

PROFITS FROM POULTRY

Big Chicken Farm Operated With Great Success Near Culpeper.

BY W. M. BROWN, (Field Agent Southern Railway.) Mr. F. A. Bicknell, of Inlet, Va., has made a decided success of producing eggs for a fancy market. He uses the most modern equipment and applies just as much business principle to his work as any banker. It will be of interest to those who have started into the poultry business on a small scale to read something of the methods in use on "Lucerne Farm," for Mr. Bicknell started with six dozen Plymouth Rock hens 10 years ago this October. Now the business has grown to such proportions that a company has been formed with Mr. Bicknell and Mr. W. M. Connable.

During the second year Mr. Bicknell secured three settings of White Leghorn eggs from which he raised twenty pullets. These proved to be such great layers and used so much less feed that the other breed was discarded and nothing is raised except the white leghorns. It is Mr. Bicknell's advice to keep one and only one breed on one farm. Give all the attention to developing a lot of superior birds of this breed and keep records of the hen's laying capacity. Weed out the inferior ones and in a few years you can have all the birds producing more than double the average number of eggs produced by the average hen. Get good hens to start with, and make them better. Provide good well-ventilated houses, make all fowls take exercise and give a full, well-balanced ration. These are a few things that Mr. Bicknell has done.

The business of "Lucerne Farm" is to produce fancy table eggs for the New York trade. During the past year 120,000 eggs have been shipped at an average price of 32 cents per dozen. During the summer the price dropped a little below this but in the winter season as high as 65 cents per dozen was realized. Every egg is carefully cleaned and packed by Mr. Bicknell himself. Each dozen eggs must average 20 ounces and must be of uniform size. No egg is kept longer than the second day before being shipped, thereby enabling the commission men in New York to guarantee to his purchaser a strictly fresh egg. There is always a good demand for a first class produce and the person who produces this kind of produce will always get the very best price and will have no trouble in finding a market.

Two thousand hens were kept last year and this number will be increased to four thousand this coming winter or fall. When asked what his profit per hen averaged him Mr. Bicknell said that his hens netted him \$1.50 each. Thus when he has four thousand hens averaging this amount each, he has an income of \$6,000 from his hens. In addition to the hens there are fed on the farm a carload of cattle every year; besides the offspring of the draft mares, and a number of hogs.

HOW THE HENS ARE CARED FOR.

There are houses accommodating 200 hens. Each house is provided with roosting poles, trap nests and scratching pen, together with a lot which is well provided with shade. The lot is enclosed with net wire five feet high. Mr. Bicknell says he has never had any trouble with hens flying over this wire.

Wheat, corn and all other crops are grown right on the 150-acre farm which Mr. Bicknell bought when he first started in the poultry business. The wheat is not threshed but fed in the straw so that it furnishes plenty of litter and forces the birds to take a lot of exercise. The oats are threshed and sprouted before being fed. During the winter corn is fed much heavier than during the summer. Wheat constitutes the bulk of the summer ration. Beef scrap must be fed pretty liberally for the leghorns require more of this kind of feed than any other breed of chickens. The oats are sprouted in the incubator room where the temperature remains nearly normal for the whole year. After they have started sprouting they are spread about 2 inches thick over the concrete floor with newspapers spread over the grain. This makes the sprouts more tender than if the light was permitted to reach the sprouts. They are fed when the sprouts are about one and one-half inches long.

The incubators are started the second week in February so that the chicks can be taken off in March and April, preferably March. The Candee system is used altogether on Mr. Bicknell's farm. The incubator capacity will be increased to 8,400 for the coming season. This will give plenty chicks for the large brooder house of 66 hovers and give several thousand to supply

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MANY ENJOY CHATAUQUA

Automobile Parade, Farmers' Institute and Educational Rally Feature Festival.

With characteristic enthusiasm the booster festival opened yesterday. Many of the business houses and residences were decorated, and welcome was warmly given the visitors who flocked to town to enjoy the occasion. The festivities were inaugurated by an automobile parade arranged by Chairman C. J. Meetze. The entries were mainly decorated in red, white and blue, and the occupants were generous with smiles. The prize was awarded Mr. Thomas W. Lion's car, which was a mass of golden rod.

An excellent crowd gathered at Eastern auditorium for the programs yesterday afternoon and night. The farmers' institute was the center of attraction this morning and the educational rally, under the direction of Dr. Herven U. Roop, is to be held this afternoon, in addition to the program by entertainers from the Radcliffe attractions. The parade of school children is a feature. Afternoon and evening performances continue today and tomorrow.

lunch with us most every day, and on Sundays we've been going up there, only today we won't because we are going down to see this Infanta Isabel off. George is coming back to lunch with Royston. The gardener from the Torre (Ivy Towers) has just brought me a half-bushel of blackberries. One of the maids and myself go up every two days for the eggs, flowers, fruit, etc., and incidentally to see if the Towers are still there. But we stay at our apartments because we are right down town and just across the street from George (his windows look into ours). We are just around the corner from the American Consu, and one block away from the British.

SPANISH VIEW OF WAR

Portions of Letter from Mrs. Kasehagen's Sister Reveal Troubles in Barcelona.

The interesting letter which follows was written to Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kasehagen by Mrs. Kasehagen's sister, Mrs. Royston St. Noble, of Barcelona, Spain. Mrs. St. Noble has been the guest of Mrs. Kasehagen on several occasions and will be remembered by many friends of the family. The Mr. Harrell frequently mentioned is Mr. Cornelius V. Harrell, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob L. Harrell, of Catlett, former town residents. Mr. Harrell arrived in America last week.

The extracts follow:
IVY TOWERS, GOMIS 68,
BARCELONA,
August 23, 1914.

My dear Lillian and Leo:

I am sending you this letter by Mr. Harrell who is leaving today for America via the "Infanta Isabel," a Spanish ship chartered by the American consul to convey stranded citizens to that haven, New York, away from the scenes of this terrible European war. I am sure you will both be pleased and interested in making Mr. Harrell's acquaintance, and besides he will be able to give you the general aspect of things in Spain regarding this disaster which is wrecking so many businesses and breaking up immense companies.

Quite a lot of people I know are taking this opportunity of reaching America, all Americans, though, as the ship is entirely for citizens and I am English by marriage, so I couldn't come if I wanted to.

Things seem very dark in Spain at present and we are not at all sure that she will not join in the war also, as she has her forces mobilized. However, she hasn't called for reservists yet, and we are trusting she will remain neutral. Royston and his brother are very busy, yet unpaid bills are impossible to get cashed and so they are already feeling the effects of the war strain. (We cannot get any reliable news and English papers are 12 days late.) However, they have in a very good stock and a good amount of cash in hand.

Royston's pater and mater are still in the middle of Switzerland. We don't know when they will be able to get away. We have had some very distressed messages from them. Royston has gone down town to see some of the young fellows who are going back to America, among them Mr. Hirt, of New York, and young Pearson, son of the president and vice-president of this Canadian county. Perhaps he will see Mr. Harrell, too. Yesterday afternoon he took Fiske on for tennis. Fiske is going back to Yale to finish his senior year. Royston seems to cotton with the American chaps and I do think he grows stronger American every day. Indeed we mean to own a home in America and if this war doesn't ruin us we hope to soon. I am coming in the early spring if the war finishes in time. My plans were to come in November but Royston cannot leave now on account of being a contraband of war. His age would make him liable to be taken prisoner of war. Besides, the business needs him. He may have to go to war and if he does I will join the Red Cross for the field or active service. Lil, I can sympathize with Mamma now. I know how they must have felt during the Civil War. In fact, it is too too awful to think. Yet none of us here can think or talk anything else.

The British Consul-General has

LETTER FROM TRAVELLER

Interesting Impressions of European Trip, Shortened by State of War.

(Continued from last week)
Lucerne, Switzerland.

The impressions left by the wild scenery of the pass were much modified later as we traveled through the lovely Swiss valleys to Montreux, Interlaken and Lucerne. It is no wonder Switzerland is so tourist haunted, it is a country of such delightful contrasts, from the glorious snow covered mountain peaks to the lovely lakes and smiling valleys far below. The Swiss valleys are like well-kept parks, with beautiful groups of evergreens here and there, and stretches of richest green grass dotted with the picturesque little houses between. The fine roads are in perfect order, not a weed is to be seen, and even the swift mountain streams when they reach the valleys are all confined properly in their beds by stone embankments to prevent any reckless straying. The little towns are spotless with the windows of the houses overflowing with brilliantly blooming geraniums, and even far up on the mountains, many of the little chalets have their window boxes and gardens of bright flowers.

At Montreux on Lake Geneva, we visited the Castle of Chillon, of historic and Byronic renown; shuddered at its dungeons, and were glad to get out of the gloomy feudal fortress into the bright sunlight again. From Montreux we came up to Interlaken and there heard the terrible news that war had broken out between France and Germany with almost all Europe apparently joining in. We came on at once to Lucerne which is nearer the frontier, and have had to stay here as all trains through to Germany or France have stopped running. Thousands of American and English tourists have been caught in Lucerne and we have had an exciting time with all sorts of rumors coming in and little certain news, as no English, French or German papers are to be had. Some of our party were anxious to send cablegrams, but we were told that no private messages could be sent for a while on account of the government use of the cables. The banks at first refused to cash our express checks or letters of credit, but this was only for a few days, and now we are having no trouble.

Our trip through western Germany and Holland will of course have to be given up, and we are now waiting for an opportunity to get through France, or we may have to go back to Italy and sail from one of the Italian ports.

Washington, D. C.,
September 7, 1914.

As my letter was about to be posted from Switzerland word came that the trains were running again to Paris, and we decided to make an attempt to get through France to England, as the ships might be sailing again from the English ports, and the German army had not yet gotten into France.

It took three days to get from Lucerne to Paris, a trip that ordinarily takes eight hours by express. Near the frontier we found that our Swiss money would not be taken for railroad fare into France. A few of the party had some English gold which was current anywhere but the rest of us had an excited chase over the town to try to get the shop keepers to give us French money in exchange for Swiss. Finally we got together

enough and started off, but at Pontarlier, on the frontier, had another exciting time in getting through the customs, being searched, etc., for concealed fire arms—as we might be German spies. At five next morning our party started from Pontarlier to Paris with a large crowd of other tourists. At one of the little stations the crowd waited at the train gates for several hours in the hot sun as the report had

been spread that the train would not be able to carry us all and every one was accordingly afraid to leave the gates. The train finally drew in the station, and though there was a terrific time, everyone managed to get on. An hour later at Dijon we had to change again. The long and crowded train for Paris was just leaving the depot as ours drew in. It stopped a few moments, however, and we had another frantic rush for tickets and a place on the Paris train which was crowded already with soldiers as well as tourists, but we managed to get on, and arrived at four o'clock next morning in Paris.

We had only one day in the great French capital. This was a bitter disappointment, especially to some of the ladies of the party who not only wanted to see the sights of the city, but wanted even more to get a Paris hat. A part of our one day was spent in driving around the city (all the places of public interest were closed) and the rest in getting new passports made out at the French Minister's. Everywhere there were companies of soldiers or marching bands of volunteers with the tri-colors of France at their head. Next morning we went on to Havre, passing through Rouen, the ancient capital of Normandy, on the way, and took the boat late that night for Southampton. Early next morning we arrived at Southampton. The boat waited for some time

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METHODIST LADIES MEET

Alexandria District Woman's Missionary Society in Session At Grace M. E. Church.

The first annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the new Alexandria district, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was held Sunday and Monday in Manassas at Grace Church. The attendance was good and the interest was enthusiastic throughout. Mrs. A. E. Cockey, of Alexandria, presided.

Rev. E. A. Roads, pastor of Grace Church, preached an inspiring missionary sermon at the opening service Sunday morning. A solo by Mrs. L. Frank Pattle also featured the meeting.

The principal speaker of the other sessions was Miss Wilson, a missionary from the Susan Bond Wilson School, Sung Kiang, China. On Sunday afternoon she illustrated Chinese life and exhibited curios. The little children took part in an exercise, in which one little girl impersonated a Chinese child. Master Marvin Rice recited and little Miss Catherine Weir sang.

At the evening service Mrs. Knowles, of Washington, gave a summary of the work of the the Woman's Missionary Societies, and Miss Waters related some of her experiences in missionary life.

The auxiliaries reported at the Monday morning session and the delegates took part in a general discussion. The convention closed that afternoon with an outline of the new work by Mrs. Printup, of Washington, and educational features.

BACK TO SCHOOL AGAIN

Manassas High and Graded Schools Open With Good Enrollments.

If happy faces and cordial greetings are any indication of pleasure at return to study after a holiday is over, surely the grammar and high schools have reason to be congratulated on the enthusiastic opening that both enjoyed on Monday morning. If it is true that "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy," it is equally a fact that all play and no work makes that individual an ignorant boy. So, on learning intent, pupils of all ages and sizes assembled to add to their store of knowledge. The cheer and enthusiasm of the teachers seemed to reflect in the faces of the scholars, and surely it found lodgment in the heart and mind of each one. The schools never opened with more promise in regard to numbers as well as spirit and intention. Already there are more than 250 enrolled in the grammar school, and 82 in the high school. The new teachers in both schools received a kind welcome and were made to feel at home. Those who have passed from our midst are not forgotten and will be remembered with love and respect many a day. We extend our kindest wishes to our dear Miss Taylor who, after years of success in our graded schools, has taken unto herself a partner and gone to other fields to teach. We waft to Miss Kirk, the enthusiastic teacher of the normal classes, our affectionate remembrances and hope she may find as appreciative pupils where she is as she had here. And last, but not least, Miss Emily Johnson will always have a warm place in our esteem, not only as a teacher, but also as a friend ever ready to "lend a hand" in all the social functions connected with the school. So progress is written on every effort and success must follow. Mrs. Larkin, the supervising principal of the grammar school, was in the midst of her large family shedding around her as usual a happy influence and bespeaking faithfulness and good work to be accomplished in all grades. And to cap the climax we have "back from the war," safe and full of happy experiences, our beloved Miss Eugenia, who no doubt will share with us from time to time her interesting happenings.

The following program was given at the opening of the high school and listened to with much interest by the many students and teachers:

Opening prayer..... Dr. H. L. Quarles.
Chorus—"Stand up, Stand up for Jesus"..... School
Address—"Reliability"..... Dr. Quarles
Chorus—"America"..... School
Address—"The Spirit of True Courtesy"..... Supt. Geo. G. Tyler
School Chorus

Address—"Loyalty and Athletics" Prof. C. H. Yarborough
Closing remarks, Miss Eugenia Osbourn
The grammar school assembled just at 12 o'clock in recognition of the request of the State Superintendent, and in harmony with all Virginia schools sang very heartily "The Star-Spangled Banner." Mrs. Larkin explained briefly the special cause of the request and alluded to the the great gathering lately assembled in Baltimore to celebrate the birth of the Star-Spangled Banner.

German, according to the reports of a German newspaper, is really working hard. They evidently are disappointed. —Washington Post.

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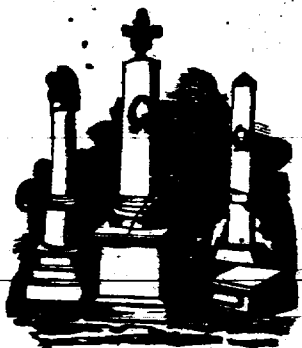
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WHY WASTE GOOD MEN?

Henry Sienkiewicz, author of "Quo Vadis," at seventy years of age has been taken prisoner by the Austrians and sent to Cracow. Several men of note in letters and art have gone to the front as privates or petty officers with the British. These are patriots in the truest sense. In another sense, they are taking unwarranted liberties with the world to which they belong.

Useful writers, artists, poets, singers, actors—those men of high peaceful profession whose services to the world are immeasurably greater in their own lines than they possibly could be in war—when they venture to enlist should promptly and effectually be imprisoned by their countries. They should be locked up in comfortable quarters, with competent attendants, with writing paper and pencils and music scores, canvas and brushes and paints, pianos and orchestral instruments. They should be set to singing and playing and painting and writing of war, if they must do something, but certainly not one of them would count for more than one common soldier with a gun at the front, while any one of them would count for a thousand, ten thousand, men in the world of letters and art. Hence, they should be forcibly restrained when they dare to risk a loss of their talents to that world which has a right to claim the first and highest service.

Lock him up, that genius gone mad! If he is sent to the front, he will only interfere with the practical aim of some fellow who can shoot, and whose loss wouldn't be any greater loss than the death of a King or two. The world is short on men who can do things, and regrettably long on men who can kill men they've never met and against whom they have no personal grievance. —Richmond Times-Dispatch.

AMERICA'S ANSWER TO EUROPE

While the cannon were roaring in France and Austria and Prussia yesterday, that innocent optimist Secretary Bryan succeeded in wheedling the diplomatic representatives of Great Britain, France, Spain and China into signing peace treaties which provide for reference of international disputes to tribunals that will try reason before there is a resort to the sword and which establish the principle of a year's moratorium before the declaration of war. Of course, the cynical and the worldly will smile the customary smile of superior wisdom, but really, it seems to us, those peace pacts are a pretty good answer to those cannon. They give assurance that the peace sentiment of the world is not dead or even sleeping, and that at least two of the belligerents in the present war are quite willing to avoid another. If such treaties had existed among all the powers engaged in the destructive contest now going on, the war might have been delayed long enough to give them all a chance to cool off. What these treaties do is to strengthen international obligations to preserve the peace and to build up a public sentiment which no nation will lightly disregard. We rather think the Dove of Peace is going to be one of the most popular of our domesticated birds, and that he will not fall a victim to the hawk nearly so often as formerly. —Baltimore Sun.

NOT TOO IMPATIENT

We are impatient because we have to wait three or four days to hear the result of the great battle in Europe. We are a spoiled people. Our ancestors had to wait months to hear of the great battles. In our Mexican war it was weeks before this country heard results. Even in the civil war news traveled with what would seem to us now to be unbearable slowness. We should at least restrain our impatience nowadays until the men who are fighting the battle get through with getting the message first.

THE ABSURDITY OF HATING A NATION

The Kansas City Star has editorially broached a subject which doubtless many of us have thought about, but few have dwelt upon in conversation or in print. The Star says:

Men talk of disliking or "hating" whole nations. They "have no use for" French or Germans or Russians or English. It is a foolish feeling. If you have had the fortune to get acquainted with persons of different nationalities you have found them fine and delightful. Occasionally you have come on a disagreeable one. Every nation, even our own, has such. But the chances are that our foreign acquaintance is sincere, honest, sympathetic and a good fellow.

The man on the other side of the ocean would not be so different if you only knew him. The trouble is that you don't. You lump a lot of disagreeable qualities together and label them by some national name and then denounce the nation.

You may not like certain governmental policies abroad. You may properly object to liberal or reactionary traits in the men in control. But it holds true today as it did in the time of Edmund Burke, that it is impossible to draw an indictment against a whole people.

TIME FOR WORK

Mid-September. The vacation season is over. The tang of autumn is already in the air. It is time for work, for capable, earnest, constructive work. The nation demands the best there is in every single one of its sons and daughters. We have responsibilities of an unusual kind. The upheaval in Europe has placed new burdens upon our shoulders. We must bear them for the benefit of mankind. If we acquit ourselves well the task will bring us both honor and profit. We have had a period of depression; it is behind us. We are the only stable force in an overturned world. Our problems are great, and for them work is the only solvent. It is time for work, for earnest single-minded, productive labor; for toil that demands our brains and our brawn, and that, rightly and capably done, may save a world, for the whole world is looking to America, the only busy workshop. Here the dignity of labor was never so exalted, the demand for constructive, helpful labor that excludes thought of all else never so acute. 'Tis time for work! —Chicago Herald.

WILSON'S STAND APPROVED

President Wilson's determination to make no speeches in the present coming campaign will meet with general approval. It is in keeping, too, with his entire conduct since he entered the White House, which has exhibited a degree of undeviating devotion to the duties of the office, a sense of responsibility for seeing that no harm shall come to the republic through want of the most watchful attention on the part of its executive head, which has seldom been equaled. Something more, too, than the fear that the public business might suffer through any diversion of his time or energy to the demands of a political campaign is to be seen underlying the President's words. In all that relates to the large questions of national policy having no partisan character, he wishes to exercise upon the whole people all the influence belonging to the head of the nation, not the head of a party; and the making of campaign speeches is not calculated to promote this end. —New York Post.

UNCLE SAM NEEDS NO HELP

In time the United States will adjust itself to the new conditions. The United States can stand alone. It is the only country that can. If the war be prolonged, we shall see the American people come together and work a way presently out of commercial embarrassment. Let not the Southern farmer think himself solitary in the present trying circumstances. Every industry in America is affected and nine in ten, whether in Massachusetts, Ohio or Montana, is confronted with serious problems. But it is certainly not a time for despair. The United States is today, of all the world, the great, strong, sound giant among the nations, and the United States is at peace with her neighbors. —Columbia State.

NEWSPAPER accounts say that the German war lord has fortified himself against possible defeat with banks and moneys in America. He ought to be a luxury for peaceful art night now.

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MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

The board of supervisors is to be in session Thursday, September 24.

Mr. D. M. Pitts, who is suffering from a mild case of typhoid fever, is recovering rapidly.

Mr. J. R. Evans has been awarded the contract for building the dwelling of Mr. C. N. Compton on Quarry street.

Dr. C. R. C. Johnson will serve as mayor in the absence of Mayor W. Hill Brown, who left yesterday on a northern trip.

The election next Tuesday, for or against state-wide prohibition, is to be held in the Newman building on Main street, near the railroad.

The exhibit of Girls' Canning Club work as announced in last week's paper, will be held in the M. I. C. building, Friday, September 25.

Dr. Hervin U. Roop is to preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Presbyterian Church. His subject is to be "Moral Sensibility."

The study class of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church met Tuesday afternoon at Roblay Cottage with Mrs. B. T. H. Hodge.

Rev. J. F. Burks will conduct services at Trinity Episcopal Church next Sunday at 8 p. m., and at St. Anne's Church, Nokesville, at 11 a. m.

Mr. F. E. Ransdell has gathered fifty barrels of apples on his place south of town. The trees are full. One twig bore four apples weighing about one-half pound each.

Rev. J. Royall Cooke, clerk of the Brentsville district school board, announces that the schools of his district will open for the fall term Monday morning at nine o'clock.

Miss Nancy Waters, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Waters, celebrated her sixth birthday Wednesday afternoon with a party at the family home on Main street.

Miss Sara Donohoe, daughter of Mrs. L. M. Donohoe, and who was graduated last spring from Manassas High School, left Friday for Meetz, Fauquier county, where she will teach in the public school.

Mr. J. W. Conard, of Harrisonburg, has about completed a finely equipped dairy barn for Messrs. J. M. Kline and J. J. Conner on the old Conner estate near town. Mr. Kline is to be in charge.

The case of Mrs. B. F. Iden, Jr., against the Washington-Southern Railway company was dismissed by agreement Monday morning in the Alexandria circuit court, Judge J. B. T. Thornton presiding.

THE JOURNAL exhibited in its windows this week an extraordinary sunflower stalk which bore thirty-eight blossoms. It was raised at "Lebanon Hall" by Mrs. Mary Conner, mother of Mr. E. R. Conner.

The fifteen-year-old nephew of Mr. Milton Rollins, of the Bristow neighborhood, was kicked in the head Thursday morning by a mule. His face was badly bruised but his condition is not considered serious.

Tuesday, Mrs. H. L. Willis and Mrs. Westwood-Hutchison, Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union, Potomac Association, represented the Woman's Missionary Society of Manassas Baptist Church at the meeting of "Group Three" of Potomac's W. M. U. So helpful, enjoyable and well worth while in every respect was the meeting that the innovation of the group proved a splendid success. The meeting of "Group Two" was held at Falls Church the same day. Miss Susan Hutchison in attendance.

The funeral of Mrs. Levi... died last... morning, was largely attended Sunday afternoon at Woodbine Baptist Church, about eight miles from Manassas. Interment was made in the cemetery there. Rev. H. L. Quarles conducted the services.

Major Robert U. Paterson, surgeon U. S. A., sailed on Monday from New York on the Red Cross ship in charge of 130 nurses and 30 surgeons, whom he will station at five European ports at the seat of war. Major Paterson is a nephew of Mrs. B. T. H. Hodge.

Mrs. Alice B. Jordan died last week in Bridgeport, N. J. She was before her marriage Miss Brawner of this county. She was an aunt of Mrs. C. E. Nash, of Manassas, and the mother of Mrs. Mae Pauline Sparks, the temperance lecturer who died two weeks before.

Rev. T. D. D. Clark leaves this week to accept a call to Boyce, Clarke county, where he will be in charge of the pastorates of Millwood, Bethel, Rockland and Mountain Baptist Churches. His family is to remain here for the present. Mr. Clark has acquired a wide circle of friends during his ten years' residence here, and his departure is a source of general regret.

On account of the momentous decision to be made in Virginia on the 22d instant, Sept. 13 was chosen as Virginia Temperance Sunday in place of the usual "World's Temperance Sunday" in November. Its observance at the Manassas Baptist Church consisted of a most impressive and well-executed program. The exercises were in charge of the Sunday School, but took the place of the customary eleven o'clock service. A good collection was taken for the cause. The text of the sermon by the pastor Rev. H. L. Quarles, D. D., was, Psalm 94:20: "Shall the throne of iniquity have fellowship with thee which frameth mischief by a law?"

The 20th annual reunion of Mosby's command, Confederate veterans, is to be held Thursday and Friday, September 24 and 25 at Charlottesville, upon an invitation of that city extended at the last reunion. Boyd Smith is commander and Edward Shacklett, of Deleplane, adjutant. An elaborate program has been prepared by John B. Strange Camp No. 14, Confederate Veterans, and the United Daughters of the Confederacy for the two days the camp will be in session. A banquet, at which speeches will be made music, etc., will be features of the first night. The second day a barbecue and jollification will be held at Jefferson Park and at night a big ball.

All ministers of the Gospel are urged by the Co-Operative Education Association to preach in the month of September a sermon on the importance of education. Eight per cent. of the white people over ten years of age in Virginia are illiterate and in every community is to be found a number of persons who fail to give the public schools proper support. At this time when the schools are opening what would be more appropriate than for the minister to impress upon his congregation the advantages of an education and the claims of the public schools. The Co-operative Education Association from its Richmond office will be glad to furnish any minister in the state with brief but pertinent data on public education.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been appointed agents for Birdsell Manufacturing Company of South Bend, Indiana, for the sale of the celebrated BIRDSELL wagons in the vicinity of Independent Hill, Va.

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ABOUT PEOPLE WE KNOW

Mrs. Chas. H. Adams, of Clifton, was a town visitor Tuesday. Miss Marie Leachman has returned from a visit to Miss Peggy Fred in Washington.

Mrs. Albert Roseberry and children, of Orange, were guests this week of Mrs. Ada Davis.

Miss Frances Spies has returned from a visit to friends at Maurertown and Tom's Brook.

Miss Minnie Garrison, of Meetze, was a guest of Mrs. I. M. Donohoe one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wright, of Richmond, were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Camper.

Dr. H. M. Clarkson, of Haymarket, was a guest of Judge and Mrs. J. B. T. Thornton last week.

Mrs. H. D. Wenrich has returned from a several weeks' visit to her son in Asheville, N. C.

Mrs. Dorsey and Miss Fannie Dorsey, of Berryville, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kasehagen and Master Jimmie Kasehagen spent Tuesday in Washington.

Mrs. R. Weir Waters and little son, Weir, Jr., of Culpeper, are spending the week with relatives here.

Mrs. Pitts, of Elk Hill, is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Pitts, of Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Brown, of Haymarket, leave October 1 to spend the winter in Washington.

Miss Rebecca Haydon has returned to her home in Glencoe, Md., after a visit to relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. A. M. Fetzer, of Washington, was a guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Williams, of Prescott avenue.

Misses Annie and Susie Adams, of Washington, are visiting their sister, Mrs. W. P. Larkin, at Larkinton, near town.

Misses Elizabeth and Lucy Whitacre and Mr. Samuel Whitacre, of Fairfax Courthouse, were Manassas visitors Monday.

Mrs. A. J. Adams, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Larkin, returned Sunday to her home in Washington.

Misses Theresa Milnes and Orma Brown and Messrs. Hilton Evans and Raymond Davis were Baltimore visitors last week.

Miss Eleanor Jones of Smithson, W. Va., will spend the winter with Mrs. George H. Smith, while attending Manassas High School.

Mr. Harry Sanders, of Haymarket, was a town visitor this week. Mr. Sanders leaves next week to spend the winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Smith have just returned from a trip to Washington and Baltimore, where they took in the Star Spangled Banner celebration.

Mrs. A. W. Sinclair and Mrs. E. H. Nash have returned from Baltimore, where they attended the Star Spangled Banner centennial celebration.

Mrs. Eppa Bryant and two children, Paul and Christine, have returned from a ten days visit to her brother, Mr. Harry Koontz, in Baltimore.

Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Burks and their young daughter, Miss Marian Burks, who spent the past month in Front Royal, have returned to the rectory.

Miss Gladys Sanders, of Buckland, who is teaching under Miss Hopkins at the Temple School of Music, is spending a short time with the Misses Smith, of West street.

Messrs. George D. Adamson, of Manassas, and Hubert H. Moon, of Burke, graduates of Manassas High School, left Tuesday for Ithaca, N. Y., to enter Cornell University.

Mrs. R. W. Merchant and little daughter, Miss Elizabeth Merchant, of Kennington are spending the week with Mrs. Merchant's daughter, Mrs. Henry Camper, of West street.

Master Allison A. Hooff, Jr., and Master John Bowling Hooff have returned from Maryland, where they spent several months with their grandmother, Mrs. Mittie Bowling.

Mr. Gordon H. Lightner, a graduate of Manassas High School and principal of Greenwich High School for the term of 1913-14, has entered the University of Virginia.

Mrs. C. C. Wenrich, of Asheville, N. C. spent Sunday with Mr. Wenrich's relatives here and is now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weber, of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Harry Brooke Griffith and infant son, Robert Brooke Griffith, of Washington are guests of Miss Othello Williams. Mrs. Griffith will be remembered as Miss Nellie Fetzer, formerly of Manassas.

Rev. O. W. Anderholt and family, accompanied by Mrs. H. D. Wenrich, left yesterday by auto to visit Mrs. J. C. Gregory, of Fredericksburg, formerly of this place. They will motor from Fredericksburg to Culpeper.

Mrs. L. W. Kasehagen and Master Jimmy Kasehagen leave in a few days to visit Mrs. Kasehagen's mother, Mrs. Higginbotham, in Montvale. They expect to spend the winter with Mrs. Kasehagen's relatives in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. William Parker Wilson have returned from their bridal tour. They visited Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. T. O. Taylor, earlier in the week, and are now at home to their friends at their country home near Aldie, Loudoun county.

Mrs. John A. Nicol has returned from a brief visit to her mother, Mrs. Moon, in Scottsville, Albemarle county. She was accompanied by her little daughters, Misses Carey and Maryalett, who spent the summer with their grandmother.

Mr. J. W. Applegate of the firm of Applegate & Son, contractors for the town water system, left yesterday in his machine for his home in Bradford, Pa. He was accompanied by Mayor W. Hill Brown and Mr. J. I. Randall. Mr. Brown will return via Niagara Falls.

Mr. Edwin F. Cudlipp, an employee of the New York Herald, has been visiting his father-in-law, Mr. Julius Mertz, at Nokesville. He was accompanied home by his son and daughter, Miss Edith and Master Edwin Cudlipp, Jr., who spent some time visiting their grandparents.

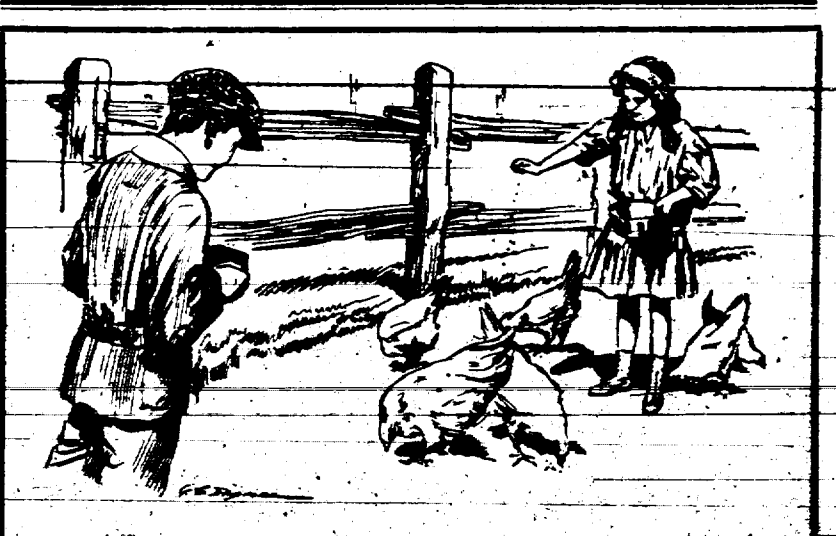
Lieut. Geo. Carr Round and Mrs. Round have returned from a northern trip. They were in Detroit for the G. A. R. encampment and also visited London, Ontario. Mrs. Round's girlhood home, points in Michigan, Buffalo, N. Y., Harrisburg, Pa., and Baltimore, where they attended the Star-Spangled Banner celebration.

Mrs. B. G. Buckingham and children, little Miss Virginia and Master Thomas Buckingham, of Essex, Mont., arrived Sunday to spend a short time with Mrs. Buckingham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hornbaker, and Mr. Buckingham's mother, Mrs. I. M. Donohoe. Little Miss Virginia will remain with her grandmother, Mrs. Donohoe, and attend school here.

ORCHARDS

NOW is the time to plan on the fall pruning and spraying of the orchards. NOW is the time to place orders for fall orchard plantings. WE prune, spray and bore apple and peach trees for ten cents a piece, up. WE take orders for, and plant the best apple and peach trees—prize winners. LET us call and give you an estimate on the work, it will cost you nothing, it can make your orchards pay. Bureau of Foresters, Tree Surgeons and Orchardists. 1920 F...

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Let them have a BROWNIE The children always enjoy taking pictures—it adds to the pleasures of the day's outing; besides, taking them is clean, educational fun. With every Kodak or Brownie purchased—a free, year's subscription to "Kodakery," a monthly magazine for the amateur photographer. Dowell's Pharmacy "THE REXALL STORE"

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Pure Distilled Ice Our new ice plant is now in operation and we furnish ice in any quantity. All orders will receive prompt and careful attention and delivery made in a courteous manner. Our plant is equipped with all modern machinery and has a capacity of ten tons a day. Visitors are invited to inspect our sanitary method of making ice. Thanking the public for their patronage and soliciting a continuance, we are, Respectfully yours, Davis Brothers Ice and Fuel Co. Dealers in Coal and Wood Manassas, Va.

FORMAL FALL OPENING

Autumn Millinery and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

Wednesday and Thursday, September 23-24, 1914

NEVER before have we been as able to care for wants of milady in the way of her wearing apparel. From feet to head we can take care of you. Our stores have been entirely remodeled to make room for our Millinery Department. So let's talk hats. The most interesting development in millinery styles for fall is a strong tendency toward larger shapes. The majority of the models being shown by Paris designers are of the sailor type, with slightly flaring brims and large crowns. The smartest styles are of black velvet. Simplicity of trimming on hats of this type is the keynote of their style. For the more conservative models we are showing a variety of smaller shapes--the small velvet turban being paramount. You are cordially invited to be present, whether or not you buy.

SOME PERTINENT COMMENT ON LADIES' SUITS.--First. Every well dressed person will have to have a new suit this season, as there has been a decided change in them. From what promised to be a short coat year has now been switched around to a coat of extreme length. Second. We have what you want--we are showing the famous Redingote model, with plain skirt and also a very stylish military design--all colors shown. Our \$10.00 number is a beauty. So let us take the "IF" out of your autumn buying. Buy here and be right.

SPECIAL.--An extraordinary opportunity to buy Children's Coats. One lot of 25 just received that were bought at a bargain.

A great showing of Ladies' and Children's Sweaters. :: A beautiful line of Ladies' Waists, with the "Divine Sarah" collar and new smart vest effects, \$1.00. :: Sole agents for American Lady and Madam Lyra Corsets, \$1.00 to \$5.00.

A SPLENDID SHOWING OF SHOES.--Presenting the newest and most authentic models for fall and winter wear. The La France for Ladies--see these shoes and learn how luxuriously you can be shod at a modest price. :: Smith's Sterling Shoes for Ladies--see these popular priced shoes at \$2.50 and \$3.00 and you will wonder how we do it--every pair warranted. :: Walkin Shoes for Children--buy these shoes for the school children and your children's shoe troubles will be settled--warranted to wear.

HELPS FOR HOUSE KEEPERS.--Beautiful Axminster and Crex Rugs--An Amazing Line of Blankets and Comforts--A Wide Range of Styles in Lace Curtains.

DRESS GOODS AND ACCESSORIES.--We are showing all the very latest creations in Serges, Crepes, Gabordines, Skirtings, Silks and Dress Materials.

IF YOU CAN'T BE HERE WRITE FOR SAMPLES.

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TRAGIC DEATH

Mrs. Minnie Waters Whedbee, wife of Mr. Thomas B. Whedbee, died yesterday afternoon at the University Hospital, at Charlottesville, from a wound inflicted while handling a revolver last Sunday morning at the family home near Manassas. The bullet entered her body just below the heart. She was taken immediately to Charlottesville, but medical skill could not effect a recovery. She was about forty years old.

No plans for the funeral are yet arranged.

Mrs. Whedbee was a daughter of Mr. R. W. Merchant, of Richmond, formerly of Manassas. Her husband and three children survive.

HAYMARKET HAPPENINGS

Rev. M. S. Eagle is spending this week with friends in Louisa county.

Miss Martha Carter left last Saturday for Fredericksburg, where she will attend the State Normal.

Miss Francis Grinnan, of Falls Church, is a guest this week of Miss Frances E. White.

Mr. Woodson H. Neock has returned to Philadelphia after a stay of some weeks at "Shirley."

Mr. Marion Hutchison spent the week end at his home here.

Mrs. A. L. M. Fuller and Miss Jean Fuller have returned to Baltimore after a stay of two months at "Meade Croft."

Mr. George Gamble, who is a student at the Episcopal High School, Alexandria, spent the week end with Mrs. C. D. S. Clarkson.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald McAll and children were recent guests of Mrs. McAll's mother, Mrs. P. L. Burwell.

Ernest Galleher, of Washington, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hutchison.

Mr. W. F. Meade has returned to his home at Braddock Heights after a visit of some weeks with his aunt, Mrs. N. F. DePasaw.

Mr. G. P. Disoway, of Staten Island, who recently rented the home of Rev. W. W. Gilliss near Haymarket, has taken possession of same and will soon be joined by Mrs. Disoway and their little daughter, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Lawrence are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Shoemaker at their home, "Winterham."

CHERRY HILL NEWS

Mr. John G. Crane launched his boat Saturday. This boat has been under construction the past summer and is a marvel of beauty. We all join Mr. Crane in wishing him many pleasant trips on the historic Potomac.

Mrs. E. M. Price, of Newark, N. J., is visiting her nephew, Mr. Crane, for a few weeks.

On Thursday evening, Sept. 10, Mr. G. E. Sutton visited Johns Hopkins hospital at Baltimore, where his sister-in-law, Miss Wigglesworth has recently been under an operation. Mr. Sutton reports her doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. W. G. Bushey last week visited her brother, Mr. Corney, who has been confined in the hospital at Fredericksburg with typhoid fever for the past three weeks. He is improving steadily.

The people of Cherry Hill were greatly grieved over the sudden death of Gladys Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks, who died suddenly on September 1. Little Miss Gladys was thirteen years old and had been ill of typhoid fever. Miss Gladys was very popular with the younger people of this community as well as with her elders, and all extend their profound sympathy to the parents.

Mrs. A. Stone has been confined to her residence several days by sickness. She is attended by a trained nurse, Miss Abell, and her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

SINGER COMING.

The people of Haymarket are much interested in a recital to be given by Mme. Adele Krueger in the Parish Hall at Haymarket on Tuesday evening, September 22. Mme. Krueger is visiting Miss Heineken, of Mill Park, and has kindly consented to sing for the benefit of the Red Cross Society.

Mme. Krueger has been singing in New York and the large Western cities in grand opera and concert for a number of years. She is a singer of great personal charm and this recital will give the people of this vicinity a rare opportunity to hear such high class music.

EASTERN COLLEGE OPENS

The sixteenth annual session of Eastern College will open Tuesday, September 29.

The registration of day (local) students is set for Tuesday, 9 to 12 m., and 2 to 4 p. m. The first faculty meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m.

On Wednesday from 9 to 12 m., and 2 to 4 p. m., entrance examinations and registration of boarding students will occur.

The public opening exercises of the college will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30. In addition to short addresses, there will be numbers by the directors of the pianoforte, vocal and expression departments. The public is most cordially invited to these exercises.

HEVIN U. ROOP, President.

ADVERTISEMENT WARNING TO THE PUBLIC

First--Prohibition workers are warned to watch for bribery. The saloon will have paid workers at every precinct where they can be obtained and will buy every vote which can be bought.

Second--Beware of attacks and misrepresentations published during the last week of the campaign, too late for an answer to reach the voters of the State. The late publication of such attacks should be sufficient proof to every fair-minded man that they can be satisfactorily answered.

Headquarters Committee, Anti-Saloon League of Virginia, Richmond, Va., Sept. 16, 1914.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Want For Sale and miscellaneous advertisements will be published under this heading at the rate of five cents a line for the first insertion, three cents a line for subsequent insertions. Advertisements for this column received until 9 o'clock Friday morning.

For Sale.--One brood sow, few shoats and Brown Leghorn cockerels, thoroughbreds. G. D. Brandt, Manassas, Va. 9-18-tf

For Sale.--Dandy little farm just out of corporation--exceptional value. Apply to Journal Office. 9-18-tf

One Day Special Sale--Saturday, between 2 and 5 p. m. Special low price for electric fixtures on orders received before Saturday, 5 p. m. 40 and 10 per cent. from list in Peters' Catalogue, bearing the name Peters; without the name, special price. Westinghouse Mazda Lamps, 25c each in connection with complete installation. H. A. Petersen. It

Apples--For the next two weeks, we will sell apples at the orchard at the following prices: Windfalls--25 cents per bushel. No. 1 picked apples--50 cents per bushel. J. B. Johnson, Clover Hill Farm. 9-18-2t

Wood sawing done on short notice; also oak and pine wood for sale, delivered in any quantity. Prices right. Phone or write G. B. Shoemaker, Manassas, Va. 9-4-3t

For Sale.--Stock cattle--We have received five cars Southwest Virginia stock cattle. If you need any, place your order quick. E. R. Conner. 8-28-tf

For Sale.--No. 6 King separator, good as new. Half price, \$32.50. A. Halterman, Nokesville, Va. 9-11-tf

For Rent.--Nice farm near Manassas. Apply to Bryan Gordon, M. I. C. Building. 9-18-tf

List of Judges and Clerks of Electors for Prince William County Sept. 22, 1914.

Cathartes--Judges--L. B. Patten, P. S. Buckley and W. H. Hoffman, clerks--C. L. Lynn and Howard Haislip. Potomac--Judges--W. W. Abel, R. A. Sanders and J. R. Fick; clerks--Frank McIner and Joe Sisson. Commissioners of Election--J. R. Evans, I. C. Jacobs, J. C. Colvin, Jr., B. W. Starke and R. E. Simpson.

THE GREAT MAJESTIC WALKING CAKE



"LIKE TRUTH CRUSHED TO EARTH WILL RISE AGAIN"

Tuesday, September 22

This wonderful cake will be baked in a MAJESTIC RANGE AIRTIGHT OVEN at our store in the morning of the above mentioned date, and at about 3:30 in the afternoon 25 ladies will stand on two planks 12 feet long placed on the cake, and crush it flat. It will then rise to its natural height about five minutes afterwards, then be cut and served to all present.

This is a fine layer cake six inches high, by 17 inches by 19 inches, jelly between each layer, and icing on top. The principal ingredient to this cake is the fact that it is baked in an airtight oven. ALL MAJESTIC RANGE ovens are perfectly airtight.

HOT COFFEE AND BISCUITS SERVED EVERY DAY DURING DEMONSTRATION WEEK

September 21st to 26th, Inclusive

Also remember the factory will give you

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one set of ware well worth \$8.00 with your order for a Majestic Range given during demonstration week.

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MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

A Recent Example Demonstrating What the State Pays Against What It Costs.

A few days ago in the village of Branchville, Southampton county, there was an occurrence which is a fair example of the cost of the liquor traffic to a community.

An able-bodied man got liquor from one of the "wet" towns of Virginia, which exercise the sacred right of "local self-government" to have open saloons, and to ship intoxicants into "dry" counties. Having filled himself with the intoxicant, which the State of Virginia licensed the liquor dealer to sell, and from the sale of which intoxicant, the State, if it had received the whole cost of the liquor, could not have received over \$2.00, the man began to pile up a bill of charges, compared with which the revenue received by the State sinks into insignificance.

First, the man went home, and instead of carrying food and clothing and pleasure, he carried a mind crazed with liquor and began to beat his wife and children in so savage and brutal a fashion that they cried for help, and the town sergeant was summoned to arrest him.

First cost of the liquor fell upon his family, badly-beaten and sight of one eye of one child thought to have been destroyed. Was there any comfort to the beaten family that the State got some trifling revenue from the sale of the liquor the father drank?

Second. The sergeant came to arrest this man, and he resisted arrest and got his shotgun and shot the officer in the thigh, shattering the bone. The sergeant was carried to a Norfolk hospital, where he must remain for some time, and his leg is left him, it will always be a weak and defective member.

Second cost of the liquor: The State got its revenue, but the sergeant and his friends had to pay the cost of railroad fare to Norfolk, the cost of surgical operation, the hospital charges for many days, and had to give up a good sound limb for a weak one. The sergeant's family were obliged to suffer the severe shock of the shooting and to be separated from the father, the breadwinner of the family.

Third. The intoxicated man was put in jail to await his trial, and will be boarded at the expense of the county until his trial. In the meantime he will be taken out of the ranks of the laborers of the State and will not help to make or save crops, or do any other kind of work to profit the community. During his confinement in jail there will be a dead loss to the community of his board and of wages for the time of confinement. His family will be deprived of his earnings and will in all probability require assistance from the community.

Fourth. The man will be tried in the court. The fees of witnesses, of jurors, and of all the court officers, clerk, sheriff, Commonwealth's attorney and time of the judge will all be a charge

against the taxpayers of the State. The man will doubtless be sentenced to the penitentiary for many years. The State must pay the railroad fare of the criminal and of the officer who will guard him on the way to the penitentiary.

Fifth. The man's family will lose his earnings for the several years he is in the penitentiary. The sergeant will never be as strong and as efficient as he was before he was shot by the man changed by intoxicating liquor into a crazed brute.

The above is one single example of what the "wet" cities do for the county, and a feeble attempt to estimate the cost of the saloon.

How pitiful is the revenue compared with the cost of the State in dollars and cents in criminal expenses, second. The cost to the community caused by the withdrawal of an able-bodied man from the labor of the community to put him in the penitentiary; third. The cost of the community by reason of the impaired efficiency of the citizen with a shattered thigh bone; fourth: The cost in bruised and beaten bodies of the man's family, and their loss for years of the wages of the father; fifth: The heavy cost to the sergeant of a shattered body of nervous shock, of railroad and hospital bills, and of impaired efficiency, and the cost to his family resulting from these things.

Is it not clearly evident to any sensible man, that not only does the State lose heavily in actual cash paid out for criminal expenses, but that the loss suffered by the community, and these families concerned is many, many times greater than the direct cost to the taxpayers. —Richmond Virginian.

SUBSCRIBER'S NOTE. — Vote whiskey out for the boys' sake; for no drunkards can get to heaven. For the girls' sake that there be no broken hearted mothers and crippled children. "For at last it biteth like a serpent and stingeth like an adder."

Then be sure to pray and vote for state-wide prohibition. — A. Conper.

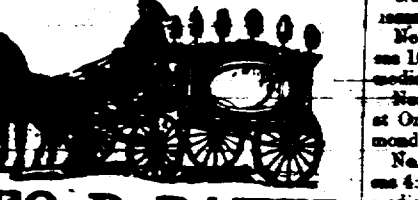
Sow Crimson Clover and Save Fertilizer Bills

The indications are that prices of fertilizer the coming season will be much higher than usual, owing to the fact that the supply of fertilizer materials will be largely cut off on account of the European war. This should cause farmers everywhere to put land in crops that will save fertilizer bills. Nothing will do this better than Crimson Clover. It is unquestionably one of the best soil-improvers that can be put in, and wherever it is grown, it gives largely increased crops of corn, cotton and tobacco.

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NORTHBOUND: No. 18—Except Sunday, local from Warrenton to Washington, 6:54 a. m. No. 16—Daily through train between Manassas and Washington, 9:10 a. m. No. 114—Except Sunday. Arrive Manassas 10:45 a. m., from Warrenton and intermediate points. Pullman Parlor Car. No. 10—Daily local, 1:10 p. m. Connects at Orange with C. & O. Railway from Richmond and Gordonsville. No. 112—Except Sunday. Arrive Manassas 4:10 p. m., from Warrenton and intermediate points. No. 44—Daily through train between Manassas and Washington, 6:25 p. m. No. 36—Daily through train, connects and sleeping cars for Washington and New York, 8:25 p. m., stops on flag. Receives connection daily except Sunday, at Orange from C. & O. from Richmond and Gordonsville.

MANASSAS - HARRISONBURG BRANCH

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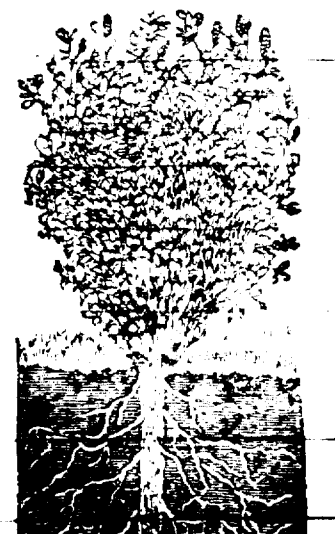
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Wednesday, September 16, 1914

at 2 o'clock p. m. on the premises, for cash, all that certain parcel of land, with all improvements thereon, lying and being situated on West Street, in the Town of Manassas, in the County of Stafford, Virginia, adjoining the lands of Shannon, Chapman, West Street and West Alley, and running with said street and alley sixty feet and with Shannon and Chapman 22 1/2 feet, being a lot 60x22 1/2 feet and where the late Louise Schultz resided at the time of her death.

This property has a nice dwelling thereon, the same having a bath room, etc., ready to be connected to the town water system. Same can be inspected by applying to either of the undersigned.

W. N. LIPSCOMB, H. THORNTON DAVIES, Executors.

J. P. KFRID, Auctioneer. N-14-5t

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Louise Schultz will please present to the undersigned a claim duly authenticated. All claims due the said decedent should be paid promptly.

W. N. LIPSCOMB, H. THORNTON DAVIES, Executors.

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In that quiet place of
 June 1914, who died
 all meet in the happy home where
 there are no sorrows.

That grave yard softly sleeping,
 Where the trees so quietly wave,
 How the one we love most dearly,
 In the one and sweet grave.

Dearest of our lives, we have placed
 In the peaceful grave's embrace,
 You can never be forgotten,
 Your kind and loving face.

Although four months have rolled away
 Since you passed from our view,
 Our hearts still long for you today,
 The dearest one we knew.

We shall meet, but we shall miss him,
 There will be one vacant chair,
 We shall linger to caress him,
 While we breathe our evening prayer.

True they tell us wreaths of glory
 Evermore will deck his brow,
 But this soothes the anguish only,
 Sweeping over our heart strings now.

Sleep today, oh, gently fallen
 In the green and narrow bed,
 Thoughts are in our hearts forever,
 And mingle with the tears we shed.

Oh, for grace our hearts to soften,
 Teach us Lord at length to love,
 We alas forget too often
 What a friend we have above.

Written by his fond and loving friend,
 Bristow, Va. DORA V. LANGYER.

LETTER FROM TRAVELLER

Continued From First Page

outside the harbor, and finally a
 pilot came on board and took us
 in. We heard afterwards he was
 guiding the boat over the mines
 in the harbor.

There were only two and a half
 precious days in England instead
 of the nine our trip called for.
 We drove through the most inter-
 esting parts of London, and
 found the city very quiet. Next
 morning a few of us managed to
 find time to go to Westminster
 Abbey, and got a special guide to
 show us through the great
 church, which with its monu-
 ments and tombs of England's
 illustrious dead, is a perfect epi-
 tome of her history. On our way
 to Liverpool, we had three pre-
 cious hours at Stratford-on-Avon,
 saw Shakespeare's home, his
 tomb in Holy Trinity Church, and
 had a drive across the lovely
 Warwickshire country to Anne
 Hathaway's cottage at Shottery,
 which is a perfect bit of 16th
 Century England handed down
 to our own time.

Next day, the 25th, our party
 sailed for America from Liver-
 pool on one of the English lines.

The ship went much out of her
 way to the north to avoid the
 German warships reported to be
 coming up from the West Indies.
 The voyage was accordingly
 rough and cold with several
 heavy fogs off the Newfoundland
 coast.

In spite of the many excite-
 ments caused by the war, the
 trip for the most has been de-
 lightful, the only trouble being
 the loss of some of the journey,
 and the thought of the misfor-
 tunes and suffering now going on
 in the countries of unhappy
 Europe. May the war by its own
 terrible momentum soon come to
 a speedy close.

E. H. OSBOURN.

the demand for day-old chicks.
 Last year 5,000 day-old chicks,
 and orders were received for six
 thousand more that could not be
 furnished. Ten cents each is re-
 ceived for these chicks, which
 gives a fairly good profit.

The young chicks are placed in
 the hovers of the brooder house
 where they are fed a commer-
 cial feed for at least two weeks.

A little dry chopped straw is
 placed in the brooders and it is
 not necessary to clean this out
 under one month or six weeks
 for the manure dries very soon.
 At the end of two weeks they
 can be put on a dry mash; the
 Purina dry mash is used on "Lu-
 cerne Farm." When they are a
 little older sprouted oats can be
 given and some beef scrap should
 be fed. After the weather gets
 a little warmer, the chicks can
 be permitted to go outside of the
 brooder house into small pens for
 sun and air. Give plenty of the
 right kind of feed and give it to
 the chicks regularly. Much de-
 pends on water. They should
 always have all the good clean
 water that they can drink.

As soon as the roosters are
 large enough for broilers they
 are sold to the market at the
 nearest town of Culpeper. The
 leghorns do not demand high
 prices as broilers so as much can
 be realized from them there as
 could be had from shipping to
 Philadelphia or any other market.

While Mr. Bicknell and Mr.
 Connable have been making
 money from the chickens, the
 chickens have been making the
 farm rich from the large quanti-
 ties of manure that have been
 produced. A poor farm in the
 beginning has been made rich so
 that bumper crops of every va-
 riety are grown.

There is money in the poultry
 business. It must have careful
 attention and have business
 methods applied. It is almost
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NOTES FROM ADEN

Meeting at Aden U. B. Church
 goes on with good attendance
 and will go over Sunday night.

Mrs. Jetson Crider, of Rock-
 ingham county, is visiting her
 father, Rev. W. Brill, at
 this place.

Floyd Brill killed a hawk that
 measured 54 inches from tip to
 tip of wings.

Mrs. J. P. Smith has gone to
 Rockingham to visit friends.

Rev. Mr. Brill will start for
 conference Wednesday. Confer-
 ence convenes at Westport, Md.

Mrs. Edmonds is visiting Mrs.
 Jas. Arnold and attending meet-
 ing at Aden.

Rev. Mr. Brill will preach his
 last sermon for the conference
 year at Buckhall, Sunday, Sep-
 tember 20, at 3 p. m.

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Report of the Condition of the Peoples National Bank at Manassas, in the State of Virginia, at the Close of Business September 17, 1914.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$226,721.95
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,725.82
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits	1,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc. (other than U. S. Bonds)	100.00
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures	15,500.00
Due from National Banks and other agents	897.44
Due from State and Private Banks and Savings Banks, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	141.00
Due from approved reserve agents in Central Reserve Cities	2,576.2
Checks and other cash items	52,314.23
Notes of other National Banks	17,951.02
Practical paper currency, notes and coins	21,251.95
Other cash items	794.00
U. S. Notes	250.00
Total	\$320,941.79

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	11,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	5,226.14
Reserve for taxes	300.00
National Bank notes outstanding	29,400.00
Due to other National Banks	72.15
Dividends unpaid	30.00
Individual deposits subject to check	227,884.23
Demand certificates of deposit	280.00
Time certificates of deposit	11.00
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I, G. RAYMOND RATCLIFFE, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. RAYMOND RATCLIFFE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of September, 1914.

L. M. JONES, Notary Public.

What a Dollar Will Buy

On Saturday, Sept. 19th

One-half dozen Cups and Saucers	1 Medium Nappy
One-half dozen Dinner Plates	1 Small Meat Platter
1 Large Meat Platter	2 Vegetable Dishes

What \$5.00 Will Buy

10 Pounds Sugar	3 Cans Corn
10 Pounds Country Meat	3 Cans Tomatoes
1 Peck Meal	2 Large Mackerel
1 Pound Arbuckles' Coffee	5 Pounds Salt
1 Peck Potatoes	1-16 Sack Table Bell Flour
1 Can Best Syrup	2 Pounds Rice
1 Can Pink Salmon	1 Can Fish Roe
1 Dozen Best Potomac Herring	1 Pound Best Cheese
1 Pound Package Bread Soda	6 Cakes Soap, Any Kind

We sell for cash, which gives you an opportunity to get full value for every cent spent. You pay for what you get and not for what the other fellow got and failed to pay for.

As a special feature for this date, we are offering with every \$5.00 purchase a set of enamel ware, consisting of 6 quart preserve kettle, 4 quart sauce pan, 4 quart utility pan and a 4 quart bake pan for only 80 cents. This set can not be purchased for less than \$1.50.

We carry a complete line of Five and Ten Cent Goods, and all the latest music.

We are agents for the Oliver Typewriter, and can give you terms that will satisfy.

FALL OPENING

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS

Sept. 24 & 25

My stock consists of the latest styles in Millinery, Notions and Dress Trimmings

Thanking my friends and the public generally for their past favors, and asking a continuance of same, I am,

Very respectfully,

Mrs. R. J. Adamson

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I, WESTWOOD HUTCHISON, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WESTWOOD HUTCHISON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of September, 1914.

L. M. JONES, Notary Public.

My commission expires August 12, 1915.

CONNECT-ATTEST: A. CONNER, J. R. HORN, Directors.

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Bethel High School, Occoquan district, began the session Monday with an enrollment of 16 pupils in the high school department, 13 in the grammar school and 16 in the primary.

The high school, Mr. Richard C. Hayden, of Manassas, principal, has scholars from Occoquan, Dumfries, Minnieville, Chantilly and Emory Chapel. Additional scholars are expected from Headley, Woodbridge and Ferrisview.

The grammar school is in charge of Miss Lucy May Baskin, of Bristow. Miss Ida Lee Glasscock, of Agnewville, is primary