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## GREATEST EXHIBITION IN HISTORY OF MANASSAS HORSE SHOW

TWO GALA DAYS NEXT WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, JULY 26 AND 27

New Classes—Grand Races—Principal Feature Drill of Fort Myer Cavalry—Band Concerts—United States Senators and Representatives from Virginia Will Attend—German Next Wednesday Night.

### CALENDAR OF MANASSAS HORSE SHOW

#### FIRST DAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 26

7:30 a. m. Grounds open.  
8:45 a. m. Band Concert begins and continues during entire Show, except when Classes are being judged.  
9:00 a. m. Judging Classes and awarding premiums.  
12:30 p. m. Recess.  
1:30 p. m. Cavalry Drill.  
2:00 p. m. to 3:45 p. m. Judging Classes and awarding premiums.  
4:00 p. m. Flat and Steeplechase Races.

#### SECOND DAY, THURSDAY, JULY 27

7:30 a. m. Grounds open.  
8:45 a. m. Band Concert.  
9:00 a. m. Judging Classes and awarding premiums.  
12:30 p. m. Recess.  
1:30 p. m. Cavalry Drill.  
2:00 p. m. to 3:45 p. m. Judging Classes and awarding premiums.  
4:00 p. m. Flat and Steeplechase Races.

**E**QUINE aristocracy, the blue blood of the horse kingdom, will rule in the presence of thousands of admirers at the Manassas Horse Show next Wednesday and Thursday. Quality will be the competitive, determining factor in this great exposition, and exhibits in the numerous classes will maintain the fame of Virginia for fine horses. The classes are the largest in number, grade and entries ever shown in this section of the State. The attendance promises to break all records—rivalry is keener among the exhibitors and greater general interest is manifested. Special rates have been granted by the Southern railroad and from throughout the State will come crowds to witness the great exhibition, and for two gala days in Manassas.

### DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

United States Senators Thos. S. Martin and Claude Swanson, Congressmen William Jones and Carter Glass, and other possible candidates are expected to be in attendance. Their presence will add interest to the assemblage. The Horse Show German, the social event of the season, will be held next Wednesday evening in Conner's Hall.

### CAVALRY DRILL

The special feature of the Show will be a drill of the Fort Meyer Cavalry, which has been featured and shown in moving pictures over the entire world and holds the record as being the best drilled troop of horses ever exhibited.

### RACES

The races this year will be the best ever witnessed in Horse Show Park, the entries including some of the finest racing stock in the South.

### FIRST DAY

Maiden's race: About 5-8 of a mile. Purse, \$75, of which \$10 to second and \$5 to third.  
About 7-8 of a mile. Purse, \$90, of which \$10 to second and \$5 to third.

Steeplechase, about two miles. Purse \$125, of which \$15 to second and \$10 to third.

Male race: Purse \$25, of which \$7 to second and \$3 to third.

### SECOND DAY

About 5-8 of a mile. Purse, \$75, of which \$10 to second and \$5 to third.

About 7-8 of a mile. Purse, \$75, of which \$10 to second and \$5 to third.

Steeplechase for qualified hunters. Purse \$125, of which \$15 to second and \$10 to third.

### PRINCIPAL EXHIBITORS

Among the principal exhibitors are the following: James N. Andrews, Somerset, Va.; Col. Edmund Berkeley, Haymarket, Va.; Geo. C. Brenton, Manassas, Va.; Thomas Bones, Washington, D. C.; Miss Lucy C. Buckner, Gainesville, Va.; G. W. Bradshaw, Ryan, Va.; Frank W. Bennett, Brandy, Va.; Bowles Bros., Millwood, Va.; Mrs. James Birkett, Alexandria, Va.; W. M. Buckley, Catharpin, Va.; W. A. Buckley, Catharpin, Va.; H. R. Buckley, Catharpin, Va.; W. B. Bullock, Manassas, Va.; E. R. Conner, Manassas, Va.; D. F. DeButts, Marshall, Va.; Glanoso Stock Farm, Marshall, Va.; John U. Detrick, Dumfries, Va.; Mrs. J. U. Detrick, Dumfries, Va.; Miss Jane M. Detrick, Dumfries, Va.; Jas. R. Dorrell, Manassas, Va.; Miss Amy du Pont, Wilmington, Del.; J. C. Everhart, Arcola, Va.; Miss Clara L. Free, Bristow, Va.; T. E. Galleher, Haymarket, Va.; E. H. Goodwin, Manassas, Va.; S. C. Glasscock, The Plains, Va.; H. W. Herring, Nokesville, Va.; Hume & Broadbent, Bristow, Va.; Hale & Bros., Nokesville, Va.; Lee Hechinger, Washington, D. C.; Percy S. Haydon, Manassas, Va.; R. C. Haydon, Gainesville, Va.; J. F. Haydon, Gainesville, Va.; Miss Martha Hazard, Washington, D. C.; Melvin C. Hazen, Washington, D. C.; J. B. Hornbaker, Manassas, Va.; Wm. W. Hinegardner, Manassas, Va.; Major John Hutchinson, Haymarket, Va.; Dr. R. E. Iden, Jr., Manassas, Va.; J. O. Judah, Bristow, Va.; Mrs. J. O. Judah, Bristow, Va.; Dr. E. Lester Jones, Cedar, Va.; Carl Kinchloe, Manassas, Va.; C. H. Kaylor, Thoroughfare, Va.; J. C. Keith, Warrenton, Va.; Karriscofe, Mgr., Nokesville, Va.; T. O. Latham, Haymarket, Va.; J. F. Lewis, Manassas, Va.; W. N. Lipscomb, Manassas, Va.; J. G. Lunsford, Manassas, Va.; B. N. Merchant, Agt., Manassas, Va.; E. N. Marsteller, Bristow, Va.; T. H. Marks, Manassas, Va.; W. P. Merckel, Manassas, Va.; W. E. Mountjoy, Woolsey, Va.; C. J. Meetze, Bristow, Va.; Stone Orman, Washington, D. C.; Gustav Peters, Haymarket, Va.; Mrs.

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WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT, President of the United States, who will address the Blue and the Gray at the Court House Tomorrow Afternoon.

## PEACE TIDINGS FROM ACROSS SEA TO VETERANS IN BLUE AND GRAY

COLONEL ROBERT MEANS THOMPSON CABLES GREETINGS FROM LONDON Henry Hill Establishes New Claim Upon History, He Declares—Symbolizes True Feeling Between North and South—Colonel Thompson in London for Unveiling of Penn Statue.

**CABLEGRAM**  
From London, July 20, 1911.

To LIEUTENANT ROUND, Manassas, Virginia.

It is a great grief that I cannot be with you today. If your plans have been carried out, the meeting on Henry Hill will be remembered as one of the great dramatic incidents of all time. The reconciliation there symbolized represents truly the existing feeling between North and South. The good Book commands us to love one another, but it is more important that we should like and respect each other and that we have come to do, thanks to you. Henry Hill has established a new claim upon history. Present my greetings to all good Americans who meet there on the Twenty-first. Signed: ROBERT MEANS THOMPSON

From across the sea come greetings to the veterans in Blue and Gray, who tomorrow will clasp hands in friendship upon the historic field where fifty years ago they fought as foemen. It is the salutation to every old soldier from Colonel Robert Means Thompson, of New York City, who has been active in promoting the Peace Jubilee and Reunion. He was the original check for \$250, that gave financial impetus to the Manassas Jubilee movement, and he is donor of souvenir badges to be presented to veterans on Henry Hill. Now he is in London representing America in the unveiling of a statue of William Penn. He had planned to attend the Reunion, but delays in the ceremonies attending the consecration of the monument necessitate his absence from the Manassas Jubilee. The London engagement was made before the Jubilee was planned. However, Colonel Thompson will be represented at the Reunion by the Hon. Adrian Larkin, of New York City, who will speak for him and present the souvenir badges to the veterans. His son-in-law, S. H. Peil, a prominent Wall street broker, also will be present. During the war Colonel Thompson was a student at Annapolis and rendered service from the Naval Academy.

## WONDERFUL PICTURES OF PEACE JUBILEE

The Jubilee Committee was indeed fortunate in securing the services of Almeron Newman, photographer of National events, whose main office is in Rochester, N. Y.—to make the official posed still pictures of the various events Mr. Newman is on the ground with an efficient corps of skilled operators and tomorrow will make a series of panoramic pictures of the veterans on the battlefield and also a series of poses of down town events. Mr. Newman's panoramic pictures are marvelous in detail and execution and he is universally considered the peer of photographers in his line of work. Mr. Newman is also the official photographer of the Grand Army National camp fire in Rochester in August, he having served in that capacity at Salt Lake City two years ago. He was also official photographer of the United Confederate Veterans at Birmingham, Ala., three years ago and as a result he has in his negative files photographs of leading Northern and Southern veterans. Mr. Newman is particularly enthusiastic over the historical interest connected with these pictures and they will receive national recognition and publication at his hands. Dr. R. A. Gamble, president of the Columbia Inimatograph Company, of Petersburg, Va., secured the exclusive right to make motion pictures of all the events transpiring during the Manassas Jubilee celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of Bull Run. Dr. Gamble is in town with a staff of seven experts and will have these pictures to exhibit in Manassas during the Horse Show. This promises to be the greatest series of motion pictures ever made, as it will show the old soldiers of the North and South clasp hands on the battlefield of fifty years ago.

## PEACE LIGHT SHINES ON STRICKEN BATTLEFIELD AT DAWN TOMORROW

BLUE AND GRAY CLASP HANDS ON SCENE OF MEMORABLE CONFLICT

Commemorate Golden Anniversary of Battle of Bull Run With Greatest Peace Ceremonies in History of Nation—President of United States and Governor of Virginia Will Address Veterans.

### CALENDAR OF PEACE JUBILEE AND REUNION OF BLUE AND GRAY

#### THURSDAY, JULY 20, TO SATURDAY, JULY 22

National sessions of organization of "The Blue and the Gray and their Sons." Headquarters at Eastern College. General Julian S. Carr, of Durham, N. C., will preside.  
7 p. m. Camp fire at Court House.

#### FRIDAY, JULY 21

9 a. m. Veterans in Blue and Gray assemble at Henry House on battlefield.

10 a. m. Addresses of welcome by Colonel Edmund Berkeley, Eighth Virginia, and Senator Thos. S. Martin.

Responses by General John E. Gilman, Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, and General George W. Gordon, Grand Commander of the United Confederate Veterans, and others.

Presentation of souvenir badges from Colonel Robert M. Thompson, New York.

Noon. Veterans marshalled in review and the lines of Blue and Gray clasp hands in friendship on scene of conflict in emity fifty years ago. Reproduction of peace scene in motion pictures.

1 p. m. Luncheon and Love Feast.

2 p. m. Return to Manassas.

4 p. m. Forty-eight young ladies, representing States of the Union, clasp hands and forming a circle, sing Manassas National Jubilee Anthem.

4:30 p. m. Addresses by President of the United States and Governor of Virginia.

**D**AWN of the golden anniversary of the First Battle of Manassas tomorrow will cast light of eternal peace over the historic Bull Run battlefield when veterans in Blue and Gray, foemen fifty years ago, clasp hands in friendship. Forty-eight young women, representing the States in the Union will sing the Manassas National Anthem "United," while United States troops and Virginia militia will form the background. Promptly at noon the lines of Blue and Gray will be marshalled in review and as they march by each veteran will clasp the hand of a former foe.

The veterans in Blue and Gray will meet at the Henry House in the morning at 9 o'clock, and addresses will be delivered there by Colonel Edmund Berkeley, of the Eighth Virginia, and the Hon. Thos. S. Martin, United States Senator from Virginia. Responses will be given by General John E. Gilman, Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, General George W. Gordon, Grand Commander of the United Confederate Veterans, and others. Souvenir badges will be presented to the veterans by the Hon. Adrian Larkin, of New York, in behalf of Colonel Robert Means Thompson.

Down the roads and through streets brilliantly decorated with the Union Stars and Stripes and the Confederate Stars and Bars, the veterans leaving the battlefield at 2 o'clock, after luncheon, where they will be addressed by President Taft and Governor Mann, at 4:30 o'clock.

The Governor and his staff are expected to arrive in town in the morning. Following are the plans of the President and his party:

The Presidential Party will consist of the following gentlemen: The President, C. D. Hillis, Secretary to the President; Major A. W. Butt; Senator Martin; Representative Carlin; James Sloan, Secret Service Officer; R. L. Jervis, Secret Officer.

The President and party will leave Washington about 12:30 p. m., arriving at Fairfax Court House about 2 p. m., stopping there about thirty minutes for luncheon. Arrive in Manassas at 4 p. m., where they will be met on Main street near the Presbyterian Church by two troops of cavalry, who will precede the President's automobile, traversing Center, Battle, Church, West and Lee avenue to the South entrance of Court House Grounds.

The President and party leaving their automobiles will walk to the speaker's stand between double rows of infantry, where the Governor and staff will be awaiting them.

The following will be the order of seating the distinguished visitors: In front of the choir stand will be the speaker's stand, on the right of the President will be seated Representative Carlin, Senator Martin, and Westwood Hutchison. On the left of the President will be the Governor, Geo. C. Round and G. Raymond Barchiff. Directly in the rear of the President will be the President's Secretary C. D. Hillis, Major Butt, Messrs. Sloan and Jervis, Secret Service officers.

The program of the stand will be as follows: The Reception Committee will meet the President at the entrance of the Court House grounds and conduct him to the stand. A tableau of girls representing each State in the Union will be arranged on the platform, awaiting the President, and will sing the Manassas National Jubilee Song as he enters. Immediately following the song Mr. Westwood Hutchison will introduce Representative Carlin, who will introduce the Governor, and then the Governor will introduce the President. After the President's address, the exercises will conclude with a song by the chorus. The audience will remain standing in their places until the President has passed out of the grounds. The infantry will remain in a double line, extending from the Court House to the gate, until after the President has been seated in his automobile. The two troops of cavalry, which escorted the

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CURRENT EVENTS

Postmaster General Hitchcock says applications from depositors to purchase postal saving bonds July 1 aggregated 42,000. Charles Schultz, of Oklahoma City, dropped to instant death at Phillips, Okla., when after he had become entangled in the gyroscope of a burning balloon and been carried several hundred feet in the air, the charred rope gave way. No less than 63,000,000 barrels of beer were sold in the United States during the 12 months ending June 30, last, or an increase over the previous twelve months of 6.21 per cent, according to the annual report of the beer and whisky sales made public today by the United States Brewers Association. The highest price ever paid for a book was paid in New York last week to secure one of the extant copies of the Bible printed by Gutenberg in Mainz, Germany, about 1752—the first publication ever printed anywhere in the world from movable types. George D. Smith, a book seller, obtained it at the round sum of \$50,000. Sheriff John M. Townsend has appointed Miss Mollie Spicer, 25 years old, as the first woman deputy sheriff in Dutchess county, New York. She gave a bond of \$2,000 and received a badge. Miss Spicer's service in rescuing children from worthless parents under authority of the State Charities Aid Association carries her into wild localities. For her protection and to facilitate the service of warrants she obtained the appointment of deputy sheriff. The Kaiser is a great reader and while he tries to keep himself abreast of current events his favorite book is the Bible, says the London Chronicle. A well-thumbed and marked copy is always by his bedside. When Mr. Roosevelt visited Berlin last year, the Kaiser made him a present of a number of books. About half of them referred to theology and the others to military subjects. These two classes indicate the Kaiser's own preferences. A break in the main pump at the city water works pumping station has necessitated the use of creek and lake water for two weeks. Taking the accident as a basis for a resolution, the Canton W. G. T. U. went on record yesterday in protest against alleged carelessness on the part of the city officials in delaying the work on the standpipes which will meet emergency needs of the city. The resolution says in part: "Impure drinking water has driven many to the use of beer and other alcoholic beverages, which would not otherwise use them." Margaret Scherman, whose married name is Judge J. A. Wurdemann, of Clayton, Mo., into granting her a divorce recently against Harry G. Schuermann, called up her lawyer, L. G. Peery of Clayton, and demanded to know what she should do to keep her erstwhile husband from "courting." At first Mr. Peery thought the woman referred to civil proceedings pending, but she presently made it clear, however, that the versatile adaptable male in whose face she had the pleasure of flaunting a divorce decree was already pleased with bonied words for a reconciliation and a resumption of the marriage ceremony. She declines. They have seven children from 7 to 17 years old. Maloney's Only Son. Maloney's only son, who was named Maloney, died of the eye. He had the eye in the eye. Neb. girl mistook her husband for some time with chronic headache and stomach trouble. Hamburgers and Stomach. Hamburgers and stomach trouble. A good medicine. A good medicine. A good medicine.

MONEY-SAVING TIPS

First insertion, five cents a line. Subsequent, three cents a line. NOTICE. I wish to advise my patients that on account of the death of a relative my office will be closed until Saturday morning. Dr. R. E. WINE, 3331. LOST. Near Hoody, Sunday evening, blue serge coat, size 37. Owner can identify. Five dollars reward if returned to office of T. S. DEMOREST, 3311. For Rent—Four room house on Carter street. Apply to M. J. HOTTLE, 3317. FOUND. Black and white setter. Owner can have same by identification and by paying for this advertisement. M. LYNCH, JR., 3311. For Sale—Yoke of oxen, and about ten bushels of January potatoes. Call on H. H. MANSBACH, Va. R. D. 2, or Canova line, 3312. Cherry stoners and settees just arrived at S. T. Hall's Store, 3117. For Sale—Twenty horse-power boiler, engine and saw mill in first class condition. Also ten horse-power traction engine. Call on E. W. CORNWELL, near Blankford bridge, or address Independent Hill, 2917. Nine nice shanty for sale, good stock and in good condition. Apply to D. J. COPE, one mile west of Manassas, Va. 3222. WANTED TO TRADE. Wanted—To trade town property consisting of brick buildings and sites they occupy for farm property. Apply to D. LIBEAU, Manassas, Va. 3213. Lost—Pair gold-finished eyeglasses. Reward for return to the office of THIS DEMOCRAT. Insure your grain in stock market and get the best rates. See AUSTIN. A MAN FROM FRANCE. P. de Bellis. One of the most famous and professional shaving barbers in the world. Has scientific touches. Wishes to try the hardest beard in Manassas. Free test. Employed in Koonz Barber Shop, N. H. Koons Barber-Parlor, Battle street, Manassas, Va. All kinds of upholstering, carriage trimming, harness making and repairs by F. Vollbrecht, Manassas, Va. 3232. DANCING PICNIC. There will be a dancing picnic, beginning at 10 a. m., and dancing until 10 p. m., at Clifton, Va. SATURDAY, JULY 22. There will be plenty of good music. The public is cordially invited. All kinds of refreshments served. The best order will be maintained on grounds. Lost on streets of Manassas, a fountain pen. Reward to finder, J. D. ARTHUR LEITE, 3232. The barber shop is still open at Nokesville on Friday and at Clifton on Saturday. JOHN HANSEN, Barber, 2324. Imported riding saddles from \$15 up at AUSTIN'S. FOR SALE—Between twenty thousand and thirty thousand dollars worth of good, bankable paper, drawing six per cent interest. Apply to Box 116, Manassas, Va. 3211. All of AUSTIN'S fire insurance policies have the lightning clause. BOARDERS WANTED. First class table; nice rooms in shaded location. Address 3, care THIS DEMOCRAT. 3224. For Sale—A farm of 804 acres, 24 miles from Manassas, 9-room house, large barn, orchard, splendid water at foot of hill. Call on J. W. LEEDY, 3232. NOTICE. All persons are warned against hunting or trespassing on the Godfrey farm, near Manassas, unless permission has been obtained of C. D. Baker, who has been appointed agent. Offenders will be prosecuted. Second hand furniture, half price; good as new. REGULAR meals and short orders, week water, cigars and cigars. Jordan and Thomas' Restaurant. Buy prepared roofing of B. C. Cornwall and save money. A good buggy harness at AUSTIN'S for \$15. Pumps promptly repaired. Apply to W. E. Goode. CATTLE FOR SALE—Fifteen head of two-year-olds and up; also 200 bushels seed rye. Apply to J. W. Leedy, 3232. Wanted—Boarders at Manassas Cafe, 54 1/2 Cent street. Not an Episcopian. "All men are created equal." "I am a man and I am a Christian." "I am a man and I am a Christian." "I am a man and I am a Christian." Greatly reduced round trip fares from all principal points in Virginia including Washington, D. C., via Southern Railway to Black Mountain, N. C., for the annual meeting of the National Religious Assemblies. Tickets on sale July 15, 27, 28, August 1, 4, 8, 12, 15 and 19, 1911, final return limit Sept. 1, 1911. For full particulars call on agents or write L. S. Brown, G. A., 706 15th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

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VIRGINIA NEWS

John Wesley Burton, a farmer of Stafford county, who was reported dead on the street, Frederickburg, Saturday, dropped dead on the street. Commissioner of Agriculture G. W. Koiner is arranging for a series of farmers' institutes to begin August 12. The first stop will be in Showville, Montgomery county, and the Northern Neck counties will be covered. The tomato crops on Coan and Yeocomico rivers in Northumberland county, have been greatly damaged by the extremely hot weather, the fruit being blistered in the field, making it unfit for market. The crop will be short. A young son of Mrs. Virginia Brooks of Lynchburg, finding a dynamite cartridge, ran to his mother, asking what it was. Mrs. Brooks did not know, but proceeded to investigate with a hatpin. The cap exploded, causing her serious injury. Chatham is to have a new paper, The Chatham Enterprise, and it will make its first appearance early in August as a semi-weekly. Half a hundred of Chatham's leading business and professional men have organized a company for the operation of the newspaper. Workers started Friday laying the foundation of the new Methodist church which the Harrisonburg congregation is erecting. The building will cost about \$60,000, and will be one of the finest in the Valley. The church, it is said, is to an extent, modeled after Epworth church in Norfolk. The pastor is Rev. H. Sherman. W. Wallace Rowe, of the old Wayland Homestead, at Crozet, came across a Confederate cavalryman's sword on the Fourth and which was left in the woods in that section during or soon after the Civil War. On the strap attached to the handle, are cut the initials "L. A. F." He is willing to give up the sword to the rightful claimant. In consideration of the limited means at the command of the State Board of Health for the prosecution of the fight against tuberculosis, and acting for the good of the community as a whole, it has been decided to limit the term of treatment at the Catawba Sanatorium to six months. The resident physician may, in cases where he deems it advisable, extend this limit, but the rule will stand, the exceptions being actually few in view of the position taken by the Board. A Carnegie library appears to be a certainty for Harrisonburg. At the June meeting of the Town Council it was unanimously decided that the town would furnish a site and \$1,000 a year, provided Mr. Carnegie would give \$10,000 for the building. From Skibo Castle comes a letter from Mr. Carnegie accepting the proposition. The Town Council has nothing to do but stand pat on its own terms to get a library. The matter will be decided at the next meeting of the Council. Your Own Opinion. Public opinion is a weak tyrant compared with our own private opinion. What a man thinks of himself, that is his true determination, or rather his destiny. His destiny—Henry D. Thoreau. IN MEMORIAM. In sad but loving remembrance of little Beverly McIntosh, who died July 28, 1910. For the month of August, we are again reminded of the little child who was taken from us. Let us have others like it. Right in your busiest season when you have the least time to spare you are most likely to take diarrhoea and lose several days' time, unless you have Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand and take a dose on the first appearance of the trouble. For sale by all druggists. Greatly Reduced Round Trip Excursion Fares to Niagara Falls, N. Y. Southern Railway takes pleasure in announcing greatly reduced round trip excursion fares from important Virginia points on June 30, July 12, 23, August 4, 9, 25, 30, September 8, 13, 22, 27, October 5 and 11, 1911; to Niagara Falls and return, final limit 16 days including date of sale. Stop-overs permitted on the return trip.

DEATH OF JAS. P. HULFISH

Mr. Jas. P. Hulfish, a life-long resident of Haymarket, died at his home on the morning of June 23, aged sixty-eight years. He had been a great sufferer for the last twelve years with a peculiar nervous affection, often racked with pain such as no one knew except himself and his Maker. Long and weary were the nights and mornings brought no relief. Only those who were familiar with his suffering can know that death to him was a welcome messenger, and felt that his oft-repeated desire that his soul be released from this torment of clay had indeed been granted and he was with Him he had humbly and truly served from his early youth. The funeral services were held in the Baptist church of which he was a consistent member, the Rev. T. D. D. Clarke, pastor, officiating. Interment was at Antioch by the side of a beloved daughter who preceded him to the better land some years ago in the morning of her life. Mr. Hulfish was one of the first to respond to his country's call when the clarion note of war was sounded. He joined the Prince William Cavalry in a company conspicuous for gallantry and daring, and served through the war. Although nearly half a century has passed away since those stirring times and few of his old comrades are left to answer the roll call, yet it was the men who wore the Gray who bore him to his last resting place. The pallbearers were Dr. H. M. Clarkson, Capt. Jas. E. Herrell, Henry F. Lynn, Jno. W. Hall, J. P. Smith and Jas. W. Bell. Mr. Hulfish is survived by his widow, who was Miss Mary Virginia Smith, three born daughters, of Lottsboro, Pa., Jas. A., and Lawrence A., of Alexandria; one daughter, Miss Ruth, and one grand daughter, Miss Irene, Demery. A large concourse of friends and relatives followed his remains to the quiet cemetery beneath the shadow of the mountains, and beautiful floral tributes bore testimony to the love and sympathy of his many friends. PRIZES FOR CORN CONTEST. W. A. Cook, Fielding Contest, in the July number of The American Agriculturist. Thomas H. Lion gives \$25, the board of supervisors a trip to Norfolk Woodlawn farm, a registered Southdown ram from imported stock and White Plymouth Rock chickens in the boys' corn growing contest at Manassas Agricultural High School. Written reports will be given showing method and cost of seeding, cultivation and harvest. The prize will be awarded where the cost of the crop exceeds the market value. Many of us have a notion that these corn shows, like most of the poultry associations, are going flat on fancy points, regardless of cost or consequences. Land is advancing rapidly. We would like to hear from more small users of water power as to character and construction of dams, most satisfactory electrical installation, economy and dependability of the service, and how much expert attention necessary to keep going. American Agriculturist, betwixt number is a hummer. Let's have others like it. Dealers in Staple and Fancy Groceries. Provisions, Fruit, Etc. FRESH AND SALT MEATS. Game and Oysters in Season. A FULL LINE OF Sporting Goods. FISHING TACKLE. BASE BALLS. GLOVES. RIFLES, GUNS AND AMMUNITION. BICYCLES AND REPAIRS. Will gladly serve people in any part of the county.

13th Annual Reunion Nef-Rice Camp

Confederate Veterans, Forestville Crossing, (New Market), Va., August 10 and 11, 1911. Southern Railway has authorized an account of the above occasion very low round trip fares from all stations between Harrisonburg and Front Royal, inclusive, dates of sale August 9, 10 and 11, 1911, with first limit August 12, 1911. Special train will leave Front Royal August 11, 6:00 a. m., making all stops up to and including Quickburg, arriving at Forestville about 7:30 p. m. Same date special train will leave Forestville 9:30 a. m., August 11, stopping at all points, arriving at Forestville Crossing 10:30 a. m. On same afternoon at 4:00 p. m., this train will leave Forestville crossing for Harrisonburg. On same date special train will leave Forestville Crossing on August 10 and 11. For further information consult agent or write L. S. Brown, G. A., 706 15th St., N. W., Washington, D. C. 3242. For summer diarrhoea in children always give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and castor oil, and a speedy cure is certain. For sale by all dealers. Southern Railway Began to Announce that Low Rate Round Trip Excursion Tickets will be in Effect for the Following Horse Shows: Manassas Horse Show, Manassas, Va., July 26 and 27, 1911. Orange Horse Show, Orange, Va., August 2 and 3, 1911. Albemarle Horse Show, Charlottesville, Va., August 9 and 10, 1911. Summit Royal Horse Show, Front Royal, Va., August 15 and 16, 1911. Warrenton Horse Show, Warrenton, Va., August 30 and 31, 1911. Consent agents—W. A. Brown, General Agent, 706 15th street, north-west, Washington, D. C., for further particulars. Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed and cannot be obtained when on board the cars or steamships. For sale by all dealers. Low Week End Summer Excursion Fares will be placed on sale by Southern Railway each Saturday and Sunday, May 27, 28 and including October 1, 1911, from Washington to Alexandria, Richmond and Washington; Harrisonburg, Blomont and intermediate points, final return limit Monday following date of sale. These week end fares will apply only in the reverse direction—L. S. Brown, General Agent, 706 15th street, north-west, Washington and Alexandria, and return. L. S. Brown, G. A., Washington, D. C. In His Line. "He is building an immense artificial mountain on his country estate. 'Well, I guess it comes out or natural for him to put up a block'." Frank. Spirella Corsets, fitted to your form, and give irregularities, bring out beauty lines and give supreme comfort, fit and style. Guaranteed one year against rust or breakage. Send for catalogue for appointment. Write or telephone for appointment. Will call at your home. Mrs. Nancy M. Hanson, Harrisburg, N. Y. Given, osanna, rich or salt water sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Don't Ointment gives the most obstinate cases. Why suffer? All druggists sell it. Maddox & Byrd. Dealers in Staple and Fancy Groceries. Provisions, Fruit, Etc. FRESH AND SALT MEATS. Game and Oysters in Season. A FULL LINE OF Sporting Goods. FISHING TACKLE. BASE BALLS. GLOVES. RIFLES, GUNS AND AMMUNITION. BICYCLES AND REPAIRS. Will gladly serve people in any part of the county.

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TOPICS OF THE TOWN

Miss Mattie B. Weir is visiting in Urbana. L. O. Lynn, of Alexandria, is here on a visit. John Leary, of Occoquan, was in town Tuesday. R. T. Hayes, of Warrenton, was in town Tuesday. J. W. Teates spent Sunday with his parents at Bealeton. A son was born last Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Athey. A dancing picnic will be held at Chifton next Saturday, July 22. C. E. Tysinger, of Pittsburg, was a guest this week of W. L. Clark. Mrs. Anna Wagener, of Washington, is a guest of Mrs. W. C. Wagener. A false alarm called the fire department to the Wenrich residence Monday morning. Mrs. W. S. Allenworth and son, Carl, leave today to visit relatives at Hagerstown, Md. A dancing picnic will be held in Devlin's Grove, near Langyher's Mill, on Saturday, July 23. Miss Mary Virginia Wright of Richmond, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ida G. Arthur, at the rectory. W. A. Allenworth, of Wheeling, W. Va., was here last week visiting his brother, W. S. Allenworth. I. M. Kimmey, of Washington, representing the United Mercantile Agency, of Chicago, was in town Tuesday. Charles E. Lipscomb and family, of Plainfield, N. J., arrived today to visit his mother, Mrs. W. E. Lipscomb. Regular summer examinations of public school teachers will be held in the Bennett building, July 26, 27 and 28. Mrs. Pete Young and Miss Lillian Miller, of Alexandria, were visitors at the home of C. E. Fisher the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Benoit and little daughter, Marie, of Natchez, Miss., are guests of Mrs. Benoit's parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Idean. Grover Muddiman, of the Southern Express company, Washington, was a Sunday visitor to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Muddiman. John G. Leitold and Miss Catherine Charles, both of Chattanooga, Tenn., were married by the Rev. J. K. Ebird at the Lutheran parsonage Tuesday. The second annual tournament, jumping contest and races will be held at Haymarket, August 4, beginning at 10 o'clock. Luncheon will be served on the grounds. Mrs. Kate Sexton, of Washington, who served in the Confederate Treasury in Richmond and signed the Confederate notes, will attend the Peace Jubilee and Reunion tomorrow. James K. Dorrell is building an addition, 20x45 feet, to the rear of his livery stable on West street. The stable has been re-painted and a 30-candle power light installed at the front entrance. Prof. J. Luther Kibler has bought 3 1/2 acres from F. A. Cockrell on Stonewall road and Park street, opposite the property owned by Paul Nelson. He expects to build a residence on the site. Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. McDonald have moved to their summer home, Oakwood farm, near Warrenton. Mr. McDonald, a retired coke manufacturer, recently purchased the property from J. R. Metcalf. Mrs. Martha E. Barbee, widow of the late J. M. Barbee, was in town Wednesday last week at the home of her step-son, C. A. Barbee, near Token. She was 76 years old. Her husband was in the Confederate Army.

Will Spaulding, of Ft. Thomas, Ky., is the guest of W. Harold Lipscomb. Miss "Peggy" Fred, of Washington, is visiting Miss Marie Leachman at Bristol. Pretty flower plots have been set out in the park adjoining the Hopkins candy factory. Thos. R. Leachman, of Lynchburg, visited his sister, Mrs. Bessie Elliott, last Friday. Frank N. Buck, of Norfolk, is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Buck, at Mtford. Mrs. M. E. Woodson and daughters, Louise and Margaret, of Baltimore, are visiting relatives here. David King, of Mt. Washington, Md., is visiting his uncle, D. J. Arrington and attending the Peace Jubilee. A number of interesting war relics are exhibited in the windows at the office of THE Democrat. They are the property of A. S. Hottle. Miss Lucy Larkin won the silver medal in the second debating contest conducted by Woodbine Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy. The production of Hiawatha booked for Conner's Hall for last night and tonight, was cancelled. The play may be presented here at a future date. Mrs. W. F. Merchant is entertaining her sister, Mrs. R. J. Wood, of Lynchburg, and Miss Aline Smith, of Baltimore, and Miss Jane Detrick, of Dumfries. Mrs. R. F. Barham and children leave today to spend ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Braxner, at Luray. She is accompanied by her niece, Miss Nellie Wood. A series of meetings, with preaching by the Rev. W. R. Conner, of Bridgewater, will begin at the Bradley Church of the Brethren next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 8 o'clock. Dr. R. E. Wine yesterday received a telegram apprising him of the death of John D. Golladay, husband of Dr. Wine's sister at Mount Jackson. Dr. and Mrs. Wine left last night to attend the funeral and will return Saturday morning. Aubrey Muddiman won the scholarship in the International Correspondence Schools offered by Dr. C. R. C. Johnson in the guessing contest at the Prince William Pharmacy. His guess was 7,776, within eighteen of the number of beans in the jar. A gravestone exhibited in the windows of the Prince William Pharmacy is a grim relic of the war. The stone was placed up in a field at Liberia farm by Alfred Bouffier. The inscription, all but effaced by time, reads: "W. F. Hargue, Co. C, Fourth North Carolina, September 4, 1861." W. C. Ewing, of Yonkers, N. Y., is attending the Jubilee and Reunion. His father, Colonel Thomas Ewing, a distinguished Union soldier, commanded the Eleventh Kansas Regiment and later was brigadier general in charge of the district of the Missouri border. He died in New York City in 1896. Bringing with him the bullet with which he was wounded in the battle of Chancellorsville, James A. Kibler, of Woodstock, is here for the Jubilee and Reunion. When the bullet was extracted, Mr. Kibler kept it for a relic. Mr. Kibler enlisted with the Muhlenberg Rifles at Woodstock. He is visiting his son, Prof. J. Luther Kibler. Henry Christopher, Jr., fast year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Moore, of Bristol, died shortly after 10 o'clock last night of blood poisoning caused by a tack penetrating his left foot. The wound was inflicted last Tuesday while the child was walking down stairs. The funeral will be held tomorrow, Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the Presbyterian Church in Manassas.

Miss Helma Chesman, of Washington, is visiting Mrs. J. W. Bernhard. A meeting of the fire department will be held Thursday evening, July 27. Mrs. Ella Southcomb and Miss Cuttrel, of Washington, are visitors here this week. Miss Kathryn Boorman, of Washington, visited friends here and at Bristol last week. John A. Nicol has sold his residence property on North Main street to Charles Leachman. H. Griffith is very ill at his home on Grant avenue. He was overcome by the heat two weeks ago. J. H. Tillett has bought a small tract of land from William Pearson on Occoquan Run at Davis Ford bridge. James Birkett and family, of Alexandria, will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bullock during the Horse Show. Sergeant J. W. Wilcoxen has resumed duty after several weeks vacation. Assistant Sergeant S. T. Hail will remain on duty until after the Horse Show. A festival will be held in O. F. A. Hall, Independent Hill, next Saturday afternoon, July 22, beginning at 1 o'clock, for benefit of Independent Hill Council No. 34, O. F. A. His horse frightened by a passing train, Dr. J. C. Meredith was thrown from his buggy at the depot Saturday afternoon and slightly injured. The vehicle was wrecked. The Hopkins factory and park are brilliantly decorated with electric lights in honor of the Jubilee and Reunion. The effect is particularly pleasing and artistic and an evidence of civic pride worthy of emulation. On account of the death of his brother, General W. B. Oakes, Massachusetts militia, retired, may be unable to attend the Jubilee and Reunion. He was to have represented the Fifth Massachusetts that fought here during the war. The Manassas Civic League will hold its next meeting in Nicol Hall next Tuesday night, July 25, at 8 o'clock. As some matters of special interest will be brought before the meeting all members and others interested are asked to be present. J. C. Conner, of Albany, N. Y., a veteran of the Mexican war, is attending the Jubilee and Reunion and is a guest at the Hixson residence. He served in Company A, Engineer Corps under Scott and Taylor. He had two brothers in the Civil War. Historically correct will be the tableau of the Thirteenth Original States on the Hall Run battlefield tomorrow. Each State has sent a design of its flag, while South Carolina has sent its flag with design of palmetto in the center and crescent in the corner. Although Saint Swithin's day, last Sunday, passed without rain, a fine shower Monday morning brought relief from the intense heat and excessive dust. Occasional showers will be acceptable, if we cannot have the traditional forty days of wet weather, following a rainy Saint Swithin's day. J. L. Meetze celebrated his seventy-seventh birthday anniversary Monday, July 10, with a family reunion, attended by his sons, Chris J., of Millford Mills, Mantion, Westtown, and Thomas of Stafford county. Mrs. Chris Meetze also was present. J. L. Meetze has resided in Prince William county since 1880. During the Civil War he served with the Thirteenth South Carolina. Quite a collection of good recent fiction has been added lately to the Ruffner-Carnegie Library including works by Gilbert Parker, Mary Johnson, Thomas Dixon, O. Henry, Hopkinson-Smith, Myra Kelly, Margaret Deland, C. N. and A. M. Williamson, etc. Mary Johnson's famous new book, "The Long Roll," Gilbert Parker's "Seats of the Mighty," and Helen Keller's "Autobiography," are among the new volumes of special interest. Books may be taken from the library every Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock.

New barns have been completed at Birmingham Stock Farm for the importation of European stallions which will arrive in Manassas in August. The proprietor, W. B. Bullock, declares the exhibit from Birmingham Stock Farm will be one of the finest in the history of the Manassas Horse Show. Caught between two cars at a late hour last night, in the Montpelier yards, Joseph Jacobs, of Calverton, brakeman on local freight No. 61, well known in Manassas, had his left arm smashed to a pulp below the elbow. The arm was amputated this morning at the University Hospital in Charlottesville. An interesting feature of the Jubilee and Reunion, holding strong appeal for the veterans is the exhibit of war relics in the Colonial Museum, conducted by ladies of Trinity Episcopal church in the M. L. C. building. The exhibition is worth visiting for its historical interest as it is the most extensive display of war relics ever made in this section. A primitive spear, fashioned of iron, weapon used by natives along the Congo-River in Africa, is a valued possession of George Larson, a gift of the Rev. Nelson, missionary for the American Baptist Association. The wife of the missionary died in Africa. While on the way home with his little daughter the Rev. Nelson died in England. The child was brought to America by the Baptist Association and is now living in Minden, Neb. An official of the Penn-Vir Coal, Oil and Gas company, in an interview yesterday said: "Work is progressing very satisfactorily at the Nokesville well. The drillers think gas will be struck first and that preparations should be made to save it. When the block of stock offered at \$1.50 a share is sold the price will advance to \$2 a share. The prospects for success are brighter than they have ever been and the company is in better financial shape." An accident to their private car in Richmond prevented the appearance of Prof. Eph Williams Minstrels in Manassas last Saturday. However, the company will appear here tonight and Friday in their canvas theater on a lot near the depot. The press agent promises a guaranteed attraction, a show in a class by itself, the most artistic minstrel performance ever given under canvas, by merry monarchs of music and mirth, thirty colored minstrel stars. These will be a street parade each day at noon. Dr. J. Garland Hamner, for twelve years pastor of the Manassas Presbyterian Church, died last Thursday at his home in Baltimore. He was 75 years old. The funeral was held Saturday with interment in Loudoun Park Cemetery, Baltimore, where also is the grave of his wife. It had been reported that the resignation of Dr. Hamner from the Manassas pastorate last October. He is survived by two sons, the Rev. J. Garland Hamner, Jr., of New Jersey, and Charles Hamner, of New York, and by three daughters, Misses Jane and Emma Hamner, of Baltimore, and a married daughter in Syracuse, N. Y. Dr. Hamner was a most popular and capable pastor and a model citizen. His death is mourned by many friends in Manassas.

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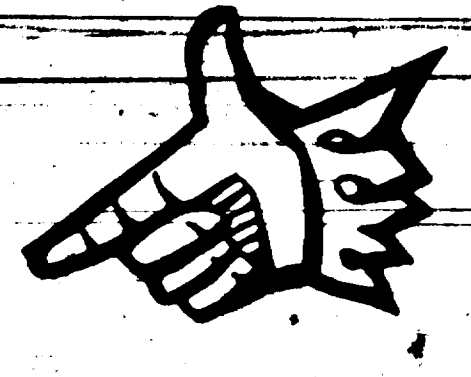
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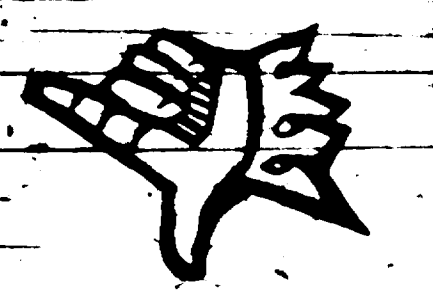
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Leghorn Cockerel.

A meal mash in the morning and whole or cracked corn at noon and night brought about the same results. These experiments were tried during the spring months before the fowling had access to yards or free range.

Later in the season when on free range the same rations were fed with the same result, but attended with fewer deaths.

There is danger in feeding the flock too highly, or, in other words, upon food too rich in blood and fat-making ingredients.

The first shipment of Leghorn fowls to America from Leghorn, Italy, was in the year 1824. The variety immediately became popular from its prolific laying and non-sitting qualities, holding the same place among poultry that the Jersey holds among cattle. Leghorns are excellent foragers, of lively, active, restless dispositions and will pick up a good part of their living, thriving best when allowed a wide range.

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If poultry manure can be obtained in abundance it will be a temptation to load it on a manure spreader and haul it to the field. But no manure spreader can handle it successfully unless it is mixed with coarse cow or horse manure. It is better to follow the old "armstrong" method—apply it by shoveling from the ordinary wagon. This gives you the advantage of controlling the thickness of application.

The field should not be plowed very deeply after the manure is applied. It would be much better to harrow it in, but a shallow plowing is satisfactory.

Many piles of hen manure are allowed to go to waste on the farm because the results from its application were not satisfactory. If applied the correct way these instructions, bearing in mind that it is rich in nitrogen, the increased production will be gratifying.

# POULTRY NOTES

Large flaked bran is the best. Millet seed contains considerable flesh forming substance. Common Bold peas make an excellent egg producing food.

According to the food to the health and prosperity of the hen.

Meat scraps should be kept in a cool place to avoid heating.

White middlings contain more nutriment than the brown kind.

It is claimed that carrots improve the color of the yolk of the egg.

Barley should be fed only occasionally as it is a hard grain to digest.

The two chief losses in setting hens are lice and interference of other hens.

Early hatching has been a great factor in the production of winter-laying strains.

In an easy matter to overcome and poultrymen should bear this in mind.

In order to manufacture eggs it is necessary for a hen to be supplied with the proper material.

To make sure that fowls have enough grit it should be kept where they can help themselves as will.

# JOSIAH'S DEVOTION TO GOD

Sunday School Lesson for July 23, 1911  
Specially Arranged for This Paper

**LESSON TEXT**—II Chron. 34:1-11  
**MEMORY VERSE**—I, 2  
**GOLDEN TEXT**—"Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth."—Ecc. 12:1

**TIME**—Josiah began to reign B. C. 640 in the 46th year of Judah as a separate kingdom.

He reigned 31 years, till B. C. 609.

**PLACE**—Judah and Jerusalem. But his reforms extended over a considerable part of the territory of the Northern Kingdom which had become extinct in 722-721, 28 years before Josiah came to the throne.

Josiah was the grandson of Manasseh, whose career we studied in our last lesson. He was born at Jerusalem, B. C. 648. His father was Amon, who followed the example of his father's earlier years. He reigned but two years, when he was murdered by his courtiers in his own palace. The people rose against the conspirators and made his eight-year-old son king in his place. Josiah's mother was Jedidah, the daughter of Adaiah. They belonged in Bosath, a town near Lachish in southwestern Judah, in the plains toward the Mediterranean sea. While King Amon was an idolater, and his court was corrupt, it is possible that Josiah's mother kept the true faith.

He began to reign when he was eight years old. Like his grandfather, Manasseh, he must for several years have been guided and his kingdom controlled by his mother or by prime ministers. The worshippers of Jehovah must have been in contact with the palace, the wise and religious teachers of the true God and the true religion. So that for the first sixteen years of his life the young Josiah must have been under good influences, while he also would know of his father's tragic death, and his grandfather's sins, sufferings, and repentance. And his ancestor, David, was ever before him as his ideal, his hero, his saint.

About the time when Josiah was twenty years old, and in the twelfth year of his reign, when he had begun his reforms, there came an invading host from the far east like a cyclone, an overwhelming scourge. Jeremiah foretells them in vivid pictures. But Herodotus tells us who they were, the Scythians "from the regions over Caucasus, vast nameless hordes of men, who sweeping past Assyria, unchecked, poured upon Palestine. We can realize the event from our knowledge of the Mongol and Tartar invasions which in later centuries pursued the same path southwards. Living in the saddle, with no infantry nor chariots to delay them, these Centaurs swept on with a speed of lightning, hitherto unknown. In 639 they had crossed the Caucasus, by 638 they were on the borders of Egypt."

The prophet, Jeremiah, describes in picturesque terms this invasion. "The lion is come up from his thicket;" "The destroyer of nations is on his way;" "Behold he cometh as clouds, and his chariot shall be as the whirlwind;" "Their quiver is an open sepulcher, they are all mighty men;" "They are cruel and have no mercy; their voice roareth like the sea; and they ride upon horses, set in array as men of war against thee."

It is easy to see how this terrible invader, coming so near, just as Josiah was beginning his reforms, must have interfered with his plans.

Josiah began his reformation in his twelfth year, but the invasion of the Scythians soon after this beginning interfered with the work. The savage and cruel host came close to Judah's borders. Scattered bands may have entered the kingdom. Terror reigned. Defense must be strengthened. Outposts rushed to Jerusalem and the fortified cities. How far the reformation had progressed we do not know. But the chronicler having recorded the beginning simply goes on with the story, as is frequently done by historians.

The restoration of the Temple was intrusted to a committee of three—Shaphan, the secretary of state; and Manasseh, the governor of the city, the mayor of Jerusalem; and Jehoiakim, the recorder, the keeper of the records, the historian. The temple built by Solomon, was completed 460 years before Josiah began his restoration. The ravages of time, with neglect and abuse during the sway of idolatry must have rendered it sadly in need of repair. It was during these repairs that the Book of Law was found.

The work interrupted by the Scythian hordes is now resumed with greatly increased intensity and enthusiasm, through the new consecration of king and people, due to the finding of the Book of the Law.

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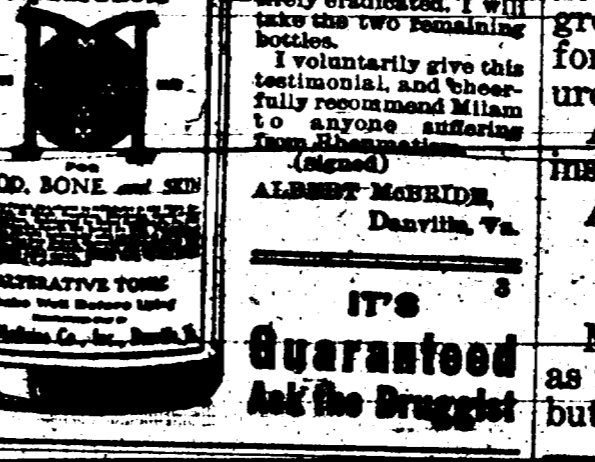
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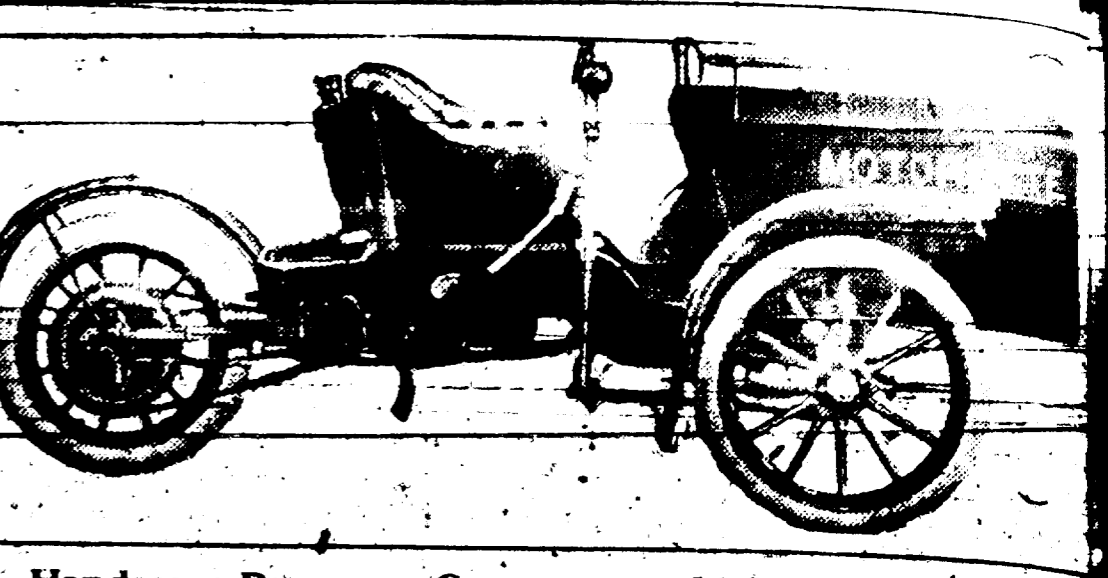
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