

Plans for Brown library approved a decade ago

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Ten years ago, the county commissioners agreed on a building plan for the current P.D. Brown library in St. Charles.

According to the July 19, 1978, edition of the *Maryland Independent*, the Charles County commissioners approved one of two financing plans suggested by the county library board and St. Charles Associates, the new town's developer.

According to Commissioner President Raymond Tilghman, the plan allows the library to be constructed without any county front money.

St. Charles Associates has agreed to construct the 8,000-square-foot building in Smallwood Village Shopping Center on St. Charles Parkway. In turn, the county will pay a \$4. per square foot lease. At the end of 20 years, the property automatically will revert to the county.

25 years ago
Tobacco prices
lowest since 1957

Reflections of yesteryear

judged best appearing overall.

Bloodmobile goes over top

The highly successful visit of the Washington Regional Red Cross Bloodmobile to Bryans Road June 26 put Charles County "over the top" in meeting this year's blood quota. Forty-seven pints of blood were needed to meet the quota, and more than 85 pints of blood were collected.

20 years ago
Monk elected
CAC president

Dupree A. Monk was re-elected as president of the Board of Directors of the Southern Maryland Tri-County Community Action Committee, Inc. at the recent meeting of the Board of Directors held in T.C. Martin School. Monk has served as president during this past year. Melvin Hollenbeck

range for federal grants totaling almost \$175,000 to be given to the college for the development of curricula and facilities at the center.

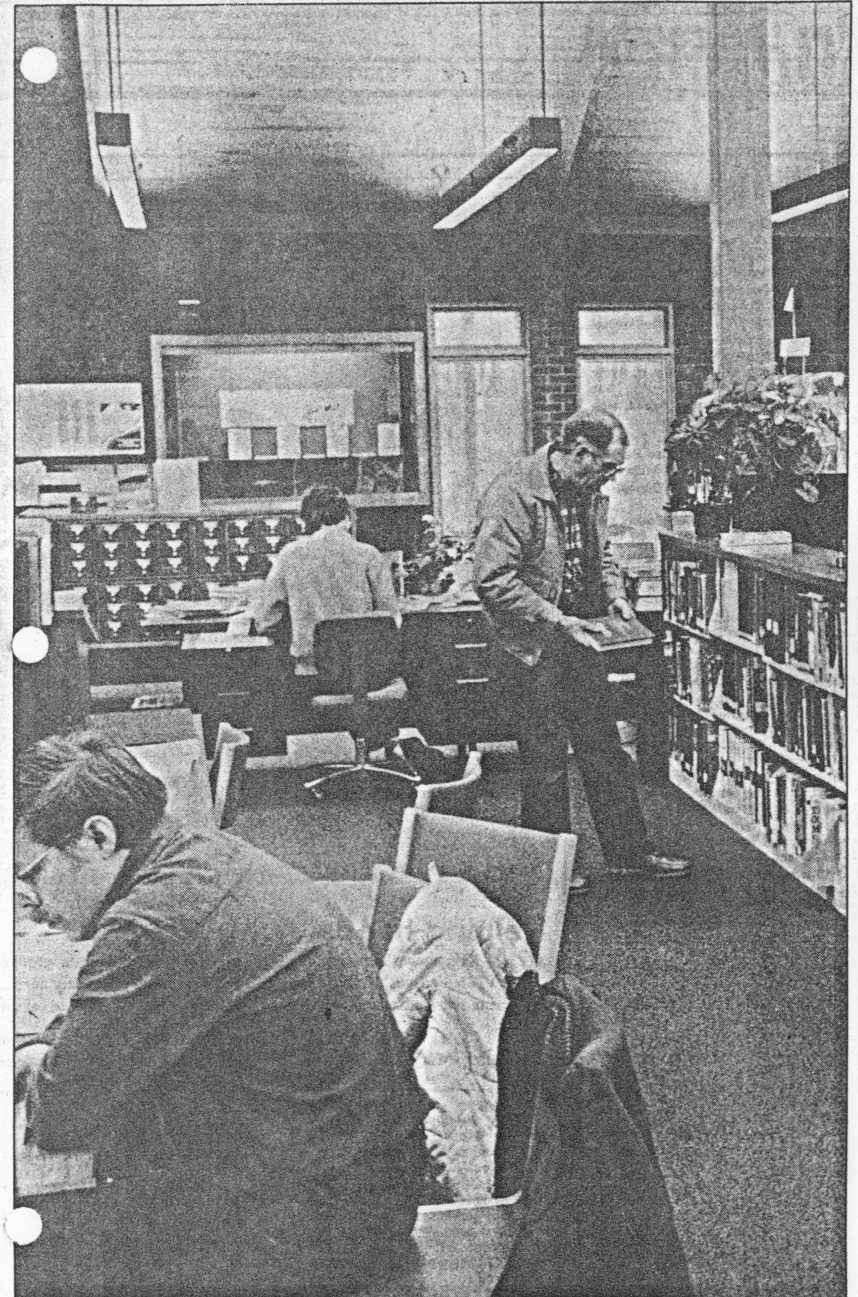
AFS students visit county

The local chapter of the American Field Service sponsored a five-day visit to Charles County for 81 foreign students, who come from 26 foreign countries. They have been attending schools in California, Indiana and Michigan for the past school year, and are now concluding a six-week tour of the United States before returning to their respective homelands.

During their brief stay in the county, these ambassadors of good will have been staying in various homes in many of the local communities.

Their stay will be highlighted by trips to Washington, for sightseeing and visits to their respective embassies, as well as parties and outings in the county.

10 years ago
Tri-County Council
chief named
Calvert County Del. Thomas



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