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CW's Newly Opened Exhibition Buildings

July 1 was a memorable day for Colonial Williamsburg. On that date, four major eighteenth-century buildings were opened to the public in an unparalleded expansion program. The buildings are the home of Peyton Randolph, one of the giants of this country's pre-Revolutionary period; the home and shop of James Geddy, a successful colonial silversmith; the tavern of the popular host, Henry Wetherburn; and the Wren Building of the College of William and Mary, first institution of higher learning in the Southern Colonies.

The shop of Geddy is complemented by a foundry where reproductions of colonial items are cast in brass, pewter and silver. Another new exhibit will be the McKenzie Apothecary Shop on the Palace Green.

A new type of combination ticket for visitors also went into use on July 1. Covering a total of seven major buildings, the ticket costs \$3.50 per adult and less for military personnel, students, and young children. The ticket includes the three large buildings - the Governor's Palace, Capitol, and Wren Building plus a choice of one building from each of four pairings; the Peyton Randolph or George Wythe Houses, the Brush-Everard House or the Public Gaol, the Geddy House and Shop or the Magazine, and the Raleigh or Wetherburn Taverns.

The new program, in the planning stages for several years, has been designed to eliminate a measure of crowding in the summer months that has caused increasing concern here in recent years. CW officials expect the new buildings to contribute considerably to a maintenance of the relaxed atmosphere the visitor to Williamsburg has come to expect.

This basic theory in some ways has already been realized according to Doug Smith, director of CW's Exhibition Buildings Department. Doug noted that the Peyton Randolph House currently seems to be as popular with visitors as the George Wythe House, as visitation counts in both exhibition buildings are running nearly equal. Wetherburn's Tavern is also receiving good visitation, claiming about thirty to forty per cent of visitors touring the two taverns. Doug also added that visitation at the Wren Building has increased by four to five times in comparison with the summer of 1966. The daily average there is consistently in excess of 1,000 people. The Geddy House and Shop has also been experiencing very good attendance.

The opening of these four buildings, as every employee should realize, was the result of combined efforts of many CW Divisions and Departments - Collections, Architecture, Construction and Maintenance, Interpretation, and Presentation, to mention only a few. And the program has naturally affected practically every area of the organization.

Doug spoke of the outstanding cooperation he had received from the members of his staff in getting the new program underway. "The hostesses and hosts of Colonial Williamsburg deserve the highest praise for their hard work, within a limited time period, in preparation for the opening of these new buildings. They have met the unprecedented challenge of four new interpretive situations with a dedication, skill, and indeed, courage, that are in the finest tradition of the hostess-host group."

All CW employees and their families are encouraged to visit these newly opened buildings. Admittance will be granted upon presentation of an employee pass.

James S. Darling Named **CW Music Consultant**

James S. Darling has been named music consultant for Colonial Williamsburg in the Division of Interpretation. The appointment became effective July 1 according to Carlisle H. Humelsine, CW president. Mr. Darling will serve CW in this capacity on a part-time basis.

A native of Hampton, Virginia, Mr. Darling has served as organist and choir master of Burton Parish Church since 1961. He received his undergraduate degree from the College of Music, Yale University. Before coming to Bruton Parish Church, he was organist at Plymouth Congregational Church, Shaker Heights, Ohio. He also taught music theory at Western Reserve University while working towards his Doctorate in musicology.

As music consultant for CW, Mr. Darling will approve all musical programs presented by any division or department of the organization. For Visitor Accommodations and Merchandising, an approved panel of musicians and musical organizations will be established for hotel and Conference Center programs.

He will also be available to give general advice to such CW programs as the Palace Concerts under the direction of Cary McMurran; military music, directed by CW's music mas-(continued on page 4)



Pictured above at Wetherburn's Tavern are several hostesses and a dispatcher who are working in the newly opened buildings. From left to right are Mildred Morris, Sharon Sams, Jean Pugh and John Randolph. Mildred, who works all of the newly added buildings, feels the program is both exciting and challenging. She particularly likes the Peyton Randolph House and noted that visitors coming there are very much impressed with the building's beautiful furnishings.

Employees Are Asked To Help Preserve Historic Area Gardens

An all-out appeal is being issued to CW employees regarding the produce bearing plants growing in the Historic Area, particularly those located in exhibition building gardens. Such gardens include those at the Wythe House, the Governor's Palace, King's Arms Tavern and Wetherburn's Tavern.

According to CW's Landscape Department, there have been unusual amounts of pilfering in the gardens this year. All CW employees are urged to discourage the picking of fruit and vegetables, particularly in those areas mentioned above.

According to Dick Mahone, CW's assistant director of LC&M, it is quite an educational experience for the visitor to see the actual fruit or vegetable on the plant. He added, "Visitors are inquisitive about our various fruit trees and vegetables, and many visitors are avid gar-

It is accepted policy that the residential tenants within the Historic Area are welcome to the produce from their gardens as it ripens. However, due caution should be exercised in the picking of this produce so as not to damage trees or shrubs. Many tenants are encouraged to develop their own kitchen gardens in desigfor their own use.

No produce should be removed from the exhibition building gardens

as the fruit and vegetables are used for display not only in the gardens but in the buildings as well. They are an important factor in maintaining a "life-on-the-scene" experience for the many visitors who come here during the spring, summer, and early fall months.

CW's public gardens display a variety of vegetables and fruits including cabbage, peanuts, eggplant, lettuce, tomatoes, etc. Most of the fruit bearing trees are either peach, pear, plum, apple, or cherry. Dick noted that many of our guests are from out-of-state as well as foreign countries where they do not grow some of the plants we have here.

New Policy Regarding Inn Dinner Attire

The popularity of turtleneck sweaters and shirts has made an impact at the Williamsburg Inn. Male guests may now wear such attire for dinner when it is part of the formal dress, according to John Allan, director of Restaurant Operations.

Allan also announced a new dining offering at the Inn's dining room, a Saturday "Virginia Buffet Luncheon" from 12 noon to 2 p.m. In addition. the Saturday "Plantation Breakfast" is nated areas and these are, of course, now offered from 7:30 a.m. to 12 noon. The Tuesday "Plantation Breakfast" continues to be offered from

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LODGE FRONT OFFICE - Carol Bender

July finds most of the Lodge staff either leaving for or returning from their annual vacations. Our manager, BILL BATCHELDER, is spending his in California visiting his son, Tommy. While Mr. Batchelder is away, SOPHIE HOLZBACH is filling his shoes as manager.

Another vacationer is JENNY WIBLE who recently returned from a vacation in Germany visiting her husband and family. Mr. Wible is in the Army and is stationed near Heidelberg. While Jenny was in Germany, she helped her mother celebrate her seventieth birthday and was around for the festivities for her sister's twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Jenny reports that she had "a wonderful time" and was "tempted not to come back!"

KAREN HENDRIX, formerly Karen O'Connor, is enjoying a week's vacation with her new husband. Karen was married on June 8 and honey-mooned at Nags Head, N. C. BILLIE LANEHART just returned from a vacation of "crabbing and fishing." SALLY LEHMAN also spent a week of rest and relaxation watching her sons play baseball. JUDIE MERSHON is spending a week entertaining her sisters from Florida and Seattle.

We all welcome back BARBARA KANNEY who spent one week in the hospital and an additional two weeks recuperating from an operation.

BUILDING CONSTRUCTION - Dianne Britton

WILLIAM EDWARDS has returned from a recent vacation. HUGH MILBY is now on vacation and we know he is enjoying every minute of it!

BRUCE HARDY has also returned to work after enjoying a recent vacation. Congratulations to Bruce on his acquisition of a new daughter-in-law. His son, Carlton, was married in June.

RESEARCH - Linda Hunter

We would like to welcome back BITSY GILFOYLE who will be working as a summer employee in the Research Department.

DEVELOPMENT - George Wright

PAT DAVIS substituted on short notice for BERYL WHITE, who took time off to greet a new grandson - her second. Beryl took charge of her first grandson and helped run the household for the new mother and new arrival.

A warm welcome to ETHEL BLACK, our newest employee. Ethel, whose husband DANNY is at the Silversmith Shop, replaces Betty Fisher. Our best wishes go with Betty.

PERSONNEL RELATIONS - Hildagarde Phillips

DICK TALLEY attended the 20th annual conference of the American Society for Personnel Administration in Denver, Colo., June 19-21. While in Colorado he and Mrs. Talley also visited Aspen and Colorado Springs. He is now enjoying a vacation at his summer home in Gloucester.

DOT PARSLEY has just returned from vacation and FRANCES NOR-WOOD is now enjoying hers at Nags Head, N. C. Also vacationing in North Carolina are DEE and Rubye DEWITT, who are touring the eastern shore of that state. Congratulations go to JIMMIE FULLER on his recent Hole-in-One at the Inn's Spotswood Golf Course. Jimmie scored his ace on the 7th hole, a 120-yard par 3.

We are happy to welcome back to our staff KAY TARRANT. Warm welcomes also go to newcomers GARY EDWARDS, training coordinator, and MARY HUGHES, who transferred from the Mimeograph Room.

Best wishes go to Brenda Proctor who left our department and was married on June 13. We were sorry to see her go. Welcome to BARBARA WILLIAMS, who transferred from VA Comptroller to replace Brenda.

CAFETERIA - Elizabeth Robinson

SHIRLEY ALLEN spent the weekend in New York visiting her mother-in-law and friends.

Get well wishes go to EDNA ROBERTS' mother and JEAN EDLOW's son who are in the hospital.

UPHOLSTERY SHOP - Anne Amos

NANNIE DEAN spent her vacation with her mother in North Carolina. GARRY GARNETTE had a nice weekend in Philadelphia, Pa., visiting relatives.

We welcome back VIRGINIA ANDERSON and RUBY JONES after their short stay in the hospital.

PURCHASING AND ESTIMATING - Connie Cheatham

We welcome SANDRA COLLEY to our office. A recent graduate of Smithdeal Massey Business College, Sandy lives with her parents in Lanexa.

The PARKER REEVE family is keeping busy this summer. Susan is helping in the Headstart project; Christopher is involved in summer maintenance at William and Mary; JOHN is a host for CW; and Andrew, accompanied by his wife, Meriam, is in England attending summer school at Stratford-on-Avon.

We all hope to get to see the Virginia Beach Boardwalk Show July 17 through July 21, where PAUL EPLEY's wife, Lee, will be exhibiting a number of her paintings.

Our sympathy is extended to ED WATKINS whose mother died July 12.

MAGAZINE AND GUARDHOUSE - I. I. Nicolson

We have quite a few new faces around these days and quite a few old faces are missing. Chuck Dishner has left us and we wish him the best of luck. Dale Willetts is now serving in the Army. Garry Townsend has left us to do some traveling and writing.

We are glad to have BILL RORER, STERLING DEAL and BRUCE MYERS back with us for the summer. We also welcome DANNY FORE to our ranks. Danny is from Rustburg in Campbell County and goes to William and Mary. STEWART HIBBARD is another new guardsman. "Stu" comes from New England by way of New York State. He lives in Gloucester below Achilles.

LEWIS FLOYD took a weekend trip to Virginia Beach to do some sketching.

MOTOR HOUSE HOUSEKEEPING - Mildred Webb

CARRIE SWEENEY recently visited relatives and friends in Waynesboro, Shenandoah, and Elkton. DOROTHY BROWN spent a few days in Virginia Beach with her daughter and son-in-law. ANNA HENSLEY spent her vacation in Kinston, N. C., visiting her parents. HORTENSE KING also has returned from a recent vacation. She enjoyed taking care of her two grandsons. We are happy to have NANCY JEFFERSON and KATHERINE WALLACE back after short illnesses. MARTHA THURMAN had as a recent guest her sister from New York City.

MABLE SCORE and her husband spent a lovely vacation in San Diego, Calif., visiting her daughter's family. Their grandson, Robbie, accompanied them back to Virginia. Points of interest visited on the return trip were the Grand Canyon, Painted Desert, Petrified Forest, and the Great Smoky Mountains

GRACE HYLEMON and her husband spent the 4th of July holidays at Big Meadow Lodge on the Skyline Drive. MIRIAM BOMBERGER had a surprise visit from Terry McDermott of Glasgow, Scotland, who was en route to Australia. Miriam also had recent guests from Kilkenny, Ireland. Your reporter asked Mr. McDermott what he thought of Colonial Williamsburg. He said the food was wonderful and the town reminded him of England!

COSTUME DEPARTMENT - Kate Rock

When the fire trucks clanged into the parking lot last week, we ran to the windows to see what was burning and were really confused when the firemen came dashing into OUR building! Fortunately, it was a false alarm. But, we did feel a moment of panic.

Recent visitors to our department were: Mrs. Grace Knoll, Supervisor of Costumes for the Sleepy Hollow Restorations, and Mr. and Mrs. George Weiss from Los Angeles. Mr. Weiss is a costume designer for the Lawrence Welk Show. We also had a group of Home Economics students from York High School with their instructor, Mrs. Watkins, and the Williamsburg Brownie Troop #120.

Our deepest sympathy goes to LUCILLE LIVESAY whose father died recently. Lucille's son has left for duty in Germany.

Most of our vacationers have been heading south for this summer: MARGARET TOOLEY, KATHLEEN ORDONIA, ELEANOR and VIRGINIA LEWIS have all visited Florida. BESSIE PAGE and NANCY GLASS were in North Carolina, and HELEN BAKER journeyed to Mississippi. KATHRYN LEWELLEN and GLADYS HUTSON relaxed at home, and DOROTHY WILLIAMS took off in her new camper. THELMA McCLAIN enjoyed a visit with her daughter, son-in-law, and grandchildren, who were here from Indiana.

Best wishes to the daughters of HELEN BAKER and KATHLEEN OR-DONIA. Linda Baker was married to Jerry Moore and Jessie Dean to Arthur Hilstrom.

LANDSCAPE - E. J. Raynes

JAMES JONES, JR. and his wife flew to California to visit their oldest son who lives in Sacramento. While there, they crossed the Golden Gate Bridge, which Jim thought impressive, and visited San Francisco. Jim thought it remarkable that they crossed the country - Baltimore to San Francisco - in five hours!

We welcome the following employees who will be with us for the summer: BRIAN ROHERTY, EDWARD CLEMONS, THOMAS HARRIS, LEROY ROBERTS, JULIAN P. JONES, RANDALL PARKER, EDWARD MAYNARD, LEONARD HARROLD, THOMAS O. THOMPSON, JR., LARRY ADAMS, (continued on page 4)

Four Join The "Twenty-Plus Club"

Four CWers recently joined the "Twenty-Plus Club" as they topped their twentieth service anniversaries with Colonial Williamsburg during the month of July.

Carrie Butler

Carrie Butler, baker at the King's Arms Tavern, will reach her twentieth anniversary of service with CW on July 28.

Carrie joined CW in 1948 as a dishwasher at the former Travis House, transferring to the King's Arms Tavern in 1951. Two years later she became a kitchen helper there and in 1964 she was named pantry helper. Later, in 1966, she became baker's helper. She reached her present position as baker at the King's Arms in April of this year.

Carrie and her husband, Theodore, a former CW employee, have six sons and a daughter. Two sons, Theodore Jr. and Wendell, are former employees and another son, Sherwood, is currently working as a houseman at the Franklin House. Carrie's brother, Cue Willis, works for CW as bell captain at the Lodge.

Carrie is a member of Union Baptist Church and in her spare time enjoys watching television and working in her flower garden,

Justina Ford

Justina Ford, inspectress at the Williamsburg Inn, will celebrate her twentieth year with CW on July 29.

Justina joined CW in 1948 as a waitress in the Lodge Coffee Shop. When the Coffee Shop was closed for alterations in 1962, she was transferred



to the Lodge Housekeeping Department to work as an inspectress. In 1965 she transferred to the Laundry as a forelady and later that same year assumed her present position as inspectress for the Colonial Guest Houses, which include the Allen Byrd and Moody Houses.

Justina has a son and a daughter. She especially enjoys reading in her spare time.

Anthony Conyers

Anthony W. Conyers, janitor in CW's Division of Architecture, Construction and Maintenance, will mark his twentieth year with the organization on July 26.

Anthony began working for CW in 1948 as a laborer in the former Construction and Maintenance Department. In 1950 he transferred to



the Landscape Department where he worked as a gardener. In June of 1953 he again became a laborer and after six months he was named a

utilityman. He reached his present position as janitor in February of 1954. Anthony is currently assigned to the Merchants Square area.

Anthony and his wife, Inez, have two daughters and a son, Anthony, Jr., who is now working for CW as a Craft Shops interpreter for the third summer. Anthony is a member of the First Baptist Church and especially enjoys fishing and baseball.

Daniel Louden

Daniel Louden, archaeological excavator in the Division of Architecture, Construction and Maintenance, topped his twentieth year with CW on July 21.

Daniel joined CW in 1948 as a laborer in the former Construction and Maintenance Department and shortly thereafter began working



with archaeological excavations. He was named construction laborer in 1955 and in 1956 he became a skilled construction laborer. In 1960 he was named to his present position as archaeological excavator. During the winter months Daniel works as a gardener in CW's Landscape Department.

Daniel and his wife, Sarah, have two children. He especially enjoys gardening in his spare time.

Mildred Lanier Celebrates 25 Years With CW

Mildred Lanier, assistant curator and conservator in CW's Department of Collections, reached her twentyfifth service anniversary with Colonial Williamsburg on July 19.

Mildred joined CW in 1943 as a warehouse clerk for the former Construction and Maintenance Department and in 1946 she became cost and records



clerk in the C&M office. She transferred to the Curator's Department in May of 1953 as assistant for inspection. She then worked as conservator from 1957 to 1966 when she was named to her present position as assistant curator and conservator. Mildred is responsible for cataloguing the textiles and costumes in the collection. She also does textile research and recently worked on the textiles now being used in CW's newly opened exhibition buildings.

Mildred's sister, Caroline Thompson, who is manager of the new Cascades Gift Shop, celebrated her tenth anniversary last month. Mildred is a member of the American Association of Museums, the Costume Society of the Victoria and Albert Museum, and the Washington Region of Conservation. Her hobbies include golf, sewing, knitting, weaving and painting.

James Cooke Tops Twenty-Fifth Year Here

James A. Cooke, Sr., packershipper at CW's Craft House, celebrated twenty-five years of service with CW on July 14.

James began his employment with CW in 1943 as a bus boy at the Lodge. He later transferred to the Inn, where he worked as a bus boy water and re-



boy, waiter and room service waiter. In 1955 he transferred to the Craft House in his present position as packer-shipper.

James and his wife, Mary Ann, have five sons and a daughter. Their son, James, Jr., was the 1967 recipient of the Abby Aldrich Rockefeller Scholarship and is now attending Howard University. James' brother, Isaac, is a senior cook at the Inn; his sister, Florence Stephens, is a room service attendant at the Inn; and another sister, Elizabeth Ashby, is a flatwork finisher at CW's Laundry.

James is a member of Mt. Gilead Baptist Church and his hobbies include gardening.

Harvey Kelley Tops 25th Year With CW

Harvey Kelly, Goodwin Building mail room supervisor, celebrated his twenty-fifth service anniversary with Colonial Williamsburg on July 3.

Harvey began his career with CW in 1943 when he was first employed as a bus boy at the Lodge. Three years later he transferred to the Inn where he



worked as a waiter. In 1948 he became a mail clerk in the Goodwin Building and he was promoted to his present position there in July, 1956. He is responsible for the processing of mail through the mail room. In addition to these duties, he also serves as a chauffeur during special events.

Harvey and his wife, Marian, have two daughters and a son. Their daughter, Katrina Wallace, is employed at the Cafeteria and Harvey's aunt, Ethel Kelly, is currently a kitchen supervisor at the Inn. His sister, Helena Rawles, works as a waitress at CW's Club House Grill.

Harvey is a member of St. John's Baptist Church, the Elks and the Masonic Order. He enjoys motorcycle riding and is especially interested in basketball, baseball and football.



Harry Sutton Marks Thirtieth Year With Colonial Williamsburg

Harry L. Sutton, superintendent of Field Operations and Maintenance in the Division of Architecture, Construction and Maintenance, celebrated his thirtieth service anniversary with CW on July 18.

Harry began his long career with CW in 1938 when he was employed as a carpenter helper. During the following years he worked in a variety of positions as a truckdriver, a junior electrician and as an electrician. In 1942 he became mechanical maintenance supervisor and in 1963 he was named to his present position as superintendent of Field Operations and Maintenance. He is in charge of MO&M's field forces and has direct responsibility for mechanical maintenance in all except CW's Visitor Accommodations properties. He also supervises mechanical construction work for the department.

Harry has twin sons and lives in the William Randolph Lodgings in the Historic Area. He is a member of the Williamsburg Stirrup Club and, in addition to horseback riding, enjoys boating and fishing.

Gonzales Elected Chairman Of New State Commission

Donald J. Gonzales, CW vice president and director of Public Relations, recently was elected chairman of the new State Commission of the Arts and Humanities. Don is one of nine members named by Governor Mills E. Godwin, Jr. to the newly created commission.

Don had previously served on the study commission which recommended the formation of the new commission.

Other newly appointed members include Dr. Jerome H. Holland, Morton G. Thalhimer, George D. Gibson, Robert D. Randolph, Mrs. William M. Dudley, Mrs. Henry C. Hurt, Mrs. Jouett Shouse and Robert Porterfield.

John O'Neal Named President Of Local Community Council

John O'Neal, assistant to the director and painting superintendent in CW's Building Maintenance Department, was elected president of the Williamsburg Community Council early in May.

John has been a member of the council for the past five years and last year served as its vice president.

Other newly elected officers include: Blythe Stason, firstvice president; Marianna Price, second vice president; Mrs. Norman Lorenson, recording secretary; Mrs. Bee Valden, corresponding secretary; Pembroke Thomas, treasurer; and Raymond Sellers, parliamentarian.



HARRY WEBB, and CHRISTOPHER MARROW. Also, a welcome goes to SHERMAN SPRAGGINS who has returned to us from the service.

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DICK MAHONE, his wife, Helen, and their son, Richard, Jr., enjoyed a trip to the West Coast and Pacific Northwest. En route, they witnessed their son, Thomas's, graduation from the U.S. Air Force Academy and his marriage soon after. Thomas is now on duty at Randolph Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

ALDEN EATON is a grandfather. His daughter, Betsy Moore, gave birth to a 6 lb., 8 oz. girl. Alden's daughter, Mary Jane, graduated from Walsingham Academy and has been accepted at Duke University. Linda Raynes, daughter of your reporter, graduated from James Blair High School and is now attending William and Mary.

We are happy to hear that PERCY WILDER's wife is recuperating after an operation.

INTERPRETATION - Frances Turney

ED and Alice ALEXANDER visited old friends in Madison, Wisconsin, last month, where Ed was on the program of the annual meeting and dedication of a new building at the State Historical Society of Wisconsin. His topic was "Historic Sites - Why and How." The Alexanders are enjoying a summer visit here with daughter, Anne, her husband, John Davidson, and grandchildren, Johnny and Janet, of Aberystwyth, Wales.

This reporter recently journeyed to Clifton Forge to attend her high school class reunion.

PALACE AND WYTHE KITCHENS - Marion E. Roberts

We are very happy to have BERNICE STEWART with us this summer. MARY GARNETT spent her vacation in Newark, N. J., visiting her family. LILLIE POWELL was very happy to have her sister visiting here from Alabama. Your reporter had as her guest for the weekend her cousin from Jamaica, N. Y.

We hope MAURICE JOHNSON is getting some well-deserved rest on her vacation.

PRESS BUREAU - Anne Campana

The Press Bureau bids goodbye to Becky Roop, who will reside in Richmond while her husband, Bob, is in Vietnam. We extend a warm welcome to JANE BRETT who comes to us by way of Personnel. Jane hails from Como, N. C. Helen "Bunny" Turvey bid farewell to Public Relations and is on her way to Boston where Ed is continuing his medical training. Little Jenifer came to say "by-by" too. We all wish Bunny lots of luck in her future assignments.

NORM BEATTY and his family spent a week at Nags Head after attending the Old Dominion Chapter Seminar with HUGH DeSAMPER and DICK SESSOMS. Your reporter spent a week visiting her mother in Oneonta, N.Y.

LODGE HOUSEKEEPING - Editor

Our sympathy goes to LILLIAN FRAZIER whose daughter died July 4 in a Richmond hospital after a long illness.

DARLING, CONTINUED

ter George Carroll; and CW's singing programs for adults and children under the direction of Tayler Vrooman.

NEW ATTIRE, CONTINUED 7:30 to 10:30 a.m.

Coat and tie wear is no longer required at the Inn for breakfast and lunch.

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Proud Parents

Ted Forrest, accountant, T-C, a daughter, Sharon Leigh, born May 24, 6 lbs., 8 oz.

Walter McGilvary, Jr., sorter at the Laundry, a son, Walter, III, born June 24, 6 lbs., 4 oz.

Stuart Whitworth, wine steward, King's Arms Tavern, a son, Blair Lawson, born July 1, 6 lbs., 8 oz. Jay Roderick Moore, Archaeological lab technician, a daughter, Samantha Angela, born July 2, 6 lbs., 8 oz.

Eight CWers Celebrate Fifteen Years Of Service

Eight CW employees topped fifteen years of service here during the month of July.

Celebrating their fifteenth year with Colonial Williamsburg and pic-

tured below are Maggie Johnson, maid at the Inn, July 3; Charlie Brown, laborer in CW's Building Maintenance Department, July 6; Harry S. Oliver,



chauffeur-messenger, July 6; Hazel Rutley, maid at the Lodge, July 20; Willie Mae Lawson, inspectress at the Lodge, July 28.









Also marking fifteen years or service in July but not pictured here are Bonnie Holland, custodian supervisor in the Department of Building Maintenance, July 2; William L. de-Matteo, staff master craftsman, July 15; Thomas B. Schlesinger, program assistant in CW's Division of Interpretation, July 27.

Two Employees Top Tenth Year Here

Two CW employees celebrated

their tenth year with CW during July.

Marking her tenth anniversary and pictured here is Janet L. Smith, secretary in CW's Department of



Also celebrating ten years of service but not pictured here is Lillian Babb, saleslady at the Craft House, July 21.

A Doodle . . .



Speaking of doodles, this one is an interesting example. The sketch pictured above was found in the vacated Goodwin Building board room after a meeting held there on June 28. That meeting just happened to be the last one that Ed Kendrew attended as CW's senior vice president. Ed retired on July 1 after more than 38 years of service with CW. It seems that Ed just could not quell his natural architectural instincts. Thus, we show you the last free hand drawing he did while at CW.

William A. Blockston

The CW NEWS joins all employees in extending sympathy to the family of retired employee William A. Blockston, who died Tuesday, July 16, at his home in Achilles.

"Augie," as he was known by CWers, had worked here as a construction foreman in CW's Building Construction Department until he retired in June of 1957 after nine years of service.

He is survived by his wife, Mary, two daughters, one son, a stepdaughter and a stepson. Other survivors include two sisters and two brothers.

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