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## LIST OF PREMIUMS PRINCE WILLIAM FAIR

Department A, Agricultural Exhibits Will be Under the Supervision of Mr. W. M. Johnson—Read Carefully the Rules.

Entries in this department will close at 6 p. m. Monday, September 15, and exhibits must be in place by 6 p. m. Monday, September 22.

All products shown in this department must be 1819 or 1919 growth. The judge will not award a prize unless the exhibit has decided merit, regardless of competition.

All exhibits in Department A must have been grown by exhibitor on his own or in his garden.

The officers will take every precaution for the safekeeping of exhibits after their arrival and arrangement in the building, but will not be responsible for any damage or loss that may occur.

Exhibits in this department, which have been entered with the Secretary before 6 p. m., Monday, September 15, and which are properly marked with the Association's tags, may be forwarded by prepaid express addressed to the Prince William Fair Association, Manassas, Va., and will be taken to the grounds and placed on exhibition, provided that all charges have been paid that exhibits arrive in Manassas before 6 p. m. Friday, September 19th, otherwise they must be delivered by the exhibitor at the fair grounds. The Association's tags must be attached to each specimen or item exhibited. These tags will be mailed exhibits immediately after entries have been made.

Exhibitors who desire the return of their exhibits at the close of the Fair must attend in person or have a representative there on Saturday, September 27, and claim the same from the superintendent of the department in which the articles are exhibited, other than the Fair Association, who will claim them as seems most convenient.

Section 1—Products of Single Farm—First prize, \$40; second prize, \$30; third prize, \$20; fourth prize, \$10. This class is open to exhibitors from any part of Virginia or adjoining states. Each and all articles of a single farm exhibit must be produced on a single farm or be produced from crops grown on said single farm or the by-product of said crop, such as dried goods, canned goods, cured meats, etc.

A single farm shall consist of one or more adjoining tracts or parcels of land under a single management during the present year.

Articles entered in this class will not be allowed to compete in any other class.

Each exhibit will be limited to a size of 32 feet in length. The width will be regulated by the management. Sections may be put in at the ends of each exhibit.

The Association will furnish only the floor shelving. All extra labor and material that may be desired must be furnished by the exhibitor.

The awards shall be based on the winning score which shall be strictly regulated by the judges.

Quality of Products—Farm 35 per cent; garden 10 per cent; orchard, 5 per cent; 50 per cent; selection or variety above, 20 per cent.

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Selection of products under farm, garden and orchard shall be considered from the standpoint of commercial value of the general farm. Products shall include any and all products of a secondary nature or manufacture on the farm from general farm products, such as cured meats, canned goods and vegetables, preserves, jellies, cakes, and pies.

Management and decoration shall include the exhibit as a whole.

Exhibit shall contain more than one variety of wheat, and not more than two varieties of any other small grain. Each variety may be shown both threshed and unthreshed grain.

Exhibit shall contain more than one variety of white corn, two of yellow corn, two of sweet corn, two of flint corn. (Five stalks and ten ears of each variety will comprise an exhibit). Not more than one variety of the following shown on stalk: Caffee Corn, ensilage corn, Milo Maize, etc.

Not more than two bundles and two stalks of each cutting and variety of hay or straw shall be shown, and all must have practical feeding value and demonstrated in this territory, Virginia and adjoining states.

Fruits and vegetables may be shown in any variety.

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## BIG POLITICAL MEETING WAS HELD AT JOPLIN

County and District Candidates Met and Expressed Their Views.

A rousing political meeting was held in Joplin on the lawn of Mr. William Crow's residence last Tuesday night. Invitations had been sent out by Mr. Crow to all county and district candidates for public office to attend and with the exception of a few candidates, for supervisor, all accepted the invitation and were greeted by a large crowd.

The candidates who made speeches were Hon. C. J. Meetze and Hon. W. T. Olliver, candidates for the state senate; Chas. A. Barbee and R. M. Weir, candidates for sheriff; G. G. Tyler and James Birkett, sr., candidates for county clerk; C. A. Sinclair, democratic candidate for house of delegates, and Robert Hutchison.

After the meeting the ladies sold refreshments for the benefit of the Children's Home Society of Virginia.

Manassas was well represented, those who attended from here being Hon. Thos. H. Lion, Hon. C. J. Meetze, J. P. and C. C. Leachman, G. W. Merchants, R. L. Gaither, John Burke, W. F. Hibbs, O. E. Newman, J. L. Moser, W. E. Truster, E. R. Conner, G. Raymond Ratcliffe, F. E. Ransdell, James Birkett, Rev. R. L. Lewis, G. G. Tyler, H. T. Davies, Robert Hutchison, R. M. Weir, and C. A. Sinclair.

## U. D. C. ELECT OFFICERS.

Prize Offered to Chapter Enrolling the Largest Number New Members.

An adjourned meeting of the Manassas Chapter U. D. C. was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. Cavell Meredith, on Lee avenue, over which the vice president, Mrs. R. S. Hynson, presided. During the business session officers were elected, as follows: Mrs. Westwood Hutchison, president; Mrs. C. M. Larkin, vice president; Mrs. J. Cavell Meredith, second vice president; Mrs. R. LeRoy Byrd, treasurer; Mrs. W. G. Covington, recording secretary; Miss Louise Moxley, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. M. Rice, historian; Mrs. J. B. T. Thornton, registrar; Mrs. Arthur Sinclair, custodian. After the election of officers, Mrs. Hutchison thanked the chapter for the honor bestowed upon her and asked for the hearty cooperation of the members, also cordially invited the chapter to hold its next meeting the first Wednesday in August at her home. Card read from Mrs. Flourmy, president of the Virginia division U. D. C., which explained that Mrs. Roy McKinley, of Kentucky, has offered a loving cup to the U. D. C. chapter enrolling the greatest number of new members between the ages of 18 and 25 years. The prize will be awarded at the general convention which will meet in November at Tampa, Fla. She also says "may I not count on you and your chapter to win this prize for Virginia." Immediately following the reading of this card, two new members were enrolled, the Misses Sente Cockerill and Elizabeth Covington.

## BASE BALL CLUB ORGANIZED.

A number of young men who have sporting blood in their veins, and who realize there should be a base ball team in the town of Manassas, got together the first of last week and organized the Manassas Athletic Club. The following officers were elected: Clarence L. Meetze, manager; Herman Bryant, captain, and Raymond Davis, treasurer. Manager Meetze has arranged for two games for Saturday, one with the fast team of Greenwich and the other with Compton Athletic Club, to be played on the Round Athletic Field at 2 and 4 p. m. The line-up for these games will be picked from the list below: Ayler, D. Lion, C. Lion, Davis, L. Gregory, W. Gregory, W. Sanders, Lee, Bryant, Trimmer, Meetze, W. Sanders, Round, Merchant, Adam Lee, Bryant Trimmer and Meetze.

Mrs. Bryan Gordon entertained at an informal dance Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Giddings on Main street, extended in honor of her guest, Miss Belle Gibbs, of Orange. Six couples enjoyed the dancing after which refreshments of punch and cake were served.

The Aden Agricultural Club, of which Claud Flory is president, enjoyed a club picnic on Cedar Run between Brentsville and Occoquan on the 4th of July. Plenty of good things to eat, games, including a flag relay race and kodak picture taking made up the day's program. Miss Lillian V. Gilbert was a guest of the club.

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Wanted—Good, reliable, intelligent man for general work about the mill—Manassas Feed & Milling Co., 29-11. Mr. and Mrs. T. Coleman have gone to Loudoun county where they will spend the summer with Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown.

Miss Courtney Kinchloe, of Washington was a guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Evans for the week end.

Lieut. Edward Lynch returned Tuesday to Camp Mills after a short furlough spent in Manassas visiting his mother, Mrs. P. H. Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Callow, of Catonsville, Md., were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Dorrell and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bevins.

Mr. C. E. Breedon, of Charlotte, N. C., formerly of Manassas, visited at the home of his brother, Mr. J. L. Breedon, from Friday of last week until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. E. Biggs and children, of Washington, are guests at the home of their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cornwell this week.

Miss Helen Haislip has returned from a visit with relatives at Catharpin and Leesburg. Miss Haislip has apparently fully recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. Walter H. Sanders was hostess to the Bethlehem Good Housekeepers Club Tuesday afternoon of last week. A most enjoyable meeting is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Glascock, of Washington, came to Manassas Friday and visited Mrs. Glascock's mother, Mrs. M. E. Akers until Sunday evening.

Miss Myrtle Shoemaker, of Turtle Creek, Pa., is expected to arrive in Manassas tomorrow for a two-weeks visit as the guest of Miss Elizabeth Pope.

Mrs. O. D. Waters and children, Anna Weir and Dabney, left Manassas on Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Longwell, at Cassoway, W. Va.

Mrs. H. U. Roop most pleasantly entertained the Manassas Good Housekeepers Club in Voorhees hall last Monday evening. A full attendance was present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Luxford, of Dallas, Texas, are in Manassas to spend a portion of the summer with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Didlake.

Mrs. Bolling Lynn Robertson returned to Manassas Tuesday after spending several weeks with her parents at Mt. Vernon, N. Y., while recovering from her recent illness.

Mrs. Andrew Pringle, of Tosand, Md., arrived in Manassas Monday and spent the day visiting friends and went to Sudley Tuesday to visit her mother, Mrs. M. E. Wilkins.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Hibbs and children, of Bethel, Va., and Mrs. W. E. Laylever, of Pittsburgh, Pa., motored to Manassas Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Hibbs.

Major Rosier Castle, who served in the infantry overseas arrived in New York the latter part of last week and is now in Manassas on a short furlough visiting his wife and son.

Would like to rent or buy residence in or near Manassas.—B. Lynn Robertson.

Mr. Chas. N. Puffenberger, who has been stationed at Camp Lee and discharged from the army last week, spent the week end at the home of Mr. J. C. Gregory while enroute to his home at Staunton.

Rev. Alfred Kelley, accompanied by his sister, Miss Isabelle Kelley, left early Tuesday morning for Braddock Heights Md., where they will remain while Rev. Mr. Kelley is convalescing from his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Albert Hewitt and small son, D. Albert, Jr., left Sunday for their new home at Thomasville, N. C., where Mr. Hewitt has accepted a position as special maintainer on the Southern Railway.

Mr. Wm. Larkin, who served 10 months overseas in the 157th ambulance corps, has been honorably discharged from the army and arrived in Manassas July 4 and is visiting his mother, Mrs. L. A. Larkin.

Miss Emily Payne, who holds a government position in the war risk and insurance department in Washington on Main street, extended in honor of her guest, Miss Belle Gibbs, of Orange. Will Payne, near town.

Miss Margaret Gregory and little Miss Edythe Gregory left Wednesday afternoon for Stephens City, Va., where they will visit relatives during July and August. They were accompanied by the Misses Belva Gardner and Richard Stickley, of Stephens City, who have been the guests of Miss Margaret Gregory for the past few days.

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Quantico Will Entertain Next Wednesday Evening in Honor of All Returned Overseas Men—Attractive Program.

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The funeral of Miss Emma Elizabeth Goodwin, who died at her home on Grant avenue, Thursday evening, July 3, about 5 o'clock, was held Friday afternoon at the Baptist Church, conducted by her pastor, Rev. T. D. D. Clark, and interment in the Manassas cemetery.

Miss Goodwin was stricken with paralysis just one week before her death, from which she never rallied. This was her second stroke, the first being a slight one in the winter of 1917. She was a native of this county, having been born at Brentsville and spent all of her life here, the greater part of it as a seamstress. She was 52 years of age, and a member of the Manassas Baptist Church. She is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Reid, of Richmond, Mrs. M. V. Conner, and Mrs. R. F. Prescott, of Manassas, and two brothers, Messrs. James Goodwin, of West Virginia, and Eppa Goodwin, of Manassas.

The pall bearers were Messrs. D. J. Arrington, S. T. Hall, C. J. Meetze, W. R. Myers, Westwood Hutchison, and Lee Johnson.

## Theodore Hensley Sent to Reform School.

Theodore Hensley, the 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hensley, who live near Brentsville, was arrested Monday evening and when brought before Magistrate L. L. Moser, confessed to stealing \$18.35 from the cash drawer of the Manassas Produce on East Center street.

Monday morning about 14 o'clock, he saw Mr. S. M. Haislip leave the building and he slipped in and quickly grabbed as much money as he could from the drawer and ran. Mrs. B. N. Haislip, who was in the back yard burning trash, found the cash drawer open as she entered the room, and upon investigating, found the money missing. Young Hensley immediately went out and bought himself some new clothes and a watch and chain and began to treat his friends to ice cream etc., which naturally aroused suspicion and led to his arrest. This is not his first offense, other complaints of stealing having been made and proven against him.

He was committed to the Industrial school at Laurel, Va., and is now in the town jail awaiting the arrival of authorities of that institution.

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Exhibitors of pure-bred cattle should bring to the judging ring with each animal a one-year-old, the registration certificate...

Golden Virginia tobacco, blended with just a dash of Turkish, not merely "cured", but—maple-sugar cured SWEET CAPORAL CIGARETTES. Ask Dad, he knows.

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PERUNA A Wonderful Remedy FOR EFFECTS OF LA GRIPPE. Read His Letter. I have suffered for the last two winters with that terrible disease LaGrippe.

L & M SEMI-PASTE PAINTS BEST THAT CAN BE MADE. Get to you \$3.25 a Gallon when made ready to use.

Virginia Farms Near Quantico, also near Fredericksburg, Va. SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR INVESTMENT. Small farms for market gardening, from 2 acres and over in Prince William county.

DEPARTMENT D—SWINE. J. M. Kline, Supt. Entries close at sundown, Monday, September 15, and all swine must be on the grounds by sundown of Monday, September 22.

C. C. Saffer & Bro. LEESBURG, VIRGINIA. Dealers in Farmers Machinery and Supplies and Buyers of Farmers' Crops. SUPERIOR DRILLS. NISCO MANURE SPREADERS. WEBER FARM WAGONS.

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CATHARPIN. Rev. Homer Welch preached to a large congregation at Catharpin Sunday evening. His text was selected from Genesis 49:23. The archers have sorely grieved him, and shot at him, and hated him. There will be mourning at this place next Sunday morning.

At present there seems to be no outbreak of cholera in this community. Mr. Brower has lost one recently in a new case which has been reported.

Messrs. Harvey and Paul Wilson were among those from Washington who visited relatives during the week end.

Mr. N. Currier Pattie has accepted a position in Washington, D. C. Mr. Harry W. Polen spent the 4th in Washington visiting his brother, Mr. Meredith Polen.

Mr. Frank Brower of Wilmington, Del., spent the week end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Brower.

Mrs. Rawlings, who has been a house guest of Mrs. F. H. Sawyer, returned to her home in Southern Virginia last week, accompanied by Miss Nellie Sanders, who will make her a visit.

Mr. John W. Polen spent the 4th of July and the week end with his sisters Mesdames Etta Lynn and L. J. Pattie. Mr. Walter Peterson and family and Master Lee Pattie, motored to Warren on Sunday afternoon.

Little Claudia Pattie entertained a few of her little friends on the afternoon of the 4th of July, the day being the seventh anniversary of her birthday. She received many pretty little presents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McDonald visited Rev. and Mrs. John McCutcheon in Leesburg Tuesday. Capt. Roy McCutcheon, accompanied by the Rev. E. J. McCon of Rev. McCutcheon, and cousin of Mrs. McDonald, is daily expected to arrive in New York.

Mrs. Etta Lynn was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pattie on Sunday.

Mr. T. J. Cason is on the sick list at this writing. A number of others have suffered from the extremely hot weather of the past week.

Miss Ruth Baker of Washington, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Akers.

MISSISSIPPI. Mrs. LaVene Bartholomew of Burlington, N. J., sister of the Misses Calhoun, died recently after a short illness at her home there. She is survived by a husband and two married daughters. Interment was in Burlington.

The Misses Robb of Greenville, Miss., are spending some time with their cousins, the Misses Beckwith.

Mr. Edward Carter has returned to his home here permanently, having been mustered out two weeks ago.

Mr. Raymond Pearson who has been employed by the Hulfish & Clarkson Co., of Haymarket, as clerk, resigned recently and accepted a place as time-keeper for Mr. Chas. B. Allen in road construction work.

Misses Virginia Cave and Martha Carter spent several days at their home here last week.

Mrs. C. B. Allen, Mrs. Kemper and daughter, Lulu, were visitors at Camp Humphreys over the 4th.

Mr. Roswell Blair made a brief visit to Shirley last week.

Mrs. Margaret Purcell who lives in Wilmington, Del., has opened her summer home in the village. We are glad to have her in our midst again.

Rev. Homer Welch preached a very interesting sermon on individualism here last Sunday afternoon, owing to the threatening weather the congregation was not as large as usual.

Mrs. Lore of Washington, D. C., visited the Misses Cave recently.

We are glad to report Mr. Tom Armstrong much improved after a long illness.

Miss Bessie Barksdale, of Washington, spent the 4th with her friend, Mrs. Jack M. Percy.

Miss Thelma Soudair of the U. S. Navy made a brief visit to her old home here last week.

The Misses Harrington, of Alexandria visited their aunt, Mrs. John Sweeney last week.

Statistics from reliable sources point to a production of beet sugar 30 per cent greater than last year.

The Cobalt sugar production alone was 4,000,000 tons, being the largest production on record.

Mrs. Martha Welch, mother of Rev. Mr. Welch, had the misfortune to slip and fall last Friday, and we are sorry to report her as very much indisposed at this writing.

Miss Ada Galleher motored to Falls Church last Monday with Mrs. O. C. Hutchison of Haymarket.

Miss Nellie Cave visited Miss A. D. Martelle on Monday night.

Mr. Lewis Boyd was a Nokesville visitor last Sunday.

Mr. E. M. Cave and a party of friends motored to Warren on Monday afternoon.

Robert McKenney, colored, of the 88th Central Postal Directory, who has been in France the past 10 months, has been mustered out at Camp Lee and is at home again. Robert has many friends in the neighborhood, both white and colored, and it will no doubt be gratifying to them to know of his safe return home.

Sunday School Convention. The Coles district Sunday school convention will be held at Woodbine Church, Sunday, July 13. This convention was to have been held last Sunday in June, but owing to the county Sunday school convention at Nokesville, on that date, it was postponed to the second Sunday in July. All are cordially invited to attend.

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Local News Items. Miss Luella Baker, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Pauline Beachley. Miss Edith Thompson of Fairfax, was the guest of Miss Lillian V. Gilbert Monday.

Mr. Walter U. Varney, of Alexandria, was in Manassas on business Monday morning.

Mr. W. H. Ware, of Washington, was a guest at the home of Mr. J. C. Gregory Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Smith, of Washington, is visiting relatives and friends in Manassas this week.

Mr. James H. Patton, of Herndon, is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. B. N. Haislip.

Mrs. L. E. Ruppert and son, of Baltimore, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Thomas Coleman, of Washington.

The small 2 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Davis has been quite ill, but is now improving.

Mrs. T. F. Coleman and daughter, Miss Helen, were in Washington last Wednesday shopping.

The Refiner Carnegie Library will be open through the summer on Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Miss Betsy O'Neil is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Robert Turner, at Orange.

Mr. H. F. Meetez, of Richmond, is visiting his father, Mr. J. F. Meetez, and brothers, Messrs. C. J. and H. Y. Meetez.

Mrs. Harwood Myers and children, of Emporium, Va., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Myers on Prescott avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rosenberger and son, of Norfolk, Va., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Rosenberger a few days last week.

Mr. J. Willis Meetez of Marcus Hook Pa. spent a few days the latter part of last week with his parents, Hon. and Mrs. C. J. Meetez.

Miss J. I. Randall and daughter, Miss Dorothy, returned home Sunday from a visit with Miss Mabel Wanda at Washington. They also attended the big celebration there on the 4th of July.

INDEPENDENT HILL. Mr. and Mrs. George Oleyar and little daughter of Trenton, N. J., spent last week with Mr. Oleyar's parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Umholtz, of Manassas, were guests at the home of Mr. F. J. Hays last Sunday.

Messrs. Will and Richard Hinton of Quantico, made a business trip through here Friday.

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TUESDAY. BABY MARIE OSBORNE. "CHILD OF M'SIEN."

THURSDAY. DOROTHY DALTON. "QUICK SAND."

FRIDAY. WILLIAM S. HART. "BREED OF MEN."

SATURDAY. RUTH ROLAND. "THE TIGER'S TAIL."

ADEN NEWS. We were glad to see it rain again Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and two sons, of Washington, spent Sunday at their home here.

Most of the people of Aden and vicinity attended the lawn party at Mr. M. C. Hazen's place which was enjoyed very much.

Miss Ruth Herndon, Miss Beulah Reeves, and Mr. and Mrs. William Baker, all of Washington, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reading last week.

Mrs. S. R. Herndon is reported to be in very feeble health owing to her HOADLY.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hudson of Washington, spent Friday with Hudson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Woodyard.

Quite a number from here motored to Quantico for the 4th.

The 4th passed off very quietly. Rain is badly needed in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mills, daughter, Leota, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fairfax and children, of Independent Hill, spent the week-end at relatives.

Mr. Cutler Baker of Washington spent the week end with his aunt, Mrs. E. A. Smith.

Mr. Elisha Garner spent Sunday with Mrs. Lydia McConeh.

Miss Mamie Hampton of Alexandria spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James O. Hampton.

Paul Reid and Mrs. Blanche Kitchie motored to Washington Thursday and Mrs. B. F. Mills and daughter, of Manassas, visited Mrs. M. father the last of the week.

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The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown was the scene of a real house party on July 4th, when tempting viands were spread on their beautiful lawn, and were partaken of by many of their friends. Out of town guests who remained over Sunday were Misses Anna M. Miller, Mary M. C. Derriott, Edna M. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. George Rae, and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Washington.

Mrs. Rena Craig, of Gastrina, N. C., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Lulu Mantilly.

Leo Poindexter, of the U. S. Navy, and Everett Poindexter, of the U. S. A., are visiting their home in Clifton, called home on account of the serious illness of their father, Mr. R. H. Poindexter, whom we are sorry to report is no better, and is still in Emergency hospital in Washington.

The Children's Day entertainment was given in the Presbyterian Church Sunday night, and their splendid program was well rendered by the little folks. Many beautiful thoughts and good deeds are instilled in their young minds while singing praises to God. A solo by Miss Jenne Sauber "We Praise Thee" deserves special mention. Much credit was due to Mrs. R. H. Hottle, Misses Maude Wood, Margaret Detwiler, and Francis Makely, in training the little ones. An address on home missions was given by Supt. R. R. Buckley.

We learn with regret of the death of our neighbor Mr. Jake Fox, of Neverset.

Mitt Woodyard, who died last week, after a long illness, was buried at the family burying ground, at the home of Edgar Woodyard near Clifton.

Rev. Dr. Clark, of Manassas, conducted the funeral services.

Messrs. Lewis Quigg and Rufus Mathers spent Sunday with friends in Fredericksburg.

Will Buckley and family of Washington, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Lucy Buckley.

Rev. Dr. T. H. McLeod, of the Presbytery of Washington, preached in the

Presbyterian Church Sunday morning, and will supply the pulpit again next Sunday.

Harry Otis, of the U. S. N., was visiting his old friends here last week enjoying a short furlough. He left for New York Sunday night to report for sea duty.

Mr. and Mrs. James Heflin (nee Miss Irene Kincheloe) of Washington, were week end visitors at the home of Mrs. T. C. Cassidy. Mrs. T. A. Kincheloe returned with them to spend several weeks.

Private Raymond Garner has returned from overseas where he spent 12 months. He was with Co. F, 316th Infantry, and saw a great deal of the unpleasantness in France. The stork visited his home while he was in France and a little stranger awaited his return.

Mr. James W. Kincheloe, who is making a bustling canvass for collector of the revenue, was in Herndon last week on business.

Rev. H. M. Bradbury, of Chicago, who has been visiting his wife and mother at "Ivakota" has recuperated somewhat in health, and has returned to his duties in the west.

Mrs. Irene Speaks is slowly recovering from her recent severe illness.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mock in Baltimore, a baby girl. Both are former residents of Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mathers motored across country to Palmyra, Va., to spend the 4th with Mrs. Mathers' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitten, Miss Gladys Whitten, returning with them to spend some weeks.

Harry Ambler, young son of Clint Ambler, had his shoulder broken from a fall. Dr. Ferguson attended the fracture.

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Mr. J. C. Swift has moved with his family to New Kensington, Pa., where they will take up a temporary residence.

Mr. Jack Barrett has returned from a business trip to New York. He is with the John Simmons Co., of New York and has landed a large contract to furnish the government with wireless masts.

Mrs. Lillian Kidwell of Washington is the house guest of her cousin, Mrs. J. W. Mackley.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mathers had as their guests over Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carson, Mrs. R. D. Vance, Miss Gladys Vance and Mr. William Wordell, of Mt. Salon, Va.

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