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**WHY THE JAPS MOVE**  
 While we hold firmly to a national policy which will protect us against the dangers of unrestricted immigration, and with particular reference to our friends from Japan, our friendship for this sagacious little people of cherry blossom land is not necessary to an appreciation of the amazing difficulty which keeps them from staying at home in their own little corner of the world.  
 There are no less than 78,000,000 of them. Without including the population of Korea, Formosa and Baghain, there are 58,000,000 Japanese occupying an area smaller than our state of Texas. Only one quarter of this area is tillable. Their very breathing space is limited, their diet is controlled by meagre boundaries and their opportunities are cramped on every hand. Little wonder that their desire for foreign colonization is being felt in every part of the world.

**UNCLE SAM'S GUARDIANSHIP**  
 Former service men now employed in the personnel of government departments, thanks to the act of Congress in 1912, need feel no anxiety over the safety of their livelihood when the wholesale reductions in force begin with the close of the fiscal year on account of decreased appropriations. The law provides that no honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine whose record is rated good shall be discharged or reduced in rank or salary when reductions in force become necessary. There are many service men so engaged as a result of former President Wilson's executive order giving service men preference in all appointments on their return from the war.  
 Uncle Sam has faithfully discharged this duty of guardianship and it remains for the ex-service men to recognize their legal rights and see that they are not inadvertently overlooked by persons in authority.

**MAY BAR VOTERS**  
 Persons who voted a split ticket or supported republicans last fall will not be allowed to vote in the August primary, if Virginia judges of election carry out instructions recently issued by the state democratic committee.

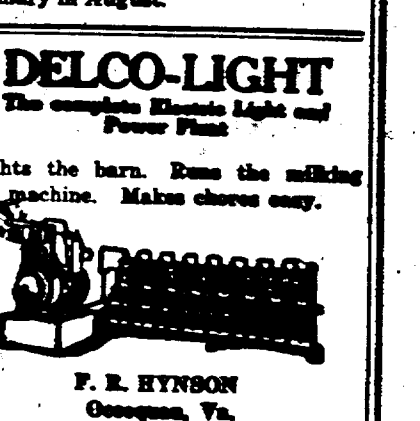
While the phrasing of the law admits of some discussion, Attorney-General Saunders is said to hold the opinion that it is plain enough to bar all who did not vote for democratic candidates for president and congress last November.

The election law reads as follows (section 8, chapter 307):

"No person shall be permitted to vote for the candidates of any party unless in the last preceding general election he voted for the presidential electors nominated by such party, or for the nominee of the house of representatives of such party, or the nominee of such party for governor, or the nominee of such party for the house of delegates; provided further, that if he did not vote at such general election, then upon his declaration that he will support at the ensuing election the nominee of such party in whose primary he wishes to vote, he shall be allowed to vote.  
 "Any persons offering to vote at a primary upon challenge shall be sworn by one of the judges of the primary, and if he knowingly makes any false statement as to any matter material to his right to vote he shall be deemed guilty of perjury and upon conviction thereof shall be punished accordingly."

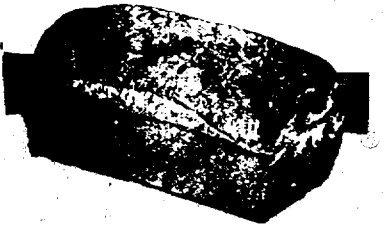
The Attorney-General has expressed the opinion that the word "or," on which the discussion hinges, does not imply an alternative and that the voter must have supported democratic candidates for president and congress. After all, the matter practically rests within the discretion of the primary judges.  
 In response to a question arising in Orange county, where Mr. L. W. Graves, who voted for President Harding and for Senator Glass and Representative Moore, aspires to a seat in the House of Delegates, Assistant Attorney-General Hank holds that a citizen voting for Harding in the last election is not eligible to be a candidate for the House of Delegates in Virginia, subject to the democratic primary in August.

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 "What suit was it?"  
 "It was a blue suit with a white collar and white cuffs and white buttons all the way down the back," replied the young lady.—Los Angeles Times.



Charcoal Eph's Daily Thought in the Richmond Times-Dispatch: "When a woman make up her mind what she gwine do, ye'all jest keep quiet an' don't say nothin' an' she'll bust right up an' hang on yo' coat tail fo' advice. Eat a pickle, Mistah Jackson!"

"It is a positive delight to see a man you feel you can trust," remarked the individual with the high forehead.  
 "Oh, I don't know. I prefer a man who pays cash," replied the man who keeps the grocery store.

**Lovers' Wedding Cake.**  
 Four pounds of flour of love, one and one-half pounds of buttered youth, one and one-half pounds of good looks, one and one-half pounds of sweet temper, one and one-half pounds of self-forgetfulness, one and one-half pounds of powdered wits, one and one-half ounces of dry humor, two tablespoonfuls of sweet argument, one and one-half pints of rippling laughter, one and one-half wine glassfuls of common sense. Put the flour of love, good looks and sweet temper into a well furnished house. Beat the butter of youth into a cream. Mix together blindness of faults, self forgetfulness, powdered wits, dry humor, into sweet argument, then add them to the above. Pour in gently rippling laughter and common sense, work it together until well mixed and bake gently forever.

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 And lived like the lilies, unstained by toil.  
 I liked the chap, and because of the like  
 He let me in on a coming strike.  
 The well was down seven thousand feet;  
 "They" had suffered the turmoil and the heat  
 Of the working-day, and, likely as not,  
 They'd be millionaires soon as the thing was shot.  
 They needed no money, but maybe could use  
 My little investment while waiting the news.  
 So I put in my pile, but the oil they got  
 Could be carried away in a watering-pot.  
 Well, who can tell what the gods may send  
 When you bore for oil?  
 But I had a friend.

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**BRIEF LOCAL NEWS**

—Mrs. W. S. Athey, who has been quite sick since Saturday, is improving.

—The boys and girls of the county agricultural clubs will hold a rally here tomorrow.

—Supt. Charles R. McDonald attended the educational conference at Leesburg last week.

—The Woman's Auxiliary to the Farmers' Institute holds its monthly meeting here today.

—Miss Mary Larkin who spent the winter in Washington, has returned to Manassas and is editing The Journal.

—Mrs. W. Fewell Merchant will be hostess to the Manassas Good Housekeepers' Club next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at her home in Battle street.

—Mr. John S. Wilson, accompanied by Mr. Thomas H. Clark, formerly of Norfolk left this week for Quantico to take charge of a store owned by Dr. H. B. Hutchison.

—The closing exercises of Holmes School will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, the program beginning promptly at the appointed hour. Refreshments will be sold.

—Rev. Edgar Z. Pence will preach at Bethel Lutheran Church here on Sunday at 2:30 p. m. and at the Nokesville Lutheran Church at 11 a. m. Sunday School at both churches will begin at 10 a. m.

—Mrs. G. B. Shoemaker, who has been on the sick list for some time, returned Monday after three weeks' stay in Washington, where she was in the care of a specialist, and is very much improved.

—Miss Katherine Jones, who was quite sick last week, has resumed her work in Washington. Miss Jones, together with her sister, Miss Lillian Jones, spent the week-end at their home at Front Royal.

—The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Mrs. B. T. H. Hodge in West street on Tuesday afternoon promptly at 2:30 o'clock. Matters of importance will be discussed.

—Mrs. Brawner Haislip has purchased from Mr. W. B. Compton a lot on Centre street, adjoining the property of Mrs. A. E. Spies, and supplies are already in place for the erection of a seven-room dwelling there.

—Assistant Highway Commissioner Cox of Richmond, was in Manassas this week in the interest of the Lee highway. Engineers are already surveying the road near Greenwich and are working toward Manassas.

—Special music will be rendered at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. A. B. Jamison, presiding at the organ. The pastor and Mrs. Jamison will sing a duet, "Galilean, Meek and Lowly."

—The April meeting of Manassas Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, was entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. F. E. Ransdell. At the close of the business session delightful refreshments were served by the hostess.

—An important meeting of the board of directors of the Prince William Fair Association will be held in the directors' room of the National Bank of Manassas on Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. All directors are urgently requested to attend.

—Pendleton S. Heflin died in Washington March 29, at the age of seventy-four. He was born in Prince William county and had been living for many years in Leesburg, where he worked as a carpenter. His widow, two daughters and two sons survive.

—Mr. Channing Holt Yarborough, Jr. arrived in Manassas recently and will undertake the management of the farm of his father-in-law, Mr. J. A. Morgan. Mr. and Mrs. Yarborough and their little daughter, Betsy Virginia, are with Mr. and Mrs. Morgan.

—Rev. A. B. Jamison's sermon topics on Sunday at the Presbyterian Church will be "Springtime Meditation" at 11 a. m. and "Don't Worry" at 7:30 p. m. Sunday School will be held at 10 a. m., the usual hour, and prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

—Mr. John Carroll Weaver, who is employed on the farm of Mr. R. S. Hynson, injured his left hand on Monday while cutting wood with an axe to make a hen nest. The axe handle struck the ground, throwing the blade against his hand and inflicting a severe and painful gash.

—Miss Louise Moxley, who has been living at the Ransdell property in Church street for the past six years, has moved into the first floor apartment of the Sinclair building in Battle street next door to Mrs. R. J. Adamson. The second floor apartment is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Varnell Payne.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Wine and their baby daughter, Evelyn Katherine, have moved into the house at Independent Hill recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Herring. Mr. Wine and his brother, Mr. W. A. Wine, have opened a general store in the Sullivan store house at Independent Hill. Mr. Herring is superintending a road crew near Orange.

—Randolph S. Thompson, eighty-six years old, one of the oldest residents of Fairfax county, died Monday night at his home at Chantilly, following a stroke of paralysis. He was a Confederate veteran and is survived by his wife and two children, Mrs. J. W. Myers, of Ballston, and Mr. Ray W. Thompson, of Chantilly.

—Please to notice that the Bethlehem Good Housekeepers' Club will meet on Saturday, April 9, instead of the third Saturday. The members are urged to assemble at half past two promptly at the home of Mrs. George C. Round on Grant avenue. Important matters are to be discussed and it is expected that a new member will be present.

—A Tom Thumb Wedding will be given at Conner's Hall, Friday evening, April 22, for the benefit of the patrons' league of the graded school.

—A fire Monday evening at the sawmill of Mr. A. M. Yates, near town, destroyed about \$50 worth of slabs. It is supposed that the blaze started from flying sparks.

—Rev. James H. Gillian, a colored preacher formerly of Alexandria, and Susie Carrington, a widow, both of Antioch, were married here Wednesday morning by Rev. M. D. Williams.

—Dr. W. E. Gibson, pastor of Broadus Memorial Chapel at Richmond, who conducted a successful protracted meeting here a few years ago, will assist the Manassas pastor, Rev. T. D. D. Clark, in a series of services beginning Monday evening at the Baptist Church, preaching at every service. The meetings, to which the public is cordially invited, will begin at 8 o'clock.

—Mr. J. H. Rexrode, a railway postal clerk on the Washington, D. C., and Charlotte, N. C., post office, trains 137 and 38, has been promoted to clerk in charge and will be assigned to trains 44 and 45 between Danville, Va., and Charlotte, N. C. Mr. Rexrode has been in the railway mail service since 1899 and has been a resident of Manassas almost nineteen years. He will continue to live here.

—Additional contributions to the expense fund in connection with Mr. S. D. Holsinger's visit to Manassas to address a mass meeting are: W. S. Athey, 50 cents; Manassas Journal, \$1 more; B. Lynn Robertson, \$1. Mr. Clarence W. Wagener will give a detailed report of expenditures on his return from a northern business trip, on which he departed the morning after Mr. Holsinger's visit.

—Mr. H. Josephus Carr, of Bristow, has fully recovered from injuries received one night last week while walking down the county road from Bristow to his home not far distant. While it is thought that he was struck by a passing automobile, Mr. Carr has no knowledge of the accident beyond the fact of regaining consciousness and finding himself somewhat shaken up and lacerated and some of his clothing torn from his body.

—Appeal bond in the case of the contest over the will of the late Paul V. Porter has been raised from \$5,000 to \$50,000 by order of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia. The order, which was received in this court yesterday, requires that the bond of \$50,000 with security be executed within thirty days, after which the court will begin consideration of the case. The suit was decided against the contestants in the Prince William court last summer.

—The annual meeting of the congregation of Trinity Episcopal Church was held on Easter Monday. The rector, Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, made his annual report and Miss Maggie Smith and Mrs. C. M. Larkin reported for the Woman's Auxiliary and the Guild, respectively. The following vestrymen were re-elected: Messrs. W. C. Wagener, H. Thornton Davies, C. M. Larkin, E. B. Giddings, F. A. Lewis, O. D. Waters, E. H. Hibbs and Dr. W. F. Merchant.

—Mr. T. C. Hubbard, of Bedford county, recently purchased the Ryland place west of Manassas from Mr. W. L. Howard, and has taken possession. The family consists of Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard and four children, together with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Leftwich, and their two children. Mr. and Mrs. Howard and child, who came here a year ago from Rising Sun, Md., have moved into the S. Hynson property in east Centre street.

—Miss Isabelle Hutchison recently attended a meeting of the Dixie Chapter, U. D. C., in Washington, and by special invitation of the president of the chapter spoke on the Manassas battlefield park project, how it originated and its aim. The Dixie members, Miss Hutchison reports, expressed their hearty sympathy with the movement and endorsed the suggestion of Mr. Beale, commander of the Black Horse Cavalry, to hold a picnic on the battlefield this summer, inviting all Confederate organizations to meet on the heights of "The Promised Land."

—Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Mary Rebecca Aldridge, daughter of Mrs. William Ringgold Aldridge, to Mr. James Garwith Metcalfe, of Chestertown, Md. The marriage took place on Saturday, March 19, at West Chester, Pa. Rev. John Miles Gilbert, rector of Holy Trinity Church, officiating. The bridegroom, who has many friends in Manassas and vicinity, is the younger son of Mrs. J. B. Metcalfe, of Sudlersville, Md. His parents formerly lived near Gainesville, this county, and he was at one time a student of Manassas High School.

—The store, mill, dwelling and barn of Mr. George Turberville, at Chantilly, were totally destroyed by fire on March 29, according to the Fairfax Herald, causing a loss estimated at \$5,000. The fire, which started in the barn, is supposed to have been caused by sparks from a chimney. A horse and automobile truck in the barn were lost in the flames. A considerable portion of the goods in the store and the furniture of the dwelling was saved, part of it being injured later by a fire which started from burning embers. Hard work on the part of Centreville residents saved adjacent buildings from the flames.

**THE DIXIE**

Beginning April 15 First Show Will Start Promptly at 8 P. M.

**MONDAY, APRIL 11**  
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**TUESDAY, APRIL 12**  
**"THE VALLEY OF DOUBT,"**  
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 Also Chaplin Comedy, "Behind the Screen." Admission, 11c-22c.

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13**  
**FREDERICK WARDE in "SILAS MARNER"**  
 A very satisfactory film version of George Eliot's masterpiece. Manassas High School benefit performance.

**THURSDAY, APRIL 14**  
**WANDA HAWLEY in "OUTSIDE WOMAN"**  
 The actress takes a wonderful role in this picture, which provides many great opportunities, considered from a starring viewpoint. You will certainly enjoy this one. Admission, 11c-17c.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 15**  
**PEARL WHITE in "TIGER'S CUB"**  
 The story deals with primitive conditions in the frozen North—with purity driven to desperation by villainy—with criminality culminating in murder—with love thwarted but finally triumphant—with all the elemental passions of human nature.  
 Thrilling situations follow one another rapidly, and the happy ending is arrived at without stretching one's imagination to the breaking point.  
 The cast supporting Miss White is an excellent one.  
 Admission, 11c-22c.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 16**  
**CORINNE GRIFFITH in "THE GARTER GIRL"**  
 This is a story that will appeal to thousands of picture fans throughout the country because of its theatrical and rural atmosphere. Miss Griffith has a role that calls for great diversity of action and characterization. From the care free headliner on a vaudeville bill to the prim little soloist in the village church is quite a jump and calls for versatility. Miss Griffith rises to great heights in her interpretation of the role. Her personality, her mannerisms and attractive gowns lend themselves well to the portrayal of Rosalie Ray, the girl who left the stage to go to the country in search of a real man, a man unlike those who hang around the stage door.  
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EDUCATORS HOLD SESSION

(Continued from page one)
Professional information and the real scientific diagnosis which differentiates between how well a pupil is doing and how well he ought to do. Scientific testing was begun ten years ago, said the speaker, by Dr. Thorndike, of Columbia University. Since then tests have been given in almost every subject, enabling instructors to reclassify pupils, start new classes for misfits and do subject promotion.

fundamentals, also a skill in some vocation and a creative desire to learn more," declared Mr. Tyson of Fredericksburg. "Competition is keener now than ever in the history of the world—competition in every phase of life. We have no right to send our boys and girls to compete without preparation. What are we doing to meet this need?"
"Virginia is spending one fourth as much per child as Montana, one third as much as California and about one half as much per child as is the average for the United States. Whose child will succeed?"
"Teachers have had too much book-learning" and not enough common-sense. The teacher must know something about the outside life, be able to converse about things outside of school. At least 400,000 of our teachers in America try to teach without the minimum preparation; 40,000 are teaching emergency certificates."

LITTLE JOURNEYS

Mrs. Frank Gibb was a Washington visitor Tuesday.
Mrs. Claude C. Cushing visited at Upperville on Monday.
Mr. K. S. Hynson made a business trip to New York this week.
Mr. William Crow, of Joplin, was a Manassas visitor Wednesday.
Mrs. W. R. Free, of Nokesville, was a Manassas visitor last week.
Mr. John W. Hall, of Gainesville, visited friends here during the week.
Mr. Clarence W. Wagener left Tuesday morning on a northern business trip.
Miss Julia Wilcox Lewis, of Washington, recently visited friends here.
Mr. W. W. Sisson, of Dumfries, made a business trip to Manassas this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Rush Herford, of Agnewville, motored to Manassas Monday.
Miss Elizabeth Larkin spent the week-end in Washington with Mrs. G. G. Sloan.
Mrs. J. C. Meredith was the recent guest of Miss Katie Cockerille, of Greenwich.
Mrs. H. L. Willis, of Washington, was the guest of Mrs. J. C. Meredith on Saturday.
Little Miss Rebecca Lunsford spent the week-end with Miss Edith Laws, of Nokesville.
Mrs. Frederick Auty, of Upperville, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Stewart Pattie.
Miss Grace Nicol, who is employed in Washington, spent the week-end at her home here.
Mr. D. Kent Reid, of Quantico, visited his sister, Mr. Norvall Larkin, during the week.
Mrs. Charles Kendall, of Cincinnati, Ohio, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Vernon E. Lake.
Mrs. Yella D. Crain, of Washington, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Norvall Larkin, yesterday.
Miss Elizabeth F. Johnson, of Sweet Briar College, is spending some time at her home, Clover Hill.
Miss Muriel Larkin has returned from Washington, where she was the guest of Mrs. C. G. Sloan.
Mrs. Margaret Windsor, of Ellicott City, Md., has been the guest of her niece, Mrs. Henry Camper.
Mr. C. Shirley Leachman, of Alexandria, spent Sunday here with his father, Mr. C. C. Leachman.
Rev. J. Royal Cooke, of Greenwich, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George B. McDonald Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Nixon, of Columbus, Ga., were guests last week of Mr. Nixon's uncle, Mr. J. H. Lynn.
Miss Cary Nicol has returned to Washington, after a visit to her grandmother, Mrs. Louise Nicol.
Mr. Jesse L. Gaither, who has been in New York for some time, is visiting his brother, Mr. R. L. Gaither.
Mrs. John L. Hynson made a short visit to Washington this week and was the guest of Mrs. George A. Phillips.
Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Landes and Mr. and Mrs. Michael and family, of Nokesville, were in Manassas Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. T. F. King and children, of Manassas, spent the week-end with Mrs. Allen Wolfe.—Front Royal Record.
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jones, of Washington, spent Sunday with Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Cookesey.
Mr. Alexander Stoeger, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., spent the Easter holiday with his sister, Mrs. B. Lynn Robertson.
Mrs. William E. Lipscomb returned last week from Baltimore, where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Woodson.
Mr. Paul Scott Williams, of the University of Virginia, has been on a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Williams.
Mr. Charles R. Larkin, of the University of Virginia, spent several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Reid Larkin.
Mr. S. H. Lynn and Miss Benjamin, of Washington, spent Sunday here with Mr. Lynn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lynn, in Peabody street.
Mr. and Mrs. George A. Phillips, of Washington, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hynson, at their apartment in Lee avenue.
Mrs. Colin Herrie and her baby daughter, Patricia, who have been the guests of Mrs. Howard W. Jamison, have returned to their home in Washington.
Prof. W. Ellis Aylor has returned to Hampden-Sidney College, after spending the Easter recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Aylor, of Milford.
Miss Mary Rosenberger, who is employed in Washington, and Mr. George L. Rosenberger, of Herndon, visited their aunt, Mrs. S. T. Hall, and friends here last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Payne and their two little sons, James Hugh and John Barton, of Alexandria, motored to Manassas on Sunday to spend the day with Mr. Payne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Payne.
Mr. Keith Leachman, of New York city, who is employed by the Pennsylvania railroad, spent last week at Bristol with his father, Mr. J. P. Leachman, and also visited his sister, Mrs. J. D. Jamney, at Occoquan.

Miss Annie Kinchloe, who has been visiting some time in the home of Mrs. Owen Keys, of St. Elmo, returned Friday to her home in Dumfries.—Alexandria Gazette.
Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Pitts and their two little children, Fatsy and David, of Elk Hill, have been visiting Mrs. Pitts' brother, Mr. O. D. Waters, and other relatives here.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Haydon, of Alexandria, recently visited Mrs. Haydon's brother, Mr. L. Ledman, and Mrs. Haydon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haydon.
Miss Elizabeth Herrell and her niece, Miss Constance Henry, returned Saturday from Richmond, where they were the guests of Miss Herrell's sister, Mrs. J. E. Beale.
Mrs. J. L. Bushong and her little daughter, Miss Frances Bushong, are spending the week-end with Mrs. Bushong's mother, Mrs. William Dinges, of Middletown.
Mr. Lester Anderson, of Catharpin, recently spent several days in Washington, visiting his brothers, Messrs. C. L. and Berkeley Anderson, and other relatives and friends.
Miss Dorothy L. Johnson has returned to Smith College at Northampton, Mass., after spending the Easter recess with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson.
Mrs. Ernest Ewers and her son and daughter, Amos and Fannie, returned Friday to their home in Washington, after spending two months with Mrs. Ewers' mother, Mrs. Hugh Payne.
Mr. and Mrs. Rhee S. Ledman and their son, Rhee S. Ledman, Jr., of Washington, spent last week here with Mr. Ledman's brother, Deputy Clerk L. Ledman, and Mrs. Ledman.
Mrs. W. H. Watts and her daughter, Mrs. Lee Maasie Clarkson, together with little Miss Betty Lee Clarkson, of Marshall, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harrell Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Devers, who were married in Alexandria a few months ago, have returned from an extended trip to the Pacific coast and are the guests of Mrs. Devers' mother, Mrs. William Watkins, of Alexandria.
Miss Sallie Macon Broadus, who spent the winter in Washington, has returned to Manassas to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Broadus, and will join the ranks of the commuters during the summer months while holding her position in the Navy Department.
Mr. and Mrs. William H. Gulick and their four children, of North Clarendon, accompanied by Mr. Gulick's father and brother, Messrs. James F. Gulick and Thomas S. Gulick, of Washington, motored to Manassas on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. J. B. Johnson.
Among the visitors in Manassas last week-end was Mr. B. Conway Taylor, of Charlotte, N. C., who was the guest of his mother, Mrs. T. O. Taylor. He left later for Baltimore, where he joined his wife and their two little sons, who are visiting relatives in the Monumental City.
Mrs. Richard Merchant, of Weldon, N. C., was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. R. LeRoy Byrd. Mrs. Merchant also visited her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Maddox and Mrs. R. Meade Hammond, of Takoma Park, D. C., and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ellis Merchant, of Chester, Pa.
Mrs. G. Walker Merchant is spending the week in Washington with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Leith, and with her baby grandson, Master Arthur Arlington Leith. Mr. Merchant and his twin daughters, Misses Annie Laura and Cora Louise, visited them on Sunday.
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Among the Manassas teachers in attendance were Miss E. H. Osbourn, principal, Mr. H. W. Sanders, agricultural director, and Misses Lulu D. Metz, Willette R. Myers, Emily J. Johnson and Mary J. Cox, all of the high school, and Miss Grace B. Moran, of the graded school.
[Note.—The Journal is much indebted to the secretary for the minutes of the conference, from which this account was obtained.]

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### WATERFALL

Miss Virginia White, who spent the Easter recess with her aunt, Mrs. T. C. Smith, has returned to her home in Washington.

Miss Florence Gosson made a shopping trip to Washington on Saturday. Mr. C. S. Shirley, of Washington, who is recovering from a recent illness, is spending some time at "Oakshade," the home of his father, Mr. G. W. Shirley.

Mrs. Omar Kibler, little Miss Frances Kibler and Masters Sidney, Arthur and Jack Kibler were Easter guests of relatives in Washington and participated in the famous egg-rolling in the White House grounds.

Misses Florence and Pauline Gosson, of "Mt. Atlas," and Anita Shumate, of Haymarket, were week-end guests of Miss Annie Pickett, of Washington, recently.

The young folk of the neighborhood enjoyed a picnic to "High Point" on Easter Monday.

The Woman's Missionary Union met on Wednesday afternoon at the school, with Mrs. R. B. Gosson as leader. The subject was "Home Missions."

Mrs. W. M. Foley and Miss Florence Gosson attended the teachers' meeting held in Leesburg on Thursday and Friday of last week. They report a most interesting meeting and speak highly of Leesburg hospitality.

Miss Margaret Shirley and Mr. Carroll Shirley were Washington visitors on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Claude Thomas, of Elon College, N. C., spent the Easter holiday with Mrs. H. H. Thomas, at Woolsey, and at "Glenmore," the home of his father, Mr. T. B. Thomas.

Mr. Cuthbert Foley recently spent a week-end in Warrenton and attended the March court.

Mr. H. S. Bell is recovering from a severe attack of grippe.

The children of the neighborhood have been having quite "a swell time" with the mumps.

Quite a few of the boys enjoyed a practice game of base ball at "Poplar Hill" Saturday afternoon.

### NOKESVILLE

The Sunday School of Hebron Seminary gave a special program on Easter morning, the children rendering their parts most creditably.

Ensign Figgers, of the Salvation Army, in the evening gave an interesting talk on rescue work and other methods of that organization, after which he entertained the audience with some fine sacred music on the accordion.

Prof. and Mrs. I. N. H. Beahm have announced the marriage of their eldest daughter, Anna, to Mr. Baxter Mow, on Wednesday, March 30, in the chapel of Bethany Bible School in Chicago.

Messrs. W. R. Free, jr., W. A. Smith, C. K. Bodine and Frank Rhodes recently motored to Little Washington, Rapahannock county, on a fishing trip. Miss Frances Callette, of Haddonfield, N. J., is visiting Mrs. O. L. Marsteller.

Mr. Eugene Marsteller, of Washington, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. C. K. Bodine.

Mr. and Mrs. Coby, of Washington, accompanied by their small daughter, spent the week-end with Mrs. Coby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bettis.

Miss Juanita Bell, of Washington, spent the Easter holiday with Miss Gladys Wine.

Dr. W. Fewell Merchant, of Manassas, accompanied by his brother, Mr. Harry N. Merchant, of Baltimore, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. W. T. Allen continues quite sick. His daughter, Mrs. C. B. Jones, of Fairfax, recently visited him.

Miss Aline Laws spent the week-end with Miss Isabel Thornton at her home in Fauquier county.

### CATHARPIN

Miss Alice Metz visited friends at Greenwich last week-end.

Mr. Emerson Fetzer spent Sunday in Strasburg.

Mrs. C. F. Brower, sr., and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Brower, jr., and Miss Winifred Eisenberg, of Round Hill, were Washington visitors one day last week.

Mr. Lee Pattie was a Leesburg visitor on Easter Monday.

Dr. J. L. Sanford, of Clifton, visited friends here recently.

Miss Beattie Sloper is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Sloper.

Miss Louise Ellison spent a few days with relatives in Fauquier last week.

Rev. Homer Welch, Mrs. Welch, Mrs. Nellie Putnam and Mr. Homer Welch were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Pattie on Sunday last.

Mr. C. E. Ellison was a Manassas visitor Tuesday.

### THEORTON

Mr. Easton Taylor is erecting a two-room bungalow.

Mrs. James Tolson, who has been visiting her sister in Washington, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Amanda Douglas has returned to Alexandria, after a week's visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Taylor.

Mr. R. A. Taylor made a business trip to Manassas recently.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones Sunday evening, leaving a baby girl.

Mrs. Sadie Liming and Mrs. Etha Carney, of Bellefleur, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Napoleon Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Easton Taylor and Miss Mayme Taylor were week-end guests at the home of Mr. J. T. Anderson, of Forestburg.

### BUCKHALL

Twelve men of the neighborhood, with nine horses, turned out on Monday and worked the road from Mr. Newman Payne's farm to the corner southwest of the Hymen farm, making one of the greatest improvements possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory DeLozier have a new little daughter.

Rev. W. E. Winslow preached at Purcell school house on Sunday.

Mr. T. C. Moore, of Manassas, moved to his farm here this week.

Mr. I. B. Marsh is having his dwelling painted.

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## IMPORTANT NEWS FOR FARM BOYS

### County Agent's Article Should Interest Prince William Farmers, Too.

(W. L. Browning, County Agent)

There was a very enthusiastic gathering of agricultural club members at Waterfall school last Friday, where they met at the request of the county agent, who had made arrangements to have the pigs for the pig club members there for distribution.

There were six boys and girls getting sow pigs and one who will later get a registered male pig, that the community may have the service of a high class male. The pigs distributed were very finely bred Berkshire sow pigs, ranging in weight from 75 to 120 pounds. These pigs were bred by Mr. Charles Mackall, of Greenwich, sired by the grand champion Berkshire boar at the State Fair.

It is a pleasure to announce that the Peoples National Bank of Manassas financed this club, in that they furnished the club members with the pigs, and each member is to raise the pigs as directed by the county agent, breed them to a registered male of the same breed and to return to the bank two sow pigs out of the first litter.

I hope to have the largest and best pig club that has ever been in this county and not only the largest but to put out with these boys and girls the best bred stuff that the county has ever raised. We want you to look for the club exhibit at the County Fair and see if it isn't the best thing at the Fair.

Some of the baby beef calves bought this spring from southwest Virginia and being raised by boys in this county to be sold and shown at the State Fair are making unusual gains, one calf in particular having gained in about 60 days 240 pounds. I wonder how many farmers in the county are better feeders than this boy is going to be.

The exhibit of three dairy calves that I took to the State Fair last fall was a great advertisement to this county, and with that start I would like to take three or four times that number this coming fall. We have a proposition to offer anyone who would like to raise a good registered heifer calf from the best of breeding. The owner will furnish the calf against the feeder's feed until the heifer is due to freshen. Calves now six to eight months old. Are you interested in a proposition like this for your boy or girl? If so, get in touch with me.

The prospects look very bright now for the establishment of a cheese factory in the Gold Ridge school neighborhood. This will mean twice the money for their milk that the farmers in that community are at present getting, and will mean more and better cows being kept, which means more prosperity to the community in which they are kept.

Wanted—to get in touch with eight or ten farmers who would be interested in raising a crop of soy beans by improved methods, for seed. The cry every spring is where to get our seed and how high they are. It is time we got together and raised our own. The Early Wilson Black will mature in this section nicely. You can raise from 10 to 20 bushels per acre. Plant them in rows 2 1/2 feet apart, cultivate them the same as corn. They can be thrashed with an ordinary thrasher. I would like to get several farmers in a community to plant a small acreage each and to buy co-operatively a bean and pea thrasher. Why not raise for sale at home, this valuable crop that we now send thousands of dollars away for? I would like to hear from some farmers who would be interested in growing this crop for seed.

### HICKORY GROVE

The closing exercises of the Hickory Grove School will be held at the school house on Friday evening, April 15. The children will give a little programme and the leagues will serve refreshments for the benefit of the school.

The Daughters of the Confederacy are offering a prize to the two (one-room) schools represented in the Eighth Virginia Regiment Chapter, Little River and Hickory Grove, for the best historical paper given by the pupils of a certain grade. The "best" will be given this week and the result will be published later.

The first spring meeting of the U. D. C. was held yesterday at the Memorial Hall.

Services were held at Grace Chapel on Sunday by the rector, Rev. T. M. Browne.

Sunday School was reopened, with a very good enrollment. Mr. Joseph E. Turner continues as superintendent. Mr. Bailey Tyler and Mr. W. P. Wilson were chosen as assistants.

A very enjoyable surprise party was held on Easter Monday at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson attended the educational conference at Leesburg on Thursday and Friday.

### FORESTBURG

Mrs. C. C. Dunn spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cato, of St. Elmo.

Mr. Frank Williams, of Washington, spent several days with relatives and friends in Forestburg, returning to Washington Wednesday.

Mr. Joseph Wrathwell has sold his Ford touring car.

### SMITHFIELD

The farmers are advanced in their spring work, but are dubious about just when to plant corn. All vegetation suffered greatly by the blizzard-like storm, but seems at present to be revived a little. The fruit crops promise to be a failure, as the orchards never bloom again the same year.

The stork recently visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald and presented them with little Mr. Warren H. McDonald, who will make his home with them permanently.

Among the visitors at the home of Messrs. A. J. and Eli Kinchele on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Holmes and Mr. Rozier Payne and family, of Canova; Mr. William Kinchele and family, of Dumfries; Miss Vernice Posey and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lunsford and three children.

Mrs. M. Florence and Mrs. William Posey spent several days of last week in Alexandria.

Mr. J. J. Murphey, of Kopp, was a week-end guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. Albert Sides.

Mr. Richard Lunsford and two sons, Harold and Grant, and Mr. Lawrence Mountjoy, of Bellfair, visited at the home of Mr. J. S. Lunsford recently.

Miss Lucy Kinchele, after spending some months in the mountains, has returned home, greatly benefited.

Mrs. E. M. Briggs, who was bitten by a goose last week, has entirely recovered.

The school here has been reopened with Mr. G. H. McDonald as teacher. The league meeting was held at the school house on Saturday evening, the following interesting program being given by the pupils:

Singing by the school, "Juanita"; recitation, "Welcome," Mary Barbee; recitation, Andrew Lee Holmes; song, "Just Before the Battle, Mother"; recitation, "The Way of a Boy," Albert Sides; recitation, "People's Faults," Hazel Lunsford; recitation, "A Problem," Charles Barbee; recitation, "Springtime," Hilda Barnes; duet, "Break the News to Mother," Misses Lucile and Hazel Lunsford; recitation, "When I Am Big," Donald Sides; recitation, "A Story in Verse," Elizabeth Posey; "Flower Quotations" by several girls; solo, Miss Ethel Florence; recitation, "A Resolution," Bernard Kinchele; recitation, "Land of Story Books," Vernice Posey; recitation, Charles Lunsford; recitation, "Valley Shadows," Anna Sides; reading, Miss Ethel Florence; recitation, "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks," Walter Baltzelle; recitation, "No Time," Allen Barbee; recitation, "Worth Living For," Mary Maraza; song, "Work for the Night Is Coming," by school; "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," Lucile and Hazel Lunsford.

The next meeting will be held Saturday, May 7, at which time new officers will be elected and a box social will be held. Mr. McDonald, our efficient teacher, is doing his best to make the school and league a success.

## FIRE SALE AT CENTREVILLE!

Having had a disastrous fire, March 30, destroying my home, store, and all buildings on my premises, I wish to make known to the public that during the time of the fire my neighbors and friends saved a lot of the merchandise.

Out of a \$6,000 stock, they have appraised \$1,200 worth saved.

I now have this stock on display and in good shape in the Minnefoc Building on the corner at Centreville and am selling it out at a great reduction.

Bargains will be found here in Shoes of all kinds, Men's Pants, Underwear, Overalls, Shirts, Dress Gingham and Sweaters; Dishes, Glassware, Hardware, Roofing, Horse Collars, Pads, Stovepipe, Hoes, Wire, Plows, Handles, Snaps of all kinds, and other things too numerous to mention.

Also a full line of Groceries will be kept on hand until stock is sold out.

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