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BYRD URGES NO INCREASED LEVIES

Expresses Hope That Local Tax Rates Be Not Increased In State.

Richmond, Va., February 21.—Gov. Harry F. Byrd on Tuesday issued a statement to the people of Virginia, urging against any increase in local tax rates throughout the State except in cases of urgent necessity.

The governor called attention to a reduction of \$1,412,592.62 in the State's aggregate tax bill by the repeal of the 25 cent levy on land and tangible personal property. He pointed out that residents of 88 of the counties and 6 cities enjoyed this reduction in full, while the other county governments reimposed the State tax in full or in part. Added to this, Gov. Byrd said, was the appropriation by the State of \$625,000 for schools and the inclusion in the State highway system of 1,586 more miles of roads.

Another increase of \$1,000,000 in the State's contribution to the costs of maintaining the school system is forecast by Gov. Byrd for 1930. The governor's statement, in part, follows:

"Without any desire to interfere in the administration of local governments of Virginia I express the earnest hope that the local tax rates will not be increased throughout the State except as a matter of urgent public necessity. I, of course, appreciate that conditions vary throughout the State, but as a general proposition I can see no necessity for an increase in the local tax rates."

VIRGINIA HOMEMAKERS MEET ON MARCH 1

Mrs. M. M. Davis, Former State Agent Will Make The Principal Address

The Prince William Branch of Virginia Homemakers will meet at the old Stone House Tea Room, on Friday, March 1. Lunch will be served at 1 p. m. at a nominal charge.

Mrs. M. M. Davis, former agent will be the guest speaker and will give a talk on "Foods Make a Difference," and those who have heard her on other occasions will realize that a treat is in store for those who attend.

Those who intend going to the March 1, meeting are requested to notify Miss Mary E. Bell, so that arrangements may be made well in advance. In speaking of the meeting Miss Bell said yesterday, "I am very anxious to have as many members present as possible and any woman in the county wishing to join will please come to this meeting."

SOUTH HILL MARKET TO CLOSE FEB. 28

South Hill, Va., February 21.—At a recent meeting of the South Hill Tobacco Board of Trade, it was decided to close the market for the season on February 28. Sales since Christmas have exceeded expectations. Offerings are very small now, and it is believed very little tobacco remains to be sold. Total sales through February 15 were 8,374, 634 pounds, sold at an average price of \$18.15.

GREENWICH CLUB GETS DEMONSTRATION MEETING

The Greenwich Home Demonstration Club will hold its next meeting on Thursday, February 28, in the Manse, according to announcement yesterday by Mrs. W. L. Lloyd, president.

The first demonstration in a series to be given will be made at this meeting and Miss Mary Bell, county demonstration agent, will give a practical demonstration in preparing dishes for social affairs.

WOODBINE COMMUNITY LEAGUE MEETS TOMORROW

The regular monthly meeting of the Woodbine Community League will be held on Friday, February 22, at the usual hour.

After the business session a short program will be rendered by the school and refreshments will be sold.

BUCKHALL OYSTER SUPPER.

Buckhall Community League will give an oyster supper at the School House, on Saturday night, February 23, beginning at 5 p. m.

G. B. KEEZELL NEW TREASURER

Named To Succeed J. A. Garber In Rockingham By Judge Bertram.

Harrisonburg, Va., Feb. 21.—George B. Kezell was on Monday appointed treasurer of Rockingham County by Judge H. W. Bertram, of the Rockingham Circuit Court, to succeed J. A. Garber, who was elected to Congress from the Seventh District in the Hoover landslide.

The appointment is for the unexpired term of Mr. Garber, which has three years to run. Kezell has tendered his resignation to Governor Byrd as a member of the House of Delegates from Rockingham County.

The Rockingham treasuryship pays between \$6,000 and \$7,000 a year, a compensation greater than that of the governor of the State. There were twenty applicants for the appointment. Kezell served 30 years in the Virginia State Senate and six years in the house of delegates. He will take office March 2.

GEORGE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL MEETING

Masonic Convention of Association Opened Session Today In Alexandria.

Alexandria, Va., February 21.—With 200 delegates in attendance, the nineteenth annual convention of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association opened this morning in the lodgeroom of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, No. 22.

John T. Cochran of The Plains, Va., grand master of Masons in Virginia, delivered an address of welcome to the delegates after the meeting had been called to order by the president, Louis A. Watres of Scranton, Pa., past grand master of Masons in Pennsylvania.

MRS. E. J. SUDDUTH DIES IN WARRENTON

Mrs. E. J. Sudduth died Monday afternoon at her home in Warrenton. Mrs. Sudduth was before her marriage a Miss White, of Culpeper county. She had lived in Warrenton for many years and had many friends there and in Prince William County. She was a kind neighbor, a devoted wife and mother and a faithful member of the Baptist church. She leaves her husband, and one son, Mr. William E. Sudduth, two daughters, Mrs. R. L. Moser and Mrs. Ethel Bishop, all of Warrenton, and two sisters, Mrs. Strother and Miss Lizzie White, of Remington. The funeral was conducted at the Baptist church on Wednesday by her pastor, Rev. C. T. Herndon.

MISS EVA C. BITTLE MARRIES MR. G. C. GODFREY

Miss Eva Catherine Bittle, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bittle, of Nokesville, was united in marriage to Mr. Grover C. Godfrey, also of Nokesville, at the Lutheran parsonage, Manassas, with Rev. Luther F. Miller performing the ceremony. The couple were accompanied by relatives and a few friends.

Following the ceremony the couple left for a motor trip through Maryland. On their return they will reside near Nokesville.

COMMITTEE TO PICK TOBACCO BELT DATES

Appointed To Determine Opening Dates For Southern Tobacco Belts.

Danville, Va., Feb. 21.—A. B. Carrington, president of the Tobacco Association of the United States, today announced his appointment of a committee which will determine the opening dates for the various Southern tobacco belts next season.

Those on the committee are: W. T. Clark, chairman, Wilson, N. C.; C. A. Gregory, Richmond; T. W. Blackwell, Winston-Salem; A. J. Bullington, Durham; P. A. Noell, Durham; O. C. Gregory, Richmond; U. H. Cazort, Wilson; John L. Tucker, Danville; W. C. Wooding, Danville; A. H. Buchan, Mullins, S. C.; Ralph Garrett, Greenville, N. C.; E. V. Webb, Kingston, N. C.; Gerhard Suhling, Lynchburg, and P. J. Carlton, Richmond.

DR. S. M. JOHNSON TALKS ON ROADS

Visits Kiwanis Friday And Stirs Members With Report Of Progress.

VISITS NOKESVILLE AND TALKS GOOD ROADS

Local Committee Report No Success On Manassas-Centerville Road Completion.

Dr. S. M. Johnson, directing head of the Lee Highway Association, who is in charge of the plan to have Prince William County a demonstration county for model road system, was the guest of the Kiwanis Club Friday night.

Dr. Johnson reported that the demonstration plan has already placed Prince William in the limelight throughout the United States and the development of the project is being watched by engineers of every county throughout the land.

National Interest Manifest.

The father of the Lee Highway and advocate of good roads throughout the United States presented his plan for Prince William at the Road Builders' Association in Cleveland recently, where the more than 20,000 delegates from this country, South America, Europe and other nations received it with great interest. Fred E. Schnepe, engineer and road building expert, who will be associated with Dr. Johnson in the preliminary survey here read a paper at the convention which detailed the county project. Already copies of this report have been sent to engineers throughout the country and the progress of the work will be watched with keen interest.

Local Committee Not Encouraged.

C. R. C. Johnson, chairman of Kiwanis road committee, reported the result of the work of his committee with the co-operation of one from the Fairfax Chamber of Commerce, in connection with having the Manassas-Centerville road completed, but his report indicated that the completion of this road work will not be brought about for several years. All hope is not abandoned and the committee will continue its efforts with the State Highway Commission to have this highway completed as contemplated in the past.

Nokesville Enthusiastic.

Following the Kiwanis meeting Dr. S. M. Johnson, accompanied by B. Lynn Robertson, chairman of the county road demonstration committee, journeyed to Nokesville where he addressed the Aden Community League and residents of Brentsville district on road plans. The league voted a contribution of \$40 to the preliminary fund and individual subscriptions were made by others in the audience.

WIMODAUSIS CHAPTER, O. E. S., TO BANQUET LOCAL MASONS

The date of the banquet to be given by Wimodausis Chapter, No. 106, Order Eastern Star, to Manassas Lodge, No. 182, A. F. and A. M., has been changed to Wednesday night, February 27, at 6:30.

Members of the Manassas Lodge are given the privilege of bringing a lady guest and those who have not already signified their intention of going should notify Mr. Worth Storke, care of The Peoples National Bank, not later than Saturday.

FIRE IN HEN HOUSE AT J. J. CONNOR'S PLACE

Serious damage to nearby property was prevented by the prompt action of the fire department on Wednesday afternoon when they responded to an alarm of fire from the home of Mr. J. J. Connor on Grant Avenue. The fire was in the chicken house in rear of the residence and was caused by an overheated brooder. The building was a total loss and many eggs and chickens were lost.

W. C. T. U. TO HAVE MEMORIAL SERVICE

The annual Frances Willard Memorial service will be observed by the Women's Christian Temperance Union on Wednesday, February 27, at the home of Mrs. T. R. Bywaters at 3 p. m. The program will be a special one and there will be music and appropriate readings. It is hoped that all members and friends will attend this memorial service.

JOHN T. COCHRAN IS GRAND MASTER

Elected Grand Master of Virginia Masons Succeeding William Lee Davis.

C. A. SINCLAIR NAMED DEPUTY OF DISTRICT 59

Grand Lodge Virginia Masons Held Annual Communication in Richmond Last Week.

John T. Cochran, of The Plains, Va., was elevated to the office of grand master of the Grand Lodge of Virginia, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, at the concluding session Saturday of the 151st annual communication of the Grand Lodge at the Masonic Temple here.

Mr. Cochran, in attaining the highest office of Virginia Masonry, succeeds William Lee Davis, of Portsmouth, who becomes past grand master.

According to custom other line grand officers were elevated one rank by the annual election, with Dr. William M. Brown, of Washington and Lee University, Lexington, becoming the new line officer. He was elected grand junior deacon.

Other Line Grand Officers.

Frank T. McFadden, D. D., Winchester, deputy grand master, Dr. A. M. Showalter, Christiansburg, grand senior warden; Harry K. Green, Clarendon, grand junior warden; Judge J. C. Padgett, Independence, grand senior deacon.

Appointive grand officers were reappointed by the new grand master as follows: Oscar J. Adams, of Richmond, grand tiler; James C. Drinard, of Richmond, grand pursuivant; A. W. Baker, Richmond, grand steward; James M. Clift, of Richmond, grand secretary, and William S. Pettit, of Richmond, grand treasurer.

C. A. Sinclair Is Honored

C. Armistead Sinclair, treasurer of Prince William County and prominent attorney was elected District Deputy Grand master for District 29, which district includes the lodges at Manassas, Haymarket, Clifton, Herndon and other nearby points.

Representatives from Manassas Lodge, No. 182, attending the meeting of the Grand Lodge were G. Walker Merchant, who was formerly district deputy, and Gilbert Walker Merchant, Jr., Worshipful Master of the local lodge of Masons.

COUNTY WORKERS VISIT BRENTSVILLE

County Nurse and Home Demonstration Agent Make Business Visit to School

Miss Ruby C. Ryman, county nurse, and Miss Mary E. Bell, Home Demonstration Agent, were visitors to the Brentsville School on Tuesday, February 19 and hot lunch was served by club members and the Junior Leaguers.

Miss Bell reported that hot lunch is being served in eight schools this winter. Six of the schools are serving lunch twice each week, while two of them, Catharpin and Brentsville are serving hot lunch every day. This phase of club work has made splendid progress and it is believed that few communities will be found next year where club members are not serving hot lunches in their nearby schools.

DANCE AT SWAVELY ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Climaxes the Mid-Winter Festival Observed by the School This Week.

Another attractive feature of the Mid-Winter festival now being held at Swavely School will be the dance tomorrow night sponsored by the "S" Club of the school, to which numerous distinguished guests and many of the people of the town and county have been invited.

C. R. Hitchman, president of the club is in charge of the dance, while Senor Caino, of the faculty is directing the decorating of Baker gymnasium, which it is proposed to transform from a necessarily bare hall into a delightful garden in which the atmosphere of spring and romance will prevail.

Dancing will begin at 9 p. m., and continue through to 1 a. m., a special orchestra will supply the music.

FIRE COMPANY HAS GOOD MEETING

New Constitution and By-Laws Adopted. Next Step Effort To Get Modern Apparatus.

The reorganized Manassas Fire Department met on Monday night in the Fire House with Chief-elect Albert Speiden presiding.

The committee appointed to draw up a new constitution and by-laws presented its report and following a discussion of each article as presented the governing rules of the department were adopted.

Chief Speiden then addressed the members pointing out many of the important things in connection with fire fighting which members of the department should know, and stressing the fact that a knowledge of buildings to which they might be called in a fire emergency would enable intelligent work, he appointed a number of committees to study buildings in the business section of the town and bring in reports at the next meeting.

Members of the department are enthusiastic over the reorganization and are now earnestly discussing the prospects of having the town purchase modern equipment. It is expected that this matter will come up at a meeting of the council to be held in the near future.

FRANK O. GRAFFAM DIES IN NEW JERSEY

Was Resident of Dumfries for Many Years; Father of Mrs. G. C. Abell.

Frank C. Graffam, for many years a resident of Dumfries, died at his home in Union City, N. J., last Friday. Mr. Graffam was a native of Richmond having been born there and lived there until about twenty years ago. He then moved to Dumfries where he and his family remained for 20 years. He lost his wife, Grace, nee Krenzmarz, by death in 1920. Several years later he married Miss Carrie Cooke of Richmond and moved to Union City, N. J., where he resided up until his death.

His remains were brought to Richmond and funeral services were conducted from S. Andrews Episcopal Church and interment was in River-view Cemetery on Sunday. The deceased had a host of friends in Fredericksburg, Manassas, Richmond and other points in Virginia as well as many friends in New Jersey where he resided in recent years.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Carrie E.; four children, Mrs. Grover C. Abell and Mrs. Eastman Keys, of Dumfries; Mr. Cyrus Graffam and Mrs. Kahl Charles, of Laurel, Va.; six grand children and seven step children, all of New Jersey.

BRISTOW LIKES SIGNAL LIGHTS

The people of Bristow and vicinity are expressing satisfaction over the installation by the Southern Railway of safety signal lights placed at the Railway crossing in town. The lights work automatically and ample warning is given at the approach of a train the townspeople say.

THE WOMAN'S CLUB WILL PRESENT BOOK

Volume by Mary Newton Stanard for National Federation in Washington.

The Woman's Club of Manassas will present a book to the library of the National Federation of Women's Clubs, in Washington and Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson has been appointed a committee of one to make the purchase. The volume to be bought will be "The Story of Virginia's First Century," by Mary Newton Stanard.

At the meeting last week Mr. Noell Gill, of the Swavely faculty, gave readings from the poems of Tennyson. Mr. Gill graciously came to the rescue of the entertainment committee when it was learned that Mrs. H. S. Eley, president of the Federation of Women's Clubs of Virginia, who was to have been the principal speaker at this meeting was unable to come due to illness. Members and their guests enjoyed a delightful afternoon.

The committee in charge of the program which included the serving of refreshments, consisted of Mrs. Will Brower, chairman; Mrs. Paul Cooksie, Mrs. W. G. Covington, Mrs. C. W. Dalton and Mrs. T. E. Didlake.

PRINCE WILLIAM SCHOOL GET FUNDS

State Comptroller Makes Semi-Annual Distribution to Schools of Cities and Counties.

Last week State Comptroller E. R. Combs distributed to the counties and cities of the State \$2,746,011, the second half of the last appropriation by the State for the maintenance of public schools of the Commonwealth. The amount is made up of the portion of the capitation tax receipts allocable to the school fund, other taxes for schools and the interest from investments of the Literary Fund. Of the total the cities will receive only \$579,579, the remainder going to the counties, their share being allotted in proportion to their school population.

At the same time \$118,142 has been deducted from the school appointment fund for retired teachers' pensions credited to the pension fund through the office of State Treasurer John M. Purcell, and will be paid out on April 1.

Of the allotment for distribution last week Prince William County received \$13,574.55, this sum being its portion of the second half of the cash appropriation.

DR. E. V. REGISTER HERE ON SUNDAY

Will Preach From Pulpit of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at 7:30.

Dr. E. V. Register, presiding elder of the Alexandria district of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will be a Manassas visitor on Sunday and will preach at the 7:30 p. m. service in Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, according to announcement by Rev. George Hasel, pastor.

Eloquent and Forceful. Dr. Register is one of the outstanding preachers in this section of the country and those who have been privileged to hear him in the past will be glad of an opportunity to listen to his message again. Those who have never had the opportunity to hear this eminent elder should make an effort to do so on Sunday night.

CIRCUIT COURT CLOSED FRIDAY

Many Cases Disposed of During The Term.

L. M. Toombs, special officer for Prince William County, filed a surety company bond for \$500, which was approved by the court.

The County School Board filed a petition praying leave to make sale of certain school properties in Prince William County which have been abandoned or are not in use for school purposes. Court ordered sale to be made to the highest bidder at auction after advertisement of the sale.

Commonwealth vs. Roberta Randall; felony, breach of the prohibition laws; motion for new trial overruled and the defendant ordered to jail for 12 months and to pay a fine of \$100. James Randall, breach of prohibition laws, previously tried and sentence suspended pending outcome of trial of Roberta Randall; one month in jail and a fine of \$50, the court suspended the jail sentence.

It appearing to the court that certain lots of ardent spirits in the County jail having been used as evidence and having served its purpose it was ordered destroyed by the sheriff.

Allowance to civil jurors for attendance and mileage at this term was approved.

Ralph W. Bohrer vs. Charles P. Richardson, et al., attachment. Dismissed. J. C. Parrish vs. Bull Run Power Co., mandamus; by consent of all parties concerned it was considered by the court that J. C. Parrish be permitted to examine certain books and accounts of Bull Run Power Co., to begin not later than 9 a. m., February 22, in the office of T. E. Dadlake. Considered without costs to either party.

FLU IS ON WANE SAYS RED CROSS

Dr. William DeKleine, of the American Red Cross, Believes Peak Reached.

ATTENTION TO SIMPLE HEALTH RULES URGED

Letting Down Bars of Precaution Too Early May Prove Serious.

Special to The Manassas Journal
Washington, D. C., Feb. 21 — Dr. William DeKleine, medical assistant to the vice chairman of the American Red Cross, commenting recently on the influenza epidemic which has swept the country stated:

"Indications are that the peak of the 'flu' epidemic has passed. The number of new cases reported in most sections of the United States is decreasing rapidly. There are, however, a large number of communities, particularly in the outlying districts, in which the epidemic is still on the increase.

All Danger Not Passed.

"The passing of the epidemic does imply that all danger from serious consequences and further infections has also passed. The general experience is that it frequently requires several days, or even weeks for patients to fully recover. Letting down the bars of precaution too early may prove serious or even fatal. Pneumonia and other lung infections frequently follow many days after an attack. Individuals who have had influenza and also those who escaped, should continue to practice caution. The simple rules of hygiene and health that apply during an epidemic should continue to apply for several weeks after.

"At a recent conference of health officers at the Surgeon General's office, a committee on preventive measures concluded its report with the following statement: 'Remember that the most important measure of preventing pneumonia or other serious complications is to remain in bed until all symptoms have disappeared, and then, under the physician's advice, to return very gradually to your usual physical activities, being sure to rest before you get tired.'

Prince William County physicians seem to be of the opinion that "flu"

cases are on the wane, although they urge continued caution be practiced. There are still many cases developing each day, but the increase is not so great as the week before.

NEED FOR HELPING VETERANS TO INCREASE

Peak of Mentally Disabled War Veterans Seeking Aid Long Way Off

Washington, D. C., February 21—Need for assistance to ex-service men suffering mental disability as the result of war service will gradually increase for the next 18 years, when the peak is expected to be reached.

This estimate was made recently by Brigadier-General Frank T. Hines, director of the Veterans' Bureau, who emphasized the necessity for the continuation, and in fact the increase, in relief activities for this class disabled veterans, who present one of the most difficult problems facing the Bureau.

American Red Cross Co-operating

The American Red Cross and other organizations cooperating with the Bureau are anticipating increase demands on them for help each year until 1947, after which it is thought that a number of cases of this type will gradually decrease.

With its 3,000 chapters in the United States and its insular and foreign possessions, and through close cooperation from the State Department when soldiers claims for assistance involve international problems, the American Red Cross is already handling an average of more than 56,000 service and ex-service men's cases each month.

INCREASE IN STATE HUNTING LICENSES

Virginia Game Depart. Seeks to Replenish Supply by Bringing Hungarian Partridges.

A steady increase is being shown each year in the number of licenses issued for hunting in Virginia, it was stated Thursday by officials of the State Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries.

Officials estimated that at least 130,000 licenses have been issued so far during the present fiscal year, starting July 1. This compares with a total of 116,601 issued for the previous fiscal year.

License fees so far this fiscal year show an increase of approximately \$20,000 over last year, it was stated.

The steady increase in number of hunters keeps the commission busy in maintaining the game supply of the State through conservation and measures for propagation. In line with this work the commission is planning to distribute Mexican quail in every county of the State during the spring. A total of 10,000 quail are to be released in various parts of the State.

In addition 200 pair of Hungarian partridges, to be shipped from Czechoslovakia, will be distributed. These birds are about twice the size of the native quail. They thrive in the highland section of the State. The commission will also release 150 wild turkeys.

CHURCH NOTICES

GRACE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH — Rev. George Hasel, minister. 9:45 a. m., Sunday School; 11 a. m., hour of worship with sermon by the pastor; 3 p. m., Burke; 6:45 p. m., Senior League; 7:30 p. m., Rev. E. V. Register, D. D. The public is cordially invited.

BETHEL LUTHERAN CHURCH — Rev. Luther F. Miller, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Divine worship and sermon, 11 a. m.; Luther League, 7 p. m. Tonight, Thursday, at 7:30 p. m., stereopticon pictures on "Jonah and Job"; next Thursday night "Esther and Daniel."

MT. ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, Nokesville — Sunday School, 1:30 p. m.; Worship and sermon, 2:30 p. m.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH — Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, rector. During Lent services are being held daily at 4 p. m. The services on this Sunday will be: Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer with sermon by the rector at 11 a. m. Swavely vesper service at 4:30 p. m.

MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. Hiram D. Anderson, pastor. Worship with sermon by pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. B. P. Y. U. at 6:50 p. m.

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH, Manassas — Rev. N. Habets, pastor. Mass at 10:30 a. m.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, HAYMARKET — Rev. W. G. Carpenter, rector. Sunday School 10 a. m. Morning prayer with sermon by the rector at 11:10 a. m. Each Wednesday throughout Lent there will be a service at 7:30 p. m.

GRACE CHAPEL, HICKORY GROVE — Services on the first and third Sundays at 3 p. m.

DUMFRIES METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH — Rev. Paul Warner, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m., George F. Waters, assistant superintendent. Services at 7:30 p. m., with sermon by the pastor.

UNITED BRETHREN CIRCUIT — Lee E. Sheaffer, pastor.

ADEN — Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m. Sermon subject, "The Sower".

MANASSAS — Sunday School at 2 p. m. Preaching service at 3 p. m. Sermon Subject "The Eleventh Commandment".

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH — Rev. W. A. Hall, pastor. The pastor will preach Sunday at 11 a. m. on "The Great Confession, the Great Revelation, the Great Prophecy, and the Great Commission." Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., Mr. F. G. Sigman, superintendent, C. E. Society meets at 6:45 p. m. No night service. Union prayer meeting next Thursday night, instead of Wednesday night, at 7:30 o'clock.

PECAN INDUSTRY UP FOR SURVEY

Statistics Show Groves On Increase In Virginia. Survey Nation Wide.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 21—A survey of the pecan industry in Virginia is being arranged to determine the number of trees of bearing and non-bearing age, it was announced today by Henry M. Taylor, Federal-State agricultural statistician for Virginia.

The survey is to be conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture in connection with a proposed nation-wide survey.

Farmers in Virginia are being requested to notify the Federal Agricultural Department if they have a grove of ten or more trees.

Industry Is Growing.

The last available figures on the industry in Virginia indicates that it is growing. The figures showed that there were 9,826 trees of non-bearing age and 5,141 bearing. The groves are chiefly in Princess Anne, Nansemond, Chesterfield, Gloucester, Brunswick, Mathews, Halifax, Isle of Wight, James City, Norfolk, South Hampton and Warwick counties.

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Woodstock	2.73	3.64	4.10
Strasburg	2.31	3.08	3.47
Riverton	1.94	2.59	2.91
Front Royal	1.84	2.46	2.76
Culpeper	1.26	1.68	1.89
Orange	1.89	2.52	2.84
Warrenton	.82	1.10	1.23
Charlottesville	2.87	3.83	4.31
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The Southern is proud of the fact that so many women thus have expressed their faith in the future of the Southern and the South.



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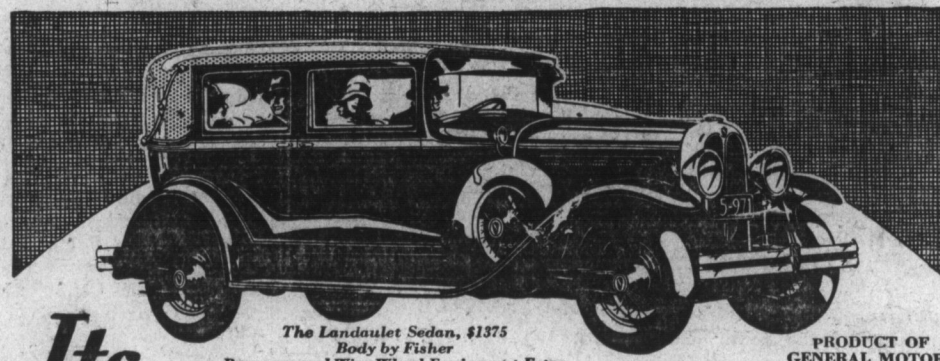
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STORY OF ORIGIN OF RED CROSS FLAG

Emblem Chosen By French Woman At Geneva Conference Of 1864.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21.—The origin of the Red Cross flag, flown by fifty-eight nations as a symbol of compassion and a promise of aid to those in distress, is a dramatic story known to only a few of the 30,000,000 people enlisted for service under it.

It was at the conference of Geneva in 1864 when official representatives of European governments and an unofficial envoy of the United States met together to agree by treaty that blowing up hospitals filled with injured soldiers and shooting down doctors and nurses on the field of battle should cease. Almost incredible but nevertheless true is it that just 65 years ago these things were accepted as a necessary part of war.

Distinguishing Flag Sought.
While representatives of the governments agreed to prohibit by international treaty these semi-barbaric practices, it seemed for a while that the whole conference might collapse because no emblem could be devised by which a doctor on a battle field and the hospital behind the lines could be distinguished from the soldier and the ammunition depot. Various proposals were made and rejected because in every case the suggested emblem resembled too much a flag of some nation.

To a woman of France, whose name history does not record, goes the credit for the solution of the problem. Rising in the midst of futile discussion and argument, she said:

"I have a suggestion which will solve this problem and at the same time do honor to Switzerland, our host, whose two sons, Henri Durant and Monsieur Moynier, have done so much to further this cause. We cannot use the Swiss flag, which is a white cross on a red background, but we can reverse the colors and take as our emblem a Red Cross on a white background."

Her suggestion was quickly adopted and so was born the Red Cross flag which today girdles the globe.

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C. & O. NET INCREASE EXCEEDS 28 BILLION

Net For 1928 Totaled \$28,798,103, A Gain Over the Preceding Year.

The net income of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company in 1928, after all charges, totaled \$28,798,103, an increase of \$328,861 over the preceding year, it was announced last week in the report of President W. J. Harahan to the Interstate Commerce Commission. Gross revenue last year amounted to \$124,825,172, a decrease of \$8,848,334 from 1927. Operating expenses last year totaled \$82,543,249, a decrease of \$7,577,640, and the net railway operating income was \$36,323,594, a decrease of \$88,390.

Gross revenues last December were \$10,151,588, and increase of \$987,048 over December, 1927; operating expenses were \$5,587,144, a decrease of \$981,100 as compared with December, 1927; net railway operating income was \$3,654,098, an increase of \$1,595,571 over the preceding December. The net income after all charges for December, 1928, was \$3,130,876, an increase of \$1,638,541 over December, 1927.

VIRGINIA LEADS IN DEBT FREE FARMS

Richmond, Feb. 21.—Virginia today ranks first among all the states in percentage of food used on farms which is produced on farms, and first among Southern states in percentage of farms free from mortgage debt, according to the new year book of the state department of agriculture and immigration.

Other facts concerning agriculture in Virginia given in the new book include:

Virginia was the fifth state to have a division of markets within its department of agriculture.

The Virginia agricultural department has a mailing list of 75,000 farmers which is more than the combined lists of several large agricultural states.

Agricultural Department Grows.
The state department of agriculture has grown in 28 years from a force consisting of the commissioner, the chemist and one fertilizer inspector and clerk to a department with seven main divisions, forming one of the largest of the state government.

In 1928 approximately 7,500 seed samples were tested in the laboratory of the division of plant industry. Three thousand of these were sent in by farmers.

There is saved for the farmers of Virginia at least \$1,152,000 each year, it is estimated, through the fertilizer control work of the division of chemistry.

More than 52 per cent, or 7,907,352 acres of land in Virginia farms consists of wooded land or farm forests, and a number of years ago Virginia ranked second among all the states in value of forest products on the farm.

FIVE POINTERS AT BRISTOW.

Pupils at the Bristow School, who became Five Pointers for health during January were:

Calvin Shumaker, Robert Shumaker, Arthur Reedy and Foster Lipscomb.

DUMFRIES LEAGUE HOLDS MEETING

Large Attendance Enjoys Discussions And Much Business Transacted.

The Dumfries Community League held its regular meeting last week, with Mrs. Annie G. Cline, president presiding. Rev. Shumate gave the invocation.

Following the reading of the minutes, the roll call and the receipt of dues, new business was taken up and in this connection the bill for the meat used in making soup for the school during January was presented and ordered paid. Elmer Williams, secretary of the 4-H Club, repaid a loan of \$4.60 which had been made for the purchase of shrubbery, at the same time expressing the thanks of his club to the League for the loan.

Make Soup For School.

Among the activities of club members during January and February reported was the making of hot soup two days a week for the school, the members furnishing all of the ingredients except the meat. By saving nickels and dimes, members were able to contribute a good sum to the teachers of the school to apply on the purchase of cooking utensils.

The final payment on the shades, of which the school is so proud, was made the purchase and installation of shades, having amounted to \$56. It was also ordered that the League purchase 50 song books for the school.

The program at the school for April will be put on by the League and all are looking forward to a delightful entertainment with many surprises. The attendance at the meeting was exceptionally large, and many parents were present for the first time, indicating a growing interest in the activities of the League.

CATHARPIN

Preaching and Sunday School services will be held at Sudley next Sunday morning.

Messrs. Charles R. McDonald and L. Jett Pattie, attended the morning services and quarterly conference held at Gainesville Sunday morning. Presiding Elder E. V. Register delivered the sermon.

Mr. T. T. Curtis was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pattie last Wednesday at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther L. Lynn were Manassas visitors Monday.

Messrs. Lee Pattie and Carroll Sanders made a business trip to Alexandria and Washington Saturday.

Mr. Willard Allison is now in charge of the filling station at Gainesville.

Miss Loriece Carter spent the week-end in Manassas with her sister, Miss Hazel Carter, where her mother, Mrs. Carter, of Leesville, Va., was also a week-end guest.

Misses Ruth Buckley, Anne Robertson, Claudia and John Pattie were guests at "Bellefarm" during the week-end.

Mr. Jett Pattie, Jr., made a business trip to Washington Monday.

Several members of the family of Mrs. Morris Polen and Mr. Will Ellison are confined to their homes with flu. Miss Agnes Kidwell and Harriet Pattie are also on the sick list.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles F. Phillips have made several calls in this neighborhood during the week.

Miss Gertrude Buckley spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Buckley.

Miss Mildred Smith, of Atlanta, Georgia, was recently the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Smith, of Gainesville, and of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Towlers, Jr., of Washington.

Miss Ruth Buckley is spending this week in Manassas with Mrs. J. J. Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pattie spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Ayres. Mr. Ayres is slowly convalescing from complications following an attack of influenza.

Miss Katherine Harrover, of Washington, was a week's guest of her mother, Mrs. H. J. Ayres.

Mrs. Carter Byrne is again able to be out after a relapse of the flu.

Mrs. Judson Hoffman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee Hoffman were Washington visitors last Friday.

Mr. E. N. Pattie, who has accepted the position as manager of Pearson's store, in Gainesville, recently visited his family here.

BRENTSVILLE

The week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Beavers were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cassatt and little daughter, Edna, and Mr. Wealthy Beavers, of Baltimore; Misses Louise and Rena Randalls, of Nokesville.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hay were Mr. R. D. May, of Quantico; Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Stultz and

little daughter, Vada Lee, of Nokesville, and Miss Mary Shaffer, of this town.

Mrs. Alice Holsinger visited her daughter in Washington last week.

Mrs. I. W. Liskey returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. J. W. Hedrich in Washington, who has been ill. Mrs. Hedrich is now better.

Mrs. Glen Liskey, of Washington, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James.

Mr. and Mrs. James Woodyard and Mr. and Mrs. Rozier Woodyard were visitors at H. W. Hensley's on Sunday.

Mr. Clyde Wolfe is very ill at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Bradshaw and little son are recovering from the "flu".

Miss Hendrickson was entertained by Mrs. J. Seymour last week-end.

The friends of Mrs. F. P. Maurey are sorry to know that she continues ill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Shoemaker Shoemaker were visitors here last week-end.

Mr. John Wicks, of Fairfax, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Keys last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kaiser and Mr. and Mrs. Delaware Wright spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Whetzel. Mrs. Carson Golliday, of Baltimore, is spending some time here at the home of Mr. Golliday's father.

Mrs. J. D. Murphy is visiting her mother, Mrs. Marion Cooper.

BUCKLAND

Mrs. H. A. Tompson, Mrs. Betty Tompson, Mr. Marshall Tompson and Mrs. Wallace Covington and son, Wallace, Jr., of Fairfax, were guests on Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fletcher.

A baby girl, Rosa Loraine, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Silas Russell, on February 10.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Welton Graham and small son, Junior, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Graham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Jacobs, of Thoroughfare.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Butler and little son, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Moore, of Hopewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pettit, Mrs. George Pettit, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fairfax, and Mrs. Forbes, all of Washington, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Welton Graham last Sunday.

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CO-OPERATION.

Storeman, salesman, dairyman, here's a word or two for you.

Farmer, poultrymen, consumer, miner, operator, too.

Those who work with brain or muscle, those who buy and those who sell.

If you hope to thrive and prosper in the world wherein you dwell,

You must learn co-operation, you must cease to work alone

(Why, the caveman stopped that nonsense just the minute he was "shown").

Join your forces, be united, for the word is truly said—

"You have got to get together if you want to get ahead."

—Selected.

NEW PLAN FARM RELIEF

Believing that much can be gained by developing concrete, workable and just proposals out of the general sentiment for national policies more favorable to agriculture, editors of 56 Minnesota rural newspapers have joined in sponsoring a program of farm relief.

These proposals included development of waterways, retention of the flexible features of the tariff, higher protection, scientific research, protection against Philippine, Hawaiian and Porto Rico competition, reversal of reclamation policy, efforts to reduce costs of production, a Federal farm board with advisory powers, improved facilities, encouragement of co-operative marketing, cheaper fertilizer. Higher tariffs are asked specifically on flax, vegetable oils, dairy products, meat and poultry, cereals and sugar.

There is nothing in this list of suggestions to which persons interested in the betterment of farming can take exception.

DON'T BLAME 'STREET'

An editorial in a recent issue of Collier's Weekly comments on the continuance of our unprecedented national prosperity, and shows that it is well grounded and should be permanent. High wages, more efficient business, steady employment and improving conditions are most promising auguries for the future.

"In consequence of this great national development," Collier's continues, "prices of securities have been enormously enhanced. Much of the rise has been of the soundest character. Stocks have reflected the increased earnings of operations and millions of people have been enriched."

All this is solid and desirable. But accompanying this actual production and consumption is the artificial prosperity built upon gambling in stocks. Wall Street is not to blame for this. Men and women from every walk of life and from every State in the union have caught the fever. Stock gambling has become a great national pastime. "Gambling threatens to stop the goose from laying her golden eggs. The road to safety is plain enough," says the editorial. "Buy stocks as you would buy a house or an automobile or a suit of clothes. Measure the price by the value you are offered."

"The ownership of stocks by millions of investors is one of the soundest developments of recent years. The entire country

has been benefitted by the general distribution of the ownership of securities. But nobody in the long run is benefitted by paying more than an article is worth.

If you want to see prosperity continue, help to make it safe. Work, save, spend, invest but don't gamble. Buy stocks when you can at rational prices but don't "go whoopee" around the stock ticker.

A BAPTIST SPEAKS

To say that the sentence of the court in the case of Clinton S. Carnes, defaulting treasurer of the Southern Baptist Home Missions Board, was surprising would be to voice mild comment in the matter. It was nothing short of astounding. The idea that a man who has stolen nearly a million dollars should be given a term in prison no longer than from five to seven years, merely because the prisoner was in a humor to compromise, is beyond comprehension. ... wonder a cynic remarked at the time that, if Carnes had taken \$2,000,000, instead of \$1,000,000, he would probably have gone Scott-free.

The Rev. Dr. J. Powell Tucker, Raleigh clergyman of the Baptist denomination, expressed in great measure the attitude of the average man and woman, irrespective of religious affiliation, who have followed the Carnes case. He terms the penalty meted out to Carnes a miscarriage of justice, flagrant, astounding and suspicious. It was certainly flagrant and astounding. To say it was suspicious would be to go further than we should care to go. Dr. Tucker, however, does not hesitate to declare that no amount of explaining will allay the suspicion that there has been a swapping of favors, and the same body prefers "that Mr. Carnes keep his mouth shut." He asserts that "many thousands of our people" are not satisfied that the embezzler's threat to "tell plenty" did not frighten some of those who should have been active in prosecuting the case.

Presumably, Dr. Tucker knows the minds of his own people. At any rate he speaks as plainly as language will permit. As to widespread suspicion in the Carnes case, we are not in a position to know anything definite, but when a thief has stolen a million dollars and gets for it no more than a bootlegger's sentence, the turn of events is at least amazing. It seems scarcely creditable that in this case mercy was being tempered with justice.

—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Press Comments**Congressional Intelligence.**

Philadelphia Inquirer—Is a member of Congress more or less intelligent than the average citizen? That was the subject of an interesting debate in the House of Representatives Thursday. Mr. Kopp, of Iowa, discussing the reapportionment measure recently passed by the lower body, said that the most "untutored mind" could understand the mathematical method employed. Yet a college professor has testified that the average congressman could not understand it. "In other words," added the member, "the most untutored mind can understand it, but the average congressman can not."

We are afraid that the gentlemen who sit beneath the big dome in the District of Columbia are unduly sensitive. The truth of the matter probably is that the members of the national lawmaking body are no better or no worse than their constituents. Their very title gives a clue to their attainments. The word "Representative" means what it says. They are presumed to be typical of the voters who elect them to office. Why should we ask any more than that?

Primitive Women.

Philadelphia Inquirer—Upton Sinclair in the American Sketch takes a fall out of women who buy furs and

robes and a "thousand and one things to make themselves conspicuous and superior to the average." We think Upton is thoughtlessly unkind. He should remember that woman is essentially a more primitive creature than man: she hasn't come so far along the high road of advanced civilization as man, who depends on his intellect to make him conspicuous and superior to the average rather than any barbaric externals of dress. Yes, oh, quite!

Lots of Competition.

Atlanta Constitution—We can not understand how those chautauquas, doing the winter circuit, can fill out their programs with Congress in session.

Slip Up?

Milwaukee Journal—In sending a woman to prison for life for selling liquor, Michigan could have obtained still more publicity by making the commitment on Mother's Day.

Advertising Is the Soul of Merchandising

We often find a merchant content to place a small card in his local newspaper and then consider that he has done his duty to his business and a favor to the newspaper man.

Any merchant could "get by" with this kind of advertising during the abnormal times just passed, but today the merchandising thermometer is falling towards normal temperature—the fever is subsiding and health and stability are taking its place, with smaller margins of profit, but a safer, steadier, more dependable future market.

The successful merchant will need be the alert advertising merchant if he expects to keep pace with the persistent follow-up advertising methods of the big catalog houses. The secret of their great power to draw or attract customers is the persistency of their artistic appeal to human nature.

Advertising has become a science with the mail-order house, and unless the local merchant adopts the same sales promotion methods he will be crowded to the ditch, like the honest faithful horse, by the faster and more powerful motor driven car.

It becomes an absolute necessity for the progressive merchant to procure in some way this up-to-date motive power in holding and increasing his business from now on. Local retail stores in even the smaller towns are beginning to realize this and are now carrying in their home newspaper interesting merchandise bulletins every day or week, which are directly responsible for the killing off of serious mailorder competitions in these communities.

By the merchants being fully alive and keen students of this prospective necessity they will change conditions in their town as effectually as it has been done in other localities. It is not a question of importance to the people of your trade territory to simply tell them your name and your line of business. They have known that for years—but the important thing is to put before them a descriptive selection of reasonable necessities or luxuries that will appeal to each individual in the home at that particular time, thereby suggesting and creating a desire to possess such a particular article and compel them to secure it at once from your store.

Study the advertising copy of the catalog houses—figure out the investments (not expense) of their propaganda and descriptive advertising methods—without which they would never sell a dollar's worth of goods in your or any other community. Study the catalogs—it is an education in advertising. And with the opportunity your home newspaper offers, in presenting your store news bulletins, you have a great advantage over the mail-order house in your home community.

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A CHUCKLE OR TWO**A Sure Sign**

"Bill must be planning to buy a new car."

"Why?"

"I see he's letting his wife drive."

Everybody's Weekly.

Bright Youth

Raymond had just begun to go to school.

One morning his teacher was trying to impress upon her pupils the idea of self-reliance. It so happened that a certain small boy had been late on this particular morning. His excuse was that his mother had overslept, for gotten to call him, and breakfast was late. Hence the lecture on self-reliance.

"You have fathers and mothers to work for you now," concluded the teacher, "but what will you do after you're grown up? Who will work for you then?"

Raymond's hand shot up. "Our wives, of course," he replied.

—London Tid-Bits.

What a Language!

Dad—I don't believe he wants to buy any sheep really. I believe he just comes after dinner.

Mum—Why, he always comes just before dinner, father!

Dad—Well, isn't that what I said, mother?

Climbing Higher

"So your wife has determined to move. What's her idea?"

"She's convinced that she can keep up with a more rapid bunch of neighbors."

Ye Ancient Game

He was a very painstaking golfer, and it took him three hours to reach the fifteenth hole, where he drove into the rough. After a long search the caddy located a ball which the player examined.

"No," he said, "this isn't mine. This is a very old ball."

"Yes," said the boy in exhausted tones, "but don't forget it's a long time since we started out, sir."

What the War Did

Mrs. Newly Rich: "He's getting on so well at school; learns French and Algebra. Now, Sonnie, say 'How d'ye do' to the lady in Algebra."—Goblin.

Basket Ball Technique

An elderly woman was taken to see a basket ball game in which her son was playing. After watching for a few moments she inquired:

"What is the—er—object of this game?"

"Why," said the guide, "the object is to put the ball in that net."

"Well," said the woman, with one of those rare flashes of genius. "It would be much simpler if they would get out of each others way."

Wag His Tail

One morning happy little Bob came singing to the breakfast table and announced that he wished he were a dog.

Upon our inquiring why, he replied, "Oh, so I could wag my tail when I'm happy."

Scare Crows Unnecessary

A city man visiting in the country one week-end asked his host how it happened he had no scarecrows on the place.

"Don't you need them?" asked the guest.

"No. You see I stay around the place pretty close myself," replied the farmer.

Merely an Oversight

"What sort of a reception did your wife give you when you got home?"

"Ah, the dear woman threw flowers at me."

"Good gracious! How did you get that black eye, then?"

"She neglected to take the flowers out of the pot."

Compromising Question

Representative Bulwinkle of North Carolina told a campaign story at a Gastonia banquet.

"Up north," he said, "a young colored girl made her way into a registration booth."

"Ah wants ter vote," she said, and she began to giggle.

"What party do you affiliate with?" said the clerk.

"Suh!" she looked indignant and rolled her eyes. "Suh!"

"What party do you affiliate with, I ask you."

"Does Ah have ter tell dat?"

"You sure do, sister."

"Den Ah won't vote nohow. Why, de party wot Ah affiliate wiv haint even got his divo'ce yet."

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FOR FEBRUARY 24, 1929.

The International Sunday School Lesson for February 24 is "Christian Growth"—John 1:40-42; Matthew 16:15-18; John 21:15-19; II Peter 3:19.

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS.

One of the strange groups of people to be found along the Tigris River, in Mesopotamia, are the Sabaeans, whose center of population is Amarra, but who also have a colony in Bagdad and another in Bosra. They are clever craftsmen in silver, which is their hereditary occupation. These Sabaeans, light in color, with finely chiselled features, are manifestly of a different racial stock from the Arabs, the Syrians and the Persians. No one knows their origin, and they never marry outside their own group.

Their religion also is a mystery, although they call themselves disciples of John the Baptist, and practice frequent immersion. There are also traces of the old Chaldean star-worship in it.

It is somewhat startling to find living folk back in the religious faith that heralded the coming of Jesus. Yet the same thing existed in Ephesus, as told in the nineteenth chapter of The Acts, where the disciples had been baptized only with John's baptism. So naturally do we postulate growth that a static faith surprises us. Every thoughtful traveller in the Near East is impressed with the fixity of the old churches there. The genius of Christianity is progress, for the individual believer and for the kingdom. "Grow in grace"—"Changed from glory into glory"—"Then shall we know, if we follow on to know the Lord"—"Forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark"—so runs the teaching of the New Testament.

Tigris River Christians.

Nevertheless, some Christians are like the Tigris River Sabaeans—still stuck where they were at the beginning. They have no more religion than they had ten or twenty years ago. Their knowledge of the Gospel is no greater, their experience of Christ no more personal, their religious efficiency no larger. All the while the Bible teaching is clear: "This is the will of God, even your sanctification", or holiness.

The Christian Church is an institution for the production and perfection of saints. If it has not that out put, its business is a failure. One of our day's dangers in religion is that we shall consider the Church primarily as a social agency, for abolishing war, for ending race distinctions and for remedying industrial ills. All of these and allied objectives are desirable; but they are not the first objective of the Church. That basic aim is to secure the salvation and sanctification of individual human beings. Once let the Church be made up of growing Christians and they will automatically eliminate unChristian conditions in the world.

Christians can no more help growing in holiness and helpfulness, if they live in the right atmosphere, have the right spiritual food and the right soul-exercise, than children can help growing into maturity. All the laws and forces of the Christian life conspire to produce robust disciples. And ever beyond are new heights to be reached: perfection may be pursued, but not attained this side of glory. The saintliest are the most aspiring, and the most humble. Father Ryan's "Song of the Mystic" glimpses the truth taught by Paul that "It doth not yet appear what we shall be."

"But far on the deep there are billows

That never shall break on the beach;

And I have heard songs in the Silence

That never shall float into speech;

And I have had dreams in the Valley

Too lofty for language to reach."

As It Was With Peter.

Our day's Lesson text deals largely with the story of Peter, the common-place, blundering, wabbling fisherman who became a saint and a hero. He is an outstanding New Testament illustration of how growth follows fellowship with Christ. An ordinary crude, calloused, unkempt and smelly fisherman-peasant he was when Jesus found him. None of his ideas went very far or were very fine. He had the spiritual timidity of the lousy bumpkin. His impulses were quick and undirected like those of a child, but he lacked stability and the finer qualities of heroism. More unpromising material for the making of a

great Christian leader could scarcely be imagined.

Keeping company with Jesus did for Peter what no university course could have done. And at the end—after his shameful denial and recantation at the Master's trial—Peter became a mighty leader, a heroic champion of Christ's cause, an irresistible orator, a broad-minded exponent of the new truth, a pillar of the faith, a glorious martyr of the Gospel, and one of the earth's short roll of immortals.

And the Power that transformed Peter is available today to effect equal growth in every other disciple. Audacity and ambition of faith seem strangely lacking in the brotherhood: we have not half begun to produce the great Christians that the kingdom needs and that God desires.

An untutored Yankee shoe salesman in Chicago, who seemed unbalanced in his religious zeal, once avowed that he would see what God could do with a wholly consecrated man. That was Dwight L. Moody, and he became the mighty evangelist whose influence still fertilizes the whole world, in the persons of men and women whom he led to Christ.

Thomas S. Jones, Jr., puts the general thought in simple lines:—

"Across the fields of yesterday

He sometimes comes to me

A little lad just back from play—

The lad I used to be.

"And yet he smiles so wistfully

Once he has crept within,

I wonder if he hopes to see

The man I might have been."

One Way Out For The World.

There will not long be grave political and industrial social problems if the Church quickly becomes efficient in her essential work of producing better Christians. The really short cut out of the mire in which society is bogged is to increase the number and quality of working Christians. As it was in rotten old Rome, so it may also be in rotten New York and Chicago, that the power of the Christians change the life of the city. Within the knowledge of readers of these lines, many a "Hell's Kitchen" has been made ever into decency and wholesomeness by the influence of the Christian religion. The lawless frontier lasts only until the Church arrives in power. Christ-mastered men master every outward condition.

This is the natural effect of the Gospel. The characteristic fruit of the Christian tree is holy men and women, who function for righteousness. They produce the same results as were wrought by Jesus and His first disciples.

The Taught Man Teaches.

When the Apostle Peter—at the time of writing an aged saint and teacher and leader, far advanced beyond the bungling Peter of Galilee days—wanted to sound this message of Christian growth he used simple and significant words: "Grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ." To grow in the grace of Christ is to grow the graces of Christ. It is the branch bearing the typical fruit of the tree.

The growth Peter links with knowledge. The more we know of Jesus: the more closely we come to resemble Him. Association begets similarity. The facts about Jesus are media for the reception of the Spirit of Jesus. It is difficult to contemplate a growing Christian who is not also a knowing Christian—one whose knowledge and experience of his Master are steadily enlarging.

Fake Lincoln Letters.

New York Herald Tribune—Lincoln is still the man of mystery; the editor of the Atlantic Monthly now admits that the "passionate and real" love letters supposed to have passed between Abraham Lincoln and Ann Rutledge, as well as the other Lincoln material published in the last three issues of his magazine, "lack the authenticity" which he had ascribed to them. And it must be admitted that his admission makes agreement almost unanimous, for handwriting experts, general historians and Lincoln specialists had stated abundantly their conviction that the documents gave prima facie evidence of falsification.

Classic of Their Kind.

Detroit News—Only the so-called legal mind could get up in open court and attempt to demonstrate in all seriousness that "Abie's Irish Rose" and "Romeo and Juliet" are the same play.

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Lot Drinking Glasses, each 3c
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A. MacMILLAN,
Manassas, Va.

CLIFTON

Rev. McCloud preached the sermon in the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning.

There will be services in the Baptist church next Sunday night, February 24th. Rev. S. Y. Craig will be in charge.

The Christian Endeavor, led by Marshall Doak, was held in the Presbyterian church Sunday night.

The county board of supervisors has sent to the Highway Commission a petition for the incorporation in the county system the 3 mile road from Fairfax to Clifton.

The regular meeting of Acacia Lodge, No. 16, F. A. A. M., was held Monday night.

The Pocahontas Literary Society of the Clifton School held a Valentine meeting last Thursday. A debate, "Resolved, That Country Life is Better Than City Life," was won by the affirmative, Minor Myers and Clarence Ambler. The negative was taken by Lucile Johnson and Virginia Buckley. Louise Koontz read a paper on the origin of valentines.

Mrs. R. M. Wine spent last week

end with her mother, Mrs. Schaffer, in Quickburg.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mathers spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. William Huntley Mathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Quigg have sold their home and will move to Washington, they expect to take an apartment for the present.

Mr. John Smith is quite ill at his home in the village.

Mr. Frank Detwiler who passed the winter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Detwiler, is much improved in health and has returned to Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Koontz are having some work done on their home.

Many school children are absent on account of bad colds.

PRESBYTERIAN SOCIAL TOMORROW NIGHT AT 7:30

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church of Manassas will give a social tomorrow, Friday, in the Sunday School room of the church beginning at 7:30 p.m. The public is cordially invited to attend. Refreshments and silver offering.

A NEW RADIO

For a good many years we have contemplated selling a Radio, but owing to the uncertain development in this field we decided to keep out of this business until we could find what we thought would be perfect. We have made a thorough search for the set that would offer the best Radio reception to the public in the way of quality of tone and selectivity. Our efforts brought out the points in the new PHILCO RADIO, Neutrodyne Plus. We also decided that we would only sell one make, and that make had to be the best we could secure. Fortunately we were able to secure the dealership for this great Philco and now we feel that we have a real Radio to offer at moderate prices.

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The Console, \$157.00, Less Tubes

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TWO-HORSE WAGON, never been used; 3/4 seim spring seat and sideboards. 40-1t*

CHICKENS — Broilers and frying size. J. Lawrence Gregory, Manassas, Phone, write or call. 39-tf

DELCO LIGHT AND WATER SYSTEM—32 volts. Only been used a short time and is as good as new. Catesby Howard, Triangle, Va., R. F. D., Box 14. 39-3t*

MISCELLANEOUS

VIRGINIA LICENSE PLATE No. C-3965. Lost between Manassas and Haymarket. Please return to Journal Office.

ATTENTION FARMERS—I will be in the market for fancy eggs this spring. Watch this space for announcement next week. J. H. Dodge, Manassas.

MILFORD WATER-GROUND corn meal and whole wheat flour on sale at Manassas and Milford, Manassas Milling Co. 42tf

TRAVEL BY TRAIN — Reduced Round Trip fares. Reliable-Safe-Comfortable. Consult Ticket Agent, Railway. 47-tf

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HAVING INSTALLED the latest improved Jamesway Incubator, I earnestly solicit your custom hatching of baby chicks. Reserve your space now. Other information, write J. Lawrence Gregory, Manassas, Va. 39-tf

WEEK-END SPECIAL. The farmer making the largest cash purchase of feed on Friday and Saturday will be given a 24 1/2-lb. sack of flour FREE. Prince William Farmers Service, Manassas, Va. 39-1t.

BABY CHICKS every Tuesday. Rocks and Reds. Also custom hatching. Special prices on large lots. Manassas Hatchery, Manassas, V. 39-4t*

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USED CARS.

CHEVROLET, 1927 Coach, in good condition. Tires good, spare tire and bumpers. \$336.00

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Manassas, Va. 37-1t

Blazing Air Trails

Donald Kehoe, who flew over America with Lindbergh, writes an entertaining article on the mail lines and the plazed trails of the air for the Magazine of The Washington Star for Sunday, February 24th. Order your copy of next Sunday's Washington Star from your newsdealer today.—Advertisement.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Rozier B. Larkin left today for New York to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Emile Singer.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tripp announce the birth of a son on Sunday.

Miss Ruby Ryman, the popular County nurse, who has been on leave for several months due to illness, has returned to Manassas and resumed her work in Prince William County, which is cause for general rejoicing throughout this section.

Mr. John Nelson, who is ill in the Garfield Hospital, Washington, is reported as slightly improved.

Mrs. Robert S. Walter was a recent guest at the home of Mrs. Eli Swavely.

The little Misses Helen and Catherine Fincham, who have been quite ill for several days are slightly improved.

Mr. Conway Taylor of Richmond was the guest of his mother, Mrs. T. Q. Taylor, last week.

Mrs. A. L. Browning was a Washington visitor on Saturday.

Mr. Allison Hooft, jr., spent the week end in Williamsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hopper who have been visiting the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Weir, have returned to their home in Comarion, Kansas.

Miss Grace McLean of Washington was the guest of Miss Kitty Smith over the week-end.

Miss Lucy Arrington attended the Midwinter dance at the University of Virginia last week.

Miss Catherine Weir was a Washington visitor on Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Keys visited her daughter, Mrs. R. B. Sprinkle, in Clarendon last week.

Mrs. W. A. Clem of Alexandria passed Monday in Manassas.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Delaney were recent guests at the home of Mrs. Smith in Hoadly.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Speaks were Sunday visitors in Hoadly.

Mr. E. Swavely gave a vocational guidance talk this afternoon to the Manassas High School Community League. His subject was "Dr. Thomas Arnold of Rugby, as an Educator." The usual business meeting followed the assembly.

There will be a dance at the Centerville School on Saturday, February 23.

"Abie's Irish Rose," the drama that held Broadway spellbound for 5 years will be on the screen at the Dixie Theater tonight and tomorrow night. Better not miss it.

Miss Lulu Metz who has been confined to her apartment for several days as the result of a "flu" relapse resumed her classes at the High School this week.

Mr. G. Raymond Ratcliffe will be the guest, of the Washington Chapter American Institute of Banking, at its annual banquet to be held at the Williard on Saturday night.

Mrs. Robert Smith who was confined to her home on Grant Avenue with influenza is able to be out again.

Hynson & Bradford have taken the dealership for the Philco Radio.

A S. Boatwright was a Washington visitor this week.

Mr. R. L. Houser, of Alexandria is passing a few days in Manassas.

Mrs. Ballantyne Patterson who has been confined to her apartment on West Street since Christmas has recovered from her indisposition and is able to be about again.

Mr. Peyton Larkin, who spends much time traveling through the State in the interests of his business, is passing a few days at his home here.

Mrs. George Hasel, who has been visiting in Greenville, S. C., stopping there after a motor trip with Mr. Hasel to Florida, is expected back within a few days.

Local banks will be closed tomorrow, Friday, in observance of Washington's birthday.

SWAVELY NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ellsworth, of New Hartford, Conn., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Swavely over the week-end.

On Saturday evening Mr. Ellsworth delivered the sixth lecture of the Winter Course, on "Milton Bunyan and Their Times." The lecture was illustrated by lantern slides.

On Sunday afternoon instead of the usual vespers, Mr. Ellsworth addressed the boys on the subject of "American Humorists."

Dr. Davis, of Lyon Village, Mrs. Fox, of St. Louis, Mr. English, of Easton, Pa., Dr. and Mrs. Baggs and Mrs. Luttrell, of Washington were Sunday visitors at the school.

A very creditable presentation of the play, "Captain Applejack," is expected this evening and the sale of tickets in the town is quite lively.

The program for Washington's Birthday is as follows: 7 p.m., formal dinner; 8:30 p.m., dance (in gymnasium).

Inauguration Day, March 4, has been announced as a school holiday.

DIXIE THEATRE

Monday, February 24
Lew Cody and Aileen Pringle
In Latest Laugh Hit
"BABY CYCLONE"
A Hurricane of Howls
You'll be rewarded with gales of laughter.

Tuesday, February 26
"LONESOME LADIES"
with
Lewis Stone and Anna Q. Nilson
A comedy-drama for every wife, every husband, and everyone that hopes to be either.

Thursday and Friday
February 28 and March 1
"UNCLE TOM'S CABIN"
The Great American Picture
The greatest human drama ever screened. Now you have the picture that thrilled the world.
Admission—35 and 50 cents

Saturday, March 2
A Western
with
Bob Steele
in
"CAPTAIN CARELESS"
A number One action thriller

SCHOOL PROPERTY FOR SALE

The County School Board will offer for sale at public auction, schoolhouses and land as follows:

BRENTSVILLE DISTRICT—The 4-room building and lot located at Nokesville; the 3-room building and lot at King's Cross Roads, at 11 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, March 27, 1929, in front of the Nokesville Bank at Nokesville, Va.

GAINESVILLE DISTRICT—The 2-room building and lot located at Waterfall, the 1-room building and lot at Buckland, and the 1-room building and lot at Gainesville, at 11 o'clock a. m., Thursday, March 28, 1929, in front of Partlow's Store, Gainesville, Va.

MANASSAS DISTRICT—2-room building and land at Groveton, at 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, March 28, 1929, at the Groveton building.

DUMFRIES DISTRICT—The old Cabin Branch School lot at 3 o'clock p. m., Friday, March 29, 1929, in front of Ratcliffe's Store, Dumfries, Va.

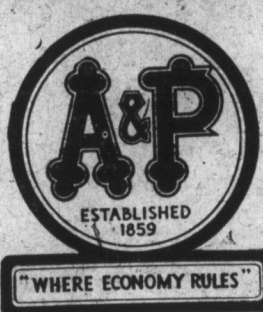
OCCOQUAN DISTRICT—1-room building and land located between Bethel and Minnieville (known as Cherry Hill), at 10:30 a. m., Friday, March 29, 1929, at the building. Two-room building and lot, Occoquan town, 11:30 a. m., Friday, March 29, 1929, at the building. Two-room building and land at Woodbridge, Va., at 1:30 p. m., Friday, March 29, 1929, at the building.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash, or one-third cash, and remainder in two equal payments of 9 and 18 months each, the unpaid amounts bearing 6 per cent interest until paid; the title to remain in county school board until amounts are paid in full.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Prince William County School Board
R. C. HAYDON, Clerk.

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Campbell's Asst. Soup, 3 cans.....	25c	Cream Wheat, small box, 14c; large box.....	24c
A&P Oats, Quick Cooking, 3 small packages.....	25c	Shredded Wheat, box.....	10c
Sun Maid Raisins, seeded or seedless 3 packages.....	25c	Kellogg's Corn Flakes, box.....	8c
Apple Sauce, Fancy Quality, 3 cans.....	25c	Puffed Wheat, 2 boxes.....	25c
Heinz Beans in Sauce, 2 cans.....	19c	Puffed Rice, 2 boxes.....	25c
Domestic Sardines, 4 cans.....	19c	Rice Krispies, 2 boxes.....	25c
Light Tuna Fish, can.....	19c	Post Bran Flakes, box.....	12c
Octagon Soap, 4 large cakes.....	25c	Juicy Oranges, dozen.....	23c & 29c
Kirkman's Soap, 3 large cakes.....	19c	Fancy Grapefruit, 3 for.....	20c
Lifebouy Soap, 3 cakes.....	17c	Lemons, dozen.....	29c
Campbell's Beans, 3 cans.....	25c	Bananas, dozen.....	32c
Crushed Corn, 3 cans.....	25c	Eating Apples, 4 lbs.....	25c
Encore Macaroni and Spaghetti, 4 boxes.....	25c	Emperor Grapes, lb.....	18c
California Prunes, 3 lbs.....	25c	Fresh Tomatoes, lb.....	15c
A. J. Pancake Flour, 2 packages.....	25c	Crisp Celery, bunch.....	10c
Log Cabin Syrup, can.....	25c	Iceberg Lettuce, head.....	9c
Evaporated Milk, White House, 3 cans.....	25c	Fresh Spinach, 3 lbs.....	25c
Argo Red Salmon, 2 cans.....	45c	Tender Kale, 4 lbs.....	25c
Fig Cakes and Ginger Snaps, 2 lbs.....	19c	New Cabbage, lb.....	5c
Iona Cocoa, 2-lb. box.....	22c	Carrots, bunch.....	7 1/2c
		New Potatoes, lb.....	5c
		Tangerines, dozen.....	30c
		Cauliflower, large head.....	20c

Vegetable Prices Subject to Change.

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA:
IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE
OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY,
FEBRUARY 6, 1929.
CHARLES H. ROBERTSON,
Petitioner in Attachment.

vs.
H. A. WATERS, R. W. WALKER, J. Aker Johnson and J. W. Walker, Partners trading and doing business under the style and firm name of The Virginia Milk Transportation Company; Andrew M. Roderick and F. G. Reading.

IN CHANCERY

The object of this attachment is to attach the property of the non-resident defendants, to secure the payment of the Plaintiff's claim of \$10,000.00, with interest from Nov. 21, 1928, and costs.

And, an affidavit having been filed according to law, that H. A. Waters, of Gaithersburg, Maryland, R. W. Walker of Gaithersburg, Maryland, J. Aker Johnson, of Gaithersburg, Maryland, and Jesse W. Walker, No. 1048 Potomac Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., and Andrew M. Roderick, Frederick, Maryland, are non-residents of the State of Virginia,

And an application having been filed in writing for this order of publication, it is ordered that the aforesaid non-resident defendants do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be sent by the Clerk of this Court by Registered mail, addressed to the aforesaid non-resident defendants at their respective post office addresses, as set forth in the aforesaid affidavit; a copy published once a week, for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published and circulating in Prince William County, Virginia, and a copy posted at the front door of the Court house of said County, as provided by law.

GEO. G. TYLER,

Clerk of the Circuit Court.

A true Copy:

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

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VIRGINIA:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY
BENJ. O. COX,

vs.
JANETTE INGRAHAM COX,
IN CHANCERY.

The general object of the above styled suit, is for the complaint to obtain from the defendant a divorce a mensa et thoro, of the marriage created between the parties December 6th, 1926, upon the grounds that the said defendant did during the month of September 1927 voluntarily, willfully and without any justification abandon and desert the complainant; and when a sufficient time hath elapsed that the bond of matrimony created between the parties aforesaid, at the time aforesaid, be dissolved and annulled.

It appearing by affidavit filed by the complainant after the institution of this cause that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, and that her last known address was 709 West 169th Street, New York City, New York; it is therefore ordered that the said Jeanette Ingraham Cox do appear within ten days after due publication of this order, in the clerk's office of our said Circuit Court, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this cause. It is further ordered that this order be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in The Manassas Journal, a newspaper published and circulating in said County; that a copy thereof be posted at the front door of the court house of Prince William County, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding Rule Day, and that a copy be mailed to the said Jeanette Ingraham Cox by United States registered, prepaid mail, to the post office address given in said affidavit, to-wit, 709 West 169th Street, New York, N. Y.

GEO. G. TYLER,

Clerk.

Teste:

GEO. G. TYLER,

Clerk.

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VIRGINIA:

AT A CIRCUIT COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF PRINCE
WILLIAM, HELD AT THE
COURT HOUSE THEREOF, IN
MANASSAS, VIRGINIA, ON
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1929.
PRESENT HON. HOWARD W.
SMITH, JUDGE.

EVA B. PROCTOR, Complainant

vs.

R. C. PROCTOR, Defendant.
DECREE.

This cause, on motion of the complainant, by her attorney, is restored to the active docket of this court.

Thereupon the complainant, by leave of the court, filed her amended bill in this cause.

And it appearing to the court that the said amended bill charges adultery on the part of the defendant, R. C. Proctor, and prays for a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on that grounds, it is considered by the court that the said R. C. Proctor, who, it appears by affidavit this day filed, is a non resident of the State of Virginia, be summoned to answer the said amended bill, and the clerk of this court is directed to make an order of publication against the said R. C. Proctor as follows:

Eva B. Proctor, Complainant, vs. R. C. Proctor, defendant.

In the Circuit Court of Prince William County, February 4, 1929. The complainant, Eva B. Proctor, having filed an amended bill in the said Court praying a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the said R. C. Proctor on the grounds of adultery, it is ordered that the said R. C. Proctor do appear within ten days after the due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published for four successive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published in Prince William County, that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of the said county by the clerk of this court and that a copy be mailed by the said clerk under registry addressed to R. C. Proctor, 703 Poplar Grove Street, Baltimore, Md.

A true copy:

GEO. G. TYLER,

Clerk.

C. A. SINCLAIR, p q.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE LAND.

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust executed, and recorded in Deed Book 80, folio 396, of the land records of Prince William County Clerk's Office, by Lloyd Johnson and Annie, his wife, dated February 19, 1925, whereby the hereinafter described land was conveyed in trust to W. B. F. Cole, Trustee, to secure the payment of \$322.11 with interest from said date; and whereas, the said trustee having resigned and declined to execute said trust, the Circuit Court of Prince William County appointed the undersigned substituted trustee in the room and stead of said former trustee on December 3, 1928 (see Deed Book 86, folio 109); and at the request of the holder of said note, and by reason of default having been made in the payment thereof, and there being a balance due on said note or trust of \$183.15 with interest from January 14, 1928, the undersigned will expose for sale at public auction the tract of land in said deed of trust mentioned, to-wit: 77 acres, 1 rood and 22 poles lying and being situate in Dumfries Magisterial District, said County, and State of Virginia; said sale to be held at 11:00 o'clock, a. m. on SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 1929 in front of The Peoples National Bank, in the town of Manassas, Virginia

Terms of sale: Cash.
THOS. H. LION,
Substituted Trustee.

Auctioneer:

J. P. KERLIN.

PLAYERS TO GIVE CAPTAIN APPLEJACK

Swavely Players to Present
Well Known Success
Tonight.

The dramatic club, which is under the direction of Robert S. Illingworth, enjoys the privilege of being the first authorized organization of the school, and has in former years staged many very fine productions. These have been presented not only at Swavely but in various parts of the state and the District of Columbia, according to

announcement in the Swavely Sentinel.

Since Christmas the Swavely Players have been working on the production, Captain Applejack. This play which is very well known will be presented this evening, February 21, at Baker Gymnasium, as one of the features of the First Annual Mid-winter Festival at Swavely. Captain Applejack is a play that holds the spectator tense. The plot involves a dream—almost a nightmare—of a very rich aristocrat of old England. Pirates, thieves and anarchists all enter to make an exciting evening. The directing of the play by Mr. Illingworth, who was director of dramatics at Lafayette College for twelve years before coming to Swavely, is enough to insure the success of the performance even if the leads were not played by such talented amateurs as John Allen, the hero, and William Reeves, the villain, supported by Charles Garrison, Francis Cunningham, David Bliven and Edward Baggs as sub leaders. This makes an excellent cast which is very cleverly assisted by many more of the boys as pirates.

CAST

In the order of their appearance
Lush.....Calvert Swingle
Poppy Faire.....Edward Baggs
Mrs. Whatcomb.....John Kane
Anna Valeska.....Francis Cunningham
Mrs. Pengard.....David Bliven
Mr. Pengard.....Charles Garrison
Dennet.....Jack Moore
Johnny Jason.....John Ritchey

PIRATES

Charles Collier, Robert Marks, Guy Moore, Daniel Carr, Edward Ready, Harold Blattmachr.

PRODUCTION STAFF

Technical Director.....Osborne B. Tabor
Scenery.....Mr. Welton P. Farrow
Costumes.....Mrs. Eli Swavely
Properties.....Robert Marks
Make-up.....John L. Ritchey
Publicity Agent.....Leonard Halliwell
Stage Manager.....William Reeves

HOWLAND LECTURE

PROVES THRILLING

Motion Picture Aids Lectures
in Faithful Portrayal of
Whaleman

The progressive present and the romantic past were coupled in a world of living action by the illustrated lecture of Chester S. Howland, Friday evening, February 8, in Baker Gymnasium, says the Swavely Sentinel.

The story of the Ancient Whaleman was especially interesting to the boys because of the adventures, romance, thrills and joys that always accompanied these followers of the sea. The preparation, the departure, the fearful perils of the long voyage,

all these were faithfully rehearsed and emphasized by motion pictures. In short the story was an echo from the reminiscences of a lad who at the unripe age of sixteen years sailed away to sea and who rose step by step to the much coveted position, Captaincy of a Whaling Vessel. A page of history heretofore untold was revealed by Mr. Howland's lecture.

Saturday evening, March 2, Mr. Thomas Austine Daly will appear at Swavely to read his poems. Like

OLD FIDDLERS TO MEET
AT RIDGEWAY IN MARCH

Martinsville, Va., Feb. 21.—Announcement has been made that a "Ye Ole Fiddlers' Convention" will be held in the Ridgeway High School on the evening of March 21, when musicians from every nook and corner of this section of Virginia and North Carolina will vie with each other for prizes.

The faculty of the Ridgeway High School, with co-operation of other citizens in the community are opening the new school auditorium with this program and proceeds of the entertainment will go toward a piano fund to give the school this much-needed instrument to be placed in the school auditorium.

OCCOQUAN

Miss Mary Selecman, who has been ill, has recovered and is able to be out again.

Mr. R. B. Gossom, of Waterfall, passed the week-end with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wayland. He was accompanied by Mr. R. R. Smith, also of Waterfall.

The dance given at the High School on Friday night was largely attended and a good sum was realized for the school fund.

The marriage of Miss Grace Abel, of Dumfries, to Mr. Wilton Hixson, of this place, was solemnized in Washington on Saturday, February 16, by Elder Smoot. Mr. Hixson has many friends here, all of whom wish much happiness to the young couple.

Mr. Irvin Gossom, of Washington, visited friends here last week.

Mr. Paul Hammill and Mr. Bill Hammill, with Miss Caroline Hammill, all of Washington, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Selecman.

Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Malcolm motored to Washington on Sunday.

Mrs. John Leary, Miss Mary Selecman and Miss Lucy Clair Pierce spent Wednesday in Washington.

Mr. Carroll Carter had as his week-

end guest, Mr. Archie Keys, of Dumfries.

Mr. and Mrs. George Selecman spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Selecman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Reid, of Hoadly.

Messrs. C. S. Pierce, F. M. Lynns and S. Ellis Davis have returned from Richmond where they attended the Grand Lodge.

Miss Marjorie Rearick, of Washington, was a recent visitor to Miss Kathleen Carter.

Miss Mary Bryant, of Washington, was a Sunday visitor to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bryant.

Mr. Gordon McMahan visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McMahan, last week-end.

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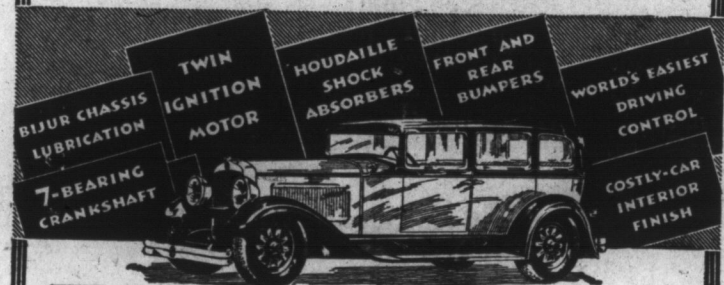
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THINGS OF THE SOIL

The Manassas Journal's Complete Agricultural Service

By DAN VAN GORDER

Questions of lawns, gardens and general farming are discussed in this department each week. Readers of The Manassas Journal are invited to use this new column for the answer to their question and the solution of their problems. Address all inquiries to The Manassas Journal Information Bureau, Van Gorder News Service, Manassas, Virginia.

INCREASING POTATO YIELDS

The average acre yield of potatoes in the United States is about 92 bushels. In 1927 Amos Eberly, of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, raised 651.4 bushels of potatoes on one acre of measured ground. The difference between this record yield and the average yield of the entire country is the story of opportunity for the average grower to boost his present production average.

With potatoes more than with any other cultivated crop perhaps, seed plays the most important role. While the yields of corn, wheat, onions, and other food crops are determined to a great extent by the quality of the seed, yet with potatoes freedom from disease is also largely controlled through seed quality.

Since potatoes became an important article of food in the civilized world following their adoption from the aboriginal Indian tribes of America, there has been observed a ten-

dency of the potato strain to "run out" as it has been commonly termed. Investigations of the last few years have demonstrated that the "running out" of potato seed is due almost entirely to the transmission of virus diseases from one crop to another through the use of home grown, disease-infected seed. It has also been demonstrated that aphids or plant lice transmit these virus diseases from infected plants to healthy stock. Among these diseases are mosaic, leaf-roll, spindle tuber, streak, curly dwarf, Rhizoctonia, Fusarium rot and the various related and combined potato afflictions. Use of seed from potatoes infected with any or all of these maladies will cause a decrease in production of 15 to 75 per cent of the crop and sometimes results in complete crop failures.

On the other hand tests for comparison between home grown and certified seed have shown increases ranging from 30 to over 200 bushels per acre. One Indiana grower last year

produced 339 bushels of potatoes per acre from certified seed, and 194 bushels from a good quality of home grown seed. Another produced 353 bushels from certified seed and 169 bushels from home grown seed. Hundreds of examples of such increases resulting from the use of certified, northern-grown seed could be cited. It is sufficient to deduce from the extensive experiments and investigations that have been made that potato growers, whether for commercial or home supply purposes, cannot afford to use home grown seed. The boosted yields from the use of certified seed will not only pay the difference in the cost of seed, but will produce a quality of potatoes that will bring an added price on the potato market.

As requisite No. 1 for the 1929 potato crop, use certified, northern-grown seed whose certification is authentic and quality above question.

One authority on potato culture has said, "There is no compromise in potato growing if you want big yields; you can't get by with inferior seed; there is no substitute for plant food; you can't make any concession to insects and diseases; there is no neutral ground with weeds. There is no compromise—no middle course—if you want the best potato yields and quality."

The largest potato yields usually follow a legume crop. Seventy per cent of the 400-bushel club members in the United States grow their record crops after a leguminous crop.

Fertilization is an essential step toward big yields. On most soils the most profitable yields result from an average of 10 tons of manure to the acre with addition of from 800 to 2,000 pounds of commercial fertilizer to the acre. The fertilizer mixtures vary from 16 per cent acid phosphate to a 10-16-14 mixture, with the average being a 3-10-6, depending of course with the soil type and the crop preceding the potato crop.

The use of certified seed will insure a disease free stock; careful soil preparation and the required fertilization treatments will supply the needed plant food; but the grower must also prepare a vigorous warfare against insects and disease to attain a yield to which he is justified with his other preparations. Among the 400-bushel

members last year, and these men are the goals toward whom any potato grower must look for increasing yields sprays for control of insects and disease were applied an average of eleven times.

Weeds are natural enemies of most plant growths. Besides robbing the crop of needed plant food and moisture and imparting the toxins they are known to release toward the plant structures, weeds protect and foster many insects and diseases. Clean cultivation is a fine insurance for the potato crop.

As the season advances there arise scores of problems for the worry of the grower. But as planting time approaches it cannot be urged too strongly the necessity of using reliable, certified, northern-grown seed. It is only through this method that the many virus diseases may be eliminated from the crop.

Potatoes produced at the 92-bushel per acre average of the United States are not profitable either as a commercial or a backyard garden food crop. Taking into consideration types of soil, climate, and other elements entering the successful potato grower's game, it can be said safely that there are few areas in this country where the potato yield cannot be increased from 50 to 100 per cent by the use of certified seed, proper rotation of crops, correct fertilization and thorough spraying.

TWO COUPLES OBSERVE FIFTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

Purcellville, Va., Feb. 21—Two couples in Purcellville celebrated their fifty-fifth wedding anniversaries on Monday, February 11.

They were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Wine. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce were married at Frederick, Md. Mr. Pierce is 74 years of age and a native of Loudoun County, and Mrs. Pierce, who was Miss Marie Brown of Washington County, Md., is a few years older.

Mr. Wine is 79 years of age and Mrs. Wine, who was Miss Sarah Ann Heming of England, is 77 years of age. Mr. Wine was a native of Fauquier County, but has lived in Loudoun for 40 years.

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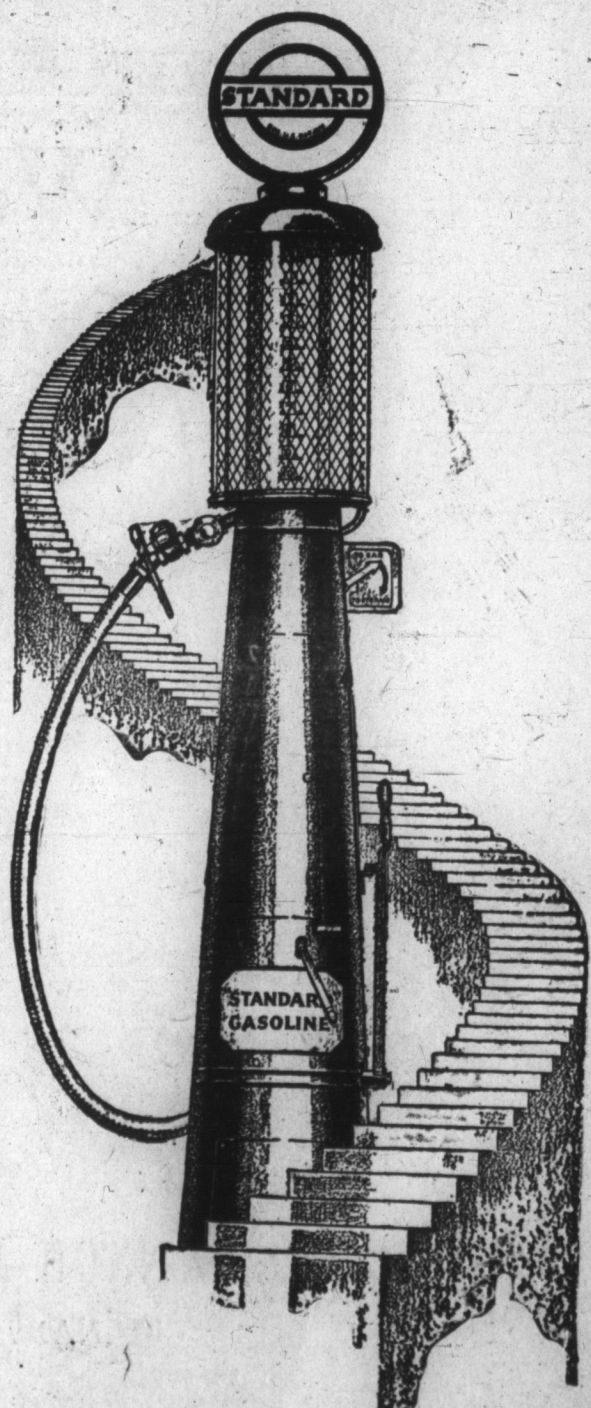
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NEWS OF WEEK IN OLD VIRGINIA

Old Veteran Called.

Front Royal, Feb. 20—Mr. Harvey Bolen died at his home near Rose Hill Park, Front Royal, February 12, about noon, of the infirmities of age.

Mr. Bolen was a Sergeant in Company D of the forty-ninth Virginia Infantry, and served throughout the war, having enlisted in the Warren Blues Company made up of Warren County people.

He was a son of the late Fielding Bolen, and had lived his entire life in Warren county, residing in the Fork District near Bennett's Chapel until shortly after the death of Mrs. Bolen, when he moved to Front Royal, where his daughter, Miss Pearl, ministered to his every need.

Flag Presentation Friday.

Newport News, Va., Feb. 21—The Virginia Society, Sons of the American Revolution, and the Sons of the Revolution in Virginia, will make a joint presentation of a flag of the State of Virginia to the United States Court in Richmond tomorrow, February 22, at 10:30 a. m., it was announced by officers of the Virginia Society, S. A. R.

The occasion will be the annual meeting of the Virginia Society, S. A. R., and other patriotic societies have been invited by W. Mac Jones, of Richmond, chairman of the committee on arrangements, to participate in the flag presentation. The address of the occasion is to be made by Erskine Buford.

Petrified Body Not Moved.

Dungannon, Feb. 20—The attempt of Andrew Davis and James Addington, of Portsmouth, Ohio, to procure

the necessary authorization to allow them to disinter the petrified body of their grandfather, John Ramey, buried in a country graveyard at Miller Yard, four miles north of here, was checked when one of the daughters of John Ramey, refused to give her consent to the opening of her father's grave.

Lynchburg Receives Deed.

Lynchburg, Feb. 20—Deed for the Federal Building here to the city, which it gives the city in exchange for the present Municipal Building site at Tenth and Church streets, was received by city officials and will be recorded.

Under provisions of the deed, the Federal government is to erect a new postoffice building within five years from July 17, 1928, when the city takes over the present postoffice building and will use it for a city hall. The government pays the city rent for the federal building from date of recordation of the deed at the rate of \$10,800 annually.

Social Work Conference.

Norfolk, Feb. 21—The executive council of the Virginia Conference of Social Work has fixed May 5, 6 and 7 for its twenty-fifth annual session to be held in Norfolk. The newly elected officers are, president, Dr. H. C. Henry, superintendent of the Central State Hospital, Petersburg; vice-presidents, H. G. Cochran, judge of the juvenile and domestic relations court of Tazewell county, and Miss May Hanks, supervisor of the Roanoke Branch of the Children's Home Society of Virginia; treasurer, Miss Louise F. Price; executive secretary, Arthur W. James, Richmond. The session of conference will begin Sunday afternoon, May 5, with a mass meeting. Regular meetings will be held morning, afternoon and evening on Monday and Tuesday, May 6 and

7. The discussions of the conference will deal principally with mental hygiene, family case work and juvenile delinquency.

Mrs. J. W. Rinker Buried.

Stephens City, Feb. 21—Funeral services for the late Mrs. J. D. Rinker were held at the home Sunday, February 10. The services were conducted by the Rev. George W. Stover, pastor of the United Brethren Church, of Winchester, assisted by the Rev. Eugene Richardson, of Reliance. A very large crowd assembled to pay their last respects to the deceased. The flowers were numerous and beautiful. Mrs. Rinker's son from Kansas City, Mo., arrived for the funeral, as well as the other children.

Airport Planned For Lexington.

Lexington, Feb. 21—Captain M. B. Corse has announced that the highway commission will send an engineer to Lexington to make soundings on the V. M. I. Cavalry Field north of town, proposed as an airport site. Preliminary estimates of the grading cost, made some time ago, were \$4,000, of which the state will furnish \$1,000. No plans have been made so far as to how the money is to be raised.

Father And Daughter Lawyers.

Danville, Feb. 21—A father and his daughter have become law partners in the adjoining county of Rockingham. Former State Senator J. M. Sharp is the senior partner of the firm and Miss Susie Sharp is associated with him under the name, Sharp and Sharp.

The father has been practicing since 1907, being a law graduate of Wake Forest College. His daughter graduated from the Reidsville, N. C., high school in 1924 and from the University of North Carolina in law on February 2.

Stonewall Jackson To Expand.

Abingdon, Feb. 21—It has been stated by officials of Stonewall Jackson College at Abingdon that a movement is under way which has as its object the expansion of the college during the next few years on a scale which would provide adequate facilities for a much larger number of girls than are now students at the institution and also which would cause the standards required for admission into the Southern Association of Colleges to be met.

Cigarette Production Large.

Richmond, Feb. 21—Virginia's production of cigarettes for 1928 is estimated at between 30,000,000,000 and 40,000,000,000, which is a high record for all time. Cigarettes made for domestic use amounted to more than 19,500,000,000, it is shown by figures furnished by J. C. Noel, United States collector of internal revenues for Virginia.

A large percentage of the cigarettes made in Richmond, the only city of the State in which cigarettes are manufactured, are bonded for export shipment and are not recorded by the internal revenue office. No figures are available for the products for foreign use.

ANOTHER COLORED VETERAN PASSES AWAY

On Sunday, February 10, was buried "Veteran" Lewis Green, having lived 84 years, six months and 24 days.

Lewis had gone with his captain into the Confederate army and spent much time nursing the sick and wounded in hospitals. After the war he came back to his old home near Cedar Mountain and for more than fifty years he was the trusted foreman of some of the best farmers of that neighborhood. He trained his children to work and also sent them to school, so that today his daughters

and grand daughters are teaching and his sons are doing well as dairymen, as farmers, as mechanics. He had also been a leader in church work for the past fifty years and seldom if ever missed a meeting at his church. For some time before his death Lewis received a pension for his services in the Confederate army.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. J. Madden, assisted by Rev. J. T. Williams and Deacons Lewis Coleman, C. B. Coleman and John Strother.

Crooked Run Church, where the funeral was held, was packed and many could not get in.—Culpeper Exponent.

FAIRFAX

F. W. Richardson, clerk of the court, is confined to his home by illness.

Mack and Allison Wiley have gone to Detroit to resume their positions with an automobile body building plant.

Roland Bennet, formerly with the engineer's office, has a position in Detroit and has left for that place.

The newly elected officers of Floris Grange were last week installed by the officers of Forestville Grange, with R. B. Nickell, master; Benjamin W. Middleton, overseer; Miss Edith Rogers, lecturer; Wilson D. McNair, treasurer; Mrs. E. M. Hessick, secretary; Holcomb Rogers, steward; Robert Keithley, assistant steward; Miss Anna Hessick, assistant lady steward; Warren M. McNair, chaplain; A. J. Cox, gatekeeper; Mrs. Maurice Stroud, Flora; Mrs. Lula Kirkpatrick, Pomona, and Mrs. C. C. Rogers, Ceres.

Treasurer Huddleson, last week, received from the Virginia school authorities a check for \$30,105.43 for the use of Fairfax county schools. The Journal \$1.50 the year in advance.

JOHN LUTHER MILLER IS LAID TO REST

Died In Garfield Hospital, Washington, Buried In Valley View Cemetery.

John Luther Miller, aged 16 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Luther Miller, of Nokesville, died in Garfield Hospital, Washington on January 15, following an illness of two weeks.

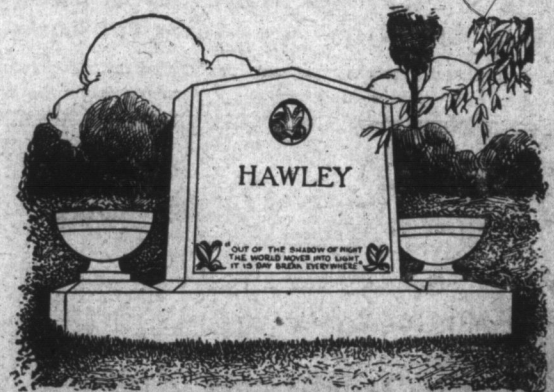
The body was brought to his home for burial and the funeral was conducted on January 17, in the Valley Church, Rev. Mr. Nolly and Rev. Mr. Early officiating. Burial was in Valley View Cemetery. The deceased was a student in the Nokesville High School and was popular with the teachers and pupils alike. Out of respect to his memory the school was closed on the day of his funeral and members of the faculty and the student body attended the rites. Floral pieces covered the grave the gifts of a host of admirers of the sterling worth of the deceased.

The pallbearers were boy chums of the deceased and were: William Swank Ray Swank, Jesse Earhart, James Earhart, George Michael and Ed. Michael.

Surviving are the parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Luther Miller and a brother, Arnold, of Washington, D. C.

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EXAMINATIONS.

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Either good or bad.

Some pupils are awful sorry,
Examination time didn't last;
Because when they found out their grades,
They found that time was all they passed.

I never minded examinations,
They never bothered me;
But those foolish questions they ask on them,
Is more than I can see.

If you ever feel too well,
And happy all around;
Try a good hard examination,
And it will turn your damper down.

They give all kinds of examination,
From History to A-B-C;
But examination N-O-N-E,
Is the one that appeals to me.

Examinations are all right I guess,
Although they are awful deep;
I can lie down on any of them,
And fall right fast to sleep.

By FRANKLIN HIBBS.

BANKERS IN NATIONAL MOVE FOR
UNIFORM FINANCIAL PRACTICES

Would Promote Greater Consistency Among All the State
Laws in Respect to Banking Conditions—Uniformity of Practice and Understanding Will Make
for Greater Convenience, Efficiency
and Safety for All Business.

By S. J. HIGH

President State Bank Division, American Bankers Association

RAPID interchange of business and the quick transportation of goods in the United States, coupled with almost instantaneous means of inter-communication by telegraph, telephone and wireless, have welded the country into an economic unit. The nation is not, in a business sense, conducting its affairs in water-tight compartments, as in a measure it did in the days of slow travel and remote places, but styles, methods, commodities and business practices flow freely today in all directions. Therefore it is desirable that finance, trade and industry throughout the country operate along generally uniform or at least consistent lines, so that a contract or an agreement or obligation in connection with business transactions shall mean virtually the same thing in all parts of the country. Particularly necessary in this connection is the establishment of uniform financial and banking practices so as to facilitate the flow of trade along accepted and understood lines.



S. J. HIGH

Banking in the United States is recognized as a semi-public type of business and is therefore subject to laws to define the scope and character of its activities. These laws at present set up a great diversity of conditions

under which banking is conducted in various parts of the country since they come from both state and federal authorities. The national banks are all chartered by the federal government and therefore operate on the same lines in every state of the Union, but there is no such regularity in respect to the conditions under which the state banks chartered by the respective forty-eight states must conduct their business. All state banking codes, while they have similarities, also have many great dissimilarities in respect both to the national bank laws and the banking laws covering state bank operations in other jurisdictions.

Bankers Move for Uniform Laws.

The State Bank Division of the American Bankers Association, which latter includes in its membership banks of all descriptions throughout the country subject to all the variations of state and federal banking laws, is committed to the effort to bring about greater consistency and uniformity among the statutes of all these various jurisdictions. This body is conducting a vigorous nation-wide campaign urging that active steps be taken to secure greater co-ordination in banking legislation, more equitable conditions and more uniformly efficient public supervision of banks in the several states.

The organization is particularly concerned with fostering this movement to bring about more uniformly desirable conditions throughout the United States in respect to the public supervision of banking institutions by the state banking departments. It is on record as favoring the policy that the important office of state bank commissioner should be kept as free from entangling partisan politics as the judiciary itself and should be completely detached from all other functions of state government.

It is also on record as favoring the policy that the tenure of office of state bank commissioners should be made more secure and lasting than is now the case in many state jurisdictions and that this important public officer be granted sufficient compensation and discretionary power so that the office shall attract and retain the services of men of outstanding executive ability and successful banking experience.

It is also a part of this policy that the bank commissioner's ability to serve well should be strengthened by providing him with adequate forces of bank examiners, selected on the basis of merit from men having the requisite qualifications of honesty, ability, training and banking knowledge to carry out the duties of their offices on the highest plane of usefulness to the public as well as to banking.

The Trend of State Laws

The Association's State Bank Division has recently concluded a nationwide survey of state banking legislation and conditions and in general has discovered a definite trend along the following lines:

There is a distinct tendency among the states to raise the minimum capital required for banking institutions to \$25,000 and also to give the bank commissioners or the banking boards sole power as to the granting of charters for new banks, thus enabling them to use discretion as to the need or desirability of added banking facilities or the fitness of the organizers to enter the banking field. In this connection many states are creating banking boards to act in an advisory capacity with the state bank commissioners.

There has also been observed a tendency to increase the compensation of the bank commissioners and to lengthen their terms of office and to give them power to appoint necessary deputies and examiners so as to build up an adequate force to carry out their responsibilities and duties. An important augmentation of the powers of

bank commissioners in some states is found in laws giving them complete charge of insolvent banks and their liquidation as distinguished from more costly liquidation through the courts

In the Public Interest

Distinctly in the public interest are laws prohibiting or limiting an officer or director of a bank from borrowing from his own bank unless his collateral security is approved by a majority of the board of directors of the bank. Also there is recent legislation noted providing for closer supervision and regulation of building and loan associations, credit unions, finance companies and private banks.

In some states measures have been enacted broadening the field for investment of funds of savings banks and trust companies, which have materially enhanced the service that these institutions can render, particularly in the way of co-operation with their customers in personal financial management. Another type of legislation, important especially to banking in view of the frequent efforts to defraud banks, is that which makes the issuance of worthless checks a misdemeanor with specific penalties.

The State Bank Division of the American Bankers Association endorses in the fullest degree in principle the development of banking laws along the foregoing lines and is actively engaged in fostering the spread of such legislation wherever its services are considered useful both to banking and to the public. Uniformly sound banking institutions and practices, together with common methods and understanding, will materially add to the convenience, efficiency and safety of business in serving the well-being of the public in all parts of the nation, especially in those transactions involving dealings between different localities.

GENERALS DROP
GAME TO SWAVELY

Local Basket Ball Team Piles
up Big Score Over W. and L.

The Swavely Basketeers had little trouble defeating Washington and Lee by a score of 47 to 27. Bassett started the scoring in the first few seconds of play when he dribbled up the floor and rang up two points for the home team. Then Beardslee and Smith began dropping them in from all over the floor, and by the time the final whistle blew the former had caged nine baskets and the latter six. Wilson kept W. and L. from scoring time after time by his blocking and checking. Bassett showed up well with a fast, but steady, passing game and Garrison's ability to "follow up" gained possession of the ball for Swavely many times.

The "Generals" scored at intervals, but after the first few minutes Swavely's lead was never endangered. Ball was their mainstay and gathered eleven points for the losers.

The line-up:
Swavely. W. & L.
Smith R. F. Goodwin
Beardslee L. F. Hines
Garrison C. Ball
Wilson R. G. Germain
Bassett L. G. McPherson
Substitutions: Swavely—Carr for Smith, Dabney for Beardslee, Beardslee for Luttrell, Luttrell for Bassett, Bassett for Luttrell, Ready for Garrison, Wetherill for Wilson, Dabney for Beardslee, Washington and Lee — Chumming for Hines, McQuin for Germain, Rosenberg for McQuin.

QUANTICO

The Salan Club met with Mrs. Fick on last Friday evening. Miss Bell, the county demonstration agent, gave examples of unusual ways of serving vegetables.

The Sewing Club met on the afternoon of February 15, at the school.

The organization meeting resulted in the election of the following officers: Alice Love, president; Frances Giracco, vice president; Janice Persons, secretary; Lily Cokinides, treasurer; Mary Kukrick, reporter; Allene Abel, song leader. Members enrolled were Alice Love, Allene Abel, Margaret Reid, Lily Cokinides, Helen Poularis, Janice Persons, Mildred Love, Gladys Pearsons, Evelyn Bourn, Louise Noblin and Frances Giracco.

The project undertaken at the meeting was the making of scarfs and ten of these were completed. The project on which members are now working is the making of pillow cases.

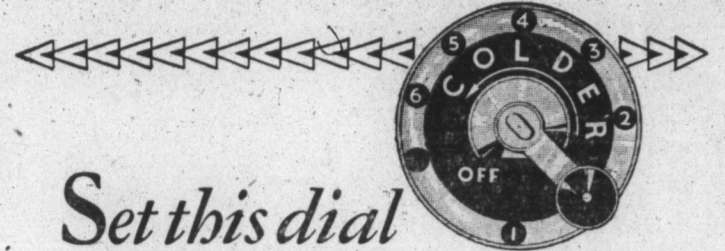
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The Famous Q-623 — Guaranteed relief for Rheumatism, Neuritis, Arthritis, Sciatica, Lumbago—is now available to all sufferers from these tortures.

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The Journal \$1.50 the year in advance.

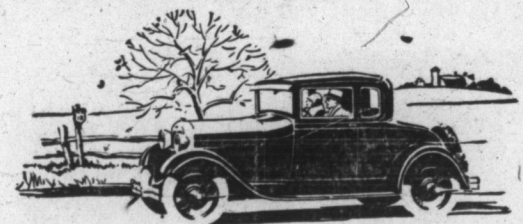


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Fuel system of the new Ford
has been
designed for reliability
and long service



THE practical value of Ford simplicity of design is especially apparent in the fuel system.

The gasoline tank is built integral with the cowl and is unusually sturdy because it is made of heavy sheet steel,terne plated to prevent rust or corrosion. An additional factor of strength is the fact that it is composed of only two pieces, instead of three or four, and is electrically welded—not soldered.

Because of the location of the tank, the entire flow of gasoline is an even, natural flow—following the natural law of gravity. This is the simplest and most direct way of supplying gasoline to the carburetor without variations in pressure. The gasoline feed pipe of the new Ford is only 18 inches long and is easily accessible all the way.

The gasoline passes from the tank to the carburetor through a filter or sediment bulb mounted on the steel dash which separates the gasoline tank from the engine.

The carburetor is specially designed and has been built to deliver many thousands of miles of good service.

Since all adjustments are fixed except the needle valve and idler, there is practically nothing to get out of order.

The choke rod on the dash acts as a primer and also as a regulator of your gasoline mixture. The new hot spot manifold insures complete vaporization of the gasoline before it enters the combustion chamber of the engine.

As a matter of fact, the fuel system of the new Ford is so simple in design and so carefully made that it requires very little service attention.

The filter or sediment bulb should be cleaned at regular intervals and the carburetor screen removed and washed in gasoline. Occasionally the drain plug at the bottom of the carburetor should be removed and the carburetor drained for a few seconds.

Have your Ford dealer look after these important little details for you when you have the car oiled and greased. A thorough, periodic checking-up costs little, but it has a great deal to do with long life and continuously good performance.



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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

I will be at the following places on dates mentioned on the posters placed in voting precincts and other points, to meet taxpayers for the purpose of receiving their returns of tangible and intangible personal property for 1929, pursuant to Section 308, Code of Virginia: Nokesville, Greenwich, Brentsville, Aden, Bristow, Independent Hill, Joplin, Dumfries, Quantico, Fayman.

I would advise taxpayers to inform themselves of the dates so that they will know on what day I will visit their district.

R. M. WEIR,

Commissioner of Revenue of Prince William County.

CANOVA

Miss Lilly Sowers, of the Woodbine School, spent the week-end at her home near Manassas.

Mrs. Joseph Wheaton is confined to her home with the "flu."

Mrs. T. L. Holmes, who has been ill, is able to be out again.

The Misses Stella and Jessie Beavers, accompanied by Miss Minnie Jones, visited Mrs. Geneva Jones this week.

Mrs. Edgar Wheaton and Miss Dolly Ennis were recent visitors to relatives in Bellington.

Miss Rowena Posey spent Thursday night at Token, as the guest of Miss Helen Cebula.

The community was shocked and grieved at the death of Mrs. S. R. Lowe.

Mrs. Sadie Posey has returned from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Beavers.

Miss Rose Ennis, of Bellington, is visiting her sister, Miss Dollie Ennis. She will later visit for some time in Alexandria.

Mrs. W. W. Wheaton was a visitor to Manassas on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Posey were Sun-

day visitors of Agnewville where they were the guests of Mr. Claude Yates.

The Misses Stella and Jessie Beavers visited their cousin, Miss Aeline Keys, in Brentsville last week.

Mrs. Joseph Wheaton has as her guests last week Mrs. Raymond Beavers, Mrs. T. Jones and Mrs. J. M. Russell.

Messrs. Walter and Willard Keys, of Brentsville, visited Mrs. and Mrs. George Beavers recently.

The Misses Zella and Rowena Posey passed Sunday in Hoadley as the guest of their cousin, Miss Undine Posey.

HOADLY

Mrs. H. C. Reid, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Simms, in Manassas, has returned home.

Mr. Carl Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Davis, of Fairfax, were Hoadly visitors during the past week.

Miss Janet Reid was the week-end guest of Mrs. Anetá Maxfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Esmond Mills and children, and Mrs. M. P. Davis and Mrs. T. A. Reid and daughter, were Manassas visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. James O. Hampton celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday anniversary last week. Joining in the celebration were his daughter, Mrs. Dean, of Alexandria; two sons of Washington, D. C.; Col. Hobart Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. George Hampton, Mr. George Hampton, Mrs. Alt, of Washington; Mrs. M. F. Davis, and Mrs. Lida Cronkite.

Mr. D. W. Posey and son, and Miss Viola Williams motored to Manassas last week.

Miss Della Fairfax was a visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lillie Milstead, on Sunday.

Mrs. B. Davis and son, Hill, of Lorton, were guests at the home of their aunt, Miss Lou Davis, recently.

HUDSON TO SPEND \$1,000,000 IN PAPERS

March and April to be Challenge Week When Every Kind of Test Will Be Made

The Hudson Motor Car Company, manufacturers of Hudson and Essex cars, will spend one million dollars in newspaper advertising during March and April, it was announced yesterday by Courtney Johnson, general sales manager of the company.

In speaking of the company the general manager pointed out that

"Hudson, largest manufacturer of 6-cylinder cars in 1928, is experiencing the greatest year in its history and this extensive campaign, the largest ever undertaken by the company, is designed to bring about even greater success to a sensationally, successful line."

The feature of the campaign will be a national "Essex Challenge Week" which will commence March 4. During the week Essex cars will undertake every kind of test to prove their right to the militant "Challenger" slogan, says the management. Tests in this vicinity will be handled under the direction of Warrenton Hudson Essex Co., assisted by P. L. Trenis

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia, entered at the December term, 1928, in the chauncery cause of Sarah G. Bettis et al v. Maurice J. Abel, et al, the undersigned commissioner of sale therein named will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as directed by said decree, on SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 1929, at 11 o'clock a.m., in front of The People's National Bank, in the town of Manassas, County and State aforesaid, those two certain tracts, or parcels, of land lying and being situated in Manassas Magisterial District, County and State aforesaid; the first tract containing 3 3/4 acres, more or less, and the second tract 5 acres, more or less, and being the same parcels of land of which John H. Abel and Amanda Abel died seized and possessed, and being the same property upon which Maurice J. Abel now resides.

Upon one of these tracts of land is located a comfortable dwelling and necessary outbuildings and will make a very desirable home.

Terms of sale: One-third cash and the residue in one and two years in equal annual payments, with interest on the deferred payment from day of sale, title to be reserved until the whole of the purchase money has been paid, or at the option of the purchaser the right is given to anticipate the deferred payments.

Upon one of these tracts of land is located the family burying ground and the property will be sold upon the condition that said burying ground, consisting of one-half acre, be reserved for said purposes with the right of ingress and egress thereto and therefrom.

THOMAS H. LION, Commissioner of Sale. I, G. G. Tyler, Clerk of the aforesaid Court, do certify that bond has been executed by Thomas H. Lion in the above entitled cause as provided by the degree aforesaid.

G. G. TYLER, Clerk. By his deputy L. LEDMAN.

and Lewis Brothers, sub agents in Prince William County.

WARRENTON

A number of game wardens and representatives of the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries were in the county Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Richard Lewis.

Mr. W. W. Ellsworth, whose lectures on literary subjects have been so favorably received in recent years, is to lecture at Stuyvesant School on Saturday evening, February 23rd, at 7:30. His topic is to be "Milton, John Bunyan, and Their Times."

Mr. Lee Travis, who closed out his furniture business last week, is having his store renovated and repaired and expects to open a first class restaurant at an early date.

Mrs. E. J. Hotchkiss is spending some time in Baltimore, Md., with Miss Margaret Sellers, whose mother died of pneumonia on Sunday.

Myrtle Lee Carter, beloved wife of James W. Carter, passed away Saturday, February 9th, at 5:30 o'clock, at her home near Rectortown. She was in her 21st year and died of double pneumonia.

Judge and Mrs. G. L. Fletcher have returned from a visit of a few days in Washington, D. C.

Poor Girl.

Arlington Bulletin — Once upon a time a bowlegged girl had a chance to hide her afflictions, but nowadays with the styles she is as much out of luck as a one-eyed man at a six-ring circus.

Much Better.

Toledo Blade — Scientists are working to create a telephone pole that will withstand the impact of a car going 45 miles an hour. It would be much better to have poles that could jump out of the way.

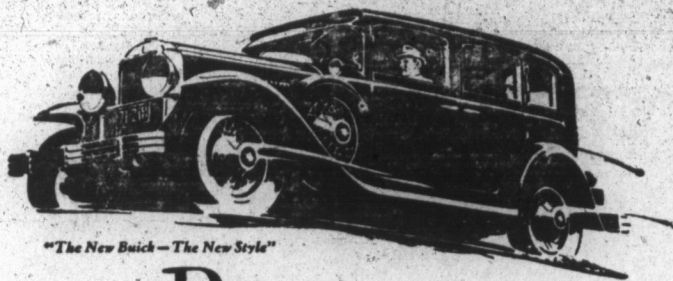
CARD OF APPRECIATION

The people of Bristow and vicinity, through the Bristow League, wish to extend to the Southern Railway a vote of thanks and appreciation for the safety signals installed at the Bristow Railway crossing this month. They also wish to thank Hon. D. M. Chichester for his individual aid and interest in obtaining these signals.

J. K. BROWN, President of Bristow League.

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