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BETTER CARE OF SCHOOL CHILDREN

Will Be Subject of Lectures by Specialists in Home Economics.

(Miss Lillian V. Gilbert, County Home Demonstration Agent)

September 5, 7 and 8 Miss Lela V. Walker, specialist in Home Economics for the State of Virginia, will be in the county and will give lectures along the lines of better care of the child of school age. Especially will the subject of better preparation of the daily school lunch be discussed. For some time this subject has claimed the attention of both teacher and mother. We all well know the problem is being solved in many places in the State, especially in the city schools. Why should these problems have to all be worked out in the city schools? Is not the health of the child in the rural schools just as important as the health of the city child? We have the means of doing the work in our rural sections. The writer speaks from actual experience, not from theory. It can be successfully done in the one-teacher school if the teacher is in sympathy with the move, and with little or no loss of time from the regular class work. At the same time the pupils will be getting valuable lessons.

At the following points Miss Walker will meet with the mothers and others of the communities, and these facts will be discussed: Manassas High School, Wednesday afternoon, September 6, at 2:30. Every school patron in the district is urged to be present. The Manassas "Housekeepers' Club has charge of this meeting. On Thursday afternoon at 2:30 Miss Walker will meet the patrons of Kings Cross Roads, Brentsville, Bristow and Gold Ridge at Aden School. It is urged that the women in the Aden community do everything possible to get the mothers and all others interested in the child welfare work to attend this meeting: Friday morning, September 8, there will be a meeting at Nokesville School. Efforts are being put forth at this place for a full attendance. Nokesville is especially interested in trying to put in hot lunch. This meeting will be at 10 o'clock. The same afternoon Miss Walker will meet the mothers and others interested at Sudley Church. This meeting will include all surrounding communities, and all who have children of school age or who are interested in better care of the school child are not only invited, but are requested to attend this meeting. The Catharpin Club has charge of this meeting. It is through the efforts of this club that these meetings are made possible for such a large part of the county. The hour for this meeting is 2:30 p. m.

It is believed that there cannot be a better time for meetings of this kind than just before the opening of the school year. Therefore it is hoped that all other engagements be put aside and a little time be given to this the one all-important subject, "Shall My Child Be Better Equipped to Do the Work that I Am Expecting of Him While in the School-rooms?" Don't forget these meetings—September 5, 7 and 8.

WILL HOLD GRAND FIELD DAY

Preparations are being made to stage a big celebration at Fairfax Station on Labor Day, September 4. There will be a parade at 1:10 p. m., and a prize will be awarded to the five persons wearing costumes best representing labor. A base ball game will be played on Hammill's grounds and other forms of sports engaged in. One of the features will be the dance, with music furnished by the Reliable Band, of Alexandria, that will be given in the evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. No admission charge will be made, but a voluntary subscription will be taken.

GAME AND FISH MAGAZINE

Widespread commendation is being received by the State Department of Game and Inland Fisheries over a monthly publication gotten out by the department under the title of "Game and Fish Conservationist." The magazine is devoted to consideration of game and fish conservation and to general discussion of subjects of interest to sportsmen. It is attractively illustrated and most creditable from every standpoint. It is edited by Lewis W. Tyus and gotten out under the direction of Commissioner W. McDonald Lee. It is thought real merit should be recognized.

MARSHALL FAIR GREAT EVENT

Management Takes Special Interest in Providing Patrons Comfort.

The Fauquier County Fair held at Marshall on Wednesday and Thursday of this week was well attended by people from this county. Among those from Manassas who attended the annual event was Mrs. R. M. Weir. Mrs. Weir is loud in her praise of the fair management and was much impressed with the beautiful grounds, the spacious groves and all of the many accommodations arranged for the comfort and convenience of the patrons. She states that the exhibits, especially the art, home economics and school exhibits, were all that could be desired, while those in the stock departments could not be surpassed anywhere in the State.

LOCAL DAIRYMEN IN ASSOCIATION

Organize for Cow-Testing—Two Members Needed to Make Maximum Number.

(H. W. Sanders, Secretary) The following is a list of the members of the newly-organized cow-testing association for Prince William County: M. Seese, M. J. Shepherd, A. J. MacMichael, A. E. MacMichael, J. N. House, F. M. Swartz, J. B. Mammul, C. N. Rhodes, all of Nokesville; W. G. Covington, Clover Hill Farm; C. F. M. Lewis, F. A. Lewis, C. C. Lynn, G. H. Ayres, E. R. Conner, R. S. Hynes, Portner Realty Co., C. L. Jacobs, W. T. Thomasson, and J. M. Kline, of Manassas; N. A. Wheeler, of Wellington; Dr. Marsteller and Charles R. MacDonald, of Gainesville. This makes a total of twenty-three members, only two more being required to make the maximum membership. When the testing begins on September 1st this number will undoubtedly be reached, and Prince William County can boast of one of the largest cow-testing associations in Virginia, both in point of membership and the number of cows to be tested.

Recent developments in the production and marketing of dairy products are largely responsible for the increased interest in cow-testing work. The dairyman realizes that now more than ever efficiency in milk production is an essential factor; that he must have better cows, rather than more cows; that quality must be secured whether the breed be Jersey, Guernsey or Holstein. Competition will be keener every year, whether those in the industry realize that it is competition or not, and gradually the unbusinesslike dairy farming will be forced into other branches of farming by the dairyman who is at present developing a herd to meet both present and future conditions.

The dairymen of the association are the ones on whom we may count very largely for the development of the dairy industry in the county and for the raising of the standard of the business. You will hear more about them during the coming year—about their methods and the records of their herds. Look for this news in the columns of the local papers.

SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL

Fifteen Candidates to Be Baptized Sunday, September 10, at 3 p. m.

There will be special services at Woodbine Baptist Church Sunday, September 10. Sunday School at 10 a. m. and preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. Subject, "The Great Contention." Baptism at 3 p. m. at Sinclair's Mill. There are fifteen candidates. The pastor will preach a special sermon at 7:30 p. m. to the young converts.

One of the most successful revival meetings in the history of this church was led by Rev. George T. Rowe and closed on August 23.

This church has just completed a very successful Sunday School institution, led by Brother Showen, of Watertown, Va.

White Rose will play two games on the local diamond Monday, September 4 (Labor Day), with the Peerless Athletic Club of Washington. The first game will be called at 10 a. m. and the second at 2:30 p. m.

The Journal has in its office for sale some hand-painted "For Rent" and "For Hire" signs. The signs are painted on heavy cardboard and are 7 by 11 inches in size.

MAYOR HARRY P. DAVIS' ADDRESS TO TOWN COUNCIL

GENTLEMEN OF THE COUNCIL:

As we are about to pass the first mile-stone of the present administration, I feel it my duty as well as my pleasure to lay before you the progress that has been made in the affairs of the town of Manassas during the first year of your public services; and while it will not be my aim to cast reflections on past administrations, yet I deem it timely and proper that your attention be called to certain matters and some comparison be made with the past and present condition of affairs, with all due credit to the former administration, which was forced to labor under and deal with conditions beyond their control.

While I feel that the business methods on which the town's affairs are being conducted at present are responsible to a large degree for the improved conditions, yet the fact must not be overlooked that conditions generally are more normal now than they were even a year ago.

It will be remembered that the present administration inherited a very heavy burden which conditions forced the former administration to pass on. And at that time Manassas was facing much greater economic jeopardy than any of us were prepared to admit publicly. However, we whistled, so to speak, while passing that period; and now that we have long since passed that graveyard and are well out of the woods, we can afford to talk with some assurance as to the present conditions; and while we still have many readjustments to make, yet they are of a minor order compared with those we have already undergone, which can be met with very consistently by a continued reduction in expenditures rather than an increase in taxation.

On September 1, 1921, the town's deficit amounted to \$21,488.87, which was being carried as a floating debt, and out of this amount \$5,729.05 had accrued on accounts payable, the payment of which had been deferred from time to time on account of insufficient funds to pay with, and the general credit of the town was dead—in other words, C. O. D. However, these accounts payable have since been satisfied, and the credit of Manassas has been restored to such an extent that it is now F. O. B. This, if nothing else, should be considered worthy of comment. However, it is not all, for during the past twelve months all obligations have been promptly paid when due, and all taxes collected have been reserved under their proper heads for which assessed and are intact for the proper assessed expenditure when the time arrives. In fine, the town is on its feet. No additional deficit has been allowed to be created, and a sinking fund for interest and retirement of bonds is existing, which, if maintained from year to year, should prevent the recurrence of any floating debt.

Circumstances have compelled us to expend considerable money on the water plant in the way of additional wells and piping in order to furnish the people an adequate water supply, and the recent installation of a new electric pumping unit to replace

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ERROR MAY MEAN EXTRA SESSION

Virginia Legislature Overlooked Madison County in Redistricting State.

The Virginia Legislature may have to go into extra session this fall, whether its members want to or not. For the printing of the official acts of the 1922 session has disclosed the fact that Madison has been left without representation in the Senate, under the provisions of the redistricting bill.

The error is believed to have been made in enrolling the bill and all of its amendments before it was sent to the Senate and the House for adoption. At any rate, nowhere in the act is there any provision for Madison's representation in the Senate. She has representation in the House, but someone was asleep at the switch when it came to giving her Senate representation.

Members of both the Senate and the House are of the opinion that the act, without giving Senate representation to Madison County, is not valid. Unless the apparent oversight is corrected—and it can only be corrected at another session of legislature—the act will have to be stricken from the records and the old districting arrangement, which was in effect during the last session, will hold.

At the last general assembly Madison shared one Senator with Culpeper, Rappahannock and Orange counties. In the House Madison and Greene were represented by one delegate.

Only a few of the members of the legislature have noticed the error, so far. These, however, are immediately beginning to set up a howl which may spread until Governor Trinkle is forced to call another session.

The Governor has already said he will not issue a call for an extra session until after the November elections, and there is a feeling in certain quarters that he has not made up his mind as to whether he will call it even then.

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POTATO SECOND TO TOBACCO

Virginia Ranks Third in Car-Lot Shipment—Next to Tobacco as Money Crop.

Virginia ranked third in car-lot shipment of white potatoes for the season 1921-22, according to a recent report of the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics. Virginia shipped 19,540 cars of 600 bushels from the 1921 crop, of which 18,990 cars were early potatoes and 550 cars were from the late crop. The only two States which last year shipped more cars of potatoes than Virginia were Maine, with 37,968 cars, and Minnesota, with 29,652 cars. The shipment from Virginia exceeded the car-lot movement from such large potato States as New York, Colorado, Michigan and Idaho. The total number of cars reported for the entire country was 238,128. Virginia, therefore, shipped 8.2 per cent of the total car-lot movement, while Minnesota shipped 12 per cent of the total and Maine 16 per cent.

The Eastern Shore and the Norfolk section have long been two of the most important potato-producing districts in the entire country. In recent years the Lower Peninsula, composed of James City, Warwick, Elizabeth City and York counties, has been rapidly developing as a potato-producing section, and in addition there are several other counties along the Chesapeake Bay that produce large quantities of early potatoes. There is also a very important late potato district in Smyth and Wythe Counties of southwest Virginia. The importance of the potato industry in the State is not generally realized. This crop now ranks next to tobacco as the principal money crop grown in the State, and last year was valued at more than sixteen million dollars.

"A CHAPERONED GOVERNMENT"

The District of Columbia has a system of government all its own—very often misunderstood—a chaperoned form of government because Congress controls the purse strings and dictates the policy. Read the intensely interesting article on this subject in The Washington Star Sunday, September 3. Order your copy of the Star from newsdealer today.

FISHING GOOD NEAR MANASSAS

Some Nice Catches Have Been Made by Manassas Fishermen.

The streams in the neighborhood of Manassas are said to be in perfect condition for bass fishing, and this species of the finny tribe is reported to be more plentiful this season than ever before. Some very nice catches have been made by local fishermen this week. Among those who have responded to the Ike Walton call have been Messrs. E. H. Hibbe, H. Thornton Davies, D. B. Payne, C. A. Sinclair and Master C. A. Sinclair, Jr. The best string brought in so far was one caught on Tuesday by Mr. Payne, Mr. Sinclair and C. A. Sinclair, Jr. Three out of the five taken weighed two pounds each.

CLEVER PITCHING FEATURES GAME

Former Manassas Boy Enters Base Ball's Hall of Fame Twirls No-Hit Game.

Paul "Dixie" Bryant, formerly of Manassas, now of Flint, Mich., is fast rising to fame in the city of his adoption as a ball pitcher. The Flint Daily Journal of August 23 states that "Dixie" has entered base ball's Hall of Fame and contains the following very complimentary article concerning his pitching ability:

"Dixie" Bryant, star pitcher for Central High School, has entered base ball's Hall of Fame. "The youngster—he's only 18—has turned in a perfect ball game. "He gained the honor Sunday afternoon, it became known today, when he stopped the Rich Independents, of Fostoria, without a hit or run or a man reaching first base.

"Just 27 batters faced the tot twirling for the Flint Independents, a group of amateur players who have met and defeated some of the crack teams of Central Michigan.

"Just two balls were driven to the outfield, the records show, and these were gathered in by Charlie Tall, centerfielder, who made an extraordinary backhand catch, and Gus Anderson, Newnan at second base and Frank Swartz, shortstop, also pulled the boy out of several predicaments by clever defensive play.

"Handled excellently by Catcher Ricket, the southern lad did not issue a base on balls or come close to one. Yet he had only three strikeouts. He depended in the main on his speed, though exhibiting a deceptive, fast-breaking curve.

"While Bryant was cutting his niche his teammates mangled Inman, the opposing pitcher, for 24 hits, and won handily, 24 to 0." Paul "Dixie" Bryant is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bryant. His many friends in and about Manassas will be glad to learn that he is making a reputation for himself in the great national game.

OF INTEREST TO EXHIBITORS

Other Classes Added to List of Entries for Local Fair.

The attention of prospective exhibitors in the cattle department of the fair is called to the fact that entries in classes Nos. 28, 29, 49 and 50 will not be limited to females, but may be animals of either sex. Thus class 28 will read: Four animals, either sex, any age, get of sire, 1st, \$1; 2d, \$5. Like changes will be made in the other three classes named. The advantage of this change will be obvious to all who are planning to make entries in these classes.

In the department of poultry and pet stock the following classes have been added: Class 71, rabbits or hares, any breed, pair, 1st, \$1.50; 2d, \$0.75. Class 72, guinea pigs, pair, 1st, \$1.50; 2d, \$0.75. Class 73, rats, white, pair, 1st, \$1.50; 2d, \$0.75. Class 74, peafowl, 1st, \$1; 2d, \$0.50. Class 75, parrot, 1st, \$1; 2d, \$0.50. Class 76, canary, 1st, \$1; 2d, \$0.50. The same prizes will be offered for other pets not listed if entered in competition, or animals of merit may be placed on exhibition without entry fees and without competing for prizes if the owner desires to do so.—Secretary.

—Hon. M. O. Chance, Washington city postmaster, has placed Mrs. Margaret H. Bowen, widow of the late Dr. P. B. Bowen and daughter of Dr. Walter Hore, at one time surgeon in the Navy, in charge of the Washington city postoffice hospital.

CITY FATHERS IN MONTHLY SESSION

Annual Report of Receipts and Disbursements—Other Work Transacted.

The regular monthly meeting of the town council was held on Monday night, with the Mayor and all councilmen, except Messrs. Arrington and Larkin, in attendance.

The more important matters engaging the attention of the council were the reading of an annual address by Mayor Harry P. Davis and the submission of reports as to the financial condition of the town.

The Mayor's address is published in other columns of the paper in full and will make very interesting reading to those who have the affairs of the town at heart.

Mr. B. Lynn Robertson addressed the council in an effort to obtain a reduction in his light rate at his mill building. The council refused to reduce the rate, taking the position that no discrimination could or should be made between light users.

A letter from the W. E. Deegan's Coal Company was read, in which the town was requested to allow the company to advance the price of coal on the existing contract to \$3.25, the new price to be effective from August 1. Councilman J. H. Burke was directed to write the Deegan's Company that the town would consent to the raise in price, beginning on the first day of September.

A resolution was adopted requesting C. H. Wine to restore certain drain-pipe on Center Street that was destroyed by his employees in laying a water connection to the Cockrell garage building.

The resignation of J. I. Randall as fire chief was accepted, and the fire company was requested to nominate a successor.

Superintendent Frank Gue, Jr., submitted a report showing all public utilities in good condition. His report showed that a test of wells No. 1 and 2 had been made on August 16, and that No. 1 well was delivering 42 gallons of water to the minute, while No. 2 well was delivering 35 gallons.

The new centrifugal pump, which was put in operation on August 25, was reported to be giving entire satisfaction and to be a big improvement over the old steam pump. The new pump is equipped with meters by which the exact cost of supplying the water can be obtained.

DAY OF STRIKES AT HAND

(By Mrs. T. R. Bywaters)

Everywhere men's hearts are faint with fear for the things that have come upon them and are asking these and other perplexing questions, Will the strike end? Where and how? The only way to know is by the light of Bible prophecy; not any other way under the sun. This light applied to our own lives will help us to realize the necessity of putting on the "whole armor of God" that we may stand firmly for right in this day of strife. Men and women must strike, but what shall we strike for? Shall it be for power, fame or wealth? With the Bible light we will see the need of striking out of our own lives first the evil within, so that we may go forth with power as strikers against the evil forces around us.

On September 5 at Remington will be held a bi-county convention of the W. C. T. U., and as a member delegate I am taking this means of asking all members of these counties and all interested to make a special effort to go and get new ideas and hear good speaking. Mothers, come with your children and begin to safeguard them for the future of this life as well as the next. We cannot let our amendments go to the bow-wows, and they will if we do not rally. But we shall reap if we faint not.

—On Monday and Tuesday of next week the Dixie Theatre will present to its patrons the race-track classic, "Queen of the Turf." This picture presents a romance of the race-course and is full of human interest from start to finish. The episode that will be shown include the great race scene, a desperate aeroplane flight, a break-neck dash in an auto, a plot to frame the big race, the perfidy of a jockey who sells out his boss, a youth in the toils of an adventures. "Bobbie's" courageous ride on the great thoroughbred and other scenes that culminate in the greatest horse-race ever staged.

FUEL DIRECTOR WIDE AWAKE

Will Not Permit Profiteering—Arranges Fuel Supplies for Important Industries.

Richmond, Va., August 24.—Attempts to profiteer in coal during the present emergency will be handled in such manner as the laws and the co-operation of the public press will permit. Extortion in the price of fuel will not be countenanced. This is the announcement made by State Fuel Administrator Forward.

Local committees are being formed throughout the State, the larger centers of population being organized first. A part of the duty of these committees will be to ascertain prices being charged by dealers and by coal agencies to the consumer and to recommend what should be a fair price for each kind of coal, expenses of handling being given due consideration.

These local committees are securing information as to the amount of coal in the hands of dealers and in possession of industries and are reporting facts to State Administrator Forward. They are canvassing the situation in their home communities with a view to learning the needs of the immediate future. Special attention is being given the requirements for domestic consumption and for enterprises in Class 2 priority, which include public utilities, hospitals, ice plants, cold storage warehouses, State, county and city governments, with their hospitals and schools. Canneries have been added to the list and are being furnished with coal under Class 1 of priority for emergency use.

It is anticipated that later on, when coal production increases to a point where there is available coal for other than Classes 1 and 2 priorities as now constituted, it will become the duty of local committees to recommend to the State Fuel Administrator what industries should first be served with coal in the public interest.

Special efforts are being put forth by State Fuel Administrator Forward to secure coal for redrying tobacco. The tobacco crop will spoil unless it is properly handled, entailing a total loss. General industries can close down for a week or for a month with unfortunately heavy loss to the owners and unemployment to the workers, but still would be in position to resume. If, however, the tobacco crop spoils, it is gone forever, and the entire year's labor and care, as well as the use of the land of the planters, will be irrecoverably lost.

Major Forward made special representations in Washington on Monday, August 14, to Federal Fuel Administrator on the subject of tobacco. Administrator Spencer appeared deeply impressed by the argument and suggested that local supplies of coal or wood be secured for redrying tobacco whenever possible. If necessary supplies of wood or coal are not to be had, he suggested that Administrator Forward send in orders for amount of coal necessary for each plant, and if it is at all available anywhere it will be furnished.

INTERNATIONAL RIFLEMEN

Crack Marksmen to Compete in Italian Rifle Matches.

Washington, August 24.—Crack riflemen of the United States, who have made notable records in national and international matches, will compete in the International Rifle Matches, to be held at Milan, Italy, beginning September 12. They will leave New York City for Cherbourg, France, August 23, and go directly to the headquarters of the American forces at Coblenz, Germany, from there proceeding to Milan to take part in the matches.

Nearly all of the European nations have entered their best riflemen in the Milan match, but they will meet with strong competition from the American marksmen. Among the U. S. Marine members of the American team are Sergeant Morris Fisher, who won the individual championship of the world at Antwerp, Belgium, in 1920, and Captain Joseph Jackson and Marine Gunner Calvin A. Lloyd, both of whom have made phenomenal scores in former matches.

Commander C. T. Osburn of the navy, a rifleman of international prominence, will act as team coach, and Major Littleton W. T. Walker of the Marine Corps, is team captain. The team includes army and civilian riflemen of prominence. The results of the Milan match will be watched with interest by scores of riflemen at home and abroad.

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Mr. and Mrs. Huffman, of Washington, visited their son, Mr. A. J. Huffman, and family this week.

Miss Olive Holsinger, of Washington, spent the week-end at her home here.

Master Calvin Young, of Washington, who has been visiting relatives near Manassas, is spending the week with his cousin, Mrs. Paul Cooksey.

Mr. Samuel Fogel and family, of Washington, visited Mrs. Marion Cooper Sunday.

Mrs. Sylvia Hensley has returned from a visit to her brother, Mr. Wiley Woodyard, near Bristow.

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FAITH IN TOWN RESTORED

Those citizens who have followed the fortunes of the town of Manassas through good days and bad will unquestionably be glad to note from Mayor Davis' address, delivered to the council on Monday evening, that the corporation is again in good financial standing. By allowing bills to remain long overdue and unpaid a municipality, like an individual, may lose credit standing. During the war, and for a period of several years thereafter, the town of Manassas, with the increased costs of all its operations, found it impossible to meet its bills promptly, and there were times when accounts had necessarily to be carried over from time to time, until creditors became not only impatient, but insistent.

But, with the satisfaction of all accounts payable and the fact that the council has for some time past been in a position to discharge its current obligations promptly as they accrue, faith has been restored, and no trouble is experienced in purchasing such machinery and supplies as the town's needs require. While this is a matter upon which the council is to be congratulated, yet every effort should be made by those in charge of municipal affairs to see that the town does not again lose her credit standing. Credit can be easily abused, and if purchases are made beyond the town's ability to pay, then we may see her credit again dead.

A considerable portion of the floating indebtedness was caused by having to take funds which ought to have been expended for other purposes to pay interest on the bonded indebtedness and to retire bonds as they matured.

A recurrence of this trouble has been made practically impossible by the establishment of a sinking fund to take care of the bonds and interest at their respective maturities. A sinking fund should have been established years ago, but it remained for the present to take this very important step.

The preceding council no doubt did the best that could have been done under the circumstances and is not to be censured; for it, as did the present council, found bills awaiting payment that had been left for it to settle. The present council, however, is to be commended for putting the town on its financial feet once more.

The Mayor expresses keen disappointment that "circumstances have prevented the construction of permanent streets, as was anticipated."

This expression by the Mayor leads to the conclusion that Manassas will be forced to go through another winter with the streets in the business section in their present deplorable condition. The citizens of the town will no doubt share in Mayor Davis' disappointment that such is a fact.

The statement of the financial condition of the town shows that the street committee is pretty well provided with funds that can be expended on street improvement. In this connection it is suggested that there is some work that is urgently needed to be done on the streets in the outlying sections of the town. There are places where citizens are compelled to wade through mud and weeds to get to a pavement, and little or no consideration has been shown for their comfort. These citizens are paying their just proportion of the town revenues. They do not expect concrete pavements, but do feel that the street committee is under some obligation to give something in return for the taxes they are required to pay.

A LONG STEP FORWARD

It is gratifying to believe that when the compulsory education law goes into effect in Virginia within the next few weeks as the schools open their doors, it will be administered with earnestness tempered with sympathetic appreciation of the difficulties of the situation. The coming of forced attendance will mean a profound change in many communities. If the law is to meet public favor and command that support which is so necessary to its success, there must be full realization of the fact that its enforcement in the main must be in itself educational. That State Superintendent Harris Hart is alive to that important fact is demonstrated by the nature of the preparations made for supervision.

By an overwhelming majority, the people of Virginia at the polls in November, 1920, amended the Constitution by providing for legislative action on the subject of compulsory school attendance. Acting upon this self-evident mandate, the General Assembly this year enacted a law. Undoubtedly it was weakened to some extent by amendment, but under the wise and yet active enforcement it seems evident it will have, the main purposes of the legislation should be accomplished. A good start has been made. The aim is to give every child in the Commonwealth such preparation for the duties and responsibilities of

life as are afforded in the public free schools, regardless of the greed and selfishness that would profit by robbing the child of his chance in life. There is more; it is intended to lead those who do not now see the truth, but who are honestly lacking in knowledge, to realize that they are enemies of their children unless they do their best for their education.

The Legislature was much criticized for adopting an amendment to the bill allowing any city or county, by vote of its school board or board of supervisors, to be excepted from the provisions of the act. Only one county—Appomattox—has so far voted to refrain from requiring its children to go to school, and it is not expected that county will enjoy its conspicuous position in this respect. In cases where buildings are inadequate to house all the children, the city or county may have two years to make provisions for enforcement in those structures which are too small.

The law will be resented in some places; it will be abused in others. Harassment and mistakes in enforcement will be avoided to the utmost. It is the high aim of the Department of Public Instruction to so handle the situation that every child will be a regular attendant in school who ought to be, without in any instance applying the penalties. Enforcement will be a growth, but it can and must be done. It is done in all progressive States and countries. With the coming into effect of this law, Virginia takes a long step away from ignorance and illiteracy and toward the light of knowledge.

—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

WHAT IS LIFE TO YOU?

To the preacher life's a sermon;
 To the joker it's a jest.
 To the miser life is money;
 To the loafer life is rest.
 To the lawyer life's a trial;
 To the poet life's a song.
 To the doctor life's a patient
 That needs treatment right along.

To the soldier life's a battle;
 To the teacher life's a school.
 Life's a good thing to the grafter;
 It's a failure to the fool.
 To the man upon the engine
 Life's a long and heavy grade.
 It's a gamble to the gambler;
 To the merchant life is trade.

Life is but a long vacation
 To the man who loves his work;
 Life's an everlasting effort
 To shun duty, to the shirk.
 To the earnest Christian worker
 Life's a story ever new.
 Life is what we try to make it—
 Brother, what is life to you?
 —Selected.

LAUGH AND LIVE

Mamma—lkey, vat you vant for yer birt'day?
 lkey (after a pause)—A box of matches.
 Papa (proudly)—Such a peevish man he'll make.

EXCITING

"She can bake and she can brew."
 "Brew?" said the colonel. "Brew, eh? That's worth looking into."

THE LITTLE DIPPER

Cousin Clarice is thinking of getting a new beau, because the one she has now has such flat feet he can't dip properly when he tangoes.

THE ENGLISH OF IT

At a certain Welsh railway station which rejoices in the name of "Llanfairpwllgwyngyll"—and about two yards more of it—a new porter was engaged.

He was only an Englishman, but he meant to do his duty.
 The first train came in. He tackled the name of the station, but failed miserably to pronounce more than the first inch.

But he was a man of brains. Running along the platform he pointed to the board which bore the lengthy name and yelled out:

"If there's anybody there for here, this is it."—Sent in by Andrew Keaton, St. Paul, Minn.

THE WIFE GOT EVEN

A Grand Rapids man was deeply in love with his wife, but awfully careless about money matters. He started away on a long business trip, leaving her short of money, and promised to send her a check—which he forgot to do. The rest came due and she telegraphed this message to husband:


"Dead broke. Landlord insistent. Wire me money."
 Her husband answered:
 "Am short myself. Will send check in few days. A thousand kisses."
 Exasperated, his wife replied:
 "Never mind money. I gave landlord one of the kisses. He was more than satisfied."—Sent in by Mrs. Alma Evans, Indianapolis, Ind.

EDITORS CAN GET BAD

An Oklahoma editor just about to go to press "pied" a couple of articles, one concerning a public sale, and the other a write-up of a wedding. He asked the office devil to get the two articles together—and he did—but here is how he put the two together, and the mixture was not known to the editor until an angry preacher and the mother of the bride appeared on the scene:

"William Smith and Miss Lucy Anderson were disposed of at public auction at my barn one mile east of a beautiful cluster of roses on her breast and two white calves before a background of farm implements too numerous to mention in the presence of about seventy guests including two milk cows, six mules, and one bob sled. Rev. Jackson tied the nuptial knot with 200 feet of hay rope and the bridal couple left on one John Deere gang plow for an extended trip with terms to suit purchasers. They will be at home to their friends with one good baby carriage and a few kitchen utensils after ten months from date of sale to responsible parties and some fifty chickens."

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 5 Pass. Coupe, \$1176; 6 Pass. Sedan, \$1308; 6 Pass. Touring Sedan, \$1388; Six—8 Pass. Roadster, \$1174;
 6 Pass. Touring, \$1168; 6 Pass. Touring Sedan, \$1336;
 6 Pass. Sedan, \$1268; 4 Pass. Coupe, \$1288; 7 Pass. Touring, \$1436; 7 Pass. Sedan, \$1396; Sport Roadster, \$1088; Sport Touring, \$1076. Prices f. o. b. Flint. Ask about the G. M. A. C. Purchase Plan, which provides for Deferred Payments.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Nettie Wright, of Kopp, was in town Wednesday. Mrs. A. Stuart Gibson is visiting friends in Leesburg and Aldie. Mrs. Etta Brown left Tuesday for Waynesboro to visit her mother. Mr. Marion G. White, of Haymarket, was in Manassas yesterday. Mr. Ira E. Cannon, of Alexandria, was in Manassas Wednesday on business. Mr. T. E. Didlake is spending his vacation at the home of his parents at Shackelfords, Va. Messrs. Brown & Hooff are preparing to install a motor-driven planer at their lumber mill. Mrs. E. M. Cornwell, of Manassas, was the guest of Mrs. Harry Hewitt, of Alexandria, Monday. Mr. Cassius Carter, of Maryland, was a Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carter. The Manassas Junior Cotillion Club gave a very enjoyable dance in Conner's Hall Tuesday night. Mr. Simeon Long, of Independent Hill, is said to be very ill. His speedy recovery is earnestly hoped for. Mr. and Mrs. William N. Norman and son, Thomas A. Norman, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Birkett. Mr. Charles Walters and Mr. J. F. Colbert motored from Washington to Manassas and Bristow Saturday. Mr. A. F. Woodyard has purchased the store at Independent Hill formerly conducted by Mr. H. F. Keys. The remains of Mrs. Mary Breen, who died early in the week, were buried in the Manassas Cemetery Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. C. G. Griffith and daughter, Eleanor, of Washington, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Lewis Wednesday. Mrs. Harry P. Davis and children are visiting in Philadelphia as the guests of Mrs. Davis' brother, Mr. Beverley T. Adams. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Giddings and daughters, Misses Eloise and Mary, and Mrs. A. W. Sinclair have returned from their vacation trip. Mr. Carlyle Buck has returned to his home, after having visited for several weeks at the home of his mother, Mrs. R. C. Buck. Services will be held at Trinity Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. In the absence of the rector, Mr. Ellis Aylor will read the service. The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. Church, South, will meet Thursday, September 7, at 8:30, at the home of Mrs. R. S. Hynson. Miss Sarah Brown and little Robert Jones, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Davis, returned to their home in Washington Tuesday. Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, rector of Manassas Trinity Church, left Monday for Portland, Ore., to attend the General Convention of the Episcopal Church. Mr. C. H. Wine had the misfortune of having the end of the middle finger of the left hand cut off while repairing a light plant at Burke Station on Tuesday. Manassas Chapter, U. D. C., will hold their annual election of officers in regular meeting at the home of Mrs. A. W. Sinclair Wednesday, September 6, at 3 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Anderson and daughter, Louise, and Mrs. E. F. Matthew and Mr. I. I. Anderson were visitors on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. James Franklin, of Clifton. Bethel Lutheran Church, Edgar Z. Pence, pastor. Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 11:30 a. m. Noksville Lutheran Church, Sunday School at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10 a. m. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Anderson and daughter, Louise, are spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. I. Anderson, at Catharpin. Mrs. B. F. Matthew is also a guest at the Anderson home. Mr. T. S. Vance, State prohibition inspector, was in Manassas Wednesday. While here Mr. Vance lodged complaints against several parties suspected of being engaged in the illegal liquor traffic. The Bi-County Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Fauquier and Prince William counties will hold their annual convention at Remington Tuesday, September 5, at 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. All members of the union and others interested in the work are invited to attend.

UNCLE HANK



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In observance of Labor Day, the banks will be closed on Monday. The post office and telephone exchange will observe holiday hours.

Messrs. P. B. Redd, P. L. Proffit, C. E. Adams and Eugene Davis have recently purchased lots on West Street, extended, from the Manassas Real Estate Company.

Manassas Lodge No. 182, A. F. and A. M., will hold a stated communication tonight. District Deputy Grandmaster Andrew J. Kidwell will visit the lodge officially at this meeting.

Mrs. W. N. Wenrich sustained a very serious cut on the arm this morning when a glass can from which she was removing the top broke. Several stitches had to be taken in the wound.

Justice of the Peace C. G. Paris, of Quantico, was in Manassas Monday. While here Mr. Paris delivered into the custody of Deputy Clerk L. Ledman a small still that had been captured at Quantico.

Miss Estell Cornwell, who has been the guest of Miss Claudine Hewitt, of Alexandria, for the past week, has returned to her home here in Manassas for a few months before returning to Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Tompkins, of Washington, are visiting relatives in Manassas. Mr. Tompkins, who has been working for years in the Government Printing Office, has recently been placed on the retired list.

Rev. Dr. I. B. Lake, for fifty years pastor of the Upperville Baptist Church, died at his home at Upperville on Sunday. Dr. Lake was widely known, and his host of friends throughout the State will mourn his loss.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren Church of Manassas and Buckhall will meet at Mrs. F. A. Fountain's Thursday, September 7, for an all-day session. Picnic in the morning; business in afternoon, with election of officers.

Hon. James H. Price, of Richmond, was in Manassas last Saturday making arrangements for the ceremonial session of Acca Temple, Mystic Shrine, which will be held here on October 20. Mr. Price is Grand Master of Masons in Virginia.

The Bull Run Fox Hounds will hold a race meet on Monday, September 4, at 2:30 p. m., on Snow Hill Farm. Four races will be ridden—the first for mules, the second flat and the third and fourth over natural country. Prizes ranging from \$10 to \$50 will be awarded.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Prescott and Mr. and Mrs. D. Alfred Prescott, of Medford, Mass., motored from their home the latter part of last week to Manassas, where they spent the week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Lewis. The party left Manassas this morning for their return trip to Medford.

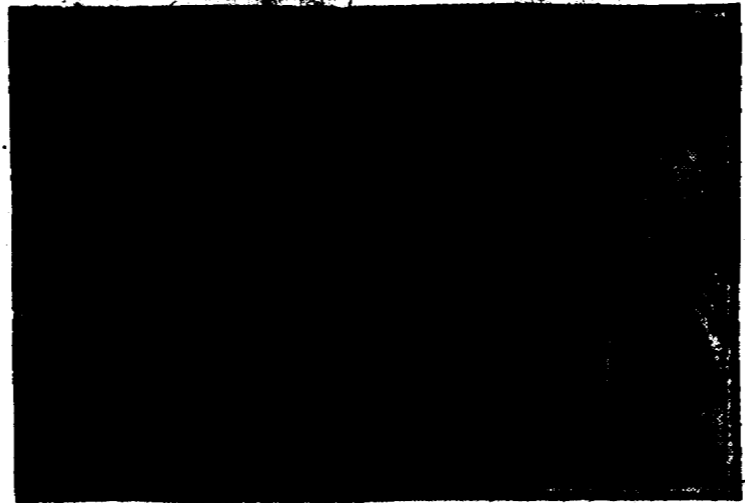
Miss Goldie Beavers suffered a broken collarbone on Friday when an automobile in which she was motoring to Alexandria with a party of friends ran into an embankment. The bursting of a tire caused the accident. Beyond being badly shaken up, the other occupants of the car did not suffer any injuries.

The Bethlehem Good Housekeepers' Club is cordially invited to meet with Mrs. W. L. Browning on the afternoon of Saturday, September 9, at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Browning hopes to see every member present and prepared to respond to the roll call with a chosen quotation. Mrs. Chloe E. Lay Hodge, secretary.

Mrs. William B. Russell, daughter of Mrs. Kate Beavers and the late Homer Beavers, recently motored from her home in Washington to the scene of her childhood days at Woodbine. Mrs. Russell was accompanied by her husband, Mr. Wm. B. Russell, and her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gray A. Beavers.

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Table with 2 columns: Description of receipts and disbursements, and Amount. Includes items like State funds received, County funds apportioned, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Description of disbursements, and Amount. Includes items like General control, Instruction, Fuel and operations, etc.

Grand total—All disbursements and balances \$11,344.27

Table with 2 columns: Description of receipts and disbursements for the Ocoquan District, and Amount. Includes items like Amt. received from State, Amt. county funds apportioned, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Description of disbursements, and Amount. Includes items like General control, Instruction, Janitors, fuel and operation, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Description of indebtedness, and Amount. Includes items like Overdraft, county treasurer, Bank of Ocoquan, etc.

In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Prince William on the 30th day of August, 1922.

AMOS SABA, Plaintiff, Against SOPHIA B. SABA, Defendant.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for absolute divorce from the bonds of marriage with the said defendant, Sophia B. Saba, on the grounds of desertion for a period of three years, and more, and for general relief.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Manassas Journal, a newspaper published in the county of Prince William, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house of this county on or before the 4th day of September, 1922, that being the next succeeding rule day after this order was entered.

A copy—tests: GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk. By his deputy clerk, L. LEDMAN. W. M. Ellison, p. q.

BUSINESS LOCALS

One Cent a Word. Minimum, 25c

Warning—Positively no trespassing on the Fair Grounds. This means you. Edward Robertson. 16-1*

For Sale—Remington typewriter No. 10. Cheap. Walter Clark. 16-1*

For Sale—Ford Sedan. Good condition. Miss L. L. Davis, Bristow, Va. 16-

Wanted—First-class woman to cook and help with housework. Good, permanent place at good wages. Inquire at Journal office. 16-1

For Sale—One gaited saddle horse, good driver, work in all harness; one small driving mare, suitable for lady or children. Two top buggies, excellent condition. Two sets hand-made double harness; four sets single harness; three buggy poles; one saddle; one three-seated surrey, seats removable, making good delivery or milk wagon, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Having decided to discontinue the livery business, we will sell above at a sacrifice. We will continue our auto livery. 16- Metz & Weir.

For Sale—An Oliver typewriter, in splendid condition; \$20; a bargain. Enquire at Journal Office. 15-

For Sale—One baby carriage, good condition. Apply Journal Office. 15-2

For Rent—Furnished house with modern improvements. Mrs. R. C. Buck. 15-2*

To the Public—I have established a regular loading station at Acme Truck and Service Station, 1045 Potomac Street, Washington. If you will direct your goods delivered there for me before 12 o'clock m., they will be brought out the same day. 15-2* JAS. W. BIRKETT.

Notice—All dairymen wishing to purchase Eureka can handles will find them on sale at all hardware and grocery stores in Manassas. Price, \$1 per dozen. Eureka Mfg. Co. 15-4f

For Sale—Buick touring car. Good condition. \$870.00 Plaza Garage. 12-4f

For Sale—John Deere corn harvester cheap. James Birkett, Manassas, Va. 14-3

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The stockholders of the Bank of Ocoquan, Incorporated, are requested to meet in their bank building at Ocoquan, Va., September 7, 1922, at 1 p. m., to elect officers for the ensuing year, and to attend to any other business that may come before them. J. M. BARBEE, Cashier. August 9, 1922. 13-4

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MAYOR H. P. DAVIS' ADDRESS

(Continued from First Page) The old steam pumping engine I consider a very wise and efficient move, and something that should have been done years ago, which would have saved many tons of fuel. It is possible that the average citizen of Manassas does not realize that the life of machinery is limited; that it will wear out and has to be replaced, and some will possibly be surprised to learn that our electric power plant has about spent its day. However, it is true, not only from the fact that it has been in constant use for the past eight years day and night, but also from the fact that the demand for electric energy has outgrown the capacity of the original plant. Therefore there is only one course left for you to pursue, and I feel that you gentlemen have used good judgment in taking steps to install efficient, modern machinery that will not only permit a reduction of rates to the consumers, but will pay for itself in reduced cost of operation without adding any burden to the people of Manassas in the way of ad- (Continued on Page Eight)

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RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE TOWN OF MANASSAS

SEPTEMBER 1, 1921, TO SEPTEMBER 1, 1922.

Table showing receipts and disbursements for the town of Manassas. Includes items like Balance on hand, current fund, September 1, 1921; Receipts for Year; Disbursements for Year; Total receipts and disbursements for year.

Total receipts for year 51,461.94; Total 52,048.57

Public Utilities Expenses—Salaries and wages \$4,945.00; General operating expenses 3,335.17; Fuel expenses 14,896.93.

Corporation Expenses—Salaries and wages \$1,433.30; General expenses 2,863.77; Street expenses 356.33.

Total corporation expenses 4,653.40; Interest paid on bonded debt 5,170.00; Interest paid on floating debt 1,109.88.

Amount expended on—Water plant (capital expenditure) 8,132.52; Light plant (capital expenditure) 2,702.87; Road machinery (capital expenditure) 472.06.

Bonds retired for the year 1,900.00; Amount paid for—Water rebates 8.59; Cemetery expenses 2.00; Dog tags 2.63.

Cemetery fencing (capital expenditure) 62.36; Spur track (capital expenditure) 5.41; Truck equipment (capital expenditure) 555.38.

Amount refunded for—Water deposits 2.50; Light deposits 1.50.

Total expenditures for year 42,055.88; September 1, 1922—Balance on hand in—Current fund 225.41; Cemetery fund 38.02; Tax fund 2,779.70; Corporation fund 3,019.56; Sinking fund 3,930.00.

Total 52,048.57



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CATHARPIN

Miss Louise Lynn, of Manassas, visited Miss Marjorie Brower last week.

Mrs. R. H. Willis and children have returned to their home in Roanoke, after spending several weeks with Mrs. Willis' parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Brower.

Mrs. Augusta Lynn Webb has returned from a short visit to Washington.

Mrs. Louis Lynn, Lee Pattie, Edward Smith and Bonham Ayres were Washington visitors on last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Ayres are visiting their niece, Mrs. R. L. Wheeler, near Manassas.

Miss Edmonia Pattie is now the guest of relatives in Loudoun County.

Mrs. M. E. Wilkins visited her daughter, Mrs. E. N. Pattie, one day last week.

Misses Rose and Alma Sloper are spending the week with relatives in Washington.

The play, entitled "Fun on the Podunk Limited," given on Wednesday night at Catharpin School-house by Mrs. S. C. Smarts' Sunday School class, of Sudley, was much enjoyed by all present.

"Turkey" Brower and Tom Zachary, of Washington Base Ball Club, spent Monday at Dr. C. F. Brower's.

Quite a number from this section attended the horse show at Warrenton.

Mr. Everett Clary, of Lawrenceville, Va., was a guest at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. F. H. Sanders, last week.

Misses Alma and Rose Sloper visited friends and relatives in Washington last week.

Miss Tabitha Murray, of Washington, is visiting at "Mt. Pleasant," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson.

Mr. Walter Sanders and his son, Wm. Carroll Sanders, left last week for their new home in Charlottesville.

Mrs. Robert Anderson is the guest of relatives in Washington.

A number of families of this neighborhood attended services at camp-meeting in Benton's Wood last Sunday.

Mr. Walter Ellison, of Fauquier County, recently spent a few days with his brother, Mr. C. E. Ellison, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lyndon Anderson and little daughter, of Washington, are guests of Mr. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. I. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. James McIntosh are moving this week to their new home in Manassas.

News has been received here of the death of Mrs. Rosa Donohoe in Washington last week. Mrs. Donohoe, who

had reached an advanced age, was a resident of this place for many years, where she is well remembered by numbers of friends.

Misses Mary and Claudia Pattie have returned after a visit to relatives in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Anderson and Mr. I. I. Anderson spent Tuesday with Mr. Anderson's sister, Mrs. James Franklin, of Fairfax County.

HAYMARKET

The church bazaar on Tuesday was most generously patronized and was a very successful entertainment in every respect. The children's play met with warm applause. A very attractive feature of the performance was a solo by little Helen Carter White, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett White, who sang without accompaniment the little song, "School Days," in a clear and distinct voice, carrying the tune throughout with apparent ease. The receipts of the entertainment were about \$225.

Mrs. Albert Rust, with her twin babies, Nancy and Albert, Jr., is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. G. Delk, at her home near Vienna.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Sanders will occupy the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. S. Clarkson during the absence of the family, who are located at Panama, Fla., for an indefinite stay.

Mr. Woodson Hancock and his fiancée, Miss Katharine Lea, of Devon, Pa., who have recently announced their engagement, will be the guests for the week-end of Mr. Hancock's aunt, Mrs. Carval Hall, of "Shirley."

The Rev. E. S. Hinks, of Elk Ridge, Md., is a visitor at the rectory this week and preached at St. Paul's Church on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carter are being congratulated on the birth of a little daughter, Mary Parsons. Mrs. Carter was formerly Miss Nellie Rector.

Mr. and Mrs. Stasius Meade, of Richmond, are visiting relatives here. The motion-picture shows at the parish hall will be held on Wednesday evenings, in addition to the regular Saturday evening show, during September, or until further notice.

Lieut. and Mrs. R. H. Blair and little son have gone for a visit to Mr. Blair's family, at Milwaukee, Wis., after which they will be located at Cambridge, Mass.

Miss Frances Grinnan, of New York, was the guest for the week-end of Miss Martha Carter.

Mr. Dick Gamble, of Huntsville, Ala., visited friends here for the week-end.

Lieut. Carval Hall, Jr., recently visited his mother, Mrs. Carval Hall, and other members of the family at "Shirley."

WATERFALL

Mrs. E. Parker Torbert and little Misses Mildred and Marian Forbert, of Washington, are visiting Mrs. R. R. Smith.

Miss Lillian Bell, who has been visiting relatives in Alexandria, has returned to her home here.

Miss Frances Kibler, who has been visiting relatives in Washington for several weeks, is expected home this week.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM

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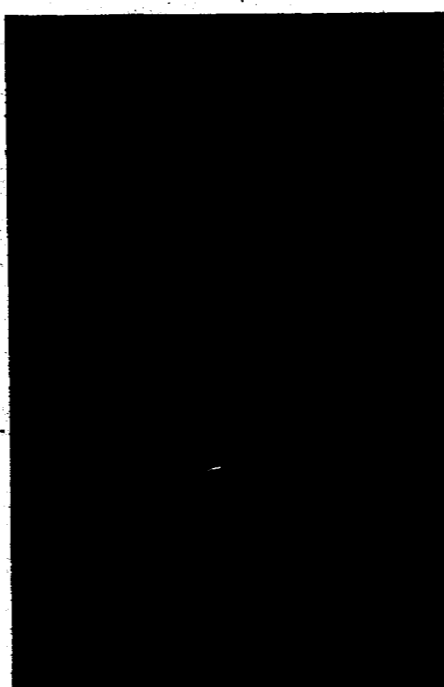
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KOPP
 Vacation days are passing, and school children will soon be hunting books for settling down to business.
 Mr. Karl W. Woolfenden, of Washington, spent several days last week at his former home here and visited many friends.
 Rev. C. W. Storke, accompanied by his mother, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Storke Monday.
 Mrs. E. S. Carney is on the sick list this week.
 Mr. Walter Woolfenden was a Fredericksburg visitor during the week-end.
 Mrs. S. D. Donohoe and Mr. E. C. De Witt made a business trip to Manassas Friday.
 Mrs. Laura Murphey has returned to her home in Washington, after a visit with relatives and friends here.
 Mr. P. M. Cole and daughter, Miss Lillian, spent the week-end with Mr. Cole's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Gordon, of Falmouth.
 Teachers, get busy and congratulate Mr. Thomas J. Woolfenden, our district trustee, who has recently been appointed.
 Miss Virginia Storke was a Sunday guest of Miss Myrtle Tubbs.
 Several from here attended the farmers' picnic and reported a splendid day.
 Miss Maud Lee Norman called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Storke Monday afternoon.
 Little Miss Julia Woolfenden was a week-end guest of her sister, Miss Ethel Woolfenden.
 Mrs. G. C. Wright and two daughters, Virginia and Lettie, visited Mrs. Wright's mother, of Stafford, for a few days this week.
 A called business meeting will be held at Bellehaven Church Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers for church and other transaction of business. All members are urged to attend and others who are interested also.
 Rev. C. W. Storke will preach at Bellehaven Church Sunday at 11 a. m. We are glad of the interest which is being taken in our church, and we hope that "old Bellehaven," which has stood the storm for many a year, will soon be flourishing as she once was. Members and workers, let's get busy and have our church so that the community will be proud of it.

WATERFALL
 Mrs. R. Parke, Torbert and little Misses Mildred and Marion Torbert, of Washington, are visiting Mrs. E. R. Smith.
 Miss Lillian Bell, who has been visiting relatives in Alexandria, has returned to her home here.
 Miss Frances Kibler, who has been visiting relatives in Washington for several weeks, is expected home this week.
 Miss Jean Howdershell, of Washington, and Miss Gertrude Smith, of Baltimore, are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Smith.
 Mrs. Mary Gosson is visiting her son, Mr. Frank Gosson, in Lynchburg.
 Mrs. Charlotte Yeatman, of Washington, was the guest last week of her sister, Mrs. J. P. Smith.
 Mr. Don Alexander, of Hoadly, visited relatives here on Sunday last.
 Mr. and Mrs. Herman Shirley and small daughter, Anne Melville, of Cristobal, Panama, are visiting relatives here.
 Among those who attended the all-day services at Antioch on Sunday last were: Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Guilford, of Washington; Mrs. Russell Wilkinson, Miss Mary Louise Wilkinson, Mrs. Carpenter, Miss Sara Howdershell, and Mr. Clarence Howdershell, of Del Ray; and the Misses Irene Shirley, Margaret Foley and Messrs. Douglas Brodie, Kenneth Kayes, Chester M. Weimer, Russell Rector, Russell Colvin and Robert Foley, of Warrenton. The series of meetings which were conducted at Antioch Church last week by the pastor, the Rev. V. H. Council, were well attended, and much interest was shown. The last meeting was held on Sunday, August 27.
 Quite a number of our folks attended the Baptist Association, held at Purcellville on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week.

TOKEN
 Mr. Ernest Cornwell has returned home after a visit in Alexandria.
 Mr. Berkeley Fair, of Alexandria, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fair.
 Mr. Walter Fair called at Mr. Luther Cornwell's Sunday afternoon.
 Mr. James Poesy has purchased a Ford car.
 Miss Myrtle Fair is visiting friends in Alexandria.
 Mr. Allen Cornwell, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. G. S. Cornwell.
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Rev. H. L. MacLeod preached an excellent sermon on "Character-Building" Sunday at 11 a. m. in the Presbyterian Church.

Miss Augusta Robey still continues quite ill. Her sister, Miss Prescilla Robey, of Washington, is with her. Miss Nellie Cross has returned from a visit to friends in Alexandria. Messrs. Ludlow and Brown gave a dance in the hall Thursday night of last week.

Messrs. Lewis and Irvin Quigg, with their sisters, Misses Ruth and Helen, returned from their auto trip to Delaware and Pennsylvania Tuesday evening, tired and dirty, but happy, having had the best of weather for their trip.

Miss Miriam Buckley spent the week-end at her home here.

Quite a number of Cliftonites went to see the games Sunday, some going to Washington and some to Centerville. All came home in the rain.

Mrs. Isaacs and son, Billie, of Baltimore, are spending some time at Mrs. Margaret Detwiler's.

Mr. Kidwell is able to be at his home here part of the time, commuting daily for treatment. The surgeons were unable to save his eye, and the eyeball was removed about ten days ago.

Mrs. Bywaters is quite a frequent visitor to our burg and seems to be as much interested in village affairs as ever.

Mr. Clyde Mathews is building a large up-to-date chicken house for his flock of white Leghorns.

Mr. Wren has been having his vacation, and the family have been visiting their relatives both north and south.

BUCKHALL

"I know not what the truth may be, I tell it as 'twas told to me."

Mrs. James Speakes has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Beatie Peace, of Washington.

Mrs. Hilleary Speakes and little daughter, Minnie Janet, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. King, near Leesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wallace entertained two of her brothers from a distance over Sunday.

Miss Lela Hensley returned to Alexandria Saturday morning.

Work on the new bellfry is progressing rapidly. This addition will add greatly to the looks of the church, as well as the property value.

The G. W. Hensley family will return to Alexandria next week to spend the winter, so that the children may be nearer to school.

Several from this vicinity attended the farmers' picnic in Manassas last Thursday.

Miss Lydia Hensley came down from Alexandria Monday night for a short visit.

Mrs. Stella Larson was a Washington visitor last Saturday.

Mr. W. B. Winslow and daughter, Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. W. G. Brawner and daughter, Irene, and Mr. and Mrs. Lund, all of this community, were shopping in Manassas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jasper entertained relatives and friends from Washington at their hospitable home Sunday.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather, Rev. Stevens did not fill his appointment at the Methodist Church here Sunday afternoon. In spite of the threatening weather the social last Saturday night was quite a success.

MINNIEVILLE

Owing to the rain on Sunday, there were no services at the Presbyterian Church, as announced.

The road from the run to Minnieville, for which so many kind friends contributed, is being greatly improved. We wish the workers much success.

Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander and children were week-end guests of Mrs. E. P. Alexander.

Mr. Roger La Hayne, mother and four children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Clarke over Sunday.

Mrs. V. A. La Hayne and granddaughter, Miss Myrtle, are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mrs. Carrie Curtis' health is very much improved.

Mr. P. E. Clarke and Mr. W. E. Neale, of Washington, were guests of the Clarke family over Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Carter, of the District of Columbia, daughter of Mr. D. H. Carter, is home on a sick furlough. She is spending a few days with relatives in this neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Stapler, whose home is in Washington, but who have been occupying their summer home here, motored to Washington on Thursday, accompanied by Misses Carter and Clarke.

Miss Leona Bailey and Mrs. F. C. Florence have accepted a position with the Occoquan canning factory.

Misses Lucile Clarke, Clara Carter and Mrs. C. E. Clarke motored to Manassas Saturday and called on Mrs. A. S. Beatwright and family.

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In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Prince William on the 8th day of August, 1922.

JOHN HILL CARTER, Plaintiff,

Against
ANN RANDOLPH DULANEY, Defendant.

The object of this suit is to have partition or sale of the 122-acre farm on the pike between Haymarket and Thoroughfare, in Gainesville District, Prince William County, Va., adjoining said road, Southern Railway Company et al., and described by metas and bounds in deed book 34, page 614, in clerk's office of said county, and to have an accounting of the timber, rent and fire insurance moneys collected by said defendant and for general relief.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Manassas Journal, a newspaper published in the county of Prince William, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house of this county on or before the 21st day of August, 1922, that being the next succeeding rule day after this order was entered.

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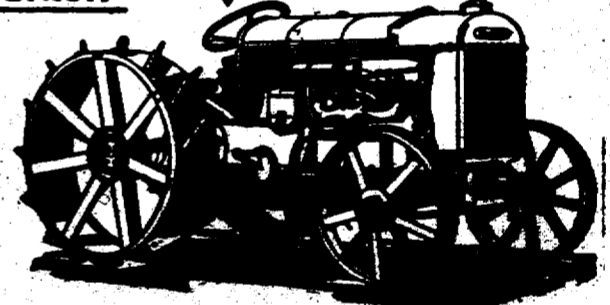
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MAYOR H. P. DAVIS' ADDRESS

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ditional taxes for replacement that should have been provided for during the past eight years in the way of reserving for depreciation; and when the present plans are completed, I feel free to say that from an up-to-date standpoint of efficiency we will have a power plant second to none of its size in the State and something that every citizen of Manassas should be proud of.

Apart from admitting the lack of adequate knowledge of general conditions, there is always the difficulty of conveying to the public a full understanding of the facts regarding situations of this kind. I feel that this can largely be met by taking the citizens into confidence to the utmost extent and invite them to visit the power plant at the present time and inspect its present conditions and see the necessity for enlargement, and when the new machinery has been installed again invite them to see what the improvements mean.

It is indeed gratifying to me to be able to say that, with a few exceptions, the affairs from my point of view are progressing in a very satisfactory manner; and if the present policy of administration is continued through the coming year, Manassas will be in much better financial condition, to say the least, than it is today, and if you gentlemen will continue your co-operation we can make Manassas take care of itself without any further burdens on the people.

I must, however, say that I am exceedingly disappointed that circumstances have prevented the construction of permanent streets, as was anticipated; and while some excellent work has been done on all soft-surface streets, yet there is considerable more work that should be done in order to make them passable when bad weather comes, such as filling all holes, opening ditches, cleaning out weeds and installing other water boxes, as well as some promised street work over in the colored settlement.

While I appreciate the fact that you gentlemen have other duties that require your attention, and are not so familiar with your several duties in the way of committees, yet I feel it my duty to call your attention to revenues due the town, such as taxes and delinquent light, power and water rates, as well as other moneys due for merchandise. It must be remembered that there are certain times when taxes should be returned delinquent, and if not attended to on the proper dates they will not be a lien on the property assessed; and while this will require a little time and attention, yet this is urgent in order to clear up the tax list each year. It seems to me that light and water rates are allowed to run delinquent too long. This should be cleared up and consumers be required to pay the same promptly in order that the treasurer may have all funds in hand each month to settle claims promptly. You will realize that this is necessary in order to maintain the credit of the town.

I am also disappointed that the business men of the town have not been able as yet to organize a chamber of commerce or board of trade. This is a very important function that is lacking and is hampering the business of the town.

I will also call your attention to the fact that the life of the town's transmission lines is about spent, and it will soon be necessary to make some extensive repairs and replacements along this line. This will take funds to do with, and some provision should be made to carry out this work gradually, rather than wait until the lines fall down and possibly be the cause of damage suits. It would also be a good step forward to have all trees trimmed out along these transmission lines in order to save some depreciation on the wiring as well as save considerable electric energy that is lost by reason of the fact that tree limbs are constantly in contact with wires.

I again find it necessary to call your attention to the telephone situation.

It has been something like a year that the representatives of the Mutual Telephone Company came before you gentlemen and promised a change in the phone service if they were given time. While it is granted that this company did see their way clear to extend the service one hour longer, yet I find that some days the office is closed before 9 o'clock p. m., and this, of course, cannot be classed as efficient service, even as far as it goes. I cannot undertake to say whether it is lack of business management or not. However, from a standpoint of good business, Manassas should have a twenty-four-hour phone service, and I feel that it is up to you gentlemen to demand this from the local company or else invite another phone company that can give the necessary service.

As for the enforcement of your laws, I extend you greetings, and say that I have endeavored, as far as humanly possible, to administer justice to those who deserve, and to enforce your laws impartially without fear or

favor; and while it is possible that I have made errors, yet, if so, it was done in good faith and with no thought of doing personal injury, and I still extend the same warning to the lawless element, that if they do not believe in our government and the enforcement of our laws, they are re-

spectfully invited to go to a country which gives them their peculiar liberty. While I have tried not to neglect the enforcement of valid enactments or to wink at its violation, yet I am here to tell you that between the hip-pocket bar-room and the speed mania it keeps one busy; and if we

could eliminate these two elements from the daily life of Manassas, you would hardly need the services of a sergeant, and the two cooling rooms on the first floor could be utilized for other purposes. However, I see no signs of this coming to pass, for rather than eliminate the office of

sergeant it would appear that we will be compelled to institute a police force before we can successfully cope with the situation, as it is more than one man's or even two men's job; and while it is possible that some of you gentlemen have blamed your sergeant for lack of law enforcement at times,

yet you must realize that he can be in only one place at a time and cannot cover the entire corporate limits from any one given point, and unless the citizens co-operate in reporting the violation of your ordinances many are liable to be violated without the knowledge of your officers.

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Monday, Sept. 11, 1922

Beginning Promptly at 10 O'clock, A. M.

Horses, Cows, Farming Implements, Etc.

Bay mare and roan mare, 6 years old, splendid workers anywhere, weigh 1200 pounds; black driving mare, 12 years old; 10 cows---2 Jerseys, 4 Guernseys, 4 Holsteins---all will be fresh this fall with their third calf; 7 fine hogs, weigh 80 lbs; farm truck with hay frame, 2-horse wagon with bed; manure spreader, good as new; buggy, in good condition; spring wagon, riding cultivator, good as new; disc harrow, good as new; springtooth harrow, good condition; Oliver chilled plow, No. 20; International feed grinder, good as new; 1 double and two single shovel plows, several sets of single and double trees, grindstone; lot of forks, shovels, hoes, etc.; 2 sets of wagon harness, lot of single buggy harness, collars, bridles and lines. All of this property is in number one condition.

DAIRY EQUIPMENT

DeLaval separator, No. 15, in good condition; dairy boiler, never has had fire in it but once; cooling tank; lot of milk cans, buckets and tubs; iron kettle, washing machine

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good as new, only been used a few months; 1½ h. p. Fairbanks-Morse gas engine. I will also sell a part of my household property, consisting of good range, oil range, coal heating stove, 60 gallon oil tank and cot.

Valuable 55-Acre Dairy Farm

This farm is situated one mile northeast of Manassas, on the Centreville road, and is ideally located for dairy purposes; 32 acres are in cultivation and the balance is in grass. I will also sell 15 acres of growing corn, 5 of ensilage corn and 3 of cow peas; also about 10 tons straw.

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TERMS:---Sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit six months will be given, the purchaser executing interest-bearing, negotiable note, with approved security, payable at the Peoples National Bank of Manassas. TERMS ON FARM made known on day of sale.

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