

'College Days' takes on a new look

COLLEGE PARK, Md. - College Days, a traditional Summer adult education program for Marylanders, sponsored by the Maryland Cooperative Extension Service in cooperation with the Maryland Extension Homemakers Council will be presented at four locations. Programs will be held in Central, Southern and Eastern Maryland during June and at a Western

Maryland location in August. This year's program emphasizes the theme, Take An Education Break, and offers a wide variety of subjects, including: Stress in the Family...Dress To Flatter Your Figure...Diet and Drug Interaction...How Well Can You Afford to Eat. College Days II is being offered regionally to facilitate attendance, while

conserving energy and provide programs designed to meet local needs according to Dr. Marjorie M. Mortvedt, MCES assistant director for home economics programs. The first program is scheduled for June 12 and 13 at Mount St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg (Frederick County); the second, for June 18-22 at St. Mary's College, St. Mary's City (St. Mary's County); the third, for June 20-22 at Washington College, Chestertown (Kent County), and the fourth for August 19-22 at Camp Hickory near Accident (Garrett County).

The programs are open to men and women. Interested persons are requested to pre-register for one or more of the four sessions by May 28. You may stay overnight or commute. Registration forms are available from County Extension offices or from Maryland Cooperative Extension Service headquarters offices at the University of Maryland, College Park, Md. 20742. Mortvedt says that early registration will assure facilities and arrangements will be in order so that those attending will get the maximum benefit from the program and be able to participate in the classes of their choice.

Mortvedt also noted the outstanding level of speakers who will appear. Dr. John S. Toll, president of the University of Maryland, will speak at three of the

regions, and State Comptroller Louis Goldstein, will discuss Maryland history at the southern region.

State and County faculty members of the University's Cooperative Extension Service will cover a broad range of topics to help participants learn and grow.

Some class offerings are the same in all regions, others are unique to one. Topics and lengths of class periods vary by region. Class titles include: Creative Writing, Public Speaking, Weeds You Can Eat, Assertiveness Training, Plan and Plant for Beauty, Parent and Child Communications.

Each region is also offering recreation and evening programs.

Dairy club meets

The Western Berks 4-H Dairy Club met at the home of Bashore's on May 4. Prizes were picked for the Hoard's Dairyman judging contest.

New business was the exhibit for the Ag Days at the Berkshire Mall. The next meeting will be held on June 7 at Mark Moyer's home, Bethel.

Crawford Co. man named to ag post

HARRISBURG — George A. Marzka, 60, of Cambridge Springs R3, Crawford County, has been appointed as Regional Director for the Department of Agriculture's Region One Office in Meadville, according to State Agriculture Secretary Penrose Hallowell. Marzka assumed his duties with the Department on May 9.

Hallowell said he was pleased that Marzka had accepted the appointment, citing Marzka's "broad based background in northwestern Pennsylvania agriculture as a positive factor in his appointment. George, as a farmer, has a good understanding of the needs of farmers in northwestern Pennsylvania," Hallowell said. "I am sure that his experience will be a great help as we work to make the Department's Region Office more responsive to the needs of farmers and consumers in the northwest."

As Regional Administrative Officer, Marzka will be responsible for the day to day operations of the office located in Meadville R4. He will be supervising the field staff who regularly operate out of the office.

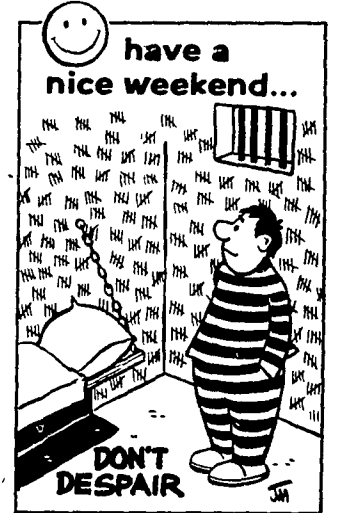
Marzka owns and operates with his son the Gari-Mar Dairy Farms, with 55 head of Registered Holsteins. He is a director of the Federal

Order 36 advertising and promotional agency, a director of the Bear Lake Milk Producers Co-op, and a voting delegate to the North East Dairy Co-op (NEDCO) in Syracuse, N.Y.

He is a member of the State and National Holstein Associations, the ASCS Committee in Rackdale, Sparta, Steuben Township, and a member of the Dairy Committee of the Waterford Fair.

Marzka served three years in the military in World War II, including 30 months in the South Pacific. He has been a deputy game warden, a township constable, and a volunteer fireman for Mill Village.

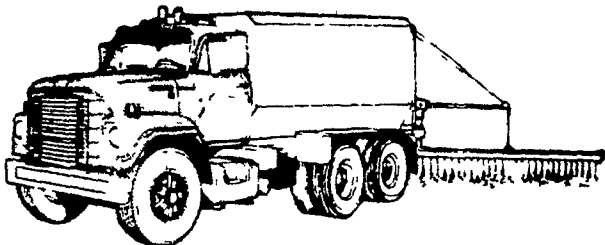
Marzka and his wife Vera Irene have two sons, Robert, who is a partner in the family farm, and Allen.



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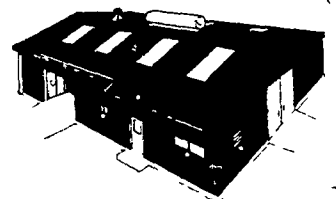
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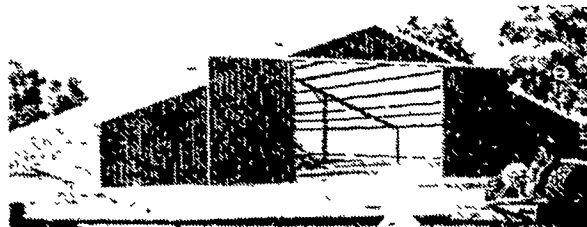
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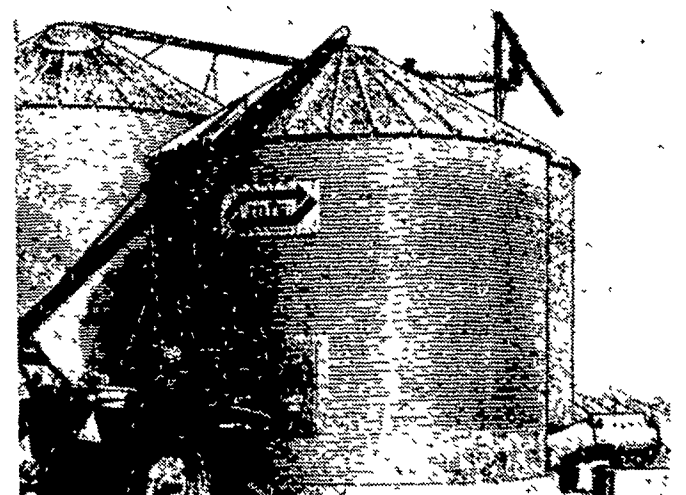
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