

College Preparatory and Elective Courses at Manassas High School
SOME COMPARATIVE COSTS OF HIGH SCHOOL WORK

(By Miss Eugenia H. Osbourn)

This article, the last of the series descriptive of the courses given at Manassas High School, will deal with the college preparatory and with the general or elective course, the preceding articles having been descriptive of the vocational courses.

The college preparatory course calls for the usual four units of English, three units of Latin, two of French, three of mathematics, two of history and two of science.

Owing to this selection and combination of subjects, and to the fact that students completing this course are required to pass at least seven of the examinations of the General College Entrance Examination Board this course admits a student to practically any of the greater colleges and universities of the United States. This also is the oldest course offered at the High School and the rigorous requirements for its work have not only set the pace for the other departments of the school, but have been the main factor in giving Manassas high school the standing it now has in Virginia and in other states. For the preparation necessary to enable students to pass the examinations of the General College Entrance Examination Board, which any of the greatest colleges in the country accepts in lieu of their own entrance examinations, means that the work must be maintained at a standard only reached by the greater schools throughout the United States.

There are now in all 387 high schools in Virginia. Of these 387 schools, 280 are four year high schools recognized, or accredited, by the state. There are only 26 of these state accredited Virginia high schools in the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools of the Southern States. Manassas is one of these 26 schools, and has been in this Association since its organization twelve years ago. Alexandria and other large schools in the state have only recently come up to the requirements enough to be taken in. Membership in the Southern Association means that the diploma of a school is recognized, and its graduates received without examination into any standard college of the southern states.

But besides the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools there are four other such associations in the United States. The New England, the Middle States, the North Central and the Pacific. These later associations have all had until very recently more rigorous requirements than the southern. Manassas by requiring the examinations of the General College Entrance Examination Board for graduation, and no other high school in the state habitually does this, has for years been able to enter its students by certificate at the greater colleges of the United States, at Cornell, at Chicago University, at the University of Wisconsin, at the state colleges of Ohio, of Iowa—in fact wherever its graduates have applied.

It may be objected that such emphasis should not be put upon college entrance credits when so small a proportion of high school students are able to go to college. But the point is using the college entrance standards for the work is not simply for the benefit of the few students going to college, that is a secondary matter, it is because the college entrance requirements, both as to amount and quality of work, form the only standardizing agency we have for general high school

work. A school that makes its work come up to the entrance requirements of the great universities has to do good work. In order to meet such requirements a teacher must learn to teach well, a student must learn to think clearly and to work honestly and thoroughly. These qualities are just as important to the student in any occupation he may take up, as they are to enable him to succeed in a college course.

Again, by such pressure brought to bear upon the situation, by setting such high and such impartial standards, for the papers are not passed upon by the teachers, but by outside examiners, (Manassas usually has its papers examined under the direction of the Dean of the University of Virginia), the school is able to get a quality of work both from teachers and pupils usually very difficult to obtain. Of all the students entering the upper classes of Manassas only two have been able to complete the course in the time they expected. Of these two, one came from a New York school, and the other completed the course in the given time with the aid of work taken at the University of Virginia Summer School. This means that the classes of nearby schools are for the most part a year behind where they should be,—not so much in the ground covered, as in the manner of covering it,—in the working ability given the student.

That Manassas has been able to attain and to keep such standing has not been because of the money spent upon it. On the contrary, the work has been done at a remarkably low figure. A glance at the cost of similar work elsewhere will reveal some surprising facts. In reading the following statistics, it must be borne in mind that Manassas has its graduates accepted on certificate by such institutions as Cornell University and the University of Chicago, and this means that its work is ranked with that of the high schools of the great cities of the United States. Here are some of the salary statistics for the schools of such cities. The average annual salary now paid to high school teachers in the large cities of the United States is \$2,484. In Chicago, the maximum salary paid to high school principals is \$6,000; in New York \$5,000; in Boston \$4,500, in Virginia, \$4,000. In Manassas the average salary of the high school teachers, including the principal, is \$1,050 (this does not include the salaries of the Manassas Smith-Hughes vocational teachers, as these are paid by the state and are somewhat higher). This figure is even lower than the average salary scale for Virginia county high schools.

The Manassas salary scale, meagre as it is, is also of very recent date. For years the annual average salary of its high school teachers was only \$744, and yet the high school here was admitted to the association of college and secondary schools of the southern states, and it has had entrance credit to Cornell University for the last twelve years. Even now, only twenty-six Virginia public high schools are in the Southern Association; and of these, not more than two or three, if any, have the Cornell certificate. And yet, these twenty-six schools have now, and have always had, a salary scale of from one and a half to two and three times that of Manassas. In view of these facts it would seem to be unwise in the extreme to destroy the present standing of

the school, one of the main assets of the town, by any additional economy. For, this standard, once destroyed, it would be impossible to replace it at anything like its present cost.

It now remains to describe briefly the fifth course offered by the high school, the elective or general course. This, like the others, must contain sixteen units; but a greater range of choice is allowed in the selection of subjects. The elective course is intended especially for those students who, for one reason and another, do not want, or cannot be fitted with, the other specialized courses. It may be near

enough in context to the college preparatory course to admit to most colleges, or it may have little or no college certification. It is often a combination of the other courses.

By offering the four specialized courses together with this flexible combination of work in the elective course, the high school, to a very unusual degree for a small town high school, is able to meet the needs of all types of pupils, and to be a school for all the people. With this wide adaptability to community needs together with its very economical administration, and its priceless traditions of good

scholarship, the high school should easily be able to win and to keep the sympathetic cooperation of all who realize something of the tremendous economic importance of education in modern life, as well as its age old spiritual values.

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County Circuit Court Which Convened on April Third, Terminated Yesterday.

Common Law.

In re estate of William M. Wheeler, deceased. Report and account confirmed and ordered recorded.

In re estate of Charles H. Holmes, deceased. Report and account confirmed and ordered recorded.

In re guardianship account of Robert and Mary Green. Report and account confirmed and ordered recorded.

In re account of Soterios Nicholson, trustee. Report and account confirmed and ordered recorded.

In re estate of Jos. N. Utterback, deceased. Report and account confirmed and ordered recorded.

In re estate account of Martha A. Matthew, deceased. Report and account confirmed and ordered recorded.

W. J. Grove vs. A. C. Harley. On notice. Case continued to June 14, 1922, at defendant's costs, upon his motion.

E. A. Bear vs. J. Carl Kinchloe. On notice. Case continued to June 14, 1922, at defendant's costs, upon his motion.

E. A. Bear vs. James Birkett. On notice. Case continued to June 14, 1922, at defendant's costs, upon his motion.

It appearing that certain ardent spirits which have been seized by the officers of the law in the following cases, which have been tried in the circuit court of Prince William county—

commonwealth vs. W. C. Hall, commonwealth vs. Clayton Liming, commonwealth vs. Bermon Mears—being stored in the clerk's office, it was ordered that the sheriff destroy these spirits and the containers thereof.

Whereupon the sheriff, in the presence of witnesses, destroyed the said ardent spirits and containers; also the two stills and the ardent spirits which were ordered to be destroyed in Thursday's court.

Commonwealth vs. Derwood Payne. On indictment for a misdemeanor. Defendant entered into bond with M. Lynch as his surety in the sum of \$250 each, to appear in person in the court on the second day of the June, 1922, term of court.

In re one Ford car No. 3075352. Car was alleged to have been used illegally in transporting ardent spirits along the highways in this county, and Clayton Liming, who claims an interest in said car, having executed bond with B. F. Liming as his surety in a penalty of \$500, it was ordered that the said car be released to the said Clayton Liming pending the future order of this court.

Allowance to regular grand jurors for attendance and mileage.

The Excelsior Products Company vs. W. C. Wagener. On notice. Court considered that the motion be sustained and that the notice be quashed and that the defendant do recover of the plaintiff his costs in this his behalf expended.

Manassas and Dumfries Telephone Co., Inc., vs. Mrs. E. J. Alexander. On appeal from decision of justices. It was considered by the court that the plaintiff do recover of the defendant and her surety, C. E. Clarke, the sum of \$6.50, with interest thereon from April 8, 1922, till paid, together with costs and also the sum of \$4.50 recovered by it for its cost before the justices of the peace.

Commonwealth vs. Luther Carney. Charged with an infraction of the prohibition law. Defendant entered into bond

with French Carney as his surety in the sum of \$2.00 each, for the defendant to appear in court in person on the first day of the June, 1922, term.

Soft drink licenses were granted to J. E. Keys, of Independent Hill and Carrico Bros., of Greenwich.

Allowances were granted for attendance and mileage to trial jurors in criminal cases and to petit jurors in civil cases.

Commonwealth vs. Tom Johnson and Mary Johnson. Defendants entered into bond, together with their sureties, J. T. Syncox and Chas. H. Emery, in the sum of \$200 each, for the defendants appearance in person in court on the fourth day of the June, 1922, term of court, to answer an indictment for a misdemeanor.

Commonwealth vs. Robert Johnson. Indictment for a felony. (Assault upon Luther Washington.) Jury found defendant guilty of a misdemeanor and fixed the fine at \$15 and costs.

Court allowed payment of witnesses before the grand jury and the trial jury in felony cases.

Accounts of Chas. A. Barbee, sheriff; Thos. H. Lion, commonwealth's attorney; J. P. Kerlin, deputy sheriff, and Robert Jarman's, jailor, allowed.

On motion, it was ordered that W. C. Wagener, H. Thornton Davies and W. F. Merchant be appointed trustees for the Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church at Manassas, Va.

The court set aside and annulled the order entered April 5, 1922, appointing Walter Polen constable for Gainesville district and doth continue until the first day of the June court the motion to appoint said Polen as such constable.

Chancery. Carroll Adams Co., Inc., et als vs. H. S. Bell et als. Decree. The suit of Selz Schwab Co. vs. H. S. Bell et als was consolidated with this cause and it was adjudged ordered and decreed that the sale of the stock of goods mentioned in the bill of complaint from H. S. Bell to Homer T. Heflin and Cecil R. Heflin on or about Sept. 10, 1921, be declared void, and that such stock of goods is liable to the debts of said H. S. Bell.

Eva P. Harris, guardian vs. Thelma Brown, infant. In chancery. Court confirmed sale of real estate involved in this cause, at \$1,500, to Frank Allen and Jos. Brown.

Harry Tucker Bryant, by his next friends vs. J. Royal Cooke, guardian, et als. The resignation of J. Royal Cooke was accepted and the plaintiff being over the age of fourteen years, nominated C. A. Sinclair as his guardian, which nomination was approved by court. Final decree.

Jno. T. Patton et als, plaintiff vs. Davies et als, defendants. Decree for sale. Report of Master Commissioner L. Ledman ratified and confirmed. Court appointed special commissioner to sell the real estate in the bill.

Francis A. Davis, E. Asbury Davis and J. Milton Davis vs. H. F. Keys et al. Decree. Exceptions to report of master commissioner sustained and remainder of report confirmed.

Daniel Lomax, guardian vs. John Henry King et al. Decree. Report of commissioner confirmed.

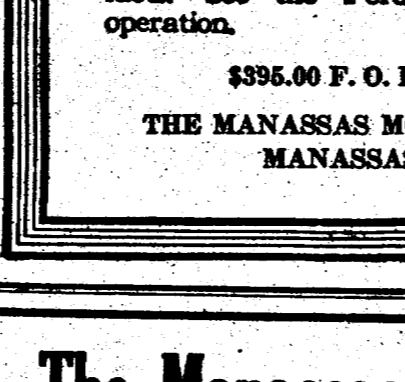
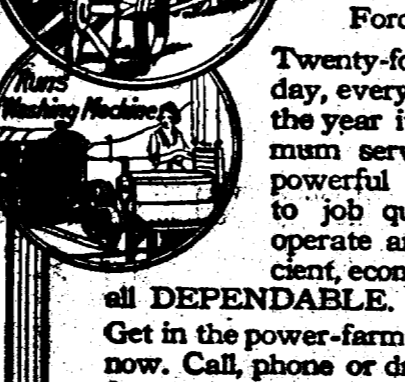
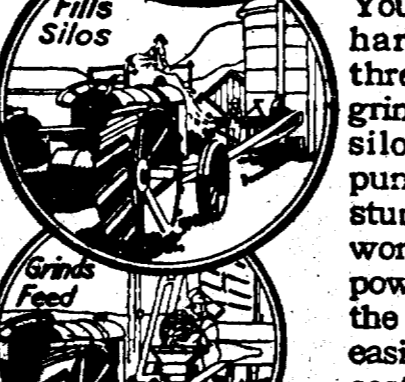
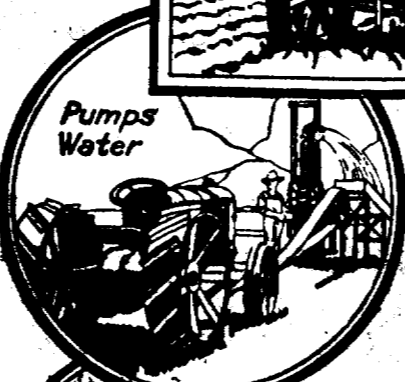
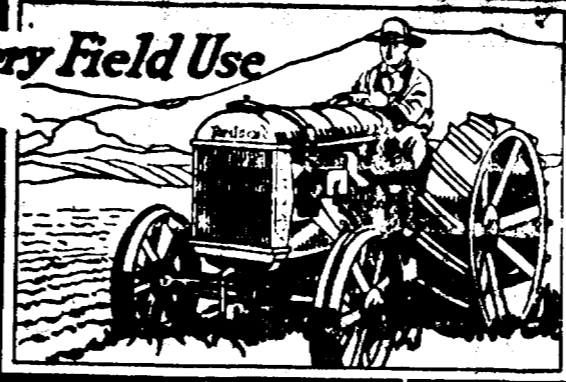
Eleanor May Price vs. Harry Frankita Price. Decree. Divorce granted. Infant son awarded complainant.

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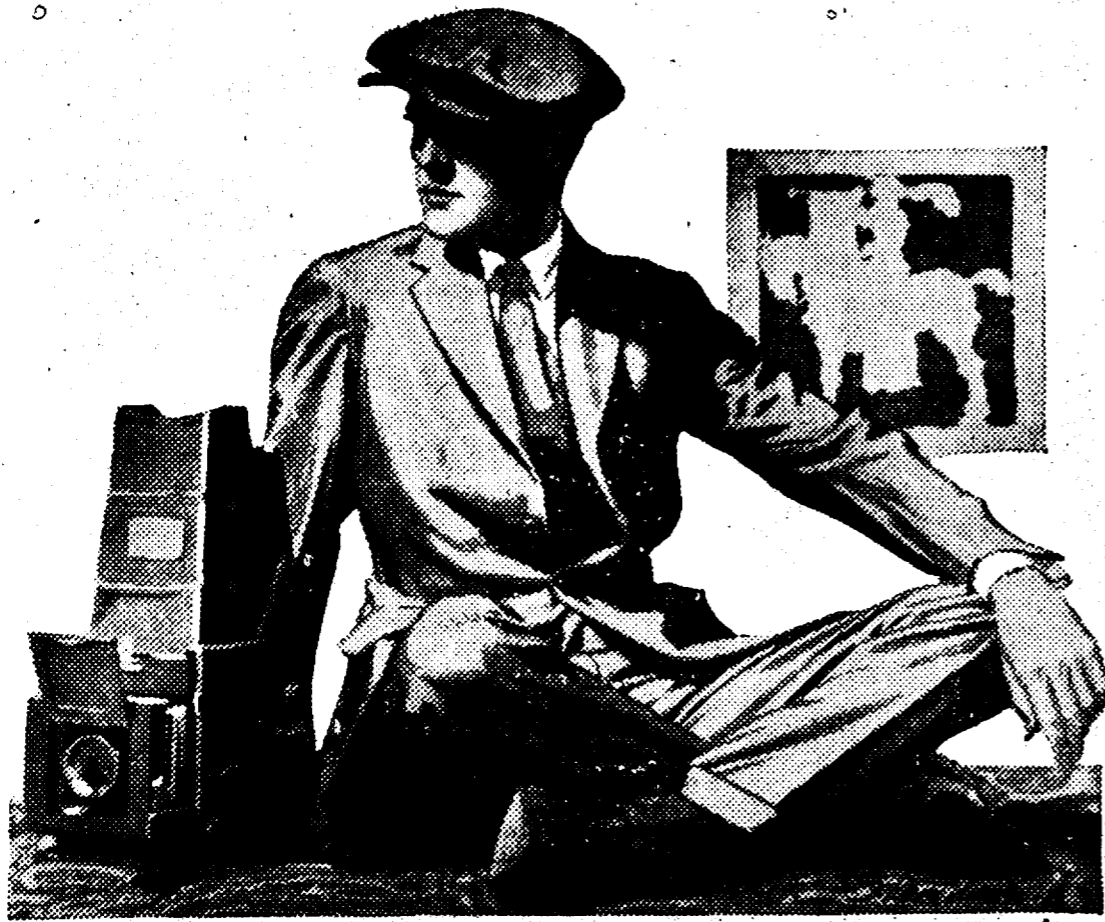
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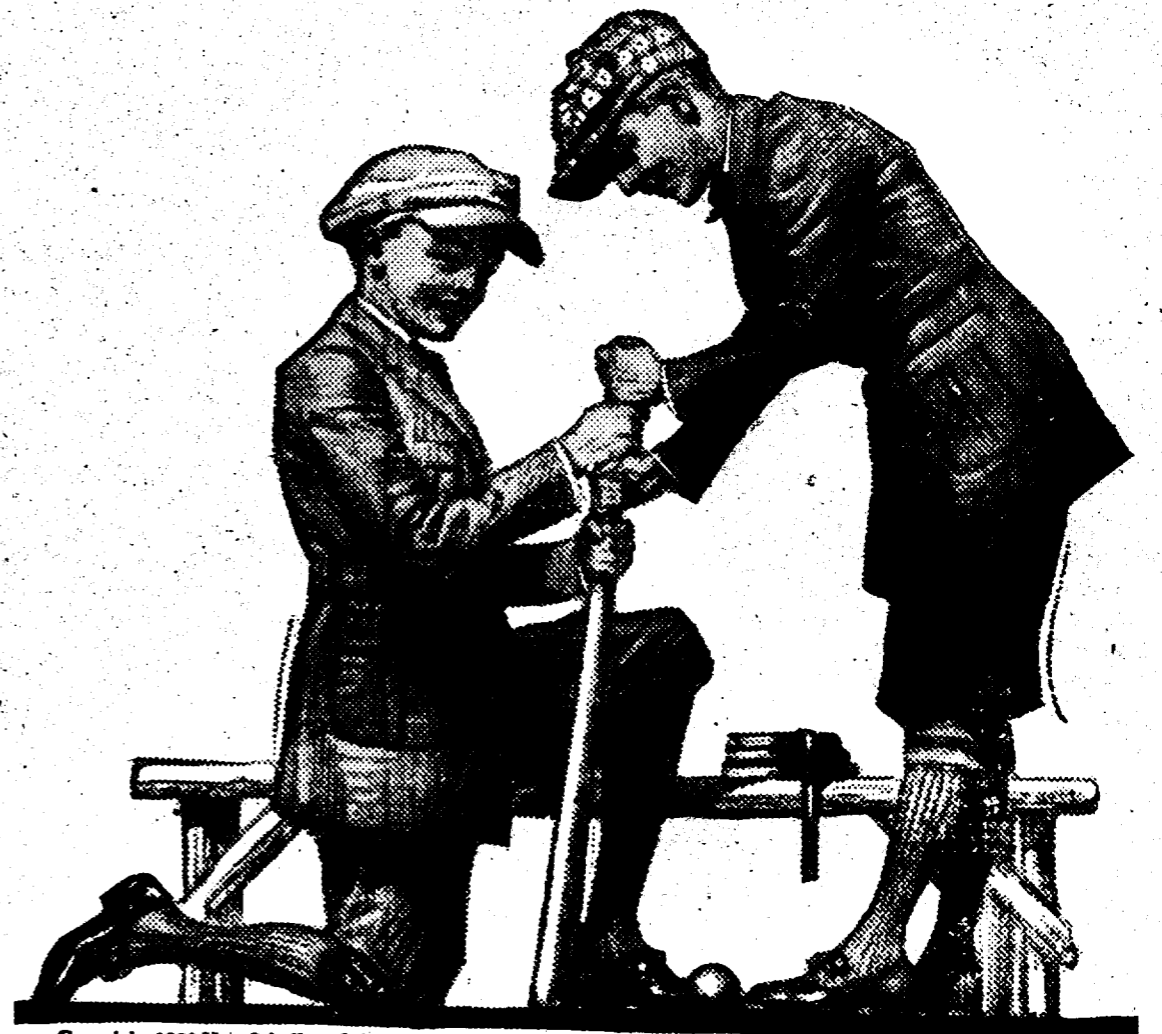
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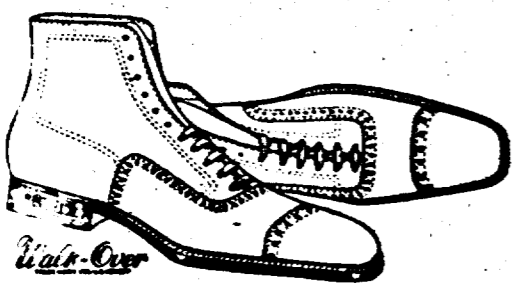
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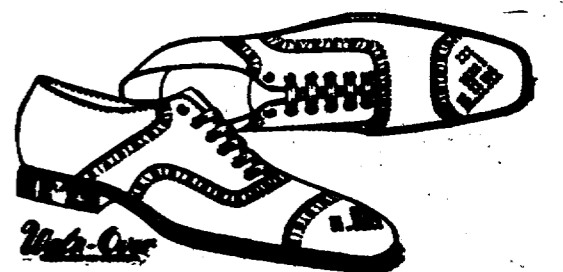
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The United States has a total wealth of two hundred and fifty billions. Country America gets less than 25 per cent, when it should get more than 50 per cent of the wealth created annually.

A hullabaloo was made about placing ONE "dirt farmer" in the President's cabinet. Some big city papers raved at the idea of putting ONE farmer on the Federal Reserve Board. Country America should have not only one member in the cabinet, but not less than one-half of all the cabinet's members. The country has six votes to the city's five. Yet, the country's voice has hardly been heard in Washington. It has never been heeded to any considerable extent. The Farm Bloc in Congress, with only a score of members, has been able to make both political parties sit up and take heed chiefly because of the SLEEPING POWER of Country America.

If Country America will awaken and demand her rights, irrespective of parties, it will obtain what justly belongs to it politically, industrially, economically, socially, and commercially.

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What's more, the city men COMBINE to fix the buying and selling prices in Country America, and for many years have combined to do so, and nothing seriously has ever been done to stop it except some political wind-jamming. For instance, former Attorney-General Palmer's broadcasted statement of the guilt of the Packer's Trust, and his intention to send the higher-ups to the penitentiary. Such statements, having served their political purposes, the procedure was ended.

The same is true with the numerous indictments by the Federal Trade Commission and the United States Senate investigations, which find divers and sundry trusts guilty of conspiracy. What happens to these findings? Nothing ever has happened—nothing ever will happen until Country America arises from its sleep and demands from its representatives and its supposed servants in public office in Washington that they will no longer accept premiums for performance.—The Virginia Star.

The real purpose of education is primarily not to give information, but to give people an understanding that will enable them to use information.

AN EASTER THOUGHT

"If a man die, shall he live again?" This most searching question of human experience was propounded 2,500 years ago by the scriptural poet, and man has been asking it ever since.

The radiant morn of Easter brings an answer to this question. Up to the time of Jesus, humanity had little conviction upon this question. The more advanced philosophers held hopeful views of the persistence of man's spirit, but among many races the condition of those who have passed away was regarded as not desirable in any way, a wandering and unhappy state.

Multitudes of bereaved people whose heart lies in a closed grave, ask where their loved ones are now, and if it shall be possible ever to meet and recognize them again.

When Jesus brought to earth his noble and uplifting precepts of living, he also implanted in the human heart the seed of a new faith in immortality. His philosophy made God no mere heartless creator, but a loving father who must of necessity prepare many mansions for his children. The advance of the race was tremendously promoted by the growth of the conviction that he created.

If death ends all, the effect is to cultivate a tendency toward irresponsibility. "Let us eat and drink for tomorrow we die," is the natural feeling. But if there is to be another life, in which the human personality can reap the fruit of its efforts and sacrifices and achievements, the result must be to stimulate tremendously a person's desire to make a good record and be worthy of the heavenly mansions to which God's true children are invited.

The Easter feeling of confidence in immortality, then, has not merely given comfort to millions of sorrowing hearts, but it has had a tremendous effect to cheer men and women to strive for better character and service.—Culpeper Exponent.

"THE LAND OF BEGINNING AGAIN"

I wish there were some wonderful place
 Called the Land of Beginning Again,
 Where all our mistakes and all our heartaches,
 And all our poor, selfish griefs
 Could be dropped, like a shabby old coat, at the door,
 And never put on again.

I wish we could come on it all unaware,
 Like the hunter who finds a lost trail;
 And I wish that the one whom our blindness had done
 The greatest injustice of all
 Could be at the gate like the old friend that waits
 For the comrade he's gladdest of hail.

We would find the things we intended to do,
 But forgot and remembered too late—
 Little praises unspoken, little promises broken,
 And all of the thousand and one
 Little duties neglected that might have perfected
 The days of one less fortunate.

It wouldn't be possible not to be kind
 In the Land of Beginning Again;
 And the ones we misjudged and the ones whom we
 Grudged
 Their moments of victory here,
 Would find the grasp of our loving handclasp
 More than penitent lips could explain.

For what had been hardest we'd know had been best,
 And what had seemed loss would be gain
 For there isn't a sting that will not take wing
 When we've faced it and laughed it away;
 And I think that the laughter is most what we're after,
 In the Land of Beginning Again.

So I wish that there were some wonderful place
 Called the Land of Beginning Again,
 Where all our mistakes and all our heartaches,
 And all our poor, selfish griefs
 Could be dropped, like a ragged old coat, at the door,
 And never put on again.

—LOUISE FLETCHER TARKINGTON.

LAUGH AND LIVE

REASONABLE DOUBT

The grocer bustled up as a customer rested his arm on the freshly painted counter. "I'm sorry," he said, "but didn't you see the sign saying the paint is fresh?"
 "Certainly," replied the victim emphatically, "but I've so often seen placards here announcing fresh eggs, butter and vegetables, only to be deceived, that I suspected this sign was nothing but a pleasant fable."
 . . .

The local Shakespeare club was giving its annual performance. An ambitious amateur of considerable social prominence had been entrusted with a part calling for a speech of only four words: "The queen has swooned." As he stepped forward, gorgeously costumed, his friends applauded loudly. Bowing his thanks, he faced the king and said, in a very high-pitched voice, "The swoon has queened." The audience tittered. He flushed and tried again:
 "The swoon has swooned." The audience howled, and the stage-manager whispered in a voice which could be heard all over the house, "Come off, you fool!"
 But the heroic amateur refused to surrender, and in a rasping falsetto, as he was assisted off the stage, he screamed, "The queen has swooned."
 . . .

The old negress who weaved for Mrs. Worth came one morning with a tale of woe calculated to bring pity to the hardest heart. "Cheer up, aunty," consoled Mrs. Worth. "There's no use worrying."
 But aunty held other views of the matter.
 "How come dere's no use worryin'?" she demanded.
 "When de good Lord send me tribulation He done 'spect me to tribulate, ain't He?"
 . . .

"Mama, was I ever baptized?" Dwight asked his mother.
 "Yes, dear."
 "Well, mama, was I ever vaccinated?"
 "Yes, dear."
 "Well, mama, which one was it that I got in the arm?"
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"He is a self-made man, is he not?"
 "Yes, except for the alterations made by his wife and her mother."

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. Burder Athey is recovering from a recent attack of pneumonia.

—Rev. J. M. Bell will preach at Bradley Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday School will be at 10 o'clock.

—Eastern College-Conservatory girls will furnish the special music at the Baptist Church at the Easter morning services.

—While cranking his Ford last Saturday night, Mr. Byron Stevens had the ill fortune of having his right arm broken.

—The regular April meeting of the Manassas Fire Department will be held in the town hall next Friday night.

—Mr. J. C. Parrish returned home Sunday afternoon from Washington where he underwent an operation several weeks ago. His condition is much improved.

—The Manassas high and graded schools closed yesterday afternoon for the Easter holidays. Studies will be resumed on Tuesday morning.

—Miss Beatrice Luke, pianist, and Miss Ella Mae Hyde, reader, will give a program at the college auditorium next Monday evening April 17, at 8 p. m.

—Miss Lulu D. Metz returned Sunday evening from Richmond, where she had been in attendance at the conference of the Smith-Hughes teachers of the state.

—The Intermediate and Junior Leagues will hold a Social Friday, April 14, at 7:30 p. m. in the Epworth League room. All members are cordially invited to attend.

—The property known as the old Brawler house, located between Mr. C. E. Fisher's residence and Bushong's grocery store, was recently sold by Mr. Fisher to Mr. R. C. Bauserman.

—Miss Bobbie Carr, violinist, assisted by Miss Grace Butler, soprano and reader, will give her senior program next Friday night, April 21, at the college gymnasium.

—Mr. Robert E. Newman, who received appointment as temporary postmaster of the post office here on August 24, 1921, Monday received his appointment as permanent postmaster.

—Among recent appointments to postmastership in this section of Virginia and now confirmed by the Senate are Mr. Edmund S. Hooker, at Nokesville, and Mr. Wm. J. Ivey, at Catlett.

—Rev. A. B. Jamison and Mr. C. J. Meetze were delegates from the Presbyterian Church to the Washington City Presbytery convened this week at the Metropolitan Presbyterian Church of Washington.

—Quite a number of boys turned out at the Boy Scout meeting last Friday night at the courthouse. Another meeting will be held there tonight at 7 o'clock at which time plans for a short hike will be discussed.

—The April meeting of the Manassas High School Community League will be held next Thursday, April 20, beginning at 2:45 p. m. Patrons and friends are asked to be present as business of much importance is to be taken up.

—Messrs. James R. Larkin and R. S. Hynson represented locality's interests at the hearing given before the Highway commission on the allocation of state road funds in Richmond on Wednesday. The route that particularly interests this section is known as route 25. Messrs. Hynson and Larkin made the trip by motor via Fredericksburg and made the down trip in about five hours.

—In this morning's issue of the Washington Post it was stated that a marriage license had been issued in that city to Thomas E. Chadwell, of The Plains, and Eva Meredith, of Manassas.

—The Bennett School Patrons' League will hold their annual sale of Easter baskets filled with colored Easter eggs and homemade candy on the lot between the Conner building and The National Bank of Manassas tomorrow.

—Miss Viola Sarles, former jumping center of the Eastern College-Conservatory basketball team, who recently underwent an operation in one of the Washington hospitals, left Sunday for her home in Starkville, Miss., to further recuperate.

—The management of the Dixie theatre has secured an exceptionally good picture for next Monday and Tuesday, "Tol'able David," which has only recently been released. Special music for the showing of this photoplay will be furnished by the Eastern orchestra.

—The condition of Mr. C. Vernon Ford, of Fairfax, who is ill in the Garfield hospital, Washington, was reported as being better early in the week but on Wednesday a change for the worse came and reports received from the hospital state that his condition is now very grave.

—Mrs. J. W. Peyton announces the marriage of her daughter, Anne to Mr. Rolfe Robertson, of Haymarket, Va., at the Church of the Covenant, Washington, D. C., April 3, at 2:30 p. m. The Rev. Dr. Charles Wood officiated. Only the immediate families were present.

—Miss Thelma Lee, violinist, assisted by Miss Bobbie Carr, contralto, and Miss Lucile Dorough, accompanist, will give a recital next Wednesday evening, April 19, in the college gymnasium. The doors will be closed during the rendering of the numbers of the program.

—The strong wind on Tuesday blew down a large limb of the cherry tree which stands in the yard in front of Mr. Robert A. Rector's residence. The limb fell across several telephone wires and into the street but did little damage to the wires and blocked the street only a short while before it was removed.

—Fire of unknown origin broke out in the woods near Hynson's bungalow Sunday afternoon and was not extinguished by the fire fighters until late that night. Had it not been for their strenuous efforts the fire might have developed into something serious, as a brisk west wind was blowing and the woods were quite dry.

—At a meeting of the White Rose baseball club held in the town hall on Wednesday night an order was given for new uniforms and other needed equipment. The uniforms will be of a striped grayish color this year. It was also decided to erect a grandstand on the Smith field diamond.

—At a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Stafford county, held in Fredericksburg last Saturday, the proposed appropriation of \$30,000 to erect a new courthouse at Stafford was defeated by a vote of 3 to 1. It was proposed to raise this approximate sum by extra assessment of each taxpayer in the county, and the dissenting supervisors maintained that they could not afford additional taxes at this time. The county courthouse at Stafford was condemned several months ago by Judge R. H. L. Chichester as an unsafe and unfit place in which to hold court. Sessions of the Circuit Court of Stafford have since been held in the P. O. S. of A. Hall.

UNCLE MARK



The feller with high blood pressure should be purty careful how he uses the word, "liar."

—The Bethlehem Good Housekeepers' Club will meet on the afternoon of Saturday, April 22, at the home of Mrs. G. C. Round on Grant avenue, at 2:30. Mrs. Round and Mrs. W. W. Davies will entertain the club.

—Mr. C. J. Meetze has been elected by the Presbytery of Washington City as one of the commissioners to represent that presbytery at the Presbyterian General Assembly, which is soon to meet at Des Moines, Iowa.

—Mr. Hugh Meetze, who has been keeping up with wireless for the past several years has now a fine radio receiving set with which he can enjoy concerts and messages from as far away as Pittsburg. So far as we know this is the first radio set to be put in operation in this locality although others are working on sets.

—A disastrous fire broke out at an early hour Tuesday morning at Midland, destroying the postoffice and a store owned by Chas. Fallor. The former post-office building, nearby, caught from the sparks and was soon in ruins. The fire originated in the postoffice from causes unknown. The Warrenton fire department, which was called by telephone reached the scene too late to be of any assistance.

Prof. W. H. Roebush, of Dayton, musician at Shenandoah Collegiate Institute and School of Music and leader of the famous 116th Infantry Band, will assist the choir at Asbury U. B. Church here in its Easter services which will be held next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and will lead the music at the Buckhall U. B. Church at the Sunday night service of the revival series which are in progress and which will probably close with this meeting.

—The Eastern College-Conservatory catalogue for the 1922-23 session has just been delivered to President Holliday from a Richmond printing firm and is a remarkable example of the printers' art. Nearly two hundred copies have been sent out to prospective students all over the country within the last two or three days. It will be noted that many additions have been made to the faculty. The catalogue is amply illustrated with cuts of campus scenes and scenes of the surrounding territory and it should prove of great help in drawing a number of students here next fall.

—Rev. and Mrs. Barnett Grimsley left Wednesday for Remington where they will make their future home. Rev. Grimsley, who has resided in Manassas for the past five years, is pastor of Hatcher's Memorial, Broad Run, Mt. Holly and Sammerduck Baptist churches and made the change in his place of residence to be nearer his churches. He will retain charge of all the above named churches with the exception of Hatcher's Memorial. The many friends which Rev. and Mrs. Grimsley have made while in Manassas will be sorry to lose them from their midst but wish them happiness in their new home.

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LITTLE JOURNEYS

Mr. Herbert Nash was a Washington visitor on Monday. Messrs. J. D. Janney and J. L. Dawson, of Occoquan, were Manassas visitors last Saturday. Mr. L. B. Oertly, of Cherry Hill, was a Manassas visitor Monday. Mr. E. D. Wissler returned Wednesday from Grottoes where he visited his brother. Miss Evelyn Kincheloe, of Washington, is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Kincheloe. Mr. W. L. Heuser, of Haymarket, was a Manassas visitor yesterday. Mr. S. Joseph Hunt, of Haymarket, was in Manassas on business yesterday. Mr. Walter Woolfenden, of Kopp, was a visitor in Manassas yesterday and today. Mr. Robert Riley spent Saturday and Sunday in Washington visiting his family. Miss Mary Procak, of Washington, is visiting Mrs. O. W. Allison, of near Manassas. Mr. Alwin Barnes, of Minnieville, was a visitor in Manassas Saturday. Mr. L. J. Pattie, of Gainesville, was in Manassas on business Saturday. Mr. Bailey Tyler, of Haymarket, was a Manassas visitor on Tuesday. Mr. Gilbert Spies, of Washington, was a Manassas visitor last night. Miss Ethel Lipscomb, of Washington, visited in Manassas this week. Mrs. Peter Polen, of Haymarket, was a visitor in Manassas on Monday. Mr. W. L. Heuser, of Haymarket, was in Manassas on business yesterday. Mr. Ira Cannon, of Rosemont, was a Manassas visitor yesterday. Mrs. W. A. Clem, of Rosemont, was a Manassas visitor one day this week. Miss Edna Donohoe, of Baltimore, Md., is visiting at her former home here. Rev. C. H. Fry, of Clifton Station, was a Manassas visitor on Monday. Mrs. W. H. W. Moran and daughter, Miss Lanier, are Washington visitors today. Miss Mary Covington visited relatives in Washington one day this week. Mr. Aylett Nicol, of Alexandria, was a visitor in Manassas today. Miss E. H. Osbourn will spend the Easter holidays in Washington and Southern Maryland. Mr. Harry Cornwell, of Washington, is a Manassas visitor today. Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Bell and children visited Mrs. Bell's sister, Mrs. Fritter, of near Brooke last Sunday. Miss Ethel Larson returned Tuesday to her home near Manassas after spending the winter in Washington. Messrs. Hawes and Jenkin Davies left this morning for Washington, where they are visiting relatives. Mrs. J. C. Albright returned several days ago from Chase City where she visited her mother, Mrs. Eppe H. Potts, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. William Ford, of Clifton Station, visited Mrs. Ford's sister, Mrs. Luther Payne, Sunday.

Prof. G. W. Mosher, of Jersey, former teacher of violin at Eastern College, is visiting in Manassas. Mrs. W. N. Lipscomb, Mrs. H. W. Jamison and Master Billie Jamison were Washington visitors Monday. Miss Ruth Shaver, of Alexandria, arrived in Manassas Tuesday to spend several days at her former home near town. Mrs. Fontaine B. Hooff, of Charles Town, W. Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Smith, on Grant avenue. Mrs. Edwin A. Newman and daughter, Miss Helen, of Washington, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Conner this week. Mr. Thomas McNeil, student at the Randolph-Macon Academy, Bedford City, returned last night to spend the Easter holidays at his home here. Mrs. Ralph Holt, of Chattanooga, Tenn., visited Mrs. W. Fewell Merchant several days last week en route to her home from New York. Mrs. Sarah Daniel, of Washington, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. T. D. D. Clark, is visiting Mrs. R. R. Whitmore in Richmond. Mr. Bernard Heffin, of Baltimore, who is spending the Easter vacation at his home in The Plains, was a Manassas visitor yesterday. Misses Rebecca Trapnell and Laura Hooff, of Charles Town, W. Va., are spending the Easter vacation as the guests of Miss Garnett Brown. Mrs. E. L. Hornbaker visited her sister, Mrs. George L. Rosenberger, and her mother, Mrs. Jennie Robertson, at Herndon over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Boatwright and Mrs. W. S. Athey visited Mrs. Boatwright's mother, Mrs. E. J. Alexander, at Minnieville, Sunday. Messrs. Walter Sanders and William Hill Brown, students at the University of Virginia, spent the week-end at their respective homes here. Mr. C. M. Newman, of Bridgeport, Conn., visited his sister, and brother, Mrs. E. R. Conner and Mr. Oliver E. Newman, several days this week. Mr. Carroll Sanders left this morning for Charlottesville, where he will spend the week-end with his brother, Mr. Walter Sanders, who is attending the University of Virginia. Mesdames V. E. Lake and T. F. Coleman returned home Saturday after spending a month in Cincinnati with Mrs. Lake's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kendall. Mr. J. J. Murphey was in Washington on business Monday. County Treasurer J. P. Leachman is visiting his sons-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Oliver, at Cape Girardeau, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Boatwright had as their guests last Saturday Mrs. E. J. Alexander, Miss Lucile Clarke, and Messrs. P. E. Clarke and C. E. Clarke, of Minnieville, and G. C. Russell and Prof. Throckmorton, of Agnewville. Misses Emily Round and Mabelle Powell, of McLean, spent the week-end here. Mr. and Mrs. William J. Smith and little son, of Baltimore, will arrive tomorrow to spend the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pence and Mr. J. N. Muddiman.

BUSINESS LOCALS

One Cent a Word. Minimum, 25c. Pasture for rent on the Valentine Shafter place. W. W. Wheaton, Bristow, Va. 48-4 For Sale—\$0 shares stock National Bank of Manassas. Pays 10% dividend. B. Lynn Robertson. 48-4 For Sale—A lot, 50 ft. front on the railroad and 180 ft. deep. Apply to Mrs. Sarah Keys. 48-4 For Sale—Suit of parlor furniture, iron bed-room suit, dining table and miscellaneous articles. Call after the 18th. Miss Fanny Payne, Grant Ave., Manassas, Va. 48-4 Choice strawberry plants for sale—Early Osack, Big J. E. H. Gandy, mixed, 50c hundred; \$4 thousand; post paid. Geo. A. Wood, Nokesville. For Sale—Six horse power International gasoline engine, \$75, and ten horsepower International gasoline engine, \$300. Both mounted on trucks and in good running shape. George Russell, R. 4, Box 55, Manassas. 48-3 Seed corn, \$1.50 bushel. Larkin-Dorrell Co., Manassas, Va. 48-4 Notice.—As I have rented the lower pasture field on Broad Run, any trespassers on same will be prosecuted. Compton Farm, A. L. Emmons, Owner. 48-4 For Sale—Bee keepers' supplies of all kinds at a moderate price at the Hermitage farm, two miles south of Gainesville. Address, Frank Lee, Bristow, Va. 48-5 Lost—In Manassas, red pocketbook containing one \$10, one \$2 and one \$1 bill. Liberal reward if returned to Journal Office. 47-1 A pretty electric table lamp at a moderate price for sale. On exhibition in Mr. Wine's window. 47-2 For Sale—Ford touring car, excellent condition; cheap for cash. Hugh T. Clarkson, Clarendon, Va. 47-1 For Sale—51 acres of land adjoining the old stone bridge on Warrenton turnpike, 25 1/2 acres in Prince William county and 25 1/2 acres in Fairfax county. For information, write to Robert V. Robinson, 3121 Mt. Pleasant St., N. W., Washington, D. C. Phone-Columbia, 3671-J. 47-1 For Sale—Two bicycles, in good condition. Fred Petty, Bristow, Va., R. 2. For Sale—Baby chicks and hatching eggs from my prize pen R. I. Red and White Leghorns. Helen Arthur, Gainesville, Va. 47-3 Wanted—Clothing salesman; splendid opportunity. Line guaranteed VIRGIN Wool by National Wool Growers' Association. Write Nye Brothers, 1739 F St., N. W., Washington, D. C. 47-3 Lost—Between rest room and Hibbs & Giddings. Enameled brooch with initials M. A. G. Reward if left at Journal office. 47-1 Wanted—Man to drive Ford truck, hauling pulpwood; must understand minor repairs; \$40 month and board. Apply Journal Office. 46-2 Lost—Tuesday night in business district of Manassas, Hamilton gold case watch. Liberal reward if returned to Journal Office. 46-2 Mammoth Pekin duck eggs, \$1.00 per dozen. Mrs. F. A. Cockrell, Manassas, Va. 46-4 For Sale—Irish Cobbler seed potatoes, \$2.25 per bushel. Scratch Feed, \$2.35 per 100 lbs. E. R. Conner & Company. 45-3 For Sale—Two stacks of clover hay; inquire of Mr. H. W. Butler, Bristow, Va. 45-3 For Sale—15-horse power Frick engine and saw mill. Will sell cheap, have no further use for it. H. P. Young, Manassas, Va. 45-3 We are headquarters for clover seed, cow peas, seed potatoes, garden seeds and onion sets. J. H. Burke & Co. 45 For Sale—Or will trade for well-marked Holstein heifers, aged from 6 months up. Gray horse, \$85; bay horse \$75; white pony, \$60; grey pony, \$125; Percheron colt, 1 1/2 years old, \$100; 2 grain drills, \$85 each; 2 single corn planters, \$15 each; dump cart, \$35; 2-seated carriage, \$65; Western stock saddle, \$45; ladies' side saddle, \$15; heavy set team road harness, \$20; set of hand-made team harness, collars included, cost \$165, never been used, will sell for \$145; single carriage, \$20; carriage-pole, \$10. E. B. Wagoner, Manassas, Va. 44-4 S. C. Rhode Island Red eggs from prize winning stock, \$1.50 per sitting. J. C. Weaver, Manassas, Va. 43-5 Lot for sale in Nokesville containing 1 1/2 acres of land; splendid 8-room house, good barn and outhouses, 2 wells and a quantity of fruit trees just beginning to bear. F. H. Swartz, Nokesville, Va. 42-5c BIDS WANTED Bids will be received until noon of April 20, 1922, for the erection of a two-story brick bank building, to be erected at Haymarket, Va. All material and labor to be furnished by contractor. Plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of Rust & Gillis, Haymarket, Va. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. W. M. JORDAN, R. B. GOSSOM, Building Committee. 42-4

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But, oh, the lone survivors Should claim the fallen tear, Whose aching hearts are wishing For a voice they cannot hear.
It was a sad and lonesome morning, When we were forced to part, But the love of my dear husband Will always be fresh within my heart.
Thing how he suffered and bore all his pain, In the long night hours as we soothed him in vain; Till God in His mercy sent down from above An angel that whispered a message of love.
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Farmers through this section have begun farm work in earnest. Some hope to plant corn next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wheaton of Bristow, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Russell.

Miss Corah Breedon, of Washington, spent the week-end with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith and family, of Buckhall, spent Sunday with Mrs. Smith's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Russell.

While cutting wood last week, Mr. W. H. Holmes had the misfortune to cut his foot severely.

Miss Alverta Wheaton is spending a few weeks with friends and relatives in Alexandria.

Miss Maude L. Norman spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Russell.

Mr. Stanley Holmes was a Sunday guest of Miss Corah Breedon.

Mr. E. E. Cornwell made a business trip to Manassas Saturday.

Misses Myrtle and Annie Cornwell and Ruby Russell called at the home of Miss Ruth Wheaton Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jones and baby visited Mr. Jones' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Jones, Sunday.

Prof. Norman Chappell, of Washington Barracks, recently visited his parents here.

Mrs. T. H. Holmes is very much indisposed this week.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Golihef, of Manassas, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Wheaton.

Misses Mary Carter and Minna Berry, teachers of Occoquan; Mrs. Slack and Mr. Walter Woolfenden called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Russell Sunday afternoon.

HAYMARKET

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Moor Jordan motored to Marshall on Sunday and were guests for the day of Mr. and Mrs. Bowersett.

Miss Virginia Boxley returned on Saturday from a visit to friends in Front Royal.

Mrs. Oakly Walter and little sons are visiting Mrs. Walter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ramey, at Linden.

Mrs. Thom Williamson, Miss Anne W. Williamson, Lieut. and Mrs. R. H. Blair and baby boy, have joined Mrs. Carval Hall at "Shirley" for the Easter holidays.

Sunday last (Palm Sunday) was observed with appropriate service, music and sermon at St. Paul's Church. The chancel was decorated with palms sent for the purpose by Mrs. Carl Clarkson from Florida.

Services at St. Paul's on Easter day will be Holy Communion at 8 a. m., service, sermon and Holy Communion at 11 a. m. There will also be service at Grace Chapel, Hickory Grove, at 3:30 p. m.

Good Friday and Easter Monday will be observed as holidays by Haymarket school.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rector, of Quantico, were Haymarket visitors this week.

Mr. John Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Hartley motored from Washington on Sunday and spent the day at the home of the former here.

Prof. H. M. Pearson will spend Easter in Washington.

Miss Virginia Bell, of Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, of Fairfax, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garrett.

Mr. Robert Rigg, of Petersburg, returned home on Sunday after a visit of a few days to his brother and sister-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Browne. Mr. Rigg, who is quite an expert in that line, installed a radio phone at the rectory. Very good connection has been made with Petersburg, New York, Newark, N. J., and Chicago.

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CLIFTON

Rev. T. H. MacLeod preached at the usual hour Sunday morning from the text, "What will you do with Jesus?" After the sermon there was a congregational meeting to elect an elder and two trustees. Mr. R. R. Buckley was elected to succeed himself as elder and Mr. C. H. Adams was reelected trustee, with Mr. A. D. Bauserman as a new member of the board of trustees. The board of elders had a meeting at two o'clock at the residence of Mr. R. R. Buckley to make out report for Presbytery and make arrangements for the coming year.

The Woman's Missionary meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Samuel Detwiler at 3 p. m.

Rev. C. H. Fry preached at night in the Baptist Church. The series of meetings held in the Baptist Church closed Monday night. There were several conversions during these meetings.

Miss Davis, teacher of the second and third grades of our school, spent the week-end in Baltimore with her mother. Miss Elizabeth Detwiler acted as substitute teacher for her Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Clean up day was observed Friday of last week at the school. Very few of the patrons put in an appearance, but there was a good force of the pupils and most of the teachers on hand and all worked with a will and the grounds were put in quite a bit better shape, also the building.

The teachers attended a teachers' meeting at Centreville last Friday, giving the school a holiday.

Miss Vivian Hart is better and her sister, Miss Violet, is quite sick.

Miss Kathleen Riorden is able to attend school after ten days' illness.

Mrs. G. A. Hall was on the sick list Sunday last.

Mrs. W. H. Richards is out after being housed with a severe cold for several days.

The name of the family occupying Mrs. Bywaters' cottage is Bohannon instead of McConnell as stated last week.

Irvin M. Quigg spent the week-end at his home here.

Mrs. W. B. Doak has been quite ill at her home near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Mathers and daughter, are back after an extended visit in Winchester.

Sunday and Monday of this week were extremely warm for this season of the year and have brought out a full blossom on peach, pear, plum and cherry trees, with a promise of a large crop, unless Jack Frost comes and nips them.

There is much road discussion these days. Sometimes things look favorable for an extension of our good road to the pike at Centreville, then again, it looks very uncertain, but we hope for the favorable plan materializing in the near future.

This is ideal weather for gardening and planting oats and potatoes, and the farmers are taking advantage of it, and the whip-poorwills are beginning their annual call, which has been said to indicate that it was time to plant corn.

THORNTON

Mr. Irvin Florence, of Thornton, is spending a few days this week in Alexandria and Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Russell made a business trip to Manassas on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Florence, of Minnieville, were in Manassas Monday shopping.

Master Rufus Russell had the misfortune to fall and sprain his arm and hand quite badly Sunday.

Misses Margaret, Sara and Alma Russell spent Sunday with their cousin, Miss Thelma Florence, of Thornton.

BUCKHALL

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hinton, of Independent Hill, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Winslow.

Miss Elizabeth Harley and Mrs. Chandler attended the teachers' conference in Alexandria recently.

Mr. Charley Cornwell is quite sick at the home of Mr. T. C. Moore's.

The special meetings are still in progress at the U. B. Church and are well attended.

Work was commenced last Tuesday on the bellfry at the Methodist Church.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Robert Pearson is not as well as usual.

Arthur Lund is working for Mr. Redd near Manassas.

Mrs. Wilson Payne, of Manassas, visited Mrs. W. B. Winslow recently.

Mr. J. T. Speake has a very sick horse at this writing. It is suffering from pneumonia.

Hiley Koontz returned to Baltimore last Saturday, after a visit of over a month with friends here.

We understand that Mr. S. M. Weaver has bought the farm of Mr. Henry Robinson, just south of here.

The following program will be rendered at the Methodist Church here at 7:30 p. m. Easter Sunday:

Hymn—Come Thou Once Despised Jesus.

Scripture Reading and Invocation—By W. B. Winslow.

Hymn—All Hail the Power.

Welcome Easter Day—Rena Crouch.

Easter Is Here—Flora Hottle.

On This Joyful Easter Day—Four Girls.

If I Were a Bell—Edith Jasper.

Easter Bells (song)—Primary Class.

A Loving Word—Kathryn Hottle.

At Eastertide—Rena Crouch.

Blossom Time—Maimie Smith.

Christ Arose (song)—School.

Easter Song of Cheer—Marie Jasper.

Ye Shall Rise Again—Annie Colbert.

Better Than Words—Florence Raymond.

Scatter Blossoms of Love—Three Girls.

All May Bear a Part—Three Boys.

Hark! Hark to the Song—Two Girls.

The Easter Gift—Maude Hensley.

The Easter Gates Swing Wide—Pauline Smith.

Sowing Time (song)—Junior Class.

Reading—Mrs. Chandler.

Easter Good-Bye—Addie Crouch.

Speak to Me Only of Jesus—School.

Benediction.

BRENTSVILLE

Remember the box social at the hall on Saturday night, where you will also be able to buy your Easter eggs ready colored. The proceeds will be sent to Dr. Stafford at Charlottesville to be used for the building of an undenominational chapel at the Blue Ridge Sanitarium.

Mrs. Elmer Landes and children returned to Washington Sunday after a visit with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keys, of Washington, are spending some time with his parents.

Mr. A. L. Holsinger, who has been under treatment at the Blue Ridge Sanitarium for several months, is spending a few days at his home here.

Mrs. M. W. Stretton, of Washington, is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryan have moved into the property recently sold by Mr. Bergamin.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cooksey were Washington visitors Tuesday.

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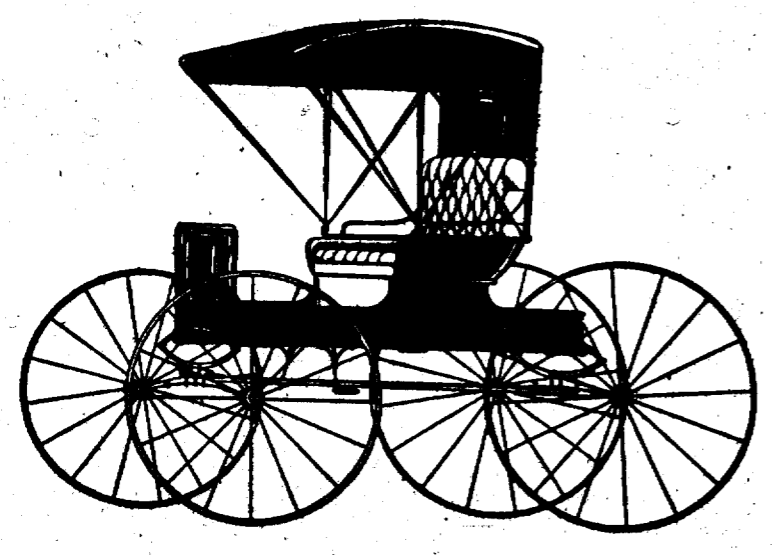
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(W. L. Browning, County Agent) Everybody will be interested to know that the buildings for the three new cheese factories, organized through the extension division, have been started. That two of these factories, namely Catharpin and Minnieville, have both placed their order through the county agent for new equipment throughout, and the plant at Independent Hill was fortunate enough to locate a good second hand plant that will save them several hundred dollars. We fully expect to make Prince William county known not only for its whole milk shipping business, but to put it on the map as the cheese producing county of the state. We hope and have prospects of producing this coming year 175,000 pounds of cheese.

The fact that we are becoming known is shown by a letter the county agent received lately from a very large concern, wanting to buy our output. This is a Virginia concern doing an enormous cheese business in Virginia and the Carolinas.

It is the intention of the county agent to hold as many meetings during this month as possible, that he may bring before the farmers the great need of improved seed corn, the planting of soy beans, the money to be saved by so doing. These are timely subjects that every farmer should be thinking about.

Saturday night a week ago the first of this series of meetings was held at Brentsville, at a meeting of the Farmers' Union of that place. The meeting was well attended, and several farmers of that community will use better seed corn because of that meeting.

Tuesday night a similar meeting was held at Independent Hill with the Farmers' Union of that place.

If possible, we want to secure eight or ten farmers in this county this spring who will be willing to grow certified seed, that they may have the best themselves, and that they will have the best to sell their neighbors. We want these certified crops to include corn, wheat, oats, and soy beans. If you are interested in becoming one of these growers of certified seed, please get in touch with me soon.

We are especially anxious to have a large enrollment of corn club members this year, and these boys growing pure bred seed corn. Will you encourage your boy to be one of this number? When he comes home from school with one of the enrollment cards, don't turn him off, but encourage him to go ahead with it. Agree with him for a certain part of the crop, and in the fall, don't feed his corn unless you pay him for it.

FORESTBURG

Mr. R. B. Abel called at the home of Mr. Fush Abel Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Abel and Miss Beatrice Abel, all of Washington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Abel, returning to their home the following Sunday.

The people in this community are doing a lot of gardening. Miss Roberta Abel continues very ill.

Mrs. W. T. Abel is visiting her sister, Miss Mamie Liming, of Joplin. Miss Liming continues very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson gave a birthday party Saturday last in honor of their daughter, Mrs. Edith Taylor. Quite a

number of young folks attended and everybody had a joyful time. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

Mr. R. W. Abel has bought a fine Buick automobile. We wish him much success.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Foulger called in Joplin Tuesday evening. Miss Rachel Abel has been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Foulger, jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dunn and two sons, Alvin and Aubrey, motored to Fredericksburg Saturday afternoon, returning the same evening.

WOODBINE SEWING CLUB HOLDS FEBRUARY AND MARCH MEETINGS

(Myrtle Cornwell, Reporter) Although the roads have been too bad for our county home demonstrator to get to our club, we have held our regular meeting for the bad months. At both meetings our president presided; we were assisted by our club leader, Miss Dorothy Merrill. The meetings were opened with a song, minutes were read by the secretary, Katie Cebula, and approved by the members. At the roll call for February meeting, one member, Kathleen Woodyard, was absent. The March meeting all members responded to roll call. Demonstration was given, showing how to hem and finish towels, and other work was discussed.

Program committee appointed for the March meeting: Misses Dorothy Merrill and Katie Cebula; refreshment committee, Martha Payne, chairman. A short discussion was held about the possibilities of having an entertainment to raise funds for the club; this was carried over to the March meeting, at which time plans were made for having the entertainment sometime the first of May.

For the March meeting the following committees were appointed: Program, Martha Payne and Kathleen Woodyard; committee on refreshments, Annie Cornwell and Katie Cebula. At each meeting a very interesting program was rendered by the following girls: February, Song, Club Workers; readings and recitations by the following girls: Katie Cebula, Annie Cornwell, Myrtle Keys, Martha Payne and Myrtle Cornwell. The March program was given by the same girls with the addition of Kathleen Woodyard. After the program, the meeting adjourned; the next meeting to be held the third Tuesday in April. After adjourning, refreshments were served and a game was played.

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