy 2 20-oz cans 23¢

**Dole's, Libby's or Del Monte Pineapple Juice**  
46-oz can 35¢  
2 18-oz cans 29¢



Better Buys in Better Meats  
**TENDER LEAN CHUCK ROAST**  
lb 45¢

**Lean SMOKED HAMS**  
lb 49¢  
Whole or Shank Half

Swift's Premium Boneless **Veal Roast** lb 55¢

**Frying Chickens** Freshly Killed lb 33¢  
**Freshly Ground Beef** lb 49¢  
**Smoked Beef Tongues** lb 39¢  
**Lean Sliced Bacon** lb 49¢ **Sliced Pork Liver** lb 33¢

Tangy Pork Roll 1/2 lb 39¢  
Skinless Franks lb 39¢  
Midget Bologna lb 49¢  
Midget Braunschweiger lb 49¢

**SPECIAL OFFER!**  
6 Pc. CUTLERY SET ONLY \$2.99 with card

Fancy Pollock Fillets lb 21¢  
Haddock Fillets lb 35¢  
Fancy Large Shrimp lb 69¢  
White Crab Meat lb 65¢

**LOOK Delicious Calif. Apricots**  
Halves in heavy syrup 8-oz cans 2 19¢  
SAVE

**Bakery Treats** Let Virginia Lee solve your dessert problems with these delicious, fresh oven treats.

**TROPIC DELIGHT LOAF CAKES** ea 29¢  
**Golden Macaroni CRUNCH BAR CAKES** ea 35¢  
Orange Iced Angelfood Cakes ea 49¢  
Cocoanut or Fruit Filled Coffee Cakes ea 23¢  
Jelly or Cinnamon Raisin Buns pkg 6 19¢  
Virginia Lee Sugared Do'Nuts doz 19¢  
Supreme Raisin Loaf plain 19¢ iced 20¢

**Gold Seal Pancake or Buckwheat Mix** 2 20-oz pkgs 25¢  
**King Syrup** 40-oz can 29¢

**Supreme Bread** The Toast of the Town  
Enriched sliced loaf 14¢  
Fresh!

**SLICED PINEAPPLE** Popular Brands 20-oz can 29¢  
**CRANBERRY SAUCE** Ocean Spray Whole or Jellied 2 16-oz cans 29¢

**HEINZ CREAM OF TOMATO SOUP** 3 cans 31¢

**KIRKMAN'S SOAP FLAKES** 16-oz pkg 26¢  
**KIRKMAN'S BORAX SOAP** bar 7¢  
**KIRKMAN'S Granulated Soap** 20-oz pkg 27¢  
**KIRKMAN CLEANSER** 3 cans 23¢  
Prin. Paper Towels 3 rls 27¢  
1/2 Price Sale Blue Suds Buy 1 pkg. 15¢ get one for 1/2

**HEINZ SOUPS** 2 cans 25¢  
**HEINZ SOUPS** 2 cans 33¢  
**HEINZ KETCHUP** 14-oz bot 25¢  
**HEINZ CUCUMBER PICKLE** 24-oz jar 29¢

**Prisolla Dinnerware Offer**  
Expires January 14th  
**HURRY!**  
ONLY 8 DAYS LEFT  
Get your order sunched!

**Heinz Baked Beans** Tom. sauce, with Pork or Veg. 2 16-oz cans 29¢  
**Heinz Strained Baby Foods** 6 jars 55¢  
**Heinz Junior Foods** 6 jars 81¢  
**Heinz Cooked Spaghetti** 2 1 1/2-oz cans 29¢  
**Heinz White Vinegar** pt 12¢ qt 18¢  
**Heinz Cider Vinegar** pt 13¢ qt 23¢

**DOG FOOD** 6 16-oz cans 73¢

**B A B - O** For bathroom and kitchen 2 14-oz cans 23¢

### Better Buys in Better Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

**FRESH CALIF. CARROTS**  
2 bchs 15¢

**BEETS** Fresh Texas 2 bchs 15¢  
**BROCCOLI** Fresh Green bch 23¢  
**LIMA BEANS** Full Podded 2 lbs 35¢

**SOLID SLICING Tomatoes** ctn 15¢

**GRAPEFRUIT** Fla. 64's 3 for 25¢  
**GRAPES** Red Emperor 2 lbs 29¢  
**APPLES** Western Delicious 3 lbs 35¢

**U. S. 1 Large Roman Beauty Apples** 3 lbs 23¢

Texas Radishes bch 5¢ Large Green Peppers ea 5¢  
**Dulany's or Honor Brand GREEN PEAS** 2 pks 49¢  
**Orange Juice** Donald Duck 4 6-oz cans 89¢  
**Liberty Brand Wh. Sugared STRAWBERRIES** 16-oz pkg 39¢

**TOMATOES** Standard Quality 2 No 2 21¢  
**PEACHES** Ideal Fancy Halves or Slices in heavy syrup 2 29-oz cans 47¢  
**HI-HO CRACKERS** Sunshine Bakers lb 31¢  
**BIB ORANGE JUICE** Case 4oz 2.19 3 cans 29¢  
**TOILET TISSUE** American; 1000 sheets 3 rolls 25¢

Save up to 20c lb. on Coffee!  
(All "Heat-Flu" Roasted)  
**Asco Coffee** lb 63¢  
Finest South American Coffee with a full body you'll enjoy.  
**Win-Crest Coffee** lb 57¢  
A lighter blend with a vigorous coffee taste.  
**IDEAL COFFEE** Vacuum Packed  
Here's a heavier-bodied blend that appeals to all lovers of the fine coffee. Regular grind or drip. lb can 69¢ or jar

Don't miss this Sensational Silverware Offer  
Set No. 1  
6 Place Setting  
6 Knives—6 Forks  
6 Teaspoons—6 Soup  
\$3.98 per set with \$10.00 in purchases  
See Display! Get Your Card

**LOOK Ideal Vegetarian or Asco Pork and Beans**  
16-oz cans 6 50¢  
2 cans 19¢  
SAVE

**Vogt's Phila. Scrapple** 2 1-lb cans 49¢  
**THRIFTY Liquid Starch** Qt Bot 19¢ 1/2 Gal Jug 35¢

**CLAPP'S Strained Foods** 6 jars 55¢  
**CLAPP'S Junior Foods** 6 jars 81¢





We have spent the past week watching the way people laugh...

What started us on this was a fellow we met recently who was afraid to laugh...

He began by showing us a clipping of a newspaper article about a man who had been arrested for disturbing the peace...

As the years passed, though, our friend learned, through much self-discipline, to control his laugh...

His one break came when he met a girl who was attracted by what she regarded as his grave and dignified mien...

He decided on a drastic course. He spent every evening for a week practicing a passable chuckle...

The comedy turned out to be an exceptionally good one, and our friend was hard put to maintain his self-control...

Finally, it broke through his reluctant lips. Despite years of suppression, it had lost none of its volume nor ostrich-like qualities...

The next day he received a note from the girl, telling him, in a tactful way, that it would be best if he did not call again.

Soon afterwards, our friend left that part of the country to take up a new life. That was what he was doing when we met him...

Jacket Quintet Triumphs, 52-41 In Debut Here With A. I. Dupont

Coach Ciesinski's Charges Get Off To Fast Start; Will Seek Second Straight Against P. S. duPont Here Tomorrow

Newark High's Yellowjacket cagers got off to a flying start on their 1950 campaign here Tuesday night...

They will be seeking their second straight win tomorrow night before the home fans with P. S. duPont providing the opposition.

Trailing by a single point at the end of the first quarter against A. I. on Tuesday, the Jackets moved into high with a 16-point outburst to finish the half with a 24-18 margin.

They maintained the pace in the third quarter, despite the fact that the visitors staged their major victory bid of the evening...

The Newark Jayvees were overwhelmed, 35-12 in the prelim game.

Table with columns for player names, points, and team totals for the basketball game.

BOWLING

Table of bowling scores for Tuesday Night League, K. of P., and Newark Major League.

NEWARK GIRLS' MAJOR LEAGUE

Table of bowling scores for Newark Girls' Major League.

Hosiery

Direct From Factory 54 - 51 - 45 GAUGE Danita Hosiery Mfg. Co. 300 S. Chapel St., Newark, Del. Telephone 2-0391

VFW Posts In State Are Urged To Back Annual Polio Drive

Department Commander Rayne Calls On Vets To Stage Funds Raising Events

Veterans of Foreign Wars posts in Delaware have been urged to cooperate in the annual campaign for the Infantile Paralysis Foundation...

In a statement issued today, Commander Rayne said: "It is very important that we continue the fight against polio, one of the greatest peace-time forces of destruction in the nation."

"Polio has been considered a children's disease, but more than 40 per cent of the victims are over 12 years of age according to Foundation reports."

The past year showed an astounding increase of 82 per cent in polio cases throughout the nation, Commander Rayne continued.

Newark outscored A. I. 24-18 from the field but trailed at the foul line, 5-4.

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REINSTATING OF NATIONAL SERVICE LIFE INSURANCE

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The Newark AA cagers set a Susquehanna League scoring mark Thursday night by defeating the Elks, 106-45, in the Elks' home court.

Every man in the Newark line-up scored at least four points in complete teams, with each playing one half the game.

For the defeated Elks, the victory put Newark in the lead in the league standings.

248 Hen Riflemen Compete For Honors

John E. Elpper, a University of Delaware freshman enrolled in the basic ROTC course, has won top honors with a score of 121x125 in the small-arms firing competition among 248 freshmen at the university.

Elpper, who lives on the Lancaster Pike near Wilmington, received the top designation under a decision by the National Rifle Association in Washington, where the targets for the two outstanding shooters were sent.

In the firing at the Newark National Guard armory under the direction of Lt. J. W. Barrett, 30 cadets qualified as "expert riflemen," 106 cadets as "sharpshooters," and 82 as "marksman."

Lt. Col. Layton A. Zimmer, professor of military science and tactics, said that Elpper will receive the gold medal awarded by the Delaware Chapter, Society of Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America.

Farm people save a lot more of what they earn than do city folks. One Iowa survey shows that farm families put almost twice as much into savings as do town people with the same income.

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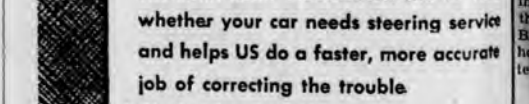


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### Mill Creek Hundred News

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The Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Mill Creek Hundred held its annual meeting Monday afternoon at the home of J. Walker Pennington, director, William H. Naudain was selected president; Robert Yearsley, secretary; and Ralph I. Klair, treasurer. It is a ruling that all officers must be residents of Mill Creek Hundred. Directors chosen for two years were: Henry C. Mitchell, Mill Creek Hundred; William Moore, Christiansa Hundred; Leonard C. Talley, Brandywine Hundred; Lewis C. Stafford, White Clay Creek Hundred. The company paid \$1,722.79 for fire losses in 1949. It has a membership of 683 members.

In 1952, the company will be 100 years old, being organized Feb. 28, 1852, at the old Mermaid Tavern, now the home of L. H. Pennington. Six of the wooden chairs used at this first meeting are in possession of the Penningtons. The company received its perpetual charter Feb. 9, 1910.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Hitchens, of Little Baltimore, celebrated their forty-fifth wedding anniversary on Dec. 26, 1949. In their honor, a surprise party was given then arranged by their daughter, Mrs. Charles R. Woodward and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Norman Hitchens. The Hitchens have three children: Mrs. Woodward, Paul Hitchens, and Norman Hitchens; five grandchildren, Mrs. Harold Pierce, Doris and Betty Woodward, Carol and Randy Hitchens; and three great-grandchildren. Mrs. Hitchens was the former Miss Margaret Worrall, daughter of the late Samuel Worrall, of near Ebenezer Church. Their marriage took place at the Worrall home Dec. 26, 1904 with the late Rev. William T. Hammond, pastor at Ebenezer officiating. Mr. Hitchens is a well-known dairy farmer being a member of the Guernsey Breeders' Association.

Guests at their party were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hitchens, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hitchens, Ruth, Jane and Joe Hitchens, Mrs. Estella Crossan, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crossan, Miss Dorothy Crossan, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gebhart, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. William Chambers, Billy Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Woodward, Doris and Betty Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pierce, Paul Hitchens and daughter, Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hitchens, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hollingsworth.

The Capt. William McKennan Chapter DAR will hold its annual meeting and election of officers Monday afternoon, Jan. 9th, at the home of Mrs. Donald Woodward, near Hoekessin. The regent, Mrs. Henry P. Wilson reminds all officers and chairmen to submit their annual reports in writing. Thirty members of the White Oak 4-H Club enjoyed a post Yuletide party last Thursday evening at the home of Miss Ruth Pierson, on Southwood Road, with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Fields as guests. Mr. Field is county 4-H leader. As a roll call, each person told their favorite Christmas story. Joseph Mitchell conducted games and Joe Pierson had charge of the gift exchange.

Clay Creek Presbyterian Church The holiday party given by the Aid Society for the children of the church school and community was featured by "Tom Thumb Wedding" in charge of Miss Ruth Ball. The children who participated were: Linda Mitchell, the bride; Jerry Roehm, the bridegroom; Sandy Weymouth, the minister; Jean Shakespeare, maid of honor; Jerry Neal, best man; Phyllis Proud, Joyce Gosland, May Isabelle Eipper, Betty Mae Eipper, Joan Leighty, Diana Bout, Marilyn McDonald, Brya Bennett, the bridesmaids; Billy Breighner, Samuel Sturgis, ushers; James Kelly, ring bearer; Nancy Kaufman, Ann Marie Toppin, Scarlet DiVirgilio, Paula Wright, flower girls; Judy and Hope Seymour, Arthur Blood, Linda Gosland, Jimmy Walls, Phyllis Milne, An Hughes, Allan Ewing, Joanne Howard, David Ford, Linda Wilson, Irvin Klair II, announcer; Isaac Jamieson, pianist. Xylophone and duets were played by Marvin Klair and his son, Irvin II.

Eight new members were received at the Holy Communion service last Sunday morning by the pastor, the Rev. J. Jamieson and the elders.

The Sunday School's annual meeting and election of officers will be held this evening. The Young Women's Class will meet Jan. 11 at the home of Mrs. Lewis Clark on Lancaster Pike.

#### PLEASANT HILL

Approximately 50 persons attended the delightful services to usher in the New Year, held at Ebenezer Methodist Church on New Year's Eve in charge of the MYAF with Miss Catherine Dempsey in charge, assisted by Rev. Edwin Horney and Lindsay Greenplate. A social party with games in charge of Mrs. Norris Greenplate, closed the worship service. Alvin Horney, of Grasonville, Md., sang a

Ebenezer Church is cooperating with the local churches in preparation for the E. Stanley Jones Christian Teaching Mission Jan. 8-13th at Grace Church in Wilmington.

Last Sunday, Jan. 1, the Rev. Dr. Milton P. Fox, district superintendent of the Peninsula Conference, administered the sacraments for the Holy Communion Services, assisted by Rev. H. H. Next Sunday morning at 11

a. m. Mr. Horney will speak on "The Old and the New."

The Ebenezer Choir will begin the weekly rehearsals again tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The rehearsals for the three act comedy, "Bolts and Nuts," will start again on Sunday afternoon in charge of Rev. Horney. The tentative date for presentation of the play is Feb. 18th.

The post Yuletide social held by the official board last Thursday evening attracted more than 40. Mrs. Albert Humphreys had the program of games and readings by Mrs. Evelyn Whitman and Lindsay Greenplate. Mrs. Humphreys read the poem "Twas the Night Before Christmas," which was enacted by the group.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Major entertained the MYAF last evening. The hospitality committee included Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Knotts and Mr. and Mrs. Humphreys.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lynam had a family dinner at their new home on Paper Mill Road on New Year's Day.

#### MERMAID

Installation of officers will take place at the meetings of Harmony Grange Monday evening and Harmony Juveniles on Saturday afternoon. Past Master Joseph Mitchell and his installing team will conduct the ceremonies at the adult order.

Hot lunches were inaugurated at Harmony Rural School this week and will continue to be served until the end of March. Mrs. Elsie W. Stradley, teacher, is assisted by the different students in the preparation of hot soup.

Mrs. Harvey Ball was a guest last week of her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Peach in Wilmington.

Mrs. Mary Smalley and Mrs. Alice Appleby, of Harmony Road, were dinner guests on New Year's Day of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Pennington. Other visitors were: Mrs. James R. McCarthy and Miss Margaret McCarthy, of Phillips Heights, Wilmington.

Miss Lola Crawford, of Limestone Road, was a guest over the holiday season of friends near Merchantsville, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Nowland and family were guests at a family dinner held New Year's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Golt, near Kembsville, Pa.

Miss Mary Ella Armor entertained at an "open house" last Friday evening at her home on Limestone Road.

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### Body Of Newark Boy, Missing Over Month, Is Found In Creek

#### George Boone, One Of Trio Lost Since Nov. 25, Found In New Jersey Stream

Hope that any of the three youths who disappeared Nov. 25, following a canoe trip to Pea Patch Island, might be found alive dimmed last Thursday, when the body of one, 16-year-old George Boone, was discovered floating in Alloway Creek, near Salem, N. J.

Clayton Sheets, a trapper, discovered the body, which was in fairly good condition when taken from the water. It was clad in a pullover sweater and khaki trousers and had no shoes nor stockings.

The identification was made by Dr. Clyde M. Cox, local dentist, who made the trip to Salem Thursday night. He recognized fillings he had placed in the youth's teeth.

Boone was the son of Mrs. Helen Boone, Elkton Road, near here. Still missing are Walter Reybold, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. William U. Reybold, Jr., of Delaware City, and Thomas Phillips, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Phillips, of Newark.

On discovering the body, Sheets notified the New Jersey State Police barracks at Woodstown, and they telephoned the Delaware State Police, who immediately started an investigation.

After the identification by Dr. Cox, the body was released to John W. Spicer, Jr., funeral director.

The three youths took off from Delaware City to go to Pea Patch Island and were last seen by two hunters on the island. The canoe was found the following day downstream.

Immediately after they failed to come back to the Reynolds' home where a party had been planned for the youths, an intensive search, which is still being continued, began. State police, volunteer firemen, Coast Guard, town officials and residents all participated. Ships and planes were employed and the Holloway Terrace Fire Company is still using its rescue boat in search operations.

The Boone youth was a student at the Newark High School.

### AAUW Study Group Meetings Scheduled

Study groups in the local AAUW Branch have made plans for their January meetings. The International Relations Group will meet Wednesday at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Charles Gaylord, 115 East Park Place, with Mrs. Anthony Louis as co-hostess. Mrs. W. H. Fisher will report on Indonesia.

The Garden Group will meet at the home of Mrs. Harry Cleaves, 66 East Main Street, next Thursday at 8 p. m. A discussion and exchange of house plants is scheduled. In addition, Mrs. Russell Hardy will talk on the feeding of our winter birds.

The combined social studies, legislation and education group plans to meet during the week of January 16. Mrs. George Dobbs, of Wilmington, who is the AAUW State Chairman, of legislation, will speak on Housing. In addition, the group will discuss progress on the recently adopted state project—Better Education Facilities for Handicapped Children. Mrs. H. I. Enos is chairman of this project, assisted by Mrs. Robert Mason and Mrs. Joseph P. Patnovic, all three of whom met with other branch representatives recently at the home of Mrs. George Rigby, state president, to formulate plans for gathering data on existing conditions. At the present time, there are no provisions for any special classes outside of Wilmington and one in Marshallton, Dover has one speech correction teacher. AAUW members hope to bring these educational inadequacies to the attention of the public and thus bring about action for improvements.

The music group will meet on Tuesday, the seventeenth at 8 p. m. in the home of Mrs. W. C. Silverman, 130 South College Avenue. The topic for this meeting will be "Sea Chantup," one phase of the folk music the group is concentrating on this year.

**PROPOSED ORDINANCES TO RECEIVE FINAL READING AT JAN. 17 COUNCIL MEETING**

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE PLANTING OR MAINTENANCE OF TREES WITHIN TEN FEET OF THE CURB LINES OF THE STREETS OF NEWARK.**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF NEWARK: Section I. From and after the passage of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful to plant trees within ten feet of the curb line of any street within the boundaries of the Town of Newark.

Section II: On and after the first day of April, 1950, it shall be unlawful for any property owner to have or maintain, without the consent of the Council, any tree within the boundaries of the Town of Newark, any tree less than two inches in diameter at a height of four feet.

Section III. Violation of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding Twenty Five Dollars. For the purpose of enforcement of the provisions of this ordinance, failure to comply with the provisions of Section II hereof shall constitute a continuing offense punishable by successive fines.

ENACTED INTO LAW this day of 1950.

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
President  
Secretary

**AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR SICK LEAVE FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE TOWN OF NEWARK.**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF NEWARK: Section I. On and after January 1, 1950, at the rate of one day per month, shall be granted to all employees of the Town of Newark, the total accumulation not to exceed ninety days. Provided, however, that sick leave shall be granted only upon satisfactory evidence of illness in accordance with regulations to be prescribed by the President of Council and the Treasurer of the Council of Newark.

Section II. President of Council and the Treasurer of the Council of Newark may advance not more than thirty days sick leave with pay beyond accrued leave in cases of serious disability or ailments, and when required by the exigency of the situation.

Enacted into law this day of 1950.

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
President  
Secretary

**An Ordinance To Amend An Ordinance Entitled "An Ordinance Providing For And Regulating The Charge of Electric Current."**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF NEWARK:

Section I. That an ordinance entitled an ordinance providing for and regulating the charge of electric current enacted in January 1938 be and the same is hereby amended by inserting in said ordinance a new section to be known as Section 4 (a), as follows:

Section 4 (a). In the event that service is cut off as provided in Section 4 hereof, such service shall not be restored until the delinquent consumer has paid in full all charges due on the date service was discontinued, together with a connection charge in the amount of Three Dollars for the restoration of service.

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### Council Meeting

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Women. She suggested the Council carry out a survey with funds offered to municipalities under a new federal law. The lawmakers agreed to study the suggestion.

The proposed southside sewer project ran into a stumbling block when Town Solicitor John P. Sinclair reported he had been unsuccessful in determining the necessary rights of way by tracing property deeds. His suggestion that the Council appoint a trained surveyor to map out exactly what rights of way are required for the project was approved by the Council. A survey of rights of way through property on Ray, North and East Main Street was also authorized.

Automatic equipment will soon be installed at the water pumping station on South Academy Street. The bid of Hatzel and Buchler for the work was accepted by Council. By eliminating the need for full-time attendants at the station, the new equipment is expected to save the town a considerable sum monthly.

In further action, the Council agreed to continue indefinitely trash collection days on the first and third Wednesday of each month. The next is scheduled for Jan. 18.

The annual town audit was awarded to the firm of Delbert and Gunant, who carried out the work last year. The bid was four dollars per hour.

Placing of 1-hour parking signs on the west side of South Chapel Street between Main Street and Delaware Avenue was approved.

Need for a law with teeth to compel residents to lay sidewalks was discussed by the Council, and Solicitor Sinclair was ordered to draw up an ordinance covering the matter. This will give Council authority to order residents within a designated area to lay sidewalks, giving them a year to comply. Failure to do so will bring a stiff fine. The present charter gives Council the right to order the laying of sidewalks, but the order is not mandatory.

Town Engineer Hauber was ordered to seek bids for curbs and gutters at Caldwell Place, where residents have complained about the lack of drainage. Bids for painting the sewage disposal plant will also be sought.

Action against residents who are dumping waste, other than ashes, at the town dump on the north east edge of town is planned by the Council. As the first step, the lawmakers ordered the erection of a sign at the dump, clearly stating that only ashes may be placed there.

### Rehearsals Started By Drama Group For Jan. 20-21 Production

#### Fairy Tale Adopted For Stage By Jane Sinclair; Music By Mrs. Crawford

Rehearsals are under way for "The Emperor's New Clothes," the Children's Theater production, which will be presented at Mitchell Hall on Friday evening, Jan. 20 and Saturday afternoon, Jan. 21.

The play, which was adapted by Jane Sinclair from Hans Christian Andersen's fairy tale of the same name, is the second annual Children's Theater drama to be presented by the University Drama Group.

An innovation will be the original music written by Mrs. Arthur W. Crawford, who will be remembered as the former Betty Johnston, the daughter of John K. Johnston of Newark. The words to the music have been written by Jane Sinclair, who has had considerable experience in dealing with children. In addition to having two of her own, she has assisted at Mrs. Brinton's kindergarten in Newark.

The entire production is designed and produced primarily for children. "Two Blind Mice," a 3-act comedy by Samuel Spewack, has been selected as the next full-length play to be presented by the drama group in Mitchell Hall, Feb. 9, 10 and 11.

Try-outs for parts will take place at Mitchell Hall next Sunday evening, Jan. 8 at 8 p. m. All members are invited to be present.

### Hoover Report Topic For Talks, Jan. 11

#### Public Invited To Round-Table Discussions At Old College

The Citizens' Committee for the Hoover Report will hold a public meeting in the lounge of Old College at 8 p. m. on Wednesday, Jan. 11, with four business and professional leaders of Wilmington taking part in a round-table on the Hoover Commission's report and the problems confronting the administration of the national government.

The public is invited to attend and to participate in the general discussion following the comments by members

of the round-table. William Duffy, attorney and a Delaware alumnus, will be moderator in the discussion period. Dr. Paul Dolan of the university's political science department and a member of the Delaware Advisory Board on the Hoover Report, will introduce Mr. Duffy and the speakers.

The efforts of the Hoover group in Delaware have received praise from the national headquarters of the Hoover Committee. The meeting will afford an opportunity for all Newark residents to gain a first-hand knowledge of the problems facing the administrative branch of the federal government.

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