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CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

Rules to be Observed in Sending Packages to Our Fighting Forces in France.

The boys Over There are to receive Christmas presents this year, through a co-operative plan of the War Department, the Post office Department and the American Red Cross. Each man abroad will receive one Christmas parcel label, which he may send home to some relative or friend who, upon presentation of this label to the Red Cross, will be permitted to mail in return a Christmas parcel.

The Red Cross will provide for each person holding a label from overseas a carton 3x4x9 inches for the shipment of the gifts, which must not exceed three pounds in weight and must start on their journey not later than November 15.

The cartons containing the gifts must be brought to the nearest Red Cross headquarters, where they will be inspected and weighed and afterward delivered by the Red Cross to the Post Office authorities. The sender will be asked to pay the postage to Hoboken, N. J. All notes or messages placed in these parcels will be removed.

If you have a soldier Over There and are expecting to receive from him a Christmas parcel label, write at once to the Red Cross organization with which you are affiliated. If you live in Manassas or in adjoining Chapter territory, address the secretary of the county Red Cross Chapter, Miss Mary Larkin, Manassas, Va. The Chapter must know in advance how many cartons will be needed. It is hoped that although the time is short, this information may be forwarded by Saturday, October 19.

The following is a list of the principal classes of articles which are unmailable:

1. All spirituous, vinous, malted, fermented or other intoxicating liquors.
 2. All kinds of poison and all articles and compositions containing poison.
 3. Explosives of all kinds.
 4. Inflammable materials, including friction matches.
 5. Infernal machines and mechanical, chemical or other devices of compositions which may ignite or explode.
- Note.—Under this classification would come cigarette lighters, etc.
6. Liquids or liquefiable articles, fragile articles and other admissible matter when not packed in accordance with the requirements of the Postal Laws and regulations.
 7. All other articles which may kill, or in any wise hurt, harm, or injure another, or damage or deface or otherwise injure the mails or other property.

Bear these facts in mind when packing your Christmas parcel. Nothing should go in a Christmas parcel which will not keep fresh from the time of packing until Christmas.

Dried fruits and other food products should be packed in small tin or wooden boxes, one larger to one-half pound size.

Hard candy, including chocolates, would probably be safe in foil or in heavy cardboard, and no soft chocolates nor anything that could possibly be crushed should be used, as the remaining contents of the package might be spoiled thereby.

Several dainties packed in oblong tin boxes, having each a quarter of a pound, will prove a better gift for a packet than

DEATH OF MISS LYNN

Her Parents Formerly Resided Near Catharpin, this County.

Miss Edith Lynn, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Lynn of 84 Pleasant street, New Britain, Conn., died late yesterday afternoon following a short illness with pneumonia. The funeral will be held from her parents home at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. Rev. H. W. Maier will officiate and interment will be in Fairview cemetery.

Miss Lynn was 25 years of age and was a teacher at the Rockwell school. She was a graduate of the New Britain High School several years ago and later took a special business course. Two years ago she decided to take up teaching and attended the New Britain State Normal School from which she was graduated last June. This was her first term as a teacher. Both at the high school and at the normal school Miss Lynn was regarded as an unusually brilliant pupil and during the present school year she had become recognized as a capable teacher.

Her father is employed as a motorman, by the Connecticut company.

The above article is a clipping from a Connecticut paper. Miss Lynn was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Lynn, who formerly lived at Catharpin, this county.

LOSES VALUABLE COW

Possibility That Animal Was Accidentally Shot.

Mr. P. J. Cooksey, living near Brentsville, lost one of his cows on Saturday night last in a very mysterious manner. When milked on Saturday evening she was apparently all right. When Mrs. Cooksey went to milk her on Sunday morning she was dead. There was no indication at the time as to the cause of death. But, when Arthur Champ, colored, was taking off the hide, he found a hole in the side, through which a bullet had entered the kidney, resulting fatally.

Mrs. Cooksey heard her give one long bawl during the night or early morning but paid no particular attention to it, as the cattle are accustomed to utter such sounds. Mr. Cooksey does not think that any one maliciously shot the cow. A number of boys in the vicinity have been using rifles lately and firing was heard near by on Sunday morning. Possibly a stray shot from one of these rifles caused the animal's death.

AN EXPLANATION

The board of health of the town of Manassas, Va., on account of the epidemic of influenza, issued an order closing all public places and the churches also. This we considered necessary to conserve the public health. As to the churches, it was simply a request—because we did not consider anything else was necessary. We ask the co-operation of all the citizens to do all they can to stamp out this dreadful epidemic.

W. C. WAGENER, Mayor. And Member of the Board of Health.

A larger quantity of a single infection. No liquids nor articles packed in glass should be placed in the package.

For wrapping the gifts, use a hand-colored handkerchief, 27 inches square.

HE HAS FOUND A SERUM THAT WORKS WONDERS

Richmond Physician Discovers Treatment to Put Effective Check on Pneumonia.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 18.—Up to the time of the announcement of the findings from the use of antistreptococcus serum in the pneumonia cases on which it has been used by Dr. Samuel Budd of the Richmond Influenza Emergency Hospital, the State Board of Health has not felt that it could make any recommendation as to the definite method of treatment for these cases. The indications, however, now are definite that many of the cases of pneumonia complicating influenza are due to the germ streptococcus instead of to the usual germ of pneumonia. In various parts of the state reports show that about one half of the cases of pneumonia have been fatal.

Dr. Budd had antistreptococcus serum administered to twenty patients, two of whom were practically in a dying condition when this treatment was given. Of this group only these two have died. The results in the other cases are declared by prominent and conservative physicians to be little short of miraculous.

This serum is not used as a preventive but as a cure for the so-called streptococcus pneumonia so frequently complicating or following influenza. It is not a new serum but one which has been in use for streptococcus infections of the throat and other parts of the body for several years.

The product used here is produced by the H. K. Mulford Co. of Philadelphia, Pa., Lilly & Co. of Indianapolis, Ind., E. R. Squibb & Sons, of New Brunswick, N. J., and Parke, Davis & Co., of Detroit, Mich., also supply products of this nature.

The antistreptococcus serum for best results should be injected directly into a vein of the arm. The rather limited experience of physicians in its use for streptococcus pneumonia, indicates that the best results will be had by 20 cubic centimeter doses administered at intervals of eight hours. In a number of instances observed, active delirium ceased, the temperature dropped markedly and symptoms of poisoning rapidly diminished within a few hours after the first injection of this serum. Solidified areas in the lungs have been observed to clear up within a few hours and the patients have been rescued in a remarkably short time from a practically dying condition to convalescence.

The State Board of Health immediately ordered a shipment of this serum from the Mulford Co. when the first results were learned, and was in a position, when authorized to make a public statement, to send out at once at least a limited supply of the serum to different parts of Virginia. This supply was soon exhausted and more has been ordered for the board, while the health officers of various parts of the state have been advised to order an additional supply directly from the manufacturers. Serum for treating one case is costing from \$3 to \$5 according to the form of the package.

Dr. Budd has also prepared for distribution through the State Board of Health and otherwise, a vaccine to be used in the early stages of influenza to prevent the development of pneumonia. It is also believed that this will prove of definite value and will be found efficacious in

QUIET WEDDING

Miss Lucile Mark Becomes Bride of Mr. W. Raymond Free, Jr.

A very pretty but quiet wedding took place Wednesday, Oct. 16, at 8 m., at the home of the bride at Nokesville, Va., when Miss Lucile Mark, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Mark, became the bride of Mr. Wm. Raymond Free, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Free, of Nokesville. The ceremony was performed by the father of the bride, with members of the two families witnessing same, four generations of the groom's family being represented.

The bride wore a simple gown of Pèrshing blue crepe with hat to match.

After the ceremony the guests were invited to the dining room, trimmed in pink and white, for refreshments, served from the china used by the bride's parents at their wedding thirty-two years ago.

On their return from a trip South, they will spend the winter at the home of the groom.

MISS MYRTLE BELL DEAD

Succumbs to Influenza After Illness of Short Duration.

Miss Myrtle L. Bell, daughter of Mr. G. W. Bell, of Manassas, died at Crum Lynne, Pa., at the home of her brother, Mr. Chas. W. Bell, on Tuesday, October 15, at 10:45 p. m., at the age of 22 years.

Miss Bell's death was the result of influenza, contracted on October 2. She was a member of the Pentecostal Church. Though a native of Prince William county, she has been employed during the past year in a Pennsylvania silk mill.

She leaves her father, two brothers, C. W. Bell, of Crum Lynne, Pa., and Frank P. Bell, of Manassas; also two sisters, Mrs. J. I. Randall, of Manassas, and Mrs. Alice M. Goldrose, of Trainer, Pa.

The body was brought here yesterday, accompanied by Mr. Chas. W. Bell and was buried today at 3 o'clock at Jones Chapel at Bradley. The services were conducted by Rev. L. C. Messick of the Manassas U. B. Church.

EPIDEMIC STILL RAGING

The influenza epidemic is still in full force, if not on the increase. New cases are developing constantly, especially among the colored people, in some of whose homes every member of the family is ill.

All churches, schools, the movie show and soda water fountains will continue to be closed as a preventive measure. There is no indication as to when the ban against assemblages will be lifted, but it will be as soon as the Health Board can do so in accord with the full protection of the public from the spread of the prevailing epidemic.

BAN ON AUTOS LIFTED

The ban on the use of autos on Sunday was unconditionally lifted today, effective immediately. Fuel Administrator Garfield said that no restriction will be placed on the use of automobiles unless gasoline stocks again become dangerously low. He added that priority orders will be issued for overseas gasoline shipments.

preventing many cases of pneumonia, thus saving many lives. This vaccine will be sent out as rapidly as possible to various parts of the state where needed.

RAY SPRINKEL DEAD

Pneumonia, Following Influenza, Ends This Young Life.

Mr. Ray Sprinkel, son of Mr. Russell B. and Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Sprinkel, of Manassas, died at Oxford, Pa., on Monday last of pneumonia, following an attack of influenza, aged twenty years.

He was born in Manassas where he spent most of his life. On the outbreak of the war he tried to enlist, at different times, in each of the various branches of military service, but everywhere he was rejected because of physical defects. During the last two years he has been living in Pennsylvania, where he was a fireman on the Pennsylvania railroad.

The Oxford Hospital nurse in visiting the sick early last week in the town, learned of young Sprinkel's illness, which even then had developed into pneumonia. Mrs. Sprinkel learned of his illness on Friday, but was not informed fully of his dangerous condition by the Red Cross chairman, who sent the message. On Monday the surprising news of his death was sent.

The body was brought here this morning and the interment was made at 11 o'clock in the Manassas cemetery, Rev. T. D. Clark of the Baptist Church, pastor of the deceased, officiating.

He is survived by his father and mother, and three younger brothers—Paul, who is with the American Expeditionary Forces in France, and Leo and Robert, both of whom are at home.

A TRIBUTE

Rex, beautiful loving Rex is dead, after a short and painful illness. His home was near Gainesville, where he had many friends and admirers. For love, devotion, self-forgetfulness and the most forgiving nature, the dog far exceeds all animals, not excepting mankind. Rex was a dog.

HIS FRIEND.

MEN CALLED TO SERVICE

The following men have been called to go to Fort Caswell, Southport, N. C., on October 21: Harvey Woodyard, Bristow; Owen Edw. Dove, Manassas; H. A. Hammill, Woodbridge; Clayton Lining, Joppin; Archie Ruel Milstead, Hoadley; Carroll M. Edwards, alternate, Gainesville.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express to our relatives and friends our sincere thanks and appreciation for the kindness, sympathy and beautiful floral tributes at the death of our dear Philip.

Mr. K. M. Bradshaw and Family.

A PROCLAMATION

I would advise that the church bells be rung at the regular service hour as a reminder to all who care to, to engage in their homes in prayer to Almighty God for His forgiveness and favor, petitioning Him especially that He would cause a cessation of the awful epidemic now claiming its many victims throughout the world.

W. C. WAGENER, Mayor.

Private Carroll Rice, of Fort Omaha, Nebraska, son of Mrs. W. M. Rice, who has been ill of influenza, is now convalescent.

DR. J. MARYE LEWIS' USEFUL LIFE ENDED

This Young and Successful Physician Victim of Pneumonia Following Influenza.

The community was greatly shocked and made sorrowful this week, when the sad news was circulated that Dr. J. Marye Lewis, one of the youngest and best of the physicians in Prince William county, had passed away. Dr. Lewis was another victim of that dreaded and dreadful epidemic disease, influenza, which has claimed so many citizens of our state, our country and even of the world. He had been practicing his profession in the effort to check the ravages of this awful malady, but finally fell under its influence, possibly receiving the germs in the line of duty.

Dr. Lewis became ill Sunday, October 6th. He tried to fight off the disease, so that he could again renew his activity and usefulness among his many appreciative and grateful patients. But, double pneumonia developed and, despite the consultation with a specialist from the University of Virginia, all too soon this young, upright and efficient life ended.

Dr. Lewis was born June 3, 1881, at Manassas, where he died Monday night. His parents were Mars and Hattie B. Lewis. The family lived six years in Fluvanna county. Dr. Lewis graduated from the classical department at William and Mary College and later from the medical department of the University of Virginia in 1906. He began the practice of medicine in Buckingham county immediately after graduation. He remained there two years and then removed to Manassas, to a larger professional sphere. Here he lived with his sister, Miss Julia Lewis, who survives him, as does a brother, Lieut. Mars Lewis, who is in the U. S. army aviation service, stationed at Lake Charles, La.

Religiously, Dr. Lewis was an Episcopalian, having united with the church when a boy. At the time of his death he was a vestryman in the Manassas church, as well as a junior warden. He was also a member of the Manassas Lodge, A. E. & A. M. Last spring he offered his services to his country as a physician for war service. Shortly afterwards an illness from appendicitis, involving an operation, prevented him beginning his army career. Only Wednesday, the day of his burial in the Manassas cemetery, his commission as first lieutenant in the Medical Corps was received.

The funeral service, owing to prevalence of the disease causing his demise, was held at the cemetery, Wednesday, at 3 o'clock, being conducted by Rev. Alex. Stuart Gibson, who was assisted by the church choir and other singers.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Geo. G. Tyler, W. Fred Dowell, E. H. Hibbs, E. B. Giddings, A. A. Hooff and O. D. Waters.

It is a strange providence that removes from our midst such a desirable citizen—an exemplary gentleman, christian and physician—so early in life. If his departure will lead others to emulate his example in life and to be like him, prepared for death, we can learn to understand his departure a 37 years of age.

We express the sympathy of the community to Miss Lewis and her brother and extend them to Him, who is the God of all comfort, and may present help in time of need.

THE BUREAU OF ENEMY PSYCHOLOGY

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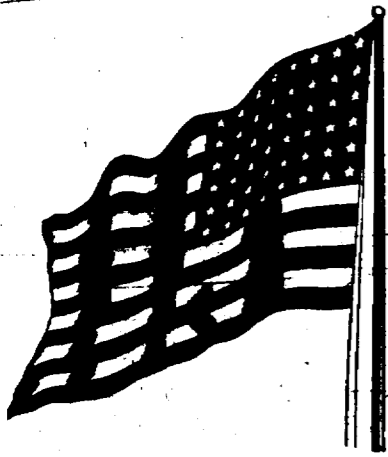
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THE SENTENCE OF DEATH

Humanity cannot fail to applaud the decision taken by President Wilson in behalf of the United States and the allies and conveyed to the German government in a manner that gains terrible significance and finality by the restraint of the language employed. The note is nothing less than a sentence of death upon the Hohenzollern military system, pronounced by the spokesman of the civilized world, now in arms and actually executing the sentence.

There is an avenue of escape for the German people. With a patience which some of the allies do not pretend to share, President Wilson again leaves the door open to the people of Germany, if they still wish to avoid the miseries of invasion and compulsory obedience to foreign nations, which will set the German nation in order if the people do not do it themselves. President Wilson calls upon the Germans to thrust aside the criminals who have conducted their government and their atrocious warfare; to reconstitute their government in accordance with the command of civilization; and to give proof of this actual reform as evidence of their desire to obtain peace.

If the German people do not seize this opportunity to save themselves, if they rally around their war lord and attempt to stay the hand of civilization by continuing the abominable crimes that have aroused the world, then they must bite the dust. They will see their armies gashed and decimated, and they will suffer fire, sword and invasion until they are overpowered, disarmed and compelled to submit to the dictates of the nations acting as the trustees of civilization.

President Wilson holds the military masters of Germany responsible for the crimes they have committed. They are as clearly defined as though he had included their names. The people of Germany know them, every one. The indispensable condition of any peace which will relieve the German people of complicity in these crimes and a share in the swiftly approaching punishment is prompt and complete repudiation and overthrow of those authorities and the establishment of a government of the people. The time is short; the command is imperative. It is made at the cannon's mouth.

Regarding the German request for an armistice, President Wilson relieves the apprehension of those zealous individuals who thought they foresaw a weakening on his part. No one could have used this German request to better advantage in hammering home to the boche intellect the fact that inhuman practices on sea and land constitute a fatal policy on the part of Germany. The brutalized lords of Germany committed no act of

kill women and children by submarine torpedo and aerial bombs and to devastate and destroy the homes and lands of noncombatants. Now, when the German armies are reeling under the killing blows of Marshal Foch, an armistice is badly needed, and peace for Germany will soon be a necessity of life itself; yet there is no armistice and no peace, and there will be neither armistice nor peace through anything that these war lords may do or say. President Wilson has a pregnant clause in his note stating that the overthrow of militarism is a condition precedent to peace, "if peace is to come by the action of the German people themselves." This applies to an armistice also, for it is perfectly evident that the allies will not grant any armistice that is not safeguarded by guarantees that will bind the German people. The mere abdication of one Hohenzollern in favor of another will not stop the working of a single allied machine gun.

The monstrous living weapon of the Germans recoils from French and Belgian soil. The head of the monster is battered and bleeding, its coils are slashed here and there, and its vitals are exposed. If it does not reach the Rhine soon it will be cut to pieces. Its retreat is almost as dangerous as its delay. The allied armies are leaping upon it as wolves leap upon a stag.

Germany, you have heard from America. Do you like the answer? Do you feel that you have outwitted the Yankee?—Washington Post.

GERMANY OFFERS PEACE TO ITS ENEMIES

(From Manufacturers Record)
Kaiser William offers a hand clasp to his enemies based on an "honorable peace." To grant Germany and its allies peace would be to welcome back to civilization without punishment nations which can be truthfully characterized as composed of

- Murderers.
- Rapists.
- Manglers of Children.
- Bestial Crimes Whose Crimes "Sicken a Tiger."
- Destroyers of Cathedrals.
- Robbers Who Have Looted Homes and Nations Alike.
- Mutilators.
- Bandits.
- Despoilers.
- Pianders.
- Pillagers.
- Freshcutters.
- Looters.
- Criminals Whose Hands Run Red With Human Blood.
- Hypocrites.
- Liars.
- Destroyers of Womanhood and of Civilization Alike.
- Atheistic Barbarians Who Would Blot Out Christianity.
- Murderers on the High Seas.
- Sharks.
- Gloaters Over Their Own Infamies.
- Makers of Holidays and Medals to Celebrate the Murder of 1000 Women and Children and Non-combatants.
- Investigators of Every Vile Devil-Controlled Mind and Soul in Neutral Countries to Poison the Mind as They Poison the Wells.
- Pirates.
- Violators of Every Agreement as "Scraps of Paper," Whose Spoken or Written Contract is as Worthless as a Box of Matches in Hell.
- Would-be World-Looters and Rulers Who Cut Down Fruit Trees With the Same Ruthlessness That They Poison Wells.
- Crucifiers of Prisoners.
- Bombers of Red Cross Hospitals.

And shall we talk peace with such scoundrels whose crimes, whose turpitude, whose moral depravity and inherent vileness has made them the mental and moral prostitutes of all the ages

lions of men, women and children? May God forbid!

Buy Liberty Bonds! On to Berlin! Death to Germanism!

WHAT "AMERICA'S ANSWER" MEANS

"America's Answer," the U. S. Official War Picture issued by the Division of Films, of the Committee on Public Information, is not the ordinary press-agented film play. It is a chapter of the great drama of the war, registered by U. S. Signal Corps photographers, by direction of General John J. Pershing. It is purely a government enterprise. No individual has any profit interest in the production. The picture has been made and it is presented for public consideration, not to make money—although it must necessarily produce a revenue in order to meet the expenses involved—but in order to show the millions of contributors to the several Liberty Loans, the purchasers of Thrift and War Stamps, Tax-payers, and those who have so generously given in other ways for the needs of the war, just how the great sums have been expended and what, in a physical way, has been accomplished in France during the first year of America's participation in the struggle for Democracy.

It shows the wonderful three-mile dock "Somewhere in France," built on swamp land by American soldiers, and now being used to expedite the landing of our troops and the handling of the stupendous volume of supplies with which the sea from the United States to the coast of France is being bridged; it shows one of the mammoth refrigerator plants established behind the lines, a great plant with a capacity for 10,000,000 pounds of meat, and capable of producing a million pounds of ice daily; it shows the assembling of American locomotives by our soldiers mechanics; the building of railways, the leveling of French forests to secure needed timber; the erection of hospitals and the building of a great dam in order to create a reservoir to supply one of the largest hospitals with water; it shows how American soldiers line in camp and on the fighting lines; what they eat, how the daily tons upon tons of bread is made, how the worn clothing is renovated and repaired by French women in the service of the American army; the utilization of old hats and old shoes in a wonderful salvage department; the sanitation of the soldiers' uniforms by machinery; the endless stream of the trucks used to transport supplies to the front; camouflaged guns, the acres of shells and other ammunition; the American Aero Squadron, and, finally, the actual fighting, in which American soldiers have brought undying fame upon themselves and their country.

"America's Answer" is a picture that every American and every near American should see; it is one's duty, but also one's privilege to see it. The government's Division of Films has done no better work for the stimulation of loyalty and the acceptance of the spirit of giving than the assembling and presentation of this most illuminating war film. Every motion theatre should show it. Every man, woman and child in the city should see it, or if it has not been booked here, they should insist on being given an opportunity to see it.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Honorable C. J. Meetze is reported on the sick list this week.

The four children of Sheriff Chas. A. Barbee, who have been ill with diphtheria, have recovered.

Mr. C. A. Sinclair has sufficiently recovered from an attack of influenza to attend to his professional duties.

Col. Robt. A. Hutchison, who has been confined to his home with an attack of influenza, is able to be out again.

Mr. Allen Posey, whose home was near Buckhall, died Wednesday at Indian Head, Md., of influenza. He leaves a wife and five children.

At Greenwood Presbyterian Church on Sunday, at 3:30, Rev. Alford Kelley will administer the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, after the Sunday School service at 2:30.

Captain Bosier Castle, from Somewhere Over There, has sent a cablegram to his wife in Manassas in which he assures her that he is "well, safe and having glorious victories" over the Huns.

Private Harvey A. Lynch of 116th Reg. U. S. Infantry, 29th Div., of the American Expeditionary Forces, in a letter to his sister, Mrs. Mary Pope, says: "Of all the treats I get The Journal is the best."

We are requested to state that in the semi-monthly meeting of the Red Cross on October 8th, in the report of Miss Rixey, there was omitted the fact that the Ladies' Memorial Association had sent in six pairs of socks and one sweater.

On account of the epidemic that is raging over the country, the communion service, which was to have been held Saturday, October 19th, at six o'clock, in the Church of the Brethren at Cannon Branch, will be postponed indefinitely.

Mr. Gilbert Spies, who has been employed at the Marine Drug Store, Quantico, has resigned his position and returned to Manassas. He has matriculated at Eastern College, as a member of the Students' Army Training Corps unit located there.

Mr. Henry Hall, son of Mr. John Hall, of Gainesville, who has been working for the Brubaker Paving Co., of Wilmington, Del., was accidentally killed last Saturday. Mr. Hall was well known in Manassas and vicinity. We are unable to learn the particulars of his death.

Mr. James Roles, who has been working in concrete work with the construction crew on the Southern Railway, became sick last week. He was taken to his home near the coal bin, where he died last Saturday of influenza, aged about 30 years. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Hattie Roles, nee Cross.

Mr. Ernest Mertz, of New York City, son of the late Julius Mertz, of Nokesville, and Miss Blanche V. Johnson, formerly of St. Louis, Mo., were married on Wednesday, October 9th, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Robert Brown. The wedding took place at Whitestone Landing, Long Island.

Mr. Alfred di Zerega, for several years an efficient employee of the Peoples National Bank, has been promoted to the sergeancy in recognition of his faithful performance of duties entrusted to him. Mr. di Zerega was transferred at his own request from the Ordinance Department to Camp Lee.

The County Teachers' Institute, the Girls' Canning Club Exhibit, the Boys' Pig Club Show, and other exhibits which were to have been conducted at Manassas the latter part of next week, have all been postponed on account of the epidemic of influenza now raging throughout the county, until November 15th.

Mrs. Bowles, the wife of Mr. Wm. H. Bowles, who has been in ill health for several months, died at the Western State Hospital, at Staunton, on Sunday night. The remains were brought here on Wednesday and interred in the Manassas cemetery. Mrs. Bowles was thirty-one years of age. She leaves a husband and six children—four boys and two girls.

The Farmers' Institute, which was announced in last week's issue of The Journal to be held at the courthouse on Friday of this week, today, has had to be called off on account of the influenza that is sweeping the country. It is hoped that conditions will have improved to such an extent by the 15th of November that it can be held on that day, which is the regular time for the November meeting—it being the third Friday of the month.

The ladies of the Red Cross served lunch on Tuesday at the sale at Ben Lomond Farm, the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bruch. About \$100 was realized, through the generosity of Mr. Bruch, although only \$24 was cleared from the luncheon. Most of the eatables were contributed and all purchases in the Manassas stores not used were received again by the merchants who made the sale. Mrs. A. E. Spies was chairman of the Red Cross committee in charge.

Mrs. R. L. Brown was summoned by telegram early last week to go to the bedside of her son, Robert M. Brown, at Marcus Hook, Pa., where he worked in a silk mill. She returned shortly but on Saturday went back to Marcus Hook, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Orma J. Brown, who got back home the same day. The son was still critically ill with the influenza when Mrs. Brown returned on Tuesday last, since which time she has been suffering from a nervous breakdown. Miss Orma is now also ill at home.

The annual meeting of the county Red Cross chapter, on account of the epidemic of influenza, has been postponed from October 23rd to November 20th, the new date selected by the American Red Cross on account of sickness in various parts of the country. Instead of the regular meeting next Monday evening, the executive committee will meet at the home of the secretary, Miss Mary Larkin, for the transaction of such business as cannot be held over until the next regular meeting. All committee members who have imperative business to present are invited to attend.

Mr. W. A. Warren, one of our well-known local truck raisers, has sent to The Journal office a somewhat unique, if not freakish thing in the corn stalk line. The stalk is one of the ordinary sweet corn variety, with an ear in the usual place. The oddity consists in two other ears—one fully and the other only partially developed—only six inches from the tassel. This peculiar formation is attracting attention and can be seen in the window of The Journal office. Another unusual garden product raised by Mr. Warren and to be seen beside the corn stalk is a large cushaw, weighing 21 1/2 pounds and measuring 18 1/2 inches around the top, 25 1/2 inches around the bottom and 30 1/2 inches in length.

ABOUT PEOPLE WE KNOW

Mr. James Reagan, of Portsmouth, is visiting Mr. M. Lynch.

Miss Isabel Kelley spent yesterday in Washington shopping.

Dr. V. V. Gillum of Fort Myer, visited friends in Manassas Sunday.

Mrs. C. D. Gorman, of Washington, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hooff.

Mrs. M. E. Quigg and Helen, her youngest daughter, of Clifton, were visitors in Manassas yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Evans and little daughter, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Evans' mother, Mrs. Milnes.

Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Bennett, of Washington spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Round.

Mrs. W. B. Doak and daughter Catherine, of Clifton, were in town today and called on Miss Isabel Kelley at the manse.

Mrs. Geo. H. Smith and her daughter, Miss Ruth, have returned from Brandy, where they visited Mrs. Smith's sister.

Miss Eleanor Smith, whose school at Brentsville is closed because of influenza, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Maggie Smith.

Mr. H. Thornton Davies, one of the three local lawyers recently ill from influenza, has recovered sufficiently to again attend to his legal practice.

Dr. Chester Amos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Amos, of Alexandria, Va., formerly of Manassas, visited the family of Mr. Ira C. Cannon over the last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Pote and daughter, Miss Ethel Edna, of Washington, visited at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Carrie H. Lawrence, the latter part of last week.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust executed by The Quantico Company, of record in deed-book 70, pages 24-5, and dated July 12, 1917, in the clerk's office of Prince William county, and also an order of the circuit court for the aforesaid county substituting the undersigned as trustee in said deed of trust, which order was entered at the June term, 1918, of said court, the undersigned substituted trustee, having been requested so to do by the holder of the notes mentioned in said trust, in the payment of which default has been made, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, in accordance with said deed of trust, on

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at twelve o'clock, m., on the premises, at Quantico, aforesaid county, Virginia, all that certain piece or parcel of land lying on Quantico Creek, Prince William County, Virginia, known as part of "Horse Penn Point," and bounded by said Creek, a marsh, and the lands of the Quantico Company, (the Lansburgh land), and known also as the West land containing, more or less,

FIVE ACRES

Reference is made to said deed of trust as well as the deed from Geo. H. Hockman to said Company, and also a plat of Quantico Company land in deed book 68, pages 8-9 in aforesaid office.

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HAYMARKET

Mr. William Louis Heuser, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Heuser, died on Sunday evening in Washington, after a short illness of pneumonia. His remains were brought to Haymarket on Tuesday morning, and carried to St. Paul's Church, of which he was a member, where the beautiful ritual of the church was read by Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, at the conclusion of which he was laid to rest in the churchyard. The pall bearers were Messrs. W. M. Jordan, Marion White, Louis Lightner, Robert Meade, Jack Percy and Samuel Bleight.

Mr. Heuser was born at "Burnside," the family home, near Haymarket, thirty-two years ago, where the most of his young life was spent. About twelve years ago he went to Washington, and engaged in business. Besides his parents, he is survived by one sister, Mrs. Gasquie di Zerega, of Aldie, Va.

Miss Martha Carter, who has recently taken a government position in Washington, was at home in the week-end.

Mr. Elmo Pickett, who is attending a business college in Lynchburg, and Mr. F. B. Price III, a student at the Episcopal School at the same town, are at home, as their schools are closed on account of the influenza.

Dr. G. M. Coleman, of Quantico, spent the week-end here with his family.

Mrs. F. B. Price and the Misses Price, now located in Washington, were at their home here on Sunday.

The annual meeting for the election of officers for the Haymarket Branch of the American Red Cross, which was to have been held on Wednesday evening, is indefinitely postponed.

So far as has been reported there have only been three or four mild cases of influenza in or near Haymarket, and no serious cases in this vicinity. The health of the school is so good that as yet there has been no reason for its being closed.

Dr. Selma Mason, of Gainesville, and Clarksburg, W. Va., is very ill with pneumonia at his home in Clarksburg.

Mrs. Delaware Davis has returned to Baltimore, after a stay of several weeks in Haymarket.

KOPP

Farmers are quite busy getting in corn crops, and sowing wheat.

We were shocked to hear of the death of Judge Thornton last week. Those who have had business in his court can deeply feel that they have lost a noble friend and wise counsellor.

Most "Flu" victims are recovering. A few new cases are reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Linton were guests of Miss Bertha Woolfenden Tuesday.

Mr. E. M. Briggs, of Minnieville, was in this neighborhood Tuesday.

Mrs. T. W. Lynn was a guest of Mrs. Mary P. Thornton Sunday evening.

Mr. Lawrence S. Mountjoy visited in the neighborhood of Kopp Sunday.

Owing to the fact that all public gatherings are necessarily prohibited by the health authorities the Bellehaven Branch, A. R. C., has postponed the entertainment, which was scheduled to take place the latter part of this month. As soon as the epidemic which is sweeping our part of the country passes over, the date will be announced. Hon. C. C. Carlin will be present and make an address.

Mr. Thos. J. Woolfenden and Mr. Elbert M. Suthard were Stafford visitors Sunday.

Mr. A. P. H. ...

Mr. Philip M. Cole visited at the home of Mr. Jack Woolfenden Sunday.

Mr. Walter Woolfenden was a guest of friends near Hayfield Sunday.

FORESTBURG

The farmers are busy now. Mrs. Chas. Dunn has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. Karl Crowder, of Washington, called at the home of Miss V. M. Abel Sunday.

Miss Katherine Sisson and Mr. Sigsbee Keys were in Forestburg Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Abel returned to Washington, after spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Abel.

Miss Louise Read has returned to her home, after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Dunn, of Pleasant View.

Private Gregory, of Quantico, was the guest of Miss Etta Tapscoff Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Anderson and daughter, Marjorie, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Abel, of Joplin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Anderson called Sunday at the home of Misses Katie and Gertrude Liming, of Joplin.

CLIFTON

The influenza has closed up everything—schools, churches, Sunday Schools, Presbyterian Aid Society was postponed indefinitely.

Rev. Alford Kelley was down Sunday to have a meeting of the church session. Mr. R. R. Buckley was chosen to represent the church at the meeting of the Presbytery in Washington Monday and Tuesday of this week.

The Baptist series of meetings were closed Friday night of last week.

There have been several cases of influenza in the neighborhood, but no deaths as yet. We have had a couple of the victims buried here, who died elsewhere. Mr. Robert Fullerton, a former resident, who died in Washington, was brought here for burial Saturday. Mr. Fullerton was about 36 years of age; he is survived by five children and his wife, who was formerly Miss Robbie Thompson; he is also survived by his mother, two sisters and one brother. Interment was in Clifton cemetery, Rev. W. L. Naff conducting the funeral service.

Mr. Harry Buckley, second son of Mrs. Lucy Buckley, died at Hyattsville, Md., and was brought to his mother's home for burial. Services were conducted Sunday by Rev. W. L. Naff and interment in the Fairfax cemetery. Mr. Buckley was about 30 years of age and is survived by a wife, his mother, two sisters and one brother.

Messrs. Hall and Fowler have both been quite sick for some time. Mr. Fowler is convalescing and Mr. Hall a little easier at this writing.

The little Hottle boy, who has had typhoid fever for several weeks, is slightly better.

Misses Ruby, Edna and Lucy Mathers are getting better. Miss Vivian Mathers has just contracted the disease.

Miss Effie Adams started to work this week. Mr. Adams is again at work in Manassas.

Miss Antonio W. Ford spent the week-end at Mrs. Fowler's.

Mrs. Wm. H. Richards attended the funeral of her niece, Miss Mildred Detwiler, in Philadelphia, Monday. Miss Mildred was the youngest daughter of Wm. E. Detwiler, formerly of this place. She was a victim of the scourge, pneumonia, following a case of influenza. Besides her mother and father, she leaves an older sister, who was also sick at the time of her sister's death. Miss Mildred has

with relations and friends. She was about 18 years of age.

Dr. J. Marye Lewis' friends and patients here were very much shocked to hear of his death in Manassas Monday. Dr. Lewis had some very ardent friends and admirers here.

The ladies of the Clifton Red Cross Branch gave their Chairman, Mrs. Mostym, who is leaving them and resigning, a little surprise by serving a light lunch Tuesday afternoon in her honor. Mrs. Lucy Payne was unanimously elected to fill the office of chairman at this meeting.

Miss Mary Gibson Preston is staying at Mrs. Saubers for a few weeks, or until the danger of influenza abates in Washington.

CATHARPIN

Owing to the prevalence of colds, grippe, etc., there was a very small attendance at Sunday School in the school house last Sunday.

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

News has been received here of the death of Miss Edith Lynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Lynn, of New Britain, Conn. Miss Lynn's death was due to the dreaded influenza. Mr and Mrs. Lynn were formerly of this neighborhood and have a host of friends here who deeply sympathize with them in the death of their only daughter.

Recent letters from Sergeant N. C. Pattie from "Somewhere in France" say that he is well and occasionally meets a few old Prince William friends, when they greatly enjoy talking over old times in Virginia. Sergeant Pattie says he has recently visited Paris.

BRADLEY

'Silo filling has been general down here.

Mrs. H. P. Young continues ill, but we hope for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Bean and Mrs. Shoemaker on Wednesday visited Mrs. Bean's niece, Miss Ollie Tyler, in Emergency Hospital, Washington, where she went to have one of her limbs amputated. She is getting along nicely at this writing.

Mrs. J. F. Baker received a telegram Saturday from Mauer town, Pa., stating that her brother, Mr. Maurice Gochmauer, was quite ill and asking her to come at once. Mrs. Baker left Monday to visit him. Mr. Gochmauer died Friday.

Miss Celia Beavers is sick at her home here.

Mr. Anthony Robinson's children are on the sick list.

Mr. Dove has five children sick in bed with influenza.

Mrs. H. A. Shoemaker called on Mrs. Graf Shoemaker last week.

Miss Edith Shoemaker left last week to enter school at Chattanooga, Tenn.

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The World War has made necessary many restrictions and exactions unknown and scarcely thought of in times of peace and plenty. All patriotic Americans are ready gladly to serve and save and sacrifice in order that our government may have all the men and materials with which to prosecute the war to a successful and speedy issue. Many industries have been closed or restricted in output, because they were considered more or less "non-essential." The Priorities Board of the War Industries Board has listed paper mills as an essential industry and has rated them in the fourth class for priority for coal, with the distinct understanding that everywhere the greatest possible economy is to be exercised in the use of paper; also, that all newspapers shall reduce their use of paper 15 per cent.

Each paper mill must give a pledge that they will supply no paper to any consumer unless he signs a pledge in duplicate promising to exercise the greatest possible economy in using paper and to observe all rules and regulations made by the Conservation Division and by the Pulp and Paper Section of the War Industries Board.

Every newspaper publisher is required to omit many wasteful practices. If by November 1, 1918, there has not been a saving of 15 per cent in the making and using of paper, the matter will be reviewed by the Pulp and Paper Section and further restraints will become necessary.

At present fifteen requirements are made of newspaper publishers, of which two are important to and need to be known by newspaper subscribers:

1. "No publisher may continue subscriptions after three months after date of expiration, unless subscriptions are renewed and paid for."

2. "No publisher may give free copies of his paper; except for actual service rendered; except to camp libraries and huts or canteens of organizations recognized by the government, such as the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., or K. of C.; except to the Library of Congress, and other libraries which will agree to bind for permanent keeping; except to government departmental libraries which use said publications in their work; and except for similar reasons."

In accordance with the above requirements, a sworn statement will be demanded from each newspaper publisher on November 1st; giving a declaration regarding how many of the fifteen rules, including the two above quoted, have been obeyed by him and what results has followed his efforts to reduce paper consumption.

We desire to state that the above is not the plan formulated by The Journal, but it is the policy forced on The Journal by the government. Of course, all of us, publisher and patron alike, will cheerfully give our best efforts to observing these requirements. If our nation were not at war and not needing for munitions the chemicals used in the manufacture of paper, we would be permitted and we would be willing to continue sending The Journal and renewing the subscriptions, expecting the price to be paid in due time. We would also cheerfully send complimentary copies to certain persons for particular reasons. But we cannot and we must not send the paper to any subscriber more than three months after the expiration of their subscription.

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Seed wheat for sale.—Storner and Leap's Prolific. W. E. Varner, Bristow, Va. 20

Wanted—Boxwood foliage; cash before shipped. A. B. Price, 912 Virginia Avenue, S. W., Washington, D. C. 20-5*

For Sale.—Will sell below cost my house on Grant avenue. Address Mrs. F. S. Brand, 1837 California Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 19-1f

For Sale.—Iron safe and large wood heater, good as new. Apply Peoples National Bank. 19-1f

For Sale—One registered Red Polled bull calf, six months old; weighs 400 pounds. Apply to Misses Ewell, Haymarket, Va. 3

For Sale or Rent.—Property known as Goodwin barn, located corner West street and Portner ave. Apply to E. W. Weir. 18-3

For Rent or Sale—Modern 7-room, furnished house with cellar, barn, hen house, summer kitchen, orchard and garden, with splendid well of soft water; beautiful shade and lawn; also one-half acre of ground in cultivation; only five minutes walk to school, church and station; a bargain to a quick buyer. Apply to P. O. Box 283, Manassas, Va. 17-1f

Wanted—Miller Train Control Corporation stock. "Selling" one 4 1-2 h. p. Olds stationary gasoline engine. W. H. Wyand, Phone 1133, Hagerstown. 17-8

Wanted—50,000 white oak cross ties. See us and get prices. M. Lynch & Co. 23-1f

Fire Insurance—If you are afraid of Mutual Assessments, try our old-line companies. If you don't like the increasing old line rates, try our Mutual. Take your choice. We represent both kinds. Austin Corporation. 53

Wanted.—10,000 cords of pulp wood. Highest cash price paid on delivery; measurements taken from wagons. Give us a call before you sell. E. R. Conner. 51

Registered Holstein male calves for sale. J. J. Conner. 16

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The 1918 tax tickets for District No. 2 are now ready for payment and taxpayers are urgently requested to settle same before December 1st, after which time a penalty of 5 per cent is added.

I will meet you with the tax books at— Canova, Oct. 28, (forenoon.) Independent Hill, Oct. 28, (afternoon.)

C. M. Horton's Store, Oct. 29, (forenoon.) L. H. Potter's Store, Oct. 29, (afternoon.)

Kopp, Oct. 30, 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Joplin, Oct. 31. Quantico, Nov. 1. Dumfries, Nov. 4.

Minnieville, Nov. 5. Russell's Store, Nov. 6. Occoquan, Nov. 7. Woodbridge, Nov. 8 (forenoon.)

Hoadley, Nov. 8 (afternoon.)

Appointments for District No. 1 will appear in next week's papers. J. P. LEACHMAN, Treasurer Prince William Co.

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Pay day! Pay day! That used to be the procedure when pay day meant drunken soldiers, but it isn't so now.

Pay day to the men of the A. E. F. means elbowing into the "Y" canteen, "tanking up" on cocoa or hot lemonade, eating sandwiches and pudding and stuffing one's blouse arid cap with oranges for future use.

And the woman's division of the Y. M. C. A., which has sent 700 picked young women from this country to serve American soldiers in the canteens in France, is interested in keeping pay day from meaning drunken soldiers.

To that end, too, the woman's division is putting all its support back of the united war agencies, consisting of the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the National Catholic War Council and Knights of Columbus, the Jewish Welfare Board, the War Camp Community Service, the American Library Association and the Salvation Army.

A graphic picture of a typical A. E. F. pay day has come from Miss A. Evelyn Newman, of New York, now a canteen worker in an American camp in France. She sent a letter to the woman's bureau of the Y. M. C. A., at 347 Madison avenue, in the course of which she said:

"From the back door of our hut we hear the bugle call, which the boys declare the prettiest one in the Army—the call to pay. As the buglers repeat the welcome notes we double our energies in the tiny canteen kitchen, for we know that our supply will not be adequate this night.

"Hastily we take count of our stock of sandwiches—jelly, cheese and 'corn-willy'—we have four hundred; of canned fruit, peaches and apricots, three hundred helpings. The huge bread pudding now baking in the oven will give two hundred portions. This, with cocoa, coffee, tea and lemonade, completes our menu. But there is not enough of anything for the rush of a thousand hungry soldiers with money in their pockets. Quickly we fly to our appointed tasks—one to squeeze three hundred more lemons, one to make another huge vessel of cocoa, one to arrange boxes of French cakes and prepare tea trays, while the others concentrate on making sandwiches of all three varieties.

"What about hot dogs, for a specialty?" Louis, our soldier helper, speaks up.

"Great!" we all agree enthusiastically. "Then there's the oranges that came last night," suggests the big fellow, who has been detailed to special duty with us, and who is the steadiest worker I have ever seen.

"Yes, the oranges will save us. Bring down a dozen cases."

"Soon there is a stream of volunteers, who have responded to our call of need, carrying cases of oranges from the storeroom to the back of our counter, opening them, filling baskets and placing them in long rows on the counter shelf. Above them we hang a neatly printed card—'Oranges, 10 centimes (two cents) each.'

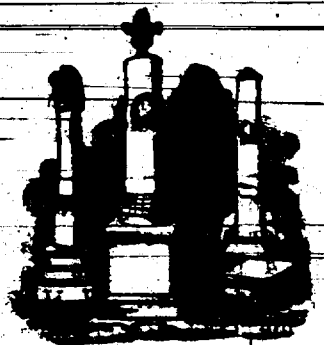
Two-thirty p. m. our doors open to an innumerable line. On they come, a steady flow. Grave top sergeants with exact change and precise statements; young, bashful recruits who speak hesitatingly of their wants. Often it is necessary to explain and advise with such for several minutes as the boys behind wait.

"It's 8:30, check time. The canteen is closed, but everybody who is now in line shall be served with what we have. We are out of everything, but cakes, coffee, lemonade and oranges."

"As I call this out I hear the groan: 'No more sandwiches!' One big brown-eyed laddie comes up to me with: 'My bunkie's sick and I wanted to take him some pudding.' There is a dish in the kitchen saved for the senior secretary, but the laddie gets it and goes away whistling.

"At last the line has disappeared. One by one they have said good-night and gone with caps, pockets, hands full of oranges and cakes. Then, the dishes washed, the tables cleared, and we, weary but satisfied with our day's labors, say good-night to our faithful soldier aids and start to our lodgings in the little village near the camp. Along the dark way we pass two stumbling figures of soldiers making their uncertain way back to camp. For them, alas, the pay day slogan has been true. But happy in the thought that our canteen has lessened such temptation, we pass even these sorry sights, content, and go to a sleep of exhaustion and peace."

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CHURCH SERVICES

PRESBYTERIAN Manassas Presbyterian Church, Rev. Alford Kelley, pastor. Sunday—Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Subject, 'Abram Leaving Home.' Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject, 'Love Your Enemies.'

LUTHERAN Bethel Lutheran Church, Rev. Edgar Z. Pence, pastor. Sunday—Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Preaching at 11 a. m.

EPISCOPAL Trinity Episcopal Church, Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, Rector. Sunday School at 10 o'clock a. m. Service first, second and fourth Sundays at 11 a. m.; third Sunday at 8 p. m.

BAPTIST Manassas Baptist Church, Rev. T. D. D. Clark, pastor. Sunday—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning service, 11 o'clock; E. Y. P. U., 6:45; evening service at 7:30. Wednesday—Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Barnett Grimsley's Appointments Bellehaven, fourth Sunday, 11 a. m. Woodbine, second and fourth Sundays, 3 p. m. Hatcher Memorial, second Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Oak Dale, third Sunday, 11 a. m. and first Sunday, 7:30 p. m. Auburn, first Sunday, 11 a. m. and third Sunday, 7:30 p. m.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST Primitive Baptist Church, Elder F. S. Dalton, pastor. Services every fourth Sunday at 11 a. m. and the Saturday preceding at 2:30 p. m.

CATHOLIC All Saints' Catholic Church, Manassas, Father William Gill, pastor. Mass at 8 a. m., first and third Sundays. Second and fourth Sundays at 12:30 a. m., followed by benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

METHODIST Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Manassas, Rev. H. Q. Best, pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Epworth League at 7:00 p. m. Buckhall, every Sunday at 3 p. m. Bradley, first Sunday at 3 p. m., third Sunday at 11 a. m.

Rev. C. K. Millican's appointments follow: Sudley—First, second and fourth Sundays, 11 a. m. Fairview—Second and fourth Sundays, 3 p. m. Gainesville—First Sunday, 3 p. m.; third and fifth Sunday, 11 a. m. Bristol—Third and fifth Sunday, 3 p. m. Woodlawn—Third and fifth Sundays, 3 p. m. Woolsey—First Sunday, 8 p. m.

UNITED BRETHREN Rev. L. C. Messick's appointments follow: Manassas—First and third Sunday, 7:30 p. m.; second and fourth Sunday, 11 a. m. Buckhall—First and third Sunday, 3 p. m. Aden—Second and fourth Sunday, 3 p. m. Midland—First and third Sunday, 11 a. m.

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IN MEMORY OF DR. R. MEAD HAMMOND

From Journal and Review, Aiken, South Carolina) Before a large congregation at St. John's Methodist Church, Sunday morning, August 25th, memorial services for the late Dr. R. Mead Hammond, were held under the direction of Rev. A. E. Driggers, the pastor and strong friend of the deceased.

The following are extracts from a memorial sermon preached from the text: "Behold an Israelite indeed, in whom is no guile." John 2:47.

This morning it is my purpose to speak briefly about a man concerning whose life these words of the Master might justly be applied. Today we pay our tribute of love and affection to the memory of one who, until recently, lived and wrought among us. Only a little more than one week ago, at the home of his boyhood, surrounded by those nearest and dearest to him by the ties of nature, our beloved and venerated friend, Dr. Hammond, passed away to the home of God and the good.

Dr. R. Mead Hammond was born at Falls Church, Va., August 12, 1875, died August 23, 1918, in the forty-third year of his life. His remains were laid to rest in the old cemetery at Leesburg, Va., by the side of his mother, who preceded him thirty years ago. He was converted and joined the Methodist church at eleven years of age. He received his literary training at Randolph Macon College, bearing the distinction of being a graduate of this time-honored institution. He attended Richmond Medical College and after graduating there, he took a further course in Baltimore, Md. In the beginning of his professional career he was married to Miss Margaret Maddox, of Manassas, Va. It was an ideal union of hearts. She was a helpmeet indeed. In the discharge of the duties of his profession her strong character, tactful manner and optimistic spirit were invaluable to him. Like the ivy to the decaying wall she clung to him with Christ-like devotion through the dark days of suffering to the end. Dr. Hammond's death was preceded by several months of intense suffering. Everything possible was done for him, but to no avail. For one week preceding his departure, he was totally blind. His throat became so affected that he couldn't take nourishment. It was feared by those attending him that his death would be the result of strangulation. But no, as gently as the coming dawn he fell asleep. The moment he passed away all traces of agony departed and his face was radiant. Those nearest him felt that the dying moment was but the reflection of the blissful state which he was entering.

Dr. Hammond, as I knew him, was a brilliant man intellectually. He was a close student of books, of nature, of human character. His alert mind had travelled over a vast range of subjects. He was one of the best informed men about the war in Europe, its causes, its progress and its probable results, that it has been my privilege to converse with. One expression often used by him I shall not soon forget: "The Allied line has been bending, bending, bending, but thank God it has never broken and never will."

Dr. Hammond as you knew him was a man of deep religious character. In his veins flowed the blood of a godly ancestry. His mother who passed away thirty-one years ago left behind the aroma of a beautiful and a holy life. His noble father, whom many of us know, was a faithful and influential preacher of the Baltimore Conference for many years and a great help to the church.

the call of the Lord of the harvest. Born of such a parentage, we can't wonder that Dr. Hammond developed into the fine character we knew. The noble Christian character which we honor today is but the flowering forth of a religious principle deeply rooted in the heart and nourished by a faithful observance of every means of grace.

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By R. G. Koiner, County Agent. Economy and conservation are habits to be diligently cultivated in ordinary times. But in these times of stress and strain they are more than doubly commendable. It is for this reason I wish to say something about cover crops.

In going about over the county I see a great many corn fields from which the corn has been cut leaving the ground bare, also large numbers of fields where pea hay has been made. I hope that in a great majority of cases all these corn and pea stubble fields will be harrowed and sown to wheat or rye for at least three reasons.

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Many people recognize the first two reasons who do not properly appreciate the third one. No system of crops is a correct one that does not provide for all land having something green growing on it during the winter and spring. The cultivation of the corn or other hoed crop, and the preparation for and growing of the peas fixes and makes available in the soil plant food that ought by all means to be conserved for future use. This available plant food is necessarily soluble in water and will surely run off the land dissolved in the rain water unless the tiny rootlets of green growing crops are all through the surface soil absorbing and holding it. The minerals, phosphorus and potash, will be carried along with particles of the soil itself, while the precious nitrogen, so liberally and freely captured for us from the air will be dissolved in the rain water and carried away even when there is no erosion.

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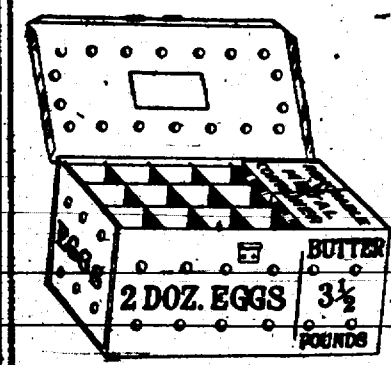
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That certain tract of land lying and being situate about one mile east of the town of Haymarket, Prince William county, Va., on the east side of the Carolina road and bounded as follows: Beginning at 1, a point in center of Carolina road, opposite a stone by a post at intersection of fence on east side of said road, a corner to Osborne; thence with the said fence N. 82 E. 98.64 poles to 2, a stake and stone in Lightner's line; thence with Lightner N. 16 1/4 E. 83.4 poles to 3, a point in center of road leading to Catharpin, stone on south side thereof, a corner to Lightner; thence with middle of said road N. 81 W. 8 poles, S. 83 1/2 W. 60 poles to 4, turn in road 20 links from three red oaks, in angle of fence, corner to Utterback; thence N. 76 1/2 W. 474.7 poles to 5, the intersection of the Carolina road and 20 links north of a stone on east side of same, corner to Utterback in Depauw's line; thence with Carolina road S. 8 1/2 W. 36 poles, S. 19 E. 14 poles, S. 44 E. 34 poles, S. 23 1/2 E. 22 poles, S. 16 1/4 E. 24 poles, S. 3 1/2 E. 15.4 poles to the beginning and containing 80 ACRES, 6 roads and 25 poles.

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