

THE CHURCH-GOING CAMPAIGN

Whether you want people to buy safety razors or break fast food or pewee in church, the modern way of getting your case to them is to advertise.

Time was when it would have been quite shocking to see display advertising as a means to get folks into the church; nowadays it is good form.

The man who answers the appeal of advertising, whether it be for his trade or his church attendance, always feels that he has done something as a result of his own volition; he has considered the argument and made up his mind.

THE VALUE OF FOREIGN FRIENDSHIP

Our foreign trade has now reached a stupendous figure and is something like four billion dollars annually.

There are many shallow thinking people in this country who consider we should do whatever we please without consulting any other nation on earth.

FOREIGNERS AND MEXICO

England and Germany have enormous interests in Mexico that run high up into the hundred million dollars, and that property is being injured and jeopardized by the conflict raging there.

PARAGRAPHS

- Don't mistake a noise for ability.
Vills swears but never surrenders.
Luck may be mere a case of pot being found out.

Now is the time to take a correspondence course in swimming. It's a good plan to put something by for a rainy day; a little sunshine, for instance.

The right woman," says a woman lecturer, "can make a fool of any man." But isn't it the wrong woman who does that sort of thing?

Out in Sioux City, Iowa, a gent by the name of Beerend is running for office. With that cognomen he ought to poll a heavy prohibition vote.

Thirty-three United States Senators will be elected this year by direct vote of the people in the first general tests of the seven-tenth amendment to the Constitution.

Acting under the direct orders of Governor Stuart, twenty special policemen in charge of Detective W. G. Baldwin, Tuesday raided the betting ring at the Jamestown Jockey Club track, near Norfolk, arrested thirteen bookmakers, and captured more than \$5,000 in cash.

The total number of students enrolled at the University of Virginia for the session 1913-14 is 910. At the same day last year the enrollment was 836.

Oscar W. Underwood, for nearly twenty years representative of the Ninth Alabama district in the lower house of Congress, swept the State in his battle with Representative Richmond Pearson Hobson for nomination to the United States Senate, Tuesday, in the Democratic primaries.

Twenty-five years ago G. W. Vanderlin, a merchant of Jonesboro, Mich., kissed his wife goodby and started presumably for his store.

The Southern Railway Company has signed contracts with the Pressed Steel Car Company for forty passenger coaches, to cost \$1,000,000.

Three Congressmen who come up for re-election next fall paid the 307th primary fee required by State law Wednesday to State Treasurer Harman.

Jacob S. Coxey, leader of the "army" of unemployed which marched to Washington in 1894, has established headquarters in New York.

Petty jealousies will ruin any town or community. Whenever men adopt the "rule or ruin" policy they are an enemy to progress and advancement.

No man is a good man, a Christian or an honest man that will engage in petty jealousies. This will hold good in Manassas or anywhere else.

Five hundred dollars is the new price of the Ford automobile; the touring car is five fifty.

The Boston Globe wants to know what the logzthead is? The Globe man has evidently never been in Tennessee.

Sylvia Pankhurst refuses to call off her way on the British Government for such a little thing as the U.S. Constitution.

Naturally it was not Col. Roosevelt who was swamped in the River of Doubt. The thing was impossible on the face of it.

Milwaukee girls are wearing gowns to match their hair. Western scientists says women will be bald in fifty years. Stick around.

Baltimore Sun.

Your Protection

EIGHTEEN YEARS OF SUCCESSFUL BANKING, is one of our greatest assets. Starting with a capital of \$50,000.00; and less than \$50,000.00 on deposit, we now have a capital including surplus of \$75,000.00, undivided profits of \$6,000, and deposits of \$285,000.00.

The National Bank OF MANASSAS

Will insure safety of Your Surplus Money

C. M. Larkin & Co. MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

Grain, Flour, Feed, Hay & Salt

Schumacher Feeds, Unicorn Dairy Feeds, Sucrene Feeds, C. S. C. Horse Feed, Blatchfords and Schumacher Calf Meal, and

MARVEL FLOUR

Bran, Middlings, Cotton Seed Meal and Root Powd.

Oysters and Fish Each Week

Conners Market

HIGH CLASS GROCERIES AND MEAT

Headquarters for Pillsbury Flour

ALL KINDS OF FEED LET US SERVE YOU

THINK

For instance of the Screens you will soon put up. For 10c. worth of Lucas Screen Enamel you can make two or three screens.

Lucas Home Helps

Paints, Stains, Enamels—particularly made to "clean up and cheer up" all kinds of articles in and around the home.

GET THE LUCAS BOOKLET.

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BOOKKEEPING BANKING SHORTHAND ENGLISH SCHOLARSHIP SOLD ON CREDIT R. R. FARM VIRGINIA

EASTERN TEAM WINS; HIGH SCHOOL LOSES

Baltimore Boys Put Up Good Game, but Were Outgumped—Manassas High School Team Served Same Way.

Eastern College added another baseball victory last Friday afternoon, when they defeated Baltimore City College on the local diamond by the score of 8 to 7.

Through errors the visitors garnered five scores in the first two innings, and kept this lead until the fourth.

Smith for Eastern pitched an excellent game, allowing seven runs and netting twelve strikeouts. At times he was poorly supported.

Several times during the game vigorous protests were made by the visiting team because of the unfair decisions on the part of the umpire, and unless new methods are employed it will be a hard matter to get a visiting team here for an engagement.

Manassas High School suffered defeat at the hands of Warrenton High School last Friday, by the score of 8 to 7.

Warrenton up until this frame had been unable to score; but successive errors, coupled with a single, gave Warrenton an even amount.

At the beginning of the tenth, Johnson for Manassas led off with a single, and was followed by Blackwell, who tripped to left.

The third batter registered a scratch hit bringing in the two runners and winning the game; "Dutch" Lion for the High School was in first class form.

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CHARLIE BELL'S BAKERY BURNED

Fire Originates in Bakery and \$50,000 Worth of Property is Destroyed—One Man Killed and Several Injured.

The explosion of a gasoline stove in the store of Bell's bakery, at Culpeper, caused a disastrous fire there last Monday morning which resulted in damages estimated to reach beyond the sum of \$50,000.

Robert Rosson, age twenty, was also caught by the falling mass and the injuries he received will prove fatal.

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THE FLOOD-PORTNER WEDDING SATURDAY

Bridal Party a Large One, and Includes Many Prominent People—Reception in Pan American Building.

The marriage of Miss Anna V. Portner and Representative Henry D. Flood, of Virginia, will be largely attended at All Souls' Church next Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The bride party is a large one, and includes as matron and maid of honor the bride's sisters, Mrs. Lorimer Graham and Miss Hildegarde Portner, and the following bridesmaids: Baroness Marie Paumgarten, daughter of the ex-secretary of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, and a litelng friend of the bride; Miss Genevieve Clark, Miss Hannah Taylor, Miss Douglas Fuller, of Winchester, Va.; Miss Cornelia Claggett and Miss Edith Gracie, of Washington; Miss Lucy Martin, the schoolgirl friend, daughter of Senator Martin.

Mr. Harry Flood Byrd, of Winchester, Va., will be best man, and the ushers will be Representatives McKellar and Dupre, John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American Union; Thomas Billings Byrd, of Richmond; Richard Evelyn Byrd; John Campbell, of Baltimore; John Quinn, of New York; Col. Button, Paul V. Portner and Edward G. Portner.

There will be a first rehearsal for the wedding of Miss Portner and Mr. Flood Friday evening, and a dance and supper with the bridesroom as host will follow Tuesday evening Mrs. Claggett gave a bridge tea for Miss Portner Wednesday Miss Genevieve Clark entertained her attendants at luncheon, and Wednesday night Mr. and Mrs. Austin P. Clapham gave a dinner dance in honor of both bride and bridegroom at the Chevy Chase Club. Today Mrs. Oscar C. Portner will entertain her sister-in-law and her attendants at luncheon. Several other events have been arranged for this bride, filling almost every hour of her time until she leaves Washington for her honeymoon trip.

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IMPORTANT MEETING OF BUSINESS LEAGUE

A get-together meeting of the members of the Manassas Business League will be held in Conner's Hall on Monday night, April 27th, at which time the citizens of Manassas will be addressed by Mr. Z. P. Smith, agent of the Land and Industrial Department of the Southern Railway.

The meeting is to be held in the interest of our progressive town, and to come is of vital importance to every one.

SPELLING MATCH AND TRACK MEET

Next Week, Thursday, April 23, Exhibition of School Work in M. I. C. Building, Thursday and Friday—Conference of Teachers Friday Morning.

The schools of Prince William County will be well in evidence in Manassas Thursday and Friday of next week.

On Thursday morning, April 23, the County Spelling Match will be held in Conner's Hall, beginning at 9:30 o'clock.

On both days, Thursday and Friday, an exhibit of the literary, manual training, agricultural and domestic science work of the schools of the county will be held in the M. I. C. building, and be open to the public.

The domestic science exhibit may be brought in on the morning of April 23, but all the other articles should be sent in to Mr. C. H. Yarbrough by Tuesday, April 21. This exhibit will be free to the public, but an admission fee of 10 cents will be charged to the Spelling Match.

The "Comedy Sketch and Minstrel" given by the School Improvement League at Nokesville Saturday, March 28, will be given at the Calverton School Saturday night, April 18, 1914, at 7:30 p. m., and will no doubt again meet with the same tremendous success that attended its production at Nokesville.

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TWO MORE SPLENDID PRIZES FOR FARMERS

We have received announcement from T. W. Woods and Son, seedmen, Richmond, that they would offer a silver loving cup as a prize in the Farmer's Five-acre Corn Growing Contest.

JONES BROS. AND WILSON'S CIRCUS

To Be in Manassas on April 18 One of the Best Shows of Its Kind on the Road—Grand Free Street Parade at 10:30—Two Performances.

The country wide will crowd Manassas to overflowing this Saturday when they gather here to attend the big Jones Bros. and Wilson's Shows.

A magnificent demonstration in the way of a gorgeous street parade will take place during the forenoon, which will constitute one of the largest displays of the kind ever witnessed in our town.

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MONEY IN GROWING COWPEAS FOR SEED

Twenty Bushels to Acre Could be Raised—The Supply Limited—Best Method of Growing Same.

Those who have waited this late to buy their cowpea seed will be surprised to find that the price is still soaring.

It is unfortunate that the supply of cowpea seed is so limited. When we get into a trouble one time, the right thing is to try to avoid it the next time.

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great growth of vines at a loss of... About 250 pounds of a 12... mixture should be used per acre... should be applied broadcast... with a grain drill before the peas... are planted. Plant the peas in... rows about 20 to 24 inches apart... cultivate three or four times... with a light harrow or weeder... the planting should be done from... April 20 to May 20, depending on... the season and the climate. Get... them planted as soon as danger... of frost is over and the soil has... warmed up to a considerable extent.

CONFEDERATE REUNION
The 24th annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans and Sons of Confederate Veterans and all allied organizations will be held in Jacksonville, Fla., May 6, 7 and 8. Already the citizens of Jacksonville are making preparations to receive and entertain the veterans and all visitors at the reunion. It is Jacksonville's ambition to break all reunion records in point of attendance and entertainment, and to this end every energy of this thriving, modern city will be directed. Jacksonville is happy over the prospects of doing honor to the survivors of the Confederate army, their descendants and their friends.

NO OPPOSITION TO CARLIN.
The time limit for candidates desiring to enter the race for Congress from the Eighth District expired at noon Saturday and there was no opposition to Representative Charles C. Carlin. The committee of this district will shortly hold a meeting for the purpose of declaring him the party nominee.

MOVED TO MANASSAS.
We copy the following article from a quite recent issue of the Durham (N. C.) Daily Sun. Mr. and Mrs. Thomson are formerly of Orange, and we regret exceedingly that they did not decide to make their future home here. Mrs. Thomson has a sister, Mrs. H. Lee Willis, living in Manassas. Mr. E. S. Thomson has sold his house and lot on Willard Street, and all of his household effects, to Mr. H. E. White, and in a day or two Mr. and Mrs. Thomson will go to Manassas, Va., where they will reside in the future. Durham regrets to see these good people leave our city, and the best wishes of hosts of friends will accompany them back to the land of their nativity. Both Mr. and Mrs. Thomson were originally from Orange, Va., and they go back to a nearby county. Mr. Thomson has been a resident of Durham for the past thirty years, and our city has never had a more energetic or genial citizen. His good wife is a lady of extraordinary talents and charms of character that are a shining light in the social circles in which she moved. A splendid couple. May the richest blessings, the greatest prosperity, and long life be their portion in their new Virginia home.—Orange Observer.

EVERY EFFORT WILL BE PUT FORTH to make them feel at home, and to enjoy their stay in the Gateway City of Florida. Hotels, boarding houses and private homes will be open to the reunion delegates and visitors. All who come will be cared for, Jacksonville's preparedness and cordiality will be all that the veterans and their friends could desire. Her people will meet them at the depot, extend them the hand of welcome, and show them to their temporary homes and look after their comfort and pleasure while guests of the city. The best that Jacksonville can do will not be too good for the thousands of visitors who will attend this reunion.

A MATTER OF ANCESTORS.
How many male and female ancestors were required to bring you into the world? First, it was necessary that you should have a father and mother. That makes two human beings. Each of them must have had a father and mother. That makes four more human beings. Again, each of them must have had a father and mother, making eight more human beings. So on we go back to the time of Jesus Christ, 56 generations. The calculation thus resulting shows that 139,225,017,489,534,976 births must have taken place to bring you into this world—you who read these lines! All this since the birth of Christ—not since the beginning of time.

GETS BIG OCCOQUAN TRACT.
Title was acquired Saturday by the District commissioners to the 1,388 acres of land adjoining the Occoquan workhouse tract, which is to be used for the District reformatory for boys, by depositing with the circuit court of eastern Virginia \$29,203.90. The property was acquired by condemnation proceedings. Auditor Alonzo Tweedale turned the money over to the Virginia court to be distributed among the owners of the land taken.

YEARS ARO THE FARMERS OF NEW ENGLAND and the middle Atlantic states owned more than half of the sheep in the United States. According to the department of agriculture, New England and New York now occupy the lowest and next to the lowest place, respectively, in the possession of sheep on the farms.

THIRTY THOUSAND VOICES!—What a grand chorus! And that's the number of American men and women who are publicly praising Doan's Kidney Pills for relief from backache, kidney and bladder ills. They say it to friends; they tell it in the home papers. Manassas people are in this chorus. Here's a Manassas case: Mrs. E. A. Lamb, Prince William St., Manassas, Va., says: "A few years ago I allowed my name to be used, endorsing Doan's Kidney Pills, after taking them for a short time and finding them entirely satisfactory. I also know of a neighbor's case which was quite severe. Doan's Kidney Pills acted quickly in bringing relief. I have taken this remedy several times since that with good results."

EVERYTHING FOR BUILDING EXCEPT THE HARDWARE
LUMBER
W.A. SMOOT & CO., INC. ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

W.C. WAGENER
Manassas, Va.
Get the habit of buying your Bread and Cakes at

BELL BROS. BAKERY
instead of doing your own baking. You will find it just as good—just as cheap, and so much less trouble.

We Sell Direct to R. R.—No Middleman's Profit With Us

500,000 CROSS TIES WANTED

We will pay the Highest Cash Price for White, Red or Mixed Oak, Beech, Ash and Maple Cross Ties. Inspection made from wagon.

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Well Drilling
Work Promptly Done in a Satisfactory Manner

Pumps of all kinds for Sale at Reasonable Prices

GIVE US A TRIAL
Phone or write to either
R. L. JOHNSON, Manassas, Va.
or H. M. DANIEL, Nokesville, Va.

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J. H. DODGE, Proprietor
Manassas, Virginia

S. C. White Leghorns, R. C. Rhode Island Reds, Barred Plymouth Rocks and Indian Runner Ducks

SITTING EGGS
\$1.00 a sitting delivered free anywhere within the first post office zone, or 75c at the henneries. By the hundred, \$5 delivered, \$4 at henneries for hen's eggs. By delivered or \$5.50 for duck eggs at henneries. Rock and duck eggs ready after Feb. 15. Red eggs after Mar. 1 and Leghorns after Mar. 10—all until July 10. PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW.

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DEALER IN
Marble & Granite
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Center Street, Manassas, Va.

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PERSONAL ATTENTION TO ALL ORDERS

Heavy Hauling a Specialty Boarding by Day, Week or Month

GET ACTION IN MOVING PICTURES
Realism the First Thought of the Actors and Accompanying Photographers.

LET NOTHING STAND IN WAY

Recent incident in the Blue Hills of Massachusetts an Example—Colored Scenes to Be Used in the Near Future—Millions Invested.

Along one of the thickly wooded slopes of the Blue Hills the other afternoon an automobile scudded at speed, across the Boston Herald.

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By GRACE REEVES.

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BUDDIN TRANSFERRED.
G. R. Buddin, for the past five years trainmaster of the Southern Railway with headquarters at Harrisonburg, has been transferred to Alexandria, assuming similar duties on the main line. Mr. Buddin will be succeeded at Harrisonburg by T. P. Weston, who was trainmaster at Alexandria. The transfer was announced, officially, Saturday, by Superintendent Peyton, of the Washington Division.

MOVING PICTURES
The film which are to be shown in the most realistic way. The scene "agent de ville" will be shown in a large charge of a lost child, how to handle a dangerous quarrel, how to handle a drunken man, the scenes of chaos which are forbidden by French law will be acted on screen; the different types of Frenchmen, the character of the Frenchman, the scene of the "Story of a Crime," depicting all the processes of justice from an arrest up to the final scene in court. Only the Paris Daily Mail. Finally, the film will be shown with the scenes which have met death in the execution of their duty, and of those who have won the Cross of the Legion of Honor for bravery.

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GOOD REASON

When Sam's mother first heard of Sam's first dance, she had been shocked at the introduction of a young girl to the dance. But now she was doubly shocked that in such a short time Sam had begun to call her "Grace," even in speaking of her. So when Sam walked in Sunday afternoon with Grace, Sam's mother greeted her coolly. Sam's father shook hands and laughed foolishly, as Sam thought over the meeting. His sister giggled aloud at the introduction of a young girl to the dance. It was her first experience of social forms with him. Sam frowned witheringly at the entire family, and led his guest into the parlor and seated her at the piano.

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LOOK for the following points in the manure spreader you buy: 1. Correct, efficient, well-tested design. 2. Guarantee of first-class materials. 3. Reinforcing of parts where strains usually come. 4. Strength of parts where occasional strains occur. 5. Working qualities and protection of driving parts. 6. Reputation of manufacturer, insuring efficient repair services. Satisfied American farmers find these qualities in International manure spreaders.

International spreaders have, besides, many features that grow out of long field experience. Study the steel construction in frame, wheels, and driving mechanism; the easily-removable beater; the differential in rear axle, insuring even spreading while high and low wheels and gears; low, easily-loaded box; and many others.

International spreaders are of all styles and sizes, high and low wheel and reversible. Write for illustrated catalogues, and when we send them we will tell you where you may see the spreaders.

International Harvester Company of America
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STOMACH TROUBLE FOR FIVE YEARS

Majority of Friends Thought Mr. Hughes Would Die, But One Helped Him to Recovery.

Pomeroy, Ky.—In interesting advice from this place, Mr. A. J. Hughes writes as follows: "I was down with stomach trouble for five (5) years, and would have sick headache so bad, at times, that I thought surely I would die. I tried different treatments, but they did not seem to do me any good. I got so bad, I could not eat or sleep, and all my friends, except one, thought I would die. He advised me to try Theodore's Black-Draught, and quit taking other medicines. I decided to take his advice, although I did not have any confidence in it. I have now been taking Black-Draught for three months, and it has cured me—haven't had those awful sick headaches since I began using it. I am so thankful for what Black-Draught has done for me."

Theodore's Black-Draught has been found a very valuable medicine for all ailments of the stomach and liver. It is composed of pure, vegetable herbs, contains no dangerous ingredients, and acts gently, yet surely. It can be freely used by young and old; and should be kept in every family chest. Get a package today. Only a quarter.

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Hay and Grain
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SPECIAL PORTRAITURE

New styles on Mountings
New method of Lighting
whereby you get the most artistic results

Harman's Studio.
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Beachley's COAL AND WOOD

ICE CREAM
In Large and Small Quantities

L. E. Beachley, Manassas
TELEPHONE CONNECTION

Bennett & Sons
Center St., Manassas, Va.

GINGESTER'S PILLS
DIAMOND BRAND

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

TOPICS OF THE TOWN

MANASSAS MARKETS. (Corrected from Thursday) Wheat (2nd grade) 1.20, Flour (2nd grade) 34.00, Chickens 30.00, etc.

Dr. D. C. Cline, of Dumfries, was among our well-known visitors here this week. Messrs. Reed and Fred Hynson have returned to Baltimore after visiting John L. Hynson.

A number of students at the college spent the week on a fishing trip to Cedar Run. Miss Sue Brawner, of Broad Run, spent the week with friends in Manassas.

Miss Margaret Emerson, of Alexandria, was the guest of Miss Margaret Lynch this week. Louis Ferguson, of Aldie, former student of Eastern College, was a Manassas visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brower, of Front Royal, were Manassas visitors one day this week. Dr. W. A. Newman spent several days this week on a business trip to Salisbury, N. C.

Miss Louise Walker has returned from her home at Barboursville, where she spent the Easter vacation. Dr. John Hooe' Iden, of Annapolis, was the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Iden, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Crigler, of Baltimore, spent Easter Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Waters. Service at St. Anne's Church, Nokesville, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and at Trinity Episcopal Church at 8 o'clock.

CLIFTON

H. W. Hester has taken Mr. Hall, of New York, is here for his farm.

Mr. J. L. Fristoe was in Manassas on business Monday.

Miss Agnes Stone, of Swetnam, the guest of Mrs. W. W. Wood.

B. F. Jenkins, constable in Prince William county, presented an account against the commonwealth for \$3.80, which was certified to auditor of public accounts.

W. J. Ashby presented an account of \$4.50 and \$7.50, for board of prisoners, which were allowed.

C. J. Meetze vs. Southern, Washington and Southern, and Pennsylvania R. R. Plaintiff granted judgment for \$100.00, subject to decision of court.

DEATH OF E. N. WEBB

Report of attendance for King's X School, Brentsville, District, for the sixth month ending April 10, 1914.

GRAMMAR GRADES David Kerin 20, Margaret Flory 20, Raymond Smith 19, etc.

SALE OF DWELLING and LOT AT MANASSAS, VA. By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia.

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1914. At 3:30 p. m., offer at public auction The Dwelling and Lot attached thereto with all improvements thereon.

GUEST OF VAN BUREN. Governor Stuart received a letter yesterday from Colonel Edmund Berkeley, of Haymarket, endorsing George C. Round.

FOR SALE. A fifteen horse-power boiler and engine mounted on wheels, in first-class condition.

ANNOUNCEMENT

It has been previously announced that I would have my Ice Plant in operation by the 15th of April, but owing to unexpected conditions, some delay has been caused.

OUR every facility for the prompt and careful handling of financial matters, the proper care of our customers interests, is being constantly improved and developed to the point of greatest utility.

As a practical man why not put the personal worth of this service squarely up to your better judgment? Investigate and know whether or not this service of ours will help you to create a reserve fund.

THE Peoples National Bank of Manassas, Va.

Too busy to write an advertisement for this week. Prince William Pharmacy. C. R. C. JOHNSON, Prop. Manassas, - - - Virginia.

Notice! Care should be taken to employ on all electrical work none but the most competent and experienced persons.

Washington Suburban Electric Co. MARSHALL BRANCH. Old Marshall Branch Building. NEIL A. PETERSON, Pres.

C. J. MEETZE & COMPANY REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE. HAVING determined to devote my whole time to the Real Estate and Insurance business, I hereby sell all property for sale and request those having property for sale to list same with me promptly.

Fresh Groceries

Having opened a store at Bristow, in the Free building, I am now prepared to furnish Groceries, Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Tinware, Etc., at the best prices possible for cash.

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THE ONLY IMPORTER IN THE SOUTH THAT HANDLES THE FIVE ABOVE BREEDS. COME AND SEE ME

DIG EQUIPMENT ORDER FOR SOUTHERN

Following his statement of February 20th in regard to Southern Railway financing, President Fairfax Harrison announces that with the proceeds of five million dollars of equipment trust notes, Southern Railway has just contracted for 75 locomotive, 64 all steel passenger train cars, and 4,075 freight train cars, largely of steel construction.

Of the locomotives, 45 will be of heavy Mikado freight type, 15 of the Pacific passenger type, 13 six-wheel switchers, and 2 eight-wheel switchers. They will be built in accordance with the latest and most improved designs and will be similar to motive power of the same types now in service on the lines of the Southern Railway where traffic is heaviest.

The all steel passenger equipment includes 35 coaches of the largest and latest type, electrically lighted, 4 dining cars, 5 combination passenger and baggage cars, and 5 baggage and express cars.

The 4,075 freight train cars will include 3,250 thirty-ton steel underframe vestibule box-cars, 300 fifty-ton all steel flat cars, 200 cabooses, 100 steel underframe stock cars, and 25 steel underframe poultry cars.

This large equipment order shows the belief of Southern Railway Company in the continued prosperity and growth of the territory it serves and its purpose to enlarge its facilities to keep pace with that growth. As soon as it can be delivered by the builders this equipment will be placed in service and at the disposal of the business interests of the Southeastern territory.

SPRING EXAMINATION OF TEACHERS

The regular spring examination for public school teachers will be held in the Bennett Building, Manassas, on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, April 16, 17 and 18, 1914, beginning promptly at 9 a. m. each day. Subjects for the first day are: geography, spelling, grammar and composition, theory and practice of teaching, civil government and reading.

Subjects for the second day are: drawing, physiology and hygiene, arithmetic, history of Virginia and United States history.

Subjects for the third day are: elementary algebra, science, and English history or general history. Writing will be graded on Form E, No. 2.

The examination in 1914 on theory and practice of teaching will be based upon "What Children Study and Why," by Gilbert, in physiology and hygiene, upon "Richie's Human Physiology," in reading and drawing, the examination will be on both methods and subject matter.

COW EARNED \$4,780 IN MILK IN A YEAR

May Rlima, Guernsey cow, record-breaking butter fat producer and glory of Major Edward B. Cassatt's Chesterbrook Farms, at Berwyn, Pa., was coddled and watched over devotedly for a year. Her keeper, with his bed in an adjoining box stall, slept sensitive to changes of temperature. Sixty degrees in cold weather has been his sole thought.

So she produced 19,639.5 pounds of butter fat, breaking the record for butter fat production. Most important of all, it paid. According to rough estimate compiled by Major Cassatt, it paid or a very moderate computation, more than \$700 to coddle and watch over May Rlima.

May Rlima is an American-bred Guernsey cow. She is between seven and eight years old. When she was first entered for advanced registry under the rules of the American Guernsey Cattle Club, she produced, in twelve months, 12,146.6 pounds of butter fat.

The test began on April 7, 1913, and ended last week Tuesday. May Rlima furnished 19,639.5 pounds of milk during 365 days of the test. This was sold at 6 cents a pound, so the cow brought in, in cash, \$1,178.37.

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THE COST OF DISCIPLINE. Luke 14:25-35—April 19. 'Discipline will cost you the life of the sinner, but it will cost you the life of the sinner.'

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T. J. Linton

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