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## FAIRLINGTON PARTICIPATES IN ANNUAL AMERICAN RED CROSS DRIVE, MARCH 1-15



Photo by Loeb MRS. KENNETH HARDY

North Side team Captains are:

Block 1, Mrs. Earle Davis, 2998 S. Columbus.

Block 2, Mrs. John Crouse, 2983 S. Columbus.

Block 3, Mrs. E. L. Hansen, 4845 S. 28th.

Block 4, Mrs. Harold Carrick, 4824 S. 28th.

Block 5, Mrs. F. G. Barber, 2834 S. Abingdon.

Block 6, Mrs. Francis Fee, 4704 S. 30th.

Block 7, Mrs. Homer Woodling, 4726 S. 29th.

Block 8, Mrs. M. D. Waters, 3066 Buchanan.

Block 9, Mrs. William Roose, 3014 S. Abingdon.

Block 11, Mrs. Frank Reynolds, 4625 30th Rd.

Block 12, Mrs. Hugh McLaughlin, 3059 S. Abingdon.

Block 13, Mrs. R. Woodham, 2895 S. Abingdon.

Block 14, Mrs. W. Draper, 4821 28th St.

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On the right we have Mrs. George J. Finney ready to lead the South Side team to victory in the annual Red Cross Drive and on the left Mrs. Kenneth Hardy, veteran worker from last year's campaign, leader for the North Side.

The American Red Cross conducts only one money-raising drive each year, and supports its activities solely by this means. The wonderful work which was done by the Red Cross during the war is continuing now in the home service work, convalescent supplies and other like activity. Fairlington again is taking part in this worthwhile drive.

The campaign in Fairlington is not intended to supplant contributions which are made by members of the family through their offices. It is a house-to-house appeal for each home-maker to be represented in the Drive for Funds.

Mrs. Finney, who has been active in Red Cross in other cities, and indeed has to be, for her father-in-law is chairman of the Hartford County, Maryland, Red Cross Chapter, and Mrs. Hardy, whose experience as a team worker in last year's successful campaign, are looking forward to your hearty support of their many co-workers.

## DEAR DADS

It sounds better and better. We mean the grand evening that Mr. Frank Hall, Col. Robert Ploger and Mr. Byron Mc-Candless have planned for the Fathers of the P.T.A. in answer to their request for a Dads' night—no women allowed! (EXCEPT to produce the hot coffee at the appointed time!).

The night—March 20. The place—Administration Bldg. Assembly Room.

The entertainment—Music, skits, novelties such as you have never seen before.

The hosts—Husbands of the P.T.A. Board members.

The refreshments—Coffee, doughnuts, and whatever.

The tax—only 50 cents... Never before has so much been offered for so little. So, save that night, Wednesday, March 20th.



Photo by Loeb MRS. GEORGE FINNEY

South Side Block Captains are:

Block 1, Mrs. John Myers, 3431 S. Stafford.

Block 2, Mrs. Verdi Barnes, 4108 S. 36th.

Block 3, Mrs. Raymond Pelissier, 4212 S. 36th.

Block 4, Mrs. L. T. Alden, 3610 S. Taylor.

Block 5, Mrs. Voctor Amato, 4668 S. 36th

Block 6, Mrs. J. R. Gilbert, 4649 S. 36th.

Block 7, Mrs. C. A. DelMar, 3484 S. Utah.

Block 8, Mrs. F. C. Smith, 4523 S. 34th.

Block 9, Mrs. B. H. White, 4255 S.

Block 10, Mrs. S. A. Wright, 3570 S. Stafford

Block 11, Mrs. T. K. Randall, 3235 S. Utah.

Block 12, Mrs. Guy Hill, 4317 S. 32nd Road.

Block 13, Mrs. G. J. Burke, 3224 S. Stafford.

Block 14, Mrs. H. W. Wammond, 4200 S. 32nd.

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### FERN STREET

The mystery of the month is now revealed. FERN STREET is the new street that has just been laid, off Seminary Road. It is bounded on the left by the Safeway Store, and on the right by the Co-op, while down the street itself you will find The Remembrance Shop, and the Fairlington Delicatessen which have just been opened for your shopping pleasure.

In all fairness, lest this seem like free advertising, may we say that in the columns of the NEWS you will find coming attractions at the Centre Theatre, The Snyder Corp., ready to supply you with insurance policies; Nancye Fleming offering the latest in women's apparel, the accommodations of the three Shirley Food Stores; typewriter service at The Dixie Mart, Ashburn Flying School, Watkins Texaco Service, Shirlington Radio Co., Arlington Bowling, selection of men's wear at Levenson Clothing, Fixit-Radio Service, Patton's Trucking Co., for the small-fry Congressional and Chinquapin Schools, for their outfits, Jerry's Kiddie Center in Shirlington and Kay's Kiddie Shop on Seminary Road.

Gaines Service Station, open till 10 p.m., Galliot Bros. for your choice in poultry, student instruction at the new Springfield Airport, your photograph by Joseph Loeb, your hosiery from Berger, your Easter Bonnet from John Simon or a new costume from the Clothes Horse.

With appreciation—if you mention THE FAIRLINGTON NEWS when shopping.

ZETA TAU ALPHA ALUMNAE meet the second Wednesday of each month. Any Zeta interested in attending these meetings please call Mrs. J. B. Gilmer, TE. 8695.

## New Equipment for Fairlington School

After that very successful benefit bridge party, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Z. B. Hyde, the Fairlington P.T.A. will be able to order the backdrop for the auditorium stage, and supply other musical equipment for the use of the students. Thanks to the wonderful work of Mrs. W. Bray, Mrs. Landis, Col. and Mrs. Gilbert and all the others working together, the Valentine night party proved a success both financially and socially for everyone had such a good time.

Fifty-two door prizes were disposed of to happy guests, thanks to the generosity of the merchants near Fairlington. Homemade cakes and coffee provided the refreshments, and canned peaches the pleasant surprises for table prizes. Mrs. Hyde announced a total clearance of over \$250.00 for the school.

The projector and screen, which was to be purchased from the paper-salvage fund, has been given to the school by the Virginia State Department of Education. The money thus released was used to purchase a piano for the school and orders have been placed for two radio-phonograph sets. The replaced piano was given by the school to another Arlington County school.

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### MEET AMERICA FIRST!

Will you believe it, there are already THIRTY-EIGHT of the 48 States in the Fairlington State File! And—the District of Columbia! All ready, willing and anxious to meet their "fellow-statesmen." So get prepared for the big event of the Spring. Saturday, April 6, will be the night for the FAIRLINGTON CIVIC ASSOCIATION - FAIRLINGTON NEWS ALL-STATES PARTY. Watch the coming issues for full details.

In the meantime, how about a registration from Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Connecticut, Florida, Idaho, Maine, Nevada, Oregon and Wyoming? Here is the opportunity again—if your name is in before the get-together the introductions will be so much the easier.

Fairlington	<b>All-States</b>	File
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MRS. PAUL REIBER, Secretary,
Fairlington Civic Association
3243 South Utah Street,
Arlington, Va.

To the South Dakotans—Did you know that your neighbor, Carl R. Quarforth, of 3234 S. Stafford, is president of the South Dakota State Society here? Have you given him your name?

FAIRLINGTON P.T.A. — Meeting Monday evening, March 11th. Health program with movies in Fairlington School Auditorium at 8:00 p. m.

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## Fairlington Is in Arlington

The Legislature in Richmond, Virginia, now has for consideration the Charter proposed by the recently appointed charter committee of Arlington County which would permit a vote by Arlington citizens on the incorporation of Arlington County as a City. Many organizations have appeared before this Charter committee in an effort to have them include referendum and recall provisions in the charter, provisions for non-partisan elections and election of the School Board. Despite the appeals presented, the Charter was sent to Richmond without these provisions.

The Fairlington Civic Association, in conjunction with other affiliated members of the Arlington Civic Association, sent a delegate to Richmond to present the appeals again to the committee considering the Charter provisions.

As citizens of your community your responsibility will be to be ready to vote for or against the Charter if it is presented to the voters. In order to do this YOU MUST BE A REGISTERED VOTER! Voting requirements are:

- 1. Resident of state one year.
- 2. Resident of county six months.
- 3. Resident of precinct 30 days.
- 4. Payment of Poll Tax.
- 5. Registration.

Poll tax and registration must be taken care of at least six months before election. Act now—before it is too late.

Fiairlington civic association—Meeting Tuesday evening, Mar. 12th. Open to all residents of Fairlington. Lt. Joseph McLane, the president, has announced that Mr. Raymond Pelissier is chairman of the nominating committee which will present the slate of officers for next year at the March meeting. A new constitution and bylaws will also be presented for adoption.

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### TAKE A PEEK INSIDE



Photo by Loeb

This time take a peek downstairs and see what a gay recreation room Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Thrift have in their duplex at 3018 S. Columbus. Black and red, with yellow accent is the color scheme, built up from the gray, red and black rug on the floor. The border around the rug has been given a coat of grey deck paint to harmonize with the rug color and this has also been applied to the stairway. Besides adding to the appearance this coat of paint has eliminated that cement dust which so easily tracks up the apartment after a trip downstairs.

The Thrifts also found that it is permissable to apply white or ivory wall paint. They chose white, and then added white muslin curtains with black and red print ruffles. The cretonne-covered seat is a yard bench, serving winter duty indoors. Truth is, however, this room itself serves double duty, for pleasure in the winter and for comfort in the summer when the Virginia sunshine makes the apartments too warm.

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## TROOP TOPICS

Cub Pack 120's new charter for 1946 was presented by Dean J. Longfellow, field executive of the National Capital Area Council, to Rev. Eugene Peacock, minister of Fairlington Methodist Church, at the February 25 Pack Meeting. The church is the new sponsor of the Pack.

Brook, Bray and David Carstater received their Webelos and graduated into Boy Scouts at the January meeting.

There has been a rearranging of some of the Dens due to the moving that has occurred since the end of the war. Dens are as follows: Den 1: Joseph Zimmerman, Porter, Claxton, Michael Brooks, Stephens Eisner, William Korzelios and Donald Wiseman; Den Mother, J. U. Zimmerman.

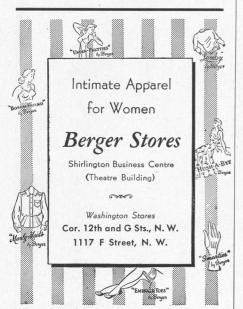
Den 2: Ernest Ward, Charles Lynn, Otis Bryan, Dane Long, Alvis Vandygriff, and Jerry Knepper; Den Mother, Mrs. E. Ward.

Den 3: Roger Gambatese, William Murphy, Owen Peterson, William Nace, Robert Simpson, Clyde Shiner, and Louis Hammack; Den Mother, Mrs. A. T. Mace; Den Chief, Bob Billings.

Den 4: Harry Perkins, Lewis Woodham, Ben Woodworth, Abel McNamara, Glen Golden, Charles Mansfield; Den Mother, Mrs. Herbert Mansfield; Den Chief, Jay Stewart.

Den 5: Bateman Draper, Robert Mathis, Jack Fitzgerald, Frederick Hall, Robert Day, Roger Goodrich; Den Mother, Mrs. S. E. Rall; Den Chief, Rudolph Williams.

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#### Lutheran

Sunday morning worship ll a.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Nursery during church services for children up to 3. Good Shepherd Ev. Lutheran Church, Luray and Braddock Road, Alexandria. Pastor—Rev. August E. Gysan. Church Parish worker—Mrs. Lois Benbow. AL 5842.

Methodist

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and Nursery, 9:30 and 10:30 a.m.; Church Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. Methodist Youth
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TE. 8713

Presbyterian

Westminster Church, Fairlington Church bus each Sunday morning. Services 11 a.m., Sunday School 9:30 a.m. for all ages over 4. Nursery school during Sunday Services for children up to 7. Cameron Mills Rd. next to Geo. Mason School. Pastor—Rev. Cliff R. Lohnson.

Arlington Presbyterian Church, Columbia Pike and Lincoln St., South. Rev. Walter Wolf, Pastor. Sunday: Church School, 9:45 a.m.; Men's Bible Class (Bauserman's Service Station), 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship (Nursery for children), 11:00 a.m.; Jr. High Westminster Fellowship, 5:30 p.m.; Senior High West minster Fellowship, 7:00 p.m.

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Lt. Col. Harold B. Houston is happy to have settled with his family at 3030 S. Abingdon after appointment to the General Staff, Army Air Corps Intelligence. Barbara and Nancy are enrolled at the Fairlington School.

Mr. Hyman Conben has his family moved into 4405 S. 36th St. before he leaves for Manilla as Chief Counsel for the Central Pacific Area, office of Foreign Liquidation Commissioner, from the State Department.

Week-end guests of Col. and Mrs. Roland Geddie were Mr. Hendrix Geddie and Dr. Leon Adams from Charlottesville, Va.

Washington Birthday week-end found Mrs. Z. B. Hyde enjoying a trip to New York

Longest day on record—Saturday, Feb. 9th when Elizabeth Bray, Dane Long and Ben and Becky Woodworth took the 4:20 a.m. train to New York, saw the sights, attended "Let's Pretend" broadcast, Radio City, Statue of Liberty, upper deck buses, subways, ferry boats, ending up with dinner at the Victoria Hotel with the orchestra answering Dane's request for his favorite "Some Sunday Afternoon," and home on the 8:30 p. m.!

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

A. A. U. W. Social Studies Group will meet March 6 at 8:00 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Raymond Pelissier, 4214 36th St. S. The subject of the meeting will be "Health and Medical Care in Arlington County." Mrs. R. W. Cox will be the speaker.

Music Appreciation will meet Tuesday, March 5, at 1:45 in the home of Mrs. Paul Reiber, 3243 S. Utah. The program will be given by Mrs. Elizabeth Merz Butterfield, composer, on "American Women Composers." A guest soprano, Miss Phyllis DeLuca, will sing some of Mrs. Butterfield's compositions. Miss DeLuca has been broadcasting recently from New York City. Visitors and prospective members are invited to attend. For further information call Mrs. Kenneth Hardy, AL. 4349, or Mrs. Paul Reiber, TE. 0455.

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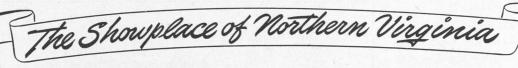


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