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## DEED OF CRIME AT DOOR STEP OF HOME

### G-Man Reviews Work Of F.B.I. At Father And Son Banquet

Law enforcement agencies have been formed for the detection and apprehension of criminals, but the seed of crime can, in most cases, be laid at the doorstep of the home. Frederick McIntire, a representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, told members of the Men's Bible Class and their sons at an annual banquet held at the Newark Methodist Church, Tuesday night.

Substituting for E. E. Soucy, field agent in charge of the Baltimore office, who is ill, the F.B.I. agent cited statistics to show that crime, steadily increasing, cost citizens of the United States more than \$15,000,000,000 during 1939.

**Statistics Cited**  
During the past year, McIntire said, major crime was committed every six days by one of 1,484,554 criminals; a felonious homicide took place every 44 minutes; a robbery every nine minutes; a burglary every one and one-third seconds; a larceny every two seconds; and an auto theft every six minutes.

Most of us, content to sit snugly in our chairs, are inclined to say "it can't happen to us," but it will be a bear in mind," McIntire warned, "that it can happen to anyone at any time."

Crime, formerly a strictly local problem, now has national significance with the origin of the roving type of gangster, who, after committing a crime in one state, could move outside its border and escape punishment. McIntire, the Bureau of Investigation, in the time of its origin in 1906 until it was reorganized and J. Edgar Hoover took over the reins, was practically useless.

With the reorganization, however, it has gradually increased effectiveness and the Federal Bureau of Investigation, aided by favorable acts of Congress, became, in the eyes of criminals, the most feared of law-enforcing agencies.

**Rigid Qualifications**  
Standards set by Hoover assure that only men of the highest calibre will qualify as a member of the organization. To become affiliated with the F.B.I., a man must have practiced law at least two years or must have three years practical experience in graduation from a commercial college.

When the educational requirements are filled, the prospective agent is inducted from the cradle and if approved, is sent through a rigorous training period in preparation for work with criminals. O. A. Bartley, pastor of the church, acted as toastmaster. Henry B. Bate, general chairman of the affair, was in charge of arrangements. Seated at the speakers' table were: Melvin Charles C. Hubert, Hermon Wollaston, C. Emerson Johnson, George F. Ramsey, Mayor Frank H. Bingham, Officer J. Elmer Morris, and Frank Fletcher, president of the Men's Bible Class.

Members of the Ladies' Aid Society were present and served the dinner.

### Scout Cookie Ends Friday

Annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale, the direction of the local troop committee, ends tomorrow. Reports indicate that while sales this year are successful they will not reach the record of 650 boxes sold last year. Twenty-four wholesome, delicious cookies are available for only five cents.

Scouts will make an intensive drive to put this year's surplus over the top. Housewives who have not been called to telephone a member of the committee.

### PRESS CONFERENCE

Newark High School was well represented at the High School Press Conference, held at Beacom College, Tuesday night.

Attending from here were: William, Robert Arnold, Marion, Audrey Battersby, Grace Betty Mumford, Frederick, Frances Stennis, Adrienne and Ella Mae McClary.

### COUNCIL MEETS MONDAY

Regular monthly meeting of the Council of Newark will be held at council office Monday night, at eight o'clock. Only routine business is scheduled to come before the meeting.

### Heads School Survey



Charles W. Bush

## FULMER IS SPEAKER AT LIONS CLUB

### Impressions Of News Behind Headlines

Clarence A. Fulmer, principal of the Wilmington High School, was the guest speaker at the regular dinner meeting of the Newark Lions Club Tuesday night at the Country Club.

Mr. Fulmer gave an interesting extemporaneous talk on his impressions of the news behind the headlines, dealing principally with the present chaotic conditions in Europe and conjecturing on the possible world of tomorrow after the war is ended.

C. E. Douglass, superintendent of Newark Public Schools, was program chairman for the evening and introduced Mr. Fulmer. John R. Fader reported on the activities of the club bowling team.

President George M. Haney was in charge of the meeting. The meeting was opened with the singing of "America" led by A. D. Cobb, accompanied on the piano by Paul D. Lovett. Several Newark Lions will visit the Christiana Hundred Lions Club tomorrow night when they observe Charter Night with an excellent program featuring Senator Taft, of Ohio, a Republican candidate for president, as the principal speaker. Governor McMullen, Senators Hughes and Townsend and other state officials are expected to attend the meeting.

## PANTHERS WIN CONTEST

Four patrols of Newark Boy Scout Troop No. 55 participated in a contest consisting of first aid, semaphore signalling, knot-tying and a quiz on scout knowledge, at the troop headquarters Monday evening.

The Panther patrol won the contest by taking first place in the semaphore signalling, knot-tying and tying with the Flying Eagle patrol for first in the first aid contest. The quiz on scout knowledge was won by the Blue Hen patrol.

Members of the winning patrol were: George Danby, Conrad Lewis, Clyde Bayless, Robert Doordan, William Gray, Edmund Lewis, E. J. Helmbreck and Oliver Williams.

Tests of scout requirements were taken by troop members on a hike last Saturday. They included cooking, fire building, tracking and nature. Another hike will be taken for the purpose Saturday.

### Airplane Exhibit At Tuesday Assembly

Model airplanes flew through the air with the greatest of ease at the Tuesday morning assembly period at Newark High School.

Beautifully streamlined models of all types airplanes filled the school auditorium and glided gracefully about under the direction of Franklin Institute representatives who put on the show for high school students.

The unique demonstration proved highly entertaining as well as educational and was well received by visitors and the student body.

### Democrats To Meet Tuesday Night At Odd Fellows Hall

A meeting of Democrats in this vicinity will be held at the Odd Fellows Hall, Newark, on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. J. Harvey Dickey, chairman of White Clay Creek Hundred Committee, announced today. The purpose of the session is to elect members of the New Castle County Democratic Committee.

## BUSH HEADS COMMITTEE FOR SCHOOL SURVEY

### Faculty Busy On Preliminary Work; Survey March 18, 19, 20

Faculty members of the Newark High School are busy doing the ground work and making preparations for the visiting committee which will conduct a cooperative survey of local high school conditions here on March 18, 19 and 20.

Various faculty committees have been appointed by Superintendent C. E. Douglass and they are working daily to have everything in order for the visiting committee when the survey begins.

Chas W. Bush is chairman of the visiting committee. Other members of the committee are Dr. John Schilling, assistant superintendent of state education in charge of secondary schools, Superintendent W. E. Ruppert, Kennel Square, Prof. W. A. Wilkinson, director of education at the U. of D., Clarence A. Fulmer, principal of the Wilmington High School and George R. Miller, superintendent of schools at Smyrna. Mr. Bush and Dr. Schilling are identified with the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

The purpose of such a survey is to create better relationship and cooperation between students and faculty and to determine the scholastic rating of the institution as well as stimulate further school improvements.

The visiting committee will conduct an intensive survey during their three days visit here and will survey all administrative, supervisory, teaching and other departments. They will visit classes, confer with teachers and students and submit recommendations designed to enhance student-faculty cooperation and raise the general standards of scholarship and efficiency.

## SOME FLOOR SPACE LEFT

Arrangements for Newark's third annual Merchandising Show and Food Exhibit to be staged at the Newark Armory on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 14, 15 and 16, progress rapidly under the able direction of George F. Jackson, general chairman for the event.

Floor space is still available, says Mr. Jackson, but those desiring to participate should make their reservations without further delay. Tickets and posters advertising the event have been printed and will be distributed this week.

Carpenters will soon be set to work erecting frames for the booths and the Armory will be appropriately decorated for the occasion. Arrangements are being made to handle an even greater number of visitors than attended the last years show.

The March 7 issue of this newspaper will carry advertisements of cooperating exhibitors in an effort to create greater interest and attendance. A program of daily events and activities at the show will be announced upon its completion.

## Warren C. Newton Lone Nominee For Delaware Alumni Presidency

"The public judges the university by its alumni," E. K. Hibbsman, executive secretary of the Pennsylvania State College Alumni Association, told graduates at the annual mid-winter reunion of the University of Delaware Alumni Association Saturday night. "There are monuments all over the world to what the alumni of any college have accomplished—in aviation, bridge building, engineering, and other business."

**Newton Is Named**  
Warren C. Newton, of Bridgeville, class of 1916, was the only candidate named by the nominating committee for the presidency. Members of the committee were: A. Wayne Burton, Samuel N. Tammany, A. F. E. Horn, John V. Postles, and Phillip H. Marvel. Elections will take place in June.

Nominations for other offices are as follows: Vice-president, H. B. Alexander, class of 1921, New York City; and Oliver C. Short, class of 1904, Washington, D. C.

Treasurer, J. Gordon McMillan, class of 1919, Claymont, and Jefferson F. Pool, class of 1921, Wilmington. For membership at large on alumni council, two to be elected, John G. Leach, class of 1925, Wilmington; A. E. Marconetti, class of 1921, New York City; Harry V. Taylor, class of 1916, Wilmington, and Ernest S. Wilson, class of

## TO PRESENT EVENING OF MUSIC THURSDAY

### Program Under Direction Of A. J. Loudis And Dr. W. O. Sypherd

The department of music at the University of Delaware will present in Mitchell Hall on March 7, at 8:30 p.m., three musical treatments of the Biblical theme of Jephthah and his Daughter, representing the work of seventeenth, eighteenth, and twentieth-century composers.

Proceeding the music program, which will be under the direction of Anthony Loudis and Dr. W. Owen Sypherd, of the university faculty, the latter, who has done extensive research in the musical and literary treatment of Jephthah and his Daughter, will give a brief talk with special reference to this program.

**48 Voices In Choir**  
Miss Margaret Dennis, instructor of voice at W.C.D. will sing the soprano solos in both the Carissimi and Saminley compositions. The additional soloists for Carissimi's "Jephthah" will be Mrs. Thomas D. Mylrea, Thomas Siudowski, and Major Travers.

The University Choir of 48 voices will be supplemented by members of the community interested in the performance of choral works. The students and guests taking part in this performance are: Mary Babcock, Kay Bader, Virginia Brittingham, Emily Budd, Jean Burns, Virginia Cooch, Katherine Gray, Nancy Lee Green, Ann Hamilton, Hazel Johnston, Margaret Kelsa, Marianna Kieffer, Louise Kielbasa, Martha Mitchell, Virginia Mylrea, Mildred Pierson, Pauline Pionti, Marcel Skinner, Winnie Taylor, Margaret Teitsworth, Dorothy Thompson, Antonie Velleman, Alice Ward, Elva Wells.

Carl Allen, Lee Baer, Robert Bair, Raymond Blackson, Edward Carrillo, Andrew Culver, Warren James, Robert Laird, Robert Osborne, Robert Papp, Walter Sanford, Ralph Shannon, David Shilling, Phillip Tattall, Warren Tomlinson, John Vakiyes, Molloy Vaughn, Henry Wilson, Gilbert Willbank, Jack Worthington, Norton Worthington.

Mrs. Carl J. Rees, Mrs. Richard Cooch, Mrs. Reese Griffin, Miss Catherine Rittenhouse, Mrs. Frank Oswald, Mrs. Hugh Smyth, Mrs. Lee Lewis, Mrs. Mervin Dale, Mr. Thomas Mylrea, Mr. Walter Newton, Mr. Robert Strahorn.

### Walla Walla Woman Collecting Buttons

Newark Chamber of Commerce officials are in receipt of a communication from Mrs. John Israel, P. O. Box 818, Walla Walla, Washington requesting odd or unusual celluloid buttons to add to her collection.

Mrs. Israel says her hobby is collecting buttons. She started her collection last June and now has more than five hundred buttons—all different—dating from 1896 and representing the majority of the states in the United States and some from Canada.

Anyone having surplus buttons from past conventions, campaigns, etc., that they would like to dispose of should contact Mrs. Israel, she'll even reimburse you if there's any cost involved.

### Unable To Appear



Rep. Joseph Starnes

## STUDENT FACULTY BANQUET

### Humanist Group To Stage Dinner Tuesday Night

A student-faculty dinner sponsored by the Humanist Society of Delaware College will be held in the Commons, Old College, on Tuesday, at 6 o'clock. The dinner is a further attempt to increase cordial, friendly, informal relations between the faculty and the students of the University of Delaware. Close contact between these two groups is one of the advantages of which a small college may boast.

In the past, initiation of social affairs bringing about better informal relations between faculty and students has almost always lain with the former. The dinner, however, is being undertaken by a student organization in behalf of the many students who have expressed a desire to dine informally with their instructors.

**Informality Stressed**  
Invitations have already been sent out to all members of the faculty and staff of Delaware College.

Complete informality has been stressed in the preparations for the dinner. There will be no speakers or entertainment. Friendly conversation and a pleasant time for both students and instructors are the primary aims of the dinner.

Assisting in preparations for the dinner are Edward Wooten, Thomas Minkus, Wilson Humphreys, and several other students. Dr. Carl J. Rees, professor of mathematics, Charles E. Grubb, business administrator of the university, and Miss Catherine Ort, dietitian, have also helped greatly.

Following the dinner there will be a "smoke talk" in the lounge, Old College. The subject is "A Century of Thomas Hardy." The speakers are Dr. C. L. Day, Dr. Augustus H. Able, III, Fred McDowell, and W. D. Lewis, who will discuss the life and works of Hardy with special emphasis on "The Dynasts," Tolstoy's "War and Peace," and Ludwig's "Life of Napoleon."

## FUTURE FARMERS

Paul E. Mullinix, district manager of the Southern States Cooperative, was the guest speaker at the ninth annual father and son banquet held last night in the high school auditorium by the Newark Chapter, Future Farmers of America.

Guests included George M. Worrilow, New Castle County agricultural agent; C. C. Phillips, assistant agronomist at the University of Delaware, and M. David Crowl, branch manager of the Southern States Cooperative.

William Swan, president, acted as toastmaster for the evening. M. James Parsons, assistant superintendent of local schools, gave the address of welcome.

Mr. Mullinix told the value of keeping up with the modern trend in farming, especially in the spirit of cooperation. He said that 37 per cent of the people depend on agriculture for a living but only receive 12 per cent of the national wealth in return.

### Wrong Again, P.T.A. Meets March 14

Last week's issue of The Newark Post carried an editorial berating the non-support and lack of attendance of the local Parent-Teachers' Association.

The date for the next meeting was published as being Thursday, March 7, which was erroneous. The March meeting will be held on Thursday March 14. We regret the error and urge your attendance at this meeting for which an interesting program has been arranged.

## STARNES FAILS TO APPEAR FOR TALK

### Father Tucker Addresses 300 At Mitchell Hall On Americanism

"We came to America to get away from world patriotism—this was God's other chance to humanity," the very Rev. Dr. J. Francis Tucker, of St. Anthony's Church, Wilmington, told 300 persons assembled in the University of Delaware Mitchell Hall last night.

Scheduled as the principle speaker on the program, Rep. Joseph Starnes, of Alabama, vice-chairman of the Dies Committee, was unable to appear due to work on the Military Appropriations Bill which he sponsored.

"I know the students in America don't give a tinker's damn about what the Dies Committee finds or doesn't find, they know the only thing that matters is what's in their hearts—Americanism," Father Tucker emphasized.

"At a time like this," he continued, "we're not Jews or Gentiles, Protestants or Catholics—we're Americans and we all know what Americanism is—it's in the air we breathe."

The meeting, presided over by Alfred Green, a student at the university, was jointly sponsored by the J. Allison O'Daniel Post No. 10, American Legion, and the Intra-Fraternity Council of Delaware College.

Seated on the stage and introduced by Green were Dr. Walter Hüllihen, president of the university; Lt.-Gov. Edward W. Cooch, Major Reamer W. Argo, Samuel Green, department commander of the American Legion; Dr. John R. Downes, commander of the local Legion unit; John R. Fader, chairman of Americanism for the local unit; Thomas Mulrooney, department Americanism head; and Edward Mulrooney, grand chef de chemin de fer of the Forty and Eight.

Presidents of the five fraternities were also introduced as follows: Robert W. Morgan, Theta Chi; William E. Zabel, Sigma Nu; William C. Bacchus, Sigma Phi Epsilon, and Ralph O'Day, Kappa Alpha. Green heads the Sigma Tau Phi Fraternity.

Edward Mulrooney followed Father Tucker's address with a brief talk.

## STATE F.F.A. CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

### Judging And Speaking On Saturday

Members of the Delaware Branch of the Future Farmers of America will celebrate the tenth anniversary of the founding of the organization at the University of Delaware, March 8 and 9. A delegates meeting will be held Friday night, March 8, and the judging and public speaking contests will be conducted Saturday.

Judges for the contests have just been announced. They are: Public Speaking, Dr. D. O. Sypherd; Swine, A. E. Tomhave; Poultry, W. C. Skoglund; Dairy Cattle, Dr. T. A. Baker; and A. E. Tomhave; Horses, Dr. T. A. Baker; Corn, C. E. Phillips; and Potatoes, W. P. Phillips.

Dr. Walter Hüllihen, president of the University of Delaware, Dean George L. Schuster, Dean of the School of Agriculture, and Professor R. W. Helm, State Director of Vocational Education, will be the principal speakers at the Saturday morning session.

Harley Hastings, of Caesar Rodney High School, will have charge of the music.

### Telephone Official Addresses Rotarians

The Newark Rotary Club met Monday evening at 6:15 in the Deer Park Hotel. Thomas F. Manns, president, presided. Samuel Handloff, who was in charge of the program, introduced the guest speaker, J. M. Cherpak, district manager of the Diamond State Telephone Company in this area. Mr. Cherpak's subject was "Odd Brothers" and referred to the different inventions made by the Company's engineers to meet the convenience of the majority. New inventions, said Mr. Cherpak, are made as the need for them arises. Group singing was led by Allen Jones, accompanied on the piano by Miss Ann Hamilton.

Next Monday the regular monthly business meeting will take place.



## COUNTY FIREMEN TO MEET

### Governor To Be Guest At Regular Session

Christiana, Feb. 28—The Christiana Fire Company will entertain the New Castle County Firemen's Association, on March 14, in the fire hall. Governor Richard C. McMullen and Lt. Governor Edward W. Cooch will be the honored guests for the meeting. John W. Moore, president of the association will preside. Election of officers will take place.

The Christiana-Salem P.T.A. held its regular monthly meeting in the school auditorium on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. A play was presented entitled "This Night Beware." Those taking part were: Helen Cleaves, Veronica McGrath, Yayde Levy, Alma Takach, Dorothy Clayville, John Takach, Harry Smith, Jack Smith, and Herbert Cleaves. Mr. Richard Ward coached the play and Mrs. Charles Lebegren, Program Chairman, sponsored several games and refreshments were served.

In the third and fourth grades new officers have been elected for their club. They are as follows: President, Delena Amoroso; vice-president, Raymond Thorp; secretary, Lois Colmery; treasurer, David Murray; program chairman, Joseph Stevens. The fifth and sixth grades home room club elected the following new officers: President, Jack Smith; vice-president, Jack Cunningham; treasurer, John Purzucki; program chairman, John Takach. The seventh grade class will present the first scene of "Tom Sawyer." The play will be given in assembly in weekly installments. The eighth grade Club elected new officers. They are as follows: President, Jacqueline Draper; vice-president, Naomi Howell; secretary, Catherine Lebegren.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Chestney have moved in their home here next to Mr. and Mrs. George Ware. The Chestneys have lived in Christiana for over 25 years.

The Christiana Improvement Association will hold a card party in the school house on Friday evening March 1, all money will go towards the upkeep of the street light in Christiana.

The Christiana Fire Company will hold an old and new dance in the fire hall every Monday evening. They will hold a card party in the fire hall on Friday evening March 8, at 8 o'clock. Several worth while prizes will be given.

The Christiana Improvement Association will hold its regular monthly meeting in the school house on Tuesday evening, March 5.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Christiana Fire Company held its regular monthly meeting in the fire hall on Tuesday evening.

## CONTINENTAL IS HOST TO ENGINEERS

### Visit Local Plant And Have Branch At Marshallton

The Continental-Diamond Fibre Company and its subsidiary, the Haveg Corporation, were hosts Saturday afternoon to 125 young chemical engineers, junior members and guests of the Philadelphia-Wilmington section of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers.

The Haveg plant at Marshallton, which was inspected first, produces a synthetic material which is fabricated into pipes, valves, tanks and a variety of chemical equipment. Host was William H. Adams, Jr., technical director of the company, who discussed the design and operation of the pilot plant for a new process in which the company is interested. Mr. Adams also described a variety of applications in which the corrosion-resistant properties of Haveg have led to its replacement of other construction materials and referred to typical installations in local chemical plants. Mr. Edwin Mame, of the Engineering Dept., explained a number of the company's operations.

Haveg Corporation was previously host to the Institute when the national organization held its convention in Wilmington in 1935.

After leaving Marshallton, the junior engineers inspected the Continental-Diamond Fibre plant at Newark and observed the process for producing fiber products for electrical insulation and various chemical services. The visitors showed particular interest in the process for treating paper with zinc chloride and converting it into fibre tubes. Operations of the Newark plant were explained by Dr. George E. Landt, technical director.

The visiting engineers came from Wilmington, Marcus Hook, Philadelphia, Paulsboro, Salem and Penns Grove. The next meeting of the group will be held in Philadelphia on March 26, when Dr. W. S. Calcott, of the du Pont Company, will address them on "The Role of the Chemical Engineer in Research."

## WOMEN'S BIBLE CLASS IN SESSION

### Methodist Group Holds Meeting At Marshallton

By Mrs. Margaret Kane  
Marshallton, February 28—Mrs. John M. Kelso presided over a meeting of the Women's Bible Class of Marshallton Methodist Church at the parsonage Friday evening. The program included readings by Miss Lillie B. Williams and Mrs. Edna Ball Gilbert, a guitar and violin duet by George Stubbles and Garret Mose. Mrs. Walter L. Mose and Mrs. J. Stubbles were the hostesses.

Bishop Arthur R. M. McKinstry will speak on March 6 at St. Barnabas Church.

Candidates receiving first and second degrees at a recent meeting of Harmony Grange were Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kinney, the Misses Kathleen Little, Dorothy Little, Charlotte Jester, and Gladys Walmsley. Charles Nelson and Paul Nelson.

Officers and teachers of Brack-Ex Methodist Church attended a board meeting Monday evening in the church hall. Superintendent William C. Lang presided.

The Epworth League of Brack-Ex Methodist Church held a scavenger hunt on Saturday afternoon under the direction of Charles H. Staszky.

Miss Phyllis Horn and Harold Horn, of Roselle, have had the gripe during the past week.

Mrs. Edna Ball Gilbert attended the meeting of the City Federation W. C. T. U. Tuesday in Wilmington.

Mrs. Harry Fisher who has been ill at her home is much improved.

Mrs. Mabel Cummings who has been ill in the Wilmington General Hospital is at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Ivanhoe Willis.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Cedars Methodist Church held a sauer kraut luncheon in the church hall at noon Thursday.

Mrs. Oliver Nelson, of Brack-Ex entertained members of her card club at her home on Friday evening.

The Ladies' Aid of the Elsmere Presbyterian church held its monthly business and social meeting Friday evening at the church. Plans for assisting the elders and trustees with a turkey supper on Thursday evening March 14 were discussed. Hostesses were Mrs. John Shoemaker, Mrs. Edward Siletoe and Mrs. John R. Lapp.

Elsmere Girl Scout Troop No. 22 met Friday evening in Oak Grove School, under the leadership of Miss

Doris Williams, captain, and Miss Lillian Raeburn, lieutenant. The troop is planning for the annual Girl Scout cookie sale.

Mr. J. Ollie Clark, of Newark, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Kane.

**Attend Club Session**  
Mrs. Charles W. Kane and Mrs. George T. Kane attended the Home Demonstration Club at Talleyville on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ford and daughter, Rosalie, were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fisher.

Miss Evelyn Broadbent, of Wilmington, spent the week end with relatives in Marshallton.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Clark, of Roselle, spent the week end at Tamaqua, the guests of Mrs. Robert Dress.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kane and Mr. Harry Clark of Roselle, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and family, of the Cedars, have moved to Cranston Heights in the house that Mr. and Mrs. Williams recently bought.

Mrs. Annie E. Lewis and grandson Dickey Kane spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Genn, of Woodcrest.

Mr. Chandler Robinson and Mr. J. Ollie Clark both of Newark spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George T. Kane and family of Roselle.

On Sunday Miss Sallie C. Dean of Richmond, Va., chairman of the Junior Women's Auxiliary of the Province of Washington of the Protestant Episcopal Church, spoke to the church school and the Women's Bible Class of St. Barnabas Church.

The February meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of Marshallton school was held Monday evening in the school auditorium. Edwin C. Lynam, presided.

William Wiggins who has been seriously ill is said to be improving.

The Men's Bible Class of Brack-Ex Church started Monday evening on a new stairway to be built between the main auditorium and the men's class room in the basement. Walter J. Niblett has charge of the work.

Mrs. Leonard E. Barnes entertained



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the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of Brack-Ex Church at her home on Friday evening.

The Elsmere Township Taxpayer's Association met Monday evening at the home of the President, Elmer Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark, of Newark, visited George T. Kane and Family on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jean H. Cojon, of Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rene Blanchet.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Genn were recent guests of Mr. Genn's sister, Mrs. Annie E. Lewis of Roselle.

The Marshallton W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Laura Ford in Cranston Heights on Wednesday afternoon March 6 at 2 o'clock. Each member is urged to attend this meeting.

The Men's Chorus of Marshallton Methodist Church met on Monday evening at the church. On Tuesday evening the Sunday school board met at the parsonage to discuss the church business. The Rev. John M. Kelso presided.

The weekly session of the fire school of the Mill Creek Fire Company was conducted in the fire hall on Monday evening.

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Newark, Delaware, February 29, 1940

## PRESIDENTIAL PICTURE

Seldom do we dabble in politics and hardly ever do we indulge in an editorial opinion on national affairs. We believe that the country is too cluttered now with alleged brain-trusters who know too little of what they talk about.

However, in view of the increasing hullabaloo over whether or not President Roosevelt will seek a third term nomination and the recent set-back of Democratic hopes in the Ohio congressional election it would seem expedient for the president to make clear his intentions.

We do not often come across an intelligent presentation of a political situation that is unbiased or free of prejudice, but the following resume of our present muddle seems to so clearly sum up the picture that we deem it worthy of reproduction without editorial approval or comment.

"It was recently pointed out that this is one of the extremely few general election years since the Civil War in which the public hasn't had a pretty sound idea of who the Presidential candidates would be. Generally the country has known long in advance who was going to be battling for the White House—the nominations of Hoover, Wilson, Hughes, Franklin Roosevelt, Al Smith, etc., were practically dead certainties many months before the conventions were called to order. Single recent exception to this rule was when dark horses Cox and Harding opposed each other.

The rumor always goes around about this time that some vague and immensely powerful political bosses have the key to the puzzle, and will put their candidates over with ease and dispatch when the time comes. But if that is so, every political observer in the country has been fooled. Both parties are divided within themselves to an abnormal degree. And the ranks of both are alive with self-starters, favorite sons and others who are simply itching to take the oath of office from Chief Justice Hughes next year.

Starting out with the party in power, everything hinges on what the President will do. If he wants the nomination, it is hard to see how he can be kept from getting it, despite the growing disaffection of many prominent Democrats in public office. Working on the assumption, which many do, that the President does not plan to run again, and is keeping silent only because he wants to keep his party under control, the outlook for the Democrats producing a solidly backed candidate is not bright. The McNutt candidacy seems to have blown up. Garner could carry the Solid South and would get considerable conservative support, but he is not warmly regarded by the strong New Dealers. There was considerable talk about the possibility of running Robert Jackson some time back, but he does not seem to have attracted any considerable public following. Frank Murphy, who used to be talked about also, is on the Supreme Court and out of active politics. Secretary Hull would probably have the best chance of cementing together the warring wings of the party, but, due to his job, he has had nothing to do with domestic questions for eight years, and his stand on many big issues of the day is not known. At the moment however, Hull and Garner seem to have the inside track.

On the Republican side, Tom Dewey has started his campaign in earnest. It has long been said of him that no one knew much about his views save in the matter of criminal law enforcement, and he is offsetting this by making a series of major speeches covering our principal problems. Strongly in his favor is his voice and radio personality. Against him is the fact that men high in Republican councils would prefer some one older, and with a longer and more varied record in public office. So far, the political experts say he has been no whirlwind in whipping up general enthusiasm for the cause of the GOP, but he has done better than anyone else.

Vandenberg is out for the nomination—and he has the advantage of a long and capable record in the Senate, plus an established machine. But he, like Senator Taft, lacks color, which in this day of the radio has become one of the most important political assets. At the moment, these three men are in the lead, with the other prospects far behind in the race. But, as in the case of the Democrats, anything can happen. There is an off chance that a deadlock might result in the Republican convention and lead to the nomination of some extremely dark horse.

Recent polls indicate that the Democrats may have a slight edge in popular fancy. They also indicate that the President is still popular. But they do not give him any overwhelming majority—if he did win, the polls says, it would be by a tight squeeze. Rarely has it been so difficult to forecast whether the next administration will be Republican or Democratic."

## Intercepted Message

February 29, 1940

Mayor Frank Collins,  
Town Council Office,  
Newark, Delaware.  
Dear Mayor:

It would certainly show splendid spirit of cooperation if the council would provide lights for the third annual Merchandising Show and Food Exhibit free of charge this year.

Hopefully yours,  
"A BOOSTER"

## Home Education

Issued by the National Kindergarten Association, 8 West 40th Street, New York City. These articles are appearing weekly in our columns.

### MAKING THEIR OWN PLAYTHINGS

DIXIE M. BURTON

Lowell, my little neighbor, had been to the circus. When telling me of the experience, his mother said the boy had enjoyed the trained animals, clown bareback riders and trapeze performers, but had seemed especially interested in the big tent that housed the circus.

#### Builds Own Tent

"How do they get the canvas over the poles?" Lowell had asked. "Do the poles and ropes ever break? Who put in the electric lights?"

The morning after the circus, I saw him carrying armloads of sticks from the garage to the yard. He then went into the house and came out with a hammer, a ball of strong cord, a box of tacks and an old white sheet.

The longest stick was pointed, so he had little trouble hammering it into the soft ground. With that as a center, he formed a circle by erecting shorter sticks, leaving an opening at one side. More sticks made a lane or roadway to this opening. Strong cord was stretched from the center pole to the surrounding ones.

"Oh, yes," I thought, "Lowell has gone into the circus business." Occasionally, as the boy worked, I heard his mother offering him advice or suggestions from an open window at which she sat sewing.

Having cut a piece the desired dimensions from the sheet, the youngster threw his "canvas" over the poles and tacked it securely to them. Another piece of the "canvas" enclosed the roadway to the circus tent.

Lowell now erected a side-show tent, and placed his toy automobiles, trucks, wagons and fire engine about the circus grounds. At last everything was ready for the circus people and the animals. Toy clowns, soldiers, a dapper bongo player, dogs, horses, bears and rabbits soon formed a long line entering the lane leading to the "big tent." A brown elephant with a dashing cowboy seated on a green blanket headed the procession. Two policemen in uniform stood on either side of the line to maintain order.

For weeks, Lowell enjoyed the

circus. He changed and improved it. Flags were put up, people and animals were moved about and the performers placed in dangerous—even hair-raising—places and positions. He and his playmates took turns as barkers, ringmasters, animal trainers and clowns.

The boy's birthday anniversary came on a Wednesday. Tuesday evening, we noticed he was taking down his tent, and he called across to us, rather sadly: "Well, we are packing up. We have to move." In the morning, I saw his father setting up a beautiful big green tent.

Lowell seemed pleased with his birthday gift, and he and the three boys who had been invited to have luncheon with him, romped about the tent and ran in and out of it playing Indian, camping out and other games. But after a few days, Lowell's pleasure in his gift lagged, gradually grew less and almost ceased. His parents tried to interest him in the big green tent, but the boy was only politely attentive, and he no longer seemed contented to play in his own yard.

#### Shows Improvement

Lowell did not attend the circus that came to town in the fall, but early on the morning of its arrival, his parents motored with him to the show grounds to watch the workmen put up the tents.

I was out of town the following day, but when I reached home in the afternoon, I found him giving the finishing touches to another circus tent, under an elm in the back yard. Lowell had profited from his former experience and by watching the workmen at the show grounds. The second tent was much larger than the first and it was constructed better and was more attractive looking. He and his young associates were soon playing happily around it.

Lowell's parents had come to understand his attitude toward the big green tent and had been impressed with the fact that the playthings a child makes with his own hands are not only the ones most highly prized by him, but are also the most valuable in his development.

## FOOD for THOUGHT

Something for Nothing

By Charlotte Spencer,  
Nutritionist for the State Board of Health

Everybody loves a bargain. It would be hard to find any greater bargain than wild greens which may be had for the gathering.

Winter cress is already available in Delaware. This plant grows along water, along fields, and in cultivated ground. The rosette of leaves around the root is the part which is best to use.

Chicory is also available now. This plant usually grows in waste places along the road. Its leaves closely resemble the dandelion. It will have a bright blue flower later in the year. After flowering, the leaves become more bitter and the leaves become tougher. As it grows at this time of year it is delicious cooked or raw in salads. It may be used in place of lettuce as a salad green.

Later in the spring dandelions, water cress, poke, lamb's quarter, dock, mustard, milkweed, and marsh marigolds will be plentiful in Delaware. All of these are edible and make delicious greens.

Kale and turnip greens have always been used by Delawareans. Beet greens are just as good and are commonly used in New York and New England. Beet greens are most tender when the beets are still small. They are delicious cooked and served with small sliced buttered beets.

Any person starting to use wild greens for the first time should be very sure that he knows what he is using. Some wild plants are poisonous. With poke the leaves are good to eat but the roots are poisonous. Greens such as water cress can spread disease if the yhave been grown in contaminated waters.

Greens should always be thoroughly washed before using. Greens which are not to be used immediately can best be kept fresh by draining and storing in a covered container in a cool place. Surplus greens can be canned in the same way as other vegetables.

Greens should be cooked in the water which remains on the leaves after washing. Greens cooked in a large quantity of water will lose a large quantity of their vitamins and minerals. For the same reason and because their flavor is better they should be green, not brown, when finished. Soda added to preserve a green color destroys vitamins.

Greens are an excellent source of vitamins and minerals. They are abundant in vitamins A, B, C, and G, and in iron. Eaten raw, or properly cooked, their flavor, color, and crispness make a welcome addition to late winter and spring meals.

Four bullfighters refused to sail from Spain to fill contracts in Venezuela, frankly admitting that they were afraid, not of the bulls they were to fight, but of mines or submarines their ship might encounter.

## Missionary And Aid Society To Sponsor Play

Silver Tea Held By Glasgow Demonstration Group Recently

By Mrs. J. Leslie Ford

Glasgow, Feb. 28—The Missionary and Aid Society of Pentecost Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown, of Roselle, on Wednesday evening. Miss Lillian Brown, president, was in charge of the session.

A play, to be given by the Christiana-Salem Young People's Society, "Grandpa's Twin Sister," will be sponsored by the organization in the near future. The recreation program was in charge of a committee composed of Mesdames Franklin Jervis and Harry Beers.

The March meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Beers, of Lumbrook, on March 13.

Members of the Glasgow Home Demonstration Club held a silver tea at the home of Mrs. William Huggins Thursday afternoon. Among those present were: Mesdames H. Wilson Price, William Wilson, Lillian Jones, C. M. Lynch, J. A. Correll, P. R. Roberts, Julian Laws, J. Leslie Ford, Ella Carson, Charles Laws, T. D. Wright, William Johnson, Amanda Johnson, Clarence Webb, and John Miller, and Miss Audrey Miller.

Services for Jerry Streets, 82, a lifelong resident of the Cooch's Bridge neighborhood, were held Tuesday. Interment was in Salem M. E. Cemetery.

A former sexton of the Salem church, the deceased is survived by his wife, three sons, and several grandchildren.

A special service will be held at the Pentecost Presbyterian Church on Sunday for the benefit of the Finnish relief. H. Adsinj will address the audience and music and vocal selections will be rendered.

Miss Alice Beers is suffering with the grippe.

Rev. Percy Crawford, of Philadelphia, will conduct services at a meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Pentecost Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening.

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## Weekly Sermon

### Praying Without Ceasing

By Rev. Kenneth S. Wuest, Member of Faculty Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

Text: Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you; for everyone that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened. —Matthew 7:7,8

Here we have both an invitation to pray and a prayer promise. This invitation is only for those who are believers in the Lord Jesus as personal Saviour. The One who died on the Cross and shed His blood, thus paying the penalty for sin. The unsaved are asked to believe, and then they are in a position to pray, for they have the Holy Spirit, who enables them to pray according to God's will.

The Greek language is very expressive. Our English New Testament is translated from the Greek New Testament. Listen to the music of the Greek when we translate a little more fully: "Keep on asking, and it shall be given you; keep on seeking, and ye shall find; keep on reverently knocking, and it shall be opened unto you; for everyone that keeps on asking, keeps on receiving; and he that keeps on seeking, keeps on finding; and to him that keeps on reverently knocking, it shall be opened."

The first lesson we learn is that if we do not receive answers to prayer at once, we should persevere in prayer until we do, or until God shows us that the petition is not according to His will.

Second, we are taught that in the case of some prayers, it takes God time to answer the petition. It takes God time to grow a rose. Likewise, it takes God time to bring the granite-like heart of a sinner to bow in submissive faith to the Lord Jesus. Then it takes God time to produce a beautiful Christian life.

Third, we learn that when God does not answer at once, it is not because He cannot, for He is all-powerful, but it may be because He does not think it wise. Delays are not denials.

Fourth, God's Word teaches us here that while we keep on praying, God keeps on working. It is also true that when we stop praying, God stops working the things that He otherwise would work if we were praying. To have God's blessings in our lives in rich abundance, we must saturate our lives with prayer. Many a meager Christian experience is due to a meager prayer life. Prayer is the God-appointed channel through which He has ordained to work.

Fifth, we learn that we have no right to demand that God answer our prayer. We are invited to keep on reverently knocking, but we must not pound at God's door in a rough, impolite way. God knows best what is good for us, and His mercy withholds the answer to those prayers of ours which, if answered, would work us harm. But if we insist, He sometimes gives us what we want, and then we suffer for it.

Perhaps this brief study may be the means of solving some of the problems relating to our prayer life.

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# Social Events

## "NEWS IN THE AIR" TO BE SHOWN AT CENTURY CLUB

"News in the Air," a talking motion picture sponsored by the Esso Market, will be shown to the members of the Newark New Century Club at their next meeting on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Thomas D. Mylrea, president, will conduct a short business session. Mrs. A. D. Cobb is chairman of hostesses for tea following the program.

The music group will meet Wednesday at 9:45 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Robert L. Spencer, Kells Avenue, for rehearsal and discussion.

A meeting of the furniture group will be held on Monday afternoon, March 1, at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. Robert J. Boyd. The current problems group will meet Tuesday morning, March 12, at 10 o'clock.

## FIRMIN SWINNEN TO GIVE ORGAN RECITAL TONIGHT

Firmin Swinnen will be presented by the University Hour Committee of the University of Delaware in his second organ recital of the season, tonight (Thursday), in Mitchell Hall.

Of interest on the program will be "Berceuse" of Selim Palmgren, who has often been called the "Chopin of Finland," and the "Andante" and "Fugue" of Peter Tchaikowski's "Symphonic Pathétique." The Choral Prelude, "Come Now Savior," "Come Sweet Death," and the "Fugue in G minor," by Johann Sebastian Bach, also featured on the program. This is the next to the last of Mr. Swinnen's recitals. All friends of the university are invited to attend.

## GEORGE C. POTTS GUEST AT BIRTHDAY AFFAIR

George C. Potts, of near Elkton, an employee of the Fader Motor Co., was guest of honor at a birthday party held at his home last Thursday. Among the guests was his father, George M. Potts, former chief of Elkton police.

Those present were: Benjamin Bryan, Jr., James Reynolds, and Benjamin Bryan, Jr., of Northeast, Md.; David W. Chalmers, Charles Connell, A. T. Eland, Leslie Eklund, Ralph Gregg, E. J. Helmbreck, Jr., Edwin Knauss, Gertrude Little, W. D. Lloyd, Joseph Howell, Eric Mayer, H. G. Mitchell, Montague, L. G. Moore, George C. Potts, Jr., James Robinson, Sr., H. W. Bradley, Charles Sweeney, Frank Widmer, John Wolleyhan, James Reynolds, Valentina Nardo, Earl Moore, Raymond Chalmers, Mr. and Mrs. C. Potts, Cleaver L. Potts, Mrs. George C. Potts, Julia and Charles Potts and E. J. Helmbreck.

## MISS RUTH SINCLAIR HAS HIGH AVERAGE

Miss Ruth Sinclair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Sinclair, 227 Orchard Road, is one of 257 students in Syracuse University College of Liberal Arts who maintained a "B" average last semester.

Miss Sinclair, a junior majoring in English, is a member of Delta Gamma chapter, Big Chum committee and Editor Guide. She is also a member of the business staff of the Syracusean, campus humor magazine, and Ononah, campus yearbook.

## ENTERTAINED AT BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Todd entertained at dinner Monday evening at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Todd's guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Trice, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Todd and daughter, Mr. Elva, Mrs. Beatrice Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Todd and Clarence, of Oglethorpe.

## SURPRISE FAREWELL PARTY GIVEN SATURDAY

A surprise farewell party was given Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Lewis, who are planning to move to Florida, where Mr. Lewis accepted a position with the Sinclair Oil Co.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Rittenhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nabb, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Nabb, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Balling, Mr. Harold Sheaffer, Mrs. Percy Roberts, the Misses Laura and Lydia Lewis, and Leon Case.

## POCAHONTAS LUNCHEON

Daughters of Pocahontas will give luncheon at the Fraternal Hall noon. The public is invited to attend. Serving will begin promptly at 12 o'clock.

Marguerite Balling and Mrs. George McAllister are co-chairmen of the committee on arrangements.

## AUXILIARY TO MEET

The J. Allison O'Daniel Unit No. 10, American Legion Auxiliary, will meet in the Legion rooms Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

## CHURCH GROUP SESSION

The Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church of Newark will meet at the home of Mrs. Stanley Kells Avenue, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

## CALENDAR

5:00 p. m.—Turkey Supper sponsored by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church.

8:00 p. m.—"Putting It Over" to be presented by Newark Methodist Church choir at Christiana School.

8:00 p. m.—Organ recital to be presented in Mitchell Hall, University of Delaware, by Firmin Swinnen.

**Friday, March 1**  
8:30 p. m.—Card party in Fraternal Hall, sponsored by Friendship Temple No. 6, Pythian Sisters.

**Saturday, March 2**  
Entertainment and dance at Fraternal Hall, sponsored by Ivy Temple No. 4, Ladies of the Golden Eagle.

9:00 p. m.—Leap Year Dance at Newark Country Club.

**Monday, March 4**  
2:30 p. m.—"News in the Air" to be presented at meeting of Newark New Century Club.

8:00 p. m.—Meeting of J. Allison O'Daniel Unit No. 10, American Legion Auxiliary.

**Tuesday, March 5**  
6:00 p. m.—Student-faculty dinner in Old College, sponsored by Humanist Society of University of Delaware.

7:45 p. m.—Meeting of Women's Auxiliary of Presbyterian church at home of Mrs. Stanley Spoor, Kells Ave.

**Wednesday, March 6**  
9:45 a. m.—Meeting of music group of Newark New Century Club at home of Mrs. Robert Spencer, Kells Avenue.

**Thursday, March 7**  
8:30 p. m.—Evening of Music to be presented at Mitchell Hall, University of Delaware by the music department.

**Monday, March 11**  
2:00 p. m.—Meeting of furniture group of Newark New Century Club at home of Mrs. Robert J. Boyd.

**Tuesday, March 12**  
2:30 p. m.—Meeting of Ladies' Aid Society of Newark Methodist Church.

**Wednesday, March 13**  
5:00 p. m.—Annual chicken patty supper of Christiana Church at church.  
8:00 p. m.—Entertainment sponsored by Bible Class of Glasgow Methodist Church to be held in church.

**Thursday, March 14**  
Playbill Program at Mitchell Hall to be presented by Footlights and Puppets Clubs of University of Delaware.

**Friday, March 15**  
"Tish" to be presented by senior class of Newark High School.

**Friday, March 29**  
8:15 p. m.—Card party, sponsored by Ivy Crow Temple No. 4, Ladies of the Golden Eagle, in Fraternal Hall.

## COUNTRY CLUB LEAP YEAR DANCE SATURDAY

Clarence Fuhrman's orchestra will furnish the music for the Leap Year Dance to be held Saturday night at the Newark Country Club from nine until one o'clock. Mrs. J. F. Anderson, chairman of the affair, is being assisted by Mrs. M. L. Draper, Mrs. George Boli, Mrs. P. K. Musselman and the Messrs. Wallace Williams, Taggart Evans and Samuel Rogers.

## PROF. J. A. BARTLEY IS GUEST SPEAKER

Professor James A. Bartley, of the History Department of the University

of Delaware, was guest speaker at the meeting of the current events group of the Newark New Century Club held Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. W. A. Wilkinson. His subject was Japan.

## MISS RUTH WELLS TO WED EARL SARGE

The wedding of Miss Ruth Wells, daughter of Charles Wells of Boyertown, Pa., and Earl Sarge, 75 E. Main Street, will take place Saturday, March 23, at the Reform Church in Boyertown.

Mr. Sarge is employed at the Danita Hosiery Mill. The couple plan to make their home in Newark.

## GLASGOW BIBLE CLASS ENTERTAINMENT

The Bible Class of the Glasgow Methodist Church will hold a miscellaneous entertainment Wednesday evening, March 13, in the Glasgow church beginning at eight o'clock. The program will consist of a short playlet, musical selections and readings.

## PYTHIAN SISTERS CARD PARTY

Friendship Temple No. 6 Pythian Sisters will sponsor a public card party at the Fraternal Hall on Friday evening, March 1.

Playing will begin promptly at eight-thirty o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

## LADIES' AID SOCIETY TO MEET MARCH 12

A meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Newark Methodist Church, originally scheduled to be held on Thursday, has been postponed until Tuesday afternoon, March 12, due to the district meeting at the Grace Church, Wilmington.

## PERSONALS

Miss Mitchell, state supervisor of art, visited the Newark Public Schools on Tuesday.

Little Miss Edna Smith, 20 Prospect Ave., is confined to her home with illness.

Mrs. S. A. Slack, 17 Center St., is recovering from a ten day illness of grippe and tonsillitis.

Miss Eva Smith, 20 Prospect Ave., has returned to her home from the Wilmington General Hospital where she recently underwent an operation for the removal of a thyroid gland.

Earl Sarge, 75 Main St., spent last week end in Boyertown, Pa.

Chris Bohn, Delaware Ave., spent last week end in Boyertown, Pa.

Miss Jane Black, 18 Haines St., spent last Monday in Philadelphia, Pa.

Miss Nellie Cistone, Cleveland Ave., is recovering in the Hahnemann Hospital, Phila., from an appendectomy.

Mrs. Wm. Tierney, E. Delaware Ave., came home from St. Francis Hospital last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Slattery, Devon, Pa., spent last Sunday visiting Mrs. Louisa Mercer, Chapel St.

Miss Helen Louise Irwin, Children's Hospital, Phila., visited her mother on West Main St., last week.

Mrs. Betty Mitchell, 13 Choate St., spent last week end in Phila.

Miss Mary Margaret Heaton, formerly of Newark, will receive her cap at St. Francis Hospital tomorrow night.

Miss Mary Wheeler, 26 Haines St., moved to Main St., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clancy and Children, Union Park Gardens, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clancy, 18 Haines St., last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Silk, Haines St., entertained a few friends at their home Sunday evening.

David Clancy and his son, James, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clancy, 18 Haines St., last Saturday evening.

Miss Helen Black, Chevy Chase, Md., will spend the week end visiting Miss Betty Hearn, near Newark.

Mrs. Leslie Pack, Lumbrook, attended the performance of "Tobacco Road" at the Playhouse, Tuesday evening.

Charles Rhodes, 75 Main St., spent last week end in Boyertown, Pa.

Miss Elizabeth Rose, Wilmington, spent last week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Rose, S. College Ave.

Miss Mary Wheeler, East Main St., spent last week end in Phila.

Miss Ann Martyn moved from Haines St. to Main St.

Mrs. Barton H. Mackie is receiving today.

Mrs. Carl S. Rankin and Mrs. H. K. Preston entertained at a luncheon-bridge Wednesday of last week at the Justis Inn.

Miss Dorothy Dameron entertained her bridge club Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Kraemer of Lanarch, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Eddie L. Miller and daughters Virginia and Barbara, of Marlborough Village, Pa., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Potts and family, E. Main St.

Dr. Frederick Bellinger was a business visitor in Phila. on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Pierce, of West Chester, spent Sunday visiting with the Misses Laura and Lydia Mearns, 65 E. Dela. Ave.

Mrs. Wilson Worrall entertained her bridge club Tuesday evening.

Mrs. William J. Warwick and daughter, E. Main St., spent Saturday in Wilmington.

Herbert Smith and family, of Mt. Royal, N. J., spent Sunday with Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Mary A. Smith, of Delaware Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gunther, 207 W. 30th Street, Wilmington, visited Mrs. Nelson Holland, Delaware Ave., on Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Campbell and Miss Maggie Campbell spent last Thursday in Wilmington.

Bruce Rankin, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rankin, Park Place, was awarded second honors for scholastic work during the winter term at The Peddie School, Hightstown, N. J., where he is a student.

George Boli returned from California, Friday, where he has been for the last three weeks.

Mrs. Lillie Lovett of near McClellandville, Pa., entertained the Women's Bible Class of the First Presbyterian Church of Newark Monday evening.

Eugene C. Sultz left Tuesday for Bridgeport, Conn., to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Lena C. Sultz, which was held yesterday afternoon. Mr. Sultz returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Joseph Shields and Mrs. Kenneth Kadow entertained at a luncheon-bridge Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kadow, Tanglewood Lane.

Miss Barbara Bonham entertained her bridge club Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. Chesley Stewart of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Irvin Dayett. Mrs. Stewart was joined by her husband Tuesday.

Miss Sara Potts spent Saturday in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boli, 166 W. Main St., will entertain preceding the Newark Country Club dance Saturday evening.

D. A. McClintock returned Wednesday from a three week's stay in Florida.

Dick Roberts will undergo a tonsil operation today at the Wilmington General Hospital. He is expected to return to his home Saturday.

Mrs. D. A. McClintock has returned to her home after spending some time with her daughter Mrs. Harold Simpkins, Wilmington.

Mrs. J. Harvey Dickey, Miss Ann Chalmers and Mrs. Lewis Dickey of Stanton visited Mrs. Dickey's brother Mr. William Powell, at Avondale over the week-end.

Mr. Robert Davis of Cleveland Ave., and his sister Mrs. Albert L. Lewis visited their parents at Altoona, Pa., on Sunday.

Mrs. John Amos has returned home after spending sometime with her mother, at Lafayette, Indiana.

Mrs. John R. Fader, Mrs. F. Allyn Cooch and Mrs. J. Harvey Dickey, of the J. A. O'Daniel Unit, attended an executive meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary in Wilmington on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. J. Harvey Dickey of Elkton Rd., will spend this week end at Stamford Conn.

## PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction sale on Capital Trail, one mile east of Newark, on MONDAY, MARCH 11, BEGINNING AT 10 O'CLOCK NOON, the following: (If stormy, sale will be held Thursday, March 15.)

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Mrs. George McCafferty of Phila., spent several days this week with her mother Mrs. Mary R. Stewart of near Newark. Mrs. Stewart is convalescing from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Balling and sons, Frank and Bill, spent the past week-end in Chester.

Miss Eleanor Callahan of West Chester visited Newark on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Chalmers and son Bill, Jr., spent the past week-end at Federalsburg, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Allyn Cooch and children spent the past week-end in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. George Hill of Dover was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Fader, W. Nottingham Road.

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Terrors	25	24	49	5	8
Pingers	36	34	70	13	17
Pedagogues	39	38	77	15	20
Darkhorses	39	31	70	12	16
	20	70	232	4	20

(Standing last week—Bearsart, first; Highlanders, second; Crossed, third; Ollers and Pingers, fourth; (tied); Pedagogues, sixth; Terrors, seventh; Dark eighth.)

Williamson	160	123	154-497
Totals	749	787	691-227
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Marquess	184	152	155-497

Please turn to Page-7

To a charge of reckless driving speeding through the town of Brimley, William Trueman pleaded guilty, saying he didn't see any trouble. He was fined \$1 and costs by a judge for the peace.

122	147
110	126
7001	702
<b>Texas</b>	
180	167

Because it produces crops several seasons, as long as 50 in some cases, asparagus is being more and more in home gardens. It comes into fresh use many garden crops have been for the season.

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## SERVICE EXAMS TO BE GIVEN

Applications Must Be On File March 25

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the positions listed below. Applications must be on file in the commission's office at Washington, D. C., not later than March 25.

Assistant mycologist (soils) \$2,600 a year, Bureau of Plant Industry, Department of Agriculture. Completion of a 4-year college course with major study in botany and 2 years of research experience in the culture of fungi are required. Certain graduate study may be submitted for the experience. Applicants must not have passed their third birthday.

Chief, research and statistical service, \$3,600 a year, Office of Education, Federal Security Agency. Certain college education, including graduate study leading to the degree of doctor of philosophy in education, and highly responsible experience in education are required. Additional experience in educational work may be substituted for the graduate study. Applicants must not have passed their fifth birthday.

Full information may be obtained from C. S. Crompton, secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office.

## SAFETY HINTS

**SKIDDING HAZARDS**—When wintry road surfaces reduce the traction of the tires, when a vehicle rounds a curve at too great a speed, when deflated brakes are suddenly applied, when tires are unable to firmly grip a wet or muddy pavement or loose sand or gravel, then a driver may expect to skid warns the Delaware Safety Council.

Although there are more skids and thus more accidents in winter, the month to month toll of fatal accidents resulting from skidding varies but little. Experience shows that in bad weather, drivers are on the alert for skids and guard against them, to the extent that relatively few serious accidents are reported. Conversely, when motorists least expect to skid they

travel at higher speeds. Then if a skid occurs, it results in a serious crash.

All authorities seem to agree that the way to prevent a skid is to expect it, and deal with it before it happens. The use of the brake and the speed at which one travels are leading factors in keeping out of trouble. So the first requisite is to maintain well-adjusted brakes. The second is to drive around curves or on slippery roads at speeds which should make braking unnecessary. A brake that drags or locks will throw a car out of control even on dry pavement and on a straight-a-way, and to brake on a curve or brake suddenly on an unreliable road surface is poor driving. When rounding a curve, brake before reaching it, enter at a slackened speed, but accelerate slightly as you round it. When necessary to stop on slippery pavement leave clutch engaged and apply carefully touching them only lightly and intermittently. When starting on an extremely slippery surface place the gear in second and slowly, very slowly and carefully engage the clutch.

## Bowling

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Rudolph	201	161	162-324
Deaver	163	197	147-307
Weidlin	180	189	165-354
Shurecker	197	146	162-305
Totals	825	845	791-2338

Bowlsby, Jr.	138	122	226-488
Fulton	128	168	192-488
Tasker	163	134	148-447
Hill	167	149	142-450
Wallace	180	135	200-365
Totals	778	758	910-2446

Conf. Plant	171	182	162-515
Hogan	181	213	178-572
Slack	166	157	157-480
P. Whiteman	189		
Beers	138	170	163-491
Dickinson	176	154	330
Totals	865	898	814-2577

Wolf Hall	144	148	177-469
Phillips	160	161	163-484
R. Jaquette	157	190	169-516
Pierpont	120	173	142-435
Barrett	181	162	228-591
Totals	762	854	879-2495

THURSDAY NIGHT LEAGUE	Won	Lost
Cranston Heights	14	6
Cont. Diamond	14	10
Ebenezer Church	14	10
Fair Hill	13	11
Independents	7	13
Scrubs	6	18

Cranston Heights	116	128	125-369
Lambert	167	141	180-496
McGarity	188	126	133-447
Baylis	134	130	149-413
Preston	208	157	181-546
Totals	813	682	776-2271

## Cont. Diamond

Bawlsby	156	156	156-468
Hogan	116	116	116-338
Beers	166	195	177-538
Thomas	181	175	207-563
Fulton	180	186	197-587
Smith	164	143	172-315
Evans	205	152	357
Totals	783	904	865-2552

Fair Hill	215	149	212-576
Kelley	174	128	150-450
Peterson	227	153	184-564
Van Pelt	180	191	203-554
P. Mackie	137	166	186-469
Totals	913	785	935-2633

Scrubs	177	164	148-489
Dunn	183	169	197-559
McCluskey	140	140	280
Claribold	182	137	159-478
Sparks	142		210-552
Totals	822	752	918-2492

Independents	142	163	165-470
Poland	150	176	154-480
Gertzenberg	168	158	173-499
White	150	178	137-324
Snitz	125	129	149-403
Totals	733	804	799-2338

Ebenezer	165	144	157-486
P. Whiteman	186	156	134-388
Slack	181	168	181-530
R. Whiteman	175	159	147-481
Lomax	153	177	179-509
K. Whiteman	172	184	204
Totals	792	804	799-2338

FRIDAY NIGHT LEAGUE	On	Lost
Red Clay Creek	19	5
Milford X Roads A. C.	15	9
Crubb	13	7
Newark Rotary Club	13	11
Soil Conservation	1	19

Newark Rotary Club	181	153	198-534
Mix			

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Feldman	151	97	100-357
Kirk	113	150	113-376
Handloff	103	123	157-383
Cook	138	109	176-423
Totals	6	634	753-2073

Red Clay Creek	119	161	113-393
Springer	118	126	161-415
Stoutland	151	173	153-479
Woodward	138	169	153-460
Shakespeare	136	130	136-402
Porter			
Totals	662	769	718-2149

Milford X Roads	145	178	127-450
Megilligan	120	111	113-344
Johnston	144	125	181-450
Jackson	211	146	133-490
Gray	157	134	141-432
Totals	777	694	695-2166

McKennans	127	96	115-338
Crossland	147	154	142-443
Gregg	121	97	138-356
Woodward	124	143	118-385
Seiple			
Totals	519	490	513-1522

Christiana Lions	145	135	127-407
Coffman	132	107	129-368
Holingsworth	157	162	124-443
McElhinney			
Totals	572	548	540-1660

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## IN REVIEW

February 24, 1940

March 3, 1941

## WEDDING

John W. Richards, of Newark, and Miss Anna E. McCarns, of Fair Hill, Md., were quietly married last Wednesday evening at the Head of Christiana Manor, by Rev. Adrian Van Overen. The bride and groom were accompanied by Miss Alice McCarns of Newark, aunt of the bride, and Mr. Willard McMullin, of Kemblesville, a cousin of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Richards live on the Robert Morrison farm, near Ogletown, Delaware.

## Social Notes

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fader gave them a delightful surprise last Friday evening, the occasion of their fifth wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Fader were entertained at dinner by Miss Katherine Steele, believing the plan to be a theatre party later in the evening. When the car arrived to take the presumably to Wilmington, they had no suspicion of the real plan of things. Instead of turning down town, however, the car veered to the right at the corner of South College Avenue and Main Street. The surprised occupants were whirled to their own home where a crowd of friends awaited them. A handsome sectional bookcase had already been placed by the visitors. Cards, Victrola music, and dancing furnished entertainment for the evening. In addition to the immediate families the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strickland, Mrs. E. C. Jones, Miss Katherine and Albert Helser, Emily Worrall, Alice McCarns, Edward Lacklin, Walter Powell, Edward Vogt, Wilbert Ramsey, Miss Elizabeth Ramsey, Wilmington, and Mr. Jacob Sheffer.

Mrs. E. A. Evans entertained at Five Hundred on Thursday evening, February 29. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Springer, Mr. and Mrs. Del Willis, Mrs. E. A. Evans, Mrs. Sara Graham, Mrs. Jackson Burnley, Mr. Charles Burnley, Mr. Alfred Casey, and Mr. Edward Casey. Light refreshments were served. Mrs. Burnley presiding at the punch bowl. A very pleasant evening was spent by all. As the guests departed they wished Mrs. Evans many happy returns of the day, it being her birthday anniversary.

Rev. and Mrs. Adrian Van Overen entertained the session of Head of Christiana Church, with members of their family, at dinner this afternoon. This is the first of a series of dinners which will include the sessions and trustees of both Head of Christiana and Christiana churches. The guests today included Mr. and Mrs. George W. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Egnor, Mr. and Mrs. John Law, Mr. Robert D. Cook, and Miss Anna Mary Scott.

Mrs. Henrietta Brown was agreeably surprised last Thursday evening when a large number of her friends greeted her on her seventieth birthday. When Mrs. Brown adjourned with her guests to the dining room she found the room tastefully decorated in red, white and blue, and a large cake, brought by the visitors, gracing the center of the table. Among those present were: Mrs. Henrietta Brown, Mrs. Wm. McClure, Mrs. Mary L. Mackey, Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Brown, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Frazer, Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston, Miss Elizabeth Brown, Elsie Wingate, Henrietta Brown, Gertrude Brown, Mary E. Johnston, Messrs. Norris Brown, Harry Brown, Walter Brown, Clyde Robinson, Gayler Brown, Clarence Higgins, Joseph Brown, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thompson have returned after a ten days' visit with friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tyson are spending some time in New York.

Mrs. Lundy and children, of Washington, were the recent guests of Mrs. Edwin Vinsinger.

The young friends of Harry Sanborn gave him a surprise on Tuesday evening, the occasion of his fourteenth birthday. The young folk pronounced the evening a merry one. Among those present were Mary Dempsey, Alma Danlevy, Sara Lovett, Ethel Lovett, Margaret Doyle, Anna Sanborn, Elizabeth McNeal, Elizabeth Knight, Kathryn Boyce, Ruth Brown, Leah Poole, Howard Reed, Lynam Reed, Royal Sanborn, Leo Moore, Paul Moore, Joseph Moore, George Mitchell, Vernon Knight, Harvey Boyce, Earl Lindell, Norman Tweed, George Tweed, Alfred Ewing, Rossiter Wanamaker, and John Doyle.

## DRAMATIC SURVEY

The University of Delaware has been selected as one of the schools to be visited by Norris Houghton, who is making a study of the non-professional theatre in the United States for the Rockefeller Foundation. Dr. C. R. Kase, Director of Dramatics at the University, announced today that Mr. Houghton will visit the University on Sunday and Monday, March 3 and 4, to make a survey of the dramatic program, both on and off the campus, and of the physical equipment.

## FOSTER BABY BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Foster are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at the Wilmington General Hospital on Sunday, Feb. 25. Mrs. Foster was the former Miss Eleanor Doordan, of Newark.

## WASHINGTON BIRTHDAY PROGRAM

## Original Plays Given At School: Oyster Supper

By Miss Emma S. Maclary

Stanton, Feb. 26.—The Rev. David W. Baker, pastor of the Stanton M. E. Church, spoke on Sunday morning on the subject: "Non-Concealing Christ." At the Epworth League session Sunday evening, reports were made by the four delegates to the Youth Conference held last week in Salisbury, Md. On Sunday evening, the Rev. Baker spoke on "Footprints."

Mrs. Margaret Wier, teacher of the third grade of the Stanton School, arranged a Washington birthday program at the school on Thursday. Pupils of the first and second grades were invited to attend the program, which consisted of three original plays.

The Parish Aid of St. James P. E. Church, Stanton, will serve an oyster supper on Thursday evening, March 14th in the parish house, for the benefit of the church school Lenten fund.

The monthly meeting of the Stanton P.T.A. was held Thursday evening in the school with Mrs. Charles Wilson presiding. The treasurer reported a balance on hand of \$93.97. Mrs. Natalie Seltz, membership chairman, reported 66 members now enrolled.

Miss Lora Little, health chairman, reported that the state doctor and nurses had completed examinations of the local children, and reported five cases where there were impaired hearing, two cases of poor eyesight and one severe tonsil case. The P.T.A. volunteered assistance to these parents if they wish to avail themselves of that help. Miss Little, as principal of the school, also reported that the roundup of pre-school children will take place in the near future, and anyone having children who will enter school next year should notify Miss Little, as soon as possible.

Mrs. Helen Wright, library chairman, reported that 68 books had been added to the Stanton school library through state funds made available to them. These include reference and story books. Mrs. Alice Logan welcomed the large representation of parents present.

William Rineer, a member of the Stanton School faculty, who is in charge of the local Boy Scout Troop reported there are now 15 registered members; that the advisory committee is working with him very satisfactorily and that the boys attend meetings regularly and are keenly interested in the activities.

The P.T.A. adopted a resolution supporting the action of the local school board, in declaring the narrow bridge over the White Clay Creek unsafe for traffic and for school children to encounter traffic thereon. Copies will be sent to the Delaware Safety Council, The Delaware Steeplechase and Race Association and the State Highway Department.

The program committee announced that Dr. H. V. Holloway, of the State Board of Education will be a guest at the March meeting, and will give an illustrated talk on his trip to South America. The slides to be shown by Dr. Holloway were taken by him on his trip.

## Week-End Specials

COTTAGE HAMS ..... lb. 27c

CANADIAN BACON ..... 1/2 lb. 23c

BONELESS HAMS ..... to bake lb. 32c

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CHICKENS ..... Roasting or stewing .... 32c

## CALIF. NEW PEAS .... 2 lbs. 35c

LIMA BEANS ..... 1 lb. 25c

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BEETS ..... 3

TURNIPS ..... 3

CAULIFLOWER ..... 19

BROCCOLI ..... bunch 19c

FRESH RHUBARB ..... lb. 18c

FRESH MUSHROOMS ..... 27c

POTATOES basket red skin 90c

white 85c

BIRDS EYE FROZEN VEG. 3/4 lb pkgs.

PEAS ..... 25c

WAX BEANS ..... 19c

GREEN BEANS ..... 19c

BROCCOLI ..... 25c

SPINACH ..... 23c

ORANGES ..... 250 size 25c

These are India River oranges and are very good.

## Fruit-Spraying Calendar Released By Specialists At University Of Delaware

From a trio of University of Delaware specialists comes the 1940 fruit spraying calendar including complete spray program for three Delaware fruits—apples, peaches, and grapes. In the past, directions for pest control of these fruits have been issued on separate cards.

Believing that the value of the spraying directions will be greater if growers have details of insect and disease control for principal Delaware fruits all on the same sheet, plant pathologists T. F. Manns and K. J. Kodow, and entomologist L. A. Stearns have included comments on the chart which they feel will help growers do a better job of keeping fruit clean.

About the new calendar, printed on durable paper and officially known as Information Card No. 45, Dr. Stearns remarks, "Even though not all growers have apples, grapes, and peaches, there are several who do produce a variety of fruits. The new card gives these growers a complete set of directions that won't be so easy to misplace as the separate cards. Then, too, the calendar is arranged so that the program for each fruit can be cut off if desired. Control directions are the latest recommended practices for Delaware."

While Dr. Stearns' efforts are directed toward better bug control, Drs. Manns and Kodow are concerned with helping Delaware growers keep down attacks of fruit diseases so often harmful to trees and fruit if plants are not protected properly.

Growers desiring the fruit pest control programs may obtain them from county agents or by writing the Agricultural Extension Service, University of Delaware, Newark.

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## Attend Services For Ira S. Brinser

Many local and state people were among the throngs that attended the impressive rituals held for Ira S. Brinser at the United Zion Church, Elizabethtown, Pa., Sunday afternoon.

Among those from Newark and vicinity present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Heim, Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. I. Newton Sheaffer, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Gillespie, G. E. Hancock, Misses Mary Alice Hancock and Dora Bradley, all of Newark; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Anderson, Wilmington, and Andrew Lindell, Marshallton.

## Senior Play Tickets Go On Sale Friday

Nightly rehearsals for the annual senior high school play indicates that the presentation of "Fish" will be a creditable performance for members of the cast.

This year's play is again being directed by Miss Ann Gallaher. The performance will be given in the high school auditorium Friday, March 15, at 8:15 p.m. Tickets will go on sale at the high school tomorrow. Reserved seats may be obtained on and after Monday, March 11.

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