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## For Your Information

A little library of information useful to members of Riddle's auxiliaries has been started in the Hospital Office, 5 W. Front St., Media.

It contains bulletins, pamphlets, booklets, meeting programs, copies of by-laws, and similar data about hospital auxiliaries.

All Riddle auxilians are welcome to peruse its contents, which, however, are not to be taken from the office. Contributions of appropriate literature will also be appreciated.

# Fanny Feaster Named As Chairman Of Country Fair For Next Year

Mrs. Francis M. (Fanny) Feaster, a charter member of the Beatty Hills Auxiliary, has been named 1962 chairman of the Riddle Memorial Hospital Country Fair.

Mrs. Feaster, who succeeds Mrs. William A. Watson of the Rose Tree Auxiliary, was appointed by Mrs. Charles A. McCafferty, president of the Women's Board of the Associated Auxiliaries.

Mrs. Watson, who was chairman for two consecutive years and prominent in the management of each of Riddle's four fairs, had previously indicated that she would not serve in the job again. She is currently 2nd vice-president of the Women's Board.

Mrs. Marius L. (Becky) Brohard and Mrs. Frank (Jean) O'Brien, cochairmen under Mrs. Watson this year, also declined the chairmanship of the 1962 Fair.

Fanny Feaster, despite a long and Continued on Page 4

# Eight New Presidents Elected Five Re-named As Auxiliaries Ballot For New Officer Staff

Riddle's 13 auxiliaries have elected eight new presidents, re-elected four and elected one that had been appointed president during the fiscal year.

In elections that took place between June and late September, Gradyville, Lima, Middletown, Moylan-Rose Valley, Rose Tree, Springfield, Springhaven and Upper Providence all elected new chief executives.

Bowling Green, Media, Nether Providence and Swarthmore re-elected their presidents; and Beatty Hills elected Shirley Shetzline to a second consecutive term. Mrs. Shetzline, elected vice-president in last year's election, succeeded to the presidency almost immediately when Miriam McCafferty resigned as Beatty Hills president after being named president of the Women's Board of the Associated Auxiliaries.

Following are the newly-elected officers of each auxiliary, all of whom assumed office as of October 1, the beginning of Riddle's new fiscal year. In some instances officers other than president have also been re-elected.

BEATTY HILLS-- President, Shirley Shetzline; vice-president, Jeanette New, secretary, Edna Aldinger; treasurer, Frances Nichols.

BOWLING GREEN--president, Veronica Welch; vice-president, Ellen Jackson; secretary, Rosina Leaper, treasurer, Carrie Brickley.

GRADYVILLE--president, Rhoda Weisz; vice-president, Nancy Kolp; secretary, Katherine Tidona; treasurer Betty Kennedy.

LIMA--president, Elma Albright; lst vice-president, Frances Coneley; 2nd vice-president, Mildred Worrell;

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#### FOR YOUR PLEASURE

## . . . Coming Events

Oct. 27--Middletown's HALLOWE'EN
DANCE at the West Chester American Legion Hall. (There's a map on
the back of the tickets.) \$5 per couple. Live 12-piece orchestra. Phone
Jean Mull: LO 6-6388.

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Nov. 15--NEW YORK TRIP sponsored by Lima. "Camelot" and dinner at Tavern-On-The-Green. Special feature: 3 hours free time to shop, roam or do what you will. Sorry, it's sold out. But Mrs. George Wilbur (LO 6-6184) is taking stand-in reservations, if you want to get in line.

ELECTIONS from page 1 secretary, Catherine Cucore; corresponding secretary, Nancy Dowd.

MEDIA--president, Jane Warwick; vice-president, Ethel Mae Shoop; recording secretary, Judy Warden; corresponding secretary, Ann Harriz; treasurer, Lois Rowe.

MIDDLETOWN -- president, June Beyler; vice-president, Jean Mull; secretary, Barbara Weaver; treasurer, Barbara Nauta.

MOYLAN-ROSE VALLEY--president, Dorothy Stockman; vice-president, Tommy Kimmel; secretary, Jane Collora; corresponding secretary, Gloria Feltenberger; treasurer, Dorothy Rollson; assistant treasurer, Doris Leits.

NETHER PROVIDENCE--president, Alma Bakia; vice-president, Jean Jackson; secretary, Ray Turberg; treasurer, Christine Bean.

ROSE TREE--president, Alice Case; vice-president, Sarah Bepler; secretary, Sophia Karpinski; corresponding secretary, Ruth Graham; treasurer, Deborah Wicks.

SPRINGFIELD--president, Loretta Huntsman; vice-president, Eleanor Kelly; secretary, Olive Cianfaro; treasurer, Evelyn Downes.

SPRINGHAVEN--president, Jane Pomeroy; vice-president, Kay Burckhalter; secretary, Marian Marshall; treasurer, Lillian McFadden.

SWARTHMORE--president, Liz Stoner; vice-president, Elaine Lynah; secretary, Marilyn Foller; treasurer, Carol Gersbach.

UPPER PROVIDENCE--president, Eva Rosenstern; vice-president, Mary Otto; secretary, Alice Kachline; assistant secretary, Lillian Beyer; treasurer, Bonnie Harvey; assistant treasurer, Mrs. Beyer.

## OCTOBER'S CALENDAR

#### PLEASE NOTE

Check your auxiliary's meeting place, date and time. If it isn't correct, please notify the editor. If you meet at different places and times each month, notify him in advance each month.

Thanks--H. W.

- R.M.H. WOMEN'S BOARD Second Monday, at 1 p.m. in the Community Room of the Media Federal Savings and Loan Association. Mrs. Charles A. McCafferty, President.
- BEATTY HILLS Fourth Tuesday, at 10 a.m. Loretta Huntsman, President.
- BOWLING GREEN Third Tuesday, at 10 a.m. Veronica Welch, President.
- GRADYVILLE Second Monday, 10:30 a.m. at Clover Leaf Inn, Baltimore Pike. Rhoda Weisz, President.
- <u>LIMA</u> Third Tuesday, at 8:30 p.m. at Wild Goose, Wawa. Elma Albright, President.
- MEDIA Second Wednesday, 8:30 p.m. at Media Federal Community Room. Jane Warwick, President.
- MIDDLETOWN Second Wednesday, at 10:30 a.m. at Clover Leaf Inn. June Beyler, President.
- MOYLAN-ROSE VALLEY First Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. Dorothy Stockman, President.
- NETHER PROVIDENCE First Thursday, 10 a.m. at the Towne House, Media. Alma Bakia, President.
- ROSE TREE First Thursday at 10:30 a.m. at the home of Alice Case, President, Ridley Creek Road.
- SPRINGFIELD Fourth Monday at 10:30 a.m. at the Township Building, Springfield. Loretta Huntsman, President.
- SPRINGHAVEN Second Tuesday, 10:30 a.m. at Springhaven Club. Jane Pomeroy, President.
- SWARTHMORE Second Tuesday, 10 a.m. Liz Stoner, President.
- <u>uPPER PROVIDENCE</u> First Monday at 8:30 p.m. Eva Rosenstern, President.

## ABOVE AND BEYOND

Country Fairs always produce a slew of heroes and heroines, but the last one produced two that we can especially single out for conduct above and beyond the call of booty (for Riddle).

Heroine No. 1 is Middletown's Mrs. J. VanDyck Fear. Just ready to leave for the Fair Saturday morning, with a large collection of cakes for Middletown's Sugar 'N Spice booth, Mrs. Fear fell and broke her arm.

What would you have done? Well, Mrs. Fear delivered her collection of cakes to the Fair, then went on to Lankenau Hospital to have her arm set. We are happy to report that it is mending nicely.

Heroine No. 2 is Beatty Hills! Pat Mann, who took over the responsibility for the prize coupons when Chairman Edna Cresse's husband became ill.

All prize coupon chairmen are automatically heroines, but Mrs. Mann won her gold spurs when she sprained an ankle during the week of the fair and, on crutches, continued to carry out her full duties, gimpy but game.

#### Have You Heard???

...that General Manager Ed James tried (he says) to coax the construction crew on the Hospital site to set off a couple of really big (megaton-class) blasts during recent dynamiting. The cost would be charged to advertising. Incidentally, some 5000 tons of pure rock had to be carted out of the ground at the site...

year-old, Bill, almost flipped when he made his first Christmas-card sale for Middletown, which has joined Nether Providence and Swarthmore in using Yule greetings as a fund-raising project...that Rose Tree's new president, Alice Case, raised \$90 for Riddle during the summer by letting neighbors use her swimming pool for a small fee. This contributed to Rose Tree's fat \$1400 treasury, reported last month by retiring President Mary Jelinek...

...that not everybody was enthralled at the Marine Drill Team at the Fair. Said one teenager to another: "Ah, come on. You can see this at any Penncrest game." If so, they must be pretty good at Penncrest...that there

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## No Final Figures In Yet But Fair Was Artistic & Social Success

No, folks, we don't know down to the last penny just how much green stuff the Country Fair cleared for Riddle. In fact, when the Riddlegram went to press, nobody knew, because the total can't be tallied until returns from the Sept. 30-Oct. 1 Horse Show are in, all expenses are paid and a couple of adding machines are worn out.

Retiring Country Fair Chairman Donnie Watson (see page 1) did offer the hopeful estimate that "we should double what we made when the Fair was held at Rose Tree before."

That would be in the vicinity of \$10,000. The Fair cleared \$5000 at Rose Tree in '58 and \$5400 there in '59, the first two years it was held. More on that when the final facts are in.

One other financial note: the Teenage Kickoff Dance September 8, a pre-Fair event, netted almost \$200, Mrs. Watson reported at the September Women's Board meeting.

Whatever the overall financial results, the Fair was a thoroughgoing artistic and social success. Its wideranging events and colorful booths and throngs (estimated at 14,000 by veteran car-parker Rabbitt Snear) were encompassed by weather invented just for fairs--golden, crisp and comfortably cool.

# STOLE AND SUIT TO SAME WINNER AS PATRONS PICK UP FAIR PRIZES

Some people have most of the luck. Among them are Agnes Dallas of 829 Park Ridge Drive, Park Ridge.

Mrs. Dallas won the mink stole at the Country Fair Sept. 16. Well, somebody had to win it. But Mrs. Dallas didn't stop there. She also won the Botany 500 men's suit offered as a booth prize.

She might have gone on from there and completed her wardrobe by winning the ladies' hat and the men's hat. But she didn't have all the luck, just most of it. The ladies' hat was won by Marian Porter of Howarth Rd., Glen Riddle, and the men's hat was won by Mrs. Joseph A. DeMedio of Faulk Rd., Chelsea.

Biggest prize-winner of them all, of course, was Walter Strine of 720 N. Jackson St., Media, who walked off (sorry, drove off) with the fully-equipped Chevrolet Station Wagon, top lure of the Riddle prize package.

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# CHAIRMAN from page 1

shining record of community service, might have declined one of the most frightening responsibilities in Riddleland, too, had her husband not joined those who urged her to take the headachy job.

"All right," she finally told him, thinking of the Fair's disruptive effects on domestic regimens, "you asked for it."

Mr. Feaster may yet come to regret his cooperative spirit, but Riddle doubtless never will. Fanny Feaster comes well prepared to take on the auxiliaries biggest annual fund-raising venture.

A resident of this area for about eight years, she has lived at 525 Collins Drive, Beatty Hills, for five years. She has been co-chairman of the Paris Flea Market, Beatty Hills fair project, for two years, and Beatty Hills representative on the Women's Board for the same period.

Now a member of the Swarthmore Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Feaster was formerly active in the Ashbourne Presbyterian Church when the family lived in Elkins Park. She taught Sunday School there and was treasurer of the church's Sunday School.

During this period she also served as a member of the Cheltenham School Board and was active in Red Cross and PTA work.

The Feasters have four grown children and Mrs. Feaster cites as preeminent among her hobbies their five grandchildren. She also enjoys gardening, needlework and tray painting, when she has time for them. But from now on, she says, there's going to be little of that for awhile.

### HAVE YOU HEARD??? from page 3

are now two Riddle presidents in one family: Miriam McCafferty, starting her second term as Women's Board prexy, and her daughter, Loretta Huntsman, starting her first term as head of the Springfield auxiliary...

#### A NEW LEAF --!

In October? Well; if you happen to find one, we'd appreciate it if you would turn it over -- and start keeping Ye Editor better informed about what your auxiliary is up to, or in to. Deadline for the November issue: OCTOBER 18

Thank you
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## PRIZES from page 3

Fair Chairman Donnie Watson received a little recompense for her arduous labors. She won the automatic can opener. Ironic note: Donnie got its manufacturer to donate it.

Another prominent auxilian who was lucky was Mary Jelinek, retiring president of the Rose Tree Auxiliary and chairman of the Women's Board's special projects committee. Mary, who lives at 201 Paxson Hollow Rd., won the afghan.

Incidentally, Mrs. Morris Plafker, who won the mink stole last year, and is a Chester resident who belongs to no Riddle auxiliary, nevertheless baked a cake for Middletown's Sugar 'N Spice Booth and sold five books of chances this year.

Other winners were: Dick Richard of 49 Rampart East, Riddlewood, \$150 (third big prize); Johnny Knight, Dick Richard's neighbor at 61 Rampart East, a \$35 money bouquet; Mrs. C. L. Marcus of 201 Idlewile Lane, Wallingford, \$25 Treasure Chest.

Also: Mr. R. L. Stiles of Denver, Colorado, transistor radio; Denise Pomeroy of Yarmouth Lane, Providencetown Estates, camera; Carol Stewart of Springton Lake Rd., Media; perfume; Mrs. Paul Warner of 805 Ridge Lane, Park Ridge, Santa Claus workshop doll; and Miss Courtney Thompson of 411 Park Ave., Swarthmore, gingerbread doll.

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