

**MOTORISTS URGED TO OBSERVE LAW**

School Board Cites Laws Governing Driving Near Schools And Buses.

**VIOLATION OF LAW CLASSED MISDEMEANOR**

D. J. Arrington, Chairman of School Board, Says Most Motorists Use Caution Near Schools.

The protection of the school children of Prince William County from the hazards of present day traffic is one of the prime concerns of the County School Board, which rarely closes a board meeting without a discussion of ways and means of bringing to the attention of motorists the regulations governing their conduct when passing schools or passing school buses.

"The average driver in this county is prone to exercise care in the vicinity of school buildings," said D. J. Arrington, president of the County School Board, yesterday, "but many of them do not seem to pay attention to the regulations governing speed when approaching and passing buses carrying school children." Mr. Arrington cited the protection given school children under Virginia laws which are ample for safeguarding them against danger from motor vehicles, if properly observed. The acts referring to protection of school children from the traveling public follow:

**Regulations.**

In Re. passing school buildings while school is in session. Fifteen miles an hour when passing a school during recess or while children are going to or leaving school during its opening and closing hours.

In Re. passing school buses.

Be it enacted by the general assembly of Virginia: That all motor vehicles, when about to pass any vehicle transporting school children, while it is not in motion, or it is either taking on, or putting off any child or children, shall, if traveling at a rate of speed exceeding fifteen miles an hour, reduce its speed to fifteen miles an hour, or less, when within fifty feet of such vehicle, and not exceed that rate of speed until it is by such vehicle and fifty feet distant therefrom, when such vehicle so transporting school children, is plainly marked, in front and rear, so as to designate it as a vehicle for the transportation of school children, discernible to ordinary vision one hundred feet distant therefrom.

Any violation of this act shall constitute a misdemeanor, and upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or by confinement, in jail for not more than one year, or both.

**STORM CAUSES DAMAGE IN VALLEY**

Woman Is Flood Victim Near Keezletown. Damage Confined To Farms.

Harrisonburg, April 17—One death and heavy damage to newly plowed farm lands and highways were the result of the overnight floods in the mid-Shenandoah Valley section. The raging torrents reached their crest early this morning and the water level began falling before noon.

Mrs. Charles Layman, 55, of near Keezletown, Rockingham County, was the one known victim of the flood. Her body was found floating in a raging mountain stream near Keezletown. Officers believe she leaped into the stream but her relatives can find no motive for such act. In a suitcase left at the home of Samuel Armentrout, a brother, where Mrs. Layman was last seen alive, was found \$1,000 in bills. In a safety deposit box in Harrisonburg Mrs. Layman had two bonds for \$3,500.

Highway employees were busy today clearing the roads of silt and driftwood left by the floods of last night, particularly on the Shenandoah Valley pike, near Mount Jackson, where traffic was blocked twelve hours by the north fork of the Shenandoah River. No serious property damage has been reported other than to farm lands.

**COUNCIL BODY SEEKS REELECTION**

Only Candidates Filing Within the Sixty-Day Limit. Sole Names on Ballot.

Either through ignorance of the laws governing town elections or through neglect no new candidates for the Town Council filed with the clerk of the Court for certification to application to have their names placed on the ballot.

Members of the present Council on last Thursday, the final day left in the sixty-day limit for filing prior to election, filed with the clerk of the court, as candidates for the office of councilmen of the Town of Manassas to be filed by an election to be held on June 11, and they have been certified to the electoral board of the county as required by law. Thus the names of members of the present council are the only names which may appear on the ballot to be used on election day.

**Some Citizens Want Change.**

It is a well known fact that there are many citizens who are not satisfied with some members of the council and great surprise is being expressed that the name of no new candidate was filed in time to fulfill legal conditions. However, since it has been discovered that only the present incumbents have filed for election, there appears to be a strong feeling in some sections that despite the fact that their names may not appear upon the ballot, one or more candidates will be placed in the field and an attempt made to elect them by writing their names on the ballot on election day.

**Interesting Times Appear Ahead.**

The present council, each member of which is a candidate for reelection in June, consists of Harry P. Davis, mayor; James E. Bradford, M. Bruce Whitmore, E. G. Parrish and D. J. Arrington.

While there is a feeling on the part of many that some members of the council should not be reelected there are others who are loud in the praise of the administration of the recent body, and who declare that it would not only be inadvisable to make any changes in June, but would be a serious mistake.

The feeling is general that many interesting things may occur between now and June 11, and no surprise would be caused if one or more hats were not thrown in the ring within a short time.

**WOMAN'S CLUB MET ON TUESDAY**

Guest Speakers Discuss Interesting Subjects of County Wide Concern.

The meeting of the Women's Club of Manassas held on Tuesday was one of the most interesting of the season and despite the downpour of rain was well attended.

Among the guests of honor for the day were Mrs. Clifford Atkinson, of the National American Red Cross, in Washington; Miss Ruby Ryman and Mrs. R. S. Illingworth.

The Red Cross representative spoke of the volunteer nursing section of the organization and urged members of the club to become interested in volunteer nursing.

**Health Pageant May 10.**

Miss Ryman, county nurse, called the attention of the members to National Child Health Day, May 1, and announced that the children of Prince William County would observe the day on May 10. On that day the Five-Point health children of the county will give a health pageant on the grounds of the Manassas High School, to which club members were invited. A committee from the club was appointed to assist in decorating the play grounds.

Mrs. Illingworth spoke on music in the schools, and discussed ways and means of financing a full time or part time instructor for schools of this county. The importance of training children in music was stressed and it is believed that the Woman's Club will be active in an effort to promote school music.

The hostesses for the day were: Mrs. Neell Gill, Mrs. George Hasel, Mrs. A. A. Hooff, Mrs. V. V. Gilliam and Mrs. C. E. L. Hodge.

**COUNTIES GET \$2,566,905 TAX**

Summary of Report Shows Prince William Getting \$15,802 of 1928 Gas Tax.

A total of \$2,566,905 was distributed to the 100 counties of Virginia during the calendar year 1928, this being the counties' share of the 5-cent gasoline tax, amounting to 1 1/2 cents a gallon, according to summary of the gasoline tax receipts, just issued by E. R. Combs, State comptroller. This money was spent largely for feeder roads by county authorities, while the State Highway Commission was spending the remainder of the 5-cent tax on the highway system.

The total 1 1/2-cent gas tax which was paid over to Prince William County from 1928 collections was \$15,802. This county received small returns as compared to many of the other counties, but was better off than 41 other counties.

Henrico County received the largest amount during 1928, its figure totaling \$100,200; Roanoke was next, with \$98,895; Allegheny third, with \$82,302; Wise fourth, with \$76,057; Chesterfield fifth, with \$68,767, and Augusta sixth, with \$68,203.

The amounts which were allotted to the counties in this section were: Prince William, \$15,802; Arlington, \$65,732; Fairfax, \$43,511; Culpeper, \$20,068; Fauquier, \$50,409; Loudoun, \$65,978; Louisa, \$14,618; Madison, \$11,603; Orange, \$29,587, and Rappahannock, with \$9,410.

**QUANTICO PLANS HOSPITAL BENEFIT**

Annual May Festival Will Be Held On Marine Parade Ground May 1 to 8.

Plans for the Marine Festival which will be given on each day on the parade grounds at the Marine Barracks, Quantico, beginning May 1, and continuing through May 8, are perfected and the annual May festival will be one of the best ever held.

This festival is being given for the benefit of the Family Hospital, one of the most important institutions in the Quantico vicinity as well as in the county. The hospital is supported by donations and subscriptions and this May fete is planned for the purpose of raising funds for the hospital.

The admission to the grounds will be free and there will be many free attractions each afternoon. The Esby Motor Co., has placed a six-cylinder De Sota Coach at the disposal of the festival committee and this will be given to the person holding the winning number on the last evening of the fete.

**HIGHWAY COMMISSION WILL NOT PLANT TREES**

Commissioner Shirley Refuses The Request of Garden Club.

Holding that it is inadvisable to undertake the expense of planting trees along the highways when there are still roads in Virginia which are in need of hard surfacing, the State Highway Commission has refused to accede to the request of one of the garden clubs of the State that it furnish and plant trees along highways between certain points in the State, it was announced this week by Highway Commissioner H. G. Shirley.

Mr. Shirley added, however, that should any organization, individual or group plant trees on wide rights of way, the department would be willing to undertake to care for them and see that they are properly trimmed.

**Sunday School Class Meeting.**

The Young People's Class of the United Brethren Sunday School, of Manassas, will meet at the parsonage on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Important matters will come before the meeting and all members are urged to be present.

**Woodbine Meeting Postponed.**

Owing to the District Teachers' meeting, the regular meeting of the Woodbine Community League has been postponed from Friday, April 19, to Friday, April 26. A short program will be given after the business meeting and refreshments will be sold.

**DOCTORS WILL EXAMINE CHILDREN**

Parents Urged To Have Child Examined Who Will Enter School In Fall.

Each year the matter of the health of children in the county is receiving more attention with the result that the school children of Prince William County rank second in the counties of the State in the percentage of Five-Point Health children.

As the loss of time in school, due to ill health of children, is a severe handicap to them, efforts are being made more and more each year to have the children examined before the beginning of the school year, so that defects found by their physician may be remedied prior to the date of school opening.

**Parents Urged to Help.**

This year, Miss Ruby Ryman, county nurse, has communicated with all parents known to have children who will enter school next fall, asking that they take their child to the doctor for examination. Of course there are many names of parents with children coming of school age which were not available, and it is particularly for the benefit of this class that the dates on which doctors throughout the county will be in their offices to examine children, are published.

**Doctors' Hours.**

Doctors of Prince William will be in their offices on the following dates to examine pre-school children:

Dr. Brower, Catharpin, April 29 and 30; Dr. Cline, Dumfries, April 27, 29, 30; Dr. Iden, Manassas, April 25 and 26; Dr. Lillard, Nokesville, April 22; Dr. Marsteller, Manassas, April 23; Dr. Payne, Haymarket, April 22 and 23; Dr. McElroy, Manassas, April 17 and 18; Dr. Starkweather, Occoquan, April 15 and 16, and Dr. Williams, Manassas, April 29 and 30.

**STANDARDS FOR SCHOOL LIBRARIES**

Adoption By Board of Education Of Standards For Libraries Forward Step.

Richmond, April 18—The adoption by the State Board of Education of definite standards for libraries in accredited high schools is another important milestone in the progress of Virginia high schools. In addition to setting standards for the libraries in the high schools of the state, the Board has gone a step further in providing that all first year pupils shall receive twelve lessons in the use of these libraries. In the smaller libraries the teacher may be assigned to part-time work in the library, but the larger high schools will have a full-time librarian. These standards are to go into effect in about three years and teacher librarians will need to make plans to secure the requisite training as early as possible.

For the past fifteen years the University of Virginia has given through its summer quarter, and in recent years through its Extension Department thorough courses in the main branches of library science. Successful students of these courses are now head librarians in a number of places. This summer the work has been enlarged so as to cooperate with the State Board of Education, and to offer the teachers an opportunity to prepare for the positions to be filled in the various high schools.

Five courses in library science will be given this summer.

**FOUNDERS OF D. A. R. HONORED BY MEMORIAL**

Impressive Exercises Mark Unveiling of Statue Symbolizing Careers of Four Women.

Daughters of the American Revolution in convention in Washington yesterday paid honor to four founders of the organization and with impressive services unveiled a memorial commemorating their service.

Following the morning business meeting the national officers and delegates met at Continental Hall, and formally received a statue symbolic of the work of the four women, who some sixty years ago founded the Daughters of the American Revolution. The four founders were: Miss Eugenia Washington, Miss Mary Desha, Mrs. Ellen H. Walworth and Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood.

**CIRCUIT COURT ENDS APRIL TERM**

Judge Howard W. Smith, Brings Court To Close Late on Thursday.

Arthur D. Arrington, who was on April 9, appointed State Forest Warden, appeared before the clerk of the Circuit Court of Prince William County, and qualified for office by taking the oath of office.

Allowances to petit jurors was certified to the County Treasurer for payment.

Commonwealth vs. Jessie Harris—Appeal. Judgment of Justice of the Juvenile Court reversed and annulled and the Court ordered that the accused having been found not guilty be discharged.

A. F. Miller vs. M. J. Shepherd—On Notice. Case continued to next regular term of Court.

Application having been made by S. M. Haislip, a former Confederate soldier, for aid out of the special local pension fund, the Court ordered that the Treasurer of Prince William County shall pay out of the local pension fund the sum of \$5 per month, the first payment to be made April 30th.

F. R. Hynson and James E. Bradford, trading as Hynson & Bradford vs. H. C. Wallace—Appeal. Considered by the Court that the plaintiffs, Hynson and Bradford, do recover the sum of \$84 and interest thereon and 10 per cent additional as costs.

Commonwealth vs. Joe Romine—From evidence and report of Doctors Wade C. Payne and E. H. Marsteller, commissioners who examined into the mental condition of Romine, it appeared to the Court that Romine was of feeble mind. The Court ordered that there is reasonable ground for doubting the sanity of the defendant and ordered that he be removed to the department for criminal insane, Southwestern State Hospital, for observation.

Commonwealth vs. Spurg Shumate—Defendant, Spurg Shumate, ordered to pay \$7 per month for maintenance of infant child of Blanche Shumate and Spurg Shumate, so long as they shall live separate and apart.

**FIRE LADDIES TO MEET MONDAY**

Important Discussions Planned And Further Study Of Fire Hazards In Town.

There will be a meeting of the Manassas Fire Department on Monday, April 22, at 7:30 p. m., in the council chambers in the Town Hall.

In addition to the report of the committee on fire apparatus and a discussion of this report, the committees on buildings will bring in reports of the plans of various buildings in the fire area. These plans which are fully discussed are filed with the department records and a study of conditions to be met by the department in the case of a conflagration is made from time to time, so that all members of the department will have a better knowledge of how to fight local fires.

Albert Speiden, chief of the department, is hopeful that it will not be long now until Manassas has modern and adequate fire-fighting apparatus and plans looking toward this accomplishment are going forward now.

**CLUBS PREPARE FOR BETTER HOMES WEEK**

Greenwich And Nokesville Home Demonstration Clubs Plan Program For Next Week

The Home Demonstration Clubs of Greenwich and Nokesville will hold a joint meeting in the Woodman Hall, Nokesville, on Thursday, April 25, in connection with the observation of Better Homes Week, the national observance of which will take place on May 1.

The clubs are preparing an interesting program and one of the outstanding features will be the hearing of definitions of "Home". Three prizes will be given for the three best definitions.

The attendance at this meeting will not be limited to members of the two clubs as a cordial invitation is extended to the public to come and enjoy the program.

**GOVERNOR URGES BEST ROAD YEAR**

Appeals to County Authorities and Citizens to Make 1929 Exceed Last Year.

**COUNTIES FAIL TO USE FREE SERVICES OFFERED**

Pleads For Cooperation So That Road Improvement Will Have Best Year.

Governor Byrd issues a statement appealing to all county authorities and citizens generally to make 1929 far exceed, both in construction and improvement, the road improvements for any previous year.

**Part of the statement follows:**

"Commissioner Henry G. Shirley advises me that this year we have the largest program of road construction and improvement ever undertaken by Virginia on the roads in the State highway system. In addition to a splendid construction program, 1,681 miles of new roads are now under State maintenance. Construction of farm-to-market roads, not embraced in the State system are of vital importance to the farming communities of the State. Approximately one-third of the gasoline tax is given directly to the counties for improvement of such roads.

**Few Counties Ask Help.**

"In addition the State highway commission offers, without cost, very valuable services to the county authorities upon request. I am advised that about one-third of the counties are now availing themselves of all or part of these free services. Chairman Shirley advises me of the services offered the counties as follows:

"To assist in the purchase of materials, supplies and equipment; test all materials such as stone, gravel, bituminous and other materials that go into highway construction; to advise as to the location of highways and the proper survey to be made of same; give approximate estimates of proposed construction work such as roads and bridges; furnish plans for bridge construction after proper situation surveys have been made by the county; furnish oil at the contract price for oil furnished the State and to apply the same at cost.

**Many Services Offered.**

"To give engineering advice as to methods of maintaining and constructing highways or any other problem pertaining thereto; at the request of any county to recommend, after a study in co-operation with the bureau of public roads, a plan for county and district highway construction and any other special road or bridge problem where experience and advice may be sought.

"I am issuing this statement to urge that throughout Virginia the county authorities co-operate with the State highway commission to the end that at the conclusion of the year 1929 Virginia will have seen the greatest year of road improvement and construction in her history, not only of the State highway system, but of county roads as well."

**BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY WILL MEET**

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Manassas Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Frank Peters on Tuesday, April 23, at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. Margaret Barbour will conduct the program, the subject being "Faithful to the Trust", or "Stewardship of the Gospel", according to announcement yesterday by Mrs. Frank Peters, secretary.

**WILSON TABLET IS UNVEILED AT U. VA.**

University, April 17 — Woodrow Wilson, war president, founder of the league of nations and an alumnus of the University of Virginia, was honored here Saturday when a handsome bronze memorial tablet, the gift of the classes of 1925 and 1928, was unveiled on the south front of the classic rotunda. The exercises took place preceding the Founder's Day ceremonies held each year on the anniversary of Thomas Jefferson's birth.

**BUCKHALL COMMUNITY LEAGUE**

The Buckhall Community League will hold a meeting on Saturday, April 20, at 8 p. m., which all members are urged to attend.



## NEWS OF WEEK IN OLD VIRGINIA

### Fiddlers' Contest Soon.

Richmond, April 18.—A Fiddlers' Contest will be held in Richmond, Va., on Saturday afternoon, May 11th, at 3 p. m., at Byrd Park, as a part of Adventure Days which is the spring festival in the capital city. A silver loving cup will be offered to the individual winning first place in the contest and a silver cup to the group winning first place.

All persons interested are invited to participate in the contest. Notify the Adventure Days' Committee, Allison Building, 803 1/2 East Main Street, Richmond, Va.

### County Agent for Essex.

Warsaw, April 17.—Miss Marion Lawrence, who for the past six years has been employed as home demonstration agent in Amelia County, recently went to Essex and Richmond Counties to assume a similar position, with headquarters at Warsaw.

### Forest Fires In Bedford.

Bedford, April 18.—More than 2,500 acres of land in Bedford county has been burned over by forest fires during the past week. The largest of these fires, which burned in the northern part of the county, was started, it is said, by carelessness from a small fire used to destroy trash around a rock pile.

### Strange Man In Bed.

Covington, April 17.—Sheriff Luther Hepler was called to Mallow the other day, Mrs. Robert Painter notifying him of the fact that some one had broken into her home. Sheriff Hepler answered the call promptly. When he reached the Painter home, he found a man comfortably ensconced in bed in the front room of the house.

### State Chamber Names Woman.

Richmond, April 18.—The first woman ever to be appointed on a committee by the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce has been named on the new Committee on Education, which will begin to function May 10, at a meeting at Virginia Beach. She is Miss Maude E. Wallace, of Blacksburg, State agent of the Extension Service of the Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College and Polytechnic.

## CHURCH NOTICES

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**—Rev. W. A. Hall, pastor. The pastor will preach on Sunday at 11 a. m. on "The Worthlessness and Wickedness of Insincere Service", and at 8 p. m., on "Complete Cleansing From Sin". Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., Mr. F. G. Sigman, superintendent. C. E. Society at 7:15 p. m. Union prayer meeting every Wednesday at 8 p. m.

**GRACE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH**—Rev. George Hasel, minister. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., J. P. Pullen, superintendent; 11 a. m., Public worship with sermon by the pastor. 3 p. m., Buckhall. 7:15 p. m., Senior League. 8 p. m., Public worship and sermon by the pastor. Public welcome.

**BETHEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**—Rev. Luther F. Miller, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m., Luther League, 7 p. m. Divine Worship and sermon at 8 p. m.

**MT. ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, Nokesville**—Sunday School, 10 a. m.

**ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH**—Rev. N. Habets, pastor. Mass at 10:30 a. m.

**MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH**—Rev. Hiram D. Anderson, pastor. Worship 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., L. Ledman, Superintendent. Senior B. Y. P. U., 7:15 p. m., Miss Bertha Luck, president. Junior B. Y. P. U., 7:15 p. m., Mrs. Anderson, leader. U. R. Welcome.

**UNITED BRETHREN CIRCUIT**—Rev. Lee E. Sheaffer, pastor. Manassas, Sunday School at 10 a. m. Church worship at 11 a. m. Bristow—Sunday School at 2:30 p. m., Preaching service at 3 p. m. Buckhall—Sunday School at 10 a. m., preaching service at 7:45 p. m., sermon subject, "Jesus Alone." "Come, Let us Worship the Lord".

**ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH** Haymarket—Rev. W. G. Carpenter, rector. Sunday School at 10 a. m.; morning prayer with sermon at 11:10 a. m.

**TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH**—Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, rector. Morning prayer with sermon by the rector at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., Mr. F. R. Hynson, superintendent.

nic Institute. She will represent agriculture. Major LeRay Hodges, managing director of the Virginia Chamber, in making the announcement public, stated that some of the other permanent committees to be named by the organization will also include women on their rosters.

### Memorial Being Governors.

Richmond, April 17.—Governors O. Max Gardner, of North Carolina, and Frank G. Allen, of Massachusetts, will be entertained in Richmond April 25, by Governor Harry Flood Byrd, officials of the Women's Club of Norfolk announced here Monday following a conference with Governor Byrd. The two governors, representing the state where the first English settlers attempted to colonize North Carolina, and the state of the Pilgrim Fathers, will on the morning of April 26th accompany Governor Harry Flood Byrd to Cape Henry, near Virginia Beach, where memorial services in honor of the first permanent English settlers to come to America will be held under the auspices of the Women's Club of Norfolk.

### Bridge Permit Asked.

Norfolk, April 17.—The Virginia Railway has filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission an application for a certificate of public service, giving permission to build a 2,000-foot bridge across the Kanawha River at Deep Water, W. Va., to connect with the Kanawha & Michigan Railway, a subsidiary of the New York Central.

Announcement of this action was made by President C. H. Hix at the general office of that railway here. The connection will open up a vast territory for the Virginian in the Middle West and West, and will make a short line from the Middle West to Tidewater Virginia over the Virginian.

### Weasel Case Continues.

Harrisonburg, April 18.—A third person was implicated in Rockingham County's famed "weasel plot" Monday when Frank R. Stump, Staunton fur dealer, was indicted on a petty larceny count. Stump is charged with having collected the \$1 bounty on each of 23 weasel pelts obtained from outside of Rockingham County.

Two convictions already have been obtained in the "weasel plot," which cost Rockingham County more than \$600 on as many weasel pelts presented for bounties last December and January. Welly Minnick, of Mary-

land, drew a six-month State road sentence and Lester Webster was fined \$100.

### Luray Stops "Barking."

Luray, April 16.—A town ordinance has been adopted by the local council forbidding the time-honored custom of "barking or otherwise soliciting tourist business" on the streets by any hotel, cafe, restaurant or place catering to tourist trade, or their agents.

### Judge Lauds Boy Scout.

Lynchburg, April 17.—During the past year 155 white boys in Lynchburg were on the docket of the Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court here, 36 of whom were placed on probation, but, according to A. H. Mason, chief probation officer, not one of these boys was a Boy Scout.

### SCREEN EARLY—NOW.

Can you not screen the house before the flies arrive? Can you not screen the doors and windows? Can you not have your window screens cover the whole window and the lower part of the door protected with wire lattice? asks the Progressive Farmer. If they are never the silences of forgetfulness, you can you will be repaid a hundred-

fold in comfort, health, and money.

Screen the porches and you have an extra room, cool and delightful for sitting in in twilight hours and for dozing in during drowsy noon times. The poorer the house the better its screened porch should be. Every man owes himself and his wife an outdoor resting place free from flies and mosquitoes.

Screen the fireplaces with a movable screen because those mosquitoes, flies, and other winged insects that arrive mysteriously usually come down the chimney.

Copper or bronze screening is cheapest in the long run but japanned and galvanized iron cost less at first. Painting them with screen paint adds to their length of service.

Fourteen mesh fly screening keeps out flies but sixteen mesh protects the house from mosquitoes, gnats, and other tiny insect pests. It usually pays to get the finer.

A light painted screen enables one to see out but makes it more difficult for one to see in; a fact worth knowing if one's house is near the highway.

God's silences may be long, but they are never the silences of forgetfulness.—Anon.

## IS YOUR CHILD READY?

The County School Board, co-operating with the Health Service of the County, is requesting all patrons entering children in school for the first time in September, to have them examined by the family doctor and have defects corrected in order that your child may enter school as a Five Point Child.

The doctors will examine these children in their regular office hours. After examining the child the doctor will give the child a BLUE CARD, which card will be presented to the teacher upon admission to school.

All parents are urged to co-operate by having their children examined, given toxin-antitoxin, vaccinated, and the corrections made, in order that the child may not be handicapped by physical defects upon entering school for the first time.

Each parent will receive a letter telling them when to take their child to their doctor for examination.

Respectfully,

R. C. HAYDON,

Division Superintendent.

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15c Curtain Marquisette—white and ecru 10c

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1 Lot Women's and Children's New Spring Hats \$1.00

1 Lot Georgette and Silk Crepes—Regular \$1.75, uncut piece, yard 75c

Women's and Children's Dresses, fast colors, dimity and prints \$1.00

5 Good Heavy Bath Towels for \$1.00

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1 Lot Women's and Girls' Spring Coats and Suits—Tweeds \$5.98

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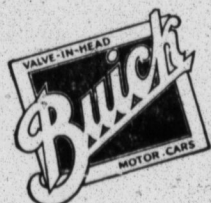
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MANASSAS TEAM  
TRIMS HAYMARKET

Visitors Take Early Lead Off  
Harrover, But Are Checked  
By Herrell.

(By H. H. S.)

The Manassas High School baseball  
team defeated the Haymarket team in  
a hard fought, but rugged game, last  
Friday on the Haymarket diamond.  
Manassas scored six runs in the  
first three innings. Herrell relieved  
Harrover in the third and held his  
opponents to four hits, while his team  
took the lead, 7-6. An error by Gar-  
rett in the eighth inning let two of  
the Manassas players cross the count-  
ing block, and two hits in the ninth  
totalled the score, 9-7 in favor of  
Manassas.

MANASSAS	AB.	H.	R.	E.
T. Broadbush, ss.	5	3	1	1
Ambrose, 2b.	5	2	0	2
Lewis, p. 1b.	6	0	1	1
Bradshaw, 1b. c.	4	2	3	1
Conner, lf.	5	3	1	0
Dodson, 3b.	4	1	2	1
S. Broadbush, rf.	2	0	0	0
Fisher, rf.	2	0	0	0
Dickens, p.	2	1	0	1
Hottle, c.	3	0	0	2
Saunders, cf.	5	0	1	0
Total	43	12	9	9

HAYMARKET	AB.	H.	R.	E.
Senseny, 2b.	5	0	0	0
McGuin, c.	5	3	2	0
Garrison, 3b.	5	2	1	1
Harrover, p. 1b.	4	2	1	0
Lightner, ss.	4	2	1	0
Herrell, 1b. p.	4	1	1	0
Rollins, lf.	4	0	0	0
Garrett, rf.	4	1	0	1
Flornace, cf.	4	1	0	1
Total	39	12	7	4

Summary: Two base hits—Brad-  
shaw, Conner, McGuin. Double play  
—Saunders to Bradshaw. Base on  
balls—off Lewis, 2; off Herrell, 2.  
Struck out—By Lewis, 1; by Dickens,  
3; by Harrover, 1; by Herrell, 8.  
Hits—Off Lewis, 9 in 6 innings; off  
Dickens, 3 in 3 innings; off Harrover,  
8 in 2 1-3 innings; off Herrell, 4 in  
6-2-3 innings. Winning pitcher—  
Dickens. Losing pitcher—Herrell.  
Umpires—Sweeney and Kerlin.

NOKESVILLE HIGH  
SCHOOL NEWS NOTES

Several interesting events have tak-  
en place in the past two weeks at our  
school.

The Girls Basketball team jour-  
neyed to Calverton on April 4 to take  
part in the first game of the Spring  
season. We did not win, but took the  
defeat good naturedly. Both teams  
played well.

The baseball team participated in a  
very interesting game on April 5. The  
opposing team was from Haymarket  
High School. In the game of 10 inn-  
ings, the Haymarket team carried off  
the victory with a score of 6-4. The  
game was intensely interesting from  
beginning to the end.

Our appointed delegates attended  
the district meeting of the Commu-  
nity and Junior Leagues held at Occo-  
quan April 10. The meeting was very  
interesting, and valuable information  
was secured.

On Thursday, April 10, we held the  
regular bi-monthly meeting of the  
Junior League. Ruth Graybill gave  
a report of the District meeting held  
at Occoquan. A very interesting pro-  
gram was rendered by the members  
of the league. The league will meet  
again on Wednesday, April 24.

Our boys again plunged into an in-  
teresting baseball game on Friday,  
April 2. This time they played the  
boys from South Greenwich. The lo-  
cal boys were again forced to take  
the lesser end of the 2 to 6 score, but  
they are living in hopes that this  
cloud, like all others, will have a silver  
lining.

## CATHARPIN

The Easter Pageant held at Sudley  
Church was very beautiful. Much  
credit is due Mrs. J. Worthington Al-  
vey, pianist, and Mrs. Luther L.  
Lynn, director.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. McDon-  
ald entertained several of their friends  
at dinner Sunday evening in honor of  
the birthday anniversary of the host.  
Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. Brower  
are visiting their son-in-law, and  
daughter, Hon. and Mrs. Russell Hol-  
man Willis, of Roanoke, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Briggs  
were recently guests of Mr. and Mrs.  
T. J. Caton at supper.

A number from this community  
attended the dog show and steeple-  
chases held by the Middleburg Hunt  
Club last Saturday. Mrs. P. S. Buck-  
ley, of Catharpin, won fourth prize  
with her dogs.

Elise Smith has recently been  
the guest of her brother-in-law and  
sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Tow-  
ers, of Washington.

May Lynn, of Chestertown,  
visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wil-  
liam, of Wellington.

Sydney Lawler, of the Univer-  
sity of Maryland, was recently the  
week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. P.  
S. Buckley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Brower,  
Jr., and family, of Purcellville, visited  
Mrs. Mary E. Wilkins and other rela-  
tives here Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Brower and Kath-  
erine Pattie, of Washington, spent the  
week-end at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Akers and Mr.  
John W. Polen visited Mr. and Mrs.  
J. H. Akers Sunday.

Mr. William S. Brower and little  
daughters, spent Sunday with her par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Larkin.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Currell Pattie, who  
have recently moved into their new  
home at Falls Church, visited their  
mother, Mrs. L. B. Pattie, Sunday.

Mr. Norvell Wheeler and Miss May  
Lynn were also guests of Mrs. Pat-  
tie.

Raymond L. Briggs is spending  
the week in Washington.

Mrs. Lee and Jett Pattie, Jr.,  
made a business trip to Washington  
the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Lynn, of Ma-  
nassas, and daughter, Miss Evelyn,  
and Mr. Louis Lynn, of Takoma Park,  
were guests of relatives here on Sat-  
ter Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Briggs was a Manassas  
visitor Monday morning, calling at  
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noel Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. William Towers, Jr.,  
of Washington, were at Middleburg  
Saturday and spent the remainder of  
the week-end with their parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. G. U. Smith, of this com-  
munity.

Messrs. George and Haynes Davis  
visited their mother, Mrs. M. E. Davis,  
of "Rock Hall" Sunday.

Preaching services will be held at  
Sudley next Sunday evening at 7:30  
o'clock.

The Young People's Missionary So-  
ciety will hold their meeting next  
Sunday morning.

QUANTICO OPENS  
BASEBALL SEASON

White Ducks Defeat Indian Head  
But Lose to Marine  
Team.

Fighting hard for the game  
throughout, the Quantico White Ducks  
came out on the long end of a 9 to  
4 score in their opening ball game of  
the season which was played with the  
strong Indian Head nine. Rawlins,  
Chambers and Albis, furnished the  
heavy hitting of the game the first  
two getting two-base hits, while Albis  
lined out a home run.

Refreshed after a brief rest Sunday  
afternoon found the Quantico Ducks  
battling the Motor Transport team of  
the U. S. Marines, and in this game  
the Ducks, though fighting valiantly,  
were forced to bow to the Marines by  
a score of 8 to 6. This game, how-  
ever, was called in the last half of  
the ninth, and with the top of the  
batting list up there was still a chance  
for the Ducks to come up from be-  
hind. Albis, who also pitched this  
game again connected for a home run.

Any team desiring games with the  
Quantico White Ducks should com-  
municate with John Albis, Quantico.

## GAINESVILLE

Mrs. Claude Ellis, who has been  
seriously ill in Warrenton Hospital  
for the past few weeks, is improving.  
Miss Louise Cave is visiting her  
sister in Alabama.

Mr. Thomas Strother, of Markham,  
has been a recent business visitor in  
this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark were  
Brunswick, Md., visitors on Wednes-  
day, going there on a business trip.

Mrs. Ruth Senseney, of Catharpin,  
was a Sunday visitor at the home of  
her sister.

Mr. E. N. Pattie spent Sunday at  
his home in Catharpin.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carter were  
Manassas visitors on Monday.

Mrs. John F. Clark, accompanied by  
her sister, Mrs. F. A. Kahler, of At-  
lanta, spent Sunday with their aunt,  
Mrs. Edward Taylor, of Washington.

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nate indeed, is the customer who, every  
time he buys meats, tries a new store,  
always hoping a vague, indefinite hope,  
that in the next store are the greatest  
values. He's a changeling. No one can  
render him proper service, for he allows  
no one to really get acquainted with him  
and his individual problems. Pick a good  
store and stick to it. Pick carefully; stick

loyally. Pick a store in which you have  
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**IT'S CLEAN-UP TIME.**

One of the best ideas in modern life, in communities where facilities and funds are lacking and citizens are slothful in the matter of keeping things clean, is found in the plan for clean-up days and clean-up weeks, which have been successfully run for many years in thousands of communities.

Some will say that clean-up day should be every day in the year, and so do we, other skeptics will say that one grand splurge amounts to but little. Still, even a splurge has its effect, and the people who see how infinitely better things look, might decide to keep them cleaned up.

The streets of a town, the rear of buildings and the grounds about a house are places where no litter should be allowed. They should be kept as well in winter as in summer, but where it has been allowed to collect through the winter, as it has in Manassas, it should be gotten out of the way right now.

Holding a general community day for this purpose stirs up the laggards and indifferent, and we need it here in Manassas as well as in many sections of Prince William County.

**PUBLIC MUST BACK TAX REDUCTION.**

One of the great curses of government and one that has an appreciable effect on the tax bill, is overlapping in the administration of public business. Our local units of government groan under a dead weight of red tape and inefficiency caused by too much injudicious activity of a political sort and too little real responsibility.

We cannot have thorough efficiency and economy in government until public officials and public employees regard themselves not as independent agents with vast sums of money at their command, but as public servants responsible to every taxpayer.

There is a great amount of talk about over-taxation, but little intelligent action. We all see the need of placing government on a sound business basis but fail to encourage cures. Antiquated systems, a superabundance of employees, many of them useless, and political slothfulness and evasion cost money.

It is the concern of every taxpayer to see that all units of government are efficiently, economically and honestly administered. Until that is done taxes will continue to climb.

**IS LIBERTY PASSING?**

Probably much of our modern increase in crime can be laid to the fact that in the past quarter-century a vast number of acts, once innocent and legal, have been turned into offenses by legislation.

Instead of a liberal, well-ordered legal code that permits every citizen to lead his own life so long as he does not tread on his fellows, we are burdened with a multitude of petty laws, many of them conflicting, and practically all of them bound by red tape.

In a recent article, H. L. Mencken, editor of the American Mercury, said that "The Bill of Rights is on its last legs. Step by step, at first cautiously

but of late boldly, the learned justices have found reasons to sustain the wholesale destruction, first of individual rights, and then of State rights. Today the once free American citizen is a mere subject."

What real crime there is, and there is a great deal of it, could be easily handled under a simple, rigorous and swift legal and penal code. Once murderers and thugs found that technicalities and evasions were of no avail and served only to hurry them to the "Hoosgow" crime would start down hill. Once the sob sisters and professional reformers were put in their place, real offenses against society would diminish.

But to attempt to prevent crime at the expense of the law-abiding is a dangerous practice. The anti-pistol laws, for example, play directly into the hands of the criminal who is assured of an unprotected citizenry. And still more important, they are a menace to freedom.

The average person is well disposed and honest. And the average criminal would swiftly eschew his profession if punishment were certain and swift. We need fewer and better laws, not more; a simpler legal machinery, not a more ponderous one.

**RAILROAD TAXES INCREASE.**

Railroad taxes have been on the up-grade this year compared with 1928.

There is a constant demand in certain quarters for cheaper transportation, a demand that cannot be met until the railroad tax burden is lowered to a reasonable point. In all phases of operation that can be controlled by the lines, costs have been reduced and efficiency increased. In the matter of tax reduction the public, which has full control, must take action.

Between 1923 and 1928 railroad operating expenses were reduced nine per cent, while in the same period of time taxes increased over 17 per cent. In 1903, the lines paid \$1 in taxes for each \$36 of total earnings. This has steadily increased and last year they paid \$1 for each \$15.68 of total earnings.

In 1903 the lines paid \$1 in taxes for each \$24 of operating expense. Last year the ratio was \$1 to each \$11.36 of operating expense.

In 1903 the lines paid taxes of \$1 for each \$14 of wages. In 1928 the tax collector took \$1 for each \$7.25 of wages paid.

Similar statistics could be continued almost endlessly. The

tax burden has increased year by year until in 1928 it set a new high record in proportion to earnings, expenses and wages paid. The failure of the lines to earn adequate dividends is directly traceable to tax increases.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON**

FOR APRIL 21, 1929.

The International Sunday School Lesson for April 21 is "Comfort for God's People"—Isaiah 40:1-11.

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS.

It seems as if the seers are coming into their own. This is the day of the dreamers of dreams. All over the earth the merely "practical" man is being severely jolted. As I watched President Hoover take the oath of office, hitting to his lips a Bible opened at the words, "Where there is no vision the people perish," there came to me anew the conviction that this really is the prophet's era. Observers who did not know their man were crying that the elevation of a professional engineer to the presidency of the United States meant the coming of a period of hard and fast "efficiency" and utilitarianism. They did not understand that Herbert Hoover was a Quaker, and therefore an idealist, before ever he was an engineer.

At a time when the eyes of humanity have caught a vision of a warless world, of a world of free men under the sway of justice and righteousness, and of a world dominated by the brother spirit, there arises a new national leader to testify that "Where there is no vision the people perish." President Hoover is an expert upon perishing peoples. He knows all about famines and plagues and poverty and war. Yet in his high hour he solemnly declares that it is chiefly from lack of vision that people perish. Their real hunger is for the bread of truth. The plague that destroys their hearts is misunderstanding of true values. The wars that really devastate are those which kill the soul. The poverty most to be dreaded is poverty of the spirit. Vision—the gift of seeing first things as first; of discerning between the permanent and the transitory, and the ability to know the real, which is spiritual, from the unreal, which is carnal—that is the salvation of a nation, as of a person.

**Thundering Down The Ages.**

Loudest and clearest of all the prophet-trumpet tones, which have come sounding down through the ages is the voice of the oft-rejected seer of Israel, Isaiah, son of Amoz, the aristocrat who strode barefoot and almost naked through his land, calling out eternal truths which his time did not understand and would not heed. In a materially-minded era engrossed in "practical" concerns, he imparted a vision of the verity of values which are spiritual. To him it was given to set forth, in a period of national crisis, the character of the living God, as the only hope of the people. The Jews persisted in pinning their hope upon Egypt or Assy-

ria or Babylon; Isaiah's reiterated word was that God alone was the nation's defense and succor.

A modern translator, Dr. Moffatt, imparts a special significance to this, and other passages, by translating the Name of the Lord as "The Eternal," thus conveying the idea of the timeless greatness of the Creator. The fortunes of the Chosen People were transitory; but their God was the changeless Eternal. This sense of the exaltedness and all-power and all-wisdom of God breathes through Isaiah's prophecy. Over against man's littleness he sets Jehovah's greatness against human fallibility, divining wisdom.

After all, man's deepest need is for a great God. Our own little philosophies do not satisfy in the dark days. When a person enters the valley of the shadow, he wants a Light that will suffice and last. All our puny and foolish substitutes for God shrivel up when we face life's major catastrophes.

Great prophets all are accredited by their counsels of comfort. They are no mere predictors of doom, however dark the future they foresee. Beyond the darkness is always light. Ability to comfort is one of the marks of the genuine Christian. The world is full of sore hearts. Every writer or teacher with a large correspondence knows how general is the need for words of healing and direction. It is more divine to speak helpfully than brilliantly.

**A Patriot-Prophecy's Plea.**

Always in the background of the teaching of these deathless old Hebrew prophets was the consciousness of their nation's needs. They were patriots every one. They thought in terms of their country. Individual need was always subordinated to national welfare. Observers are saying that in the world-wide awakening of

spiritual solicitude for human welfare this note of nationalism is ever sounding. Something of a crusading spirit seems to be sweeping Great Britain and America. In the United States and Canada the young peoples' societies of the churches are definitely committed to a movement to "Crusade with Christ". In England, one hears often William Blake's fine lines:—

"I will not cease from mental fight,  
Nor shall my sword sleep in my hand,  
Till we have built Jerusalem,  
In England's green and pleasant land."

Over and over again, in simplest phrase, pointed ever by modern instances, we must repeat that the one basic need of every nation, and of all of life, is to get back to God. Whoever sets people to thinking about man's responsibility to the Eternal is part of the saving salt of society. No new fashion for national betterment can be devised to take the place of plain loyalty to the living God. Once let men put Him in first place, and all secondary considerations will swiftly fall into their right relationship. God works with all who work for Him.

**Sinai's New Highway.**

Many teachers of this Lesson will be using, in connection with Isaiah's figure of a highway, of the Lord, the recent Associated Press dispatch from Jerusalem which tells of the motor road that is being built through the Sinai Wilderness, linking Egypt and Palestine. Most of this road was built by the Turks and the Germans during the war, and a remarkable piece of construction it is, as I can testify. The original plan, to carry it straight down through Sinai to the Suez Canal, is now being carried out by the Egyptian Government. Nowadays it is easy to go from Dan to Beersheba, over a modern highway; soon it will be possible to continue on from Beersheba to Suez, making in two days the journey which cost the patriarchs and prophets and the Holy Family, toilsome weeks; and upon which the Children of Israel escaped from Egypt, spent forty years. Tourists will see this only as an enterprising bit of road-making; forgetting that it is but a segment of the highway of the Lord that is being built all over the earth.

As I have followed the progress of the Bible story over the world's old-

est highways, recalling often this dramatic figure from Isaiah's prophecy, it has been borne in on me that there is deep significance in the fact that before ever it was called Christianity, the religion of Jesus was named "the Way". That is the description which is commonest in the Book of the Acts. And Jesus called Himself "the Way". He saw clearly, as did Isaiah dimly before Him, that mankind, bogged in its own blundering, needs a way that will be a "way of life". We are on Isaiah's highway when we "follow the Way".

**Press Comment****Speed Limits.**

Louisville Courier-Journal—Iowa has followed the example of Michigan in repealing the speed limit on public highways; but speeders may learn at their own cost that it is not a privilege. Occasionally proof that the accused was driving within the limit has been used as a defense. The burden of proving that one was driving carefully may be more onerous where the law doesn't specify what constitutes carefulness.

**What Indeed?**

Houston Post-Dispatch—What will eventually become of the stage, and even the movies, when all a real actor of actress has to do to earn a fabulous income is to change from indorsing one cigarette to indorsing another?

**Make 'Em Uniform.**

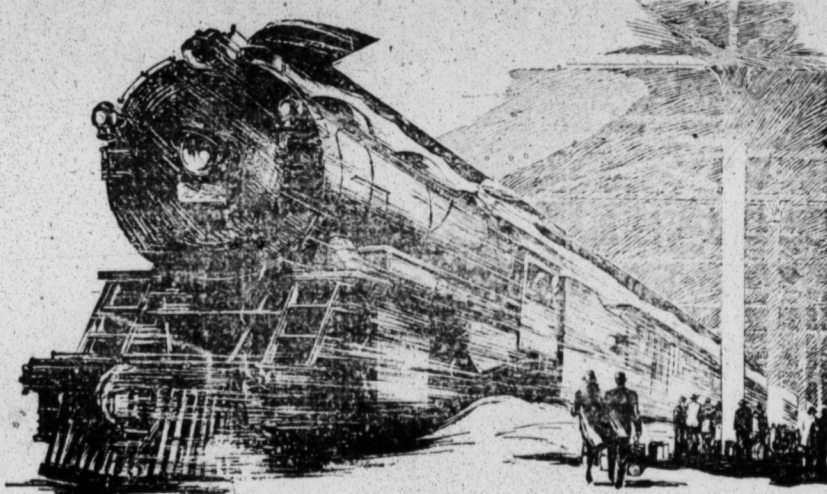
Louisville Courier-Journal—It was to be expected. Uniform State flying regulations are demanded. It would save time and expense to consolidate and permanently endow the annual conference on uniform marriage, divorce, traffic, banking, blue sky, flying and criminal laws.

**That'd Been Awful.**

Detroit News—"A woman in Russia is said to have caught leprosy from a new sealskin coat." Well—just so long as it wasn't tularemia, the rabbit disease.

**Such an Idea.**

Boston Transcript—Among the latest recruits in the ranks of the optimists is the man who thinks that if all the alien bootleggers were deported the country would be dry.

**A train comes in**

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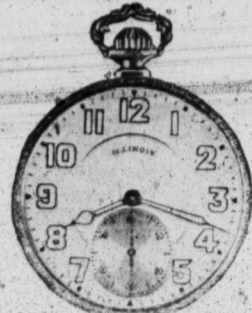
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**MANASSAS W. C. T. U.**  
**WILL MEET WEDNESDAY**

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. T. R. Bywaters, on Wednesday, April 24, at 3 p. m.

All members are urged to be present to assist in plans for the Institute which will be held early in May.



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**Pillsbury Pancake Flour and Log Cabin Syrup Both 35c**  
**Del Monte Peas, 3 cans 47c**  
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Jello, all flavors, 2 pkgs. 15c	Shredded Wheat, pkg. 10c
Apple Sauce, can 10c	Post Toasties, pkg. 8c
High Rock Beverages, 3 large bottles 25c	Heinz Rice Flakes, 2 pkgs. 25c
Clicquot Club Sec 18c	Corn Flakes, pkg. 8c

**FIG BARS, lb. 12c**  
P and G Soap, 6 cakes 25c  
Fels Naptha, cake 6c  
Lux Toilet Soap, 3 cakes 25c  
Palm Olive, 2 cakes 15c

**GINGER SNAPS, lb. 10c**  
Quaker Maid Beans, 3 cans 25c  
Crushed Corn, can 10c  
Early June Peas, can 10c  
Tomatoes, can 10c, 18c

**Grandmother's Bread—**  
Small, 7c; Large, 9c  
Rolls, 7c; Pullman, 7c

Sunnyfield Print Butter, lb. 55c	Del Monte Peaches, No. 2 1/2 can 23c
Bokar Coffee, 1/2 lb. 23c; 1 lb. 45c	Libby's Sliced Pineapple, can 25c
Maxwell House Coffee, lb. 49c	Del Monte Fruit Salad, No. 2 can 23c
White House Milk, 3 cans 25c	Libby's Pears, No. 2 1/2 can 29c

**8 o'CLOCK COFFEE, lb. 37c**  
A&P Flour, 24-lb. bag 98c  
Encore Spaghetti, 3 cans 25c  
All 5c Candy and Gum, 3-for 10c  
Bird's Eye Matches, 3 boxes 10c

**Dom. XXXX Sugar, 2 lbs. 15c**  
Sultana Peanut Butter, pail 21c  
French's Mustard, 2 bottles 25c  
A&P Macaroni or Spaghetti, 4 pkgs. 25c  
Postum Cereal, pkg. 20c

**Fresh Fruits and Vegetables**

New Potatoes, 5 lbs. 25c	Iceberg Lettuce, head 12c
Eating Apples, 3 lbs. 25c	Kale, 4 lbs. 25c
Lemons, doz. 30c	Spinach, 3 lbs. 25c
Grapefruit, 3 for 20c	Oranges, doz. 35c
New Cabbage, lb. 5c	Carrots, 2 bunches 13c
Beets, 2 bunches 13c	Bananas, doz. 25c

**Vegetable Prices Subject to Change.**

**CLASSIFIED ADS**

One cent a word; minimum 25 cents

**HELP WANTED.**

**YOUNG COUPLE** with boy 5 and girl 3, want a white woman under fifty with no children to keep house and take care of children. Must be clean. Will be treated as one of the family. Very pleasant living conditions and will make a good home for any one who qualifies. \$30.00 per month, room and board to start. Write Albert C. Jeffries, 4 Luray Ave., Alexandria, Va., at once. References. 48-11

**EXPERIENCED** married or single man for general farm work and also a married or single man for dairy work. Good living conditions and good wages. No one need apply who is unable to produce references to show thorough knowledge and reliability. No drinking allowed and no smoking during working hours. Apply in person or by letter, giving full statement of experience. Oak Hill Farms, Aldie, Va. 48-21

**FOR SALE**

**WORK HORSE**—May be seen at Milford Mills. Apply B. Lynn Robertson. 48-11

**SILAGE FOR SALE**—At Milford Mills, \$6.00 per ton. B. Lynn Robertson. 48-11

**BALED HAY**—Several tons of nice baled hay. Some pure timothy and some mixed hay. Apply Rob-Nel Farm, Manassas. 48-21

**TWO-ROW CORN PLANTER**—in good condition and ready to plant with. Apply M. L. Soutter, Bristow. 48-11

**SETTINGS OF EGGS**—75 cents a setting. White Leghorns, Buff Rocks, Anconas. Mrs. J. H. Dodge, Manassas, Va. 48-21

**THREE-FOURTHS** of the automobiles are purchased on the monthly payment plan. One of the largest insurance companies, The Travelers, now sell you complete automobile protection on the monthly payment plan. Fire, Theft, Liability, Property Damage, Collision, Windstorm, Glass, General Insurance Agency, Inc., Thos. W. Lion, Manassas, Virginia. Insurance of any kind. 34-11

**HARD BRICKS** for sale cheap; also sand, Donation Libeau & Son, Manassas, Va. 41-81

**APRIL 27th, 1929, at 2 o'clock, P. M.**, in the office of C. G. Paris, in Quantico, Va., I shall sell for cash by way of public auction 23 shares of the capital stock of Paris Auto Service, Inc., deposited with me, by R. L. Inscho and now held by me as collateral security for a note of \$1,200.00, with interest from December 31, 1928, and costs of collection, executed by R. L. Inscho. C. G. Paris. 47-31

**ALABAMA SALE**—At the former residence of Mrs. S. W. Burdge, on Battle street, at 10 a. m., April 27th: Kitchen range, stoves, organ and other household and kitchen furniture, including antiques. Cora E. Merchant, administratrix. 47-31

**THE RESIDENCE** and business property at Main and Church streets, Manassas. First floor has store room and a four-room apartment with all modern conveniences, while the second floor has a six-room apartment with bath. Property can be had for quick sale. \$3,000. Apply John H. Nelson, 401 Colorado Building, Washington, D. C. 47-31

**S. D. CORN**—Reid's Yellow Dent, carefully selected, nubbed and shelled, \$2.50 per bushel at either farm, Harley & Kline on Buckhall road or S. C. Harley, Cannon Branch. Harley & Kline, Manassas, Va. 47-31

**CATLETT, VA.** House and good garden. House has six rooms and is in good condition, also wood house, hen house and good garage. There are six good fruit trees on the property. Will give possession in thirty days. Elmer Staples. O. F. Burgess will show this property and answer any questions about it. Catlett, 47-11

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**WANTED**—A five-gallon churn. Crank style. Good condition. Mrs. Frank Peters, West St., Manassas. 48-11

**BABY CHICKS**—Have you ordered them yet? Our hatch comes off every Tuesday. We hatch your eggs. Order your hatching space in advance. Manassas Hatchery, Manassas, Va. 48-11

**1 Butler Nesco Perfect Oil Stove** in good condition \$9.50  
**1 Over for Oil Stove** \$2.50  
**1 Refrigerator—top icer** \$2.50  
**1 Refrigerator—side icer, Porcelain lined** \$6.50

**Priced Low for Quick Sale**  
**HYNSON & BRADFORD**  
Manassas, Virginia. 48-11

**MILFORD WATER-GROUND** corn meal and whole wheat flour on sale at Manassas and Milford, Manassas Milling Co. 42-11

**CUSTOM HATCHING**—Four cents an Egg; trays hold 180 eggs; setting dates, 10-20-30 of each month. A Gregory Hatched Chick is a Better Chick. There is a reason why—come and see. J. Lawrence Gregory, Manassas, Va. 45-11

**APPLE BLOSSOM FESTIVAL IN PICTURES.**

The story of the Sixth Annual Apple Blossom Festival, to be held in Winchester, Va., on Thursday and Friday, will be told in pictures next Sunday in The Star. A full page in the rotogravure section will depict scenes of the coronation of Miss Mary Jo Matthews of the University of West Virginia, who will be Queen Shenandoah VI, and will include views of the pageants, the "parade of the buds," in which 10,000 school children will participate, and other festive events. The Star will be the only paper in Washington carrying a pictorial story of the festival in rotogravure next Sunday.—Adv.

**USED CARS.**

1 Ford Coupe, 1924.  
1 Ford Touring Car, 1927.  
1 Chevrolet Coupe, 1926.  
1 Dodge Touring.  
1 Chevrolet Coach, 1926.  
These cars are in good used condition, prices are reasonable.

**HYNSON & BRADFORD,**  
Manassas, Va.

**NORTH WALES FARM**

**SOLD FOR \$300,000**

Warrenton, April 18—North Wales Farms, Inc., one of the finest estates in this county, was sold Tuesday to A. Spottswood Campbell, of New York for \$300,000. He is supposed to represent a New York syndicate which will use the mansion as a clubhouse. North Wales was bought several years ago from the Ashton family by Edward M. Weld, also of New York, who is said to have spent \$1,000,000 on improvements. He also bought several adjoining tracts, making 1,092 acres in all. Mr. Weld sold the place to Charles A. Bond, of Cincinnati, under the name of the North Wales Farms, Inc.

**BRIEF LOCAL NEWS**

Captain F. A. Hutchison, of Charlotte, N. C., visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. Hutchison, this week.

Mrs. James E. Bradford was a Washington visitor on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Washington and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Weir, were guests at a birthday party given last week in honor of Mr. F. W. Parker, in Washington.

Rev. A. Stuart Gibson was a Richmond visitor last week where he attended a church conference.

Miss Eugenia Osbourn and Miss Melissa Hensley have returned from a motor trip in lower Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ryland, Miss Mildred Suzanne Ryland, Miss Mabel Moffett and Mr. R. P. Hough, all of Clarendon, were Sunday guests of Rev. and Mrs. Westwood Hutchison.

Miss Margaret Gardiner, of Hickory Grove, was a week-end guest of Miss Alice Weir.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Gill were week-end visitors in Washington. They motored up again yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Fincham were visitors last week at the home of Mr. Fincham's mother in Chevy Chase. They returned on Friday bringing with them little Miss Catherine Fincham, who had been passing some time with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cunningham, of Richmond, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Bradford.

Dr. Fred Hutchison and Mrs. Sanford Gulick and son, Jack Arthur, of lower Loudoun, visited friends and relatives here last Thursday.

Miss Mary Gada passed the week-end at her home at Independent Hill.

Mr. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, attended the meeting of the Richmond Federal Reserve Bank Association, in Richmond last Thursday and Friday.

Among the Saturday and Sunday guests of Mrs. T. O. Taylor were Mrs. Alice Hutchison and son, Jack, of Aldie; Mr. and Mrs. Drury Hutchison, of Middleburg; Dr. Ramsay Taylor, of Fairfax; Mr. and Mrs. Parke Wilson, of Hickory Grove.

Mr. P. M. Metz, of Rosslyn, passed Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Susie Metz, near town.

O. D. Waters, Jr., of Manassas, is giving a good account of himself on the plebe track team at the United States Naval Academy. In the track meet last Saturday at Annapolis in which the Navy competed with Devitt Prep School of Washington, the plebe team carried off the honors scoring 88 to 29. Cadet Waters, placed second in the 220-yard dash.

Mr. T. T. Curtis, formerly county agent here, but now county agent of Orange county, was an honor guest at a mass meeting last week in Orange at which appropriate exercises for the retiring agent and welcoming Mr. Curtis were held.

Mrs. J. E. Harrison, of Charlottesville, is visiting Mrs. S. T. Weir, on West Street.

Mrs. J. W. Sutphin is ill with the "flu" at her home here.

Mrs. Richard S. Hynson, Mrs. R. Bruce Hynson, Mrs. Stewart Pattie and Miss Pattie will motor to Winchester tomorrow to attend the Apple Blossom Festival.

Mr. Charles Adams was surprised by a few of his friends who gave a birthday dinner in his honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Lion passed the week-end in Charles Town, W. Va., with their sister, Mrs. William E. Hall, Mr. Lion's mother, Mrs. Ethel Lion, returned with them.

Pupils of Temple School will give an entertainment in May, and are now busy preparing the program.

Mr. and Mrs. August Nogara and son, of Washington, are returning to their summer home near Brentsville.

Mrs. Sam Polen, daughter of Mr. Thomas H. Lion, who has been under the doctor's care in Washington, has returned to Haymarket.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nash are motoring to Winchester for the Apple Blossom Festival.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Regd have moved from the Bogaman place to a home near Brentsville.

Mrs. L. F. Hough, left yesterday for Columbus, Ohio, where she will visit her daughter.

Miss Mary Berry, of Culpeper, spent the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. P. H. Lynch.

Miss Dinah Davis, who is now with the Southern Railway in Atlanta, is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. L. Proffitt.

Mrs. John L. Hynson is entertaining the Acacia Bridge Club this afternoon.

Mrs. Gilbert Grey, of Baskerville, is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. L. Rice.

The benefit card party given last night under the auspices of the Bennett School League, at the home of Mrs. E. H. Marsteller, was a delightful success.

Rev. Luther F. Miller is in Baltimore today where he will give a lecture at the Church of the Reformation in connection with the celebration of the anniversary of the Diet at Worms in 1521. Mr. Miller will speak on Luther.

**SWAVELY NOTES**

The Spring vacation is now on and the only boys remaining at the school are those of the Annapolis Class, who are taking their examinations during this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kline are spending the vacation in Kutztown, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Reeves in Easton and Philadelphia.

Mr. Caino is spending the vacation with Leonard Halliwell at the latter's home in Southern Pines, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Illingworth had for a week-end guest Mrs. Illingworth's mother, Mrs. W. Konold, of Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Fox, of St. Louis, was a visitor to the school on Monday.

Under the new gardener the school grounds are beginning to show great improvement.

The Faculty Reading Club has concluded its sessions and will resume its meetings again next fall.

The Faculty Players will present the play "Meet the Wife" soon after school re-opens.

Mr. and Mrs. Swavely are leaving tomorrow for a motor trip through northern New York State.

**A SERVICE FOR YOU**

Insects are the worst enemies of growing plants. They annually inflict greater losses on garden and field crops than all other retarding agencies combined.

But for every insect, with very few exceptions, there is an effective remedy, a means of eradication. It is important that protective measures be adopted early to prevent serious injuries to the various crops. It is for this purpose that the Journal is maintaining a free information service for its readers.

We want our readers to make this service pay them real savings in better crops, finer lawns, more luscious fruit and happier homes.

Write our Agricultural Editor on any phase of home and farm problems. Your letter will be answered by private, return mail. It is not even necessary to enclose a stamp.

Address letters to The Manassas Journal Information Bureau, Van Gorder News Service, Manassas, Va.

**38th SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION JUNE 19-21**

**Convention Will Be One of Largest Ever Held in the State.**

The Thirty-eighth Virginia Sunday School Convention will be held at Wytheville, June 19-21, 1929. All protestant denominations will participate and the convention promises to be the largest and best Sunday School Convention ever held in Virginia.

It will be the first time a state Sunday school convention has been held west of Roanoke. The people of Wythe county are making elaborate preparations for the convention and have offered free lodging and breakfast to all visiting delegates.

The theme of the convention will be "Forward Together." This theme was chosen because of the imperative need for real advance in the light of the V. P. I. Rural Church Survey which will be reported at the convention. To a large extent, the convention program will be based upon this most significant report.

**Program Leaders.**

Program leaders will include Dr. Robert M. Hopkins, New York City, General Secretary of the World's Sunday School Association; Dr. Leander S. Keyser, Springfield, Ohio, Professor of Systematic Theology, Wittenburg College; Dr. D. Webster Kurtz, Long Beach California, lecturer and writer.

Dr. Forest L. Knapp, director of Leadership Training, International Council of Religious Education; Hon. J. A. Garber, Washington; Dr. Charles D. Bulla, associate editor, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Nashville, Tenn. These out of state leaders will be assisted by many of the most prominent religious educational workers in Virginia.



## LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA:  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, (In  
vacation).

FANNIE L. KIESINGER, Committee  
for Edna L. Merrill, an insane per-  
son, Complainant,

EDNA L. MERRILL, John Leary,  
Mary Hays, Hattie Wolvin, Henry  
Merrill, Leroy Merrill, Ben Merrill,  
Fred Merrill, Hattie Cline, Mary  
Wilson, John Merrill, Melvin J. Mer-  
rill, Fannie L. Kiesinger, Bertha  
Blauvelt, Bessie Kelly, Florence  
Merrill, and the unknown heirs at  
law of Charles Merrill, deceased.  
Defendants.

## IN CHANCERY.

A bill of complaint having been filed  
in the above-styled suit by Fannie L.  
Kiesinger, Committee for Edna L.  
Merrill, an insane person, the com-  
plainant, and an affidavit having been  
filed by said complainant, as required  
by law, that the following defendants  
to the said suit are not residents of  
the State of Virginia, to-wit: Fannie  
L. Kiesinger, Mary Hays, Hattie Wol-  
vin, Henry Merrill, Leroy Merrill, Ben  
Merrill, Fred Merrill, Hattie Cline,  
Mary Wilson, John Merrill, Melvin J.  
Merrill, Bertha Blauvelt, Bessie Kelly,  
Florence Merrill, and the unknown  
heirs at law of Charles Merrill, de-  
ceased; and an application having  
been made by the said complainant in  
writing for this order of publication  
and duly granted by the Clerk of this  
Court.

The object of the above-styled suit  
is to have the Circuit Court of Prince  
William County, Virginia, ratify and  
confirm the sale made November 8th,  
1928, by the said Fannie L. Kiesinger,  
Committee for the said Edna L. Mer-  
rill, to one John Leary for the sum of  
\$3,000.00 in cash, of a certain tract  
or parcel of land owned by the said  
Edna L. Merrill and situate in Occo-  
quan Magisterial District, Prince Wil-  
liam County, Va., containing 117 acres  
and 22 poles, being the same land that  
was conveyed to the said Edna L.  
Merrill by Daniel Bryan and wife, by  
deed dated September 25, 1907, and  
recorded among the land records of  
said County in Deed Book 56, page  
485; or should said sale be not con-  
firmed, then to have said land sold  
to permit the said complainant to set-  
tle in the said suit her accounts as  
committee for the said Edna L. Mer-  
rill; and for general relief.

It is, therefore, ordered that the  
above-named defendants, including the  
unknown heirs at law of the said  
Charles Merrill, deceased, appear here  
within ten days after due publication  
hereof, and do what is necessary to  
protect their interests in this suit. It  
is further ordered that a copy of this  
order be published once a week for  
four successive weeks in the Manas-  
sas Journal, a newspaper printed and  
published in Prince William County,  
Va.; that a copy be sent by registered  
mail by the Clerk of this Court to  
each of the above-named non-resident  
defendants, whose addresses are set  
out in said affidavit, addressed to them  
respectively at the addresses given in  
said affidavit; that a copy be posted  
by the said Clerk at the front door  
of the Courthouse of this County on  
or before the next succeeding Rule day  
after this order of publication is en-  
tered; and that the said Clerk shall  
certify to this Court that the said  
copies have been posted and mailed as  
hereinbefore directed.

Given under my hand this 5th day  
of April, 1929.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

A true copy:

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

T. E. DILLAKE, p. q.

47-41.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE  
REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust  
dated July 23, 1927, executed by R. B.  
Lunsford et ux., and recorded in the  
County Clerk's Office for Prince Wil-  
liam County, Virginia, whereby a cer-  
tain tract of land located in Brents-  
ville Magisterial District, adjoining  
the lands of Joseph W. Gough, John  
W. Hall and Messrs. Ratcliffe and Sin-  
clair, containing 30 acres, more or  
less, and being the same property con-  
veyed to said R. B. Lunsford by  
Moses W. Gough, was conveyed to the  
undersigned trustee in trust to secure  
to Joseph W. Gough the payment of  
\$300.00 and interest from date thereof,  
which said debt has been curtailed and  
reduced to about \$200.00 and interest,  
and default having been made in the  
payment of the debt thereby secured,  
and at the request of the beneficiary  
thereunder, I will offer for sale by  
way of public auction in front of The  
Peoples National Bank, in the town  
of Manassas, County aforesaid, at  
about noon on SATURDAY, APRIL  
20, 1929, the aforesaid tract of land.  
Terms of sale: Cash.

THOS. H. LION,  
Trustee.

W. B. GREEN,  
Auctioneer.

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VIRGINIA:  
IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF  
THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PRINCE  
WILLIAM COUNTY, ON THE 11TH  
DAY OF APRIL, 1929.

LLOYD, Clerk C.

LLOYD, Bealy N.

IN CHANCERY.

The object of the above styled suit  
is to obtain for the complainant and  
from the defendant a divorce from the  
bond of matrimony on the grounds of  
desertion. And it appearing by affi-  
davit filed according to law that Betty  
N. Lloyd; the above named defendant,  
is not a resident of this state, it is  
therefore ordered that the said Betty  
N. Lloyd do appear within ten days  
after due publication of this order, in  
the Clerk's Office of our said Circuit  
Court, and do what is necessary to  
protect her interests. And it is furth-  
er ordered that this order be published  
once a week for four successive weeks  
in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper  
published and circulated in the County  
of Prince William, Virginia. And it  
is further ordered that a copy of this  
order be posted at the front door of the  
Court House of Prince William Coun-  
ty, Virginia, on or before the next suc-  
ceeding Rule Day, and that another copy  
of this order be mailed to the defendant to  
the post office address given in the  
affidavit.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

Teste: GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

S. B. COLEMAN, Counsel.

47-41.

VIRGINIA:  
IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE  
CIRCUIT COURT OF PRINCE  
WILLIAM COUNTY, APRIL 10,  
1929.

CARRIE MARQUETTE,

vs.

FRANK H. MARQUETTE,

IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to obtain  
for complainant from defendant a di-  
vorce a vinculo matrimonii on the  
ground of wilful desertion and aban-  
donment, without just cause or ex-  
cuse, for more than three years prior  
to the institution of this suit, and for  
general relief.

And it appearing by affidavit filed  
by the complainant, according to law,  
that the said Frank H. Marquette is  
not a resident of the State of Virginia  
and that his last known address was  
care John Marquette, Latrobe, Penn-  
sylvania.

It is, therefore, ordered that the  
said Frank H. Marquette do appear  
within ten days after due publication  
of this order, in the Clerk's office of  
our said Circuit Court, and do what  
is necessary to protect his interest.  
It is further ordered that this order  
be published once a week, for four  
successive weeks, in the Manassas  
Journal, a newspaper published and  
circulating in said Prince William  
County, Virginia; that a copy thereof  
be posted at the front door of the  
Court House of Prince William Coun-  
ty, Virginia, on or before the next  
succeeding Rule Day, and a copy  
thereof be mailed to the said Frank  
H. Marquette at Latrobe, Pennsylv-  
ania, care John Marquette, by pre-  
paid, registered United States Mail.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

A true copy: GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

R. B. WASHINGTON, p. q.

47-41.

## NOTICE.

Treasurers are required by law to  
send notice prior to December 5, to  
each taxpayer whose taxes amount  
to \$500 or more, of the amount of his  
or her taxes. If the taxes are not  
paid on first notice a second notice is  
required. If taxes do not amount to  
as much as \$500 notice is required.  
It becomes a treasurer's duty to pro-  
ceed to collect taxes and levies, by  
levy or otherwise, if the same are not  
paid promptly after the receipt of the  
second notice referred to. Beginning  
promptly after publication of this no-  
tice I shall proceed to take all neces-  
sary steps to collect unpaid taxes and  
levies due by taxpayers in Prince  
William County.

C. A. SINCLAIR,  
Treasurer.

VIRGINIA:  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY,  
APRIL 12, 1929.

HENRIETTA S. MCKINNON,

vs.

PETER MCKINNON.

IN CHANCERY.

The general object of the above  
styled suit is for the complainant to  
obtain a divorce from the bond of  
matrimony which was created by the  
marriage between said parties on the  
5th day of June, 1925, and to be  
awarded the custody of the infant son  
born of this union, exclusive from the  
care and control of the defendant,  
Peter McKinnon, and for general re-  
lief. It appearing by affidavit filed by  
the complainant, according to law,  
that the defendant, Peter McKinnon,  
is not a resident of the State of Vir-  
ginia, that his last known post office

address was Peter McKinnon, Wilkes  
Barre, Pennsylvania; it is therefore  
ordered, that the said Peter McKinnon  
do appear within ten days after due  
publication of this order, in the  
Clerk's office of our said Circuit Court,  
and do what is necessary to protect  
his interest.

It is further ordered that this order  
be published once a week for four suc-  
cessive weeks, in the Manassas Jour-  
nal, a newspaper published and circu-  
lating in Prince William County, Vir-  
ginia; that a copy of the same be  
posted at the front door of the court  
house of Prince William County on  
or before the next succeeding Rule  
Day, and that another copy thereof  
be mailed to the said Peter McKinnon,  
by prepaid registered United  
States mail, to the post office address  
given in said affidavit, to-wit: Wilkes  
Barre, Pennsylvania.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

A true Copy:

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk. 48-41

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF ENGINE,  
SAW MILL, ETC.

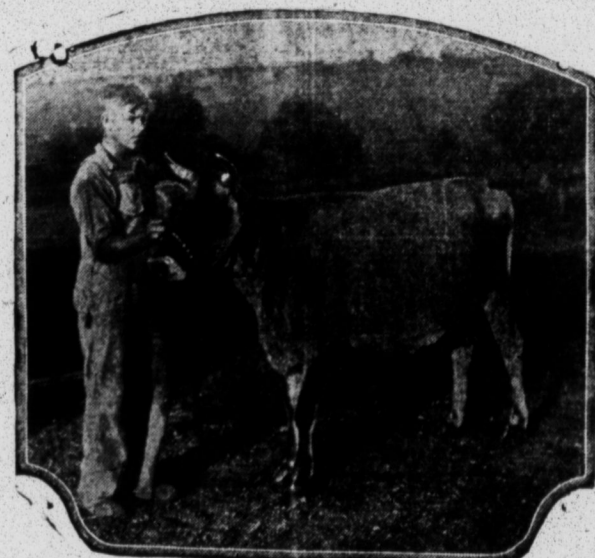
Pursuant to a certain deed of trust  
dated October 22nd, 1924, in, recorded  
in Deed Book 21, page 41, of the  
land records of Prince William Coun-  
ty, Virginia, from W. T. Blace, to the  
undersigned John W. Rust, Trustee,  
in order to secure the payment of  
certain indebtedness to Aubrey L.  
Clarke, trading as L. A. Clarke and  
Son, default having been made in the  
payment of the said indebtedness, and  
at the request of the said Aubrey L.  
Clarke, the undersigned will offer for  
sale at Public Auction to the highest  
bidder on TUESDAY, MAY 7th, 1929,  
at 3 o'clock, P. M., at the front door  
of the Court House at Manassas, Vir-  
ginia, the following described per-  
sonal property, which was conveyed to  
the said Trustee by the aforesaid deed  
of Trust:

One Frick Steam Engine, saw mill  
attached complete with belt, saw, etc.,  
number of said engine being 17503 and  
number of saw being 99440, the said  
property being located near Cromwell  
Post Office, Fauquier County, Virginia,  
and near the residence of M. B. Hel-  
lin, the said M. B. Hellin having pur-  
chased the said engine from the said  
W. T. Blace under contract dated May  
28th, 1926.

THE TERMS OF SALE to be as fol-  
lows:—Cash sufficient to pay the costs  
and expenses of sale and conveyance,  
including a Trustee's commission of  
5 per cent, any taxes, levies, as-  
sessment or insurance premiums or  
dues, which the said party of the first  
part may have failed to pay, and the  
amount of said indebtedness, principal  
and interest, which may remain  
unpaid on the day of sale, and the  
residue in three equal payments at  
six, twelve and eighteen months from  
the day of sale, and secured by a deed  
of trust.

JOHN W. RUST, Trustee.

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DAVID CAMFIELD, AMBITIOUS MISSOURI SCHOOLBOY  
WHO IS MAKING MONEY IN THE DAIRY BUSINESS

Neosho, Mo., April 18.—Some school  
boys just dream dreams, but David  
Camfield in Neosho, Missouri, believes  
in making at least one of his dreams  
come true. He pictured himself earn-  
ing money to pay his way through col-  
lege, then, wide awake and deter-  
mined, borrowed \$150 from a bank and  
bought a pure-bred Jersey heifer.

Now, less than two years later,  
when David is sixteen, Joe Duck, vo-  
cational agriculture instructor in the  
Neosho High School, announces that  
David has made \$241.94 net profit  
from his two-year old Jersey heifer in  
just exactly 348 days. Moreover, his  
instructor believes that David will  
have no difficulty in building up a  
high producing herd of Jerseys that  
will pay college expenses by starting  
with this heifer as the foundation of  
the herd.

David's carefully kept records show

SOUTH GREENWICH  
TRIMS NOKESVILLE

Nokesville High Is Outbatted By  
Greenwich Rookies In Loosely  
Played Game.

The South Greenwich Rookies de-  
feated the Nokesville High School last  
Friday at Nokesville in a loosely  
played game by the score of 12 to 6.  
A home run by C. Foster, the first  
batter up for Greenwich, featured the  
game.

**SOUTH GREENWICH—** A. B. R. H.  
C. Foster, lb. 6 1 1  
J. Hopkins, 3b. 4 1 3  
N. Hopkins, p. 5 4 3  
O. Taylor, ss. 3 3 2  
M. Wood, cf. 4 1 1  
O. Grim, c. 3 0 0  
J. Foster, 2b. 5 2 2  
W. Wood, lf. 4 0 0  
D. Bailey, rf. 5 0 1

Total 39 12 16

**NOKESVILLE—** A. B. R. H.  
A. Bodine, p. 5 1 2  
R. Liskey, ss. 5 2 3  
W. Wilkins, lb. 5 0 2  
F. Shepherd, 3b. 4 1 0  
S. McMichael, c. 4 0 2  
P. Wright, 2b. 4 1 2  
B. May, lf. 4 0 3  
H. Miller, rf. 4 0 1  
C. F. Foster, cf. 2 1 0

Total 37 6 14

Summary: Home runs—C. Foster.  
Two-base hits—J. Hopkins, N. Hop-  
kins, D. Bailey, Bodine, Liskey, Wil-  
kins, McMichael. Double plays—J.  
Hopkins to Foster. Strike outs—By  
Hopkins, 14; by Bodine, 11. Bases on  
balls—N. Hopkins, 2; Bodine, 9.

## WELLINGTON

There will be an entertainment and  
lawn party at Wellington School on  
the night of May 1, beginning at 7:30.

Mrs. William Wheeler, Miss Mamie  
Lynn, Miss Marion Wells and Mary  
Smith at her home in Marshall.

Mr. William Wheeler motored to  
Washington on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Patterson, of  
Woodbridge, spent last Sunday as the  
guests of Mrs. William Wheeler.

Mr. Keen Wells motored to Warrenton  
Sunday.

Mrs. Lillian Davis, Miss Mamie  
Lynn and Mrs. William Wheeler spent  
Saturday with Miss Marion Wells.

Mr. E. Evans, Mr. C. M. Weather-  
holtz, Mr. L. C. Weatherholtz, of Bull  
Run, were recent callers at the home  
of Mr. W. H. Weatherholtz.

Miss Mamie Lynn, who has been  
spending some time with friends and  
relatives here is leaving the first of  
this week for her home in Chester-  
town, Md.

Mr. Omelo Wells motored to War-  
renton recently.

## FRIENDLY HEN.

## UNCOVERS THEIF

Lancaster, Pa., April 17.—It's a wise  
farmer that knows the cackle of his  
own hens. It was that ability which  
enabled Raymond Kaylor, Elizabeth-  
town, R. D. No. 2, to recover seventy  
stolen fowls, and now Harry Kreiser,  
Royalton, is in jail charged with the  
theft.

Kaylor's hen coops were robbed on  
April 1, and recently he attended  
market in Harrisburg. While passing  
a stand he was attracted by the cack-  
ling of a pet hen he had lost. Kay-  
lor examined the fowl and by other  
marks made positive identification. He  
notified police, who investigated and  
obtained clues which led to Kreiser's  
arrest.

## HAYMARKET

The "Hill Billies", who are popular  
in our village, gave an entertainment  
at the Parish hall on Monday even-  
ing.

Miss Virginia Hall, of the faculty  
of the County School, Warrenton, was  
at her home, "Shirley", for the week-  
end.

Miss Sallie Byrd Massie and Miss  
Catherine Foster spent the week-end  
with friends in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garrett, Miss

Helen Riss and Miss Selma Heindle,  
visited Mr. and Mrs. Mullen at their  
home near Middleburg on Sunday.

Miss Mae Afton Bennett spent the  
week-end at her home at Calverton.  
Mr. F. M. Osborne, of Washington,  
was a visitor at "Green Hill" last  
week.

Mr. Stasius Meade, who has spent  
the winter at Takoma Park, will re-  
turn to his home here on Sunday.

The Senior's play, "Bashful Mr.  
Boobs", to be given at the Parish Hall  
on Wednesday evening, April 24, is  
looked forward to with much pleasure  
by the people of the community, and  
no doubt will be attended by a big  
crowd.

The Community League will hold its  
regular monthly meeting at the Ma-  
sonic Hall on Thursday evening, April  
25. The meeting will be largely of a  
social nature, and the people of the  
community are invited whether mem-  
bers of the league or not. Refresh-  
ments will be served.

## BRISTOW SCHOOL.

The names of Eunice Winslow and  
Frank Winslow have been added to  
the Health Five-Pointers at the Bris-  
tow School.

When the best things are not pos-  
sible, the best may be made of those  
that are.—Hume.

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ICE CUBES in your  
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Have all the ice cubes you want, and instead of prepar-  
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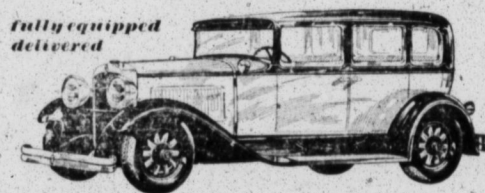
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tween the factory (f. o. b.) price and the delivered  
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the dealer to sell you your bumpers and the other  
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neered a new practice, by installing this extra  
equipment at the factory, at no extra cost to you.

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most salesmen (not Nash salesmen), reluctant to  
answer. They would rather not say how much  
more there is to pay, or what the extra money buys.

And you'll also find that by reason of the Nash  
policy, Nash "400" delivered, fully-equipped  
prices are much lower than those of many  
other cars with the same factory (f. o. b.) prices,  
and lower than some cars with even lower  
factory (f. o. b.) prices.

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### IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear husband and father, Eli Kincheloe, who departed this life April 19, 1928.

Today recalls the memory,  
Of our dear one laid to rest;  
And those who still remember,  
Are those who loved him best.

God took him from our home;  
His firm, true heart is still.  
The hands that always gave us help,  
Now lie in death's cold chill.

Peacefully sleeping, resting at last;  
Life's weary trials and sufferings  
past.

Loving thoughts, true and tender,  
Just to show we'll always remember.

By His Devoted Wife and Children.

## THINGS OF THE SOIL

The Manassas Journal's Complete Agricultural Service  
By DAN VAN GORDER

Questions of lawns, gardens and general farming are discussed in this department each week. Readers of The Manassas Journal are invited to use this new column for the answer to their question and the solution of their problems. Address all inquiries to The Manassas Journal Information Bureau, Van Gorder News Service, Manassas, Virginia.

### CABBAGE FOR FOOD AND PURSE

Sauerkraut has long held a prominent place as an article of food. Through the years its popularity has kept it near the center of the American dinner table, and even after this extensive reign it is still gaining prestige as knowledge of its additional food values becomes known.

But the merits of cabbage as a food are not found alone in the form of sauerkraut. It is probable that the greater benefits are derived from eating cabbage in the raw state, in slaws or salads. Here it contains vitamins A, B and C in large quantities, in fact it leads all other vegetables in these three important food elements. Many leading authorities on food and their values to human health, insist that some raw cabbage should be eaten every day. Surely cabbage is one of Nature's greatest food crops.

Cabbage is not so easily grown as

many people believe. There is a tendency to disease that, to avoid, requires careful attention. Cabbage diseases come from two principal sources, seed of diseased plants, and soil contamination from the previous year's crop.

It is important that the cabbage refuse of last year be completely destroyed. Sanitation of cabbage soils is the most important factor in continued success. Old stalks and undeveloped heads should never be permitted to remain on the ground over winter. Nearby areas should be kept free from weeds and other fungi-producing accumulations.

Soils used, cold frames and plant beds should be sterilized in the spring before sowing the seed. This may be done by sowing the soil with boiling water, using one gallon to every 256 cubic inches of soil. Let the earth dry sufficiently before sowing the seed. The formaldehyde treatment is also extensively used. This requires one quart of formaldehyde or formalin to 13 gallons of water. Use about one-half gallon of this solution to each square foot of soil. Keep the beds covered with heavy burlap or canvas for three days before sowing seed.

It is essential that cabbage seed be given a treatment before sowing to insure freedom from disease transmission. Put the seed in a loose cloth bag and soak for three minutes in a quart of water in which two tablets of corrosive sublimate have been dissolved. Rinse the seed free from this solution immediately in cold water. Dry thoroughly in the sun before sowing.

About three or four days after the plants have been replanted to their permanent locations, they should be treated with corrosive sublimate to protect them against loss from the cabbage maggot. This is done by dissolving one ounce of corrosive sublimate in ten gallons of water and pouring about half cupful around each plant. Wet the stems of the plant as well as the soil about the roots, but be careful that none touches the leaves as the solution will damage the tender tissues. As this material is very poisonous, it should be kept out of reach of children and animals.

Cabbage worms are controlled by dusting with calcium arsenate mixed with hydrated lime, one part calcium arsenate and ten parts of lime. If used as a spray, use two pounds of calcium arsenate to fifty gallons of water. Two pounds of cheap laundry

soap dissolved in each fifty gallons of spray will aid in the effectiveness. The small yellow and white butterflies often seen about the field should be destroyed wherever possible as they are the parents of the cabbage worm.

Cut worms, which usually take a heavy toll from the young plants, may be killed by the use of a poisoned bran bait made as follows: Mix two level tablespoonsful of Paris green in five pounds of dry wheat bran. Moisten this with a quart of water in which one-half pint of cheap molasses has been mixed. Shape this material into small pellets, and place one beside each plant late in the evening. The cut worm usually emerges at night and will be attracted to the bait and poisoned. As cut worms are often found in sods more extensively than in other soils, it is never advisable to follow a sod with cabbage. Fall plowing will also materially reduce the worms.

Club root is a disease that often results where cabbage are grown on the same ground successively for many years. Failure to head and wilting tendencies are evidences of club root presence. Large swellings will be found on the roots. The best means of eradication of this infestation from the soil is to refrain from growing cabbage, turnips, cauliflower, mustard, Brussel sprouts, kale, or any other members of the cabbage family on the soil for several seasons.

Belonging to the Mustard family, cabbage requires a sufficient supply of nitrogen to promote a heavy leaf growth as do other members of the greens family. Most growers find a 4-7-8 or 5-7-7 mixture applied at the rate of about 600 pounds to the acre, an ideal fertilizer on most soil types. If, however, the cabbage show signs of slow development, 50 to 75 pounds of nitrate of soda applied to the acre broadcast following cultivation, will supply the necessary stimulus to a heavy production.

Besides being an excellent crop to grow for home use, cabbage will prove commercially profitable in most regions. Its adaptability to many soil types and its willingness to produce over a wide season range, make it attractive for the small and large commercial grower. Its production and marketing costs are low, and too, a preceding or follow crop may be realized from the space each year.

## WOMEN RIDE BLIND BAGGAGE

Hoboing Teretofore Believed Exclusive Profession of Men Wanderers.

Clifton Forge, Va., April 17 — Special Agent L. A. Easter, of the Chesapeake and Ohio police force, recently made an unusual record for his department in effecting the wholesale arrest of five persons, three of whom

are women, on the charge of riding a freight train. The group alighted Sunday night from the "blind baggage" while the train was pulling through what is known as "the pump" and so quickly disappeared that officers on the search failed to locate them until Officer Easter spotted them in the Iron Gate Gap this morning. They were taken into custody and landed in the lock-up at Covington. Hoboing on freight trains was one "profession" believed to be reserved exclusively for men that, now that has been invaded by the fair sex.

## CATHARPIN SCHOOL HEALTH FIVE POINTERS

The following pupils at the Catharpin School have qualified as health Five-Pointers:

Seventh Grade—Agnes Kidwell and Hervin Polen. Sixth Grade—Harriet Pattie, Mary Currell Pattie, Harry Ellison and Emily Polen.

Fifth Grade—Frances Robertson, Ethel Hoffman and Marion Spencer. Fourth Grade—Charles Hall. Third Grade—Jack Alvey and Ann Robertson. First Grade—Raymond Akers and William Akers.

### IN MEMORIAM.

In sad, but loving, remembrance of my dear brother, Charles E. Love, who departed this life eleven years ago.

In the graveyard, softly sleeping,  
Where the flowers gently wave;  
Lies the one we loved so dearly,  
And tried so hard to save.

He is gone, but not forgotten,  
And never shall he be;  
For we hope some day to meet him,  
In the Home above with Thee.

Eleven long years ago you left us,  
To rest in eternal peace;  
But my love for you, dear brother,  
Will never, never, cease.

Never shall I cease to love you,  
Never shall your memory fade;  
Sweetest thoughts forever linger,  
Around the spot where you are laid.

Oh, could I open wide the grave,  
And see your face once more;  
To hear your voice is all I crave,  
As in the days of yore.

Eleven years ago, dear brother,  
Since you left us and went away;  
To be with God and His angels,  
That was a sad, sad, day.

I shall never cease to love you,  
Though your form is hidden from view;  
And some day I hope to meet you,  
Around God's throne in life anew.

Sleep on, dear brother, and take your rest,  
God called you home, He thought it best.  
He saw your suffering here was great,  
And opened wide the golden gate.

By his loving sister,  
ALICE M. LOVE.

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## BETTER HOMES WEEK ANNOUNCED

Observation Will Start Sunday  
And Continue Through  
the Week.

Washington, D. C., April 17—More than 5,000 committees of public-spirited men and women will conduct local programs during Better Homes Week, April 21 to 27, according to an announcement by Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, Secretary of the Interior and successor to Herbert Hoover as president of Better Homes in America. "Our civilization cannot go forward as it should unless we maintain conditions for adequate and satisfactory home life," states Secretary Wilbur. "We have to count on individual homes to do their share, if children are to be healthy and grow up well fitted to take their places as men and women in our social and economic life. The mother who is bringing up children needs a real home in order to get the best results, and it is the aim of the Better Homes committees to afford her practical suggestions as to how she can best achieve her purpose. Besides, the new home is the most interesting problem of millions of young married couples each year, so the interest is a constant permanent one."

"The movement has been built up by voluntary co-operation under the personal leadership of President Hoover, on a basis of practical service directed toward making homes comfortable, attractive and healthful. Beyond that, the movement is even of deeper significance. It shows determination on the part of the American people to hold dear the place which the home and home life deserves and not to be distracted by superficial glamour."

"With our established prosperity and with our growing appreciation of

beauty, the American home can be raised to higher levels than ever before."

"President Hoover in his inaugural address, voiced the hope of us all that the succeeding years should lead to the strengthening of the home."

"Better Homes Week affords everyone an opportunity to contribute his share towards that goal, and I hope that the American people, take the time to learn of the local programs, and give them their personal support, even more generously than in past years."

## MINNIEVILLE

The dance given at the school was a success, and a large crowd attended. Mrs. Fannie Shackelford is spending a few days with relatives at Independent Hill.

Mr. Emmett Day, of Fairfax, and Mr. Jesse Henderson, of Winchester, were guests at the home of Mrs. Janie Dane, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Woodyard and children were Washington visitors on Sunday.

Miss Ethel Fairfax, of Potomac, Va., was a week-end guest of Miss Iola Curtis.

Mrs. Halcom Curtis was a recent visitor at the home of Mrs. Janie Dane.

Mr. A. J. Stanley is on the sick list at present.

Miss Ida Bland passed the week-end with Miss Arcelia Dane.

Mrs. Robert Lee was a visitor at the home of Mrs. C. L. Curtis this week.

Misses Elizabeth Windsor, Ida Bland, Arcelia Dane and Messrs. Raymond Curtis and Albert Bland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Windsor on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bailey and little daughter, of Washington, were guests of Mrs. J. W. Bailey recently.

Miss Vernice Posey was the guest of Miss Arcelia Dane on Friday.

## SCHOOL WILL HAVE AN AVIATION COURSE

Danville, Va., April 17—Hargrave Military Academy, at Clifton, near here, has initiated its new "aviation course," under which boys students will be taught how to fly. The preparatory school is believed to be the first in the South to include flying as an extra curriculum activity.

Colonel A. H. Camde, who approved the modern venture has secured the service of a competent instructor, and a dual-control biplane has been secured, also a landing field at Coles Hill, about six miles from the school. Students who enroll are first required to obtain parental consent.

## OCCOQUAN

Messrs. Gordon and Henry McMahon and Miss Marian McMahon, of Washington, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McMahon.

Miss Ruth Cook, rural supervisor, gave standard tests in the school on Monday.

Miss Nellie Long and Mr. Lula Boydie spent Saturday in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Waylan were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gossom, at Waterfall.

The Confederation of Leagues of District H, met in the High School Auditorium on Wednesday of last week. A large crowd was present consisting of delegates from all the

counties of the district. Mr. J. H. Montgomery, of Richmond, and Miss Frieda Kountz, of the Junior League Department, conducted the meeting.

The Epworth League will have a Weenie Roast at Widewater on Saturday, April 20.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Rector, of Washington, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wayland on Sunday.

Miss Mary Bryant, of Washington, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bryant, over the week-end.

Mrs. L. Ledman, of Manassas, visited her mother, Mrs. Georgia Seelman, this week. Mrs. Seelman, who has been quite ill, is showing marked improvement.

Hillard, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Taylor, of this place, was drowned in Occoquan Creek on Easter Monday. He and his twin brother, Willard, were in a row boat when they became frightened and jumped over board. Both children would have lost their lives had it not been for the action of Mr. Fred Lynn, who brought them ashore in time to save Willard's life.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Davis, Mrs. Louise Pace and Miss Virginia Baird, of Richmond, were week-end guests of Mr. S. Ellis Davis.

The ladies of the M. E. Church, South, will give a shad supper in the basement of the church tonight, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leary and Mrs. Harry Carter spent Wednesday in Alexandria.

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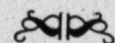
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## CATTLE SALES SHOW INCREASE

Live Stock Sold or Slaughtered  
On Virginia Farms Gained  
Last Year.

Cattle, calves, hogs and sheep sold or slaughtered on farms in Virginia during 1928 were estimated to have been worth \$32,220,000, which is an increase of 5 per cent over 1927, ac-

cording to statistics compiled by the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service. These estimates are based upon railroad shipments, market receipts and reports of farm slaughter from a large number of farmers throughout the State.

About 110,000 head of cattle were shipped during 1928, and in addition nearly 25,000 were sold for local slaughter or killed on farms. The total value of cattle was \$10,500,000, compared with \$9,600,000 in 1927. The number of calves sold declined slightly during 1928, but a total of nearly

150,000 were sold. The value was estimated to be \$2,350,000, compared with \$2,150,000 last year.

Approximately 750,000 hogs were sold or slaughtered on farms in 1928 and the value amounted to about \$16,370,000, compared with \$16,000,000 in 1927. A larger number of hogs were produced last year, but prices were lower, so the value was only slightly greater.

Nearly 300,000 head of lambs were sold or slaughtered during 1928 and this was practically the same number as in the preceding year. Prices were better, therefore, the total value was greater, being estimated to be \$3,000,000, compared with \$2,850,000 in 1927.

### IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of our little daughter, Mildred Hedges, born March 19, 1929, died March 21, 1929. She is gone but not forgotten. By her father and mother.

48-11. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hedges.

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Busses Leave Manassas (Coke's Pharmacy) For	A. M.	P. M.
Washington	10:00	5:00
Centerville	10:00	5:00
Greenwich	8:45	3:45
Warrenton	8:45	3:45
Washington, Va.	8:45	3:45
Sperryville	8:45	3:45
Luray	8:45	3:45
New Market	8:45	
Harrisburg	8:45	
Front Royal	8:45	3:45
Flint Hill	8:45	3:45
Winchester	8:45	3:45

Busses Leave Washington, D. C., 9th and Pa. Ave. N. W., For	A. M.	P. M.
Luray	7:30	2:30
Warrenton	7:30	2:30
Manassas	7:30	2:30

Busses arrive at Manassas at 8:45 A. M. and 3:45 P. M.  
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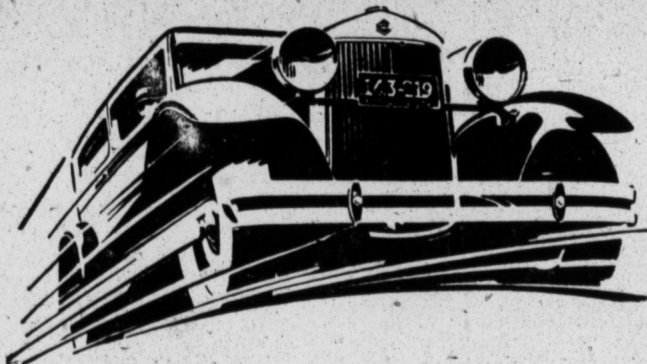


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## STATE FIFTH IN MOTOR TAX

Virginia Shows Fifth Highest  
Per Vehicle Tax In United  
States.

Virginia has the fifth highest per vehicle tax in the United States, according to the annual survey just made public by the American Automobile Association. The average Virginia motorist pays \$38.54 compared with \$25.24 for the nation.

State motor vehicle taxes increased twice as much as motor vehicle registrations in 1928 and the average per vehicle tax for the country increased 6 per cent in 1928 over 1927, according to the survey.

The total increase of motor vehicle registration for the United States in 1928 was 6.5 per cent, while the increase in the total amount of special car taxes (exclusive of personal property taxes) for the forty-eight States and the District of Columbia was 13 per cent.

### Discrimination Charged.

"The fact disclosed by our annual motor vehicle registration and taxation may result to a greater extent than ever before the heavy proportion of taxes that the motorists are bearing," declared Thomas P. Henry, president of the A. A. A. "Car owners of the nation have always been ready to stand for taxation for road building, but there has been a deplorable tendency toward taxing the motorists for various other public improvements and in many instances there has been rank discrimination."

Officials of the national motoring body pointed out that the retirement of the Federal government from the taxing field early in 1928, through the repeal of the war excise tax was an important step in the campaign for fair taxation of car owners.

Following is a summary of other facts brought out in the annual tax review:

First: The average per vehicle tax levy for the entire country was \$25.24 in 1928 as compared with \$23.78 in 1927, an increase of 6 per cent in a period of twelve months. The per vehicle tax has increased 295 per cent since 1919, when it stood at \$8.55.

Second: Special taxes collected from car owners by the States reached a

new high peak last year, with a total of \$624,325,670, as compared with \$552,629,823 in 1927, an increase of \$71,695,847.

Third: The States' revenue from the gasoline tax increased 26 per cent in 1928, the total being \$319,906,417, as compared with \$254,109,262 the previous year.

### New York Leads In Cars.

While seven States reported 1928 registration of over more than a million motor vehicles, a Commonwealth passed the 2,000,000 for the first time when New York reported total registration of 2,051,469. The six other States in the million class were: California, 1,812,807; Pennsylvania, 1,653,813; Ohio, 1,649,699; Illinois, 1,598,205; Michigan, 1,251,221, and Texas, 1,207,441. Massachusetts, as in 1927, continued to maintain eighth place on the list with 855,301 registrations.

In State fees, drivers' license and gasoline taxes, the highest five were: Pennsylvania, \$49,622,603; California, \$39,141,663; Michigan, \$37,011,427; Ohio, \$36,724,956, and Texas, \$35,995,267.

California led in the amounts collected from the gas tax, with \$29,909,709, while other States were: Ohio, \$24,884,698; Pennsylvania, \$22,508,826; Michigan, \$18,334,840, and Texas \$18,285,187.

The five States with the highest per vehicle tax were: Florida, \$45.86; Oregon, \$43.70; Arkansas, \$43.60; Georgia, \$38.60, and Virginia, \$38.54. Illinois, with \$9.71, had the lowest per vehicle tax levy.

The survey shows Virginia had 361,166 registrations in 1928 and the tax collected was \$13,920,337.56. Florida and North Carolina alone of the Southern States lead Virginia in total collections.

### VOCATIONAL HEAD HERE NEXT TUESDAY

R. N. Anderson, In Charge State  
Vocational Rehabilitation, To  
Meet Physically Disabled.

R. N. Anderson, in charge of vocational rehabilitation in the State, is coming to Manassas for the purpose of meeting those physically disabled persons who desire training for some job or vocation in which their physical disability will not be a handicap to them.

Mr. Anderson will be in Manassas on Tuesday, April 23, and at 1:30 p. m., will be in the office of R. C. Haydon, superintendent of the schools of the County, where he will be glad to have physically disabled persons come to talk over their cases with him.

The State is doing a great work in vocational rehabilitation and Mr. Anderson is planning an even more comprehensive program during the next school year. In many cases the vocational training is carried on throughout the year and little or no time is lost while the training is going on.

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## NEAR EAST WORK QUOTA NEAR END

Westwood Hutchison Calls For  
Final Drive To Finish For  
Prince William.

State chairmen of the Near East Relief Work have been urged to put their shoulders to the wheel and make good the promise made to cease campaigning for funds after June 1.

Rev. Westwood Hutchison, Prince William chairman of the Near East workers, recently returned from Richmond where he was called to attend a conference with Oliver J. Sands, State chairman.

In the past few months 8,128 children have been dismissed from the protection of the Near East Relief work, many of whom were too young to properly care for themselves, but had to go due to lack of funds with which to care for them. Of this number 827 were on the Isle of Syria and were wards of the State of Virginia Near East workers.

"For thirteen years our flag has meant protection to these helpless children," said Mr. Hutchison. "Shall we haul it down before our task is finished?"

"Our county has done nobly and generously in the past," continued the county chairman, "but we now lack \$215.06 of completing our quota. Let us finish the work assigned with honor and glory to old Prince William."

Send funds direct to Walter Holladay, State treasurer, 107 East Grace street, Richmond, and notify Westwood Hutchison, Manassas, of the amount sent.

### A PROCLAMATION.

By the President of the United  
States of America.

WHEREAS the future of our nation rests with the children of today; and

WHEREAS the good health and protection of childhood is fundamental to national welfare and the march forward of our country must be upon the feet of children; and

WHEREAS a joint resolution of Congress authorizes and requests the President of the United States to proclaim annually May First as Child Health Day; now

THEREFORE, I, Herbert Hoover, President of the United States of America, do hereby designate May First, of this year, as Child Health Day and do invite the people of the United States and all agencies and organizations interested in this most important subject to make every reasonable effort to bring about a nationwide understanding of the fundamental significance of healthy childhood and of the importance of the conservation of the health and physical vigor of our boys and girls throughout every day of the year.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States to be affixed.

DONE at the city of Washington this twenty-fifth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and fifty-third.

HERBERT HOOVER,  
By the President.  
FRANK B. KELLOGG,  
Secretary of State.

## Here's the STORY

Are You a Wanter  
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YOU CAN GO through life all ways wanting things just beyond your financial reach. Or you can periodically purchase those things that will round out your happiness.

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and 89 cents  
24 Lbs.  
White Rose Flour

THIS COUPON  
and 19 cents  
25c-Can K. C.  
Baking Powder

THIS COUPON  
and 19 cents  
2 Pkgs.  
Seedless Raisins

THIS COUPON  
and 98 cents  
6 20c-Bars  
Tobacco

THIS COUPON  
and 17 cents  
1 Large Can  
Calif. Peaches

THIS COUPON  
and 50 cents  
3 25c-Cans Peas  
Lilly of the Valley

THIS COUPON  
and 21 cents  
2 Cans  
Apple Sauce

THIS COUPON  
and 25 cents  
1 Qt. Can Pickles

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## BRISTOW PLANS FIRE DEPARTMENT SUNDAY SCHOOL TALKS EQUIPMENT

Meeting Called For Sunday For Purpose of Organizing a Union Sunday School.

A movement is now on foot in Bristow to have a Sunday School established there and a public meeting has been called for Sunday, April 21, in the Bristow Church, at 2:30 p. m., for the purpose of perfecting an organization.

The Bristow community has been without a Sunday School for a long time and the possibility of the organization of one is stirring up a great deal of interest. Everyone is invited, both young and old, to attend the meeting and assist in establishing a permanent Union Sunday School.

Following the organization meeting the Rev. Lee E. Sheaffer, who has been preaching regularly in Bristow, will conduct a preaching service, which it is planned will begin at 3 p. m.

### CLIFTON

Rev. S. Y. Craig preached in the Baptist Church last Sunday night.

The town council has set the increase at 95 cents on \$100 valuation for the coming year.

A dance will be given in the Masonic Hall Thursday, April 18, by the Clifton School.

Mrs. Wyckliffe Buckley, teacher of the sixth and seventh grades, was given a kitchen shower in the school auditorium last Thursday by her pupils and the faculty.

Ruby Nichol, of Centerville, has been elected valedictorian of the High School Senior Class and Helen Detwiler, salutatorian. Ruth Louise Koontz has been elected valedictorian, and Vivian Hart salutatorian of the grades.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Clifton, of Washington, formerly of Clifton, are the proud parents of a baby girl, born April 11, at Sibley Hospital. Mrs. Willis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Curtis.

Miss Maryvett Embrey, of Herndon, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Ruth Pyles.

Mrs. Thomas Simpson has been called to Culpeper by the death of her mother, Mrs. Cladderback.

The hard rains seem to have damaged the surrounding country quite a bit.

### BRENTSVILLE

There will be services at the Union Church on Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

Officers of the Union Church have been elected as follows: Mr. Earhart, superintendent; Mr. Haury, assistant superintendent; teachers—Mrs. Seymour, Mr. Clyde Bean, Mrs. Clyde Bean and Mrs. Eagan.

Miss Aileen Keys is now holding a position in Washington.

Mr. Clyde Holsinger was a week-end guest at the home of his mother.

Miss Beulah Beavers has returned from Baltimore where she has been visiting her grandmother.

### CITIZENS PROTEST TAX SITUATION

New Baltimore Citizens Petition To Fauquier Supervisors; Asks Reduction of Taxes.

Citizens of New Baltimore have filed a petition with the Board of Supervisors of Fauquier County urging that they give immediate consideration to the reduction of taxes. They demand that there be a downward revision in all school taxes, road taxes, and all other taxation that comes under the jurisdiction of the supervisors.

The petitioners also protest over the rumored closing of the school at New Baltimore, and remind the supervisors and members of the school board that "we are taxed to pay for our children's education and naturally expect to have a voice in saying where they shall attend school."

There has been a free school in New Baltimore ever since the Civil War, and the people of the New Baltimore Community and the people of the section are proud of the young men and women who have gone out from the school to fill trustworthy positions in the world.

### MRS. A. W. FLOYD DIES AT THE PLAINS HOME

Mrs. A. W. Floyd, died Friday evening, April 12, at her home at The Plains, Va. Her remains were taken to her native place, near Lynchburg, Va., for burial. Mrs. Floyd had been a widow for many years. She leaves one son, Mr. Rush Floyd, and four brothers, Mr. N. F. Adams, and four brothers, Mr. John W. Adams, Broad Run; Mr. T. T. Adams, Richmond, and Mr. H. W. Adams, Altavista, Va.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT TALKS EQUIPMENT

Committee With Town Manager Prepares Specifications For Equipment.

The special committee of the Manassas Fire Department appointed to examine into the matter of new fire apparatus for use here met last night with Town Manager Cooke and Fire Chief Spelden to make reports.

The committee reported that they, with the Town Manager, had visited several towns in the state for the purpose of studying the different kinds of equipment used with a view of determining what apparatus best suited the needs of Manassas. With this information in hands, specifications were drawn up covering the type of fire-fighting machinery which it is thought will best serve the town and these will be forwarded to various manufacturers of fire equipment so that they may bid on furnishing the apparatus.

### GEORGE C. PEERY OUT FOR POLLARD

Former Representative Praises All Candidates But Announces Support of Pollard.

Praising all three candidates for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination as "distinguished Virginians of character and ability," former Representative George C. Peery has announced that he would support John Garland Pollard.

Mr. Peery was himself discussed as a gubernatorial possibility. He is the man who "redeemed" the Ninth District some years ago by winning the congressional election from Republican opposition. His former secretary, T. McCall Frazier, now is managing Dr. Pollard's campaign headquarters.

#### Text of Statement.

The text of the Peery statement follows:

"The three contestants for the nomination for Governor in the Democratic primary are all distinguished Virginians of character and ability. As between the three I have decided to support the Honorable John Garland Pollard.

"He has made a fine record as Attorney-General. His work on the Code was well done. He rendered splendid service on the Federal Trade Commission under appointment of President Wilson. He is a student of progressive government and is well qualified to carry forward the record of progress and achievement which has been given to the state under the administration of the Democratic party."

### AUTO MANUFACTURERS HAVE LARGE FREIGHT BILLS

Striking evidence of the heavy demands made annually on the railroads by automobile manufacturers came to light yesterday with the announcement of C. R. Scharff, general traffic director of Chevrolet Motor Company, that the company's freight bill for 1928, representing inbound and outbound shipments for 16 domestic plants, totalled more than \$46,000,000.

This was an increase of more than \$11,000,000 over the 1927 bill.

In making the announcement, Mr. Scharff revealed that the 1928 bill covered the movement of 272,368 carloads of freight, totalling 7,968,047,324 pounds. Exclusive of this poundage Mr. Scharff declared there was an additional 221,403,427 pounds of less than carload freight, 4,777,783 pounds shipped by express and 31,040 drive-aways.

#### Electric Refrigeration Booms.

Dayton, Ohio, April 18.—With its mammoth plants operating overtime, many departments working at night, some on triple shifts and production of several models more than doubled, Frigidaire Corporation is making herculean efforts to meet an unprecedented demand for electric refrigerators. All records for compressor shipments were broken in March.

Orders received during the first week in April alone were sufficient to tax the factory capacity for several weeks. The Frigidaire payroll is the highest in its history and the corporation is experiencing a period of the greatest popularity its products have ever enjoyed, according to E. G. Biechler, president and general manager.

#### Spotsylvania Postmaster Dead.

Fredericksburg, April 18.—Beale E. Carner, aged 45, died at his home at Spotsylvania Court House Monday morning following an illness of about three days. Mr. Carner, who was postmaster at Spotsylvania, had presumably been in his usual good health during recent weeks. Born and reared in Spotsylvania, he was one of its most widely known citizens there. For years he conducted the Spotswood Inn and later he was proprietor of a garage at the Court House.

## AMERICA'S FIRST RAILWAY IN SOUTH

Southern Railroad Puts First Successful Steam Locomotive Into Operation.

In his search for facts relating to the industrial development of the Southern States, Arthur Coleman, associate editor of *Holland's The Magazine of the South*, learned that the first railroad in the United States chartered for general use was in the South. Beginning with a brief mention of the historic "Tom Thumb" locomotive, followed by the "Best Friend", which exploded after six months of successful operation on the South Carolina Railroad, Mr. Coleman brings his readers down to modern Southern good roads and airways.

He states that over 34 per cent of the total railroad mileage in the country is in the Southern States and that since 1860 the South has shown an increase in railroad mileage of 845 per cent, as against 465 per cent of all remaining states. The first steamship to cross the Atlantic, according to Mr. Coleman, was owned by Savannah capital, and sailed from Savannah, Georgia.

#### Ho, Hum.

Dallas News—Don't worry. After they get us Democrats all buried there'll be another crop along.

## Baby Foods in Cans



THE Pure Food and Drugs Act is the United States Government's guarantee that foods processed in cans are pure and wholesome. After seeking the advice of eminent pediatricians, dietitians and domestic science experts, and subjecting their products to tests in the world famous laboratories of national institutions, the commercial processing of vegetables for babies has not only been allowed but also approved, under the stringent provisions of this act. This fact should go far to dispel any lurking fears of canned foods which still persists among a few people who are not abreast of the times. If foods can be canned that are not only fit for but beneficial to the delicate system of a little baby, canned foods will certainly agree with grown-ups.

For the normal baby vegetable feedings should begin, according to

leading pediatricians, at from six to eight months. But this is a question which you should not decide for yourself or on hearsay. Consult your doctor as to the best feeding schedule for the individual problem of your own particular and precious baby.

#### Consult Your Doctor

It is permissible, however, to ask him whether the many tedious tired some hours spent in cleaning, cooking and straining vegetables for you baby cannot be avoided by the use of specially prepared strained vegetable products in cans. He will tell you that the manner in which they are processed effects a greater conservation of the rich mineral salt and vitamin elements than is possible when the same vegetables are cooked in the presence of oxygen in open vessels.

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Boys' Black and Tan Oxfords in sizes 9 to 13 ..... \$2.25  
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