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TTON CONSIDERS

Total Annual Salary of \$1,350 in Proposal Gives Him Respon-Buildings and Ground

The Manassas District School e present salary, \$125 a month the family and friends. r a term of ten months, with The funeral was held yesterll buildings and grounds.

for and will announce his deci- vices at the grave chool.

VOTE ON CONTRACT Trustee George C. Round ofered a motion, at an adjourned how receives to \$1.500 for bour Lipscomb. weive months, the amount sug-Superintendent. The motion was endered to Prof. Button was approved by a recorded vote: Aves: Round and Pringle: no. Wheeler.

hen affixed to the contract.

STATE PAYS SALARY As a matter of information

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ELIAS W. WELCH DIES

tion-Death Ends Patient Suffering-Financiand Interment at Old House.

e family plot on the premises. Mr. Welch is survived by his dow and two sons, Charles nassas. He also leaves two p-daughters: Mrs. Margaret fries, of Washington, an

GALLANT SOLDIER Welch was born near, le Washington, Rappahanfederate Army as sergeant in skating. Fauquier Battery under Col-Stribling.

tist Church.

DEATH ANGEL CALLS LOVELY YOUNG WOMAN

WEEK MISS ESTELLE MARSTELLER DIES

Final Summons Came Monday Afterno After Lingering Illness-Rests in Mapassas Cometerr Boside Mothe

After a lingering illness. Miss ard vesterday tendered Prof. Estelle Marsteeller died Monday F. Button a contract for con-afternoon at 1 n'clock in her uance of service for the home near Bristow. Although ar 1912-13 as Director of the she had been in failing health anassas Agricultural High death was wholly unexpected hool. The contract stipulates and came as a severe shock to

00 additional for the remaind- day morning at 10 o'clock from of the calendar year and a St. Joseph's Institute, Miss Marcation of two weeks, making steller entering into the Roman total annual salary of \$1,350. Catholic faith while a student in clause in the contract gives St. Edith Academy. Miss Marrof. Button responsibility for steller was laid to rest in Manassas cemetery beside her mother Prof. Button is considering the who died fifteen years ago. Ser-

ion within a week. He has ed by Father Dominic, of St. Joseceived two offers at an annual eph's Institute, and by the Rev. alary of \$1,500 one from a Phillip A. Arthur, rector of St. chool in South Carolina, and Anne's Chapel, Nokesville, and other from a Virginia Trinity Episcopal Church, Ma-Miss Marsteller had been an Episcopalian.

TESTAMENTS OF LOVE There were many beautiful meeting of the School Board yes- floral offerings, eloquent testaerday, that Prof. Button be en-ments of love. The pallbearers raged as Director for 1912-13, were Claude Bodine. O. D. Watwith an increase of salary from ers. Weir Waters, Frank Cock-1,250 for ten months, which he rell, Douglas Cockrell and Bar-

Miss Marsteller leaves rested last year by the State father, S. A. Marsteller; two voted down by a recorded ballet. sisters, Mrs. Coleman Cockrell. Aye, Junust; mes, Fringle and of Washington, and Mise Hallie Wheeler. The contract finally Marsteller, of Bristow; and two agreed upon by the Board and brothers, Eugene Marsteller and LaClair Marsteller, of Bristow: She was a niece of R. M. Weir.

Miss Marsteller was a young By a two to one ballot the Board lady of beautiful character and mous in favor of the idea. ast Saturday had voted to re-high intellectual attainments. Her ain Director Button for 1912-13, excellent qualities endeared her nd then adjourned to January to all with whom she came in 0 to arrange details of duties contact. Her death is deeply tion, and the undertaking was friends.

> Miss Marsteller was 25 years old and born in the family some near Bristow.

WINTER MAKES UP

ALLANT CONFEDERATE VETERAN IS IT COLD ENOUGHT MERCY!

Farmer of Haymarket Sec- Mercury Runs Down to Zero to Get Out of Way, While Sun Hides Behind Clouds - Merrymaking for Youngstore

Winter and the beautiful snow d of more than a year in hos-struck town last week, banishtal ended Saturday morning at ed lingering autumn for keeping o'clock when Elias W. Welch unsessonable hours and, accorded in Providence Hospital, the to indications, have settled ashington. The funeral was down for a prolonged stay, The om the old home in Haymark- first jcy blast drove the sun be-Monday morning at 10 hind the clouds, to remain, exclock, the Rev. T. D. D. Charke cept for an occasional peep on under his smiles and the weather became more agreeable.

Some of the old inhabitants elch and Thomas Welch, of tell us that it was the coldest enced in ten years, while others say it was more severe last win-We are willing to take s. Maude Hewitt, of Manas- their word for it. On several of persons who had courage to look at the thermometer. The or the Southern cause in the young folks for sleighing and

TWELVE YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

t the close of the war Mr. - Phillip Sanders, colored, the ch settled near Haymarket, peg-leg burgiar, will serve twelve ere he engaged in farming to years in the penitentiary for time he was stricken a year breaking into Hibbs & &iddings of the most indifferent. His life was quiet and store. He was sentenced to four red but his strong than the vents for the our early mot Maron and eight vears for the repeti-

manifested in many good trans November, While Staunds. He was a member of the ton, a suspect, also colored, was reteased.

Commemoration

General Robert E. Lee

RUFFNER SCHOOL BUILDING, FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1912 By Manassas Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy.

MEMORY of General Robert E. Lee, leader of the Southern Confederacy, humane and Christian soldier, will be honored by Manassas under direction of Manassas Chapter. United Daughters of the Confederacy, with impressive ceremonies in the Ruffner School Building, on Friday, January 19. 1912 the one hundred and fifth anniversary of his birth.

Veterans and sons of veterans are requested to assemble promptly at 12:30 o'clock for luncheon.

The services will begin promptly at 2 o'clock. Judge J. B. T. Thornton has been requested to officiate as master of ceremonies. The Rev. P. A. Arthur will offer the invocation. Dr. H. L. Quarles will deliver an address. Crosses of honorwill be bestowed upon Confederate veterans. A program of music is being arranged, including songs by school children. The Rev. C. L. DeLong will pronounce the benediction.

SCHOOL CHILDREN IN GREAT PARADE

FEATURE OF AGRICULTURAL FAIR STATE SCHOOL HERE NEXT WEEK

Division Superintendent George G. Tyler Appoints Committee to Arrange Plans

> By GEORGE G. TYLER Division Superintendent of Schools.

It is the intention of school officers and teachers of Prince William county to have a school fair and parade of children of the county at Manassas next fall as a feature of the Prince William County fair.

ENTHUSIASM GREETS PLAN In a recent trip through the county by Mr. T. S. Catala Co Supervisor of Rural Schools, and the Division Superintendent, the subject of the fair and parade was discussed in many of the schools and the teachers and pupils were practically unani-

A vote was taken at the last meeting of the Teachers' Associaby a wide circle of enthusiastically endorsed.

CHILDREN DECT EVHIDIT

The main feature of the occasion, of course, will be the parade of school children, which will far surpass any other exhibit that the farms can boast of; and whom, we think, have not received their share of attention at the meetings of our Farmers'. In

SPLENDID SET OF CHILDREN not know, by actual acquaintance, what a spiendid set of children are growing up in old Prince William. Every one, of course. knows some of them; but not many have availed themselves the inestimable privilege of being well acquainted with any great number: and therefore the masses of grown people don't have time. iciating. Interment was in the arctic scene, until Tuesday the matter brought before them morning, when the skies cleared in such a way as to realize fully what magnificent opportunities they have for doing good in helping to provide for the education weather this section has experi- and training of these precious children.

PROUD OF CHILDREN We think there is no one who mornings the mercury hovered could look upon a parade of, say about zero, the precise degree of one thousand of Frince William shrinkage varying with memory County's splendid children, without having his pride aroused, his k county. He fought gallant snow and ice are welcomed by the heart touched, his mind enlightened, his zeal stirred, and his dairy barns, and will tell us." whole being enthused in such a manner that he will gladly assist in every possible way, those who are laboring to make the schools better. We believe that such an inspiring sight would attract the attention, loosen the purse strings and engage the active cooperation

LOVE OF CHILDREN

but we carnot make it senterprise the success it should be. unless those who love children both large topics and well calcu. The whole is just what the parts Continued on inside page

FXPERTS INSTRUCT

By PROF. H. F. BUTTON Secretary Northern Virginia Parmers' Institute.

In the Traveling School of Agriculture which is to be held here on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, January 15, 16, 17 and 18 at the Court House, there will not be a dull moment, nor one which is unprofitable. The best agricultural experts of the State have collected the cream of it to us in a series of lectures on the topics of greatest local interest.

growth and prosperity of Manas sas depend directly upon agricultural advancement, it is particularly urged that business men and other citizens of the town show their appreciation of the efforts of the State in our behalf by attending as many as possible of the sessions. Every one who s in any way interested in agririculture will find something of

SERIE SOURCES (I) DAIRY COWS

Especial attention is called to the Monday afternoon program which includes a demonstration in the selection of dairy cows. Dr. H. L. Querles, Paster of Baptis The people of the county do We all know that some cows are better than others, and that some men can tell the good ones. Come and see it done by experts who will demonstrate on a number of actual cows, explaining stch point as they go along. Any man who keeps cows can the opening of the winter term, erate Soldiers' Home at Richlearn as much in this one lesson as would bev for a menth's

PASTURE MANAGEMENT

There is no part of the farm so parts neglected as the nesture management will be explained on Tuesday by Prof. Carrier, who everything else that is worth this year was the best ever sent, will tell how to add fifty per while, is the building of charac- Here is an evidence of appreciacent to its productive power. In ter. One's only real asset is his tion: . these days of inspectors and character. The true difference clean milk the barn is as import between persons is not pursuit,

DAIRY BARNS build clean, cheap, convenient will be

ABLE SPEAKERS will be of great general interest. forming and then of executing a and we appreciate it. I shall see The Rev. Dexter and Dr. S. W. definite and determined purpose that each veteran gets what is in Eletcher are men of wide expert to build worthy character, I begithat box for him, and I know ience and proved ability as speak- you to pay attention to the sadly ors and workers in the field of reglected fact that without con-kindness and assistance, and agricultural improvement. "Restant care of details, both the wishing you a happy and pros-Higion in Ferming." and "Im forming and the performing of peaces New Year. provement of Country Life." are voor purpose will miserably fail.

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FARMERS' WIVES PLAN IMPORTANT SESSIONS

WILL ATTEND TRAVELING SCHOOL

partment of Agriculture, Will Direct Meetings of Woman's Auxiliary.

By ELLA D. SHAW, Clifton

The Farmers' Wives of the Northern Virginia are invited to attend all morning sessions of the Traveling School of Agriculture to be conducted in Manassas, January 15 to January 18, 1912. In afternoon sessions the ladies are asked to follow the program given below.

HELPFUL BESSIONS Miss Ella Amew of Rurke ville. who is connected with the United States Department of afternoon sessions which will prove very helpful. Ladies of far advanced. all towns in the Eighth Congresvited. Especially should youth

and old age plan to attend Dr Fletcher's illustrated lecture next June. "Improvement of Country Life Andrew Pringle and George G. in Virginia," and the Rev. H. Dexter's splendid sermon o

Following is the program fo

"Religion in Farming." -

the sessions: Monday, January 15, 1:30 p. m., at High School library: Business meeting of Woman's Auxiliary of Farmers' Institute.

Tuesday January 16 1 20 n.m. Agnew will speak on Site, Caring for Home, Etc."

p. m. at Court House: Joint Poultry Meeting with Men. Poultry Diseases, Mr. Opperman. Poultry Discussion, Dr. C. R. C. Johnson, Mr. Pringle and others. Thursday January 18 Clubs."

CHARACTER BUILDING AIM OF EDUCATION DAUGHTERS SEND

CONSTITUTES ONLY REAL ASSET

Church, Draws Lines of Practical Ap

Perfection of character is the destiny of man according to Dr. H. L. Quarles, pastor of the Bapstudents of Eastern College, at ness to veterans in the Confed-

AT OF ROUGATION "The sim of education, as of acter. Life's question is not DEAR MRS. SINCLAIR: Prof. Brainerd knows how to what you will do, but what you

· IMPORTANCE OF DETAILS

"Assuming that you recognize The lectures Tuesday evening the imperative necessity first of

"NO CONTRACT CHANGE AT PRESENT TIME"

RECOMMENDS SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Believes Modification Should Be Deferred-Suggests Head for Entire School

Recommendation that no changes be made at pressent in contracts with instructors in the Eighth Congressional District of Manassas Agricultural High School, and a suggestion that some teacher be designated as head of the whole School, with responsibility for the institution. is the substance of the report of a special committee to the Manassas District School Board.

The report of the committee is to the effect that inconsistencies exist in the contracts, but that any modification at the present time would be against the Agriculture, will direct these interests of the institution, es-

The contracts which the comsional District are cordially in mittee was asked to examine and report upon, are the contracts now in effect and which expire

> The committee, comprising Tyler, was appointed by the Board to examine the contracts to determine whether action should be taken toward modification. The report of the committee follows:

> > COMMITTEE REPORT

To the Manassas District School Board Gentlemen

Your committee appointed by Propletion of the School Board a at High School library: Miss a meeting held on November 4. "Home 1911, to examine the contracts Sanitation, Decoration, Selecting under which several of the teachers in the Manassas Agricultural Wednesday, January 17, 1:30 High School are working, and to report at the next regular meeting of the Board whether any action should be taken by this Board toward a modification of the said contracts to make them harmonize with each other and p. m., at High School library: with the uniform policy of the Miss Agnew will speak on Board since the beginning of the Winter Gardens" and "Tomato School in 1908; and, if they so find, to recommend such action as they deem advisable in the in-

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VETERANS CHRISTMAS

Sulendid Box of Presents to Veterans is

Remembrances from home tist Church, in an address to brought true Christmas happi-Purity of thought and the emula mond. Sacred is the duty to iation of worthy exemplars are lighten the hearts of these passessentials in attaining this ideal, ing defenders of the Southers he declared. Dr. Quarles said in cause. It is a duty never neg lected by Manassas Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy, and the Christmas box

SPLENDID BOX OF PRESENTS Richmond. Virginia

Please extend to your Chapter the sincere thanks of Richmond Chapter for the splendid box of presents received vesterday for the Soldiers' Home entertainment. Your interest in this matter is most gratifying to us, Mr. Rennoe will be overjoyed.

.... Must sincere.v MRS. B. A. BLENNER Chairman Soldiers' Home Com-

mittee.

NIFRNATIONAL

FOR JANUARY BIRTH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST.

LESSON TEXT-Luke 1x7-80. GOLDEN TEXT-"Blessed

last week's lesson. "Hath God said, and shall be not do K?" Heaven and earth shall pass away, but one jot or you would be wisely advised. Dis tittle of his promises shall never fail. trange that God should remember his promise to a single individual amidst the infinite multitude of the sons of help. The value of counsel is in men! Yet be does. He marks the fall of a sparrow. And so according to God's promise, the shild was born. At the proper time, the child was dedicated to God in the temple. These gighteous parents recognised that the shild was God's gift. All Godly parents should. Do wet Have we presented our children in dedication to the Lord in the church? The first place these parents took their child was to church is this true of us? The naming of the oblid is interest

ing. John means, "gracious gift of Zacharias thought of God in maming the child. What did you think of when you named your child? Did ing that of youthful companions. you give & a Christian name, or cally ed it after some heathen, gudless now Does it express your hope and faith a God? There are times when, in order t

please God, we must differ with our of John. Out of respect for Zacharias. and because of his advanced age, and his friends proposed naming the child after him, probably to perpetuate the announced the pame. The angel said low those that are what you wish that the child's name should be John. Those seedly convents shoot has by the Word of God, irrespective of the opin son of even well-meaning friends.

A striking question was asked: What manner of child shall this be?" What strange thoughts must have been passing through the minds of those As you waste your money by parents at this time as they recalled spending it on trash, and your the anger's message and the predicted future of this child! "As Zasharlas looked into the unconscious from of his child he saw the prophet of the Most High

Parents, what possibilities do 700 see in your child as you look into its mold. To some extend you can tell what manner of child he is to be Teacher, what do you see in the child? not willing to express in any Just a bundle of nerves to be kept circle. If, as Paul says, you quiet or the possibilities of a great

Sacharias' song is full of victorious and prophetic hope; it is itself a fulfilment of a prophecy; God hath visfind his people. For over 1.000 years the righteous in Israel had looked forward to the fulfillment of this proph-

The advent of this oblid brought joy, not only to Zacharias and his but to their neighbors.

you? Children are the beritage of all the street railroads in Rich the Lord. How much would you take for them? All the wealth in the world think of the One who gave them to you. There are your children: Can they see, when so many have been During that period he had to many have been born deaf; can they romp, when so many have been born ants who have sweet children on earth - KING IT MAY be IN DESPRESS COME MO their presence cause you to berst out companies. in praise to God!

of praise was the fact that Zacharias ended and the accounts examined was alled with the Spirit. Joy and by experts for the purchasers of gladness are always associated with the properties, and was approved the Spirit: "Be alled with the Spirit; speaking to pourselves in spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord," The Spirit filled men is the happy man. Are you happy Christian? If no why not? What a description we have in the song of Zacharias of the deliverance Which Christ brings to every soul that trusts him; Deliverance from Satan, from death, from sin, from the wenid, from every enemy; a protection and covering from the righteous vengeance of God; freedom from the pense quences of sin; the wonderful promise New Octoons, Lo., Pobruary 18th to 18th that some day even now in a measure inclusive, final limit to reach original bucceing for evermore.

The song of Encharies gives us a model for our hymne and SCORES.

most prominent note in this some is salvation: From our enemies, that we may be enabled to live in peace and quietness; from sin, that we may be able to be espatantly wellpleasing to God; from slavied fear in der service to God, in order that we may render service as sons, and not he servents of slaves; with boliness. that our life may be one that is spent not morely in overcoming the sine of our sature, but also in the entire

CHARACTER BUILDING AIM OF EDUCATION

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make it. Every act, word, thought enters into the structure of the character. This maudlin sentimentality about making character by grand feats and majestic strides is ineffable idiocy. Ignoble living forms no part of a noble life. Mix one part of lamphlack with nine parts dod of Israel, for He bath visited and of clear water and the whole will be black.

knother fulfilled prophecy added to LINES OF PRACTICAL APPLICATIO "Choose helpful counsellors, if tinguish between those that seek to place and those that sock to the many-sided view. The advice of one of your own age, who sees and feels as you do, will simply conform your view, right or wrong. The farther one's point of view from yours, the more valuable his counsel. the multitude of counsellors there is safety." Follow Solomon in this, rather than his son, who ruined his kingdom by rejecting M the advice of elders and accept-

"Choose worthy exemplars, if you would live worthily. thing? Is it an impration to the chief chief value of all history and exnerience is in distinguishing between the successful course and the unsuccessful. You cannot friends. So it happened in the naming excel by imitating failures. If you would have genteel habits, choice language chaste conver sation, do not copy the boorish, the careless, the coarse; but fol- C. D. S. CLARKSON to become.

Choose pure thoughts, if you would have pure characters. The Scripture says: "As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he." body by feeding it on trash, and destroy your body by feeding it on poison; so de you waste and ruin your character by feeding it n tracky and beiserous thought face? That little life is for you to Never entertain your own spirit with meditations that you are think on the things that are true and pure and lovely, you will become true and pure and lovely: and so of the converse.

NOTICE

Mr. Rosewell Page, who is a candidate for the office of State The birth of this child brought forth Auditor, was for five years the goodness. Did you ever thank God court auditor in the Passenger & for your children? Who save them to Power Company cases, involving mond and Petersburg, including C. L. pould not buy them. Nor are you ask parks, electrical appliances and ed to sell them; but you are asked to lighting plants connected there-

born blind; can they bees, when so pass upon about ten million dollars Office her Souther Caper. WANABRAB, VA of accounts and to supervise the same; can they meak when so many clerical work of the whole office have been born dumb! Oh ye par force with which the receivers conducted the husiness of the

Another thing that led to this some tory when the receivership was

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and is unished with a veil hanging rejected. traight from the back. s soft and light on the head and un-

cause it is always good style. The ing like new. form is covered with folds of soft.

HREE widely different but equal- dull-finished crape. Three "wings" of ly excellent hats are shown here, loops covered with the crape are bordesigned for "first mourning," dered with a narrow plaiting of the and therefore they are made en- fabric. They are mounted at the back rely of crape or trimmed with it. As with a big soft knot of crape. In the is beautiful fabric has been so per- early days of mourning a crape veil such of people of moderate means and veil of coarse-meshed Brussels net, extensively used in dress trimmings | bordered with craps. This hat is designed for matrons or older women

It is a simple matter to test crape rape and has a facing of white crape. and other fabrics designed especially he moderately high dome crown is for mourning wear to see that they are rimmed with a collar and spirals of waterproof.. Immerse a small piece in xample of the exactness and neat the dye runs and the "rib" or crimble, es which should always characterize comes out, the fabric has not been waforkmanship in mourning in linery, terproofed and should be immediately t

A beautiful turban of grenadine have freshened to look like new. A veil ng its draperies edged with double which has grown limp and dusty lookolds of crape, demonstrates the ingen- ing, should be thoroughly brushed and ity of the milliner who designed it. It shaken, removing the dust. It should then be rolled about a broom handle commonly becoming. It is a model (without stretching) and pinned so wited to almost all faces and ages. A that it will stay rolled. Place the rolled mail veil may be worn with it. For crape over a boiler and keep it there arst mourning a vell of net, bordered an hour if necessary, until it has bewith crape would be a good choice for come thoroughly steamed through with

The little toque with body and trim- it to dry and allow it to remain on the with which we are all familiar be, he entirely setisfactory the crape look.

IN CULLARSI WUMAN'S FOUT GROWS LARGER New Models in Profusion, and Many Shee Manufacturers Say Number

A large variety of fall collars is beers are also much in evidence.

Old Ones Rotain Their

Popularity.

We the turn-down coller, a few are -Success Magazine. ade with the standing military col-

Cleaning Block Silk One of the cleaning processes for ack silk that is far from being idely known is the coffee method. It as follows: Boil some coffee until ere is no further aroms rising thereone. Lay the silk article that is be sponged on a table or board and onse on the side that is to show. ter the anonging is thoroughly ne turn on the wrong side and from th fairly not tron; preferably one ervals. This will remove the spots oftener than the malt Nquor and not only will the give tone the black materials but make the icle's texture appear now. Let dry thily before treating

How to Keep Young. some women attain a graceful old by adopting the following rules: get disagreeable things, keep your ves well in hand and inflict them Bo one; master the art of saying asant things; do not expect too from your friends; make what-Work that comes to you ial; retain your illusions and don't leve all the world wicked and unid brigher to yourself and others. lower edge.

Two Shee is Now Almost

ng shown for fail. While the newer American woman's foot is growing nodels to not show the regulation larger. The number two shoe is alailor collar, many are made with the most obsolets, they say, and sizes ew shaped saffor, which simost four and five are much communer eaches to the waist line, but is con- than three. The explanation seems iderably narrower than the old style. to be that the phenomenon is due to erge round collars and pointed col-the increased use of the feminine foot as a means of locomotion; The con-Hoods and hood effects are meeting stantly increasing number of women to coats have the collars made so as in popularity of tennis, golf and walls have an adjustable hood which can ing have had their inevitable result. wed to cover the head when do and common sense has done much to red. When unbuttoned it forms a abolish the wearing of pinching shoes. The tradition that small feet are an Double collars, consisting of a deep excellent thing in women has per-Pe collar coming over the shoulders sisted long and will not die without d a small turn down collar, naually a struggle. Conservatives need not rint, are also seen in load that women will obery this man e lines. While the majority of costs | ter. too far; they know when to stop.

SILK AND EMBROIDERY



embroidery, bordered with a band of the same. The upper part and the sleeves are of slik, the sleeves finished with band of embroidery.

The waist fastens prettily on one side with gold buttons. Most of the costumes of this season have large revers so as to show the

MOOL WILE SIGN THIS.

Taffeta Jacketa Little coats or jackets of change-: relieve the miseralise and avms afte taffetas are worn with voile or

but we do not give; It sems so easy some soul to bless, ut we dole the love grudgingly, le

THE WINTER BERRY.

In cooking cranberries it is well to remember that they should never be put into a tin dish. Either agate or porcelain dishes should be used. Granberry Conserve -- Extract --- the

juice from an orange, then cover the peeling with cold water and cook slowly until tender. Scrape out the white, bitter part, and cut the peel into nerrow strins with the scissors. Simmer one and a half supe of raisins until tender; add the orange feel and the juice and a quart of cranberries. If needed, add more water to make a cupful of liquid. Cover and cook for ten minutes or until the berries are done. Then add two cups of sugar and simmer until thick.

Creaborry Triffs-Cook a quart of berries with one pint of water until the berries pop open; rub through a sieve, return to the fire and add one pound of sugar. Stir until it is disselved, then let boll two minutes; ool and beat until light with a wire egg beater, thez fold in the stiffy beaten whites of two eggs. Pile in a glass dish and serve. Cranberry shortcake and cranberry pie are old favorites for desserts.

Baked Apples With Cranberries.-Solest large, perfect, sweet apples, re move the cores and fill the cavities with thick cranberry jelly. But the apples in a pan of water in the oven, and bake until the apples are done. Put each apple in a glass sauce dish and serve with whipped cream.

Cranberry Roll-Cream two tablemoonfuls of hutter add a cun sugar, a half cup of cold water and two cups of flour sifted with a tableonful of baking powder and a desir of natmes. Best until perfectly smooth, then add another cup of, floor and roll out the dough to an inchin thickness. Spread thickly with Jum or jelly, roll up closely, pressing the ends together. Lay on a plate and steam for three hours. Cut in slices and serve with cream

Rellie Maxwelly

Choice of Friends

purity of our lives depends on our ming made entirely of crape is a shape roller for 24 hours. The result will making a wise choice of our companions and friends. It is well and right, indeed, to be courteous and considerate to every one with whom one is thrown in contact, but to choose ter. . . . If our friends are badly chosen they may drag us down; if well-they will raise us up.—Bir John

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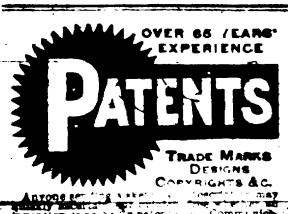
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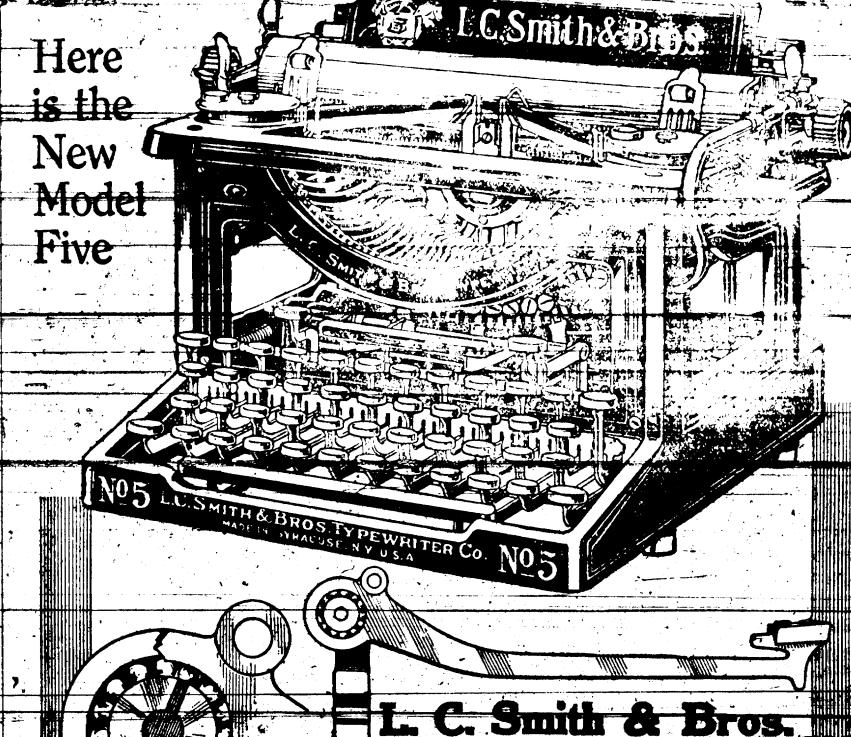
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our International Banking Corp., and Bradstreet Mare. Agency.

J. L. Hawkins, of Chifton, was in town Tuesday.

The town council will meet next Monday evening.

St. Edith Academy, Bristow, has resumed for the winter.

The circuit court adjourned

Tuesday to the February term. Callie Goode has taken a posi-

tion with Wagener and Company. F. C. Graffam, of Dumfries, is

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clem are Luray.

A son was born December 29 Brentsville.

Bryan Gordon was in Albemarie last week visiting his father who is in feeble health.

Fire last week destroyed the a few days. wheelwright and blacksmith shop at Remington.

Miss Ethel Bryant and Miss Ethel Evans visited friends in Washington this week.

Mrs C. L. Delong and little daughter, Elizabeth, have returned from a visit to Baltimore.

Mrs. H. W. Scott, who has een visiting here returned home Monday to Tomsbrook

Seminary at Eorest Gien. Md. to his home at Tomsbrook.

Miss Claudia Waters returned to her school in Haymarket after spending her vacation in Manas-

Miss Mariam Jones, who has

Miss Neville Dogan, who is attending High School, will make her home for the winter with her sunt Mrs. Ressie Elliot

O. P. Curry, of Gaffeny, N. C. returned the first of the week to Eastern College where he will resume his College course.

Managers this week. He has accepted a position with McDo-

Miss Blanche Daly, Miss Char-Henry Payne have returned to Washington, after spending the William Larkin, James Kelly holidays here.

Dr. Sumwalt, presiding elder, is conducting a conference this afternoon in Asbury M. E. at 7:30 o'clock in the Baptist night. Church.

tended visit.

cold weather. Large congrega-

the presentation of the molodrams Daniel Boone on the the Trail' by a competent company in Conner's hall last Seturday evening. The play filled with thrills, and was up to the standard of such offerings.

A children's service will be inaugurated in Trinity Episcopal Edna McLean, Washington; Church next Sunday afternoon Walter Merchant and the Misses at 3 o'clock and will be held Hölsinger, Washington, Harry every second Sunday at the same McLean Philadelphia; Mr. and hour. While the services are Mrs. J. W. McLean, Messra Merprimarily for children, the older chant, Sorg, Fox, Evans, Jones, people are cordially invited. Herring and Utterback.

A strand of broken wire severely lacerated his left eyelid. wound required the services of a surgeon. No serious consequences are expected.

o'clock will be conducted by Dr. Lodgy. Sumwalt, presiding elder of the

Mrs. F. S. Brand and daughters spent Christmas. left last week for Washington to spend the winter.

the O'Callaghan property on Main street extension.

Charles Flannigan and Shirley ed in Manassas Sunday.

The young people of Manassas have been enjoying a few days of fine skating this week.

A number of new students en- right arm. rolled at Eastern College week, for the winter term.

a severe sprain of his left ankle. of the plant.

Miss Sue Brawner left this a prize winning hackney. week for her home at Broad Run

J. H. Kepler, of Frederick, Md., formerly of Catletts, was here Saturday visiting his cousin, L. E. Beachley.

Clarence Wagener and Paul rosume their studies at the Uni- on "The Passion Play." versity of Virginia.

Miss Beatrice Cross has return ed to her home here after a two weeks visit to her sister and friends in Washington

Miss Madgie Woodyard has an indefinite period. The mantaken a position in National Park ager, H. W. Scott, has returned underwent a successful operation rights and authority of other

> W. F. Shuey has returned from Augusta county, where he visited his sister, Mrs. C. A. Thompson, and friends during the holi-

The telephone exchange been visiting Miss Bet Elliot, has Nokosville has been moved from December 22, 1911. Ten new portance that the contracts for returned to her home at Front the residence of E. L. Herring were enrolled in the Haymarket the next session should be writto the residence of J. E. Riedle-

> "Old Farmer Hopkins," will Friday, February 9, under direc-

died Monday afternoon at 3 ject at Fredericksburg. Supero clock in her home near Manas visors of the different counties

A business meeting of the W. well Pyle Candy Company of C. T. U. will be held in the Efird noon, at 3 o'clock. All members lotte Ewers, Roy Ewers and business of importance will be transacted.

and William Ward were admitted to membership in the Farmers! (llub at Wellington at the meeting last Friday night. Discussion of Parcels Post was deferred Church. He will preach tonight to the meeting tomorrow, Friday

Harry McLean and Miss Edna st the Chesapeake and Ohio rail- be procured from manufactures McLean, who spent the holidays mad in which he seeks \$5,000 elsewhere. with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. damages for claimed injuries to a J. W. McLean, have returned to valuable horse in transportation, Philadelphia. Miss Ethel Mc- has been continued in the circuit Lean will remain for a more exito the April term, on account of the absence of important witness-

been proved during the recent Payne during the holidays were over the branch near the Wise sented in form of a delayed Miss Charlotte Eweres, Roy property is to be raised about train. A mile a minute to make tions there for the week of prayer Eweres, Miss Blanche Daly, four feet in grade. The pro-were made comfortable despite Henry Payne, Washington; Wil-posed improvements involve an kind of speed for the impatient the freezing temperature out- liam Payne, Alvin Holland, Agne- expenditure of about \$500 from young couple. But the train finalville; C. H. Payne, Miss Selins the district road funds. Within ly surfived, shortly before 2 A large audience witnessed Payne, Miss Martha Payne, the past two years. Supervisor o'clock in the morning. Almost Hunter Payne and Miss Estelle Gulick has spent about \$500 in as quickly as one can tell it the Payne, Occoquan.

> A dance was given at the home of Albert Lawrence on Wednesday evening. December 27, in honor of his sister, Miss Bessie Lawrence. Among the guests were Miss Ethel McLeon, Miss

taken to the University Hospital, center and having its ends turnand almost tore the eyeball, last Charlottesville, last Monday for ed down to form supports for Saturday evening when W. S. treatment of an injury to her left the shovels which are attached Saturday evening when W. S. knee sustained in a runaway acto their forward edges.

Athey ran into a clothes line in sidest for years are They the the yard at his home. The cident five years ago. Then the A brace is disposed between injury was believed to be only a the two portions of the plow and severe sprain, and was believed is held in place by two bolts. to be healed until about two years which also serve to fasten the ago; when it was diagnosed as handles. A elevis, which is Large congregations in the rheumatism. A minor operation stamped from a single piece of Baptist Church each evening are last week showed that the knee metal, is fastened to the forward uniting in the week of universal bone had been seriously affected, end of the plow and projects so ness League smoker. Plans for prayer. Services tonight at 7:30 She may undergo an operation that the team is prevented from improvement of the town will be

James Entwiste is suffering Miss Margaret Mines, of East from a severe carbuncle on his ern College, has returned from Clarksburg, W. Va., where she

> G. M. Ratcliffe, of Dumfries, was in town Tuesday, attending a meeting of the directors of the Peoples National Bank.

C. A. Harman, of Staunton,

Miss Madie Gallahan slipped and fell to the floor of her home evening and broke a leader in her

A short story contest for the after visiting friends in town for students has been planned by Miss Margaret Mines, associate editor and business manager, of The Eastern Collegian.

Welr left the first of the week to o'clock in Eastern College chapel given by State Superintendent

Elder Dalton, of Front Royal. will preach in the Primitive Baptist Church next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Miss M'Ledge Moffett, who

Ellen Utterback, of the seventh grade, with 100 per cent for punctuality and attendance, has been

in the Haymarket school for the succeed. at fall term from September 22, to

Prince William county citizens be presented in Conner's Hall, who are active in advancing the movement for the Canada to Flotion of Frank Davidson, for the ride highway through Manassas, benefit of the Manassas band. will be interested in a proposed "This report is respectfully sub-Mary Washington, colored, rally in the interest of the prosas. The funeral was held yes are to be invited to be present tee is acting." James Dunnington returned to terday, with interment in the as speakers, with representatives of the National State and Municipal Good Roads and Automobile Associations. The rally is to be held at an early date.

Prince William county farmers are requested to be present as are observing with interest plans of the State Department of Agriculture to establish a hog farm for experimentation in cholera serum in the event approval of the Legislature is gained. Commissioner Koiner has made the pastor of the Baptist Church. recommendation for free hog cholera serum to the Virginia farmers. The serum now costs 35 cents a dose, and Mr. Koiner is confident he can have it made The suit of W. B. Bullock again- in this State cheaper than it can

planned by Supervisor J. F. bride-elect on the evening train, Gulick on the road between Ma- at 9:30 o'cleck, from the South. nassas and Sudley Mills. The Even a cosy little home on East highway is to be leveled, grades street was waiting for her. The efficiency of the heating es. reduced and portions filled in But the proverbial obstacle in plant in the Eaptist. Church has Guesta at the home of Hugh with crushed stone. The bridge the path of true love was preimproving the road between Ma- happy young people were standnasses and Milford

EMSOR'S SUB-SOIL PLOW

of the subsoil plow. a farm implement that once used is indispensable, so thoroughly efficient is its work. It is made entirely of metal and is cheaper ment in not celebrating their and more durable than wooden implements. The plow is made anniversary.

walking on the plowed ground. discussed.

Johnson's Plow is intended to The Woman's Foreign Mission-

"NO CONTRACT CHANGE AT PRESENT TIME

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terest of the School and of our people, beg to report that "We have examined said conhas leased the photograph studio tracts and find that in some parin the Wenrich building and will ticulars they are not in accord open for business next Saturday. with what should, in our opinion, be the policy of the School Board in conducting the School, yet, in in Inependent Hill last Saturday view of the fact that the session School is being conducted (ex-

right arm.

cept manual training, which by
The candy factory will resume all means, should be in progress
operations January 15, after being also) under the contracts as they L. E. Pope has been confined closed for two weeks for annual stand, we do not deem it wise to visiting relatives and friends in to his home for several days by invoice of stock and overhauling attempt to make any changes in said contracts at the present C. D. S. Clarkson has returned W. B. Bullock has returned time; believing that all teachers to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Petty, of from Salem, where he has been from a trip to Catskill, Hunter and others concerned are so much sold several fine Percherons, and School, that no one will insist upon any construction of any contract which might interfere with the smooth and orderly progress of the same;

'And while we are not required under the resolution of your Board to make any recommenda-Dr. John, of Pittsburg, is visit- tion as to future contracts, we ing his sister, Mrs. H. U. Roop. would respectfully suggest that He lectures this afternoon at 4 in accordance with the advice Eggleston in a letter to the Division Superintendent, dated August 24, 1911, that your Board contract with some teacher as head of, the whole School who shall be responsible to the School Board for the proper use and care of the entire plant; strictly attending Columbia University, guarding, at the same time, the in New York last Friday, for re-teachers in their respective moval of a growth on her tonsils. spheres. We agree also with Superintendent Eggleston when he says, in the letter referred to, 'You cannot have more than one

"We deem it of the utmost imlast Monday: four advanced, two ten in such clear and plain langintermediate, and four primary. uage that there may be no doubt in the mind of any teacher or school officer as to the policy of the School Board in conducting the Manassas Agricultural High

> mitted after careful consideration of the preamble, and resomajor united which your commit

ANDREW PRINGLE. GEO. G. TYLER

MIDNIGHT MARRIAGE ROMANCE

comance in real life, but like chapter from a novel, was exemplified when Benjamin Bradfield, of Manassas, and Miss Barbara Searcey, of Asheville, N. C. were married this morning at 2 o'clock by Dr. H. L. Quarles,

Mr. Bradfield had planned to claim Miss Searcey for his bride yesterday, the only present that he wanted on his twenty-fifth birthday anniversary. Early in the day he procured the marriage license and arranged with Dr. Quaries to perform the ceremony. Everything was in read-Extensive improvements are ness for the appearance of the

ing before Dr. Overles in the presence of the groom's parents. Mr. and Mrs. James Bradfield. and his brother. Richmond Brad-George W. Johnson is inventor field. After the ceremony a delicious wedding breakfast was served. It was getting along about breakfast time.

> The young couple have forgotten all about their disappoint. wedding on Mr. Bradfield's natal

The bride is a charming and accomplished young lady. Mr. Bradfield is an excellent young

> Weather permitting the Rev. J. K. Efird will preach in the public school building at Nokesville next Sunday morning at 19

Either January 18 or 19 is the date to be selected for the Busi-

M. E. Church. Dr. H. U. Roop will preach tomorrow night. Croup. Has been used with success in our family for eight years. Liking that farmers have been noon, January 17, at 2:30 o'c ock Whitesare, N. Fr.

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CHOOL CHILDREN IN GREAT PARADE

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me forward and help us. We expect to award prizes r literary work; work in agrilture, domestic science, domes-

c art, manuel training, and to accessful contestants in athle-The following committee, of nesday afternoon. thich the Division Superintenent is chairman, has been ap-

Literary Department-Miss E. I Osbourne.

ng-Prof. H. F. Button. Domestic Science Miss Lulu

Metz. Domestic Art Mrs. Lizzie J. Athletics Miss Emily Johnson

Arrangement of Parade and Program-Mrs. M. S. Moffett.

The whole committee is expected to solicit prizes; yet we hope there may be many who will their assistance.

We will need money to procure prizes and pay expenses, and any contributions for these purposes will be thankfully received. We also need men and women in every neighborhood who will take an active interest; visit the schools most convenient to them: encourage the children to take part in the contests and provide friends at Markham. conveyances for them to come to Manassas and join the parade.

Just try to picture this inspiring scene in advance; the long line of vehicles decorated with school colors, led by a brass band and loaded down with the precious pride of Prince William; hundreds of joyous, happy, hopeful and promising children; each one worth infinitely more all the other exhibits your farms can possibly produce: and then. think of the increased activity S. Patton has a horse with apin the schools; the more regular perently the same disease with and prompt attendance; the bet which he lost five. ter behavior; the more diligent and earnest work that will be children will be allowed to enter brother U. C. Rolling these contests except those recommended by the teacher as studious.

We earnestly urge all those who are willing to assist, in any way, this important work to communicate with the Division Superintendent or any member of the committee."

BUTTON CONSIDERS CONTRACT TO REMAIN

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which it appears is not general it should be stated that the salary of the Director of the Manassas Agricultural High School is paid out of the appropriation from the State funds for the maintenance of the School, and not out of Manassas District funds. Taxpayers in Manassas District pay no more toward the salary of the Director than do other taxpayers throughout the State.

FILE COMMITTEE REPORT The report of the committee appointed to consider the preamble and resolutions of October was placed on file.

LIBRARIES

Libraries worth \$40,each were voted to the High School and to Cannon Branch No. 3, both Mrs. Walter Keys. schools having raised the required \$15. Miss Eugenia H. Osbourne and Miss Mary M. Rosen-berger were appointed managers.

DEFER ACTION ON BIDS School building.

BENNETT LAND DEST A letter was laid before the Board from Dr. M. C. Bennett, asking for balance of \$752.86 due mas tree was a feature of the him on land. The names of sub-observance in the M. E. Church, scribers offered for the purchase Tuesday evening, December 26. of the land were divided be. There was a program of recitatween the three trustees who volunteered to call upon them for payment in order that this debt tribution of gifts to the children. might be cancelled.

PAY DULA

J. A. MOTERAL CHAPTE

EXPERTS INSTRUCT - IN AGRICULTURE

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d are already awake to the lated to bring out the best in gent need of better schools, both speakers. The program will begin at 7:30 o'clock. WINTER EGGS

How to get eggs in winter is a hard problem, but some people accomplish it, and one of the most successful will explain how when Mr. Pringle speaks Wed-

EVALUATION HOUSING

Poultry diseases are troubleointed to arrange the work for some but often are caused by he several departments; which badly made houses. Dr. C. R. vill be advertised in due time: C. Johnson says that his hens are never sick because of his sanitary houses. He has con-Agriculture and Manual Train- sented to tell about it Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

> KEEP HENS WELL When hens do get sick, however, it is well to know what to do, and this may be learned from Mr. Opporman, who has had a thorough training in the theory and a large experience in

SESSION HOURS All sessions will begin promptnot wait to be solicited, but will ly at 10 o'clock in the morning, come forward and volunteer and 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The ladies will meet in the library of Ruffner School

the practice of poultry.

WELLINGTON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. O. Wells were in Washington Monday. C. L. Cushing has been visiting

Miss Katie Boley, of Green-

wich, has been visiting Miss Lizzie Rollins.

Mrs. A. H. Compton is on anextended visit to friends and confined to the house this week relatives in Alexandaia.

The mill recently established here by C. W. Vetter & Co. is doing a prosperous business,

We are sorry to report that J.

Mrs Jas Kelly was extled to promoted by this expectation on Washington one day last week the part of the children; for no on account of the illness of her

Miss Sadie Monroe after spendwell behaved, industrious and ing a few days at the home of her uncle, W. T. Monroe returned Sunday night to Burkes where she is teaching.

Miss Mary B. Smith, Miss Dora and Minnie Glasscock, of Marshall, after spending the week end with Mrs. O. Wells returned home Tuesday.

During the recent cold weather Andrew Piercy had the mis fortune to get one of his ears badly frosted. We trust amputation will not be necessary.

DUMFRES NEWS

last week. Thomas Bell, of Washington, visited friends here Christmas.

Mrs. A. A. Lynn and daughter, Miss Elsie, are visiting rela-

The W. C. T. U. will meet to morrow, Friday, at the home of Mrs. Ella Waters.

Miss Viola Keys spent Christmas with her parents. Mr. and

Miss Adams, governess at Graham Park, has returned from a visit to her home in Clifton.

French Brawner, of Washing-Action was deferred on bids ton, spent Christmas here with for painting the Agricultural High, his parents Mr and Mrs W H Brawner.

Christmas was happily celebrated in Dumfries. A Christtions and music, followed by dis-The festival was celebrated in the Episcopal Church on Wed-The following bills were ap nesday evening, and box social was betd in the Town Hall on Thursday evening by members of

the Baptist Church.

GREENWICH NEWS

Mrs. A. B. Carrington is visither son at Brook Neal.

Miss Elsie Devlin is visiting

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Cooke spent the holidays at "The Manse.

Norman Brady has purchased the Fletcher property and taken nothing. Buy Standard STARK Stock. possession.

We are glad that Mr. and Mrs. James McLearen have moved

Willard Nalls spent Christmas day at home and visited many of his old friends here.

Early Harnsbrough went to Washington last week and expects to make his home there.

Captain and Mrs. Veeder, of Washington, spent a few days at their home here the first of the

Mr. and Mrs. William Mackall of Savannah, William Mackall, Ir., and Douglas Green, of New York, spent the New Year season buckwheat flour on hand. at "The Lawn."

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Thornton and up at Austin's. and family, of Round Hill, have rented the house and farm of M. B. Washington for the year and will move in soon.

The entertainment given in the Presbyterian Church for the Sunday School on December 28, was much enjoyed by all especially the children.

a few days.

at his home here. The ice harvestors are busy

this week getting their houses

Miss Irene Demary has been

with a severe cold. ~ Mrs. Walter and daughter, Edna, of Washington, were week end guests at Mrs. Parsons.

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mysterious letter in his apartment. The viscount arrives, hands a sealed package to O'Rourke, who is not to open it until on the ecean. He says the French government will pay O'Rourke 25.00 francs for his services. A pair of deinty slip-covered kneeling in the act of turning the letter.

Flame with the governor general of Algeria. He gives the colonel a signet ring at the sight of which he says the efficial will deliver over the fewel.



certainly no better than it should have to mitigate the terrors of the journey.

ums. Discharging the guide with a "Yell not be smalled to deprive ners. Barden me, I ges, but but I decoursed to the adventurer that unit. Discharging the guide with a "Ye'll not be menting to deprive more Bardon me, I geny, but but I decerted to the adventurer that DANIALL & MCCOY gratuity larger than his obbing means me of these few trifles, me gay high. warranted, he had proceeded to El Waymen, I'm thinking?" he inquired In high feather with himself, the place of security selected by the Guerrah by the first daily train, and placedly of the pair. "If ye've he ob O'Reurke extertained his companions Governor-General for anything he held so now found himself on the direct jection I'll make so free as to take with a running fire of pleasantries for in trust. He built upon it a theory line of communication with Algiers back me own."

So thinking he drowsed, and in the lection—the knives, coins and hays, worn down; the Englishman turned "And he left?"

from his understanding, he realized "I'm afraid 'tis useless," O'Rourke the earth, if need be."

ets, swiftly but after a bungling fashion. The train, having paused briefly patiently, "We know he's dead. The ing savagely in his ear. at Setif (he afterwards located the news was heliographed in from the "But there'll be no need," continued

sure the thieves that he carried noth- either." remarkable winnings to accumulate indifferently. He notices two men watching him. One is the Hon. Bertle Glynn.
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Trebes, a noted duelist. When O'Rourke

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The Honorable Bertie, O'Rourke dis slewly and evenly, "you've destroyed corway curtain and the viscount charges the adventurer's traveling sear inside (Neurse took up pipe and the PRourke with having a spy secretes out; at least he seemed to be try "I told ye," he replied, filling the eagerness, triumph and apprehension, ways providing ye had got possession CHAPTER V.—O'Rourke is forced to wlatide, he addressed Clynn: "Find he crooks I'm thinking."

Ent a due with the viscount. The bragart nobleman is worsted in the combat it?

The lit a match and a

CHAPTER VI.—They loyal wife bids
O'Rourke farewell and he promises to soon return with the reward offered for the Pool of Flame. He discovers both the Pool of Flame. He discovers both Glynn and the viscount on board the about him."

"No—worse luck!" grumbled the flame to the tobacco "There's me lost flame to the subject," he added in hand-bag savagely. "There isn't so distinctly, puffing and eyeing the pair through the cloud of smoke.

The revolver waved in the viscount's about him." The vicomite favored O'Rourke with hand; he was livid with passion and

CHAPTER VII.—Chambret has left Algeria and O'Rourke has to gain a military detachment going across the desert to reach his friend. As he finds the latter there is an attack by bandits and Chambret is shot.

CHAPTER VIII.—Chambret dies telling Trebes' attention with a winning weapon. The Honorabie Bartie Consmile. "Good evening," he said, and nodded until O'Rourke, though quite at loss to

Shortly before midnight the tri- siways played the game as it laid." his hand going toward his pocket; hut ye." "Where's that letter monsieur?" the vicomte.

your pistol and be sensible." | moved the latter from his line and the Palace de la Government. Des Trebes' face darkened suf-fused with the blood of his rage. Yet the man asserted that admirable con it easy, me dear friends. The mischlef's

Again O'Rourse yawned with maiSit down, sit ye down and take it like very outset; disappointment in the med up the state of mind which had Work Promptly Done in exhaustively and dispassionately. little mea. The situation's unchanged, shape of word that his excellency was distance his removed the contract of mind which had Not a word," he volunteered at save that I've put tamptation out of away. But the name of O'Rourke was thirty, with brow and eye serene, he length, "until ye loose me hands and And as they wavered, plainly of province, and secured him an invited the suburb of St. Engance and heaven presently thundered on westwards, less. which, he added, ye need not two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the an tion to ascend to the Governor's office two minds O'Rourks clinched the anti-

to mitigate the terrors of the journey.

Tree, O'Rourke stretched himself. We've a long ride together, though of great affairs, presenting an eminent-Free, O'Rourke stretched himself, wave a long ride together, though it business-like look for all its Orimorning in the easis. In the interval rubbed his wrists, and observed a will help me haguile the tedlum with ental setting. To one side, set in the it. Get The Sunday Star, with Magadesert, returning to Bickre alone by a ing upon the sent by him thanks society chatter, me Toute more fired that that which had calle by Gigns to big disput at any twinking at the discountiest ricounts, over some air, exposing a brought him up with the flying col- finding what he sought.

back me own."

Take what you want," returned he tesched both more than once and replied to the secretary.

His chiefest concern new lay with

Des Trebes in an ugly tone. "But—

the future and the Peol of Flame; I give you three minutes to tell me both bulked large upon the herison where you have put that letter."

With the rapier-point of his wit and that his excellency was absent: his both squirm in impotent rage. They and were at once the architects and "Indeed? Your courtesy overpowers cut wretched figures, two against one, and missed Colonel O'Rourks.

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of the each, fell asion. He waken come in the full forward and up." He fugered his revolver where and groat, dumn your where hours or so to a confusion of impress is that letter? I am losing patience." the time we've got the upper hand!" To the contrary: the secretary and the time we've got the upper hand!" sions: that the train had stopped; "Where rust nor moth cannot cor" "Be quiet;" interposed the vicomes. It very well. He could place his hand that some one had invaded his compared the vicomte of the compared that a cold blast was blow- O'Rourke misquoted solemnly thinks himself so infernally clever! The across his wrists. Bewildered and "Steady. Den't call names or I'll What 'dyou say, you Irish braggart, if surrender it without the Governor's not half master of his senses, he start forget meself. I mean that the letter I told you you'd naver see the Peel American

by a heavy blow upon his chest, delive have your answer. Ye fools, did ye you were either lying or a fool. In the children was and rest. ored by some person for the moment think I would carry it about me?" either case a fool. If, as ye seem to rising. "I'll have to wait until the unknown. Simultaneously he was "By God!" said Glynn tensely. "No be trying to make me believe which Governor returns, I presume. aware of a clicking sound, followed by —don't shoot him, Des Trebes! He's I don't for one-instant—ye have suoBy the way, are ye be any chance acthe sensation of being unable to-move telling the truth. Make him tell what ceeded in stealing the Pool of Flame, that the cold upon his wrists was that mocked them. "I have forgotten the He eyed them reflectively during a ankles, he lay helpless, unable even member?" he demanded, inspired. Glynn's desperate attempts to blure to protest because of a cloth wadded "What made ye think I would have out indiscretions against the prohibit the latter's departure.

It at all? Sure, and the letter was tion of the vicomite: something which "And I take it ye have seen nothing" properly Chembret's. Why would I the older man enforced crudely Other hands were rifling his pock: not turn it over to him?" clapping his hand across the English was the contract that a

full thundering flight. Abruptly the if—as I gather—ve suspect that Chame ately, presupposing that ye have the secretary had obliged him. examination of his person-which bret turned over this precious jewel stone. Well, what then? Ye dare not girl who suddenly disappears. He rushes to the corridor to see a neatly gowned was so therough that it included to me, why do ye not demand it as attempt to sell it—'twould result in alone in this room?"

The secretary, plaintenance of his shipt to me, well as the letter? Not that I have instant detection: It would not pay the opening of his shirt to as well as the letter? Not that I have instant detection. It would not pay The secretary, plainly much perye to have it secretly cut up into ing in the shape of a money-belt- "Because we jolly well know you smaller stones-the loss" in value

He gasped, blinked, coughed, and assumed indignation. "Be quiet, Ber- where) to claim the reward, for ye rolled a resentful eye around the com- tie. Children should be seen and not don't know where to go. "Tis a white partment. "Be the powers!" he said heard. Mind your uncle." And, "Oho!" elephant it would be on your hands." huskily; and no more. At first glance he commented to himself. "And they "It does not seem to strike mon-CHAPTER III At his room O'Rourke, it became apparent that he had mis know I didn't have the Pool of Flame! sieur that there are other ways of the vicomte suggested icily.



the Secretary's Face. understand this phase of the affair. me somebour please to relieve ve of lieve the truth when they simpled me

CHAPTER IX.—D'Rounds is stimuted able Bertle, unhandsomely. "Where's tarily diverted and, with a swift move mission. I wender how long ye think twas in the vicomite's own pocket; that letter?" ment, leaned over, snatched up the re- ye'd last. But 'tis no use trying to ... But he had no vocabulary ade-O'Bourke chuckled. "Ye're a hard volver and, with a firt of his hand, headwink me: I don't believe one quate to the tank of expressing his commented. "I though Englishmen. Glynn started back with an oath, the truth before I bother meself with proven himself a blind, egregious feel, Glynn grunted and flushed, shame O'Rourke promptly ploused with kim. A Their persistence in hinting that he plodded with heavy, steps and a

giers pulled up over an hour late at faced, but the Frenchman cut short breath later a second pistol was eject they had gained possession of the hanging head back to his hotel; where the town of El-Guerrah. It took up a the retort on his lips by a curt repe ed from the carriage and the English ruby perplexed and discomfitted him, the crowning stroke of the day was single passenger, discharged none, and tition of Glynn's own question: man was sprawling over the knees of He did not believe it; 'twas incomcelvable: yet he had known stranger note, by the hand of a black Blaker O'Rourke glanced at him languidly. They disengaged themselves and, things to happen. Still, without a porter. yawned, and smiled an exasperating mad with rage, started up to fall upon clue, to have stumbled upon the sestimate. Then sign and exterminate the wanderer. I cret, to have made off with it from O'Rourke. Be hand," he conned the nificantly he clinked the handcuffs us think it must have been the very nose of the Governor address. "Faith, and what's this?" think it must have been the very nose of the Governor impertinence of his attitude that General—! No; it was not reason—impertinence of his attitude that General—! No; it was not reason—will do Monsieur des Trebes the hone or of dining with him, at seven or he had resumed his seat as calmiy as Nevertheless, when he arrived at or of dining with him, at seven or "Divide a word," observed O'Rourke, though nothing at all had happen overpowering that he called a cab and was pulling soberly at overpowering that he called a cab and d'Orleans, St. Eugene, an arrangement deud, monsieur le vicomite. Put down his pipe. As they hesitated he re-desired to be conveyed post-kaste to satisfactory to both hisself and Mon-

trol of self which he was able to am done, and naught that ye can do will It was high noon when O'Rourke ploy when it suited his purposes. Evi repair it. Faith, I said I'd not strike drove up before the Paisce of the blackguards escaped with their boots? nently, too, he recognised the cold search unless ye crowded me. I re Governor-General. Weary, dusty and The advanturer frowned darkly over travel-stained as he was, he besitated it, dublous. Then, is a flush of rech common sense of the wanderer's re member me words to the letter, travel-stained as he was, he besitated it, dublous. Then, is a flush of rech common sense of the wanderer's re member me words to the letter, travel-stained as he was, he besitated it, dublous. Then, is a flush of rech common sense of the wanderer's remarks a flush of rech common sense of the wanderer's remarks and requesting an interview with the from a nearby, deak, scrawled a with them: I call we both to witness the letter of t dently, for, he recognised the cold back unless ye crowded me. I re Governor-General. Weary, dusty and The advantager frowned darkly over with them; I call ye both to witness representative of France's governign formal acceptance of the strange invithat ye have neither of ye suffered. Power.

Sure, I'm as peaceable as any lamb, Disappointment awaited him at the "All to gain, naught to lose." he sum-

The vicomite accorded darkly for a your attention," he remarked, "to the to de so-te the gubernatorial accreger's criticism, as, grouning in agticipation of the long night of discomticipation of the long night of discomticipatio ticipation of the long night of discommendation that for all the sould trust of flouries word and his belongings about the cushions of the first-class compariment which of the first-class compariment which in the consideration that or reversers here at me feet, when ye is a little later was seated in a broad, as are often very much benefited by so joyously turned me bag inside out. a little later was seated in a broad, as are often very much benefited by so joyously turned me bag inside out. I'm not touching them, mind ye but low, cool recen in the old Mossian massaging the affected parts thorough-nind ye further: I'll brook no non-palace, the affable secretary— if ly when applying Chamberlain's Liminated the first-class compariment which or the mrst-class compartment which was compiled with, he growled an or sense. If ye make a move as if to at young, lively and engaging French ment. This limiment also relieves rhoube eccupied in solitary grandeur.

O'Rourks hist no intention of leaving anything medone that might land

was compiled with, he growled an ortick me, I'll . . There! Thet's man collectionally countries him as to make a move as if to a man make a move a man make a move as if to a man make a move a make a move as if to a man make a move a make a move a man make a move a make a move a make a move a make a move a man make a move a make a move a move a move a move a move a move a

Bo Jar, the affair had worked hard upon three in the morning; then, smoothly; he anticipated little true with easy nonchalance stowed it away the reserve which the vicometa im by this moment—on matters of state." course of time inited by the hammer, his wallet tickets and so forth. with raw nerves upon his tormenter. "Heveral days since, monsieur."

sisted to resume a recumbent position winds of heaven, destroyed. There ye "I'd say," returned O'Rourke, "that and destroyed and next

"On the contrary, monsieur: the Vi-"Oh; cut it!" Glynn interrupted im man's mouth, as well as by whisper comte called here but two days ago."

"But certainly, monsieur. "Would so mind making sure

enough thrust a hand into one of the Gentlemen—I have been afflicted with a torpite on holes. The hand came forth furing likin disease pronounced by the physician to be wilderment clouded the secretary's face. "It must be here," he announced with conviction. "It was in plain sight and is belied with the same of Monsieur at work and feel no inconvenience from it. "It was great pleasure in giving this certificate."

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zetary, in a flutter of nerves, confessed that through some culpable negligence it must have been misplaced. An extended search was even then in progress. It would surely come to

"Thank ye: I shan't be back." returned O'Rourke grimly: and went away, downcast for the first time-"Batth! and to think I would not be-

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