Oppoie payment will begin on Tuesday, Febru-ary 24, to secure electric light and power for the season. Only half the amount will be provided by the East, the balance by the town. The poles and wires have been set up by the college authorities, and the lights will be installed in the immediate future. The service can be increased to meet all requirements of the town, making open to the solution of an improvement problem that has confronted the town.

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IMPRESSIONS OF EASTERN COLLEGE DEDICATION.

Event Noted in the Annual of Institution and of Manassas-Resident Visitors.

The New Assembly Building erected at Cost of $50,000.

Dedicated.

(Mr. D. L. ROBY)

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Wherever Hammond Dairy Feed has been sold for any length of time, 90 per cent of the largest and best dairies are using it.

Why is this?

Because they get more and better milk for less money. Dealers do not buy this feed from the manufacturers to please them; neither do the farmers and dairymen buy it from the dealers to please them.

Why is this?

It is because they get results. You can take a sack of chaff and add a shovelful of cotton seed meal and have the per cent of protein, but you would have a great balanced ration, wouldn't you?

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C. J. MEETZEL, Warehouse and Seed Manufacturer
BRISTOW, VA.

Sit Up and Take Notice! SPECIAL SALE For One Week Only

We wish to discontinue the sale of the following items as they do not properly belong to our line of goods, and will close them out below cost:

- $1.10 Horse and Driving Blankets go at
- $1.25 Horse and Driving Blankets go at
- $1.50 Horse and Driving Blankets go at
- $2.50 Horse and Driving Blankets go at
- $5.25 Horse and Driving Blankets go at
- $10.50 Horse and Driving Blankets go at
- $15.50 Horse and Driving Blankets go at
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R. H. DAVIS & CO., "The Poor Man's Store."
BRISTOW, VA.
The Figure in the Doorway.

How John Slipher Came to Be Best In Art, Then, Too.

By J. H. Haskell.

A new was finishing her tea and the last of the cake and the yawning young man, the door opened and a gentleman stepped in. He was wearing a black frock coat and a white waistcoat, a black hat and a red tie. He was tall and thin, with a long face and a small beard.

The young man, who was sitting on the floor, looked up and said, "Good morning, sir. Is there anything I can do for you?"

The gentleman said, "Yes, I have some business to attend to. I need a place to stay for a few days."

The young man said, "May I ask your name?"

The gentleman said, "I am John Slipher."

The young man said, "I'm John Slipher's son."

The gentleman said, "I see. Is your father at home?"

The young man said, "No, he's not."

The gentleman said, "I understand."

The young man said, "I'm sorry, sir. I can't help you."

The gentleman said, "I see. Thank you."

He turned and left the room.
The People's National Bank of MANASSAS, VA.

PRINCE WILLIAM PHARMACY
Manassas, Va.

N.B.—Prescriptions? That’s our business.

Our Business is Banking
Banking is Our Business

The sign "BANK" does not make a bank and is often misleading. It requires time, energy, close attention to business, a substantial capital and experience in banking to make a bank. We claim, without blushing, all the merit of a business of banking, and tender our patrons a service thoroughly seasoned by years of experience, backed by a substantial capital and a large stockholders.

The Bank that Does Things

PRINCE WILLIAM PHARMACY

Manassas, Va.

Are You Listening?

Sucrene
Remains without a Peer!  
A Feed That Has Class!

Hear what our own State Department of Agriculture writes:

RICHMOND, VA., January 31, 1910.

GENTLEMEN: We beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 30th inst., and note your request to have the material studied by this Department for purposes of the Sucrene Feed. We have the pleasure to inform you that the analysis made of the above-mentioned sample of Sucrene Feed (drawn from the stock of Baum & Co., Richmond, Va.) shows the following:

Dry basis:

Sucrose, 17.52 per cent; Casein, 2.75 per cent; Crude Fats, 11.45 per cent; All of which are above the guarantees of the manufacturer.

Very truly,
(Signed) R. L. POUNCHELL, 
D. B. F. Commissioner.

Watch this Space and We will Give You Ample Testimony to the Superiority of SUCRENE Feeds

Marcel not that "Marvel Powder" will make a difference of bread is the keynote of the day. Why? Because it makes LIGHT BREAD.

"Call or write us for prices on Floor, Feed, and Flour. We sell out on an advance basis and our prices are lower than those of our competitors. We are always glad to do business with you. Our prices are lower than those of our competitors. We are always glad to do business with you.

C. M. Larkin & Co., 
Wholesale and Retail Feed and Grain Dealers,
Manassas, Virginia.
Progressive Nokesville

Nokesville is gaining wide publicity as a progressive city, and is making considerable strides in the big city road. There are many new buildings in the town, and the streets are becoming more attractive. The electric lighting system is being extended, and the streets are being improved.

People are flocking to Nokesville in great numbers, and the business is doing a good business. There is a new hotel being built, and the town is looking forward to a bright and prosperous future.

Nokesville is the home of the famous Nokesville Fiddlers, who are well known throughout the state. They have been making a hit in every place they have been, and are expected to continue their success.

There is a new bridge being built over the river, and the town is looking forward to a great improvement in transportation.

The town is also making strides in education, and there are many new schools being built. The people are proud of their city and are working hard to make it a success.

Waters, Wright & Hickey

Better Potatoes

These potatoes are the best you can find anywhere. They are the largest and most delicious potatoes, and are sure to impress anyone who tries them. These potatoes are perfect for any occasion, and are sure to delight anyone who tries them. Try them today and see the difference.

Attention, Farmers

We have a good stock of American Wire-Field and Wire-Field Fences, and we can also furnish you with the best Oyster Shells. We also have a good stock of Oyster Shells, which are perfect for any occasion. We also have a good stock of Oyster Shells, which are perfect for any occasion.

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Penn-Vir Coal, Oil & Gas Co.

What it is Doing in Promoting Developments in Virginia

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READ CAREFULLY

Compare the holdings of the Penn-Vir Coal, Oil and Gas Company (holding 23,000 shares) with the holdings of the above companies mentioned and you will readily see what the great possibilities of the Penn-Vir Coal, Oil and Gas Company will be.

You may think you can do better by buying and holding stock over oil in strikes. Study the table of California shares and decide how many shares you could buy after development. In its good companies, and compare it with what you could have bought before development, and remember they were all "back of the herd" properties at one time.

The Oil of Virginia is of a Grade Bringing $1.53 Per Barrel—the Product Indicated in Our Field is of Same Quality

The Engineer and Solder are now in Position and the Recorder for the District is on the Ground.

J. M. SULLIVAN
Superintendent of Construction

Penn-Vir Coal, Oil and Gas Co.

Home Office: Box 71, Manassas, Virginia

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MANASSAS VA. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1903

DEDICATION SIGNIFICANCE.

NOTES on the fact that every person in the representative
assembly of the State of Virginia has been to the
meeting of the Manassas College for Geology was
impressed with the higher signification they conveyed. More than a
one observation on this subject was made by Professor
Baldwin of the University of Virginia, who
lauded this memorable occasion and through in absence of his
theologicals as a silver thread in cloth of gold. The eloquent words
spoken, each a symbol of profound meaning, defined clearly the
sentiments they conveyed, but not in any way beyond the
expression. It was a prophetic vision of the future, a realization
that the spirit ofGeology, and its noblest principles, is and will be
making for enlightenment, for the molding of noble character, for
the development of Christian manhood and womanhood. The
people, or even better, the ideal, which the building represents.
For every ball of education is a temple, a sanctuary upon whose altar
the free of knowledge are kept brightly burning.

This new building signifies the permanency of Manassas College in
this community, meaning that the institution will work, not only in
Manassas, but in a unit with the main College upon its campus. It is a
link uniting Town College and Manassas College, and represents
the earnest interest in the educational growth of the
people. The entrance of the College into a wider field of activity
is a matter of importance to the town as to the institution itself.
And it is not merely a matter of convenience, but of great
spiritual influence, as that influence is a reality, while it is
real, whether it be in this field of human endeavor. An
educational institution is, in reality, a potent, a powerful tool
that endures in the community of which it is a part. It is not
merely an educational institution, but it is a spiritual
institution, and that is why the spirit of education
so much a part of the life of the people.

Opposition to Radford Amenity

It is evident that through a misapprehension of the situation,
a number of citizens of Manassas signed a petition to the
Legislature against the passage of an enabling act authorizing
the Town Council to levy a tax for the payment to Mr. and Mrs.
P. Baldwin of an annuity in return for a deed to a tract embraced
in the campus of Eastern College and on the site of an
institution, the purchase of which to be made upon the
basis of an educational institution. This is shown by the
fact that a large proportion of the signers have demanded
the same stipulation from the petition, since its publication to the
Legislature. It will be seen that the petition has been criticized
by many who have been disposed to express an opposition,
so that further misunderstanding will not occur. The amount of the
petition is not less than $100. It is stated that the petition will
not be presented to the County Court, but that it will be
enacted to be presented to the County Court, or that it will be
presented to the County Court by the signers of the petition.

Washington's Birthday

With reverence the birthday anniversary of George Washing-
ton was commemorated Friday, — but the jingle reverence of
the sleepy little village was but faintly heard. The two
houses of the public schools, however, were filled with a
bewildering sound, while the bells of the public schools
announced the signal of the day. The whole
community was agitated by the sound of the bells, and the"destitutes of the district, and a large number of the public
schools were filled with a scene that was truly patriotic.

The Manassas Democrat.

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The National Bank
OF MANASSAS

Capital, Surplus and Individed Profits

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MANAGEMENT

The management of this bank is under the control
and direction of a Board of Directors of representa-
tive and business men; each of whom represen-
ta broad experience and intimate knowledge in
some special field of commercial or financial activity.
It is the bank's policy to conduct its business in
a careful, safe and conservative manner, and at the
same time to extend its patrons every facility and
advantage consistent therewith.

Quality and Price

We are the only firm to be considered when purchasing sup-
ples for your table. Why substitute inferior, poorly
made and faulty products when we are supplying them
with your best interest at heart at the very lowest prices.
We call attention to our splendid assortment of
quality. We are necessitated to restrict
our mail business.

Juicy, tender Meats, Choice Groceries and Fresh Vegetables

are offered in abundance and variety to satisfy the most
discerning palate. You will find us at the White House, Payne & Polen,
and the Red Coat. Mail orders welcome.

Payne & Polen

Brennan Building, Old 80th

Critical Buyers

Have attended the excellence of our Choice Meats, and we are continuing to
serve our new customers each day. Wiley and tender Roasts and Steaks are assured
where we buy of you. We ask a personal and friendly consultation con-
dent that we can please you.

E. R. Conner

The National Bank of Manassas

impossible with our Systems Over-
twentieth as dangerous as old Lamp

Explosion

BOSSWELL BROS., Marshall, Va.
General Agents for Northern Virginia

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Hotel Fleischmann

Alexandria, Virginia