

Historic Garden Week In Virginia Now In Progress

Historic Garden Week opened in Virginia Wednesday of last week and will continue through May 1st.

Approximately three hundred homes, gardens, old churches and church yards throughout the State will be open for the pleasure of the public.

Mrs. James Asa Shield, chairman and Mrs. Hollowell Dickinson, vice chairman, have worked untiringly to prepare in detail for the influx of visitors from all parts of the country.

It is estimated that between 25,000 and 30,000 visitors will come to Virginia during Garden Week, and from \$10,000 to \$20,000 will be spent on restorations in Virginia resulting from this tour.

The Garden Club of Virginia has been sponsoring Historic Garden Week since 1929, and through the cooperation of the owners of these beautiful old homes and gardens there have been some sixteen or seventeen gardens completely restored. Most recently completed are the gardens at Gunston Hall, the ground of the Barter Theatre Players' home in Abingdon, and the gardens at the University of Virginia, as designed by Thomas Jefferson.

All homes and gardens are not open every day, so that guidebooks should be read carefully, or Miss Wright at the Suffolk Chamber of Commerce gladly give any information in planning trips to various homes and gardens.

Visiting hours to all homes and gardens will be: Daily 10 A. M., to 5:30 P. M. Sunday, 2 P. M., to 5:30 P. M.

Well planned trips for this immediate area include: Pembroke, Eastover Plantation, Brandon Church at Burrowsville, Brandon House and Garden, Upper Brandon Home and Garden and Smith's Fort Plantation (Rolfe House).

Significant green arrows, trade mark of the Garden Club of Virginia, will guide visitors to the old homes and gardens included in the tour.

The Woman's Auxiliary of Brandon Church will serve luncheon at the school opposite the church on Route 10 Tuesday, April 27, through Friday, April 30.

But the training must be approved by the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals of the American Medical Association.

LIBRARY NEWS

The Perquimans County Library this week is announcing the arrival in the library of the prize winning books for children and young people for the year, 1953. The Newbery Award is given each year to the author who makes the most notable contribution to children's literature. This year's winner is Joseph Krungoltz for his book "—and now Biguel!" Runners-up were: Bishop author of "All Alone," Dejong for two books "Shadrach" and "Hurry Home, Candy," Judson for a biography of Theodore Roosevelt, and Buff who wrote "Magic Maize."

Winner of the Caldecott Award for the outstanding picture book for children is Ludwig Bemelmans with his book "Madelaine's Rescue". The five runners-up for this award are also in the library.

In addition to this group of children's books the library received this week a copy of Somerset Maugham's selection of "Kipling's Best" and "Company Manners," which is not a book of etiquette but a lively discussion of the ways and character of the American people.

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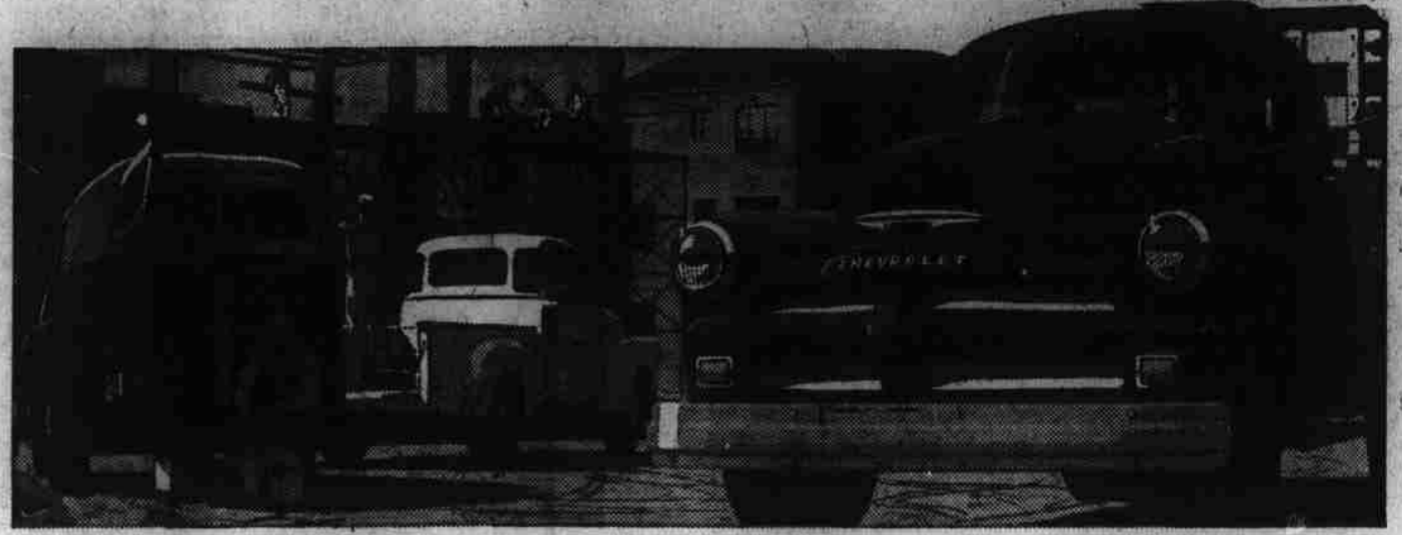
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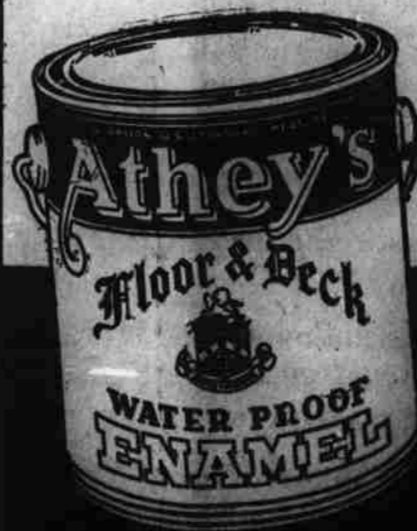


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