

STATE WIDE PROHIBITION

Owing to the publication in THE DEMOCRAT of several paid advertisements for the Virginia Association for Local Self-Government, a number of our readers have formed the opinion that we expressed our views on the subject.

Every indication points to the enactment of a state wide prohibition law at the approaching session of the general assembly of Virginia. The tide of public sentiment against the liquor traffic is so strong that it is sweeping all opposition before it, and absolute prohibition appears assured in this state.

PEOPLE WILL KNOW

How often have young men—and men not so young—and some women—deluded themselves into a false security by the thought that "nobody knows?"

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PARAGRAPHS

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ANNUAL COUNTY S. S. CONVENTION

MANASSAS, VA., OCTOBER 7, 1914

The undersigned takes pleasure in addressing you in the interest of our next Annual County School Convention, to be held in Manassas, Va., on Wednesday, October 7th, beginning 9:00 a. m.

GEORGE W. JOHNSON IS AMONG THE DEAD

ANOTHER VETERAN PASSES AWAY

Had Been a Citizen of Manassas for 70 Years—His Wife and Five Children Survive Him—A Good Man Goes.

Another veteran has passed from the thinning ranks of the Confederate soldiers, and Manassas lost a life-long citizen last Friday at noon, when George W. Johnson died at his home near town.

Dating from the Gettysburg reunion last summer, Mr. Johnson's health had faded as the ravages of bright disease progressed.

His wife, who was Miss Hannah Lindsey, five children, Mrs. G. L. Hutchison, Mrs. Robert Herrell, Mrs. R. Lee Willis, and Ralph Johnson, two sisters, Misses Annie and Sarah Johnson, and one brother, Joseph B. Johnson, all of Manassas and this county, survive him.

On Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock funeral services were held at the home conducted by Rev. Vaughan, of near Lena, Va. Dr. H. A. Quarles, of the Manassas Baptist Church, officiating at the grave, where were present many members of the Manassas Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy and Ewell Camp, of which Mr. Johnson was a member, who paid final tribute to the veteran.

Three nephews Messrs. Wheatley, Henley and Benjamin Johnson, his son, R. L. Johnson, and sons-in-law Egbert Herrell and G. L. Hutchison, acted as pallbearers.

TOWN COUNCIL MEET IN REGULAR SESSION

REGULAR BUSINESS ATTENDED TO

Several Building Permits Granted and a List of Citizens Ordered Paid.

At a regular meeting of the town council held Monday night in the town hall there were present Mayor Brown, Councilmen R. S. Hyman, C. E. Nash, C. R. C. Johnson, A. Speiden, W. M. Wheeler, and D. H. Prescott.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

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White to erect an addition to his dwelling, and a permit was also granted C. J. Meetez to erect a garage on his property.

The following bills were presented and ordered paid:

W. S. Perry \$ 20.00 Nash & Cannon 11.45

R. L. Gailor 2.50 R. E. Gailor 2.50

G. R. Ratcliffe 19.00 Standard Oil Co. 3.11

Chas. D. Hees 1.80 R. M. Weir 6.75

Albert Roulf 1.80 John W. Hester 1.50

W. L. Renno 1.10 R. M. Weir 5.38

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After three days of sailing through the Mediterranean we went ashore at Palermo, on the lovely island of Sicily, so rich in classic myth and tradition and buffeted over so fierce by Greek and Roman and Carthaginian and long afterwards by the nations of Christian Europe. Next day at noon, July 16th, we landed at Naples, and took the train direct for Pompeii. It was a wonderful experience to walk through the streets of the ancient Roman city, which lay just as it was after the fatal eruption of Vesuvius nearly two thousand years ago. Many of the rooms of the houses are quite intact, with even the frescoes on the walls only a little dimmed, and in the streets are still to be seen the ruts made by the Roman chariot wheels. In the museum nearby are casts of the moulds made in the ashes by bodies of some of the victims suffocated by the rain of ash and sulphurous fumes from the volcano. There are also numerous household articles of earthenware and bronze, toilet articles of the Pompeian ladies, charred bread from the ovens, and even several egg shells—after two thousand years!

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I. C. Jacobs, of Thoroughfare, was a Manassas visitor one day this week. We understand that Mrs. W. E. McCov is ill at her home on Main street. C. A. Heinekin, of Haymarket, was a Manassas visitor one day during the week. Miss Portia Moran left Tuesday for Alexandria, where she will visit friends. Miss Kate Lewis left Tuesday for Charlottesville, Va., where she will visit friends. R. S. Hyson left Tuesday on business trip to New York and will be gone several days. Miss Marjorie Green, of Clifton, was the guest of relatives in Manassas and vicinity this week. Dr. H. B. Hutchison, of Herndon, was the guest of F. E. Ransdell at his home here yesterday. R. W. Hettinger, of Washington, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wenrich. Mrs. A. M. Crigler, of Baltimore, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Waters this week. L. E. Merchant, of Dumfries, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. J. Adamson, at her home here this week. Miss Lucy Laws and Mrs. Paul Jackson, of Front Royal, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. T. D. D. Clark last Sunday. Miss Lizzie Harrison, of Culpeper, was the guest of Mrs. R. J. Adamson this week on her way to Baltimore. Nelson Wampler, of the Culpeper-Exponent, was a Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davis at Bristol. C. J. Meetze will deliver an address at Greenwich tonight at 8 o'clock. His subject will be State-wide prohibition a moral issue. Mrs. R. J. Adamson left yesterday for Baltimore and Philadelphia, where she will purchase her fall and winter line of millinery. Joseph Gulick, who has been attending the University of Chicago, arrived in town Saturday for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Gulick. A large congregation gathered at the Southern Methodist Church last Sunday morning to hear the sermon preached by Rev. W. H. Keane, of Keyser, W. Va. Many citizens visited at the power house last Sunday and watched the water pumps in operation, pumping water from the reservoir into the retention tank. A building site on Quarry road has been purchased by C. D. Compton and the erection of a dwelling will begin at once. Mr. Compton is on the railway mail service. The members of the Bethlehem Housekeepers' Club held their August meeting at the home of Mrs. L. B. Williams. Committees were formed to arrange for the housekeepers' exhibit to be held this fall. Two Farmers' Institutes of interest which will be held in this county in September are the one at Nokesville on the seventh and at Haymarket at a later date. These affairs are under the arrangement of W. M. Brown. Yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. B. T. Thornton the regular monthly meeting of the Manassas Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy was held. Delegates were elected to attend the convention of the Virginia division to be held in Bristol in the near future. A negro was arrested at the colored horse show grounds last Saturday charged with selling whiskey. He was brought to Manassas and lodged in the lock-up until trial. Later in the day authorities upon visiting the lock-up discovered that the prisoner had made his escape by taking the hinges off the cell door.

Miss Jamie Fewell, of Warren, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. A. H. Harrell. Mrs. Albert Schultz left Tuesday for Philadelphia after spending several months here. Miss Ethel Hiner left Sunday for Maurertown, where she will visit relatives for a week. Misses Mary and Fannie Nicol will spend the week-end on a visit to friends near Delaplace. Bates Davis will be a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davis, at Bristol, Monday. W. O. Tavenner, of Orange, was the guest of friends at Bristol and vicinity last Sunday. Mrs. Bryan Coffin spent the week-end in Washington, with her sister, Mrs. Bert Mansfield. Mrs. Bettie Harrison returned Monday from Haymarket, where she had been visiting Mrs. John Rust. Andrew Cather, of Orange, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cather, here this week. Miss Lucy Harrison returned this week from Clarendon, where she visited her sister, Mrs. S. S. Simpson. Mrs. Pierce Redd and two sons, of Catlett, were guests at the home of Mrs. Ada Davis last Sunday. Miss Marie Leachman leaves next Tuesday for Washington, where she will be the guest of Miss Peggy Fred. Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Buck, of Portsmouth, will arrive next week for a visit to Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Buck, at Milford. John R. Wilson has accepted a position in the National Bank of Manassas. This position was made vacant by the resignation of Alfred Zerega. C. J. Meetze will speak at Anandale at 11 o'clock Sunday, September 13, and some place yet to be designated in the afternoon and at 11 a.m. on Monday. There will be no meeting of the W. C. T. U. this week, but on Friday of next week there will be a Union Signal Reading Social at the home of Mrs. A. E. Spies. We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the kindness shown us by our friends during the sickness and death of our relative, Geo. W. Johnson. THE FAMILY. Dr. Davis, of North Carolina, and president of the Anti-saloon League there, spoke at Hoadley yesterday and at Manassas last night to an appreciative audience. He gave all of the conditions in that state which we hear so much about. On Monday Alfred L. B. di Zerega, II, formerly of the National Bank here, took charge of his new position in the Peoples Bank of Leesburg. During his stay here he has had a host of friends who wish him well in his new situation. The building of the train sheds at the depot are about completed and the work on the concrete sidewalks are now under way. Some talk has circulated to the effect that the telegraph office will be moved from its quarters and placed in the new building after it is completed. The Republicans of Prince William county are today holding a mass meeting in the M. I. C. building to elect seven delegates and the same number of alternates to represent Prince William in a congressional district convention to be held in Alexandria, in Elks Hall on September 9. When Lieut. George C. Round left here last Thursday to attend the Grand Army encampment at Detroit, he carried with him a signal flag of interesting historic note. This same flag was used by the signal corps during the war in signaling messages from one point to another. At the Chattanooga encampment, held last fall, Lieut. Round waved messages from Kenesaw and Lookout Mountains each day, and also at Gettysburg.

I. H. Moran returned last Friday to Washington after spending his vacation here with relatives. Mrs. R. E. Wine and children have returned from Mt. Jackson, where they have been visiting relatives. Miss Ruth Fisher is quite ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fisher, on Church street. Harry Merphart, of Baltimore, was a guest at the home of his brother, Dr. W. F. Merchant, this week. Thomas Gulick, who has been spending his vacation with his parents here, has returned to Washington. Mrs. J. E. Dunnington, of North Carolina, formerly of Manassas, is the guest of relatives here this week. Hurry and purchase your season tickets for the three-day Boosters' Festival. There are only a limited number to be sold. Rev. Joseph Gulick will preach at the Manassas Baptist Church this Sunday evening at the usual hour. The public is cordially invited. Owing to the numerous requests and inquiries Dr. A. Vineburg, the eye and ear specialist, will be at the Prince William Pharmacy Monday, September 7. Miss Gladys Weaver will return Saturday from Clifton, Mass., where she has spent the past three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Summerfield Hagerty. T. J. Broadus, who holds a position in the stamping division of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, was here Sunday looking after business connected with his farm near Bristol. C. J. Meetze, his two sons and daughter, and his two nieces, Misses Sadie and Grey Monroe, will motor to The Plains Saturday to spend Sunday at the home of his brother, R. M. Meetze. Rev. H. L. Quarles left Monday for Culpeper, where he will visit his daughter, Mrs. John W. Yowell. Rev. Quarles will also attend the Shiloh Baptist Association which is being held at New Salem Church near Culpeper. Miss Katie Leachman, of St. Mary's Seminary, "St. Mary's Md., is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Buck. She will leave in the near future for Georgia, where she has accepted a position as matron in a college. The many friends of Mrs. T. J. Broadus, of Bristol, who was taken to Sibley Hospital, Washington, a short time ago for an operation, will be pleased to learn that she is getting along nicely and expects to return home very soon. The Hopkins candy factory, which for many years has been the leading industry of Manassas, was sold at public auction last Saturday for the sum of \$13,500, the purchaser being C. J. Meetze. It is thought that operations will be resumed in a short while. D. J. Myres, father of the fever stricken family on Main street, has now contracted typhoid and yesterday morning was taken to the University of Virginia Hospital at Charlottesville, for treatment. The three small children, who have been so ill, are convalescent. Your health officer advises all users of water from dug wells to boil the water for drinking purposes. The mild outbreak of fever in town has been traced in some instances to the wells. What promises to be the best performance in the annals of the Catharpin horse show will take place one week from today, at Catharpin, when the country-wide will gather to witness Prince William's most interesting event. This week entries have been filed in large numbers and among the horse owners who will appear are many of note in this section. The grounds are in perfect condition and nothing remains to be done, except to await the arrival of the big crowd, next Thursday. For any article of the kind for man, woman, child, puppy, etc., try Doan's Catharpin. 50c a box, drug stores.

J. W. Teates spent part of this week with relatives at his former home in Bealeton. Thomas H. Lion made a business trip of several days in the northern states this week. Edward Aud. of Herndon, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ransdell this week. Eugene Davis left this week for University Hospital, at Charlottesville, where he underwent a minor operation. We are glad to note that the latest news from Mrs. C. J. Meetze, at Hot Springs, is that of some improvement. Mr. and Mrs. McEvory and daughter, Miss Louise, who have spent the summer here, left this week for Georgia. While in Manassas the family occupied the Camper residence on West street. EXCELLENT PROSPECTS FOR EASTERN. The sixteenth annual session will open Tuesday, September 29, at an increased attendance in all departments. Already students have registered from states as far west as Idaho and Wyoming, east as Maine and Vermont, and South as Florida and Texas. Director Glenn C. Correll, will have two assistants this year. The rate including registration fee under director Correll is \$65 for the year; under the first assistant is \$50 and under the second assistant is \$40. These rates include two lessons a week for the college year. NORMAL TRAINING COURSE, MANASSAS AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL. The Manassas Normal Course is in charge of competent instructors and offers unusually good facilities for observation and practical teaching in both graded and normal schools. In connection with the normal training, excellent opportunities may also be had in the thorough courses given in the High School, for instruction in domestic science, agriculture and manual training; or in any of the usual high school subjects. The Normal Course is open to teachers holding first or second grade certificates, and to students who have had two years of high school work. It may also be taken as a year of post-graduate work. The school term begins on Monday, September 14. M. C. B. S. PROVES A SUCCESS. Although the inclement weather of last week up until after the first day of the Manassas colored horse show had much to do with the attendance of the first day's performance, the second day was bright and clear and in spite of the muddy conditions a large crowd from all sections of the country came here for the second exhibition. The first day only a few attended but the show itself was up to the standard and was held although the horses were greatly handicapped. The second day exhibition was first-class with many good horses entered and was a very interesting performance to both spectators and exhibitors. The managers are to be congratulated on the high character of the show which is the biggest attraction for colored folk in this section. LUTHERAN CONFERENCE MEETING. From Thursday until Sunday evening the 62nd annual convention of the Virginia Conference of the Evangelical Lutheran Tennessee Synod was held in the Lutheran church in this place. Delegates from thirty-one congregations in Virginia, and numerous visiting guests, were in attendance. The opening sermon was preached by the Rev. P. L. Snapp, of Luray, the retiring president, and a number of other interesting sermons and addresses were delivered by visiting ministers. The meetings were largely attended by the local congregation and others. Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Rev. M. A. Aahby, Shenandoah City, president; Rev. J. S. Wessinger, Toms Brook, secretary; Rev. C. S. Kerlin, Moore's Store, treasurer.

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REGULAR MEETING BOARD SUPERVISORS. BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS. From Several Committees on the subject of Roads and New Proposed Highways Were Received and Acted Upon. regular meeting of the Prince William county Board of Supervisors was held at the courthouse last Thursday. The supervisors appointed to view the road leading from Watkinsville through the lands of H. Tulloss and Dr. Tulloss and of Foley, at Bristol, and through lands of Bell to point on market Antioch road, was M. Boley and others. The viewers having this report it is ordered that land owners be summoned to appear at the next meeting of the board. Application of R. T. and others to change road, ordered that the report made by viewers be refused and another set of viewers be appointed and make further report. Application of J. A. Hill, T. Sullivan and B. H. Arnold filed. F. Gulick was ordered by board to purchase coal for the courthouse and jail. Mrs. M. B. Bridwell's application to open road, ordered that the county surveyor make a survey and file with viewers report. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson, Misses Annie Taylor, Helen McIntosh were the guests of Miss Sarah Nalls on Sunday. Many of the Greenwich folks are looking forward to the field day at Haymarket on September 8, which they expect to attend. The Greenwich High School will open somewhere near the first of October. The youngsters are busily preparing for school. Misses May House and Ella Reid have gone to Washington to spend several weeks. They expect to visit friends in Fairfax on their return. Misses Elise and Mary Dulin and Annie Taylor, Messrs. Frank Cokerille and Elmo Colompe spent a very pleasant evening at the Hollies on Sunday last. Everybody is looking forward to September 3, the great field day which is to be held on the diamond by the O. F. A. Everybody come and have a good and great time. Quite an interesting game of ball was played on Saturday at Greenwich between the first team of Greenwich and the "scrubs." The game was 3 to 2 in favor of the scrubs in the third inning, when the game was called on account of rain. WATERMELON. A COMING ENTERTAINMENT. The V. V. Literary and Debating Club of the Forest will present a comedy, entitled "Jack Gehard's Mistake," in the Junior High Independent Hall, Saturday night, September 5th, 1914, at 7:30 o'clock. Other interesting and amusing features of the entertainment will be "A Biscuit Making Demonstration," music, shadowgraphs, and a number of other side-splitting "stunts." Admission, ten cents. Come out and see what the Foresters can do to entertain you. FIELD MEET POSTPONED. The annual meet advertised by Greenwich Council O. F. A., for August 26, has been postponed until Tuesday, September 8, and if the weather on this date is unfavorable, it will be held on the next fair day. The events include field sports of various descriptions and two ball games. The entertainment Greenwich and Warrenton and Manassas in the afternoon. This attraction yearly draws a large crowd from all over upper Prince William.

GREENWICH NOTES. Harry House is visiting friends at Burkes. Miss Mary Dulin, of this place, will leave Monday for Orange to visit friends. Greenwich is still in the swim, everything looks fresh and cool since the rain. Miss Lulu Mayhugh expects to visit relatives in Washington the coming week. Mrs. Frank Mayhugh was the guest of her mother, Mrs. B. B. Nalls on Sunday. We were sorry to learn of the sickness of Mrs. Emma Tharpe but hope she is improving. Miss Mary Thompson, of Washington, is visiting her friend Miss Grace Holtzclaw, of this place. Miss Anna Mayhugh, who has been in Washington for the past month, is expected home shortly. Lewis Mayhugh and Mrs. Geo. Mayhugh spent Sunday with their brother, John Hall, of Gainesville. Miss Annie Taylor has been on the sick list for the past few days, but is somewhat improved at this writing. Misses Annie Taylor and Sarah Nalls will leave for Washington shortly where they will visit relatives and friends. Mrs. Lewis Mayhugh, Mrs. A. J. Hansborough and P. B. Mayhugh spent Sunday with Mrs. Ed Bell, at Nokesville. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson, Misses Annie Taylor, Helen McIntosh were the guests of Miss Sarah Nalls on Sunday. Many of the Greenwich folks are looking forward to the field day at Haymarket on September 8, which they expect to attend. The Greenwich High School will open somewhere near the first of October. The youngsters are busily preparing for school. Misses May House and Ella Reid have gone to Washington to spend several weeks. They expect to visit friends in Fairfax on their return. Misses Elise and Mary Dulin and Annie Taylor, Messrs. Frank Cokerille and Elmo Colompe spent a very pleasant evening at the Hollies on Sunday last. Everybody is looking forward to September 3, the great field day which is to be held on the diamond by the O. F. A. Everybody come and have a good and great time. Quite an interesting game of ball was played on Saturday at Greenwich between the first team of Greenwich and the "scrubs." The game was 3 to 2 in favor of the scrubs in the third inning, when the game was called on account of rain. WATERMELON. A COMING ENTERTAINMENT. The V. V. Literary and Debating Club of the Forest will present a comedy, entitled "Jack Gehard's Mistake," in the Junior High Independent Hall, Saturday night, September 5th, 1914, at 7:30 o'clock. Other interesting and amusing features of the entertainment will be "A Biscuit Making Demonstration," music, shadowgraphs, and a number of other side-splitting "stunts." Admission, ten cents. Come out and see what the Foresters can do to entertain you. FIELD MEET POSTPONED. The annual meet advertised by Greenwich Council O. F. A., for August 26, has been postponed until Tuesday, September 8, and if the weather on this date is unfavorable, it will be held on the next fair day. The events include field sports of various descriptions and two ball games. The entertainment Greenwich and Warrenton and Manassas in the afternoon. This attraction yearly draws a large crowd from all over upper Prince William.

HAYMARKET. F. H. Peters is spending his vacation at his home here. Frank Meade is visiting at Meadoraft, the home of the Misses Meade. Robert Rust and family, who have been visiting in Culpeper, have returned home. Miss Ina Skinner, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of her uncle, John G. White. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Brown left on Tuesday for Washington, where they will spend the week. Master Bowman F. Price entertained quite a number of his friends at a party on Tuesday at Sonoma. Mrs. Garnett and daughter, Julia, have returned home after a week's visit to Mrs. Edward Carter, in Strasburg. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rector and daughter, Phoebe, motored to Maryland last Sunday and are spending the week with Mr. Rector's sister. Misses Gertrude Williamson, of Washington; Fannie Hancock, of Charlottesville, and Miss Reeves, of Baltimore, are guests this week at Sonoma. News was received here today of the death of Mrs. Harry Bennett, in Baltimore, niece of C. E. Jordan. Mrs. Bennett had many friends in this community where she had spent many summers. Rev. William Gillis and family will leave here on Thursday for The Plains, where they will spend some time with Mrs. Gillis mother before going to their new home in New Hampshire. Their many friends here regret to have them go. There will be an entertainment given at Parish Hall Friday night, September 4, at 8 o'clock and Saturday at 3 o'clock, consisting of plays and songs given by 30 children. Proceeds for benefit of Haymarket Library. Refreshments will be served. Come and have a good time. SOUTHERNS TO HAVE LIVE STOCK TRAIN. To enable growers in Western North Carolina, East Tennessee and Southwest Virginia to promptly forward live stock to Eastern and Southern markets and to Virginia feeding grounds, the Southern Railway has arranged to operate a weekly fast special live stock service, such as was operated last year. Beginning on September 8, the service will continue until December 1st, according to announcement made this week by Live-Stock Agent F. L. Word. Each Thursday during this period, trains will be started at early morning hours from Ootbe Junction, Harrison Junction, Bristol and a d. Appalachia. These will be consolidated at Morrisston, leaving the New Market at 2:25 p. m., arriving Asheville at 9:25 p. m. Trains will also be started from Murphy, N. C., and Roanoke, N. C., on the Transylvania division, arriving Asheville in the early evening. At Asheville the stock will be made into two trains and run special to Spangley, which will be made before 10 a. m. Friday. Hens stock will be fed, watered and rested. Friday afternoon trains will leave Spangley, giving arrival at Greensboro, 7:10 p. m., and Danville at 9:55 p. m. Friday. Other side-splitting "stunts." Admission, ten cents. Come out and see what the Foresters can do to entertain you.

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