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FARMERS MET ON FRIDAY

Mr. Scott and Professor Hutcheson Gave Instructive Talks.

NEXT MEETING ON NOVEMBER 19TH

Classes and Functions of Feeds Thoroughly Treated—Kinds of Plows in Use and Advantages of Fall Plowing, Especially in Its Relation to Subsoiling. Discussed at First Fall Meeting—Small Attendance.

[By B. K. Watson, Director Manassas Agricultural High School]

The Northern Virginia Farmers' Institute met in regular session at the courthouse last Friday at 11 o'clock, with President Westwood Hutchison presiding. The institute ratified the action of the executive committee in electing Prof. B. K. Watson as secretary. Mr. Joseph Johnson was elected treasurer.

The first speaker on the program was Mr. George A. Scott, Animal Industry Division, Bureau of Animal Industry, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., who made a very interesting address on "Feeds and Feeding." He discussed the subject of composition of feeds, taking up the three classes of feeds; those rich in protein, those rich in carbohydrates and those containing an abundance of fat.

The animal body was compared to an engine in that it required fuel to furnish energy as an engine required fuel to furnish power. Mr. Scott discussed the composition of the animal's body and that the body not only needed food for maintenance, but required, over and above this, food to convert into flesh, milk, etc.

Mr. Scott said that feeding standards were valuable as a guide to the proper feeding of animals and the feeder, even though he may not refer to any standard which someone has worked out, has, in his mind, a certain standard by which he is governed in the feeding of his live stock. Standards are not to be followed literally, but to be used as a guide only. These standards give the feeder the amounts of protein, carbohydrates and fat required by certain animals in order that the maximum returns may be obtained from the feeds fed.

The different feeds were classified under three heads; concentrates, roughage and succulent feeds. Corn, oats, bran, etc., representing the concentrates, the hays and fodder representing roughage and green feeds and silage representing succulent feeds.

Mr. Scott spoke of the function in the animal body of each of the compounds in feeds. The protein or nitrogenous part of the feed furnishes the animal with material for the building up of tissue, the production of blood, the formation of hair, hoof, etc., and the production of muscle. The carbohydrates or starches and sugars furnish heat and energy and store up fat in the animal body as does fat. He spoke of the importance of feeding animals a ration properly balanced, that is containing the proper amount of each of these constituents. He mentioned corn, grass hay, silage, etc., as feeds rich in carbohydrates and oats, bran, clover hay, etc., as feeds rich in protein.

Prof. T. B. Hutcheson, of the State Experiment Station at Blacksburg, mentioned an experiment conducted at the station in which a lot of cows were fed on a ration consisting of corn, clover hay and silage. The milk that stopped completely and

ENSIGN KETCHAM DEAD

Former Resident of Manassas Passed Away Last Saturday.

When we learn of the passing away of those with whom we associated in our younger days, there is always a pang of sorrow and also a reminder that we too are facing the western sun. It is with this feeling we chronicle the death of a long time resident of Manassas. The family came early to Virginia and located on a farm a few miles below town.

Ensign Ketcham, 70 years old, died October 23rd, at the home of his daughter in White Lake, N. Y., after a lingering illness of many months. He was an industrious, upright young man, respected and esteemed by all who knew him, and so continued to the end of life. His first wife died several years ago. He is survived by a second wife, two sisters, Mrs. A. B. Davis, of Clarendon, Va., and Mrs. Emma Loveland, of Pittston, Pa., and a brother, Mr. Theo. Ketcham, of Capitol Heights, Md.

"Passed out but not forever from our hearts. Already there a flower of memory starts. That holds as sweet and clear as memory can. Your golden record as a friend and man." E. D. DAVY, Relay, Md., Oct. 25, 1915.

MANY PERMITS GRANTED

Town Council Asked to Have The Davis Property Made Safe and Sanitary.

The regular monthly meeting of the town council for October was held Monday evening at the town hall. Present were the mayor and seven councilmen. After the reading and approval of the minutes of the previous meeting the mayor called for reports from all committees.

Councilman O. E. Newman, of the public safety committee, reported the Davis property at Main street and railroad avenue in an unsafe and unsanitary condition. He recommended that the council take steps to bring about the improvement of the conditions found. Mr. H. Lawson reported that the disposal plant is in good working order. On motion, duly seconded, it was ordered that the public safety committee examine the old hose rack and if found in bad condition to have it removed.

A number of bills were ordered paid and two fines were reported. Building permits were granted as follows: To M. C. Doggett to erect a dwelling on his lot, corner of Maple and Cherry street. To M. D. Williams to erect a 10x12 foot shed on his lot, corner Center street and Grant avenue. To H. D. Wenrich to add to his garage on Center street. To Daniel Lomax to add to his dwelling on Grant avenue. On motion, duly recorded, it was ordered that Councilman O. E. Newman be appointed a committee of one to make such arrangements as he thinks necessary to put the fire apparatus in perfect condition for use and to make such condition permanent.

PRINCE WILLIAM VOTERS

On account of the illness of my wife, who is now in the hospital, and on account of other matters of business, I failed to notify the clerk of the court as provided by law, twenty days before election in order to get my name on the ballot for Tuesday's election. I complied with the law for the primary and filed my petition with my affidavit in the clerk's office, but, as stated, failed to notify the clerk for the general election. Therefore, it will be necessary for all who vote for me to write C. J. Meetze on the ballot on a line provided for that purpose. I am sorry I failed to do this, but it cannot be helped now.

I have tried by the help of the Lord to serve the people fairly, justly and earnestly and refer you to the Journal of the House for my record. I shall do my best in the future for all of the people, whether you vote for me or not, because I will be the representative of the people. I am deeply grateful for your support. Very sincerely and truly yours, C. J. MEETZE

"FARM FOLKS" AT EASTERN

Miss Mozer Stars in Play at College Saturday Evening—Orchestra Furnishes Music.

A good laugh was had by all who attended the presentation of "Farm Folks" by students of Eastern College last Saturday evening at the college auditorium. The play, while lacking in finish and thorough smoothness, was well-presented and the selection of characters could hardly have been better. Very little practice had been put upon the play and the cast was further handicapped by the illness of Miss Bushong, whose part had to be filled at the "eleventh hour" by Miss Martin, under whom the play was given. The entire cast should be complimented upon the success they made of the play.

Miss Ernestine Mozer, who took the part of a nervous old lady who ran a boarding house, was the star. Her playing was fine and every point, no matter how small, was given just the right degree of emphasis. Miss C. E. Fetzer, the farmer's wife, acted her part in a fine manner. The home-like atmosphere she created would be hard to duplicate on a local stage.

Mr. Hal D. Ramsay made good as the young, gawky, country jack-of-all-trades who finally succeeded in annexing a wife. His costumes were well chosen to bring a laugh and his good impersonations of the "country jake" kept the audience in a good humor. Mr. Henry W. Neville made a fine old farmer. His manner throughout the entire play was that of the man of the soil.

Musical selections were rendered before the play and between acts by the Eastern College Orchestra. Unfortunately two members of the six could not be present and thus the initial appearance of the musicians was greatly handicapped. The people of Manassas and vicinity should attend more largely the plays and concerts which are given at Eastern. Every one of them is worthy of patronage and the amusing and entertaining features afforded are of a high order. Local support of these affairs would insure an even greater excellent of future productions.

MRS. SAUNDERS HOSTESS

Fairview Good Housekeeping Club Entertained Saturday, October 16.

Although the weather of Saturday afternoon, October 16, was unpleasant, the members of Fairview Good Housekeeping Club met at the home of Mrs. F. R. Saunders where we were cordially entertained until twilight.

Our worthy president, Mrs. G. D. Brandt, having moved away, our vice-president, presided. While the club reluctantly gives up its president it is glad to have such an able vice-president as Mrs. G. W. Merchant. The business session was taken up with a discussion of plans for the coming exhibit and other matters. Our topic—bread and cake making—was carried over until the next meeting which will be held at the home of Mrs. G. W. Merchant on Saturday, November 20.

Following the business session, Mrs. Saunders served delicious refreshments. She was assisted in the serving by her little son and daughter. After this the meeting adjourned. It is hoped that all our members will be present at the next meeting. Mrs. G. D. HINER, Sec'y.

Payments Made on Addition.

The following subscribers to the fund for building the new addition to the Ruffner Building have paid the amounts opposite their names: R. L. Johnson, \$10.00; S. S. Kozier, \$5.00; J. H. ... \$2.00; ... \$2.00. Total being limited the meeting adjourned.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING

State Secretary Diggs Made Two Addresses at County Convention Here Saturday.

The Prince William County Sunday School Convention met in the Presbyterian Church, Manassas, on Saturday, October 23rd, beginning at 10 o'clock. The county convention was preceded by a meeting of the Sunday School Association of Manassas District.

MORNING SESSION

The convention was called to order by the president, Rev. A. Conner, devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. E. A. Roads and reports were received from the district superintendents. The following districts were represented: Brentsville district—Mr. W. B. Kerlin; Gainesville district—Mr. Charles R. McDonald, (seven schools); Manassas district—Hon. Geo. C. Round, (twelve schools); and Coles district—Mr. A. R. Lowe.

Ocoquan and Dumfries districts were not represented, the vice-presidents of these districts, Messrs. L. Ledman and G. M. Ratcliffe, respectively, being absent.

Addresses were then made by Mrs. F. T. Isreal and Miss Katherine Groh. Both addresses were very interesting and listened to closely. Mrs. Westwood Hutchison's report on departmental work was then made, after which "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" was sung.

Mrs. Geo. C. Round gave a report of her work as temperance superintendent. This report was to the point and was adopted. Dr. H. U. Roop then addressed the convention very forcefully on the importance of the teachers' training department. An address on "Why Schools Fail to Attend Conventions," by State Secretary T. C. Diggs, was very fine.

AFTERNOON SESSION

At 2 o'clock the afternoon session was opened by the singing of the hymn, "I Love to Tell the Story," reading of the 32nd Psalm and prayer by Rev. J. W. Brill. Reports from individual schools were made by the following delegates: Continued on Eighth Page

GOOD TALK BY MISS HUNT

Gives Address on "Well-Balanced Meals" at Auxiliary Meeting.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Northern Virginia Farmers' Institute held its first meeting of the session 1915-16 at the Ruffner Building, on Friday, October 22, a good number of the members being present.

Miss Hunt, of the Bureau of Home Economics, of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, was present and gave us an interesting talk on well-balanced meals, saying in part much of her "thunder had been stolen"—first by Mr. Hutcheson, of Blacksburg, in his talk on balanced rations for stock, and secondly by Miss Metz's well-balanced meal served at the noon hour to the farmers.

She said in effect that the housewife must work to greater efficiency with less labor, i. e., there must not be so many duplicates in a meal. Foods should be grouped in triads, each containing a starch, a protein, and a vegetable. In starches, bread standing first, well baked, good crust, crisp, crumbly not gummy; cereals forming half of one's nourishment. Second comes protein, rich as found in all meats, fish, poultry, eggs, etc. Third, the roughage as found in vegetables.

The house mother must keep 7 points constantly in mind: starch, fat, fruit, protein, sweets, acids, condiments, and save her strength and time by duplicating nothing necessary to form a well-balanced meal. The meeting adjourned.

TAX REPORT SUBMITTED

Mr. W. N. Lipscomb Unearths Enormous Amounts of Bonds, Stocks, Etc.

More than \$5,000,000 worth of bonds, stocks and other intangible personal property, owned by residents of Alexandria city and not reported by their owners for taxation, has been unearthed by Mr. W. N. Lipscomb, examiner of records of the sixteenth judicial circuit, who has just filed with the local board of tax review his report of omitted intangible property for the past five years. \$5,305,925 is the exact sum on which Mr. Lipscomb reports should have taxes assessed. In the list are included the names of about fifty of Alexandria's richest and most prominent business men, and several women, who have failed to report their wealth.

The local board of taxation has gone on record as opposing the consideration of omitted taxes at this time and will defer their consideration until after the current assessments have been disposed of.—Alexandria Gazette.

COME TO "COUNTRY FAIR"

Manassas High School Students Promise a Big Time Monday Evening at M. I. C. Bldg.

If you are not calculating on taking in the "country fair" at the M. I. C. Building on Monday evening you are either overlooking or ignoring one of the most pleasant evening's entertainments that has been afforded the people of Manassas for a long time. The fair is under the auspices of the athletic association of the local high school and should receive the patronage of everyone.

Get it out of your head that the fair will be a dry, uninteresting event. The way the boys and girls of the high school have worked on it this week makes us feel confident that everything will be given as promised by us last week. The funny side of the event is going to be taken care of and if you don't laugh on Monday evening at the many amusing features shown at the M. I. C. Building it will be because you can't laugh, even though something were to tickle you.

Among the many interesting features which are being arranged for are two palmist's booths, an Italian booth (where pop corn, peanuts, chestnuts, candy, ice cream, cake, etc., will be for sale), "The World's Greatest Wonder," a voting contest in which the ugliest man will be presented with a fine cake, and another big feature, the better baby contest.

The gate admission will be only ten cents. To be sure you are expected to bring along some more money in order to buy some refreshments and to take in the "side shows." There will be many free attractions and you will greatly enjoy every one and you are requested to come even though you only pay the gate admission. If you can spend more you will certainly do so when you once get under the "spell" of the country fair which begins at 7 o'clock Monday evening at the M. I. C. Building.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

Mr. C. J. Meetze failed to file with the clerk of the circuit court, his notice of candidacy for the House of Delegates, as required by law, and hence his name will not appear on the official ballot to be voted on Tuesday next. He is, nevertheless, the regular nominee of the democratic party, for the House of Delegates and should receive the support of all loyal democrats.

Whether personally acceptable to each voter, is not the question; he is the nominee, and as such should be supported. As chairman of the democratic party of Prince William county, I call upon each and every democrat to vote for Mr. Meetze.

BENEFIT OF PLAYGROUNDS

Dinner to Be Given by Manassas Patrons' League Nov. 19th.

MEDICAL INSPECTION IS POSTPONED

Miss Osbourn Discusses Need of Winter Playgrounds—Dinner at Next Farmers' Institute for This Benefit—Speaker on Playgrounds for Next Institute—Discussion of School Inspection at Next Meeting.

[Communicated]

The first fall meeting of the Manassas Patrons' League took place at the high school last Friday, October 22nd, in connection with the sessions of the Northern Virginia Farmers' Institute and the Woman's Auxiliary. Although the meeting was deferred till a late hour in reference to changes in the program in regard to some of the speakers, several important matters were brought up for discussion, especially that of providing more playground equipment for the schools.

Miss Osbourn urged the necessity of making some provision for a winter playground for the high school boys as the out-door ball games could not be carried on in the winter and there was no place in the building in which they could either play or exercise. At slight expense several pieces of gymnastic apparatus could be put up in a sheltered corner of the school yard and some means of exercise and entertainment could thus be furnished through the long winter months.

It was also suggested that the amount needed for the equipment might be raised by the patrons giving the farmers' institute dinner at the November meeting of the institute and charging a little more than the usual price. A good attendance could then be expected as the yearly corn and agricultural exhibit would be held and also the exhibit of the good housekeepers' clubs. Also, as many of the ladies would have much to do in arranging the exhibit, it was suggested that the domestic science class should prepare the dinner if the patrons would contribute towards the materials. Some discussion arose as to whether a basket picnic dinner would not be better, but Mrs. Dogan's motion to the effect of giving the institute dinner was finally carried.

Suggestions were then made to carry the matter further and to take steps to provide some equipment for the graded school playground also. It was proposed that another dinner or entertainment be given later for this, and that, in the meantime, a speaker be gotten to bring before the patrons of the schools the whole question of providing adequate playground facilities for the children, not only as a means of securing physical vigor and health, but also as one of the best possible moral safeguards. If the schools and the town could have a well equipped playground, in charge of a trained director the year round, most of the evils that now beset the children on the streets could be done away with and the young people would have a chance to grow up healthy in body and clean in mind.

Mr. Hutchison, as president of the farmers' institute, discussed the place on the next meeting program for the playground problem and a committee was appointed. Miss Osbourn, Mrs. Martin and Superintendent T. B. Hutcheson were appointed to see that the matter was taken up at the next meeting. At Mr. Hutchison's suggestion the next meeting will be held at the high school and the speaker will be Mr. C. J. Meetze. It was suggested that the meeting be held at each school to see what equipment it would be best to have. The fall was

also appointed to make arrangements for the institute dinner: Mrs. Frank Dogan, Mrs. Ashby Lewis, Mrs. D. H. Prescott, Mrs. J. J. Conner, Mrs. A. E. Spies, Mrs. Wm. Haydon, Mrs. T. J. Broadus, Mrs. Boston Steele, Mrs. G. D. Hiner and Mrs. R. L. Johnson.

The meeting was so hurried, on account of the late hour, that the matter of continuing the effort for securing medical inspection in the schools, which was carried on so extensively last year, had to be held over till the next meeting. It will be remembered that at the last meeting of the patrons league in May a reading contest was conducted for the children of the primary grades, and the proceeds of the entertainment were given to the fund which the school leagues of the county had undertaken to raise in order to secure the promised state aid for the medical survey of the schools.

Mr. Tyler stated that nearly a hundred dollars was now in hand for the expenses of the inspection, but that the matter of beginning the work would have to be held over for awhile, as the State Board of Health was not yet ready with the promised aid.

It is to be hoped that the school patrons, both of the town and the county, will not lose the interest already aroused in this work of securing permanent medical inspection in the schools, but will continue their efforts on account of its really vital importance to the community, if only from the standpoint of preventing the spread of contagious diseases. The fact that diphtheria has again broken out and that one of the schools in the lower part of the county has had to be closed for that reason, is certainly a grim reminder of the need of more organization in the safeguarding of the public health.

OFFICERS OF ELECTION.

Names of Judges, Clerks and Commissioners of Tuesday's Election.

MANASSAS DISTRICT
Manassas—Judges—Messrs. Geo. D. Baker, J. R. Evans and E. K. Mitchell. Clerks—Messrs. P. A. Lipscomb and W. J. Adamson.

Wellington—Judges—Messrs. A. H. Compton, W. P. Larkin and A. S. Robertson. Clerks—Messrs. W. P. Monroe and H. Swart.

GAINESVILLE DISTRICT
Haymarket—Judges—Messrs. I. C. Jacobs, Frank Pinkett and Eugene Keyser. Clerks—Messrs. Frank Mayhugh and E. F. Triplett.

Hickory Grove—Judges—Messrs. Edward Wilson, W. C. Latham and J. E. Downs. Clerks—Messrs. Tyler Branough and T. R. Galleher.

Waterford—Judges—Messrs. H. Hendershell, R. R. Smith and R. O. Mayhugh. Clerks—Messrs. R. B. Gosson and W. M. Foley.

Catharpin—Judges—Messrs. L. B. Pattie, F. S. Buckley and W. H. Hoffman. Clerks—Messrs. C. L. Lynn and Howard Haislip.

BRENTSVILLE DISTRICT
Brentsville—Judges—Messrs. John M. Keys, R. A. Cooper and Richard Donivan. Clerks—Messrs. S. E. Spitzer and R. H. Keys.

Nokesville—Judges—Messrs. W. R. Free, L. A. Marsteller and A. V. McMichael. Clerks—Messrs. H. J. Jones and B. T. Hedrick.

Greenwich—Judges—Messrs. H. M. House, H. A. Boley and Wallace Wood. Clerks—Messrs. M. M. Washington and Louis Maybugh.

Aden—Judges—Messrs. J. C. Colvin, J. J. Rowe and J. W. Shank. Clerks—Messrs. Benj. Sayres and J. R. Smith.

DUMFRIES DISTRICT
Dumfries—Judges—Messrs. L. E. Merchant, M. J. Keys and Dr. D. C. Cline. Clerks—Messrs. Warfield Brawner and Claude Brawner.

Potomac—Judges—Messrs. W. W. Abel, R. A. Saunders and J. E. Fick. Clerks—Messrs. Frank McIntosh and Joseph Simon.

Joplin—Judges—Messrs. Wm. Crow, Lewis Lanning and Elina Miller. Clerks—Messrs. R. G. W. Keys and W. T. Abel.

OCOQUAN DISTRICT
Ocoquan—Judges—Messrs. E. S. Brockett, Redman Selezman and Edward Hammill. Clerks—Messrs. Henry Carter and A. B. Rogers.

Hoadley—Judges—Messrs. Ezekiah Reid, R. E. Simpson and H. B. Fairfax. Clerks—Messrs. Walter Davis and R. T. Crouch.

COLES DISTRICT
Independent Hill—Judges—Messrs. R. W. Storke, Benj. Lowe and Reuben Robinson. Clerks—Messrs. J. S. Storke and Arthur Woodyard.

Horton—Judges—Messrs. Clifton Sutward, W. F. George and Oscar Duffey. Clerks—Messrs. Harry Rails and May...

... Messrs. Robert Corn... Messrs. W. S. Smith and H. M. ...

COLES DISTRICT'S VOTERS.

Mr. T. M. Russell Challenges Several Statements Made by Mr. W. J. Carter.

In Mr. W. J. Carter's speech at Kopp, Va., on October 16, 1915, also at Independent Hill, Va., at night, Mr. Carter stated that the Board of Supervisors of Prince William County has wasted the county's money on several occasions; that we hired a detective for the town of Manassas to catch the men who sold whiskey in Manassas, which, he said, we paid him two hundred dollars or more for his work, and that there was nothing done; all they had done was to stay around and get the money, and he said now just look where the county's money goes.

I called Mr. Carter down in his speech and told him that we did not do any such thing; that it was false; that I had never heard of it before, but he seemed to doubt my word, and I think he did, as he came up to Independent Hill the same night and told the same over, which I was told so through a good party.

Now, my friends and fellow citizens of Coles District, I will safely say that it isn't so; that Mr. Carter told what was not so; that I have investigated the matter and the town of Manassas had the work done; every cent of it was paid out of the town of Manassas, neither the county or Coles District had to pay a cent of it, as all employees of the town are paid by the people of Manassas.

Mr. Carter also stated that Coles District did not have as much as a shovel to work with on the road. I also say that that isn't so; I had the large Austin and Weston machine and engine this year and can get it most any time I want it, as it belongs to the three districts below the run—Ocoquan, Dumfries and Coles. And there are two drags in this district and scoop, hoes, and shovels, and some right by Mr. Carter.

Now, my friends, all I ask you to do is this: Just see who is telling the truth. You can ask any of the business men in Manassas and see what they say about it; I don't ask you all to take my word for it.

It has also been stated that I showed partiality with the district money. That is also false as I have spent just as much in Mr. Carter's part of the district as in my own. The reason why the roads are better worked on this side of the district is because the people either worked as the road or went down in their pockets and paid for it. In March, 1912, we raised \$277 at one good roads meeting, and since I have been supervisor at least \$400 have been raised in private subscriptions for work on the roads and I have the names and amounts on record here for anyone who wants to see them.

In regard to the location of the state road in this district, will say that as this road could not reach every man's farm, I located it where it would benefit the most people in my district, for every one knows that the people of the upper end of the district have easy access to the railroad over the state road already built in Brentsville District, while those of the lower end had no good road to the railroad at all and everyone knows that the quicker we can get our produce to market the more we can sell and it also increases the value of our real estate so that is why I located it where it is.

Now, my friends, if you think Mr. Carter will do the best part by the district it will be alright to vote for him, although I think Mr. Carter ought to have come out in the primary if he had been a democrat (he has told some he was a democrat and some he was a republican.) I was nominated by the democratic party and I have always voted democratic in all elections, and if reelected, I will do the best I can for the district.

FARMERS MET ON FRIDAY

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The cows got down unable to walk. When a little cotton seed meal, which is rich in protein, was added to the ration the cows began to improve and as the meal in the ration was increased the animals were soon in a normal condition and producing milk. In the afternoon, Prof. Hutcheson spoke on "Plowing for Spring Crops" and gave the farmers a great deal of good advice regarding this important subject.

The first topic taken up was the kinds of plows. The disc plow which is suited to dry and hard land where there is a great deal of rubbish to be plowed under; the sod plow, which has a long, gradually sloping mouldboard suited for turning sod; the pulverizing plow, with a steep mouldboard, which is used for pulverizing the soil. The disc coulter and the joiner coulter or miniature plow were recommended, the former for plowing under cowpeas, etc., and the latter for sod.

Professor Hutcheson recommended shallow plowing, especially for grass, inasmuch as this crop feeds on the available plant food in the top soil. If the top soil is turned under, the plants have to live on the plant food in the subsoil turned up. The soil should be plowed as deep as possible, in order to deepen the soil, although the required depth should be reached gradually and we should never go more than two or three inches deeper each year.

The farmers were advised to start plowing just as soon as the crops were out of the way in the fall, as early in November as possible. Professor Hutcheson gave the following advantages of fall plowing: 1. Fall plowing gets the subsoil on top in time for the frost to pulverize it. 2. Fall plowing kills insects and weed seed because they are brought to the surface where they will freeze. 3. Fall plowing saves time in the spring. 4. Plowing in the fall conserves moisture. Clay that has a tendency to run together should not be plowed in the fall. Speaking of green manures, the speaker said to not let them go too long before turning under, but plow under green manures while moisture is still in the ground.

Regarding subsoiling, Professor Hutcheson said that it paid only where a hardpan existed and that the subsoiling should always be done in the fall. Subsoiling will benefit the land for a period of about four years when the process will have to be repeated. Be careful that the subsoil is in good condition at time of subsoiling. He said that dynamiting the land pays only where subsoiling is advisable.

As a rotation the following was recommended: First year, corn with crimson clover or rye; second year, soy beans or cowpeas; third year, oats, and fourth year, grass.

The addresses of Mr. Scott and Professor Hutcheson were very instructive and very much enjoyed by all present and we regret that more farmers were not on hand to hear these splendid speakers. We wish to thank Mr. Scott and Professor Hutcheson for coming to our institute and hope to have them with us again.

The institute adjourned to meet again on Friday, November 19th, at which time we hope to have a large crowd of farmers present.

Thomas A. Edison, with Luther Burbank, the naturalist, and Victor Herbert the composer, Monday received a parade of school children who marched at the Panama-Pacific Exposition in honor of the inventor. When the last child had passed, Mr. Edison turned to his wife, saying: "It was the greatest thing that ever happened to me." Medals, essays and various other gifts from the children were handed to Mr.

Notice To Teachers of Brentsville District.

A meeting of the Brentsville District teachers will be held at the Greenwich schoolhouse on Saturday, October 30, beginning at 10 a. m. An interesting and valuable program for both morning and afternoon sessions is being arranged.

In addition to discussions of timely topics by a number of teachers of the district, Mr. Geo. G. Tyler, superintendent of county schools, Prof. B. K. Watson, Director of Manassas Agricultural High School, and Miss Emily Johnson, county demonstrator for girls' canning clubs, will speak.

Each teacher in the district is urged to be present and to come prepared to enter into a lively round-table discussion. Any other teachers and friends interested in educational work are cordially invited to be present.

EARL D. MERRILL, Vice-president for Brentsville District. Wireless telephonic communication between Washington, D. C., and Paris has been established by the American Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The Starr Piano Co.

are the only manufacturers of strictly high grade pianos who maintain exclusive factory ware-rooms in this state.

Starr-made pianos are sold at cost of manufacturing plus our reasonable profit only, instead of 100 per cent. profit usually made by dealers.

They are the largest manufacturers of only High Grade Pianos in the world. Within forty-three (43) years they have made and sold more than 120,000 instruments. They are used in more educational institutions in the United States than any other one make.

The Starr Piano Co.

Factory Warerooms, Fredericksburg, Va. H. WALLACE CARNER, Manager. H. D. WENRICH, Local Representative. (R-28)

Wood's Seeds.

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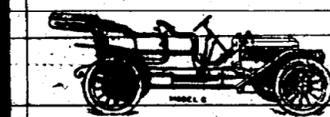
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MANASSAS, VA., FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1915.

SUCH THINGS SHOULD BE CORRECTED

A community's rating in manners and courtesy is very largely dependent upon the way strangers and newcomers are treated. The true standing of a community is never what it thinks of itself but what outsiders think of it. Whenever you happen to tarry for a short while in a town where politeness prevails, where you are allowed to go unmolested about your business and where the townspeople treat you with due respect, you gain a good impression of that locality. On the other hand when you stop off in a town and almost immediately are insulted in various ways, such as being made a target for beans, rice, pebbles, snowballs, etc., at the hands of ill-bred boys and girls and having fun made of your height or shortness, your new hat or anything else, you go away from that town with a lasting impression of its discourteousness.

To be ill-mannered towards newcomers is even worse than treating strangers disrespectfully. When a peaceful, law-abiding man or woman comes into our midst he or she is entitled to and due courteous treatment. Unfortunately Manassas becomes thoughtless in this matter every now and then. Only last Sunday a newcomer in our midst was taken as a target for stones thrown by several small boys of the town. Being a man of law-abiding habits and rendering good, conscientious service in his daily work he rightly became indignant over the insult rendered him and appealed to the town officials for protection, saying that if the town cannot break up such annoyances he will take it upon himself to see that his rights are respected. Unfortunately this man did not know the names or faces of the miscreants, because of the short time he has been in town.

In our endeavors to push our town to the front we must not overlook the fostering of the fine points in a town's make-up. Isn't it worth while to emphasize good manners and courtesy? If we, the citizens of Manassas, consider a reputation for good manners and cordiality an asset to our town (and we certainly do), why do we not break up every demonstration of ill-breeding in the local youth? It's very easy to shift the responsibility to the town officials but they can not be everywhere at one time, hence it becomes necessary that the citizens of the town lend their aid in breaking up these acts. Take for instance the case cited above. Any citizen of the town seeing such lawlessness going on should consider it his or her duty to report the instance giving the names of the offenders. Only when every man or woman in Manassas will report promptly and fully any discourtesy towards a stranger, a newcomer or themselves will this lack of respect on the part of many of the younger citizens of the town be made a thing of the past.

VOTE ON TUESDAY

Without doubt a great many men are not going to the polls next Tuesday. In a county where one political party is largely in majority and where nominees of that party have already been chosen in a primary, the matter of casting a vote at the general election is often thought to be a waste of time. This is an erroneous view but one which is taken by many. You men who are in the habit of "letting George do it" when it comes to casting votes at elections should arouse yourselves from the lethargy now enveloping you. By showing a keen interest in the selection of the officers of government you will gradually bring to the front men of backbone, men who are well qualified for office and who will act as your servants, not as your rulers. As long as the average voter shows such little interest in this gigantic scheme of democratic government so long will it be difficult to get thoroughly efficient officeholders.

OUR STAND ON "PEACE JUBILEES"

THE JOURNAL this week publishes two communications in which comments are made upon our editorial, "An Uncalled-for Protest," which appeared in our issue of October 15. We wish our readers to read carefully each of these letters and then, in the light of considerate judgment, to decide for themselves which one expresses the sentiment of the people of Virginia and the entire South.

We do not desire to start any argument, to dig up old skeletons, to fight and claw at one another. We have never fostered any such motives and we do not propose to do so now. We do wish to state, however, that many of our friends misconstrue the meaning of the jubilee and the later commemorative event held in our midst. The Manassas National Jubilee of Peace did not have the stress placed upon the word "Jubilee" but upon the phrase, "Jubilee of Peace."

We have endorsed the jubilee of peace and the later event commemorating it. It will give us great pleasure to endorse any such similar events which may arise in the future, if they are conducted along the same lines as those of the past and will tend in the same degree to promote fellowship between the North and the South. On both of the occasions referred to we noticed or heard of no jubilant outbursts or demonstrations over the South's defeat. The jubilation was that of thankfulness that our Nation, fifty years after the gigantic struggle, was at peace. Why anyone can object to the South's rejoicing over the peace and blessings which it now enjoys, we can not understand.

It has perhaps been forgotten but the originator of the jubilee idea was not a Northern man as many now suppose. In our issue of January 13, 1911, a letter from a South Carolina Confederate veteran to the Washington Post was copied. This letter was the initial suggestion of the jubilee which was held at Manassas on July 21, 1911, a jubilee which was participated in by Ewell Camp, Confederate Veterans, with pleasure. These old soldiers, who are certainly as well acquainted with the high ideals and noble motives of the Confederacy as are their sons and daughters, did not hesitate to show their magnanimity and big spirit by taking part in the jubilee and the later commemorative event. Since they have, by their attendance and participation in the programs, endorsed both of these occasions we feel doubly confident that no mistake has been made.

MOORE WILL NOT OPPOSE CARLIN

Hon. R. Walton Moore, of Fairfax county, announced last week that he will not oppose Representative Charles C. Carlin in the primary next June. For sometime rumor has had it that Mr. Moore would oppose Congressman Carlin in the coming primary. In fact, a petition has been circulated asking that Mr. Moore oppose our present member in Congress. The friends of Congressman Carlin (and they are legion) now learn with much satisfaction that Hon. Moore will not be a candidate for the office.

Without reviewing what Congressman Carlin has done since he became our representative we must add in passing that by far the majority of the voters of this district should feel indebted to him for the manner in which he has labored for the interests of his constituency. Representative Carlin's position in the sixty-third and sixty-fourth Congress has been an enviable one and his responsibilities have been proportionately heavy. During his terms of office he has shown himself to be worthy of the trust of his people and we hope that he will be given further opportunity to serve the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia.

A WARNING TO OUR BOYS

One hundred and forty-seven trespassers were killed on the tracks of the Southern Railway Company during the year ending June 30, 1915, according to President Fairfax Harrison in an article found elsewhere in this issue of THE JOURNAL. To our mind the most touching feature of this sad announcement is the fact that fully one-third of those killed were schoolboys who "hopped" trains. We have always known this practice to be a very dangerous one but up to now have had no statistics on just how many victims were claimed each year. Are the boys of Manassas and Prince William assured that none of the victims of accidents suffered in "hopping" Southern trains in the future will be from this section?

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

-A dance will be given in Conner's Opera House to-night.

-Mr. Edward Wenkhaus is moving into the Austin property on Zebedee street.

-The residence of Mr. I. E. Cannon is having the old shingle roof replaced by a tin one this week.

-The first reports of the year are to be distributed Monday among the students of Bennett Grammar School.

-Mrs. C. J. Meetze was taken to the Takoma Park Sanatorium on Monday for medical examination and treatment.

-There will be preaching Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at Aden U. B. Church and that afternoon at 3 o'clock at Oakhill.

-Rev. H. L. Swain, of Clarendon, preached at the Manassas Baptist Church last Sunday morning in the interest of state missions.

-The students of Eastern College are making big preparations for a Halloween party which will be given at the college to-morrow evening.

-The Right Reverend Robert A. Gibson, bishop of the diocese of Virginia, we regret to learn, is quite ill at John Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore.

-Rev. S. M. Croft, of Washington, will preach in Asbury M. E. Church on Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. All are cordially invited to be present.

-Mr. Joseph F. Gulick, who left last week for Southampton county, is serving as principal of the high school at Newsome for the session of 1915-16.

-Mr. J. R. Athey has rented and will shortly occupy the Smith residence at the end of Battle street, formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Drummond Nicol.

-Dr. H. L. Quarles, who has been ill of gripe, is improving but is still quite weak. There will be no preaching at the Manassas Baptist Church on Sunday.

-Mr. I. E. Cannon is constructing a stucco bungalow for Mr. A. W. Amphlett at Haymarket. The cost of construction will be between \$5,000 and \$6,000.

-Mr. F. Norvell Larkin qualified as deputy clerk for Prince William County yesterday afternoon. He was appointed to this position by Judge J. B. T. Thornton.

-Tuesday will be election day in nine states of the Union, including Virginia. The day is expected to be a quiet one in Manassas. Both banks will be closed.

-There will be preaching at the Clifton Presbyterian Church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "The Church." Meeting of the Sunday school at 10 a. m.

-Dr. H. U. Roop will address the Jefferson Literary Society at Eastern College this evening. The public is cordially invited to this meeting which begins at 6:45 o'clock.

-Mr. Claude K. Rhoades, of Nokesville, and Miss Mamie P. Hauser, of Luray, were married the first of the week in Washington, the Rev. Charles E. Fultz, officiating.

-Mr. and Mrs. L. Harrison Simpson, former Manassas residents who for the last year or so have been living at Clifton, have returned to Manassas, and will make it their future home.

-A dime social for the benefit of Asbury M. E. Church will be given at the home of Mrs. J. I. Randall on Friday evening, November 5, beginning at 8 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend.

-Eugene Johnson, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, who live near Newsome, suffering from a mild case of diphtheria. He has been confined since the first of the week.

-Mr. Wayland Campbell, of Thoroughfare, and Miss Blanche Thorn, of Broad Run, were married this week in Rockville, Md., Rev. Oscar W. Henderson, pastor of the Rockville Baptist Church, officiating.

-The Woman's Christian Temperance Union invites everybody to their social which will be held in the M. I. C. Building to-morrow (Saturday) beginning at 2 p. m. Come and buy a pie, whole or in parts.

-Manassas Industrial School football team will play the team of the Armstrong High School on the Industrial School grounds to-morrow (Saturday) beginning at 3 o'clock. Admission will be 15 and 25 cents.

-Don't forget to attend the "silver tea" which will be given in the chapter room of U. D. C., in the M. I. C. Building this evening beginning at 8 o'clock. A good program and refreshments are promised.

-Services at Manassas Presbyterian Church for the coming week are as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 a. m. Subject of sermon: "The Church." Wednesday prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m.

-The regular meeting of the L. T. L. will be held in Asbury M. E. Church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. Lucas of Eastern College will talk to the members of the legion. You are most cordially invited.

-Work is progressing on the 7 room dwelling of Mr. Reuben C. Bowers, a railway mail clerk, on Quarry road. Mr. O. H. Evans has charge of the work. Mr. Bowers formerly lived at Quicksburg, Shenandoah county.

-The Stone House Community League will give an oyster supper and box party Friday evening, November 5, at the store building, Stone House. All are invited to come and have a good time.

COMMITTEE.
-Mr. Louis N. Duffey of Alexandria, well-known in Manassas, has been named as secretary of the Potomac Gardens, Inc., Alexandria, Va., a nursery business which has just been granted a charter by the State Corporation Commission.

-The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanback, who reside near Buokhall, died after a week's illness last Sunday night with brain fever. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon and interment was in Manassas cemetery.

-Mrs. Bettie Harrison was the recipient of many pleasant surprises on Tuesday, which happened to be her birthday. Mrs. Harrison, who is now eighty-three years old, cordially welcomed her friends, who wished her many happy returns of the day.

-Service at Trinity Episcopal Church, Manassas, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school meets promptly at 9:45 a. m. Service at Clifton Mission Chapel Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at which time there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion.

-Mr. F. M. Hudson, 69 years of age, a brother-in-law of Mr. J. B. McDonald, a local groceryman, died at his home at Lignum, Culpeper county, on Wednesday of last week. His death came after a stroke of paralysis. He leaves a wife, three sons and one daughter.

-The guild of St. Anne's Memorial Chapel, Nokesville, will give an oyster and chicken supper at Free's Hall, Tuesday, November 2, beginning at 6 p. m. Music will be furnished by the Nokesville Cornet Band. Everybody is invited to come out and help this worthy cause.

-Fairfax county can well be proud of the fact that it won more blue ribbons at the Virginia State Fair than any other county. The number was seven first prizes, two second prizes, one fourth prize and second sweepstakes in the apple exhibit, being beaten by only one point.

-Independent Hill Council, O. F. A., will hold its annual church service at Independent Hill, Sunday, October 31, at 3:00 p. m. Mr. J. M. Bell, a local preacher of the M. E. Church and also one of the state officers of the order, will conduct the service. All are invited to attend, especially members of the order.

-Halloween falls on Sunday. While this is disappointing to the younger set, they will doubtless take advantage of tomorrow night or Monday night, maybe both. Warning is issued against any wanton mutilation or destruction of property and punishment will be meted out to any found violating this provision.

-The Southern Railway will run a third excursion to Luray on Sunday. This excursion, in the nature of an autumn outing, will leave Manassas at 9:20 a. m. Passengers from Burke, Fairfax and Clifton will use train No. 9 to Manassas. The round trip fare from Burke, Fairfax, Clifton and Manassas will be \$1.75.

-We have had the pleasure of looking over Miss Sarah Johnson's very excellent historical paper on "Virginia." While Miss Johnson did not receive the prize in this U. D. C. contest her paper gained very high mention and her many friends will be glad to learn that she was considered very strongly for the prize. Mrs. W. N. C. Marchant, of Chatham, was awarded the prize.

-The hunting season for Prince William County will open Monday morning. In some sections rabbits are reported to be plentiful while in others they are said to be scarce. From nearly every section of the county, however, birds are reported to be fair in number. As usual the first of the season will see many gunners taking advantage of the ten months let-up on game.

-At the business session of the Manassas Baptist church held at the close of prayer meeting on Wednesday evening, the following representatives were elected to the annual meeting of the General Association of Virginia, which will be held at Clarendon, Nov. 17-21: Dr. H. L. Quarles, Mr. Westwood Hutchison and Mr. Albert Spaiden, delegates, and Messrs. R. A. Hutchison, P. M. Metz and Sedwick Hynson, alternates.

-By the terms of the will of the late J. Nota McGill who died at Ashville, N. C., recently, the farm near Haymarket, is left to the testator's mother, Mrs. M. J. McGill, and the residue of the estate is left to his widow, Frances M. McGill, who is named as executrix without bond. The will provides that if the farm willed to the mother is not sold by her it shall go on her death to two sisters of the testator, Innocentia and Loretta McGill, as tenants in common.

-The State Corporation Commission has granted a charter to the New Paradise Springs Corporation, Alexandria, with a maximum capital stock of \$50,000 and a minimum of \$1,000, the par value of which is \$100 a share. The objects are to bottle and sell mineral waters. The plant will be located at Clifton Station. The following are the officers: M. Lynch, president, Manassas; G. Bryan Pitts, vice-president, Alexandria; G. Raymond Ratcliffe, treasurer, Manassas.

-Mr. C. E. Brawner, of "The Pines, Henery," sent by parcel post to Mr. John C. Weedon, of Washington, on Wednesday two dozen eggs, net weight 57 ounces, 284 ounces per dozen. The standard or average weight is 20 ounces per dozen. The two dozen by weight equalled over 25 dozen. The largest egg in the case measured 6x8 inches around and weighed four ounces. Mr. Brawner has been getting two dozen per day average for the past six months from 45 hens. Who can beat that as to size and quantity?

-Oriole Athletic Club, a football team of Washington which has played the teams of Eastern High and Chevy Chase this season, will play the Eastern College football team on the local field at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The contest is expected to be an interesting one, and should be well attended.

-A campaign of meetings for "inspiration, instruction, development and Christian fellowship," in accordance with a plan of the Woman's Missionary Union, Potomac Baptist Association, was held recently at Remington, Marshall, Manassas, Alexandria and Leesburg, under the direction of Mrs. Westwood Hutchison, superintendent. Assistant superintendents for this work are as follows: Miss Virginia Aldrich, Leesburg; Mrs. Gerald Payne, Alexandria; Mrs. Maupin, of Remington, and Mrs. Renaids, of Marshall.

- "Sunday School Day" was fittingly observed at two services at Trinity Episcopal Church, Manassas, on Sunday last. At the morning service officers, teachers and older scholars partook of Holy Communion after listening to a sermon on "Religious Education" by the pastor, Rev. J. F. Burks. At three o'clock a meeting of the scholars, parents, teachers and officers was held. At this meeting interesting and helpful talks were delivered by Judge J. B. T. Thornton, a former superintendent, and Messrs. W. C. Wagener and Geo. C. Round.

-Attorney Grenville Gaines, of Warrenton, was in town Monday and while here advocated the support of Judge E. S. Turner, of Warrenton, judge of the twenty-sixth judicial circuit, as a candidate for the Virginia Supreme Court to fill the vacancy which will be made by the retirement of Judge James Keith at the end of his present term. Judge Keith's successor will be elected at the coming session of the Legislature. It is expected that there will be many aspirants for this position, which is for a term of 12 years and carries a salary of \$3,000 per year.

BETHEL NOTES

-On Friday evening, October 22nd, the patrons of Bethel High School held their annual oyster supper. The night was beautiful and crowds came from all directions. A good sum was realized. Saturday evening at 7:30, the ladies of the Bethel W. C. T. U. held a silver medal contest in Bethel church. The contestants were Misses Angie Metzger, Lucie Davis, Mabel Arrington, Ida Lee Glascock and Gertrude Hodges. After some difficulty on the part of the judges to decide, the medal was awarded to Miss Ida Lee Glascock. While the judges were deciding, the large and appreciative audience was highly entertained by recitations from Mr. Elwood Leary and his sister, Miss Carrie Leary.

The members of the Patrons' League of Bethel High School have recently purchased lamps for the entire building.

Saturday, October 23rd, was the day appointed by the league for a working match, to improve the school grounds. Bright and early men, with their teams, also the road engine, went to work and a good start was made towards grading the playgrounds. We hope to have another work day soon. All people interested in school work are urged to help.

The teachers of Bethel High School are arranging quite an extensive program of songs, music, both vocal and instrumental, recitations and debates for Patrons' Day, which they expect to hold this afternoon, October 29th, at which time the league will be reorganized. All are cordially invited to attend.

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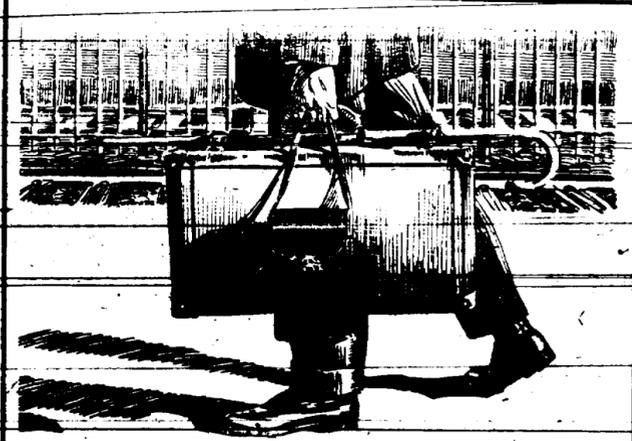
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Miss Viola Davis has returned from a vacation trip to Richmond.

Miss Nettie Ardella, of Washington, visited friends here, during the week.

Mrs. W. W. Garrison spent several days this week with relatives at Herndon.

Mr. Edward Garth, of Washington, visited his aunt, Mrs. J. E. Jordan, Sunday.

Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Minnesota.

Mr. John H. Nelson, of Washington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spiden.

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

Miss Bettie Schooler, a former resident of Manassas, is visiting Mrs. George D. Baker, this week.

Dr. G. B. Coke, of Petersburg, is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nash, on Church street.

Mr. Charles H. Adams, of Clifton, local telegraph operator, has returned from a trip to Richmond.

Mr. M. W. Lee, state secretary of college Y. M. C. A.'s, spent Sunday at Eastern College where he addressed the college association.

Mrs. R. B. Larkin and Miss Muriel Larkin are spending the week in Washington, with Mrs. Larkin's mother, Mrs. A. J. Adams.

Mrs. J. W. Jacobs, who makes her home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Myers, returned Wednesday evening after a visit to her old home, Bridgewater.

Mr. Raymond Wrenn and bride (formerly Miss Winnie Holden) are expected home to-day (Friday) from a bridal trip to the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Harrell left this morning for a few days' visit to relatives at Laurel, Md. In Mr. Harrell's absence Mr. W. J. Adamson has charge of the store.

Mr. O. D. Waters, high priest of Royal Arch Chapter No. 59, attended the grand convocation of the Royal Arch Chapter of Virginia in Richmond the first of this week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hickerson, of Rockville, Md., is the guest of Mrs. D. J. Arrington, en route to Inlet, Culpeper county, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Rudasill.

Mr. F. B. Hooff, a prominent druggist of Charles Town, W. Va., returned to his home Sunday evening, after an extended visit to his brother, Mr. A. A. Hooff, and his sister, Mrs. W. Hill Brown.

Dr. W. P. Hall, a member of the faculty of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky., passed through Manassas Wednesday on his way home after a visit to the Baptists of the Potomac Association.

The city of Winchester, a community of 7,000 people, will in a short time come into possession of approximately \$1,500,000 for educational purposes, the fund representing the accumulated estate of Judge John Handley, an eccentric millionaire, of Scranton, Pa., who died in 1896 without heirs and left the bulk of his property to be delivered to this historic place 20 years after his death.

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Mr. J. P. Leachman, treasurer of Prince William county, will be here Wednesday, November 3rd, for the purpose of receiving taxes.

Haymarket Public School is observing its 10th anniversary today. A good program has been planned.

The ladies of St. Paul's Guild are holding weekly sewing meetings, in preparation for their annual Christmas sale, which will be held about the middle of November.

Services in St. Paul's Episcopal Church at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. Sunday School meets at 9:45 a. m.

Rev. Mr. Bonner, of Marshall, will hold services Sunday morning in the Baptist Church. All are invited to attend.

Rev. Robb White, rector of St. Paul's Church, has joined Mrs. White at her former home in North Carolina, for a stay of two weeks. His appointments at St. Paul's will be filled during his absence by a student of the Theological Seminary, Alexandria.

Many friends of Miss Belle Price will be glad to know that she is decidedly convalescent. She expects soon to return from the hospital in Philadelphia, where she has been under treatment for several weeks.

Rev. T. Ryland Dodge and bride, formerly Miss Irene Demory, were guests of Mrs. Dodge's aunt, Miss Ruth Hulfish, on Tuesday and Wednesday. They returned to their home in McKenney, Va., yesterday.

Mr. W. M. Shoemaker left Wednesday morning for the South, where he will spend the winter. He stopped en route at Roanoke, where he will visit friends for a few days.

Rev. W. L. Naff, wife and little son visited friends here last week. Mrs. Naff returned to their home in Clifton Sunday morning. Mr. Naff is the following day. Rev. Mr. Naff held services at Antioch Sunday.

Mr. George Armour visited his daughter, Mrs. C. M. Sloat, near Happy Creek, the past week. While there he went on a fishing trip with Mr. Sloat to the Shenandoah river, catching about twenty bass, averaging two pounds each.

Mr. Parsons Rector, who has been confined to his bed with rheumatism, is able to be about again.

Miss Ada Galleher, of Gainesville, called on friends here Wednesday.

Mr. Hendley Dodge motored to Washington and Baltimore Wednesday and returned the following day.

Mr. Don Rector and friends have returned from Frederick, Md., and report having had a very pleasant time.

Mr. John Carter, of Washington, visited friends here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rector motored to Washington this week.

Mr. J. L. Hunt, of Woolsey, visited friends in town on Wednesday.

CLIFTON DOINGS

The teachers of Centreville District met at Clifton School Building last Saturday morning. Mr. W. D. Hall, superintendent, being absent. Miss Mary Phelps, principal of Clifton school, acted as chairman of the meeting. There were ten teachers in attendance.

Miss Duvall read a paper on how to gain and hold the interest of the patron. Afterwards the question was discussed during the day. The questions discussed were "How to Gain the Attention and Love of Pupils," also the question of corporal punishment—when it should be used or ever. Quite a number thought the rod was to be used as a last resort, especially for stubbornness, but the majority thought it a poor cure for stubbornness and only to be used as a last resort in very extreme cases.

About 1 p. m. the patrons present served lunch to the visitors. After lunch the discussion of methods was again resumed. Mr. John D. Garrett, clerk of Centreville board, brought up the question of compulsory education—whether it would be a good or bad thing for Virginia and asked the opinion of the teachers present, also of the patrons. The opinion generally was that it would be a good thing, especially for the child.

Friday night of last week, the Aid Society of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richards with about forty members and visitors present, including the new pastor, Rev. Alford Kelley, and his sister, Miss Isabelle. This was their first social appearance at Clifton. The Clifton people think they and Manassas are very fortunate in having secured the services of so able a man for these churches. Rev. Alford Kelley preached Sunday at 11 a. m. on the "Relations of Pastor and People"—a very able and instructive talk. The prayer meeting at night was led by Mr. G. A. Hall.

Next Sunday afternoon Rev. G. T. Tyler, of the M. E. Church, Fairfax, will preach in the Presbyterian church and at night the pulpit will be filled again by Rev. Alford Kelley.

On Thursday evening of next week, Miss Julia, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Ford, and Mr. Lovelace, of Dumfries, will be married in the Baptist church.

On Friday, October 29th, Mrs. W. H. Richards will entertain her class of boys and Miss Ruth her class of girls, joining the two in a Halloween party.

leave us for the city.

Mrs. Beatie Haycock has been quite ill for about a week.

Miss Margaret Detwiler and brother, Jack, were recent visitors to the dentist's chair in Manassas.

Mr. W. H. Mathus made a flying trip to West Virginia the first of the week on business.

The farmers are busy sowing wheat, grass and rye. Some few have wheat up nicely, but most either have just sown or are sowing.

Miss Rosamond Burke is here for a two months' visit before taking up training as a missionary in the Presbyterian church. Miss Rosamond has always been an enthusiast on the subject of missions and has now decided to give her life to the cause.

MINNEVILLE ECHOES

Jack Frost is a frequent visitor here. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clarke arrived home Wednesday after spending several days in Washington and Baltimore.

Miss Maud Norman spent the weekend at her home in Kopp.

Miss Stella Alexander spent last week as the guest of Misses Lucile Clarke and Maud Norman.

We are glad to learn that Miss Hattie Simpson, who has been slightly indisposed for several days, is much improved.

Miss Hattie Simpson was a guest at the home of Mrs. Robert Hinton on Thursday last.

Patrons' Day will be observed at Minnieville school to-day, October 29th. Both teacher and pupils are working hard in order to make the event a success.

Several young people from here are planning to attend a dance at Hoadley to-morrow, Saturday evening.

The boys of this section are enjoying this cool weather very much. "possum hunting." Mr. John Clarke caught a "possum one night last week weighing eleven pounds, the largest that we have seen in this section for several years.

Mr. C. E. Clarke and family, accompanied by Misses Maud Norman and Stella Alexander, motored to Occoquan Sunday afternoon and viewed the work house.

Miss Hattie Simpson visited Miss Gabe Bailey on Wednesday evening of last week.

Miss Stella Alexander and Mrs. J. L. Hinton were guests of Mrs. Clarke Monday afternoon.

The farmers of this community have finished seeding their crops for this season.

Those who attended the oyster supper, given at Bethel High School, from this place were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hinton and son, Louis, and Misses Ocie Bailey, Hattie Simpson, Estelle Alexander, Lucile Clarke and Lyda Macconhaughy and Messrs. Paul Clarke, Dannie Alexander, Bennie Reid, Steve Vaughn and Eddie Reid. All reported an enjoyable time.

We are glad to know that Mrs. Fred Florence has returned home, after being in the hospital for some weeks and is much improved.

Mrs. Alice Hinton and two children, Francis and Louis, and Miss Estelle Alexander were callers at Mrs. C. E. Clarke's on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Sarah Pettitt has returned home, after a three weeks' visit to Indian Head, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clarke, Misses Maud Norman and Estelle Alexander and Mr. John Clarke motored to Fairfax Sunday afternoon and had a delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hinton have moved into our neighborhood and we wish them much success in the future. Miss Annie Brawner was the guest of Miss Edith Curtis on Sunday.

We are sorry to relate that Mr. David Macconhaughy has been on the sick list for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Sarah Terrell is visiting at the home of Mr. J. W. Bailey's of this place.

Miss Elsie Windsor has returned home after visiting relatives in Washington. We expect a large crowd on the 20th of November to our oyster supper which is for the benefit of the road.

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 - No. 44—Daily through train between Manassas and Washington, 6:20 p. m.
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REMINISCENCES OF BLOCKADE RUNNING

BY ANNIE E. HARGIS

One fine morning in October, when returning from a fishing trip with an old gentleman, a friend of mine, I suddenly exclaimed, "Let's go to the Confederate Reunion at Fredericksburg." "Agreed," he replied at once, turning his boat to the leeward. "I'm your partner. I met a lot of G. A. R. veterans in Washington, jolly, old fellows, but every mother's son of 'em was little more than a fourteen-year-old boy when he enlisted, according to his own account."

"I'd love to swap yarns with Confederate veterans, and to view historic Fredericksburg," he went on. "Last night I read an account, (copied from an old, old paper) of a grand banquet in Fredericksburg, given in honor of General Lafayette when he revisited America 90 years ago; it rivaled in splendor a reception in Washington, and a grand function also given in the honor of the Marquis de 'Boetwick,' the home of the famous Lowndes family of Maryland. Revolutionary records show that many soldiers who fought under Lafayette were from Fredericksburg and the counties adjoining."

"During the Civil War I ran the blockade across the Chesapeake with two young fellows who fought valiantly in the bloody battles around that famous, old city." "Spin that yarn to me Capt'n," said I.

"Well, 'twas this way, my lad," he replied, taking a quid of tobacco from his mouth. "When Southern ports were blockaded in 1861, several Federal armed steamers were placed on the Chesapeake Bay. They were keenly vigilant, but in spite of this vigilance small boats often slipped by at night, bound for "Dixie," and often had a tight race, to get there. My heart was with these dauntless fellows.

"I could not enlist, because my wife was in extremely bad health. To make matters worse for me, our physician, Dr. Corbin D. Fletcher, had volunteered his services to the Confederacy. Dr. Broadwater, also a skillful practitioner, assured me that my wife was in alarmingly delicate health; he would not answer for the consequence if I left her for any length of time.

"One morning, I had been reading war news and had laid the paper aside, when up walked Mr. Corbin, an all-round good young fellow, clean as the salt breeze. He asked me if I knew the Yankees were encamped at Wagram (a little place near the border line of Virginia). This was astonishing news to me. It seems a certain man in Pocomoke, Md., then called Newtown, had written to the Federal authorities; so troops were sent to the eastern shore counties of Virginia, to make Secessionists behave themselves, and to prevent Southern sympathizers in Maryland from running the blockade to join the Southern army.

"A division of General Lockwood's army was sent, but a volunteer company of Confederates under Capt. S. D. Fletcher prevented Federal soldiers from landing at "Wisharts Point," in Accopac county.

"Later, a bridge at Wagram was burned; but Lord bless my soul! the Yankees got over, like crossing a duck pond, and marched down the peninsula, compelling everybody to take an oath of allegiance to the Federal government, or have their property confiscated, all (even old bed-ridden people) paid \$1.00. I wonder if the Federal government ever saw the money? Those who refused to take the oath were held as prisoners of war.

"But I am talking on too fast. After seeing Corbin left, I hastened to "Pig Point" landing, where my pleasure boat, the "Polly Ann," was anchored. I had just put her in ship-shape, when I saw a stranger approaching; a fine-looking fellow, with an open, pleasing countenance. I said to myself, "from his appearance he may be a preacher, or he may be a lawyer." He soon told me he wanted to run the blockade, to join the Confederate army.

"I am with you," said I, "but the hour of starting day after tomorrow depends on the wind, tide and dark night." "It seemed that he could not get across the Potomac, so was directed to Accopac county, where someone recommended me as a daring blockade-runner, but calculated to get him safely across." He remarked about the great height of the pine trees and the fine water view. It was so familiar to me—but it was pretty.

"Picture to yourself a smooth sand shore, group of exceedingly tall pines, Virginia creeper entwined around them, scarlet blossoms swaying in the autumn breeze; birds twittering, chirping and wabbling blithely in the pine tops; and last but not least, my own pleasure craft, the "Polly Ann," had been newly painted, (as trim a looking boat as you ever laid eyes on, if I do say it.) The waves of the Chesapeake sparkled in the sunshine; nearer the shore, the dark waters of the Pocomoke Sound—long stretches of marsh in different shades of green; fringed by silvery, cool-smelling salt-water bushes. Beautiful, winding Holden's Creek flows peacefully on to Jenkins Bridge which also has an interesting history. I'll tell you the whole story by and by. That's the way the view appeared to me. A poet or some other high "falutin' fellow, might dwell on the splendor of the sun, the rosy sea, magnificent Lombardy poplars standing like sentinels along shore, etc.

"Well at 11 o'clock p. m. the stranger and my noble-hearted young friend, Mr. Corbin, (who was to join the Southern army) met me at the appointed place. Now and then we noticed a dark shadow following us; looked as if someone was creeping up, and meant some devilry to us, I thought. "Will we have a fair trip across, Capt'n?" "Dunno," I replied in a low tone. "Follow me boys." I ran as fast as my legs could carry me to the "Polly Ann" snugly hidden by overhanging salt-water bushes. We scrambled aboard; baskets and carpetbags were quickly stored away, the boat released from its moorings and sped away in the darkness. We had fair sailing for two hours, then a squall struck us.

"I had noticed a dark rim circling the new moon early in the evening, and might have known better than to start. 'Twas a terrific gale, cloud-bursts of rain, and sheet lightning! The "Polly Ann" tumbled and tossed in the angry sea, while the thunder rolled, lightning flashed and the salt spray rolled over us. Most landsmen would have been frightened out of their wits, but the stranger was un-unperturbed, that's the word I believe. That man seemed absolutely without a trace of fear! I saw that both of my passengers were men of iron nerve and would make good soldiers. Later on, the wind veered, gradually the storm drifted westward. I changed my course so I thought.

"At daybreak I found we had entered a creek. We went ashore, made coffee and had breakfast. The wind was dead ahead until five o'clock that afternoon, when we went fishing and had fine luck. Near dusk I found a safe place to anchor my boat. We all needed a good night's sleep. We went up the sloping bank of the creek to a snug-looking house. Through the bright light of the open door, we saw a lady laying the cloth for supper. An old gentleman had lighted his pipe and was puffing away in silence. The latch-string seemed to hang out for strangers; they made us very welcome.

"After supper when we had drawn our splint-bottomed chairs to the open fire, (the night was chilly) the old gentleman, Mr. Lewis, asked me to spin a seaman's yarn. Some of my pleasure trips on the "Polly Ann" had been full of hare-brained

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adventures; but I was dogged tired, so excused myself on that plea.

"The stranger was a ready talker, told us frankly he was from Austria (he spoke English perfectly as he had been in Canada four years.) He had friends in the Southern states and was going to help them; he believed their rights had been trampled upon. He showed us a brace of splendid pistols from Austria; a blue morocco case with gold clasps containing an ambrotype of a beautiful girl with the sweetest expression I had even seen in my life, except one. From the tender look around the stranger's mouth, I knew the original was his sweetheart.

"He told us 'the beautiful blue Danube,' of song, was so muddy its water had to be several times filtered before it could be drunk. 'The population of Austria,' said he, 'is composed of so many dialects there is not a spirit of unity, though most are under the same sceptre.' I have never seen in history or geography, as much as he told us about the manners and customs of the Hungarians, Bohemians, Tyrolese, Greeks, Tizans or Gypsies, (and dear knows how many more.)

"In Austria proper, though the people are not devoted to literature, many ladies speak fluently every language of Europe; are gentle, lovely, fascinating and hospitable. There is not a thirst for wealth that torments other countries; one seldom sees luxury beside rags in Vienna as in London. Everything is done for duty rather than fame. An Austrian feels uncomfortable when noticed. Divorce is not sanctioned by law. The mild-mannered girls of Moravia are so modest; when their hands are sought in marriage, mothers answer for them, and relate good deeds of forefathers. The compact is sealed with a kiss. (I never asked him if the lover embraces the old girl or the young one.) When the stranger finished, our host wound the clock up, put the cat out, and all retired for the night.

CONCLUDED NEXT WEEK

What Causes Tuberculosis?

There can be no tuberculosis without the germ, the tubercle bacillus. Whether the disease appears in the lungs, in the hand, in the hip, or in the eye, it is the same germ that always causes it.

Looking at it from another way, however, the germ of tuberculosis can never cause the disease unless the soil has been prepared for it. It is as if the germ were the seed and the body were the soil. You cannot raise wheat on a hard, cobblestone pavement nor can you grow corn on a boardwalk. Neither can you grow tuberculosis from the tiny plant-like germ, which causes the disease, on a soil which is hard and resistant. The tissues of the body in which the disease is to develop must first be weakened and made flabby and prepared for the growth of the disease somewhat as the farmer prepares his soil before sowing his seed.

What are the causes that prepare the soil for the growth of tuberculosis germs in the body? There are first of all, a group of causes which lie within the individual himself, which we may call personal causes. Some of them may be controlled by the individual and some of them are beyond his control. Take such causes, for example, as intemperance, lack of proper food, a weakened physical condition caused by grippe, colds, pneumonia, measles, typhoid fever, etc. These are the personal causes which prepare the soil for the tubercle bacillus. Then there is also another group of causes which are entirely outside of the individual and which we may designate as environmental or social causes. Some of these are, for example, bad living and working conditions, lack of play and recreation facilities, unclean streets, etc.

These two groups of causes may either separately or altogether, set upon one so that his normal strength and vitality, which we call resistance, is lowered and he readily becomes a prey to the disease germs which are constantly lurking about and which he may be harboring in his body without knowing it. Let us consider some of these causes a little more in detail.

Of the personal causes that lead to tuberculosis, probably intemperance may be reckoned as one of the most important. By intemperance is meant everything in the way of self-indulgence that injures the body. One may be intemperate in eating and by partaking of too much food may produce permanent digestive disturbances which weaken the bodily resistance. One may be intemperate in the use of drugs or in other ways, thereby weakening the bodily resistance. The most frequent form of intemperance, however, is the use of intoxicating liquors. Any man who drinks beer, wine or whiskey to excess is preparing the soil of his lungs for the seed of tuberculosis. This is the reason why the mortality from tuberculosis among men and women who are accustomed to drink is so high, much higher according to reliable statistics than among people who do not use intoxicating liquors.

Many children from the time they are born into the world are doomed to starvation. Other people because they like candy, pie, and cake better than meat, bread, and vegetables, are starving themselves willfully. This underfeeding or lack of proper food will as surely prepare the soil for tuberculosis as if one deliberately set out to do so.

Many people have a notion that if they have apparently recovered from a bad cold or an attack of grippe or pneumonia, there is no further danger and they are perfectly safe. Oftentimes the most dangerous period in an acute disease is during the few weeks immediately after the patient is able to be up and about. It is during this time of convalescence that the seeds of disease will find a sure root if special care is not taken. Fresh air, good food, rest, and right living are the best safeguards against tuberculosis during a time such as this. If after-effects of many diseases can be avoided if the patient will continue to persist in taking care of himself just the same as he did when he was in the bed and under the doctor's orders.

Then there are those causes of tuberculosis which are entirely outside of the individual such as bad housing conditions. Dark rooms where the sun never shines are among the best breeding places possible for the germs of tuberculosis. Here they thrive in great quantities and it is almost impossible to dislodge them. Dark, filthy hallways, unclean sinks, and dirty backyards and toilets are also menaces to the health of those who live near them. Many a man can improve these conditions with a little effort if he will take the time to do so. More often, however, it is the landlord's fault that the housing conditions are not better.

Low wages, long hours of work, dark unventilated factory rooms, excessive heat, and smoky occupations are only a few of the conditions which make it easy for the seed of tuberculosis to attack the working man. The lack of proper places for play and recreation, which makes a man go to the saloon at night instead of into the park or playground, is a social cause leading to tuberculosis. These social causes can be fought only by the united effort of the men and women of the community. Individuals can help but it takes all shoulders at the wheel to produce effective results.

In conclusion, remember that the soil must be right before the seed of tuberculosis can grow, and that you can contribute much towards keeping the soil of your body in such condition that no germs will find a root there.

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GENERAL NEWS NOTES

President Wilson has issued his proclamation fixing Thursday, Nov. 25, as Thanksgiving Day.

It is rumored that Hon. Richard Evelyn Byrd, of Winchester, will be a candidate for attorney general to succeed Hon. John Garland Pollard, now a candidate for governor.

The quantity of standing timber now owned by the farmers of the United States reaches a huge total. It is estimated to exceed 250 billion feet of saw timber and 1 1/2 billion cords of cordwood.

Fifty thousand women, in the most significant appeal that any cause has ever known in New York, strode up Fifth avenue from Washington Square to Fifty-ninth street last Saturday afternoon in the name of woman suffrage.

Eppa Rixey, the former University of Virginia star in baseball, who has for two years been a member of the pitching staff of the Philadelphia National League team, Monday became a member of the faculty of the Episcopal High School near Alexandria.

What is claimed to be a new record for voluntary suspension of respiration has been made by Warren D. Horner, a University of California student, in an experiment conducted by Saton Temple Pope, instructor in surgery. Dr. Pope caused Horner to hold his breath ten minutes and ten seconds.

Actual field work on the production, "The Diamond from the Sky," has been completed. The picture, for which the North American Film Company paid Roy L. McCardell \$10,000, is said to have exceeded the cost of all its predecessors. One scene, a banquet hall, cost \$11,000 before the crank of a camera was over turned.

W. E. Miller, residing between Orange and Gordonsville, was struck and instantly killed Saturday when a Chesapeake and Ohio train crashed into his automobile on the railroad crossing on his farm almost at his front gate. Miller's body was driven fully thirty yards by the impact, and parts of his auto were strawn along the track for a half a mile.

With a sigh of relief, F. William Sievers, the noted sculptor, last week laid down his tools and surveyed the finished product of his hand, the equestrian statue of General Robert E. Lee, which will surmount the monument to be erected on the field of Gettysburg by the State of Virginia to commemorate the heroic deeds of her sons. The task has taken three years.

Complete success of the dietary treatment, both in preventing and permanently curing pellagra, is described in reports made public from federal public health service officers who have spent the past year experimenting with patients in Georgia and Mississippi. Increased use of milk, poultry and eggs, and a reduction in the diet of starchy foods is especially urged.

Washington is to have what is believed to be the first High School Symphony Orchestra in the country. The organization, which is being promoted by Dr. H. E. Cogswell, recently appointed director of music in the schools, will be completed next week, and will immediately begin rehearsals for a public concert to be held at one of the large theaters in January.

Page county has produced the largest pumpkin in Virginia—170 pounds. The pumpkin was grown eight miles south of Luray, in the foot of the Blue Ridge. It is more than seven feet in circumference, and was grown by Mr. W. H. Woodward. Fearing that it would never be returned, the owner rejected many offers to have the monster pumpkin exhibited at the Hagerstown Fair.

AGAINST "PEACE JUBILEES"

G. L. Hutchison Comments on Editorial of Issue of October 15, 1915.

EDITOR MANASSAS JOURNAL:—I see in your issue of Oct. 15th a very sarcastic criticism of the action of the Richmond Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, in going on record as protesting against the holding of such so-called "Peace Jubilees" as was held at Manassas on July 21, 1911, and commemorated again on Sept. 30th of this year. You start out by saying you are exceedingly anxious to know the why of such action of the said Chapter of the U. D. C.

As the son of a Confederate veteran, and a subscriber of your paper, I want to know the why of such undue criticism of these Daughters of the Confederacy. In the first place what are we, the sons and daughters of the Confederacy, called upon to be jubilant over—by this promoter of the jubilee question? The cruelty, the wrong, the shame, the dishonor perpetrated against our sires and grandsires, our mothers and grandmothers in the reconstruction period, when the carpetbaggers of the North were sent down here to override our torn and bleeding country. To be jubilant over the success of the most unholy and unjust war that was ever waged against an innocent people.

To-day we cry in holy horror at the outrages of the German army, but, Mr. Editor, go to Washington and search the records and see if the cruelty of the North to South has ever been paralleled in the history of the nations. Read Gen. Grant's orders to his officers to destroy everything in the Valley of Virginia. When our women and children were driven from their burning homes in their night clothes on cold winter nights, and everything either destroyed or carried off. Of Halleck's order to Sherman, in his memorable "March to the Sea," or in the arrest of Jefferson Davis as a traitor, and his long incarceration, and the putting him in irons, and then never bringing him to an honorable trial. I say, are these the things for us to be jubilant over, and to teach our children and children's children that the cause for which our fathers and mothers suffered was wrong and a disgrace? And that we must be jubilant over their suffering and defeat and crying for peace at the feet of the North? God forbid.

You speak of peace. The woman of the South did more for peace by her unflinching faith in God, and her sacred duty to home and country than any one else in the nation. For she instilled in her children's minds their sacred duty to God and the great principles for which our fathers fought and without which no nation can stand. And to-day, whenever we unite in any of these so-called "Peace Jubilees," we are bringing disgrace to our ancestors and teaching the coming generations that the cause for which our fathers suffered, bled and died was unjust and that they were rebels against the U. S. Government. When, in fact, there was never any rebellion. The South simply asked to be allowed to go in peace. And in all the debate in Congress every word of peace came from the South, and not one answering word from the North.

And now, Mr. Editor, as a citizen of the United States, I want seriously to ask if your honorable board of supervisors, and citizens of Manassas wanted a memorial tablet on the courthouse green, had they erected one to the memory of the Southern women, who by their unflinching zeal and dauntless courage did more for peace, and more towards rehabilitating our stricken country than any so-called "Peace Jubilee," and though their husbands, sons and brothers, bleeding and dying on countless battlefields, could stop in her anguish and sorrow and minister to the sufferings of an invading foe, to tell to coming generations of her loving sacrifice to duty and truth would it not have been more fitting to the occasion and would not the well thinking people, North and South, East and West, have honored them more for it than what was done on Sept. 30th? Has the country enjoyed any more peace or kind feeling of one section to another since 1911 than it had prior to that time?

Now, in closing, I appeal to every son and daughter of the Confederacy to stand shoulder to shoulder with those courageous women of Richmond in protesting against any more such scenes desecrating our Southland.

G. L. HUTCHISON, S. C. V. ALDIE, VA., Oct. 25, 1915.

ENDORSES OUR EDITORIAL

HAYMARKET, VA., Oct. 27. EDITOR MANASSAS JOURNAL:—I most heartily endorse the views expressed in your editorial of October 15th. I can't understand how any one should want to dig up and revive issues that are dead and buried. We have no longer any Mason and Dixon's line; that was entirely obliterated at Appomattox. We have now one great, reunited country, the greatest on earth, and we should all feel equally proud of its being so. Truly yours, E. BERKELEY.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

All parties indebted to the late J. C. Howell will settle at once with the undersigned, and all claims, duly certified, should be presented at once to the same.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING

Continued From First Page

Hon. C. J. Meetze, Manassas Presbyterian; Rev. J. W. Brill, Aden and Buckhall United Brethren; Mr. R. A. Rust, Haymarket Baptist; Mr. J. J. Conner, Cannon Branch Brethren, and Mr. W. B. Kerlin, Aden Methodist.

Addresses dealing with Sunday School problems were then made by Messrs. Chas. R. McDonald and Clarence Wagener. Mr. McDonald had as his subject "How to Build Up a Sunday School." His address was replete with helpful suggestions and was well received. Mr. Wagener talked on "Better Attendance in Our Sunday Schools."

State Secretary Diggs addressed the convention again at this point. His talk for the afternoon was on attractions for drawing children and older people to Sunday School. The convention was very fortunate in having two good addresses from such an able man. A much larger number should have attended both of the meetings.

The financial report of the meeting showed that the amounts handed in by the delegates and mailed totaled \$13.70, amount promised, \$2.00, and amount from the basket collection, \$3.30, making a grand total of \$19.00.

The committee on nomination made the following suggestions as to officers for the ensuing year, all of whom were elected:

Hon. C. J. Meetze, president; Rev. E. A. Roads, vice-president; Mr. J. M. Bell, secretary, and Mr. S. C. Harley, treasurer.

District vice-presidents as follows:—Manassas, Messrs. Clarence Wagener, Gainesville, Chas. R. McDonald; Brentsville, W. B. Kerlin; Coles, S. R. Lowe; Dumfries, G. M. Ratcliffe, and Occoquan, Corbin Thompson.

Department superintendents as follows:—Elementary, Miss Isabelle Hutchison; secondary, Mrs. R. A. Rust; home, Mrs. J. J. Conner; teachers' training, Dr. H. U. Roop; adult, Mr. Westwood Hutchison, and temperance, Mrs. Geo. C. Round.

Rev. Alford Kelley, pastor of the Manassas Presbyterian Church, made a few remarks and then pronounced the benediction. Thus came to a close the 1915 convention of the Sunday Schools of Prince William.

147 TRESPASSERS KILLED

One-Third of These Were School Boys Who "Hopped" Southern Trains.

Making a plea for the conservation of human life, President Fairfax Harrison of Southern Railway Company states that during the fiscal year, ended June 30, 147 trespassers were killed on the tracks of Southern Railway. Mr. Harrison urges the development of a public sentiment that will put an end to the hazardous practice of trespassing on railway property.

"We have prepared a map showing the point at which each trespasser was killed on the Southern Railway during the last year and it looks like a map of the monuments on the Chickamauga battle field," said Mr. Harrison. "Fully one third of those killed were schoolboys 'hopping' trains, and a large percentage were valuable wage-earners, walking on the tracks to or from their work. Very few were tramps in the commonly accepted meaning of the term.

"These figures refer solely to persons walking on tracks, swinging on trains and otherwise intruding on railway property where they have no right or business and do not include persons killed at crossings or those who, for any reason, have a right or duty to go upon railway property.

"Southern Railway Company is doing all in its power to prevent accidents and injuries and is having splendid cooperation from its employees, but no precaution on our part can save the man who deliberately puts himself in the way to be struck by a train. Cannot a public sentiment be developed, which will discourage this practice? This is a work in which school teachers and factory superintendents especially, and all others with public influence, can render a real service to their communities and their fellow-men."

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PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE Under and by virtue of a deed of trust, executed by S. S. Yoder and wife on the 23rd day of October, 1912, of record in the Clerk's Office of Prince William County in deed book 83, pages 18-20, the undersigned trustee therein named, at the request of the beneficiary therein secured, default having been made in the payment of the note and interest mentioned in said trust, will, on

Saturday, November 27, 1915 at 12 o'clock, m., in front of the Peoples Bank, in the Town of Manassas, stored in county, offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, all that certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being situated in Colee District, on the Leesville-Dumfries road, above said county and state, and adjoining the lands of Tolson, Russell, Gahr and others, and known as the Keys land, containing, more or less,

100 ACRES TERMS OF SALE.—CASH. H. THORNTON DAVIES, Trustee. L. B. PATTEE, Auctioneer. 10-29-14 VIRGINIA: In the Circuit Court for Prince William County, on the 4th day of October, 1915. In re estate of Emma Stone, deceased. It appearing to the Court that on the 23rd day of August, 1915, Brim A. Hutchison, commissioner of accounts for this Court, made and filed in the office of this Court, a report of the accounts of J. S. Glick, administrator for Emma Stone, deceased, together with a statement of all debts and demands against such estate, and a schedule of distribution of the residue of such estate; and it further appearing that the said report has been filed in the said office more than thirty days before this date, and that no exceptions to the said report have been filed, and that more than one year has elapsed since the 6th day of April, 1914, the date upon which the said J. S. Glick qualified as administrator as aforesaid; now, upon motion of G. Temple Vermillion, one of the distributees of the said Emma Stone, deceased, it is ordered that the creditors and distributees of the said Emma Stone, deceased, do show cause, if any they can, on the first day of the December, 1915, term of this Court (that being December 8, 1915), against the payment and delivery of the said estate of the said Emma Stone, deceased, to the said G. Temple Vermillion and the other distributees, as set out in the said report, without any bond from them or any of them.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order shall be published once a week for four successive weeks in THE MANASSAS JOURNAL, a newspaper published and circulating in Prince William County. A Copy—Tests: J. E. HERRELL, Clerk. 10-22-14

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Under and by virtue of a deed of trust, entered by the Circuit Court of Prince William County at the October, 1915, term of said Court, in the chancery suit therein pending, styled Liming vs. Liming, the undersigned Commissioners of Sale, appointed by the said Court, shall on

Monday, December 6, 1915 that being court day, at room of that day, in front of the courthouse, Manassas, Virginia, sell by way of public auction, all the following described real estate:

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