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## MANY TEACHERS EXPECTED HERE

Instructive Educational Conference to Meet at Manassas—Program in Detail

The annual conference of the District of Virginia Teachers Association will be held at Manassas, Virginia, on Friday, February 20, and Saturday, February 21, 1920. The program for the two days is as follows: Friday, February 20, 8:00 a. m. Registration. 9:00 a. m. Roll call of Delegates. 9:15 a. m. Appointment of Committees. 9:30 a. m. Addresses of Welcome. 10:00 a. m. Business Session. 11:15 a. m. Address—The Importance of Business Training. In Praise of Music—Mrs. C. E. L. Hodge. 2:00 p. m. Health Session—Dr. E. C. Harper, President. Why Teachers Should Be Interested in Tuberculosis—Miss Mary E. Frayser. The Health of the School Child—Dr. Roy K. Flannagan. Address—Representative of the American Red Cross. 4:00 p. m. Round Table Conference—Supt. Chas. R. McDonald, Presiding. Address—Backward and Gifted Children—Dr. George O. Ferguson. 4:30 p. m. Meeting Athletic League. 8:00 p. m. Address—Progressive Tendencies in Twentieth Century Education—Dr. Walter J. Gifford. Address—Dr. J. P. McConnell. Friday's Session. 9:00 p. m. Executive Session. Reports of Committees. Election of Officers. 9:30 p. m. Vocational Session—Mr. H. W. Sanders, Presiding. The Need of a Definite Agricultural Policy in Virginia—Mr. John R. Hutchison, of Blacksburg. The Need of Home Economics Education in the Training of Women—Miss Edith Baer.

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## FARMERS' INSTITUTE NAMES NEW OFFICERS

Members Vote to Continue Institute as Well as Farmers' Co-Operative Union.

The Northern Virginia Farmers' Institute, at its annual meeting held on Friday at the courthouse, decided to continue as an organization apart from the farmers' union and elected officers for the ensuing year. Mr. W. L. Heuser, of Haymarket, retiring vice-president, presided.

Mr. H. W. Sanders, secretary of the institute, spoke on the educational value of the institute, and Mr. W. L. Browning, county agent, made a talk on co-operation. Others who took part in the discussions were Miss Lillian V. Gilbert, county home demonstration agent, and Mr. C. F. M. Lewis.

The following officers were elected: President, Mr. J. P. Leachman; vice-presidents, Messrs. R. A. Rust, Haymarket; Mahlon Seese, Nokesville; W. B. Doak, Clifton; H. F. Myers, Manassas; E. E. Blough, Manassas; L. F. Merrill, Independent Hill, and W. B. Varner, Bristow, and secretary, Mr. H. W. Sanders.

A valentine meeting of the Girls' Auxiliary of the Manassas Baptist Church was held Friday at the home of Miss Ruth Hutchison. The members decided to make a gift of \$5 to the fund for Armenian and Syrian relief and a certificate for completing the mission study reading course was presented to the hostess.

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The will was offered for probate last week during the February term of the court and probate was immediately opposed by Oscar C. Portner, of Washington and Manassas, a brother of the deceased. As a result trial of the case was set for April 13 and on the day of the contestant Thomas H. H. and H. Thornton Davies, Manassas attorneys, were appointed curators, and qualified by executing a joint bond of \$150,000.

Mr. Portner died in New York City October 30, 1919. His will, which was made two years ago while he was critically ill in a Washington hospital, bequeathed his entire estate, amounting to \$250,000, for life to his sister, Mrs. Etta Portner Meredith, wife of William Payne Meredith, of Washington, and the remainder to her young daughter, Sylvia, subject to a small annuity to Edward Dickerson, a faithful attendant.

Mr. Portner was unmarried. His legal heirs are five sisters and two brothers. Mrs. Anna Portner Flood, wife of Representative Henry D. Flood; Mrs. Palmer Derby, Mrs. William Payne Meredith and Oscar C. Portner, of Washington; Alvin O. Portner, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Alma Portner and Mrs. Augustine L. Huntz, of New York city, and a young nephew, Edward Portner, son of the late Edward G. Portner.

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## AUXILIARY NAMES NEW OFFICIALS

County Agent Browning Makes Poultry Talk—Miss Gifford Reports Visit.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Farmers' Institute held its monthly meeting Friday afternoon at Ruffner Building, the vice-president, Mrs. T. E. Haines, presiding.

County Agent Browning made an address on poultry raising in general and Prince William prospects in particular, taking up proper housing and feeding and the marketing of eggs. He emphasized the need of organization and urged poultry raisers to adopt a standard and stick to it.

Mr. Browning cited a demonstration in Maryland of balanced feeding, which raised the rate of production from twenty-five per cent in November, 1919, to sixty per cent in January, 1920. He declared the producer can do much to reduce the B. C. L. and also gave the value of certified eggs.

After the roll call and reading of the minutes, two new members—Mrs. T. E. Haines and Mrs. C. H. Seely—were enrolled.

Mrs. C. F. M. Lewis, rest room superintendent, gave a financial report for the period from June, 1919, to February, 1920, showing the payment of \$193.20 toward the maintenance of the rest room in Manassas, the payment of the old debt of \$43 and a balance in the treasury of \$21.42.

Mrs. Ashby Lewis, auxiliary treasurer, reported a balance of \$6.17 in the treasury.

Officers for 1920 were elected as follows: President, Miss Emily J. Johnson; vice-president, Mrs. T. E. Haines; secretary, Miss Lillian V. Gilbert; treasurer, Mrs. Ashby Lewis, and rest room superintendent, Mrs. C. F. M. Lewis. The following committee was appointed to serve with the rest room superintendent: Mrs. Ann E. Spies, Mrs. E. D. Wissler, Mrs. A. Stuart Gibson, Mrs. George C. Round, Mrs. T. E. Haines and Miss Lillian V. Gilbert.

Miss Lulu D. Metz read a letter concerning home economics education and Smith-Hughes work and a resolution endorsing the same was signed by the president and secretary.

Miss Gilbert, county home demonstration agent, made a report of her visit to Park View Community Centre

# Paid Out and Ready for Business But We Want Your Co-Operation

The Prince William Fair Association has paid all the premiums due exhibitors, all bills that it owes and is now ready for a fair this fall that will beat anything that has ever been pulled off in this section. But we need your co-operation. Will you help us make the Prince William Fair a BIG SUCCESS? We believe you will and this is why we are working with so much enthusiasm. We want to interest EVERY person in Prince William and adjoining counties. Begin to get your exhibits ready NOW, and plan to have a large representation of live stock and all farm products. Attractive premiums, including several beautiful silver cups, will be offered. The premium catalogue will soon be ready for publication and we urge all farmers, merchants and business men to send us an advertisement for this catalogue. You will be well repaid for the advertising you receive, besides helping to BOOST the fair and Prince William county. All suggestions towards making the Fair a genuine SUCCESS will be gratefully received and all inquiries relating to exhibits, advertising, etc., will be promptly answered.

# The Prince William Fair Association

Headquarters: Second Floor Peoples National Bank Building, Manassas, Va.

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G. RAYMOND RATCLIFFE, Treasurer  
H. W. SANDERS, Secretary  
Directors: J. L. Dawson, W. M. Johnson, W. B. ...  
W. F. Hale, McDuff ...  
Executive Committee: Mrs. H. L. Hundley, W. M. Johnson, W. B. ...  
J. L. Dawson, W. F. Hale

CLIFTON

Rev. Edward Tabor filled his usual... at the Baptist Church... holding an evening service...

Rev. Edward Tabor spent the day in... of last week.

Rev. McLeod preached at the... Church Sunday morning... weather man is still giving us...

Both rural mail carriers had trouble with high water during the snow on Friday... to lose a package out of his buggy in the stream.

The sick are all either well or convalescing. Mr. D. W. Mathers, who is quite ill of pneumonia, is reported better.

Miss Leonard has resigned her position in the school and has gone to Washington to take a government position.

Mr. W. Swen Elgin is again unable to work on account of ill health.

Misses Ruth Richards and Miriam Buckley, of Washington, spent the week-end here.

The Clifton Presbyterian Church has made the following report of the year's work to the February meeting of the Washington Presbytery:

"It is with regret that members of the Presbyterian Church of Clifton say good-by to their former pastor, Rev. Alford Kelley, who has been called to engage in the Anti-Saloon League campaign of education and enforcement. Under his leadership the church has increased in membership and attendance. The building itself has been repaired and beautified. During the present year the church contributed to the following causes, more than meeting the required amounts:

- "Home Missions—Church, \$30; Woman's Society, \$32; Sunday School, \$7.50; Mission Band, \$2.50; total, \$72.
"Foreign Missions—Church, \$19.25; Woman's Society, \$32; Sunday School, \$47.25; Mission Band, \$2.50; total, \$101.
"Publications and Sunday Schools—Church, \$5; Sunday School, \$11; total, \$16.
"Church Erection, \$6; Ministerial Relief, \$5; Freedmen, \$5; Bible Society, \$7; General Education, \$19; total, \$33.
"Grand total, \$222."

FORESTBURG

Practically all of Forestburg's influenza victims are well.

Mr. Herbert E. Anderson visited at Dumfries on Sunday.

Mr. J. E. Tapscott is on the sick list. Mrs. A. V. Lloyd, of Joplin, spent the week-end here with Mrs. W. E. Lloyd.

Rev. C. L. Beards will preach at Forest Hill Church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mrs. Ida Abel is on the sick list.

Mr. William Ashby, who has been on the sick list, is able to be out again.

Mr. C. Lloyd is visiting in Washington.

The public school at Dumfries, which has been closed on account of the flu, has opened again.

Mr. Money Davis, of Cabin Branch mine, was a Forestburg visitor on Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Kincheese, of Mount Holly, is quite ill.

Mrs. Annie Lynn recently died at her home at Dumfries. She leaves her husband and three little children.

A son was born in Columbia Hospital, Washington, on Tuesday, February 10, to Dr. and Mrs. P. W. Covington. His name is Platt Walker Covington, Jr. Mrs. Covington before her marriage was Miss Elna Wheat, of Dumfries, where she has recently been the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. Frank Wheat.

MINNIEVILLE

Messrs. J. T. Clarke and John Russell made a business trip to Washington Wednesday.

Mr. R. B. Reid spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reid, of Dumfries.

A Valentine party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clarke on Friday evening. Games were played until a late hour, when refreshments were served in the dining room. The tables were attractively decorated for the occasion. A crowd of young people gathered and a reported having a very enjoyable time.

Mrs. C. E. Clarke and her baby sister, Catherine, were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clarke. Mrs. Clarke returned to Washington on Monday after spending the time at her home.

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The object of this suit is to subject the estate of Hyman Viener and subject the same to the payment of the plaintiff's claim of \$30,000, with interest from December 16, 1919. Admittavit having been filed that the defendant, Hyman Viener, is not a resident of this state, it is ordered that he appear here within ten days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest.

A true Copy. GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk. By his Deputy, L. LEDMAN.

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County Mass Meeting!

THE ELECTORS OF PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, VA.: Responding to the call of the Republican National State and Congressional Executive Committees, the Republican electors and all other persons who believe in the principles and policies of the Republican party, without regard to past party affiliations, are requested to meet in a Mass Meeting to be held in CONNER'S HALL, MANASSAS, VA., AT 10 O'CLOCK SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1920, for the purpose of electing a County Chairman, a County Secretary, and the County Committee to elect delegates and alternates to the Congressional District Convention to be held in the CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VA., ON APRIL 15, 1920 and delegates and alternates to the State Convention to be held on MARCH 17, 1920, in the CITY OF ROANOKE, VA., and decide other matters as may properly come before the County Mass Meeting.

By direction of the Republican County Committee for Prince William County, Virginia, at Manassas, Va., the 14th day of February, 1920.

W. E. TINSLEY, Chairman. C. S. SMITH, Secretary.

EYES ON MR. MOORE: The night of the 19th inst. a small feeling of uneasiness pervaded the minds of the representatives of the Manassas Farmers' Union. Representatives of the union have made many attempts to secure the title of farmers' friend. In the recent election of the representatives, the proposition to have a standing committee of the national organization. He has shown particular interest in direct marketing of the producer and city consumer as proposed by Washington community centers and Prince William farm districts, and awaits the success of the party to urge its adoption throughout his district.

ANOTHER CABINET RUPTURE: Much excitement attended the unfortunate break between President Wilson and his secretary of state, which resulted in Mr. Lansing's withdrawal from the cabinet at the President's request.

Public opinion, as registered by the press, has no censure for Mr. Lansing and is at a loss to reconcile Mr. Wilson's action with the charge against Mr. Lansing of usurping executive authority in calling cabinet conferences during the President's illness. Administration critics go so far as to censure the President broadly for dismissing his able premier. Some prominent democrats have given utterance to hasty condemnation.

Clearly the formal reason for the rupture was only one phase of the situation, and in spite of Mr. Lansing's national popularity and the natural feeling that the country has sustained a loss in his removal from the cabinet, America owes enough to the President to withhold ill-considered judgment and give him credit for weighing the matter and acting in the interest of the nation though he has chosen to keep his own counsel as concerns further details. Suffice it to say that the ship of state would find it rough sailing with captain and first mate at odds—therefore, the mate should go!

I PLANTED A ROSE

I planted a rose in my garden, And I planted it there for You; I watered my rose and tended my rose, And the grateful flower grew.

And when it had budded and opened, I took one flower one day, A fragrant flower, a wondrous flower, I took one flower away.

I held the rose as I pondered, And this was a bright June morn; I smelled the rose, but the rose it turned And stabbed me with its thorn.

And I wiped the blood from my finger From the stab of the rose that grew In the garden fair; I'd planted it there To remind me, dear, of You.

And since we have wed, I've wondered When the thorn made its cruel slip, Whether the flower was trying its best To give me a friendly tip.

But thorns, they may stab and bruise me; And thorns, they may wound me sore, For a rose must have its thorn, For that's what the thorn is for.

So may your thorns distress me, Over they will, I suppose; For what are the odds that a Thorn may do As I've got the rose? Forward Warner in the Times Dispatch.

DIDN'T KNOW IT

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Mr. William Bettis is quite sick at his home in Maple street. Mrs. Harry P. Davis continues quite sick at her home in Grant avenue. Mrs. John C. Goode, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, is improving. Mrs. R. S. Smith, who has been sick for the past six weeks, is improving slowly. Mr. S. Bloxton is the operator at the new telegraph office opened at Broad Run. Mr. M. H. Shipp, of Brentsville, who has been seriously ill of influenza, is improving. Mr. A. H. Harrell, who has been quite sick at his home in Battle street, is improving. Mr. C. C. Furr, of Broad Run, had a severe fall during the recent sleet, breaking two ribs. The family of Mr. Robert Mock, all of whom have been sick with influenza, is recovering. Mrs. George C. Round, who has been quite sick at her home in Grant avenue, is improving. Mrs. George L. Rosenberger and her little son, Francis, have been on the sick list this week. Mrs. John L. Meetze, who has been in a sanitarium at Laurel, Md., for the past four weeks, is much improved. A little daughter, Miss Sarah Margaret Goode, was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goode, jr., at their home near Wellington. The prayer circle of Trinity Episcopal Church will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. P. Chapman in West street. Miss Louisa Moxley recently celebrated her seventy-ninth birthday at her home in Church street, baking her own birthday cake in honor of the occasion. Mr. W. L. Howard, of Rising Sun, Md., has purchased the 170-acre farm of Mr. W. S. Elyand on the Wellington road, near Manassas, for \$14,000 and will take possession about March 15. Mrs. William R. Griffin and her five little children, all of whom have been suffering with influenza or pneumonia, are improving. The father of the family succumbed to pneumonia last week. Mr. F. R. Saunders was called to Warsaw, Richmond county, last week by the illness and death of his eldest brother, Mr. Clarence Saunders, who suffered a stroke of paralysis. Judge Samuel G. Brent, of the sixteenth judicial circuit, became ill Tuesday morning while holding court in Alexandria county and is now confined to his home in Alexandria. Miss Edith M. Haydon, who has been in the army nurses' training school at Walter Reed Hospital, is spending several months in New York city to obtain social service training. The regular meeting of the Manassas local farmers' union will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the National Bank, according to the announcement of Mr. J. J. Conner, secretary. All members are urged to be present. Mrs. W. L. Sanders and Miss Epie Duncan, members of the high school faculty, have been quite sick at their respective homes here and in Warrenton. Mrs. W. L. Browning, wife of the county agent, has been teaching at the high school. Miss Ruth P. Smith has resigned her post as teacher of the eighth grade of the Manassas public school to accept a government position in Washington, entering upon her new duties on Monday. Her place here is being filled by Mrs. E. D. Winsler. The Woman's Missionary Society of the Manassas Presbyterian Church was represented on Monday at the annual meeting of the Foreign Presbyterian Missionary Society, in Washington, by Mrs. DeForest Wade, wife of the pastor, and Mrs. E. L. Hornbaker. Students of the Temple School of Music will give an "American evening" at the studio Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock under the direction of Miss Margaret Temple Hopkins. Short sketches of American composers will be followed by representative American compositions. Messrs. C. J. Meetze and Thomas H. Lion made a trip to Richmond this week in the interest of a change of road at Occoquan and the incorporation of the town of Quantico, appearing before legislative committees governing these matters. Mr. Meetze also went to see Governor Davis. Mrs. D. E. Eshart has returned to her home near Nokesville from Prince Georges county, Maryland, where she was called by the illness and death of her father and sister, Mr. J. C. Staibus and Mrs. Marie Baker, who succumbed to influenza and pneumonia, their deaths being eight days apart. Mrs. E. L. Hornbaker, who went to Washington to attend a missionary meeting, remained in the city several days on account of the illness of her daughter, Miss Olive Hornbaker, a nurse at Sibley Hospital, who submitted to an operation for appendicitis on Wednesday morning. Miss Hornbaker is improving. Mr. Howard Russell, of Marshall, has recovered from injuries received in an automobile accident in Arizona and has resumed his studies at the University of Arizona. Mr. Russell is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Russell and a brother of Mrs. Clarence W. Wagener.

The banks will be closed on Monday and the post office will be open only from 9:30 to 10 a. m., the holiday commemorating Washington's birthday which falls on Sunday this year. Mr. John J. Davies, former vice-president of the Culpeper National Bank, recently succeeded Mr. Charles Forbes as president of that institution. Mr. Davies became cashier of the bank in 1909, shortly after leaving Manassas, and was made vice-president about two years ago, being succeeded as cashier by his assistant, Mr. E. Weir Waters, also a native of Manassas. News has been received here of the recent marriage of Miss Minnie Taylor and Mr. Robert Neill, both of The Plains. The bride is well-known here, where she has frequently been the guest of Miss Maggie Smith, in West street. She has made her home for some time with her sister, Mrs. Manton Meetze, near The Plains. Mrs. Margaret Cockerille, wife of Mr. Coleman Cockerille, died yesterday at her home in Washington, after an illness of several weeks. Mrs. Cockerille was a daughter of the late Stella A. Marsteller, of this county, and is survived by her husband, one child, one sister, Mrs. C. K. Bodine, of Nokesville, and two brothers, Mr. La Claire Marsteller, of Bristow, and Mr. Eugene Marsteller, of Washington. Miss Virginia C. Gardner, of Fauquier county, was the winner of a \$100 prize offered by the Washington Times for the best last line to a Valentine limerick printed in the Times on Tuesday. Miss Gardner's last line being the following Valentine message: "Let's double exemption next year." Miss Gardner, with her mother, the late Mrs. Alice Mosby Gardner, lived in Manassas several years and taught in the Manassas public schools. She is now employed in the Bureau of Medicine and Chemistry, United States Navy Department.

MANASSAS TEAMS BOW TO WASHINGTON CHAMPION Tech Defeats Boys and Girls Lose to Ingram—Interesting Games Played Here. The high school girls' basketball team lost one of the most interesting games seen here this year to the Ingram team, of Washington, which has not suffered a defeat in four years. Manassas started the scoring and kept it until the second quarter, which ended with the visitors in the lead. Again in the third quarter the local team forged to the front, only to lose their lead in the final quarter, the game ending with a score of 22 to 32. The local girls were greatly outweighed by their older opponents and would in all probability have won but for this. The Misses Sanders and Moran, forwards for Manassas, scored twelve and ten points, respectively. Miss Ayers, transferred from forward to guard during the early part of the season, proved herself even better at that position than at forward. Capt. Brower featured in her accurate passing, while Miss Covington and Miss Glaetli also played a fine game. The boys lost to Technical High, of Washington, by the score of 21 to 15. Tonight the girls will play Eastern College and tomorrow evening the boys will meet the Royal Athletic Club from Alexandria, both games being played in Conner's Hall. DEATH OF MISS PIERCY Succumbs at Philadelphia to Pneumonia Following Influenza. News has been received here of the death in Philadelphia Monday morning of Miss Anne Piercy, of Fredericksburg, daughter of Mrs. Marian W. Piercy and the late Thomas N. Piercy, residents of this county for many years. Miss Piercy's death was caused by pneumonia following influenza. Funeral services were conducted yesterday at the Greenwich Presbyterian Church by Rev. J. Royal Cooke and her body was laid to rest in the home of her childhood. Surviving relatives are her mother, one sister, Mrs. Paul Karsten, jr., of Fredericksburg, and four brothers, Messrs. Wallace and Andrew Piercy, of Orange county, and Messrs. John M. Piercy and Thomas Piercy, of Gainesville. Mrs. Oliver E. Newman is confined to her home in south Main street as the result of a fall which injured her hip and head.

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DEATH OF MRS. TURNER Mrs. Henry Margaret Turner died Saturday morning at her home near here after several weeks' illness. Her services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Church of Manassas. She was the wife of Mr. Henry Turner, a well-known citizen.

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The cost of the suit has increased 20 dollars.

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### EDUCATIONAL CONTESTS FOR ALL CLUB MEMBERS

Gold Medal Medals Offered by Hon. J. C. Cullins—Entries to Close March 1

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for girls ...  
at the ...  
on the ...  
medals ...  
each.

The teachers in the schools where club members are enrolled, or where they enroll before March 1, are requested to encourage and help the boys and girls in this work. Letters are being sent out to the schools where club members are enrolled, explaining the conditions of the contest, which are as follows:

As many as ten boys and ten girls must enter the contest, and the names of the contestants must be sent in not later than March 1. Several names have already been sent in.

The contestants must be absent not to last more than ten minutes each. The selection must be new to the boy or girl using it. The medals will be delivered at the December meeting, and the winner must be a member in good standing to receive same.

If all club members in a school wish to try for the medals, it is perfectly all right. An elimination contest can be held in the school, and several of the best sent to the final contest.

Parents and teachers are asked to encourage the boys and girls. This is fine training for them. The value of the training prompts Mr. Carlin to make this offer.

### ENJOYING BALMY DAYS IN ARIZONA DESERT

Mr. Pine, Legal Assistant to Attorney-General, Writes to Grandmother Here.

Mrs. Andrew J. Pine has recently received an entertaining letter from her grandson, Mr. D. Andrew Pine, who went last November to Denver, Colo., as special assistant to Attorney-General Palmer in the interest of government litigation. For the past month Mr. Pine has been in the desert at Sacaton, Ariz. He writes:

"On December 1, I left Denver for Los Angeles, visiting the Grand Canon on the way, and stayed until after Christmas, and then came to Arizona. I have been working on some litigation involving large tracts of land in the desert, which become tremendously fertile when water is applied by irrigation. They are the lands which raise the long staple cotton, and with irrigation net around \$500 per acre. The litigation involves water rights, which you can see are the most valuable things in the desert.

"It is remarkable to see side by side the barren desert, and the most beautiful fertile country imaginable, all due to the application of water by irrigation. I have seen no rain for a month. The weather is warm and balmy like June in Washington, except for the nights, which get cold. I shall be glad to get back, although this great country with its magnificent distances is very wonderful. The desert, too, has a charm unlike anything I have ever seen, with its sheer buttes and peaks always in the hazy distance."

### CHURCH SERVICES

**LUTHERAN**  
Bethel Lutheran Church, Rev. Edmar Z. Pence, pastor.  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Preaching at 7:30 p. m.  
Nokesville Lutheran Church—Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m.

**PRESBYTERIAN**  
Manassas Presbyterian Church, Rev. DeForest Wade, Pastor.  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
11:00 a. m.—Preaching, "Obedience to the Heavenly Vision."  
7:30 p. m.—Preaching, "Christ the Magnet."  
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting. "We Would See Jesus."

**CATHOLIC**  
During Lent—Stations of the Cross second and fourth Sundays at 8 p. m.  
Sunday School classes on these days at 2:30 instead of 3.

**METHODIST**  
M. E. Church, South, Rev. William Stearns, Pastor.  
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Preaching at 7:30 p. m.  
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**CATHARPIN**

Mr. Chas. R. McDonald made a business trip to Manassas Wednesday.  
Mr. A. M. Allison has recovered from his recent attack of flu.  
Mr. N. Currell Pattie returned to Alexandria last week, after spending ten days at his parents' home here.  
Mr. Willard Pearson resumed his duties as clerk at Pattie's store last week, after an illness of flu.  
Miss Mildred Collins of Manassas High School, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Collins, at Marble Hill, being unable to resume her studies on account of a severe cold.

Among the convalescents are Mr. Richard Collins, Mr. T. E. Sloper and family, Mr. Cleveland Downs and Mr. John Sloper.  
Mrs. R. H. Willis, of Roanoke, who has been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Brower, is spending a few days this week with friends in Fredericksburg and Richmond.  
Mr. Cary Smith has been suffering from a severe attack of the flu.  
Mrs. Howard Haislip has also been on the sick list the past week.  
Mrs. Aubrey Swart and her son, Mr. Hugh Swart, of Middleburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pattie on Sunday.

**CANOVA**

Mr. Louis Lynn has accepted a position in Steele's garage at Purcellville.  
Mrs. Maxwellton Collins has recovered from an attack of flu.  
Mrs. S. B. Shipp, of Sudley Farm, was taken to Providence Hospital in Washington for an operation last week.  
Mrs. J. W. Caton and Miss Gertrude Collins were recent Manassas visitors.

Miss Maud Lee Norman, who teaches here, spent the week-end at her home near Kopp.  
Messrs. Joe Lowe, Melvin Woodyard and Stanley Holmes were Saturday visitors at the home of Mr. T. M. Russell.  
Mrs. Cora Beavers, of Washington, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bell.

Mrs. W. S. Smith, who has been very ill, is much better.  
Miss Goldie Golihew visited Miss Pearl Russell Friday.  
Miss Maud L. Norman is on the sick list.  
Mrs. Lynn, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. S. R. Lowe, is very ill. Her son, Mr. J. B. Lynn, of Manassas, is with her.  
Miss Aiverta Russell left Sunday to take a position in Washington.  
Mr. Thomas Robinson, of Manassas, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. W. F. Chappell.  
Mr. Herman Breeden left last week to spend some time with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bell, of Seat Pleasant, Md.

**THOROUGHFARE**

Mr. Cassius C. Dulany, a well known resident of this vicinity, died very suddenly of heart failure Monday morning at "Cerro Verde," his home near here. He leaves his wife and five children.  
Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at St. Paul's Episcopal Church at Haymarket by Rev. Thomas M. Browne and his body was laid to rest in the churchyard.  
Messrs. Norris and Carl Garrison, of Alexandria, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Garrison.  
Mr. T. J. Chew and daughter, Mrs. Richard Williams, of Baltimore, attended the funeral of Mr. C. C. Dulany on Tuesday.  
Mr. Neil Mayhugh has been quite ill of influenza, but is much improved.  
Miss May Garrison spent the week-end in Manassas.  
Mr. Moss Jacobs mashed his foot painfully on Monday while attempting to start a gasoline engine.

**FEEES TO OUTSIDERS MUST BE REPORTED**

Virginia Senate Calls on Commissioner Peters for Figures on Criminal Trials.

Without a dissenting vote, the Senate recently adopted the resolution of Senator Walter Tansill Oliver, of Fairfax county, calling on Commissioner of Prohibition J. Sidney Peters to present a detailed report of expenditures made in employing outside counsel to defend officers of the department in criminal prosecution. The resolution is not a joint one.

Shortly after the upper House convened at noon, Senator Oliver declared that his resolution had been lying on the table for several days, and that he desired immediate action thereon. He said that he had been informed by the

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- Men's Dress Shoes - - - \$5.00 to \$10.00
- Men's Suits - - - - - \$20.00 to \$35.00
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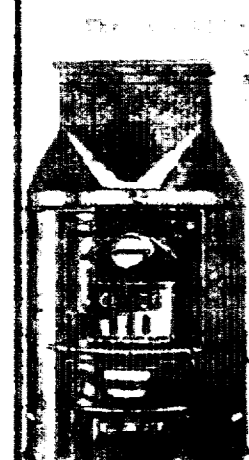
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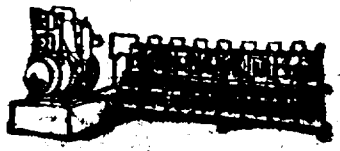
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STATE OF VIRGINIA,  
Prince William County, to-wit:  
In the Circuit Court of aforesaid County.

MARY F. JONES  
vs.  
ELIZABETH RISON, ISABELLA DAVIS ET ALS.

The object of this suit is to settle the estate of the late Jas. K. Rison; to partition or sell the real estate of which he died seized and possessed; to have the court hold that the said Elizabeth Rison has no interest in the same and compel her to account for certain personal property and money converted to her own use; to have the Jno. H. Davis land of 17 1/2 acres described fully by plat and survey in deed book 66, page 457, in the clerk's office of said court declared the property of said Jas. K. Rison; and for general relief.

And, it appearing by affidavit, duly filed as provided by statute, that the said Isabelle Davis and Elizabeth Rison are not residents of the State of Virginia, and that their last known post office address of the said Davis was Homestead, Pennsylvania, and of Elizabeth Rison, was Acorn, Tenn., it is therefore ordered that the said Elizabeth Rison and Isabella Davis do appear within ten days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest; and it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published and circulated in the aforesaid county, and posted at the front door of the courthouse of this court by the clerk on or before the next succeeding rule day; and that a copy hereof be mailed by the said clerk to each of the said defendants at their last known post offices aforesaid, respectively.

A Copy—Teste:  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.  
H. Thornton Davies, p. q. 40-4

**PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE**

Under and by virtue of a decree entered on February 6, 1920, by the Circuit Court of Prince William County, in the chancery suit therein depending, under the style of Edith Moreland et al vs. Hattie Hearn et al, the undersigned commissioners of sale therein appointed, will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, in accordance with said decree, on

**SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 1920**  
at twelve o'clock, m., in front of the Peoples National Bank, in the Town of Manassas, aforesaid county, all those two certain lots or parcels of land, with buildings thereon, lying and being situate near the Coal Bin, in Manassas District, aforesaid county, being lots 9 and 10 in Block 19 in the Copp Industrial Division, of record in Deed Book 62, pp. 208-9, of the clerk's office of aforesaid county, and known as the Alice Strother property. This property has a nice dwelling upon it.  
TERMS:—One-half cash and one-half in twelve months, the purchaser executing interest bearing note day of sale for said deferred payment, and title to be retained until purchase price is paid in full; with right in the purchaser to anticipate said payment. Purchaser to pay 1920 taxes.

H. THORNTON DAVIES,  
THOS. H. LION,  
Commissioners of Sale.  
J. P. Kerlin, Auctioneer.  
I. Geo. G. Tyler, Clerk of the Circuit Court aforesaid, do hereby certify that bond, with approved security, has been executed as required by the aforesaid decree of sale.  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.  
40-4

The monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas F. ... S. T. Hall, ... committee ... week

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of Prince William County, this 19th day of February, 1920.  
G. B. H. MOORE ET ALS.

vs.  
D. E. COPP ET ALS.  
The object of this suit is to quiet the title to the real estate described in said bill, and to have set aside and declared null and void deed from D. E. Copp et als to J. S. Shaver, dated Jan. 16, 1919, of record in said clerk's office in deed book 72, pages 69-0-1, and three trusts of same date to Thos. H. Lion, trustee, recorded in said deed book 72, pages 71 and 80-1 and 180, to secure respectively Augusta R. and Sarah L. Cullen, and D. E. Copp and W. L. Atkinson; trustee, said trusts being executed by J. S. Shaver et ux, as to said real estate and the streets, alleys and avenues described in said deed and bill, and for general relief; and it appearing from affidavit duly filed in this cause that said D. E. Copp, Augusta R. Cullen, Sarah L. Cullen and W. L. Atkinson, trustee, are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and that said affidavit gives their last known post office address, so far as known; it is therefore ordered that the said D. E. Copp, Augusta R. Cullen, Sarah L. Cullen and W. L. Atkinson, trustee, do appear within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect their interest, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published in said county, and a copy of the same posted by the clerk at the front door of the courthouse of said county on or before the next succeeding rule day after it is entered, and a copy mailed to each of said non-residents at their last known address as given in said affidavit and a certificate of the fact filed in the papers in this suit.

TESTE:—  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.  
A Copy—Teste:  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.  
H. Thornton Davies, p. q. 40-4

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of Prince William County, this 19th day of February, 1920.  
M. R. TAYLOR and M. H. TAYLOR

vs.  
JAS. D. McCUSKER and MORTIMER R. PAGE

The object of this suit is to have specific performance, or cancellation with damages, of that certain contract between the aforesaid parties, dated October 25, 1919, of record in the clerk's office aforesaid in deed book 73, pages 210-1, and for general relief; and it appearing by affidavit duly filed that the said defendants, Jas. D. McCusker and Mortimer R. Page are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and that their last known address is given in said affidavit, it is therefore ordered that the said Jas. D. McCusker and Mortimer R. Page do appear within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect their interest, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published in said county, and posted by the clerk of this court at the front door of the courthouse of said county on or before the next succeeding rule day after it is entered, and that a copy be mailed to each of the said defendants at their last known address given in said affidavit, and a certificate of the fact filed in said papers in this suit.

TESTE:—  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.  
A Copy—Teste:  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of Prince William County, this 17th day of February, 1920.  
A. A. DAVIS, Plaintiff,

vs.  
ADDIE DAVIS, Defendant.  
The object of the foregoing suit is to obtain for the plaintiff a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the grounds of desertion, and general relief, and it appearing by affidavit duly filed that the said defendant, Addie Davis, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that the last known post office address was 1430 V Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., it is therefore ordered that the said Addie Davis do appear here within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect her interest, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published in the aforesaid county; posted by the clerk at the front door of the courthouse of said county on or before the next succeeding rule day after it is entered, and that a copy be mailed to the said defendant to the post office address aforesaid, and a certificate of the fact filed in said papers in this case.

TESTE:—  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.  
A Copy—Teste:  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.  
H. Thornton Davies, p. q. 40-4

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Prince William County, this 19th day of February, 1920.

Benj. W. Murphy, in his own right and as executor of Elizabeth Murphy, deceased, et al.

vs.  
Lucretia Johnson, et als., and all parties interested in the estate of Elizabeth Murphy, made parties to said suit as Parties Unknown.

The object of this suit is to settle the estate of the said Elizabeth Murphy; including the account of said executor; sell the real estate as provided in said will, especially 66 acres in Gainesville district on Rocky Branch and adjoining Hall and others, in aforesaid county and state, and divide the proceeds therefrom as provided in said will of record in the clerk's office aforesaid; and it appearing by affidavit duly filed that Lucretia Johnson, Irene Murphy Johnson, Jno. Taylor, Lizzie Ridout, Lizzie Harris, Annie Butcher, Margaret Murphy, Ida Harris Parker, Enoch Harris, Arthur Champ, Lillie Champ, and Grant Taylor, are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and that there are or may be parties interested in said estate whose names are unknown to said affiant and who are therefore made parties to this suit under the general description of Parties Unknown; and that the last known address, so far as known, of said parties is given in said affidavit; it is therefore ordered that the aforesaid non-resident parties and the aforesaid Parties Unknown do appear within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect their interest; that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published and circulating in said county; that a copy of the same be posted at the front door of the courthouse of said county on or before the next succeeding rule day; and that a copy be mailed each of the said defendants whose address is given in said affidavit, and a certificate of the fact filed in the papers in this case.

TESTE:—  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.  
A Copy—Teste:  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.  
H. Thornton Davies, p. q. 40-4

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of Prince William County, this 17th day of February, 1920.

In re:—The Probate of the Last Will and Testament of Paul V. Portner, Deceased.

The object of this proceeding is to have admitted to probate by the Circuit Court for Prince William County, a certain paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Paul V. Portner, deceased, dated the second day of June, nineteen hundred and seventeen, and letters testamentary issued to the executors therein named which will was offered for probate in the said court by Stanton C. Peele, C. R. F. Ogilby and William P. Meredith, the executors and trustees therein named, which probate was opposed by Oscar C. Portner, one of the heirs at law, and the said court having directed proper process to issue requiring the decedent's heirs at law and next of kin, Alvin Q. Portner, Alma M. Portner, Oscar C. Portner, Etta P. Meredith, Anna P. Flood, Hilda P. Derby, Elsa P. Humes, and Edward M. Portner, an infant, and Sylvia Meredith, an infant, and Edward Dickerson, who, with the executors and trustees and Etta P. Meredith, are beneficiaries under the will, as well as all other parties interested, do appear before said court on the day hereinafter named to protect their interests, if any, in the premises; and it appearing by affidavit duly filed that said Alvin Q. Portner, Alma M. Portner, Etta P. Meredith, Hilda P. Derby, Elsa P. Humes, Edward M. Portner, Sylvia Meredith and Edward Dickerson are non-residents of the State of Virginia, and that their last known post office addresses are as shown by said affidavits.

It is therefore ordered that said non-residents and all other persons in interest do appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and also before said court at the courthouse thereof on Tuesday, April thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty, at ten o'clock a. m., to which day the motion to probate said will has been continued and do what is necessary to protect their interests, if any, in the premises.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published in Prince William County, Virginia; posted by the clerk at the front door of the courthouse of said county on or before the next succeeding rule day after it is entered, and also a copy mailed to each of the said non-residents to the post office addresses given in the affidavit above mentioned, and a certificate of the fact filed in the papers in this case.

TESTE:—  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.  
A Copy—Teste:  
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

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Therefore you pay for this—NOTHING

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