

## TO GIVE ONE FOUNTAIN

**Manassas Civic League Monday Evening Gave Attention to Details of Clean Up.**

The completion of details in regard to the clean up this week, the voting of \$19 towards the installation of a fountain at one of the horse racks with the understanding that the business men of the town are to furnish the other, and the appointing of special committees to deal with the proposition of fixing up the ground around the peace jubilee monument and the placing of a number of substantial waste paper baskets on the streets were among the important items of business acted upon at Monday evening's meeting of the Manassas Civic League. Twenty-six citizens of the town were present and the prospects for a successful year's work are brighter than ever. The next regular meeting will be held in the town hall Monday evening, June 5th.

After the reading and approval of the minutes of the previous meeting, President G. Raymond Ratcliffe called upon the committees for reports. Mrs. J. L. Harrell responded for the committees on sanitation and municipal improvement, telling of the plans that had been made for the clean up. Mr. Ratcliffe, in the absence of Dr. Roop, member of the committee that appeared before the town council asking that the indiscriminate posting of bills and signs be prohibited within the corporate limits, stated that the council was of the opinion that there was no law to prevent the posting of bills and signs when the parties who owned the premises offered no objection.

In regard to the question of fixing around the peace jubilee monument in the courthouse yard, the committee on municipal improvement stated that as yet it had no definite recommendation to make. After discussion the league appointed W. R. Myers to appear before the board of supervisors at their meeting next Thursday and discuss with the board the question of fixing up the ground around the monument and also the question of making a park out of the yard.

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## MRS. HOWLAND HEARD

**Organizer and Lecturer of National W. C. T. U. Spoke Here Tuesday.**

There is much work for prohibitionists in Virginia yet, despite the fact that the state has been voted dry. This was a point strongly emphasized in the address of Mrs. Emma H. Howland, of Boston, Mass., organizer and lecturer of the National Women's Christian Temperance Union, given at the Manassas Presbyterian Church Monday evening. Only a small number of Manassas people were in attendance.

Mrs. Howland's able talk dealt with the great strides that prohibition had made of late years. She showed how the W. C. T. U. had been instrumental in bringing the new order about. The idea that the making of the United States "dry" is the business of women as well as men was forcibly presented. Altogether, Mrs. Howland made a very instructive and inspiring address.

The address of Monday evening was one of four recently given by Mrs. Howland in Prince William. She spoke at Sudley Monday evening and Nokesville Monday evening. She is now on a tour of the state with the purpose of keeping up the interest in prohibition.

## MUSIC AT MILL PARK

**Song Festival Will Be Given by School Children Saturday, May 13.**

A treat is in store for all lovers of music who live in the vicinity of Mill Park School for on Saturday, May 13, at 8 o'clock, the children of that school will give a song festival in the school building. The program will consist of songs familiar to and loved by all—national folk songs, plantation songs, patriotic songs, etc.

At the conclusion of the musical program delicious refreshments will be placed on sale. Every one is asked to attend this festival. A pleasant evening and a good social time are in store for all who come to Mill Park Saturday evening, May 13.

## QUANTICO FEELS FLAMES

**Buildings of W. W. Abel and C. E. Nash Entirely Destroyed Early Yesterday Morning.**

Quantico was visited by a fire early yesterday morning in which W. W. Abel lost his store, dwelling, barn and three horses and C. E. Nash of Manassas lost the store and dwelling occupied by C. E. Brawner. Mr. Brawner lost the stock of goods in the Nash building. The origin of the fire is unknown. Mr. Abel, who had just returned from the hospital, had to be carried out of the burning building.

Mr. Nash in an interview yesterday stated that the value of his building which was burned could be placed at \$1,000. \$500 insurance was carried. Just a few days ago Mr. Nash was offered \$2,000 for the building and lot but he would not sell. He has been holding out for \$2,500.

The fire started in Mr. Abel's barn about two o'clock in the morning. With no means of combating the flames at hand, great headway was made in a short while. The result was that Mr. Abel, Mr. Nash and Mr. Brawner were heavy losers. Had the water works system which is now being installed been in operation it is more than probable that the fire would not have proven so destructive.

## AT CANNON BRANCH

**All Day Meeting of Brethren Will Be Held Sunday—Good Program**

There will be an all-day meeting at the Cannon Branch Church of the Brethren on Sunday, May 7. Sunday school will be held at 10 a. m., and preaching at 11 a. m. Rev. E. E. Blough will deliver a missionary sermon, after which a missionary collection will be taken up. After lunch the young people's organized class will give a good program. All are invited and every one is requested to bring lunch. The program for the afternoon will be as follows:

- Song, School.
- Scripture Reading, Psalm 104, Nora Harley.
- Prayer.
- Song, School.
- Reading of Governor's Proclamation, William Conner.
- Recitation, Lola Kline.
- "Past Achievements of This Church," A. Conner.
- Song, Quartette.
- "The Church in Social Life and Recreation," Mildred Conner.
- Recitation, Alvin Kline.
- Song, Anthem.
- "How May the Sunday School Help the School," J. J. Conner.
- Recitation, Alice Harley.
- Song, Solo, William Conner.
- Benediction.

—Ewell Camp, Confederate Veterans, is entertaining at a "camp fire" and luncheon at the Ruffner Building today. The Daughters of the Confederacy and the Ladies' Memorial Association are guests of the camp.

## FAIR AND TRACK MEET FRIDAY

**Beautiful Exhibits Shown at Eastern Auditorium—Further Announcement of Awards—Manassas Wen Close Meet Over Greenwich—Eleven Records Broken.**

The afternoon of County Day, Friday of last week, proved equally as successful as had the morning. After luncheon at the Ruffner Building, given by the domestic science class of the Manassas High School under the supervision of Miss Lulu D. Metz, the visitors took the opportunity of inspecting the exhibits of the county school fair, which were to be seen in Eastern College auditorium, and of witnessing the county public schools track meet, which was held on Round athletic field.

The fair from many points of view was by far the most successful ever held in Prince William. Congressman C. C. Carlin did not hesitate to say that it was the best school fair he had seen in the 8th district. The track meet was very exciting, Manassas winning it by half a point over Greenwich, with Haymarket just one point behind Greenwich. Eleven new records were made in this, the seventh annual county public schools track meet.

### SPECIAL FEATURES OF FAIR

The exhibits of the county school fair were grouped according to schools. Thus in a short while one could see just what progress the pupils of a certain school were making in the matter of domestic science, art work, manual training, etc. The winners of the blue ribbon in the county school exhibits received \$1.00, the second and third places carrying only the ribbons. No awards were made to the exhibits from the Manassas High School. Blue ribbons were awarded several pupils of the primary and graded departments of Manassas Public School for excellence of work.

The county exhibits taken as a whole were excellent. The workmanship was good and the arrangement of articles was tasteful. In looking over the various entries the following were found to deserve special mention:

Set for doll bed by Susie Jeffries, age 10, Catharpin; hemmed handkerchief by Vada Lane, age 6, Piney Branch; miniature wagon by Selwyn Baggott, age 11, Aden; egg container by Richard Ellicott, age 15, Gold Ridge; butter con-

## DOAK OFFERS SERVICES

**Candidate for State Senator Now Volunteering for Militant Service.**

[Alexandria Gazette]

In reference to a statement published several days ago W. B. Doak, of Clifton station, Va., called at the Gazette office Tuesday and made the following statement:

"That I made any offensive remarks, either to or about the President, I deny absolutely. On the contrary I have just taken pains to approve his idea of a volunteer army, volunteering myself for cavalry service in Mexico. I confess, we farmers were feeling sore over the Senate having taken up and passed the Shields water power bill ahead of the Hollis Farm Loan Association bill, the latter having been reported out of committee in January and on the calendar for March 21st.

"My statement was that if the present congress adjourned, as did the last, without passing a substantial rural credit bill, according to platform and promise, I propose to denounce the democratic party in every district of Virginia for its betrayal of the agricultural interest."

tainer by Herbert Tubbs, age 14, Gold Ridge; split basket by Chas. Stockham, age 16, Greenwich; pick handle by Ernest Bailey, age 17, Greenwich.

The exhibits of the primary, graded and high school departments of the Manassas School attracted much attention, especially of the townspeople and of the country people who are now patrons of our schools or who expect to be within a few years. Despite the fact that the fair does not mean as much to the school children of Manassas as it does to the children from the other schools of the county, the exhibits were very creditable. If there was any one article from the Manassas school that deserves more mention than the others it was a drawing by Paul Bryant, age 12.

To make the Manassas Agricultural High School as inviting as possible to the parents and older pupils of the county was the purpose of its fine display at the fair. Every branch of the work was exemplified, academic, agricultural, normal and business, and specimens of the work in the various courses were shown. The exhibit of the agricultural department was especially attractive to the country people.

The formation of poultry clubs in our county schools has been given considerable attention of late and Miss Emily Johnson, girls' canning club agent for Prince William, was fortunate enough to secure Mr. N. E. B. Talcott, poultry agent, U. S. Department of Agriculture, for last Friday at the fair. He was ready to explain any feature of the poultry industry and to give advice about the construction of houses, models of which were on exhibition.

For the fine county fair the school exhibit committee deserves praise, especially its chairman, Prof. B. K. Watson, and Miss Emily Johnson. Miss Johnson's careful and untiring work during the year made possible such a representative showing at last Friday's fair. Members of the school exhibit committee were B. K. Watson, chairman; Mrs. E. J. Larkin, Miss Emily Johnson, Mrs. ...

## U. S. DAUGHTERS OF 1812

**National Council Held in Washington—Mrs. A. W. Sinclair Attends.**

Mrs. A. W. Sinclair, regent of the Col. Geo. Armistead Chapter, U. S. Daughters of 1812, has returned from a meeting of the national association which was held in Washington the first part of last week. Many instructive and entertaining sessions occupied the business hours, while receptions, automobile rides and a banquet took care of the social side. The reception accorded by President and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson will ever be remembered by all so fortunate to attend it.

Among the important amendments to the constitution offered in 1915 and favorably reported upon was that pertaining to article 3, section 5, striking out the clause "every one who has complied with rules of admission shall join the society of the state in which she resides." The amendment as it now stands admits to membership in the state of one's preference, irrespective of residence. An amendment providing that "the annual council shall be held in Washington, D. C., during the week in which April 26 occurs" was also carried.

## MIKE LYNCH WRESTLER

**Former Manassas Boy Challenges Competitors at Princeton, Indiana.**

[Princeton, (Ind.) Clarion-News]

M. A. Lynch, of Manassas, Va., known as "Irish Mike," and said to hold middleweight wrestling championships of Columbia, Tenn.; Decatur, Ala., and in Georgia and South Carolina, is in Princeton with his manager, Dr. Clark, and they have taken the room over the Wirtz & Reinhart poolroom for a training place. Lynch is there giving instructions and training a number of Princeton wrestlers.

Lynch challenges all comers at 175 pounds, give or take twenty pounds. It is quite likely a match will be arranged here soon between Lynch and McCabe, of New Albany, Ind.

## MANASSAS CLEANING UP

**Citizens of Town Cooperating With Civic League—Hauling Going On Now.**

Although clean up week will not be over until Saturday night the town is putting on an air of cleanliness already and as load after load of rubbish is hauled to the hotel on the Cornwell property opposite the freight depot the premises of the citizens of the town take on a more tidy appearance. The successful clean up of last spring bids fair to be duplicated if not surpassed by the efforts of the Manassas Civic League this week.

After three days of cleaning up on the part of the citizens of the town, the team of the Manassas Civic League started hauling early Thursday morning. The team found plenty of work to do yesterday, and it is likely that today and part of tomorrow will also be needed to finish the hauling. The way the citizens of the town have responded to the appeal of the Mayor and the league has been very gratifying. It is expected that the boys of the Manassas High and Graded Schools will give valuable service in cleaning up vacant lots and the streets this afternoon.

It is hoped that the clean up spirit which is now abroad will continue throughout the entire year.

## FOREST HILL SCHOOL

**Closing Exercises Held April 21—Social Hour Much Enjoyed.**

The closing exercises of Forest Hill School, which is located near Joplin, were held Friday evening, April 21. Early in the evening visitors assembled in large crowds and soon the building was packed. At the conclusion of the program a social hour was much enjoyed. At this time light refreshments were on sale for the benefit of the school league and the proceeds from the sale will be very helpful to the league. The following program was well rendered by the happy children:

- Music—"Lily of the Valley."
- Recitation—"When the Minister Comes to Tea," Philip Abel.
- Recitation—Clarine Cooper.
- Music—Plantation Melody.
- Recitations—Odessa Proctor and Clarence Tapscott.
- Dialogue—"Blue Bird Call"—Eight Characters.
- Recitations—Addie Simmons and Nellie Lining.
- Pantomime—"Nearer My God to Thee," Two Girls.
- Recitations—Francis Keys and Viola Proctor.
- Pantomime—"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"—Three Girls.
- Tableau—"School Days."
- Recitation—Gertrude Lining.
- Play—"Josiah's Secret" and "Wooing Jane."

—The board of supervisors will meet in regular monthly session at the courthouse on Thursday of next week.

## TRACK MEET HERE MAY 13

**District High School Boys to Compete Next Saturday for Silver Cup.**

Saturday of next week Manassas will be the place of the annual track meet of the Eighth Congressional District Athletic League. The meet will be held on Round athletic field, beginning at 1:30 p. m. Among the high schools of the district which will be represented are: Warrenton, Leesburg, Culpeper, Remington, Greenwich and Manassas and possibly others. Admission will be 25 cents.

Eleven open events will be given—100, 220, 440-yd. dashes; 880-yd. and mile runs; high jump, broad jump, shot put, discus, pole vault and 120-yd. low hurdles. Something new in the way of junior events will be introduced in this year's meet. Only boys under 17 will be eligible. Among the junior events will be the 100, 220 and 440-yd. dashes; 120-yd. low hurdles, high jump, broad jump and shot put. Places in both open and junior events will count the same. First place will count 5, second 3, third 2, and fourth, 1.

The winners of the events are given ribbons and the winning team becomes temporary owner of a handsome silver cup, which must be won three years in succession by the same school to become the permanent property of that school. Manassas is already the permanent possessor of one of these cups and has one year to its credit on the Warrenton cup.

The prospects for this year's meet are very good and strong competition is looked for in many of the events. It is not at all unlikely that several track records will be broken at this coming district event.

## QUANTICO'S BEAUTY

**Impression of Visitor to Quantico, The City of Lower Prince William**

EDITOR MANASSAS JOURNAL:

I have just returned from a visit to Quantico, Prince William county, Virginia. No cannon boomed me a welcome but as I did not go to boom or be boomed neither my vanity nor cupidity came to grief. Have you ever been to Quantico? If not, please suspend judgment. The original survey of Northern Virginia dealt very kindly with Prince William in allotting it as fine a river frontage as the most exacting taste could desire. The gem on the bosom of this river frontage is Quantico.

All that it needs is substantial industrial development to make it all that nature has fitted it to be—"a thing of beauty and a joy forever." I did not suppose that any section of Prince William was equal to Manassas; and as I journeyed to Quantico I entertained a patronizing spirit toward it and all its surroundings; but I frankly confess that when I reached my destination and looked out on the blue expanse of the Potomac with its picturesque and romantic shore line, I was constrained to admit that Prince William did not exhaust its resources in furnishing the site of our own thriving town. I felt the industrial heart-beat of Quantico during my brief sojourn, and if I am any judge at all, it registered no fever, but a steady, determined purpose to make things go.

I unreservedly offer to this young industrial giant in Prince William on the Potomac my heart and my hand.

THOS. D. D. CLAWSON  
Manassas, Va.  
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In sad but loving remembrance of our dear husband, James T. Kane, who died this life one year ago, April 27, 1915.

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear father, James T. Kane, who passed away one year ago, Apr. 27, 1915.

Dearest husband, thou has left us. Left us, yes, forevermore. But we hope to meet our loved one.

'Tis hard to break the tender chord When love has bound the heart, 'Tis hard, so hard, to speak the words.

In memory of my dear sister, Jennie Dean, who left us for another world three years ago on May 3.

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At the request of Vice-President Mrs. J. L. Harrell, C. R. C. Johnson appeared before the body and stated that the installation of a drinking fountain for horses at one of the horse racks would cost \$19, complete.

Announcement was made that B. C. Cornwell offered the league the privilege of dumping the trash of clean up week into the big hole on his lot at the intersection of the Southern Railway's tracks and Main street.

BIGGER MEN IN THE FUTURE

Only a Question of Time Until Men Learn the Health Rules. It is estimated by men of science that at least 60 per cent of the people in this country are not in perfect health.

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Use printed stationery for your farm correspondence. The cost is little more than for plain stationery. Let us give you our prices.

Advertisement for Washington's Leading Store. Lists various silverware and glassware items like Sterling Silverware, Finest Plated Ware, High-Grade Cutlery, etc.

FARMERS TAKE NOTICE

The way to make two blades of grass grow where one does now: Buy the celebrated Magnesium Lime from Leesburg Lime Co.

Advertisement for Leesburg Lime Co., Inc. listing products like FLOUR, FEED And Groceries, and various types of horse and cow feed.

Advertisement for Maddox & Byrd, located at East Center Street.

Advertisement for The Implement Co., listing various farm implements and machinery.

Advertisement for Manassas Transfer Co., listing various services and goods.

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MANASSAS, VA., FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1916.

### A SANITARY MANASSAS IS POSSIBLE

A good number of the property owners and renters in Manassas have followed the injunction of the Mayor and have cleaned up their premises this week. They are to be commended in thus rendering such good service to themselves and the town. But now that their premises have been cleaned up it is important to see that they are kept clean—certainly through the spring, summer and fall months when trash and filth make a place unsanitary. With such a good start why should any citizen neglect to keep his premises clean and attractive for the remainder of the year?

Now as usual there are a number of citizens of Manassas who are now heeding the appeal to clean up. A number of these are violating one or more ordinances of the town. Out of justice to those who have complied with the sanitary regulations as prescribed by the town council, the Health Officer, the Mayor and the Sergeant should see that violators are dealt with as prescribed by law. If we are going to have a clean and sanitary town there must be no favoritism shown, neither must there be any apparent let-up in the enforcement of certain rather strict ordinances. All who do not voluntarily obey the ordinances should be forced to obey them.

Do you know that there is an ordinance requiring every privy in Manassas to be sanitary? A neighbor's unsanitary privy can work you as much harm as if it were your own. Do you know that there is an ordinance requiring the manure accumulating around every stable or shed within the corporate limits to be removed every ten days or else treated with some chemical prescribed by the Health Officer? What's the great value to be derived from your warfare on flies if your neighbor neglects to carry out the provisions thus laid down in regard to his stable? Do you know that there is an ordinance requiring the screening and protection from flies of every article of food offered for sale by the merchants of Manassas, unless these articles are wrapped in such a manner as to naturally afford protection from flies? Do you know that there is a milk ordinance that went into effect May 1, which requires all milk offered for sale in Manassas to be from healthy cows, the milking to be done in a sanitary manner and the milk to be cooled immediately after milking; to be delivered in clean, scalded bottles or vessels with close fitting tops and that the premises of the dairy be thoroughly sanitary? These are some of the ordinances which must be enforced if Manassas is to be clean and sanitary and healthy as we would like to have it.

Manassas, we are pleased to say, has a fine health record and we are justly proud of it. But the aim of every community should be to do better all the time and for this reason Manassas must keep awake along the lines of improved sanitation and the safeguarding of the health of her citizens in every particular. And since this matter of obeying ordinances and of keeping things clean, sanitary and attractive is largely a matter of habit there is really no good excuse for neglect on the part of some of our citizens to do what they should. There may be some who figure out that all this sanitation is so much "bunk," but rarely are these people or their premises pointed to with pride when strangers visit our town. Those who will not keep sanitary premises of their own accord must be forced to do so by the stern hand of the law.

### IT IS LARGELY DUE TO CARLIN

To get a bill calling for a new \$1,000,000 aqueduct bridge over the Potomac through the present congress appeared to be a stupendous task, and such it really was. Now that the measure has passed both the House and the Senate and has been sent to the President for his signature we can more fully appreciate the services of Congressman Charles C. Carlin in this behalf. It was our representative who took the lead in demanding a new aqueduct bridge and it was through his untiring efforts, in a large measure, that the passage of the bill was brought about. Again Mr. Carlin has shown his wide-awakeness and indefatigable energy in working at all times for the interests of his nation, his state and his district.

### COUNTY DAY—ITS REAL VALUE

Hats off to County Day! Far exceeding the expectations of even the most sanguine, County Day, 1916, has passed into the history of Prince William as an event of more than ordinary importance. We have had County Days before but never has one been so uniformly enjoyed and so fraught with good to the county at large as was that of Friday last. A new record has been set that is going to be hard to beat in the near future. But wherein was County Day so helpful?

There is no one item of such general importance and interest to the county as a whole as its public school system. Now County Day has to do solely with the county schools and this makes the occasion one of special worth. All realize that the branches of education dealing with the practical work of farm, shop and home are deserving of great emphasis, and the best way of emphasizing these particular phases of modern education is through a county fair. The numerous and fine exhibits shown last week prove that the boys and girls of Prince William are able to do practical work as well as acquire proficiency in their studies.

Another value of County Day is the encouragement it gives to athletics in the public schools. Just because a boy lives in the country that is no reason why he should not participate in athletic contests. If he should not need the exercise he needs the lessons in manliness that are learned better in lively competitions with his fellows than most anywhere else. Not to glory in victory or to sulk in defeat are among the valuable things clean and properly supervised athletics teaches the boy. The fact that eleven new records were made at the seventh annual meet held on County Day speaks well for the interest the county boys are taking in these meets and the all-round progress that is being made in county athletics.

Finally, the coming together in a spirit of amiability of many citizens of the various communities of the county to see what the school children are doing affords a pleasing spectacle. The progress of the children of a certain neighborhood, to an extent at least, can be accepted as an indicator of what progress is being made by the adults of that neighborhood. In the absence of a general county fair there is nothing so helpful to the citizens of the county as a county school fair. May there be many another County Day and may each be as successful as was that of 1916!

### WHAT ABOUT THE TOWN'S EYESORES

There are several pieces of property in Manassas which need the attention of the town's officials. Too long already have these places been allowed to give Manassas an untidy appearance and to help make for unsanitary conditions. We refer mainly to several vacant lots where old foundations, weeds, bushes, rubbish, tumbling buildings, etc., act as advertisements of carelessness and indifference. The owners of several of these vacant lots have been asked to improve conditions but they remain apparently indifferent. What's to be done about it?

Anything that is an eyesore to the town is in a sense a nuisance. It lowers the value of adjacent property and indirectly affects the rating of the town as a whole. Strangers always notice the ugly places; we sometimes forget about them. The people of Manassas desire the town to appear as clean and attractive as any town in the state but how can this be brought about when vacant lots remain neglected? If there is a law requiring vacant lots to be kept tidy now is the time to put it into operation. If there is no law to apply to these cases now is the time to draw up one that can be enforced at the earliest possible date.

### GETTING TIRED OF THE MAN HUNT

If our troops went into Mexico with the avowed purpose of getting Villa, dead or alive, why all this talk about withdrawal before the completion of the task? It is a well-known fact that plenty of time elapsed between Villa's raid upon Columbus, N. M., and the entry of our army upon the punitive expedition. Nothing was done except in the most deliberate manner and yet only a few weeks later we grow tired of the man hunt and become alarmed over the hostile attitude of the Mexican people towards our soldiers. What more could we have expected? Right at the first the capture of Villa was anything but promising and we were aware that the Mexicans for years had harbored revenge against the citizen of the United States. Is the enormous outlay of money and the lives already lost by reason of this invasion to count for naught? If we withdraw without getting Villa it will be only another illustration of the wishy-washy methods we have adopted in dealing with Mexico, and the present administration with hardly profit by such a blunder, one even worse than the premature withdrawal from Vera Cruz in 1914.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

The residence of Mr. J. R. B. Davis on Battle street is receiving a coat of paint.

Mrs. S. W. Burdge has been quite ill at her home on Battle street this week.

Mr. John R. Tillett is reported as quite ill at his home on the southeastern edge of town.

Tomorrow is the last day to pay your poll tax if you wish to vote in the November election.

The Junior Auction Bridge Club was entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. J. R. B. Davis.

Mr. L. E. Beachley is building an addition to his residence near the Bennett school building.

Manassas Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, met Wednesday afternoon in the chapter hall.

There will be preaching at Bethel Lutheran Church, Manassas, this evening at 8 o'clock by Rev. E. Z. Pence.

Elder L. H. Hardy, of North Carolina, will preach at Bethlehem Primitive Baptist Church on May 11, at 11 a. m.

Rev. Alford Kelley and Miss Isabel Kelley have moved from their apartments on Lee avenue to the manse on Main street.

A public recital will be given by Mrs. Dunn, vocal instructor at Eastern College, this evening at 8 o'clock in the college auditorium.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. Church, South, will meet at the home of Mrs. A. E. Spies Thursday, May 11, at 3 p. m.

Willis Meetze and Walter Hornbaker left Wednesday for Chester, Pa., where they have obtained employment in the silk mills at that place.

Service in Trinity Episcopal Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at which time there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion. Sunday School meets promptly at 9:45 a. m.

Lost, strayed or stolen—From this office on Saturday last THE JOURNAL'S devil. Information as to his whereabouts is respectfully solicited. A devil is a necessity in a printing office.

Mrs. Ada Davis is undergoing a course of treatment at a Washington hospital for facial neuralgia. Mrs. Davis has returned home considerably improved but will have to go back several more times.

The annual meeting of the postmasters of Virginia will be held in Richmond June 12 and 13. President Wilson, the Virginia delegation in congress and other distinguished people have been invited to be present.

An interesting account of the Piedmont Convocation of the Episcopal church of the diocese of Virginia, which was held at Haymarket on Tuesday and Wednesday, will be found under "Haymarket Happenings" in another column.

A few hours after the petition of the town council asking for an election for the purpose of voting on the bond issue for the town's outstanding indebtedness was handed Judge Thornton on Tuesday he called an election for Monday, June 5th.

The three pupils of the primary department of Manassas Graded School who made the greatest progress in writing, as brought out by the Carlin penmanship contest, are Virginia Speiden, Annie Laura Merchant and Frances Conner.

The last chapter of the serial picture, "The Diamond From the Sky," will be shown at the Dixie Theater Tuesday next. Tonight, and also next Friday the beautiful Marguerite Clark will appear in "The Lone of the North" and "The Master of Jose."

The usefulness of the Boy Scouts was shown on County Day, last Friday, when the scoutmaster and several members of Eagle Troop No. 1, Manassas, guarded the safety of visitors at certain danger points and assisted materially in the smooth running of the county fair.

Mrs. Rattie M. Greenwood, of Independent Hill, and Mr. John M. Oleyar, of Washington, were married in Rockville, Md., on April 23rd. They left Washington that evening on their wedding trip to Pittsburgh and Wampum, Pa. They will make their future home in Washington.

Mrs. Bessie Holland, formerly of Limstrong neighborhood but now of Washington, was struck by a motor truck in Washington the latter part of last week and quite badly injured about the shoulders and head. She has been under hospital treatment and her condition is now reported as improved.

At a meeting of the congregation of Trinity Episcopal Church Monday evening members of the vestry of the past year were reelected. The vestry will meet Tuesday evening for organization, the election of wardens and the selection of a delegate and an alternate to the council which will be held in Warrenton the latter part of this month.

The recent forest fires in many sections of Prince William should awaken the citizens of the county to the need of better protection against such widespread destruction of property. Forest fire warning notices sent out by State Forester Jones should be posted conspicuously in every neighborhood. Any who desire to post such notices can receive them free of cost by applying at this office.

Dr. J. M. Lewis' horse took fright at an automobile on Center street yesterday and proceeded to run away. The buggy to which he was hitched collided with a wagon near the Peoples National Bank Building and was overturned. The horse, entangled in the harness, was halted in front of the store of C. E. Nash & Co. The damage to the buggy was a pair of broken shafts and a bent dash board. The horse was uninjured.

A large delegation of Shriners from Alexandria passed through Manassas last Saturday afternoon en route to The Plains to attend a ceremonial session of Acca Temple, Mystic Shrine, at which time a large class of neophytes crossed the burning sands of the desert. While the train made a stopover in Manassas the band accompanying the party played several pieces on Eastern College campus and members of the party practiced drills.

Mr. T. E. Didlake, a lawyer of Charlotte, N. C., arrived in Manassas this week where he will remain for several weeks coaching Mr. C. J. Meetze for the coming state bar examination. Mr. Didlake is a 1915 graduate of the law school of the University of Virginia. For several years he served as instructor in economics at the University. Mr. Didlake is a native of Virginia who has "hung out his shingle" in the "Tar Heel State."

The Eastern College tennis team is making a name for itself. On April 22nd the team met and defeated the team of Bridgewater College at Bridgewater. Last Saturday Eastern's team was again victorious when it battled at Ashland, Va., with the Randolph-Macon College team.

Tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon Eastern will play Western High School at Manassas at 1:30 p. m. Admission will be 15 cents. On May 11th and 12th Eastern will play in Washington the teams of the Columbia Country Club and the Dumbarton Club of that city. Members of Eastern's team are Messrs. Williams, Mosher and Landis with Mr. Wayne Kramm as manager.

Seven new members have been admitted to membership in Eagle Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts, Manassas. They are George Larkin, John Maloney, Joseph Lewis, Ellery Payne, Warren Coleman, Paul Bryant and Leon Waters. The total membership of the local troop is now 19.

"The Beltsville (Md.) Poultry Farm" will be shown on the screen at the Dixie Theatre Tuesday evening. Free admission tickets have been sent all poultry club members of the county. This picture will be shown in connection with the regular program and should prove of much interest to all poultry raisers. The picture is gotten out by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and shows actual operations on the government's poultry farm at Beltsville.

Mr. F. E. Ransdell on Tuesday sold to Mr. James R. Hayden, of Omaha, Neb., and Sanford, Fla., a pedigreed Holstein bull calf and a fine Holstein heifer for \$1,000, the pair to be shipped to Sanford, Fla. The bull calf, which is nearly six months' old, is a grandson of King of the Pontiacs, and his mother's record will show that she gives 8 1/2 to 9 gallons of milk a day. The sire and dam of this calf are owned by Dr. Seaman, Mr. Creighton and Dr. H. B. Hutchison, of Wehlie, Va.

Services at Manassas Presbyterian Church, Rev. Alford Kelley, pastor, for the coming week will be as follows: Sunday—Sunday School at 10 a. m., subject: "The Missionaries of Antioch." Preaching at 11 a. m., subject: "Human Inclination." C. E. meeting at 7:45 p. m., subject: "The Consecration of Talents." Preaching at 8 p. m., subject: "Divine Ability." Wednesday—Prayer meeting at 8 p. m., subject: "The Law for Offerings." Special music will be rendered at all preaching services. All are invited.

Six sugar maples, the gift of Mr. J. Taylor Williams, of Newport, Ky., a brother of Mrs. Maggie Barbour, of Manassas, were planted on the south side of Lee avenue, between West street and Grant avenue. These trees were planted in memory of General "Stonewall" Jackson, Capt. Philip Daw Williams, General Robt. E. Lee, General Eppa Hunton and General William Payne. Two other maples, also the gift of Mr. Williams, were planted in memory of Maj. Thornton and Capt. Williams.

Supervisor J. J. Conner did not meet with much success in regard to the mass meetings called for Monday and Wednesday evenings at Backhall and Manassas, respectively, when he wished to learn the sentiment of the taxpayers of the district in regard to the tax for road purposes. Judging from the small number that turned out at each place there is no sentiment in regard to the road tax. A mass meeting is also scheduled for Saturday evening at Groveton, at which time it is hoped a large crowd of the district taxpayers will turn out.

The National Capital Horse Show, of which Mr. Melvin C. Hazen, of Nokesville and Washington, is manager, will begin on Saturday, to continue through Thursday of next week. Among the many exhibitors are Melvin C. Hazen, H. W. Herring and Son, and Mrs. Mitchell Harrison, of Nokesville; D. Waller, of Broad Run, and A. E. di Zerega, of Leesburg. The entry list this year is the largest in the history of the association. Thirty cups, approximately \$5,000 in money and a thoroughbred colt will be given away as prizes.

Manassas High School is again listed as one of the A-1 high schools of Virginia. The bulletin of the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools of the Southern States recently issued shows Manassas High

School to be one of the sixteen public high schools of the state thoroughly accredited. It is the first and only high school of the eighth congressional district which has so far received recognition by this association. This association has the same standard as the northern central association, as advanced and exacting as that of any association in this country.

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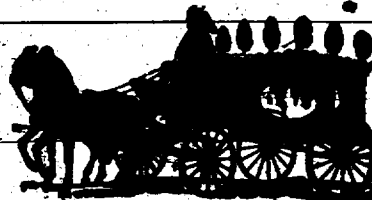
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- No. 9—Daily local, 8:00 a. m. Delivers connection at Orange daily except Sunday to C. & O. for Gordonsville and Richmond.
- No. 43—Daily through train for Charlottesville. 10:03 a. m. Will stop at Manassas on flag.
- No. 17—Except Sunday, leaves from Washington to Warrenton, 9:22 p. m.
- No. 15—Daily local for Warrenton, Charlottesville and way stations, 5:12 p. m. Full man Parlor Car to Warrenton.
- No. 41—Daily through train, 10:45 p. m. stops to let off passengers from Washington and Alexandria and to take on passengers for points at which scheduled to stop.

##### NORTHBOUND

- No. 18—Except Sunday, local from Warrenton to Washington, 7:00 a. m.
- No. 16—Daily through train between Charlottesville, Warrenton, Manassas and Washington, 9:05 a. m. Fullman Parlor Car to Washington.
- No. 14—Daily from Harrisonburg to Washington, 9:47 a. m. Fullman Parlor Car.
- No. 10—Daily local, 2:10 p. m. Connects at Orange with C. & O. Railway from Richmond and Gordonsville.
- No. 28—Daily, 7:56 p. m. local train between Harrisonburg, Manassas and Washington.
- No. 44—Daily through train between Manassas and Washington, 6:25 p. m.
- No. 30—Daily through train, coaches and sleeping cars for Washington and New York, 10:19 p. m., stops on flag.

##### WESTBOUND

- No. 40—Daily local for Harrisonburg and intermediate points, 9:40 a. m.
  - No. 21—Daily local to Harrisonburg, 5:00 p. m.
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### Fair and Track Meet Friday

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E. May Degan, Mrs. Walter Sanders, W. Y. Ellicott, A. B. Carter, Geo. G. Tyler, Earl Merrill, B. W. Kidwell and I. E. Cannon.

#### SUMNER COUNTY AWARDS

In addition to the awards to county school exhibits announced in last week's JOURNAL the following were also made:

- Ear of White Corn—1. Carrington Bailey, Greenwich. 2. Manuel Hopkins, Greenwich. 3. Dwight Hopkins, Greenwich.
- Ear of Yellow Corn—1. Manuel Hopkins, Greenwich. 2. Dwight Hopkins, Greenwich.
- Composition on Housefly—1. Carrie Leary, Bethel. 2. Elisabeth Lam, Piney Branch. 3. Mary Nelson, Betrow.
- Composition on Poultry—1. Gertha Johnson, Gainesville. 2. George Bell, Bradley. 3. Dora Lam, Piney Branch.
- Stencilled Book Cover—1. Clinton Florence, Greenwich. 2. Jack Kidwell, Greenwich. 3. Ralph Robinson, Greenwich.
- Jelly—1. May Emswiler, Woodlawn. 2. Isabel Thornton, Nokesville. 3. Josephine Peters, Haymarket.
- Preserves—1. Evelyn Mayhugh, Greenwich. 2. Eather E. Rollins, Groveton. 3. Grace Barbee, Gold Ridge.
- Chow Chow—age over 15—1. Emma Peters, Haymarket.
- Chow Chow—age 11 to 15—1. Marjorie Brower, Catharpin. 2. Inez H. Rollins, Groveton.
- Cucumber Pickles—1. Ethel Hopkins, Greenwich. 2. Elizabeth Lam, Piney Branch. 3. Josephine Peters, Haymarket.
- Catsup—1. Esther Rollins, Groveton.
- Beans—1. Josephine Peters, Haymarket. 2. Sue Snapp, Bethel. 3. Bertha Watts, Haymarket.
- Tomatoes—age over 15—1. Eva S. Kidwell, Bacon Race.
- Tomatoes—age 11 to 15—1. Josephine Peters, Haymarket. 2. Bertha Watts, Haymarket. 3. Louise Ayres, Cannon Branch.
- Any Vegetable (not tomatoes)—1. Eva S. Kidwell, Bacon Race. 2. Grace Foster, Greenwich. 3. Emma Peters, Haymarket.
- Peaches—age over 15—1. Emma Peters, Haymarket. 2. Eva S. Kidwell, Bacon Race. 3. Marie Vetter, Bethlehem.
- Peaches—age 11 to 15—1. Isabel Thornton, Nokesville. 2. Annie May Turner, Groveton. 3. Irene Davis, Bacon Race.
- Pears—1. Emma Peters, Haymarket. 2. Gracie Maxfield, Bacon Race.
- Cherries—1. Lucile Clarke, Minnieville. 2. Josephine Peters, Haymarket.

#### AWARDS IN MANASSAS SCHOOL

Each child of the primary department of the Manassas Graded School had an exhibit mounted on a separate cardboard. Prizes were offered in each grade for the general appearance of the exhibit; the age, writing, neatness and work being taken into consideration. Prizes were also offered for spelling in each grade. The first prize in each case was \$1 and the second, 50 cents. The awards for the primary department were as follows:

- Exhibit on cardboard—first grade—1. Virginia Spiden. 2. Jenkin Davis.
- Exhibit on cardboard—second grade—1. Marion Brodhead. 2. James Shoemaker.
- Spelling—first grade—1. Annie Laura Morehart. 2. Anna Weir Water.
- Spelling—second grade—1. Ruby Athey. 2. Dorothy Randall.

Special mention should be made of the work of Etta May Hettlo, Elvora Conner, Frances Conner and Cora Reid in the first grade and that of Robbie Weir and Thelma Goodain the second grade.

#### RIBBONS IN MANASSAS GRADIES

The following pupils of the graded department of the Manassas school were awarded these ribbons for excellence of work as indicated:

- Third Grade—Virginia Buckingham, towel; Hazel Sanders, apron; Christine Bryant, centerpiece; Elizabeth Coleman, centerpiece; Madeline McCoy, pillow; Ardath Evans, towel; Lela Hixon, hemstitched handkerchief; Ashby Lewis, Dutch house; George Johnson, jumping jack; Everett Embrey, sword; Warren Rosenberger, chair; Dennis Baker, spoon and wooden chain.
- Fourth Grade—Beulah Baker, centerpiece; Nannie Saffer, handkerchief; Alma Bell, pillow.
- Fifth Grade—Clara Rexrode, centerpiece; Elisabeth Cornwell, composition; Grace Frye, crochet yoke; John Hudson, drawing; Paul Bryant, drawing; Roy Gregory, bookcase; Allison Hoof, bookcase.
- Sixth Grade—Helen Coleman, apron; Elizabeth Pope, pin cushion; Georgia Harrell, centerpiece; Martha Rexrode, centerpiece; Hope Fleming, collar; Jessie Payne, crochet yoke; Christine Beardsley, centerpiece; Marjant and

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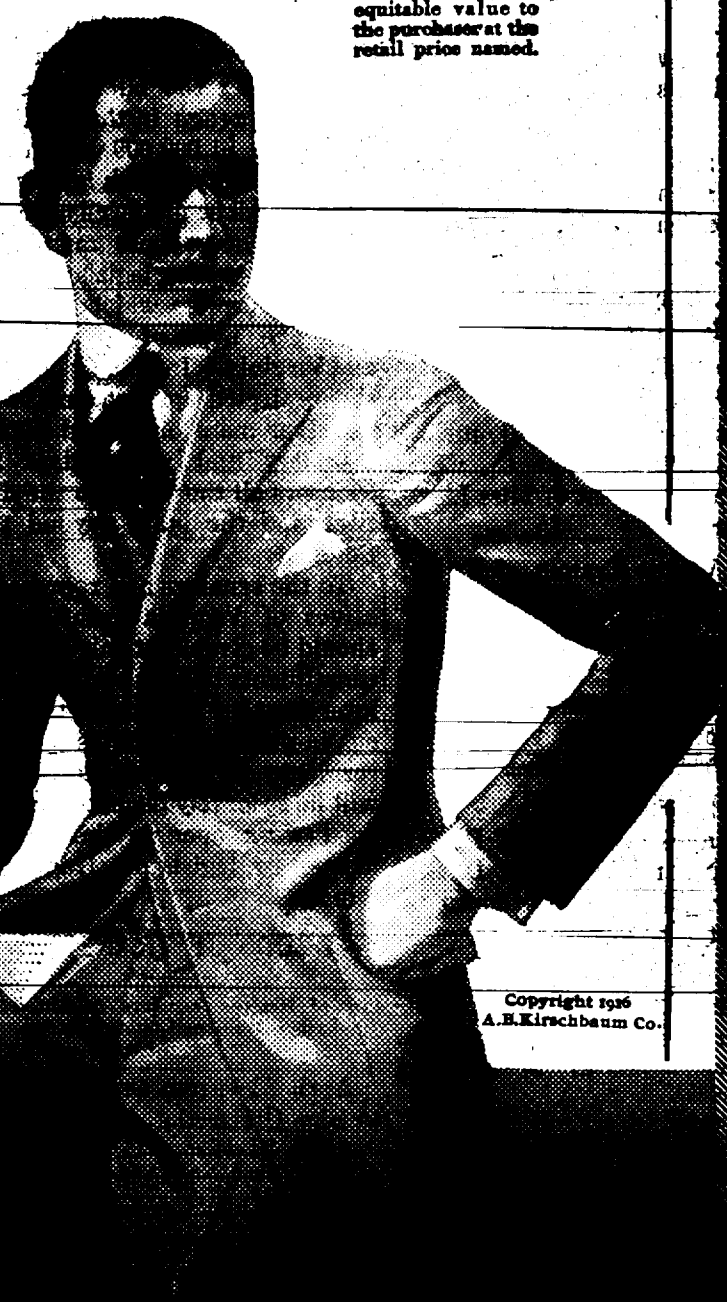
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**Eighth Grade**—Kathleen Spies, camisole; Rhoda Compton, corset cover; Sarah Clark, skirt waist; Effie Broeden, dress.

**MANASSAS BARELY WINE MEET**

The track meet was won by Manassas by one-half of a point. Throughout the entire meet much interest was manifested and the competition in the various events was keen. Six schools were in the running and the points they garnered were as follows:

Manassas, 42; Greenwich, 41; Haymarket, 35; Bethel, 15; Nokesville, 2, and Occoquan, 0. Gainesville had some of her boys on the field, but they failed to take part in any of the events.

The feature event of the afternoon was the winning of the half-mile race by Hopkins, of Greenwich. Rexrode, of Manassas, took the lead and held it, but with the entering upon of the final lap Hopkins increased his speed gradually and finished a foot or so ahead of Rexrode.

The points stars were Buckner, of Haymarket, who garnered 18 points, Hutchison, of Haymarket, with 17, and House, of Greenwich, with 13.

Every record was broken except the 115-pound broad jump, held by Pearson, of Gainesville—

15 ft. 11 1/2 in.—and the 96-pound broad jump, held by Leith, of Manassas—14 ft. 3 in.

The summary follows:

50-yard dash (80 pounds)—First, Robinson, Greenwich; second, Bryant, Manassas; third, Beale, Haymarket. Time, 7 seconds—record.

High jump (80 pounds)—First, Buckner, Haymarket; second, Rosenberger, Manassas; third, tie between Bryant, Manassas, and Beale, Haymarket. Height, 4 ft. 3 1/2 in.—record.

Broad jump (80 pounds)—First, Buckner, Haymarket; second, Clark, Manassas; third, tie between Robinson, Greenwich, and Bryant, Manassas. Distance, 14 ft. 10 in.—record.

80-yard dash (95 pounds)—First, Wood, Greenwich; second, Pettit, Bethel; third, Buckner, Haymarket; fourth, Lunford, Manassas. Time, 7 3/5—record.

High jump (95 pounds)—First, Buckner, Haymarket; second, tie between Glasscock and Pettit, Bethel; fourth, Waters, Manassas. Height, 4 ft. 5 in.—record.

80-yard dash (115 pounds)—First, Hutchison, Haymarket; second, Beach, Bethel; third, Thornton, Nokesville; fourth, Conner, Manassas. Time, 9 3/5—record.

High jump (115 pounds)—First, Hutchison, Haymarket; second, Cather, Manassas; third, Shumate, Haymarket; fourth, Buckner, Haymarket. Height, 4 ft. 9 in.—record.

Broad jump (115 pounds)—First, Hutchison, Haymarket; second, Cather, Manassas; third, Haydon, Manassas; fourth, Pettit, Bethel. Distance, 15 ft. 7 1/2 in.

100-yard dash (unlimited weight)—First, Athey, Manassas; second, Bailey, Greenwich; third, Hopkins, Greenwich; fourth, Larsen, Manassas. Time, 11 seconds—record.

880-yard run (unlimited weight)—First, Hopkins, Greenwich; second, Rexrode, Manassas; third, Larsen, Manassas; fourth, Bailey, Greenwich. Time, 2m. 25 3/5—record.

High jump (unlimited weight)—First, House, Greenwich; second, Rexrode, Manassas; third, Hutchison, Haymarket; fourth, Lynn, Bethel. Height, 5 ft. 3 in.—record.

Broad jump (unlimited weight)—First, House, Greenwich; second, Lynn, Bethel; third, Rexrode, Manassas; fourth, Hopkins, Greenwich. Distance, 19 ft. 3 1/2 in.—record.

12-pound shot-put—First, Bailey, Greenwich; second, House, Greenwich; third, Athey, Manassas; fourth, Larsen, Manassas. Distance, 32 ft. 7 1/2 in.—record.

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TERMS CASE: LUENEN KEITH, E. THORNTON DAVIES, Trustees.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust executed by John O. Gordon and wife, on the 9th day of April, 1913...

Monday, May 22, 1916

at 12 o'clock, m., in front of the bank in the town of Nokesville...

TERMS CASE: H. THORNTON DAVIES, Trustee.

VIRGINIA:—IN CHANCERY

John M. Primich, Mary Primich and Jno. F. Reilly, Trustees, Defendants vs. The object of this suit is to have set aside and declared null and void two certain deeds...

CHAPTER XVII.

Is He Your Husband?

UNCLE BILLY recounted his experiences to the women. What he lacked in elegant phraseology he made up in simple directness.

"Rubber heels?" "What's that?" "One o' th' chaps wore new rubber heels. It's him. All right. I'm 't tell him 't come out after supper."

"All right, Miss Wynne; tomorrow." He was told at the hotel that Mr. Hanchett and his friend were across the river fishing in the bay.

"Better go 'n' find out." With this advice the guide turned and made off. Mr. Hanchett frowned.

"I propose to teach Cranford a lesson." "Piffle! Can't you see that he's far more dangerous than you are?"

hastily turned his back and went into the bathroom. The son stared at the eddy at the teetering door. Now what? Smead's retreat, however, did not serve.

An accomplished rogue who did not want to be a rogue any longer. A year ago nothing had worried him. Money had come easily.

"You, Miss Wynne? By jings!" "I have hinted that I was trying to prevent a crime. It cannot matter now if I tell you a few facts.

"You sent for me, Di?" "Yes," crisply. "I want Mr. Cranford liberated at once. I am the person who is responsible for your present embarrassment."

"I'll go out and release Cranford. He fooled me nicely—I never dreamed that you were in this. You're a wonderful young woman.

only have seen into my mind? I dreamed—I was selfish and thought less—what that house might mean to you. I was wrong. I had always been...

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PIEDMONT CONVOCATION OVER.

The ninety-eighth semi-annual meeting of the Piedmont Convocation of the Episcopal Church of the diocese of Virginia was held in St. Paul's Church, Haymarket, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The visiting clergy were well looked after in every particular. The Ladies' Aid Society, assisted by the people of the community, served lunch and supper each day to the clergy, choir and the congregation at large in Parish Hall.

There were very powerful and cogent addresses on the necessary place of the Sunday school in any right relations between parent, child and God.

The convocation essay on "The Place of Current Church Literature in the Parish" was delivered by Rev. Dr. Woodward, of The Plains. It was a scholarly historical review of the subject, with some very practical experiences from the speaker's own practice.

The proposed pension fund was also reviewed. An effort is being made to raise five million dollars with which to start a uniform pension system, automatic at the age of 68, to be never less than \$600 nor more than \$2,000 per year.

The musical entertainment and play recently given in Haymarket under the auspices of Bull Run Camp, No. 12,603, Modern Woodmen of America, for the benefit of Mr. J. E. Croson, a patient at the Catawba Sanatorium, will be presented at Catharpin this evening, when it is hoped a large crowd will turn out for the program of fun and music.

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Last Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dulin and little Irving, Taylor started to Nokesville. In turning a corner the fifth wheel broke throwing them out, but no serious injury was sustained.

Mrs. E. C. Taylor and Mrs. J. M. Reid spent Monday with Mrs. R. O. Mountjoy.

Mrs. Julia Townsend and Misses Katie and Mary Cockerill spent several days in Warrenton.

Misses Lucile Taylor, Lulu Mayhugh and Mr. G. H. Washington were Manassas visitors on Tuesday.

Miss Katie Boley spent Monday night at "The Manse."

Mr. Robbie Grant was a visitor in our town last Sunday.

Rev. J. E. Cooke is spending this week at "Mount Ephraim," his old home.

Miss Lillian Lightner, of Haymarket, spent the week-end with Miss Alice Mays, at the home of Mr. John Hall.

Mr. Mitchell Bettis has bought a fine buggy.

Mr. James Amides has moved into his new store and dwelling-house near Forestburg.

Mr. J. Leary Cato, of Richmond, visited his sister, Mrs. C. C. Dunn, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Pearl Segar, of Fredericksburg, visited her aunt, Mrs. L. E. Anderson, last week.

Mrs. Ida Abell has returned home after spending several days with friends in Washington.

The Forest Hill Civic League met at Forest Hill Monday night, May 1. All reported a good time.

Mrs. J. E. Tapscott and Mrs. T. F. Anderson called to see Mrs. E. H. Keys, of Joplin, Thursday.

Mrs. J. H. Cato and daughter, Julia, of Mount, Va., were the guests of Mrs. Cato's daughter, Mrs. C. C. Dunn, Thursday.

Mr. Kemper Davis and Mr. James Abell spent Friday in Manassas.

CLIFTON DOINGS.

We are having spring in truth these days.

Among the Sunday visitors to our village were Miss Margaret Marshall, who visited her mother, Mrs. J. M. Fulmer, and Messrs. J. F. Cooksey and Vernon Wright, who visited friends and relatives.

The Mission Band of the Presbyterian Church met Sunday at 11 a. m. Miss Ruth Richards, the leader, gave a very interesting map talk on Japan and Korea.

Rev. Alford Kelley preached at 8 p. m., on Sabbath observance to a large congregation with Mrs. Adams as organist and the choir in place. The music was unusually good at this service.

Mr. August Payne has returned to her home in the village for the summer.

Mr. W. F. Ford spent Sunday and Monday with his daughter, Mrs. Lovelace, at Dumfries.

Monday, Rev. W. F. Naff while burning brush on his place had the fire get away from him and in the high winds it spread rapidly. After quite a strenuous time the fire was put out without doing any very serious damage.

Rev. Naff's house is about ready for the plasterers. Carpenters are now putting up the foundations for the front porch.

R. R. Buckley, accompanied by three of his children, went to Washington in auto via Fairfax Wednesday.

William, son of George Mayhugh, was kicked by a horse hitched in the village Wednesday afternoon and was quite badly hurt, but it is hoped not seriously.

The senior class of high school is about ready for graduation, which will occur on May 19 in the school auditorium. An address is to be made by Congressman C. C. Carlin.

We wish to correct a mistake made in this column last week. The item was printed to read that Mr. S. Smith and Clyde Mathers were "leaving" their farms. It should have been that they were "finishing" their land.

Miss Gertrude Cox, who was recently very ill with measles, started to school this week, but was stricken with a return of faintness from her recent illness and had to go home Wednesday.

Mr. Clarence Kipphart, of Crofts, Va., is visiting relatives in this neighborhood.

Mr. John Anderson is making new improvements on his house.

Rev. Mr. Rixey will preach at Bell Haven Sunday, May 7.

Miss Lucie Brawner, of Dumfries, spent several days this week with Miss Violet Abell.

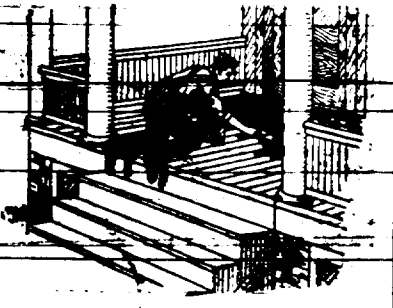
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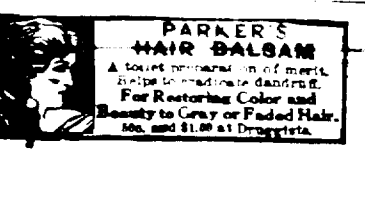
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