

## WELFARE GROUP AIDE TO ADDRESS CLUBWOMEN

### Dr. Welch To Be Century Club Guest Here Monday

Dr. Henry Welch, executive secretary of the Welfare Council of Delaware, Inc., will address the New Century Club at its next meeting on Monday at 8 p. m. Dr. Welch will discuss the work of the Welfare Council, which is at present conducting a drive for 200 volunteers to work with the social agencies of Delaware.

Dr. Welch has served on the Council of Social Agencies in Chicago and with the Clinical Psychological Services of the U. S. Army. He has also done field work with the American Red Cross and with the Dayton Council of Social Agencies.

Mrs. William A. Wilkinson will be the hostess.

Mrs. Olaf Bergelin, program chairman, announces the following programs planned for the coming months:

On Feb. 7, Mrs. L. A. Grettum, international relations chairman, will present a group of high school students in a forum on "A Comparison Between the Post-Revolutionary Period and the World Situation Today."

The Feb. 15 program will be in charge of the Youth Conservation Committee under Mrs. Milton Draper.

On March 7, the Dairy Council, Inc. will present a program on nutrition under the auspices of the American Homes committee, Mrs. George Schuster, chairman.

March 21 has been chosen as the date for the Spring luncheon. A play will be presented by the drama committee under Mrs. Jay Robinson.

The feature of the April 4 meeting will be a program of Easter music.

The annual reception for new members will take place on April 18. There will be a musical lecture by Mrs. Kurt Wohl.

Mrs. Alex D. Cobb and her committee will present an art program on May 2.

The year's activities will close on May 16 with a tea at the home of Mrs. Pearce Cann, club president.

## ST. THOMAS' UNIT ELECTS

The Women of St. Thomas' Church recently elected the following officers for the current year: President, Mrs. O. Bausman; Vice-President, Mrs. Charles Maddock; Treasurer, Mrs. Carl London; and Secretary, Mrs. J. P. Patnovic.

Mrs. Bausman later announced the appointment of the following chairmen: Mrs. J. F. Daugherty, periodicals; Mrs. Cyrus Day, supply; Mrs. William Adams, Jr., U. T. O.; Mrs. Emmett Hoffman, Christian education; Mrs. Robert C. Lewis, Christian social relations; Mrs. William Adams, Sr., worship; Mrs. J. R. Justin, altar; Mrs. Ben. finance; Mrs. E. L. Symington, bookkeeping; Mrs. Patnovic, publicity; Mrs. P. K. Musselman, ways and means. The new group leaders are: Mrs. Edna Ruth, Mrs. Edgar G. Bullock, Herbert Dorn and Mrs. Adams. These members of the Executive Committee plan to release the names of the group next week. They are also planning for a general dinner in February.

## Newark Man Is Named To Supervise U. S. Census Next Year In Three-State District

John D. Lennon, 233 West Main Street, Newark, has been appointed by the U. S. Department of Commerce as Supervisor for Census Area III, covering Pennsylvania, Delaware, and southern New Jersey, with headquarters in Philadelphia.

The Delaware district office will be located in Wilmington. Pennsylvania district offices will be located in Philadelphia, Easton, Reading, Scranton, Williamsport, Harrisburg, Lancaster, Pottsville, Lewistown, New Castle, Pittsburg, Erie, and Uniontown. New Jersey district offices will be located in Trenton, and New Brunswick.

Mr. Lennon will make his headquarters in Philadelphia, he will continue to reside in Newark.

The first major project will be the 1950 census of business, which will be conducted during the coming year. The biennial census, including the

## Artist To Address AAUW Meet Monday



Jack Bookbinder

The Newark Branch of the American Association of University Women will meet in the faculty rooms at Warner Hall at 8 p. m. on Monday, January 24. Jack Bookbinder, Philadelphia artist, will speak on "Art on Your Mind."

Mr. Bookbinder, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, and the Tyler School of Fine Arts of Temple University, has done graduate work in psychology at the Pennsylvania School of Social Work and has held several European fellowships. He has been on the staff of the Barnes Foundation and the University of Pennsylvania, and is at present special assistant to the Director of the Division of Fine and Industrial Arts of the Philadelphia Board of Education. He is the author of many articles on art and art education and of a booklet, "Invitation to the Arts."

The meeting will open with a social hour and all interested persons are invited to attend. Members planning to bring guests are urged to notify Mrs. Daniel Butten, hospitality chairman, Newark 2-6695.

The arts and crafts group will meet on Tuesday, January 25 at the home of Mrs. William H. Adams, Jr., No. 1 Briar Lane.

## C. OF C. PLANS DINNER MEET ON THURSDAY

### Newark's Future Will Be Theme

Plans for Newark's future will be the general theme of a number of talks by prominent local businessmen, educators and technicians at the annual dinner meeting of the Chamber of Commerce next Thursday at 6:30 p. m. in the Country Club.

The guest speakers will be led off by Mayor Ford H. McBerty, who will outline problems and plans of the Town Council. He will be followed by William E. Shue, superintendent of schools. Dr. William Mosher, of the Biochemical Laboratories, and an as yet unnamed representative of the University of Delaware. Each will discuss plans of the institution he represents as they will affect the future of Newark. The talks promise to combine into a graphic over-all picture of major trends here in the next few years.

E. Paul Burkholder, state senator, has been invited to act as toastmaster, but it is uncertain whether or not he will be able to attend.

Entertainment will be provided during and after the meal by the River's Chambers Trio, of Baltimore. This group of hot vocalists has proved extremely popular in previous appearances at club meetings in this area.

## T. D. MYLREA IS STRICKEN FATALLY IN PITTSBURGH

### Ailing Since Dec. U. of D. Professor Succumbs While Visiting Daughters

Thomas D. Mylrea, professor of civil engineering at the University of Delaware, died yesterday morning in Presbyterian Hospital, Pittsburgh, of a heart ailment. On leave of absence from his teaching duties, he had observed his 63rd birthday two days before.

Mrs. Mylrea was with him at the time of death, as were two of their daughters. The Mylrea home is at 53 East Park Place.

Services will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. at the Sanson Funeral Parlors, Pittsburgh. A delegation from the uni-



Thomas D. Mylrea

versity, headed by Dr. William S. Carlsson, will attend.

A naturalized American citizen, Thomas Douglas Mylrea was born Jan. 17, 1886, at Liverpool, England.

Because of illness, Mr. Mylrea resigned in October, shortly after the start of his 15th year on the University of Delaware faculty, from the chairmanship of the Department of Civil Engineering. He remained a professor, continuing to carry his instructional load.

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## Charm House Hit By Two Fires; Damage Extensive

For the second time this week, fire broke out last night in the Charm House, roadside restaurant near Appleton, and caused extensive damage to the roof and upper half story of the structure.

The first blaze, which came last Saturday while the restaurant was crowded with patrons, was believed caused by a defective chimney, but the reason for last night's new outbreak was not determined.

The earlier fire, from which the patrons escaped without injury, was brought under control before the flames injured any of the valuable antiques which furnish the restaurant-home, operated by William Best. Last night's new outbreak destroyed most of the roof and upper half story of the structure and ruined several antique pieces. The Aetna men, aided by Christiana and Elkton volunteers, fought the blaze, which started around 11 p. m., until after midnight. Chief Elmer Ellison estimated the damage at around \$15,000.

Only other fire call the past week came Friday when a paper bag caught fire in the oven of a gas stove at the home of William Stencil, North Chapel Street. The damage was minor. The bag was believed left in the stove by repairmen.

## Officers Installed By Flag Council Here

Deputy State Councilor Graynor Johnson installed new officers of the local American Flag Council, No. 28, on Monday night.

Those who took over direction of the unit are: Roland Marine, councilor; M. Thomas, vice-councilor; R. S. Jarmon, recording secretary; Leslie Hall, financial secretary; C. W. Colmery, treasurer; Harvey Sheppard, conductor; L. C. Trice, warden; A. W. Miller, inside sentinel; John Beck, outside sentinel; Clayton H. Beck, junior past councilor; L. C. Trice, trustee; Earl Mote, chaplain.

The Council will hold its 52nd anniversary observance on Monday, Jan. 24, at the lodge room in Odd Fellow Hall.

## New Bond Limit Is Major Issue At Charter Meeting

### Public Meeting On Proposed Town Bill Proves Calm Session

Less than 50 residents turned up for the public hearing on the proposed new charter Tuesday night in the high school auditorium, and the session proved a surprisingly calm one, with few major objections being raised to the draft as it now stands.

Next step in its adoption will probably come at the February meeting of the Town Council, when final revisions will be made, and Council will be asked to vote its approval of the measure before seeking its submission to the state legislature.

Most of the discussion Tuesday night centered on the limit set by the new charter to the town's bonded indebtedness, as well as the amount Council may raise through a bond issue without holding a referendum.

The new draft grants Council power to borrow up to three per cent of the town's total assessment valuation without a referendum and from three to ten per cent subject to a public vote of approval. Several persons Tuesday night felt these ceilings too high. It was pointed out that the current town assessment totals around \$8,700,000, three per cent of which would be roughly \$260,000. Council, they felt, would possess too much power over town purse strings if it could raise this much without direct approval from the voters. Ten per cent of the assessment would be in the neighborhood of \$870,000, which would be the limit as borrowing under the charter as long as the assessment remains at its present figure.

Another phase of the borrowing issue was the question of who should vote on a bond issue. Some felt that only property owners should cast a ballot, since town bonds would be registered against real estate. The charter draft, as it now stands, permits all voters eligible for town elections to take part in a referendum.

In rebuttal to these questions, Mayor Ford McBerty, who presided, pointed out that the charter is designed as a far-sighted measure to serve town needs for the next 20 to 25 years. Considering the extent of town growth likely in that time, the bond limit, he said, was not excessive. Furthermore, he said that if Council is to govern the town in an efficient and intelligent manner it should not be hamstrung financially. (Please Turn to Page 9)

## INITIATION BY LEGION ON TUESDAY

### 40 & 8 Team To Officiate; Dance Set For Saturday

A square dance on Saturday night, followed on Tuesday evening by an initiation ceremony for over 25 new members, is planned by the J. A. O'Daniel Post, No. 10, American Legion.

George Feldman and his orchestra of Wilmington, will provide the music and directions for the country style dance to get underway at 8:30 p. m. Arrangements for the party are being completed by J. Edgar Jaquette and his social committee. Post officers and their wives will act as hosts and hostesses. A large turnout of Legionnaires and their guests is expected.

The initiation, with the Wilmington 40 & 8 Degree Team officiating, will culminate a month long membership drive by the local post. Richard Cooch, commander of the O'Daniel Post, will present the candidates to the initiating team.

All Legionnaires holding applications for membership are urged to submit their lists at once in order that the quota set for the drive may be met by the deadline on January 25.

Interest in Legion activities here has shown a definite increase since the acquisition on of the new post home, and attendance at meetings has vastly increased. Confidence has been expressed by the membership committee that the campaign will go over the quota set for next Tuesday.

A partial list of those to be initiated follows:

Joe Brunansky, Glen Cipra, H. Wallace Cook, James H. Cox, Carl French, Harold Gwaltney, Jack Hodgson, Raymond Johnson, Sheridan Marshall, Joseph Nardo, Ivan Parsons, Richard Gale, Henshaw Steedle, Samuel Tibbett, Jack Wear, Fred Williamson, Robert Saussermann, Carl Whister, Elmer Bazzell, Jr., Richard Groseup, Lee Best, William A. Calbert, Charles N. Clark and John S. Liszt.

## Contractor Retires



Samuel Little

Samuel Little, Newark's oldest brick and stone masonry contractor, retired recently at 82, after more than 50 years in business here.

Born in Newark on August 7, 1866, Mr. Little started contracting about 1899. For the past 64 years, he has been an active member of the Ebenezer Methodist Church.

"Uncle Sam," as he is known by his many friends, attributes his good health and long life to hard, outdoor work and sports. For recreation he always enjoyed hunting and fishing. His plans for the future are simple, he says. "I expect to get in some gardening and fishing."

Mr. Little's two nephews, Kinzie C. and Ralph Whiteman, who have been his assistants for the past 20 years, have succeeded him in the business.

## ERECTION OF APT. HOUSE HERE NEARS

### Work Expected To Start Here Within 45 Days

Work on the long delayed 70-family apartment house to be erected on the former Major property along Elkton Road is expected to get underway within 45 days, according to officials of the John K. Walters Company which is backing the project.

Authorized here last summer after a lengthy dispute over the building permit, the large scale development has since been held up while the plans were being processed by the Federal Housing Authority.

A stumbling block to FHA approval was recently removed, according to officials. This was the lack of adequate storm drainage for the area. Through arrangements with the town, a storm sewer will be laid through the property to contain the existing stream. The Walter company also has secured full rights to the property from William B. Swan.

The plans call for an elaborate apartment dwelling in colonial style, containing four to five room units, with modern facilities. In addition, the project, which will be attractively landscaped, will offer outdoor play courts, ample parking space, as well as laundry and drying facilities in the basement.

A contractor for the work has not been named as yet.

## How Old Is "The Knoll"? — Heated Issue Splits Town Historians

Latest issue to erupt on the local scene, obscuring such paltry matters as the "cold" war, congressional shenanigans and the income tax problem, is a dispute over the age of "The Knoll," former home of presidents of the University of Delaware.

A recent news item claimed the venerable dwelling on South College Avenue is 70 years old, but a just as venerable citizen, Thomas Riley, of Elkton Road, has arisen to challenge this. He says the building is at least 80 years old.

He knows this because he broke his arm in 1874 and had it set by Dr. Nathan H. Clark, whose office and home was then in "The Knoll." Dr. Clark was the original owner.

Mr. Riley points out with indisputable mathematics that this incident took place over 74 years ago, when he was only 6. And here's the clincher—

## CUBS, SCOUTS TO CANVASS TOWN SAT. IN DIME MARCH

### House To House Collection Will Be Staged; Facts On Polio Cited

The Newark March of Dimes campaign got off to a flying start last Saturday when scouts and cubs under direction of J. S. Steiner and Michael Kubice distributed coin boxes to all homes in the town limits.

This Saturday, Troop 56 will make a door to door canvass to collect the boxes. All residents are urged to give as generously as possible.

The following scouts and cubs took part in the initial phase last Saturday: Richard Belyk, Roger Kaufman, William Thompson, Franklin Beers, Edward Sobolewski, Eugene Wollaston, Lane Phillips, William Shue, Richard Beers, William Ruth, Donald Parker, John Miller and Frederick Kutz. Roger Parker, Frederick Borchardt and Margaret Borchardt were special assistants. Drivers for the canvass were: Robert McCormick, Gerald Borchardt, Ernest Nachod, William DeLong, David Drew, Mrs. Richard Cooch, Earl Wyatt, and Bernard Doordan.

Rural boxholders are requested to send their coin boxes to Silas W. Pettit, Newark Trust Company, treasurer for the local campaign, before January 31. Civic and industrial organizations are also being canvassed.

In emphasizing the need for generous support from all sources, drive officials this week disclosed some sobering facts on last year's polio epidemic in the nation. The areas hardest hit were in California, North Carolina, Texas, New York, Ohio, Minnesota, Illinois, Iowa and Nebraska. However, Delaware also ranked high in the per capita number of cases. The cost of treatment for a polio case is \$2,000, and, because of the severity of the 1948 epidemic, the reserve funds of many chapters were quickly exhausted.

Nearly \$6,000,000 was advanced to chapters in the epidemic areas, which wiped out the National Foundation's emergency aid fund.

The aim of the National Foundation is to offer the best medical care for all patients regardless of age, race, color or creed.

## DRAMA UNIT TO PERFORM FAIRY TALE

### Tickets Ready For Jan. 28-29 Performance

Tickets are now available for the production of "Sleeping Beauty," which will be presented in Mitchell Hall at the University of Delaware by the University Drama Group on Friday and Saturday, January 28 and 29. According to Earl Wyatt, business manager for the play, there are no reserved seats, but securing tickets in advance will make it possible to avoid the long standing in line for tickets on the day of performance, which proved necessary when "Cinderella" was presented in Mitchell Hall last spring. Tickets (Continued on Page 10)

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"The Knoll," he says, was not new even then. It must be at least 80 years since its erection.

University officials, notified of this challenge to their figures, immediately plunged into the dusty volumes and records of the Memorial Library, but emerged a short time later brushing away cobwebs and sticking stoutly to their guns. The building, they say, is "approximately 70 years old." This is as close as they can place it. They agree that the original owner was Dr. Clark.

The university acquired the property in 1917 and, except for a brief period in World War II, it served as the president's home until Dr. William S. Carlsson and his family recently vacated it. The dwelling is now being used as a girls' dormitory.

Anyone with more vital statistics on the issue of its age is urged to stand forth and make himself heard, so we can all go back to our other worries.

## ASSEMBLY AT SCHOOL

### Third Grade Stages Play

China was the theme of an assembly presented at the Newark schools on Tuesday by Miss Helen Douty's third grade. The highlight was a play, "The Five Chinese Brothers," with the following cast: Jean Whorl, Tommy McCall, Leonard Tweed, Ronald Jenkins, Bobby Coverdale, Wilbert Moore, Tommy Buckley, Mickey Dianich.

Pupils who took part in a Chinese dance were Joan Heitzeneeder, Betty Daisey, Connie and Rose Mercuri, Lois Cole and Judy Allen. A boy doll dance was staged by Floyd Connell, Mickey Dianich, Larry Pyle and Wilbert Moore.

In addition to this, a scene of a Chinese school room was staged, with Ruth Pidcock as the teacher. Floyd Connell, Bencie Moore, Donald Campbell and Larry Pyle were the students. George Harrington portrayed a black kitty.

In closing, the children recited some poems of R. L. Stevenson, Charles Butterworth acted as the announcer.

The opening exercises included a voice choir giving the 24th Psalm.

## 4TH GRADE ASSEMBLY

### "Magic Key" Dramatized

A play, "The Magic Key," featured an assembly by homeroom 114 at the Newark Schools this morning.

Joanne Johnson greeted the audience for the fourth graders, after which the entire class sang Schubert's "Sanctus." Eleanor DuHammell gave an introduction for the play, the cast of which included: Arthur Beecher, Mary Sue Lyons, Nancy Donnell, William Coleman, Marie Streets, Jimmy Eubanks, and Don Parker. In charge of properties was David Reedy, and the prompter was Mary Lou Bowser.

In the play's chorus were: William Allen, Richard Biederman, Irene Bayer, Nellie Bradford, William Cochran, Henry Coleman, Gladys Cooks, Wallace Grant, Faye Hanna, Johnny Heitzeneeder, Willy Jaurell, Sylvia Kauffman, Ricky Kutz, Margaret Marker, Ruth

Ellen Mayne, Billy McCauley, Patricia McCormick, Mike McCully, Anne Skillman, William Thomas, and Connard Smith.

The program concluded with two recitations by the class, first "The Frost," by Hannah Flagg with Betty Lou Jaiper as soloist, and the second, "The Wind and Moon," by George MacDonald, with Carol Price taking the part of the wind.

Miriam Shaw played the entrance and exit marches.

### State Liquor Revenue Increase Is Reported

Collections of revenue by the Delaware Liquor Commission last month was \$33,523.77, an increase of \$8,852.92 over the collections of \$44,670.85 over December of 1947 a report from the office of Col. Edgar S. Stayer, com-

missioner, issued recently shows. Smiley King, executive secretary, said collection of spirits taxes last month were \$30,826.61, wine, \$7,794.08, and beer stamp sales, \$14,944.08; for December, 1947, spirits tax collections were \$25,438.61; wine taxes, collections \$3,806.08, and beer stamp sales, \$15,424.16.

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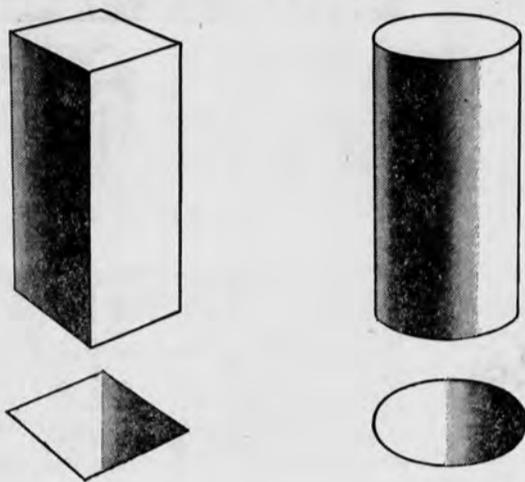
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NEWARK TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Miss Lena Evans Mentioned As Possibility For Political Post; Resident Passes 83rd Year

From Issue of January 23, 1924

Passes 83rd Birthday

Mrs. Rachael Jane Armstrong, one of Newark's best loved and respected elderly ladies, passed her 83rd birthday Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elsie Armstrong, East Main Street. Despite her advanced age, Mrs. Armstrong is enjoying good health.

Miss Evans May Get Post

The name of Miss Lena Evans, of Newark, has been mentioned recently by prominent women of the state as a possible candidate for Democratic National Committeewoman for this state at the convention to be held in a few months.

C. of C. Committee

Frank Collins, Louis Handloff, Fred Stierle, J. H. Ford and T. R. Dantz make up the committee for the annual Chamber of Commerce dinner to be given January 31.

Change Residences

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Strickland are moving this week into their new home on Park Place. Mr. Strickland was for many years a merchant of Providence. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond M. Upton have taken the apartment on the third floor of the Dunlevy home on Main Street.

Flag Council Installs

John Morrison has been installed as Councilor and Ralph Whiteman, vice-councilor of the local American Flag Council. Frank E. Mote is secretary and Lester Hall, assistant.

The Sick

Mrs. Walter H. Steel is slowly convalescing from a severe illness at her home on Amstel Avenue. Master James H. Hutchinson, Jr., has

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

Farmers Trust Company of Newark in the State of Delaware, at the close of business on DECEMBER 31, 1948

ASSETS

Table listing assets: Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection \$ 594,814.17; United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed 1,723,164.52; Obligations of States and political subdivisions 267,978.22; Other bonds, notes, and debentures 56,152.73; Corporate stocks 7,375.00; Loans and discounts (including \$98.00 overdrafts) 2,651,930.50; Bank premises owned \$98,128.89, furniture and fixtures 14,964.02; Other assets 8,754.31; Total Assets \$5,423,260.36

LIABILITIES

Table listing liabilities: Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations \$2,237,392.39; Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 2,689,961.97; Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) 46,838.48; Deposits of States and political subdivisions 40,544.19; Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.) 31,182.07; Total Deposits \$5,045,920.00; Other liabilities 13,381.46; Total Liabilities (not including subordinated obligations shown below) \$5,059,301.46

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Table listing capital accounts: Capital\* 100,000.00; Surplus 100,000.00; Undivided profits 143,452.41; Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital) 20,506.49; Total Capital Accounts 363,958.90; Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts \$5,423,260.36

\*This bank's capital consists of common stock with total par value of \$100,000.00.

MEMORANDA: Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$100,000.00; (b) Securities as shown above are after deduction of reserves of 19,973.28; I, Edna A. Campbell, Treasurer, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDNA A. CAMPBELL, Treasurer. Correct—Attest: JOHN H. DENNISON, JAMES J. MACKENZIE, C. E. RITTENHOUSE, Directors.

State of Delaware, County of New Castle, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of January, 1949, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

(Seal) George M. Haney, Notary Public. My commission expires May 22, 1949.

been quite ill at his home for the past week. According to reports, the little fellow is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Benjamin Proud was taken to the Wilmington hospital recently, where an operation will be performed.

The Social Whirl

Mrs. Margaret D. Cann, of South College Avenue, was hostess Saturday evening at a delightful card party at her home.

Personals

Mrs. Joseph McVey entertained several friends at bridge at her home Monday evening.

Mrs. Stanley Loomis and young son have returned to their home in Montrose, Pa., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Heiser, of this place.

Mrs. Herman Tyson entertained about twelve people at bridge at her home here yesterday.

PUBLIC SALE LIVESTOCK

Tuesday, February 1, 1949. On Premises Chestnut Hill Road, 1 1/2 Miles South of Newark, Delaware, Adjoining Experimental Farm At 1 P. M.

37 head livestock, Holsteins, Guernseys, milking, short horns, mixed herd, 23 milk cows, several close springers, balance full flow of milk. Pure bred bull, short horn—with papers. 14 shoats—good—crossed. Hot water heater, wash tubs, 12 milk cans, Wilson Milk Cooler, Sarge Milking Machine, buckets and strainers.

Terms Cash.

SAMUEL E. MILLER, Owner. C. M. Ortlip, Auctioneer. R. R. Whiteside & Son, Clerks. 1-20-27.

Letters Testamentary

Estate of Walter C. Maxwell, Sr. Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Walter C. Maxwell, Sr., late of White Clay Creek Hundred, Trust Company of Newark on the Twelfth day of January, A. D. 1949, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payments to the Administrator without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Administrator on or before the Twelfth day of January, A. D. 1950 or abide by the law in this behalf.

Farmers Trust Company of Newark, Administrator. Address: James Rankin Davis, Attorney-at-law, Equitable Building, Wilmington, Delaware, 1-20-27;2-3.

CERTIFICATE OF REDUCTION OF CAPITAL OF HANDY BUTTON MACHINE CO.

HANDY BUTTON MACHINE CO., a corporation organized and existing under the Laws of the State of Delaware, hereby certifies as follows: 1. That the corporation is authorized to issue in its certificate of Incorporation 10,000 shares of Common stock of the par value of \$100.00 per share. 2. That the holders of record of the total number of shares of the corporation having voting powers at the time outstanding, namely, 1,263-3/4 shares, have given their written consent to reduce the capital of the corporation. 3. That such reduction of capital of the corporation be effected by the purchase of 293-3/4 shares of Common stock for payment at such a price as in no case to exceed that part of the capital of the corporation represented by such shares pursuant to Section 14 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware. 4. That the total amount of capital authorized by the corporation upon the issuance of said 293-3/4 shares of Common stock was \$29,375.00, and there was transferred from surplus to capital \$99,675.00, and the net amount applied by the corporation out of capital account to the purchase of said 293-3/4 shares of Common stock is \$129,250.00. 5. That the assets of the corporation remaining after such purchase are subject to pay any of the debts, the payment of which is not otherwise provided for. 6. This Certificate is made pursuant to Section 25 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware for the purpose of effecting a reduction of the capital of the corporation in the amount of \$129,250.00 being the amount applied out of stated capital to the purchase of said 293-3/4 shares of Common stock.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, HANDY BUTTON MACHINE CO. has caused this Certificate to be executed in its corporate name by Nathan H. Perlman, its President, and Harold L. Perlman, its Secretary, and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed the 29th day of November 1948.

By NATHAN H. PERLMAN, President. By HAROLD L. PERLMAN, Secretary.

Corporate Seal. STATE OF ILLINOIS } SS

COUNTY OF COOK. BE IT REMEMBERED, that on this 29th day of November, A. D. 1948, personally came before me, Allan H. Marmor, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, duly commissioned and sworn to take acknowledgment of proof of deeds, NATHAN H. PERLMAN, President of HANDY BUTTON MACHINE CO., a corporation of the State of Delaware, the corporation described in the foregoing certificate, known to me personally to be such, and he, the said Nathan H. Perlman as such President, duly executed said certificate before me and acknowledged the said certificate to be his act and deed and made on behalf of said corporation; that the signatures of the said Nathan H. Perlman and of the said Harold L. Perlman, Secretary of said corporation to said foregoing certificate are in the handwriting of the said President and of the Secretary of said corporation, respectively, and that the seal affixed to said certificate is the common or corporate seal of said corporation, and that the said Nathan H. Perlman, as President, and the said Harold L. Perlman, as Secretary, duly acknowledged and delivered the said certificate as duly authorized by the stockholders of said corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office the day and year aforesaid.

ALLAN H. MARMOR, Notary Public.

Allan H. Marmor, Notary Public, Cook County, Ill.

STATE OF DELAWARE. OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE. I, WILLIAM J. STOREY, Secretary of State of the State of Delaware, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of Certificate of Reduction of Capital of "HANDY BUTTON MACHINE CO.," as received and filed in this office the sixteenth day of December, A. D. 1948, at 9 o'clock A. M. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, at

Dover, this sixteenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight. WILLIAM J. STOREY, Secretary of State, Received for Record, Burton S. Heal, Recorder, December 22, 1948. 1-6,13,20.

Alias Summons in Divorce IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY. Plaintiff, Leroy Reynolds, Jr. No. 1101 Civil Action, 1948. Defendant, ROSALIE C. REYNOLDS. ALIAS SUMMONS IN DIVORCE. TO THE SHERIFF OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY: YOU ARE COMMANDED: To summon the above named defendant so that, within 20 days after service hereof upon defendant, exclusive of the day of service, defendant shall serve upon R. E. CURTIN, ESQ., plaintiff's attorney, whose address is NORTH AMERICAN BLDG., WILMINGTON, DELAWARE, an answer to the complaint.

To serve upon defendant a copy hereof and of the complaint. If the defendant cannot be served personally, to publish this process as required by statute. Dated Dec. 28, 1948. JAMES M. MALONEY, Prothonotary. 12-30;1-6,13,20,27.

Alias Summons in Divorce IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY. Plaintiff, Catherine F. Bradford. No. 1144 Civil Action, 1948. Defendant, JAMES F. BRADFORD. ALIAS SUMMONS IN DIVORCE. TO THE SHERIFF OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY: YOU ARE COMMANDED: To summon the above named defendant so that, within 20 days after service hereof upon defendant, exclusive of the day of service, defendant shall serve upon JOSEPH H. FLANZER, ESQ., plaintiff's attorney, whose address is NORTH AMERICAN BLDG., WILMINGTON, DELAWARE, an answer to the complaint.

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and if this summons is published as required by statute, then, in case of your failure, within 20 days from service by publication of this summons, to serve on plaintiff's attorney named above an answer to the complaint, the case will be tried without further notice. JAMES M. MALONEY, Prothonotary. (Official Seal) 12-30;1-6,13,20,27.

Alias Summons in Divorce IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY. Plaintiff, Marian Sarah Whitesall. No. 1140 Civil Action, 1948. Defendant, WILLIAM K. WHITESALL. ALIAS SUMMONS IN DIVORCE. TO THE SHERIFF OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY: YOU ARE COMMANDED: To summon the above named defendant so that, within 20 days after service hereof upon defendant, exclusive of the day of service, defendant shall serve upon H. ALBERT YOUNG, ESQ., plaintiff's attorney, whose address is EQUITABLE BLDG., WILMINGTON, DELAWARE, an answer to the complaint.

To serve upon defendant a copy hereof and of the complaint. If the defendant cannot be served personally, to publish this process as required by statute. Dated Dec. 30, 1948. JAMES M. MALONEY, Prothonotary. 1-8,13,20,27;2-3.

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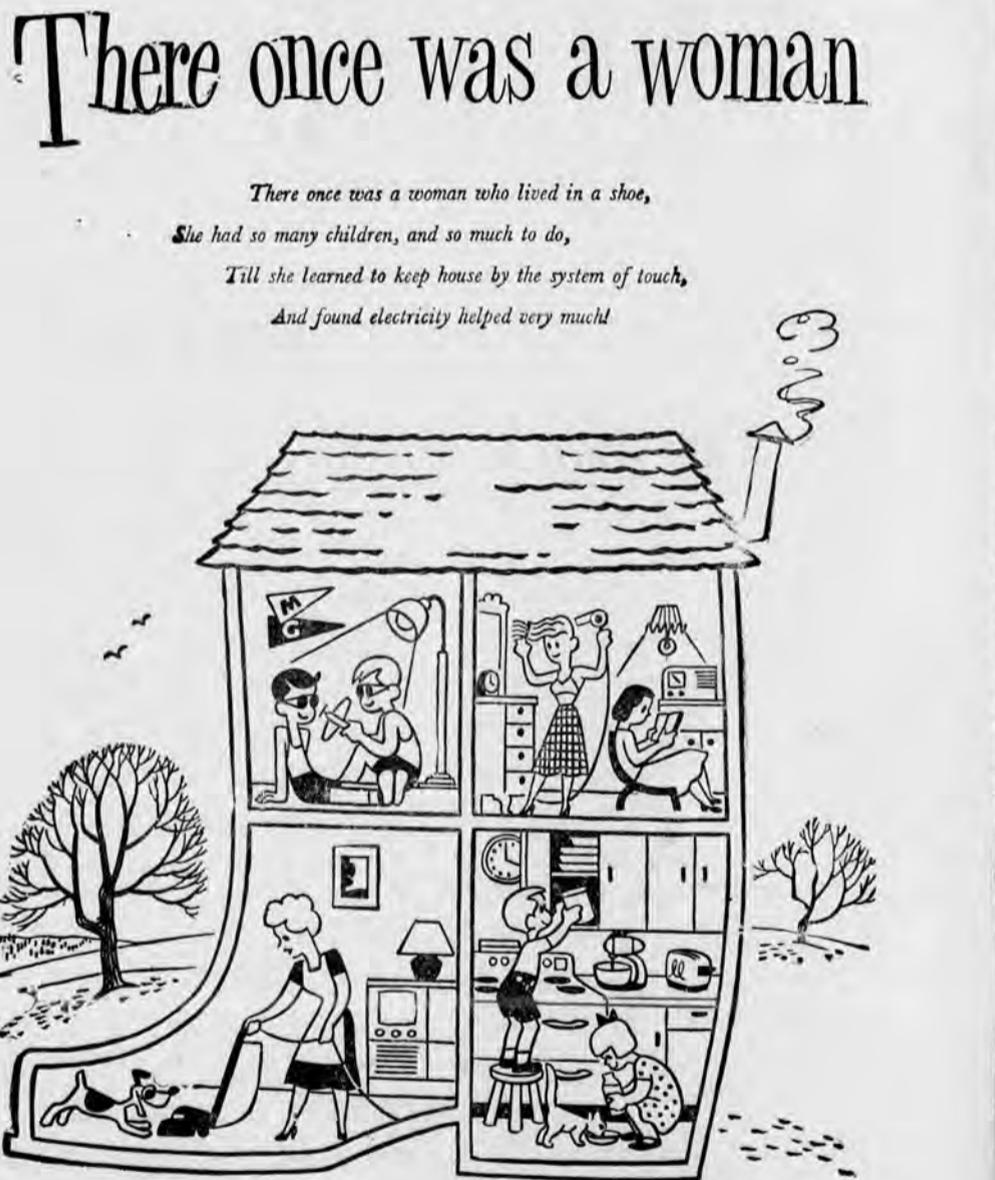
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Advertisement for DENNISON MOTOR CO. featuring a cartoon strip about a woman who learned to keep house by the system of touch. The cartoon shows a woman in a shoe, a cottage, and a kitchen. Text includes: "SPEEDY" by DENNISON (Nash) MOTOR CO., "There once was a woman who lived in a shoe, She had so many children, and so much to do, Till she learned to keep house by the system of touch, And found electricity helped very much!" DENNISON MOTOR CO. OLDEST Nash DEALER IN DELAWARE SINCE 1927. Phone 4241 - 19 HAINES ST. - NEWARK, DEL.



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# ASK MORE EMPHASIS ON ENGLISH

## Recommendation Made To High School Teachers

A recommendation that the state's high schools extend their teaching of English composition through all 12 grades—even though this means a different emphasis on the study of literature—has been made to the schools by the University of Delaware's Department of English.

In reports sent to all teachers of English and high-school principals in the state, the University's English faculty pointed out that because of difficulties in spelling, grammar, punctuation and reading, "many entering students are unable to express their ideas in clear, correct and effective English."

"Deficiencies in English hamper the students in all their work," the report added. After citing its proposal for increased instruction in the high schools, the university's recommendation continued: "The best way, we find, to teach writing is to give the student the opportunity to write often and under constructive, critical direction. In addition to practice in writing, we suggest specific instruction in spelling, grammar, punctuation and reading."

Anticipating objections "that the teachers should not alter their curricula or methods in order to prepare only a small percentage of students for college," the English Department declared that "we think the entire student group would benefit . . . if the entering college student is often unprepared to express himself satisfactorily, how well prepared is the non-college student for taking his place in an adult world with attendant responsibilities?"

The report recommended that students in all 12 grades systematically study spelling with a standard list which should be supplemented in high school grades by a list of words mis-spelled in composition.

"It is apparent that students are exposed to a large amount of reading matter," said the English Department, "but many of them are never trained to read small quantities thoroughly. We suggest that the teachers maintain as far as possible the broad reading program in which the student now engages, but in addition concentrate on a small amount of literature, not only to practice in comprehension, but also to study the sentence structure, paragraph sense, and vocabulary."

"Finally, we wish to stress again the importance of writing. Let the student write, let him correct his errors, make sure he understands the corrections, and then let him write again. This method is more difficult than it sounds, but it is the only effective way." It was pointed out that the report does not "imply in any way a criticism of the industry or sincerity" of high school teachers of English, "but we think that our specific recommendations may suggest a different approach to the problems of teaching English in the schools throughout the state." Dr. N. B. Allen, chairman of the English Department at the University, said the report had been drawn by a committee on the Correlation of Public School and College English, including Mrs. Sara B. Rogers, Arthur Dunlap, and Ernest J. Moyné as members.

# YELLOWJACKET HIGHLIGHTS

Contributed By Members Of The Journalism Class At Newark High School

### Dramatists Plan Future Plays

In the near future the elementary school will see a radio drama entitled "Alice in Wonderland" under the direction of Judy Colburn. Members of the Dramatics Club will make up the cast. For the Senior High two one-act plays are being planned, a comedy play called "How To Propose," starring Layton Zimmer as a lecturer and "Sparkin'" featuring Jim Towers, Ellen Cooper, Gunver Thureson, and Judy Kase. "Sparkin'" is under the direction of Jimmy Towers.

Arthur Mayer—12

### Hi-Y Club Shown Movie

The boys in the Hi-Y Club were presented with the movie "Human Reproduction" at a recent activity period meeting. The twenty minute film included the biological development of the human male and female showing various functions of the reproductive organs, fertilization of an egg, and, step by step, the growth of a baby.

The entire film is devoted to the problem of aiding parents in answering questions their sons and daughters ask about their origin, etc.

The group viewing the film showed interest in its message and indicated that they hoped more boys and girls may have the opportunity to see such a film. Mr. Shue and Mr. Kutz attended the meeting. The film was brought to the Hi-Y through the courtesy of Mr. W. W. Miller, Extension Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Wilmington.

Jackie Cahall, 12

### Interesting Assembly Held

Mr. Frederick Kutz presided over the Junior-Senior High School assembly last week and commended the students for their excellent behavior and co-operation during the first half of this school year. Miss Esther Fenton, Elementary Music Supervisor, led the assembly in singing our state song, "Our Delaware."

Two movies "X-Ray For Today" and "You and Your Friends" were shown at the conclusion of the singing. Many of the classes found the movies of genuine benefit and carried on discussions suggested by them in their regular classes during the day.

Arthur Mayer, 12

### Price of "Buzz" Increases

With the January issue of Buzz, the price per issue increases to ten cents per copy. This, however, will not effect

those people who have already subscribed to the paper. It is understandable, that with the prices as high as they are, and with each "Buzz" costing approximately fifteen cents to print, the staff cannot continue to sell its paper at five cents per copy even with the financial help of the advertisements.

Aileen Ritchie, 13

### Home Ees and F. F. A. Visit Farm Show

On January 12, 1949, the Home Ees girls and F. F. A. boys enjoyed a trip to Harrisburg. The two departments rented three buses from Siltz's Service for the trip.

The opinion of members of the groups who attended is that this year's Farm Show was the best ever. They felt they learned more by seeing for themselves what could be produced than just reading and hearing about it.

Speaking for the F. F. A. boys, we wish to thank Mr. Maurice Field for devoting much of his time to make our trip most worthwhile.

Norman Wilson—Grade 12

### Sophomore Class Meeting

The second meeting of the class of 1951 was held on Monday, January 10, 1949, during period three, Richard Hardy presiding.

After the meeting had been called to order, Kay Knighton explained the meaning and purpose of Twirp season.

A discussion followed as to whether or not the Sophomore Class should sponsor it in view of the fact that the Juniors did not care to. A vote was taken and the decision was to sponsor Twirp season.

A committee consisting of Joan Brown, chairman, Patsy Harvey, Irvin Rinnard, John Speicher, and Alta Warrington was chosen to look into the matter.

The second matter for discussion was class dues. After prolonged debate it was voted to collect \$3.00 this year from each member before April 1, 1949.

Jane Clark, Secretary.

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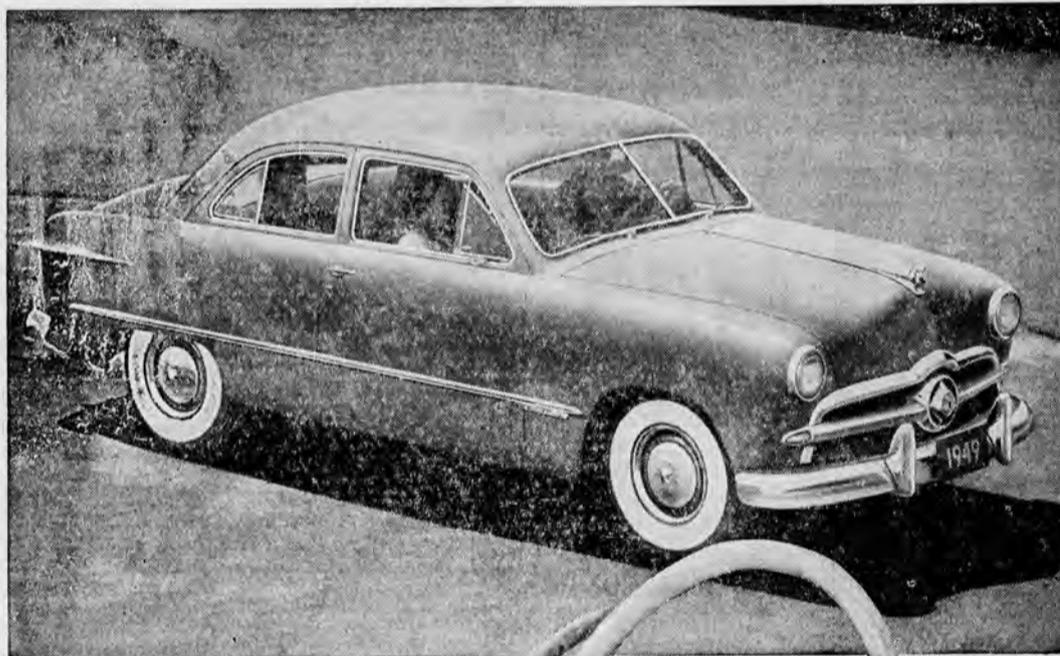
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## State Hospital Has 1639 Patients

There were 404 patients of the Delaware State Hospital's total of 1,639 on Jan. 1, on trial visits, compared with 425 on such visits Dec. 1, when the total patients numbered 1,661, it was disclosed recently in the monthly report of Dr. M. A. Tarumianz, superintendent.

Dr. Tarumianz gave these and other statistics to the board of trustees of the hospital at its meeting, Willard Springer, Jr., president, presided.

During December, Dr. Tarumianz reported, 43 patients were admitted to the hospital, of whom 23 were males and 20 females; eight patients, evenly divided as to sex, died during the same month and 57 were discharged, of whom 42 were males and 15 females.

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## HOMEMAKER EVENTS FOR FARM WEEK

### Programs For Women Slated

Delaware homemakers have a special invitation to attend Farmers' Week, Feb. 8-11, at the University of Delaware, announces Miss M. Gertrude Holloway, state home demonstration leader and member of the program planning committee for Farmers' Week.

According to Miss Holloway, programs to fit the interests of the women have been arranged for each morning, to run parallel with sessions on agricultural topics for the men.

On Tuesday morning, Feb. 8, the women's program will include a movie, "The Power Behind the Nation"; a forum on "The Family and the Community," led by Judge Elwood Melson of the juvenile court, Wilmington; and a description of "Homemaking in Other Lands," by Foreign students at the university, with Miss Amy Retxrew, dean of women, as moderator.

The Wednesday program will be gardening for everybody. Among the topics listed are "Annual and Perennial Flowers for the Home Grounds," "Fruit and Vegetable Varieties for the Home and Market Gardener," Preparation of Fruit and Vegetable for the Retail Market." These talks will be given by members of the horticulture department and other horticulturists.

Thursday's program will begin with the movie, "The Way to a Man's Heart," followed by a glimpse "Behind the Scenes in the Pattern Business," described by Mrs. Mary Lynch Lincoln who was formerly with the Simplicity Pattern Company; and "What's in Your Medicine Chest?" a talk by Miss Margaret H. Jeffreys of the State Board of Health.

During the final homemakers program on Friday, Feb. 11, there will be

"Fun With Music," led by Maurice B. Field, New Castle County 4-H agent; a demonstration on "Magic in Color," by Mrs. Margaret Allen, instructor in fine and applied arts at the University of Delaware; and "Something New on Floors," by M. W. Murphy, Jr., of the Delaware Floor Products Company.

During the afternoons, general assemblies for all Farmers' Week visitors will feature greetings from University of Delaware officials, music by the University of Delaware and and choral group, talks by men prominent in the agricultural field, talks by 4-H club members and presentation of awards to winners in the Ten-Ton Tomato Contest and Food Preservation Contest.

### "Cauldron" Is Published

Under the editorship of John F. Harty, Jr., of Wilmington, the first of two 1948-49 issues of "The Cauldron," University of Delaware literary magazine, was published this week.

Its contents include stories by Bruce G. Laird, Maria Pavla and John M. Pursell; poems by Betty Jean Kinder, Allan G. MacDonald, Richard L. Guerke, John H. Broujos, Mr. Pursell, Barbara Jones, and Peggy Anne Munoz; a play by Munoz; an essay by Robert E. Howell; and sketches and woodcuts by Edward T. Howell, Jr., Paul Morton, Mary Lou Richardson, and Rita Patnovic. Mr. Harty drew the cover sketch, which satirizes "Eustace Twilley," of the New Yorker magazine.

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# Social Events

## MARJORIE DOUGHERTY RECEIVES APPOINTMENT

Miss Marjorie Dougherty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Dougherty, 37 West Park Place, has received the appointment to a full time Gospel ministry with the Youth Home Missions and will be situated near Dayton, Ohio.

Miss Dougherty left Newark last week for her first mission field where her work will be among children and young people in rural communities of the United States as assigned. The headquarters for this mission group is located at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

A King's College graduate of 1948, Miss Dougherty worked in New England during the past summer in Summer Bible School.

## OFFICERS OF GROUP NAMED IN AUXILIARY

About one hundred women of the First Presbyterian Church attended the Fellowship and Organizational meeting of the eight groups of the Women's Auxiliary on Tuesday of this week. Officers and key women for the groups were elected as follows:

Group 1, secretary, Mrs. J. Owen Ely; treasurer, Mrs. Florence Woods; program, Mrs. J. T. Borchardt; service, Mrs. Fred Davis; fellowship, Mrs. William O. White.

Group 2, secretary, Mrs. John R. Fader; treasurer, Miss Edna Chambers; program, Mrs. Raymond Heim; service, Mrs. C. P. Donivan and fellowship, Mrs. Paul D. Lovett.

Group 3, secretary, Mrs. E. L. Mattison; treasurer, Mrs. Elsie Tyler; program, Miss Sara Steele; service, Mrs. C. P. Hearn; and fellowship, Mrs. E. P. Jolls.

Group 4, secretary, Miss Ann Chalmers; treasurer, Miss John Z. Miller; program, Mrs. Richard Cochran; service, Mrs. J. K. Spelcher; and fellowship, Miss Miriam Lewis.

Group 5, treasurer, Mrs. R. S. Kippel; program, Mrs. Willard Crater; and service, Mrs. Donald Dutton.

Group 6, secretary, Mrs. Edward Matthews; treasurer, Mrs. Harvey Robertson; and fellowship, Mrs. William Swan.

Group 7, secretary, Mrs. Milton G. Young; treasurer, Mrs. Ralph Smith; program, Mrs. Carl S. Rankin; service, Mrs. Wayne C. Brewer; and fellowship, Mrs. Joseph McVey.

Group 8, service, Mrs. George Lowry; treasurer, Miss Nell Wilson; program, Mrs. Frank Colby and fellowship, Miss Emma Ehlers.

The next meeting will be on February 15, at which time a study of the Presbyterian Church will be started taking into consideration the history, origin and program.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR FATHER AND DAUGHTER

A tobacco shower was given Mr. John Ferguson, of near Strickersville, on Thursday evening, January 13, in honor of his eighty-third birthday. His daughter, Mrs. Walter Coyle, also was given a handkerchief shower in honor of her birthday of the same day.

Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Coyle, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Draper, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrow and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Thorpe and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Medford and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Draper, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Reed and son, and Mrs. Mammie McVay.

The Fergusons live on their farm near Strickersville, which Mr. Ferguson has operated for a number of years.

## E. S. PLANS FOR COVERED DISH SUPPER

A covered dish supper at 6:15 will precede the meeting of Newark Chapter, No. 10, Order of Eastern Star, on Friday evening.

Mrs. Martha Davis and her committee will be in charge of the supper. Mrs. Marion Rittenhouse is co-chairman. All members, families and friends are invited to the supper.

Mrs. Mary P. Swan, recently installed worthy matron and Mr. Conrad K. Lewis, Sr., worthy patron, will preside at the meeting of the chapter.

## WEEKLY CLASS MEETING WOMEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The members of the Women's Bible Class of the First Presbyterian Church will study the subject "Jesus and the Sermon on the Mount" for class discussion this Sunday morning at 9:45.

## BIRTHS

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hopkins on the birth of a daughter, born January 14, in the Wilmington General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Webb are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born January 13, in the Memorial Hospital.

## THREE-IN-ONE CLUB GROUP ANNOUNCES COMMITTEES

Mrs. Wilbur Hollingsworth, of Pleasant Hills, near Newark, was hostess to the January meeting of the Three-In-One Home Demonstration Club on Thursday, January 13.

## OFFICERS OF GROUP NAMED IN AUXILIARY

A covered dish luncheon preceded the business meeting with Mrs. Norman Whiteman, president, presiding.

Chairmen for 1949 appointed by Mrs. Whiteman were as follows: Blue Cross, Mrs. John Lynch; Outlook, Mrs. William Adams, Jr.; International Relations, Mrs. Frank Narlis; Safety, Mrs. Robert Major; Health and Nutrition, Mrs. William DeLong; Scrap Book, Mrs. Fred Woodward, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Whiteman, Mrs. Rodney Eastburn and Mrs. Raymond Lynam; Annual Report, Mrs. Raymond Cochran; Recreation, Mrs. Daniel Cecil; Sunshine, Mrs. Wilbur Hollingsworth; Guild, Mrs. Carl Nelson; Community, Mrs. Lynam and Mrs. Harold Little; Publicity, Mrs. Rodney Eastburn; CARE Packages, Mrs. Hans Lebach; Historian, Mrs. Ambrose Cameron.

Plans were made to continue the CARE packages during this year and to assist in the aid of a local family. Donations will be accepted during the year starting with the February meeting.

During 1948 a total of forty-four garments plus cash donations were given to the Needlework Guild by this group.

Miss Katharine Jones, Home Demonstration Agent gave the "Outlook for 1949."

Announcement was made of Farmers' Day to be held February 8 to Feb. 11, in Wolf Hall.

The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Hans Lebach, 15 Kentway on Thursday afternoon, February 10, at 1 o'clock.

## MRS. ELLA CAMPBELL HONORED AT PARTY

A surprise birthday party was held last Sunday for Mrs. Ella Campbell at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Wolven, 55 West Main Street, with Miss Mary Ellen Stehlin as hostess.

Guests included Mrs. Emma Ash, Mr. Edward Young, Mr. John Fisher, Mr. Edward Whittaker, of Philadelphia, Mr. William Trimble, of Chester, Mr. and Mrs. Wolven, Miss Alice Campbell, Mrs. Ella Campbell and Miss Stehlin.

Mrs. Campbell received many lovely gifts and refreshments were served.

## MRS. JACOBS HOSTESS TO DEGREE ASSOCIATION

Degree Association of Friendship Temple, No. 6, will meet Thursday evening, January 27, at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Jacobs, 21 South Chapel Street, at 8 o'clock.

Assisting the hostess will be Mrs. Louise Jaquette and Mrs. Anna Jaquette.

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## NAVY MOTHERS CLUB INSTALL OFFICERS

Mrs. Elsie Peterson, National Commander of the Navy Mothers Clubs of America was the installing officer at the installation of the newly elected officers of the Newark Navy Mothers Club, held on Tuesday evening, January 11, at the Chimes Tea Room.

The installation followed a banquet with Mrs. Ada Helmbreck, past commander presiding.

Guests of honor were: Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. Mary Patton, Commander of the Philadelphia Navy Mothers Club; Mrs. Jennie Joyce, past commander of the Philadelphia Club; Mrs. Margaret Wright, commander of the Wilmington Navy Mothers Club; Mrs. Mary Schuster, State Organizer for Delaware; Mrs. Beatrice Strickland, president of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary of Newark; and Miss Dora Gibb, president of the American Legion Auxiliary of Newark.

Mrs. Orville Little accompanied Miss Barbara Carothers of the University of Delaware, who gave vocal selections. Little Miss Jean Pearson tap danced and everyone enjoyed group singing led by Miss Carothers.

Mrs. Arzie Lewis was chairman of hospitality, assisted by Mrs. Esther Sheaffer and Mrs. Elizabeth Brooks. Mrs. Gertrude Martin was in charge of decorations and was assisted by Mrs. Florence Cameron, Mrs. Anna Williams, and Mrs. Geraldine Barnes. Mrs. Sarah Kelley and Mrs. Frances Greggson were in charge of finances and Mrs. Anna Slack arranged the program.

The following officers were installed: Commander, Mrs. Anna Slack; first vice-president, Mrs. Elizabeth Brooks; second vice-president, Mrs. Arzie Lewis; adjutant, Mrs. Liddie Rittenhouse; assistant adjutant, Mrs. Ada Helmbreck; chaplain, Mrs. Geraldine Barnes; finance officer, Mrs. Francis Greggson; matron at arms, Mrs. Gertrude Martin.

A matron-at-arms, Mrs. Florence Cameron, and two color bearers, Mrs. Anna Williams and Mrs. Elsie Pierce were absent.

## SPECIAL MEETINGS FOR HOMEMAKERS CLUB GRPS.

Miss Katharine Jones, Home Demonstration Agent for New Castle County, has announced that a school in sewing and tailoring will be started on Monday, January 24, at Wilmington Manor in the Methodist Church.

The class will be instructed by Miss Adeline Hoffman, clothing specialist of the University of Delaware. Miss Hoffman's first class will deal with the selection of patterns and materials and their suitability to style and use.

Miss Jones also announced a training meeting for Tuesday, January 25, at 1:30 at Newark in Wolf Hall. All leaders of the Home Demonstration Clubs within New Castle County are expected to attend. This class will be under the leadership of Prof. L. R. Detjen.

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The January dinner meeting of the Soroptimist Club of Newark, will be held this Tuesday evening, at 6:15 at the Chimes Dining Room.

Mrs. Manlove D. McMullen, president, will be in charge of the meeting. Miss Adeline Hoffman, who has returned quite recently from Guatemala will be present to talk of her trip and to show her collection of interesting items of that area.

## LADIES' BIBLE CLASS REGULAR STUDY HOUR

"How the last of Israel's prophets was divinely led to usher in the Public Ministry of the Son of God and the Savior of the world" is the topic for class discussion this Sunday morning by the members of the Ladies' Bible Class of the Newark Methodist Church.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Darby and Mr. Andrew J. Darby, Jr., will arrive this Sunday to spend a few days with their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Charles N. Lanier, 37 East Park Place.

Miss Bettina Sargeant, of 160 West Main Street, spent the past week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Tapp, of Bronxville, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Balling, of Arlington, Va., spent several days recently visiting in Newark with friends and relatives.

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## FILLIN' IN

Visiting old friends one hasn't seen in years is a risky business at best, but with the American Family in its present state of flux, it has become fraught with extreme peril.

The hard truth of this was brought home to us a couple of weeks ago when we got the notion of dropping in on Joe. We had known Joe in our school days, but we hadn't seen him since he had acquired a wife, some kids and a home. We had kept in touch, of course, exchanging letters in which we constantly assured one another that we "must get together sometime."

The idea of actually taking this seriously, which we look back upon as an attack of sheer idiocy, hit us on the spur of the moment when we chanced one evening to be in Joe's neighborhood. We remembered Joe as a spy, witty chap, a lively talker and a warm host, so we anticipated a joyful reunion, which, after the usual outburst of back-thumping, would settle down into a long evening of chuckling reminiscing.

Musing thus over the royal welcome that awaited us, we approached Joe's door. We can recall smiling happily to ourselves and wondering (Heaven forgive us) why we hadn't thought of visiting Joe before.

The first hint we had that all might not go well came when, in answer to our ring, the door opened and a shadowy figure beckoned us into a dark hall. "You're early," it said. "The game hasn't started yet."

Panic instantly snapped our hair to attention. We saw immediately that we had somehow stumbled into a notorious gambling den, using a suburban home as a front.

We had no chance to back out, however, since our sinister companion gripped our arm and pushed us into a room off the hall. This, too, was pitch-black, except for a square of light in one corner on which grayish blobs seemed to shift about.

By this time we were suffering from a severe seizure of the blind staggers, the violent sort we usually get when we go to the movies between shows. We sensed the presence of other humans in the room and were aware that chairs were scattered about, but, beyond that, we might as well have been cast adrift in an inkwell. Shaken and still panicky, we eased into the first chair we stumbled upon, but we got only about three quarters of the way down when we had the disturbing sensation of an ample, feminine lap cushioning our descent. At the same moment, a stifled and outraged gasp sounded in our ear.

We were on our feet in an instant, as a chorus of irritated shushings arose about us. Our plight looked desperate for a time, but someone finally groped his way to us with a cigarette lighter and showed us to a seat. He fell into a chair beside us, and we became aware, with a start, that here was the same ominous character who had opened the door for us.

Our eyes were beginning to adjust themselves now, and we tried to get a grip on ourself. The square of light was, we saw, a television screen, and, from the murmured talk about us, we gathered that the game that hadn't started yet was an athletic event soon to be shown.

We began, in our canny way, to add two and two. We could make out the silhouette of the person next to us, and it seemed familiar. What's more, the voice we had heard at the door now struck a cord of memory. Of course, this was good, old Joe sitting beside us! The whole complexion of things changed. We immediately tried to get the reunion underway.

"How are you, old man," we hissed heartily. "Great to see—er, that is—sense your presence again! Been ten years or more." We then explained who we were and how we got the idea of dropping in unexpectedly.

Joe's reaction was vague and pre-occupied. "Hah, yea. Ten years. Who would have thought television possible then. The game will be on soon."

We tried to concentrate on the screen, but our eyes have never accepted television. They stubbornly refuse to register anything more on a video screen than a squirming mass of mottled shadows that look like an X-ray of a disturbed stomach. We soon gave this up and tried to get the visit moving again.

"How're the kids?" we grated jovially.

"Fine, fine, sitting right in front of you."

"And the wife?" we roared under our breath.

"Gaining weight. You probably noticed when you sat on her."

"Well, it sure is great to see your silhouette again. Remember the good, old days—"

We were interrupted at this point by three incidents that came in rapid succession. A sharp, female voice said, "Is that you, dear, or the radiator leaking?" A small child whimpered, "Take that thing away, Daddy." And a cat leaped into our lap and stared at us askance with luminous eyes.

The cat was the final straw. If you have ever experienced the eerie effect of television reflected in a cat's eyes, you know what we mean. We stalked out in as much of a huff as we could muster under the circumstances.

A few days later we received a letter from Joe. "Where you been? Forgotten us? We just bought a television set. Changed our whole existence. We've walled up the fireplace, put the video in front. Never a dull moment. Total stranger dropped in other night. Mistook him for a neighbor. He sat on

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## JACKETS DROP TWO PAST WEEK; FACE ARCHIES HERE TOMORROW; SALLIES TUES.

Newark Courtmen Overwhelmed, 48-31, By Conrad High Tuesday; Downed Last Friday, 63-42, By Brown; Now Have 2 Wins, 3 Losses

Stung by two defeats the past week, the Yellowjacket cagers will be seeking to regain their victory stride when they return to the home court tomorrow night for a meeting with Archmere. They remain here next Tuesday, when they're slated for a contest with Salesianum High.

Their setback by a 48-31 count at Conrad on Tuesday was the third for the season against two wins. The Redskins bounded off to a lop-sided 15-3 lead in the first quarter and were never headed. The Jackets battled their hosts on even terms in the second period and outmatched them 9-4 in the third but Conrad was again on top in the final stanza to clinch the game by a decisive margin.

## PIN LOOP STANDINGS

Monday Night League		Won	Lost
Continental Plant	36	15	
McCloskey's Plumbers	34	17	
Friendly Five	32	19	
Texaco	32	23	
PLICO	24	27	
Guyer Bros.	20	31	
Eagle Furniture	18	33	
Wild Cats	12	39	
Tuesday Night League		Won	Lost
Red Clay Creek, No. 1	39	9	
Newark	29	19	
Continental Plant	27	21	
White Clay Creek	22	26	
K. of P.	22	26	
Red Clay Creek, No. 2	22	23	
T. N. T.	14	34	
Curtis Paper Co.	14	34	
Chrysler Corp. League		Won	Lost
Shipping	32	16	
Zone D.	29	19	
Spec. I. B. M.	27	21	
Maintenance	23	25	
Zone A.	22	26	
Receiving	20	28	
Procurement	20	28	
Zone E.	13	35	
Newark Major League		Won	Lost
Texaco	34	17	
Colts	33	15	
National Fibre Co.	22	19	
Elkton	22	18	
Trivits Gulf Service	22	29	
Phillies	20	31	
Continental Fibre Co.	17	31	
Havag Corp.	17	38	
Friday Night League		Won	Lost
Marylanders	40	11	
Red Men	33	18	
Milford Cross Roads	27	24	
Ebenezer Church	26	25	
Masons	25	26	
Five Stars	24	27	
Lions Club	19	32	
Oceola Lodge, No. 5	10	41	

## Chimes Dining Room Opens Youth Center

Latest gathering spot for the younger set is the Recreation Room in the basement of the Chimes Dining Room where dancing, sandwiches and soft drinks are offered at minimum expense. Entrance is on Academy Street, according to Barney Renshaw, manager.

my wife's lap, hissed like a cat and left—prowling sex fiend, wife thinks."

We responded with a curt note saying we'd be glad to visit him but only on one of two conditions; either he un-wall the fireplace, move the video back and put a match to it, or meet us at the front door with a miner's cap.



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## P. S. duPont Dropped From Jackets' 1949 Grid Card

Newark High School's 1949 football schedule was released this week by athletic director Walter Matt. The lineup remains the same, except for one change.

P. S. duPont High School has been replaced by Mount Pleasant High. The Wilmington school was dropped at its own request in order to schedule a game with Howard High School in the city league, according to officials.

The cancellation marks the interruption of a long grid series between the two schools.

## Local Laundrymen Nip Elkton Keglers

Blue Hen Bowlers Takes 3-Game Special Match

The Blue Hen Laundry keglars took over the Cola Distributors, of Elkton, Md., in a special match last week at the Newark alleys.

The laundrymen whitewashed the visitors in two out of three games to take the match by a 75 point margin. The team totals were 2155 for the Blue Hens and 2077 for the soft drink peddlers.

Jackson was top man for the Hens rolling a match total of 478. His best game was his first, when he checked in with a 177. Close on his heels was D. Fulton with a 472 for the three games. Scoring honors for the match went to E. Denny, of the Elktonites, who scorched the alleys for a 500 match total, his highest game score being a 178.

The results:

Blue Hen Laundry		CONRAD	
G. F. P.	G. F. P.	G. F. P.	G. F. P.
D. Fulton	149 167 156—472	1	3
A. Timko	141 177 150—468	0	0
R. Gray	114 110 136—360	0	1
Schultz	136 90 171—397	0	0
Jackson	177 125 176—478	1	0
Total Pins	717 669 769—2155	0	0
Coco-Cola (Elkton)		BROWN	
M. Loomis	115 130 157—402	1	3
E. Denny	156 166 178—500	0	1
E. George	108 130 150—388	0	0
V. Heath	144 116 129—389	0	0
R. Loomis	127 144 129—398	0	0
Total Pins	650 686 741—2077	1	4

## NHS Plans For All-Sports Banquet

Plans for the annual All-Sports Banquet at the Newark High School are now being completed by a joint faculty-student committee. Athletic awards and letters for all varsity sports, both boys' and girls', will be made at the affair, decorative theme of which will be "Sports Around the World."

The date has not been set as yet, and the guest speakers have not been named, according to Mrs. Grace Gibb, chairman.

The remainder of her committee includes: Gilmore Ott, H. L. Miller, of the faculty, and Arthur Mayer, Rose Martin and Cissie Murray for the students.

## HEN QUINTET IN MID-YEAR LAY-OFF: NEXT CONTEST AT JOHNS HOPKINS ON FEB.

Term-End Exams Are Currently On Schedule For Courtmen; Mat Team Also Idle Till February 5 When They Meet Drexel Here

With final examinations at the University of Delaware being under way today, the Blue Hen athletes are concentrating on mental activities this week, with their next sports contest scheduled for Feb. 3, first day of second semester classes.

Coach Joe Brunansky's cagers will meet Johns Hopkins Baltimore that night. Three contests are scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 5—Washington College, which lost to the Hens 51-50, Saturday night, will come to Newark for a return game; the wrestlers will entertain Drexel in the Fieldhouse here that afternoon, and the Delaware tumblers will meet the Eastern Intercollegiate champions of last year, Temple, at Philadelphia.

Last week-end the Hen athletes a spectacular tumbling meet to Navy, Temple's arch opponents, to 29½, defeated Gettysburg at the ring, 50 to 25, and snatched a baseball game from the Washington men in a movie finish, 51-50, trailing throughout the struggle.

The Sho-men leading by four goals and about four minutes, from Washington to turn the game into Delaware scores. They led 50-50, then froze the ball to 51-50 in the final seconds. As Co-Capt. Cole broke through for the goal, he was fouled, allowing him to win a winning score without interference.

The Hens also won by an one-point from Ursinus, 49-48. They lost to F. & M., Gettysburg, 10-7, Tech, Toledo U., Temple and more.

The tank victory at Gettysburg the fourth straight for Coach Rawstrom's charges. Jim Bush, a 10-year-old record in the stroke event as the featured meet.

George Schaen, of Newark, for Delaware in the gymnastics taking first over the agile Miss the parallel bars event, scored a horizontal bar and third on the rings.

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Rich in pictures and special articles of prominent officials and well-known writers, the program will be produced in sufficient quantity for visitors to Washington during inaugural week, and for those people throughout the country who wish to buy the volume as a souvenir. The official program will be 75 cents per copy.

A special de luxe edition, bound in gold and embossed in gold, inscribed by General Chairman Hildreth, will be available, for \$3.00. This edition will have the owner's name in gold on the cover.

There will be no commercial advertising in the program, which will be the only official program for the inaugural ceremonies.

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There are biographies of the President and Mrs. Truman; Vice-President Barkley and Mrs. Truitt.

Outstanding feature articles in the program were written by Jay Franklin Ernest K. Lindley, nationally known writer. Mr. Franklin's article, "One Man Victories in American Elections," compares President Truman's election with other similar elections in our history. Mr. Lindley's article, "The Presidency—Then and Now," compares the problems which our first President with those of our thirty-second President.

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### Sees Rise In Bike Mishaps During '49

State Safety Council Lists Rules Of Caution

According to the Delaware Safety Council, a sharp rise is forecast in accidental death rates this year among bicyclists unless safety precautions are carefully followed. The number of bicycles in use has risen sharply. This fact, coupled with the increased use of automobiles, presents a serious problem to children, parents and motorists.

The following rules and regulations for bicycle operation are recommended by the Safety Council:

1. Avoid riding two on a bicycle.
2. Be particularly alert at all street intersections.
3. Ride near the curb, single file, upon the right side of the street with traffic in cases where street riding is necessary.
4. Keep bicycles in good mechanical repair. Good brakes, lights, rear reflectors and a bell signal are essential. Keep seats and handlebars properly adjusted to the size of the rider.
5. Never ride out from between parked cars.
6. Don't weave or wobble. Ride in a straight line.
7. Obey all traffic rules and regulations.
8. Make all repairs or adjustments well off the road or street.
9. Never get towed from other vehicles.

### 'DELAWARE NOTED' OUT

A discussion of contemporary fiction and a summary of the administration of Delaware College under Dr. A. N. Raub's presidency, are included in the most recent issue of "Delaware Notes," published this week by the University of Delaware.

Dr. Augustus H. Able III of the Department of English contributed "A Short View of Contemporary Fiction," and Dr. John A. Munroe of the history faculty is the author of the discussion of Dr. Raub's eight year presidency in the late years of the past century. Dr. Munroe's paper was delivered as an address last March as part of exercises held in honor of Dr. Raub.

Miss Ann M. Weygant of the English Department contributed "New England Colonial Dairies"; Dr. Elizabeth E. Bohning of the Modern Languages faculty wrote of the theories of Robert Petch concerning the drama; and Dr. N. B. Allen, chairman of the Department of English, wrote of "The Source of Othello."

"Delaware Notes," now in its twenty-first annual volume, is edited by the University Committee on Faculty Publications, consisting of Dr. Allen, chairman; George L. Baker, E. C. Byam, Edna C. Fredrick, H. Clay Reed and Frank Zozzora.

### Charter Hearing

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nancially at every step. The voters, he went on, should have enough confidence in their chosen representatives to grant them sufficient authority to govern the town properly.

Other points in the new charter draft touched on at the session were: the provision for \$300 annual pay for Councilmen, right of the Mayor to vote at meetings, requirement for an annual town budget and independent audit, voting regulations, and Council's power to borrow up to \$50,000 for current expenses without a referendum.

The session opened with remarks by

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Dr. Munroe Will Address Alumni

Dr. John A. Munroe, of University of Delaware's Department of History, will be the principal speaker at the annual mid-winter banquet of the University's Alumni Association, Edgar P. Reese, chairman of the reunion committee, announced today.

The banquet will be held on Saturday, February 19, at Old College in Newark. The day's events also will include alumni attendance at Delaware varsity swimming meet, wrestling match and basketball game scheduled for that afternoon and evening.

Dr. Munroe, a graduate of the university in 1936, also holds a master's degree in history from Delaware, and received his Doctor of Philosophy degree from the University of Pennsylvania. He has been on the Delaware faculty since 1942, and from 1943 to 1945 was executive secretary of the Alumni Association.

Mr. Reese said that announcements would be sent soon to all alumni so that reservations can be forwarded to the alumni office in Newark.

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Mayor Ford McBerty, followed by a talk by F. A. Wheelless who sketched the work of the 13-man charter committee in revising the draft the past year. The new provisions in the current draft, he said, were inserted as the result of a majority vote of the committee members present at any one meeting. The average attendance was about seven or eight, he said.

Next to speak was State Representative John P. Sinclair, who outlined the procedure the draft will follow once it is submitted to the General Assembly. The question was raised as to whether or not it would facilitate the passage of the charter if a referendum were held here on it first. Mr. Sinclair said this would probably not be as practical as inserting a provision in the legislative bill calling for a final referendum here before the charter should become effective. If the referendum were held here before the legislature approves the charter, there would still be an opportunity for minority protesting groups to influence the lawmakers at Dover. If the referendum is held after the charter is approved by the Assembly, it will be the final vote on the measure, expressing the will of the majority of residents here.

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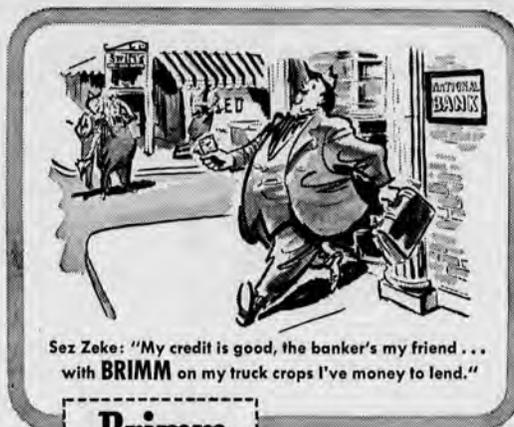
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Newark merchants participating in the current radio broadcast will again present a cooperative week-end sale, Friday and Saturday, January 28th and 29th. The two "Bonus Days" will see select merchandise drastically reduced and many trade-in allowances offered. In addition to the "Bonus" on prices, the participating stores will give door prize coupons. Many valuable prizes will go to lucky ticket holders. The "Bonus Days" sale is under the supervision of the Newark Chamber of Commerce Business Promotion Group.

**Free Reflecting Tape For Bike Owners On Saturday**

Officials of the Junior Chamber of Commerce issued a reminder to local bike owners this week that free "Scotchlite" reflecting tape will be applied to all bicycles brought to the Jaycee rooms on Saturday between 1 and 3 p. m. The rooms are in the old Academy Building.

The tape will be applied indoors. This is the second such offer made by the local Jaycees. Over 80 bikes were equipped with the tape by the group early in December.

According to the Jaycees, the tape has proved to be a remarkable safety feature for night riding, since it reflects auto headlights brightly.

Importance of such protection for bicyclists was pointed up this week by the Delaware Safety Council, which predicted a sharp rise in bike accidents in 1949 unless all safety precautions are observed. Among the things to be avoided, it said, are: riding two on a wheel, poor brakes, riding out between parked cars, weaving and wobbling, taking tows from other vehicles.

**Prof. Mylrea**

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The Mylreas had gone to Pittsburgh late in December to visit their daughters, and Mr. Mylrea was stricken there on Dec. 23.

He was a graduate of the University of Illinois, with a B. S. degree in 1909, and he also held a degree in civil engineering from Illinois, in 1922. He was associated with the Illinois State Highway Commission as an inspector of bridges early in his career; and subsequently he was with the American Bridge Company, Dominion Bridge Company, Ingersol Collegiate Institute, Toronto city government, Truss Construction Co. of Canada, and Norman McLeod, Ltd., of Toronto. In 1922, he joined the faculty of the University of Illinois as assistant professor of civil engineering, and later became associate professor. In 1927, he became professor of building construction at the Carnegie Institute of Technology, and remained in that post until coming to Delaware in 1934. He also served as consultant to several industrial organizations.

In 1944 and 1945, Mr. Mylrea was in charge of rocket research being done at the University of Delaware, and for this work he received an Army Certificate of Appreciation. A professional engineer registered in Delaware and Pennsylvania, he was a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, American Society of Engineering Education, and the American Concrete Institute, of whose building code committee he was a member. He was a member of Sigma Xi, Tau Beta Pi, Phi Kappa Phi and Chi Epsilon honorary societies.

Mr. Mylrea was the author of numerous articles on civil engineering subjects for professional and technical journals, and had invented various devices in connection with his professional work.

He was active in the Newark Rotary Club and the Newark Music Society, of which he had been president. He had been prominent in arranging many of the society's concerts.

Mr. and Mrs. Mylrea's four children are: Philip Mylrea, Fairfield, Conn.; Miss Virginia Mylrea and Mrs. Marian Andrews, both of Pittsburgh, Pa.; and Mrs. Ruth Dennison, of Harrisburg, Ore.

**Drama Group**

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may be secured at Newark High School, the Newark Department Store, and by mail order.

Performances have been arranged for Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. and on Saturday at 2:30 p. m.

The version of "Sleeping Beauty" to be presented by the Drama Group will include "in person" all the familiar characters; the Beautiful Princess Gloria and her Handsome Prince; Dearinda the Good Fairy and Fearinda, the Bad Fairy; the Jester; Gentle Queen Hildegard, and Proud King Henry; Pompous Lord Archibald and Deaf Aunt Agatha.

The complete cast, which has been rehearsing for the past several weeks, includes Jack Sinclair, Earl Wyatt, Norma Handloff, Amy Bauer, James Marrit, Geraldine Wyatt, and Mary Medill. Judy Kase is guest actor from Newark High School and Victor Gretum is guest actor from the University of Delaware.

The play is being directed by Elizabeth Kase, who directed "Cinderella" for the E-52 Players last year, and more recently "The Bat" for the University Drama Group and the "Cavalcade of Nursing" for the Delaware State Nurse Association.

Special costumes have been designed for the production by Virginia Mahanna and are being made by a Committee under her Chairmanship.

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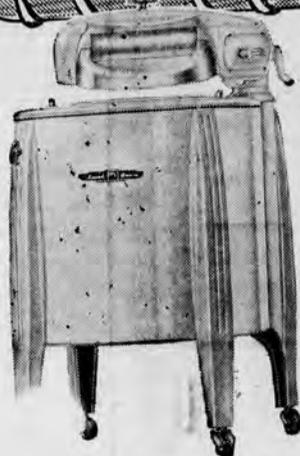
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