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PRINCE WILLIAM GETS \$60,000

State Highway Department Allocates Sum to Manassas-Centerville Highway.

ROAD CONSTRUCTION IN THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR

Hearings Will Be Held On Culpeper District Allocations December 9.

The State Highway Department has allocated \$60,000 to Prince William County to be spent in work on Route 28, Manassas to Centerville, according to announcement on Friday of allocations for road construction in the state during the next fiscal year.

The total of allocations made to be spent on the highways of Virginia during this period is \$12,818,260. Of the \$12,500,000 available for the state system, \$11,500,000 represents money allocated tentatively to the eight construction districts while another \$1,000,000 is the gap-closing fund, most of which will be used in Eastern Virginia this year, according to report.

The extra million results from the inclusion of the amount in the Governor's budget for the next biennium, the money being needed for paying off Robertson Act loans. The General Assembly will be asked to appropriate the same amount from the State treasury, it was explained.

Public Hearings Scheduled.

Public hearings will be held on allocations for the Culpeper District, in which Prince William County is listed, on Monday, December 16, from 9 a. m. to 11 a. m., as the allocations are tentative only, and subject to change and revision after these hearings. No hearings will be given on mileage at this meeting.

Amount Available Culpeper District. Amount available \$1,501,500.00 Refund on Robertson Act Loans 152,000.00 Amount available to project \$1,149,500.00

Route	Designation	Amount
16	Sperryville-Oringersville	\$56,600.00
17	Standardsville-West	120,000.00
19	Fork Union-Cohasset	9,000.00
21	Buckland-Warrenton	110,000.00
21	Sperryville-East	125,700.00
21	Warrenton-West	167,500.00
28	Manassas-Centerville	60,000.00
31	Gum Springs Cut-off, Snake Hill	
	Two Bridge Chappawamsic Swamp	30,000.00
32	Bridge Rappahanock River, Remington	50,000.00
32	Culpeper-Intercession Route 16	90,000.00
54	Rount Hill-Top of Mountain	110,000.00
54	Leesburg-South	7,500.00
711	Lee Boulevard	100,000.00
19	Columbia-Dixie	113,500.00

4-H CLUB LEADERS WILL MEET NEXT TUESDAY

Leaders Training School Will Be Held Next Week With Miss Mary B. Settle Here.

The 4-H Club Leaders will meet on December 3, at 11 a. m., in Manassas to go over the work for the next few months. Miss Mary B. Settle, Home Improvement Specialist, will be here and will assist in the discussions.

The leaders are: Mrs. John Seymour, Mrs. Otis Latham, Mrs. Henry F. Grill, Mrs. Mary Weber Kinchelee, Mrs. Anna Butler, Mrs. Harry Dogan, Mrs. Raymond L. Ellis, Mrs. J. F. Hale, Mrs. H. W. Curtis, Mrs. D. C. Glascock and Miss Janet Russell.

Adult Groups Wednesday.

The leaders of the adult groups will meet in the Home Demonstration Agent's office, Manassas, on December 4, at 11 a. m. At this meeting Miss Settle will give demonstrations in color in the Home and on the walls and woodwork.

The adult leaders are: Mrs. John Barrett, Mrs. Pearson, Mrs. E. W. Thompson, Mrs. M. M. DeNicola, Miss Jennie Ewell, Mrs. Stanley Kidwell, Miss Katie Boley, Mrs. John Ellis, Mrs. E. S. Hooker, Mrs. T. B. Flickinger, Mrs. E. N. Lillard, Mrs. Walter Saunders, Mrs. L. L. Lynn, Mrs. L. F. Murrell and Mrs. Annie O'Leary.

EDUCATION NIGHT AT MANASSAS KIWANIS

District Governor and Washington Kiwanians Take Charge of Program.

Harry G. Kimball, district governor of Kiwanis, and a group of Washington Kiwanians invaded Manassas on last Friday night and took charge of regular meeting, which was designated as "Education Night".

Robert A. Hutchison, vice president of the local club, presided in the unavoidable absence of President Didlake, and before turning over the gavel to Harry Kimball, made an appropriate and eloquent welcome speech.

George Mangan spoke on the subject, "What Is Kiwanis?" In his address, which was enthusiastically received, Mangan outlined the many things for which Kiwanis stands and pointed out the splendid field for achievement which lies before the local organization.

Radford Moses, past president of Washington Kiwanis, speaking on "Club Objectives" cited some of the big things which clubs had undertaken and completed in other sections of the country. Urging the local organization to increase its scope of activity this year by adding vocational education interest to its schedule, Mr. Moses declared that Manassas Kiwanis, the only active service club in Prince William, had a clear field for all of its undertakings and in nothing they did at present would there be conflict with plans of other organizations.

Miss Anna F. Kimball, soloist and choir director of Baltimore, with her gifted sister, Miss Ruth F. Kimball, of Richmond, accompanying at the piano, sang several numbers, and contributed in no small measure to the enjoyment of a splendid meeting.

MARKETING SHORT COURSE AT V. P. I.

County Agents and Farmers Will Have Opportunity to Study Plans.

In order to thoroughly acquaint the county agents and leaders of farm organizations in Virginia with the plans of the Federal Farm Board the V. P. I. extension division will hold a cooperative marketing short course at Blacksburg, December 16-21, inclusive, according to an announcement made by John R. Hutchison, director. In addition to acquainting Virginia agricultural leaders with the plans of the farm board, considerable time will be given to a discussion of year by year of the county, and its fundamental practices and principles of cooperative selling and buying.

Prominent Speakers.

A special effort has been made to secure men of outstanding ability as discussion leaders at this meeting. Some of the men who are expected to appear on the program are: Hon. James C. Stone, of the Federal Farm Board; I. W. Heaps, of the Maryland State Dairyman's Association; F. G. Ketner, of the National Livestock Producers' Association; Dr. Mordecai Ezekiel, of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics; Dean A. R. Mann, of Cornell University; A. W. McKay, of the National Division of Cooperative Marketing; Hugh S. Mackey, of the Intermediate Credit Bank of Baltimore, and Edward A. O'Neal, of the American Farm Bureau. All of these men are recognized as authorities in their particular field. Others who will take part in the discussions are the leaders of the Virginia cooperatives and farm organizations and members of the staff of the state agricultural college.

Although this meeting has been planned especially for extension workers and leaders of farmers' cooperatives, anyone interested will be welcome. A copy of the complete program may be secured by writing to John R. Hutchison, Director, Extension Division, Blacksburg, Virginia.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES AT MANASSAS CHURCHES

A Thanksgiving service will be held at Trinity Episcopal Church today at 10:30 a. m., with a brief address by the rector, Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, while at the Presbyterian Church a union service will be conducted at the same hour with Rev. Westwood Hutchison preaching the sermon.

C. F. M. LEWIS HAS MONTH'S HIGH COW

Prince William County Dairy Herd Improvement Association Had 632 Cows in November.

The November report of the Prince William County Dairy Herd Improvement Association reveals that there were 632 cows in the association, and of this total 539 were milking, while 95 were dry. The month's average for the 632 cows was 700.8 lbs. of milk, and 26.43 lbs. of fat. Eleven cows were culled from the herds and sold for beef.

C. F. M. Lewis, of Manassas, proved to be the owner of the high cow for the month under survey, his grade Holstein No. 23, averaging 1,524 lbs. of milk and 71.6 lbs. of fat.

J. F. Miller, of Nokesville, was the possessor of the high herd in fat for November, with 23 grade Holsteins and Guernseys, averaging 1,026.5 lbs. of milk and 40.63 lbs. of fat, while F. A. Lewis, again had high herd in milk with 30 grade and pure bred Holsteins recording an average of 1,033 lbs. of milk, and 35.15 lbs. of fat.

Honor Roll Cows.

J. F. Miller, Nokesville, grade Holstein, Blackie, 1,464 milk, 63.0 fat; grade Holstein, Pauline 2nd, 1,827 milk, 58.5 fat; grade Holstein, Stump, 1,470 milk, 54.4 fat; grade Guernsey, Whittie, 1,194 milk, 52.5 fat; grade Holstein, Purebred, 1,674 milk, 58.6 fat; grade Holstein, Check, 1,761 milk, 52.8 fat.

S. C. Harley, Manassas, pure bred Holstein, No. 2, 1,511 milk, 68.0 fat; pure bred Holstein, No. 9, 1,233 milk, 50.6 fat; Harley and Kline, Manassas, grade Guernsey, No. 18, 1,080 milk, 51.8 fat; grade Jersey, No. 17, 1,077 milk, 60.3 fat.

R. S. Hynson, Manassas, grade Holstein, No. 4, 1,728 milk, 63.9 fat; grade Holstein, No. 7, 1,437 milk, 57.4 fat; grade Holstein, No. 13, 1,260 milk, 52.9 fat; grade Holstein, No. 18, 1,296 milk, 55.7 fat; grade Holstein, No. 32, 1,341 milk, 51.0 fat; grade Holstein, No. 37, 1,416 milk, 63.8 fat.

C. F. M. Lewis, Manassas, grade Holstein, No. 3, 1,449 milk, 62.3 fat; grade Holstein, No. 23, 1,524 milk, 71.6 fat; pure bred Holstein, No. 24, 1,803 milk, 63.1 fat.

C. C. Lynn, Manassas, pure bred Holstein, No. 3, 1,638 milk, 60.6 fat; pure bred Holstein, No. 10, 1,362 milk; 54.5 fat; grade Holstein, Maggie, 1,722 milk, 68.9 fat; grade Holstein, No. 27, 1,713 milk, 65.5 fat; grade Holstein, Hutch, 1,425 milk, 54.2 fat; grade Holstein, Jiggs, 1,638 milk, 54.1 fat; grade Holstein, Pretty, 1,377 milk, 50.9 fat; pure bred Holstein, No. 5 G, 1,166 milk, 65.3 fat.

P. A. Lewis, Manassas, grade Holstein, Big Six, 1,773 milk, 55.0 fat; grade Holstein, Phoebe, 1,416 milk, 51.0 fat; grade Holstein, Pinky, 1,446 milk, 60.7 fat.

VIRGINIA HEALTH CONDITIONS GOOD

Dr. Ennion G. Williams, State Health Commissioner, Report On Visit to Fifteen Counties.

Richmond, Nov. 27.—That the sanitary conditions prevailing generally in the counties of Virginia are good and that the people of the counties are awakened to the value of modern sanitary methods and willingly give their cooperation to state and local officials was indicated Monday in reports made by Dr. Ennion G. Williams, state health commissioner, and Colonel Charles R. Kelley, of the health department, who returned to their offices here after visits of inspection to some 15 Virginia counties.

Dr. Williams, during the past three days, had visited eight counties located in the section of the state designated as the western sanitary section.

Dr. Williams was accompanied by the sanitary supervisor of the section, and the counties visited by him were Powhatan, Prince Edward, Charlotte, Halifax, Pittsylvania, Grayson, Henry and Bedford.

Colonel Kelly, in like manner, visited in the eastern section the counties of Greenville, Brunswick, Isle of Wight, Southampton, Nansemond, Norfolk and Princess Anna.

STATE EDUCATORS MEET IN RICHMOND

Virginia Education Association In Annual Session This Week.

RICHARD S. HAYDON ON TUESDAY'S PROGRAM

Large Delegation of Superintendents, Supervisors and Teachers In Attendance.

With a large group of delegates and visitors in attendance, the twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Virginia Education Association opened in Richmond on Monday afternoon.

On Tuesday there were meetings of the rural supervisors section; department of superintendents and department of trustees, and at night there was a joint meeting of superintendents. On Wednesday there were numerous group meetings and special sessions.

Among the large list of speakers in addition to prominent educators of the State are Willis A. Sutton, superintendent of schools, Atlanta, Ga.; Hon. Simeon D. Fess, United States Senator from Ohio; Dr. Robert O. Small, assistant state commissioner of education, Massachusetts; Mrs. Edith B. Joynes, president department of classroom teachers, National Education, and others.

R. C. Haydon Speaks.

Richard C. Haydon, superintendent of schools of Prince William County, took part in the discussions of the department of superintendents on Tuesday. His subject was "Should Married Women Teach?" and he was assigned the affirmative side of the argument, while D. E. McQuilkin had the negative.

"In preparing to discuss my subject," said Mr. Haydon, "I have consulted ten superintendents, ten teachers, ten different divisions, ten male teachers, ten female teachers, including one rural supervisor, ten male patrons of schools, ten female patrons of schools, ten school girls and ten school boys, with the tabulated result of 55 voting yes and 25 voting no."

"Since all of the individuals were selected at random, representing three states, two cities, and eleven counties, I feel," declared Mr. Haydon, "that the conclusions should have some degree of accuracy and that in a way they probably represent a fair cross-section of the groups in question. The results indicate that approximately 69 per cent of these groups taken together favored married women teaching. Taking these groups separately, 80 per cent of the superintendents, 70 per cent of trustees, 60 per cent of male teachers, 80 per cent of female teachers, 30 per cent of male patrons, 60 per cent of female patrons, 90 per cent of school boys, and 80 per cent of school girls are favorable."

NEW JUVENILE JUDGE FOR CULPEPER COUNTY

Culpeper, Nov. 27.—Mr. C. E. Reams, Jr., Culpeper and Washington attorney, has been appointed judge of the Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court of Culpeper County to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of E. E. Johnson.

Judge Reams, who is a graduate of the University of Virginia and George Washington University, has been acting as associate judge for some time. He is a World War veteran and a past commander of Culpeper Post, American Legion.

MANASSAS CHAPTER U. D. C. WILL MEET ON WEDNESDAY

The Manassas Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet on Wednesday, December 4, at 3 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Hebe Jackson, with Mesdames Jackson and Giddings as hostesses.

MRS. MAYHUGH WINS PRIZE NATIONAL CANNING CONTEST

Mrs. J. Lewis Mayhugh, of Greenwich, has just been notified that she has been awarded one of the prizes in the annual Sears-Roebuck canning contest. The contest was nation wide and there were 40,000 contestants.

METHODIST AID MEETING.

The Ladies Aid Society of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will meet with Mrs. E. K. Evans, on Thursday, December 5, at 3 p. m.

EPISCOPAL BAZAAR IN MANASSAS TUESDAY

Turkey and Oyster Dinners and Suppers Will Be Served. Fancy Articles On Sale.

The Guild of Trinity Episcopal Church will hold the annual turkey and oyster dinner and supper in Parish Hall, on Tuesday, December 3. There will be a sale of fancy articles as well as useful things which will last through the day.

This sale is eagerly awaited each year by people of the county, and it is expected that the attendance this year, both at the meals and for the sale, will be far in excess of any previous bazaar.

CONNER AGAIN ON FAIR ASSN. BOARD

Fairfax County Fair Association Reelects E. R. Conner, of Manassas To Directorate.

E. M. Palmer, of Barcroft, yesterday was re-elected president of the Fairfax County Fair Association at a meeting of the stockholders and directors. Robert Graham, of Fairfax, was re-elected secretary; Lewis Oliver, of Fairfax, treasurer, and J. W. Gaines, of Baileys Cross-Roads, vice president. John Mackall, of McLean, was re-elected assistant treasurer.

The board of directors was enlarged from 20 to 25, one vacancy being left to be filled at a later date. Directors elected were C. B. Smith, of Warrenton; A. Smith Bowman, of Sunset Hills; Ray H. Norton, of Washington; John Middleton, of Floris; H. H. Wakefield, of Annandale; O. B. Campbell, E. S. Whiting, D. M. Woodard, R. R. Buckley, Thomas R. Keith, John W. Rust and Dr. F. M. Brooks, all of Fairfax; J. W. Gaines, of Baileys Cross-Roads; C. T. Rice, of Oakton; George K. Pickett, of Groveton; Edward R. Conner, of Manassas; Melvin C. Hazen, of Washington; Fred Drew, of Washington; Franklin Williams, of Vienna; E. M. Palmer, of Barcroft; John V. Turner, of East Falls Church; Oliver Gash, of McLean, and Clifton Laughlin, of McLean.

The executive committee elected includes E. M. Palmer, R. R. Buckley, Robert Graham, John Mackall, Lewis Oliver, J. V. Turner, O. B. Campbell, Thomas R. Keith and Clifton Laughlin.

COUNTY CORN SHOW NOW BEING PLANNED

Prince William Agricultural Committee Will Hold Corn and Grain Show This Winter.

A county corn and small grain show will be held during the winter in Manassas, at a date to be announced later, by the members of the community agricultural extension committee.

It is expected that there will be shelling and utility classes for corn in addition to the regular classes for corn and small grain. A "Better Seed" program will be held in connection with the show.

The announcement is made at this time so that farmers from all parts of the county may begin making selections from their best corn now, and that each community will be well represented by exhibits at the show.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY WILL HAVE WEEK OF PRAYER

The season of prayer for foreign missions will be observed by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Manassas Baptist Church on Wednesday, December 4. The observation here will take the form of all day services which will begin at 10:30 a. m.

The Junior organization will have its program on Friday, December 6, at 7:30 p. m. All are invited to both services, according to announcement yesterday by Mrs. Frank Peters, secretary.

STATE DAIRYMEN'S ASSO. WILL MEET AT NEWPORT NEWS

The State Dairymen's Association will meet in Newport News on January 16 and 17, 1930. This will be an important meeting and members of the Prince William County Dairy Herd Improvement Association and others interested in dairying should endeavor to arrange to attend.

SUPERVISORS IN SESSION TUESDAY

Much Business Transacted And Many Accounts Approved For Payment.

SEVERAL FORDS DEEMED USELESS WILL BE CLOSED

Report On District Home By Special Committee Will Be Discussed At Future Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Prince William County was held on Tuesday in the Court House with the following members present: James R. Larkin, chairman; J. Lindsay Dawson, Rolfe Robertson, D. E. Earhart, J. W. Merchant, and C. R. Earhart.

Numerous accounts were examined and approved and payment allowed out of the County funds.

Allowed From Road Funds.

Bills allowed on Brentsville District Road Fund totaled \$1,018.07; Coles District, \$346.85; Dumfries District, \$436.71; Manassas District, \$1,017.63; Gainesville District, \$396.64.

One thousand dollars from the one cent gas tax was awarded for the Brentsville District Road fund for the Nokesville-Catlett road.

Mrs. Mary C. Miller, an inmate of the District Home, recently deceased, left an estate valued at from \$500 to \$800 to her daughter, Victoria L. Hensley, and a committee consisting of James R. Larkin and J. L. Dawson, was appointed to interview Miss Hensley and ascertain her views with reference to application of the estate to payment of maintenance of Mrs. Miller while at the Home.

D. E. Earhart, Rolfe Robertson, James R. Larkin, J. W. Merchant, J. L. Dawson and C. R. Earhart appointed a committee from the Board of Supervisors to confer with the National Counties Planning committee in Washington on December 12.

James R. Larkin and Rolfe Robertson were designated as delegates to attend the meeting of the Association of Virginia Counties which will be held in Richmond on Tuesday, December 3.

Report On Fords.

H. L. Tubbs, county superintendent roads, who had been appointed to examine into the necessity for keeping certain fords and roads open made his report to the Board which included the following recommendations.

Sinclair's Mill across Occoquan Run; Reeves Ford across Broad Run; Bridwell's Ford across Cedar Run and ford over Slaty Run, between Brentsville and Aden; County road from Darlin's gate to the Run in Manassas magisterial district, and so much of county road in Cole's District, leading to said ford as would be flooded by a dam built at Bland's Ford Bridge, be abandoned.

Road leading from Sinclair's Mill ford to Brentsville-Independent Hill road be abandoned; Bridwell's ford, together with so much of road leading thereto in the Brentsville District, from entrance to Joseph Smith's property, be abandoned.

Reeves Ford—it was recommended that it is not practical to abandon this road, nor was it deemed practical to abandon the ford across Slaty Run, between Brentsville and Aden.

The Board loaned \$1,000 to the Brentsville Road Fund to be charged to Nokesville-Catlett road, the amount to come out of one cent gas fund.

State Treasurer forwarded \$1,712.03 to County Treasurer, as Prince William's share in one and one half cent gas tax.

COUNTY HOMEMAKERS MEET AT STONE HOUSE

Will Have Lunch and Enjoy a Special Program on December 6.

The regular meeting of the Prince William County branch of the Virginia Homemakers will be held at Stone House Tea Room, on December 6, at 1:30 p. m. Lunch will be served at a nominal charge, and those expecting to attend should notify Miss Mary Bell, county home demonstration agent, not later than Monday.

An interesting program will be given with the outstanding feature being the telling of Christmas stories by Miss Kate Lenoir. Miss Lenoir is a student at the Anne Tilley Benschaw School of Speech, and a member of the Washington Story Tellers' League. Everybody is invited.

NEWS OF WEEK IN OLD VIRGINIA

Old Zion Pastor Leaves.

Fairfax, Nov. 26.—Rev. William C. Marshall, who for the past six years has been rector of Old Zion Church here, and of the Episcopal Churches at Vienna and Burke, preached his last sermon and bid farewell to his congregations on Sunday, November 24, and on Monday, with his family, left for Bedford City to take charge of the Episcopal Church there. Mr. Marshall took with him the best wishes of everyone, for he has endeared himself to members of other denominations, as well as his own, during his stay here, and his leaving is much regretted.

It is stated that for the present, students from the Seminary will conduct services in the three churches, but it is understood Bishop Tucker will come here shortly to confer with the vestries of the churches regarding the calling of another minister.

Apple Grade Regulations.

Staunton, Nov. 27.—T. B. Byrd, president of the Virginia State Horticultural Society, has called a meeting of the board of directors of that society and of all interested growers for the purpose of discussing the advisability of any changes in the present apple grade regulations. The meeting is to be held in the ballroom of Hotel Roanoke, Monday night, December 2, at 7:30. It was arranged at this time and place for the convenience of growers generally throughout the State, as the annual meeting of the Horticultural Society convenes next morning, at 10 o'clock, in Roanoke.

W. & L. Honor Roll.

Lexington, Nov. 26.—Nine Virginians are among the 39 Washington and Lee University students who were today given awards for distinction in the scholarship when the honor roll of the institution was made public.

The honor roll is composed of those students making an average of 90 per cent in the mid-semester or semester reports.

The Virginians who are included in the list are: Morris W. Adelson, Covington; Robert W. Collier, Roanoke; Edward S. Graves, Lynchburg; William M. Hinton, Lexington; William D. Hoyt, Jr., Lexington; Luther W. King, Prospect; William T. Martin, Bristol; Medford G. Ramsey, Lexington; and Edward Riley, Lexington.

Golden Wedding Anniversary. Remington, Nov. 26.—A celebration of much interest to Remington and community was held on Sunday, November 17, at "Layton Stone", the colonial home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Martin, near Remington, where a dinner was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Z. M. P. Foster marking their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

It was in the same old historical mansion at "Layton Stone" that Mr. and Mrs. Foster were married on November 13, 1879, and Sunday's occasion recalled most vividly to their minds the ceremony of fifty years ago.

Milk Bottles Fly.

Harrisonburg, Nov. 26.—Fighting with milk bottles in the county jail shortly before midnight Monday night will add sixty days to the sentence of "Bill" Simmers, who recently received eighteen months in the penitentiary of burglary. The extra sixty days was added to "Bill's" sentence by Judge Byerly in a court session held in the jail.

Sheriff Fawley was aroused Monday by noise in the cells where the prisoners were sleeping. He went there and found Simmers engaged in a fight with Charles Cessaire, another prisoner. Other prisoners said Simmers was the instigator of the row, and he caught the sentence.

New Game Sanctuary.

Gordonsville, Nov. 27.—"Inverness

Farm," near Gordonsville, comprising approximately 250 acres, and owned by Barton H. Cameron, has, through sanction of the owner, been converted into a state game sanctuary, the purpose being to supply a haven of refuge into which game and wild birds of all kinds can retreat and be at rest at all times in the hope that the increase of these creatures, secured through absolute protection, will overflow into the surrounding territory, where it may be taken under the provisions of the existing laws of Virginia. The preserve will also include an eight-acre lake now under process of construction.

Virginia-Carolina Doctors.

Newport News, Nov. 26.—The 34th annual session of the Seaboard Medical Association of Virginia and North Carolina will be held here December 3, 4 and 5.

Among the high spots on the program will be remarks by Dr. Cyrus Thompson, of Jacksonville, N. C.; "Nursing as a Vocation," by Dr. J. Allison Hodges, of Richmond, Va., president-elect of the Medical Society of Virginia, who is a native North Carolinian; "The Doctor as a Moral Leader in the Community," Dr. Howard A. Kelly, of Baltimore, Md., an honorary fellow of the association; "The Management of a State Hospital," by Dr. Albert Anderson, Raleigh, N. C.; "Pneumonia," Dr. James C. Flippin, dean of medicine of the University of Virginia; "Chronic Pelvic Inflammatory Disease," Dr. David T. Layton, Jr., Washington, N. C., and "Bromide Psychosis," Dr. Mallory S. Andrews, of Norfolk.

Quota Falls Short.

Norfolk, Nov. 26.—Norfolk failed by \$34,074.44 to raise her goal of \$262,982 for support of 34 agencies that go to make up the Norfolk fund. At the final meeting the total climbed to \$228,907.56, or 81.1 per cent of the amount decided on as the irreducible minimum. The women's division raised \$63,837.75, or 106.6 per cent of the amount asked of them.

CATCH HIM EARLY IN PRINCE WILLIAM

Fly Breeds Disease. We Must Break Up Their Breeding Places.

If Prince William is to rid herself of the filth-borne, fly-borne diseases that afflict our rural districts particularly, she must catch and kill the house fly early and late,—she must swat him inside the house, trap him outside the house, and break up his breeding places everywhere.

It is a well known fact that typhoid, dysentery, diarrhea, summer complaint and other diseases are spread by (1) unsanitary toilets, (2) unsafe drinking water, and (3) flies. Every indication points to the conclusion that infantile paralysis is also spread by these unsanitary conditions, as well as by spray from nose and mouth of carriers of this disease. Virginia had 278 cases of infantile paralysis during this last fly season.

If an army had invaded our State each year and killed or crippled thousands of our children, no greater disaster would have occurred than we carelessly permit to continue by our neglect to make wrong sanitary conditions right. Infantile paralysis germs, typhoid germs, diarrhea, dysentery and summer complaint germs are an invisible army and therefore more deadly in their secret work. Nor can any home rest secure upon the knowledge that their own conditions are correct. In this day of close contacts at school, at church, at public meeting places, on the street, it is impossible to build a wall of protection about our homes—we must help educate and sanitize other homes, our county, our city, and our State in order to secure real protection for our own home.

Prince William, therefore, will not rest content until there is not even one unsanitary toilet, until all drinking water is safe, until flies and other unnecessary evils are eliminated from one end of our county to the other.

FRANCHISE TAX IS RECOMMENDED

Fee On All Buses Operating In Cities of State Is Sought.

A State franchise tax on all buses operating in the cities of Virginia, similar to that now levied on street railway companies for the purpose of making uniform the tax on buses and which would mean an additional \$50,000 revenue to the State, is the chief recommendation of a report made yesterday by William J. Stauffer, head of the research department of the State Tax Commission to the State Corporation Commission.

A franchise tax upon city bus operation is necessary in order to make bus taxation uniform throughout the State, the report states. The recommendation is being considered along with several other proposals of the document by the State Corporation Commission, and may be used wholly or in part, it was intimated, as a supplement to the Corporation Commission's report on motor vehicle transportation in Virginia, which is now being prepared for submission to the next General Assembly.

Many changes to simplify tax levying methods now in vogue with reference to bus operation are recommended by Mr. Stauffer. One of these concerns the removal of the present seating capacity mileage tax, and the suggestion that buses be taxed on the same basis as private automobiles, or on weight at the rate of 70 cents per hundred pounds, and that there be an additional road tax of 1½ per cent of gross receipts. This particular

Now Millions More Stop "Dosing" Colds

Better External Treatment Wins New Users All Over the World

Every year since the introduction of Vicks VapoRub, more and more people have given up the old-fashioned way of "dosing" colds and turned to this modern external method. Today, the whole trend of medical practice is away from needless "dosing."

Mothers of young children especially appreciate Vicks because there's nothing to swallow, and, of course, nothing to upset delicate stomachs. Just rubbed on, its medicated vapors are released by the heat of the body and inhaled direct to the inflamed air-passages. At the same time Vicks acts through the skin like a poultice or plaster, "drawing out" tightness and soreness.

Year by year, the fame of Vicks has spread from neighbor to neighbor and from state to state, until now it is used for the colds of adults as well as children in over 60 countries.

The ever-growing demand for this modern method of treating colds is shown in the familiar Vicks slogan. Made famous when Vicks reached "17 Million Jars Used Yearly," later raised to "21 Million," these figures are again being changed, as there are now "Over 26 Million Jars Used Yearly"—in the United States alone.

NOKESVILLE

John Harley, E. C. Spitzer, and M. J. Shepherd have returned from their annual hunting trip to the mountains and as evidence that they were hunting exhibited several wild turkeys, other birds, and a huge wild cat.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wilkins and Willard, are spending the week-end with their daughters in Norfolk.

Mrs. L. M. Gray, who has been visiting for a few days in Washington, returned here yesterday.

Mr. J. A. Hooker was a Manassas visitor on Tuesday.

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THINGS OF THE SOIL

The Manassas Journal's Complete Agricultural Service
By DAN VAN GORDEE

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.

PREPARING FOR WINTER.

Although winter usually rings down his curtain on outdoor activities in lawn and garden during November, yet there are many little duties that will aid in bringing a few more of the luxuries of summer into the unproductive cold season and hastening the first appearing blooms, vegetables and fruits in the spring.

Chief among the privileges that come to every resident, both city and rural, is the opportunity to provide protection for birds about the premises. This involves little expense and labor and yields untold returns. Not only do these feathered friends add a note of cheer to the days when most songsters have migrated to warmer regions, but the few birds that can be attracted and protected will help to reduce the menace of fruit and vegetable insects that annually take a heavy toll from the nation's food crops. In fact, since the marked reduction in bird life, entomologists have noted an increase in the number and varieties of destructive plant and fruit pests. Unless citizens awaken to their duties in the protection of birds this increase of insect life is sure to continue.

A sheltered nook should be provided where the birds may be given bits of suet, meat scraps, crumbs, grain and other food. These should be placed out of the reach of cast and replenished daily so the birds will develop a dependence on the supply. Bird houses should also be provided for their use. This is an economic as well as a civic duty.

If a few days of favorable weather arrive there is time to plant a few sweet peas. Many gardeners find excellent results from late planted seed. Well drained beds should be provided and seed purchased that is known to be suited to winter or early spring planting. Early blooms in the spring will reward the grower. Fertilizers may be added after the plants begin to develop foliage in the spring and soil is dried out.

Where fruit trees are damaged by rabbits in localities where these animals constitute a pest, wire nettings or other effective means of protection should be employed. This is usually better than running the risk to other animals by setting poisoned baits. The protective netting should be high enough that the snow will not afford the rabbits means of reaching above the screen.

Rhubarb, that health-giving and luscious adjunct of the dining table, may be forced by planting the roots indoors during winter. Before the ground freezes the roots may be removed and reset in some sheltered place like a cellar, basement or similar location where a temperature of 45 to 50 degrees can be maintained for a few weeks, after which a temperature of 65 degrees is possible. The roots should be set in moist garden soil. By this method it is possible to have excellent home grown rhubarb during the entire winter and

spring until next season's crop develops in the garden. Cold frames can be utilized to grow lettuce, radishes and many other small vegetables long after winter arrives.

Pumpkins may be kept until spring by covering the blossom and stem ends with a heavy coating of paraffin and storing them in an even temperature in the cellar. Beets and carrots can be kept for long periods by burying them in sand in the cellar. Cabbage can be covered with some soil in the garden and used late into the winter months. Home grown supplies of celery can be kept outdoors by covering with an extra amount of earth. The freezing temperatures of winter impart often a superior flavor and tenderness. Of course, modern shipping and storage methods have made possible fresh fruits and vegetables for the home even in far northern areas, but there yet remains the zest of home grown products to reward the grower who thwarts Jack Frost by meeting the demands of various vegetables for proper storage requirements.

Rose cuttings can be planted outdoors as long as weather permits by protecting them with glass jars around which soil is ridged to keep out the cold. The cutting should have at least two or more eyes or buds in the ground and two or more above the ground. Some sand should be placed in the bottom of the trench to insure proper drainage. The cuttings should be inspected occasionally so that those that die can be replaced in order that the planting plans will not be interrupted by vacant places in the spring. Cuttings of spirea and other shrubs can be made by this method.

Many housewives complain that geraniums fail to bloom and lose their leaves during the winter months. This is usually due to too much watering, insufficient sunlight, and too much heat. Fresh air must be supplied to indoor geraniums. There should be no curtains at the windows to keep out the sun's rays. And watering should be restricted to the actual needs of the plant. When they are ready to repot, they should be cut back closely and set in the same size pot or a smaller one.

Care should be taken that the strawberry bed is provided with the right amount of mulch for winter. About an inch after it is settled is enough. Don't apply the mulch until all danger of warm days is past. Strawberry mulch is not to keep out the cold entirely, but to maintain an even temperature around the roots of the plants.

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One way to solve this problem is to add a dash of granulated sugar to the water in which these vegetables are cooked. It not only enhances and develops the flavors of these vegetables themselves, but it also increases their food value.

Try These

Carrot Boats with Spinach: Cook even sized carrots until tender in boiling, salted water with a dash of granulated sugar. Drain. Cut in halves lengthwise if very large. Scoop out centers of the halves and

sprinkle the cavities with salt. Heat a can of spinach, season well with salt, pepper, butter, a little lemon juice or vinegar, and also a dash of granulated sugar. Then pile the spinach in the carrot boats. Stick a potato chip in one end to simulate a sail, or garnish with a sprig of parsley.

Spinach and Beet Mold: Cook a can of spinach with a dash of sugar. Drain, season well with butter, salt and pepper and pack while hot into a buttered ring mold. Keep hot while preparing the beets. Heat canned beets in their own liquor with a dash of sugar. Drain, chop and season well with butter, salt and pepper. Turn the spinach-mold out onto a hot, round platter and fill the center with the beets. You may sprinkle chopped, hard-cooked eggs over the spinach ring.

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"Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord."

A NEW ENGLAND VIEW.

One view of the political effect of the exposure of Senator Bingham's connection with the Manufacturers' Association of Connecticut in the making of secret high tariff rates is cogently expressed by Ex-Governor Alvan T. Fuller, of Massachusetts, upon his return from abroad:

"I should say," said the Ex-Governor, "that Senator Bingham's dilemma in being discovered in such intimate association with those seeking tariff concessions would automatically eliminate several budding candidates in Massachusetts."

"I am sure the people in Massachusetts will realize what a blow Bingham's exposure was to New England interests and the wisdom and necessity of nominating for the office of Senator one who is independent of the interests seeking concessions, and fair and unprejudiced and uncontrolled."

EUROPEAN NAMES AND AMERICAN TOWNS.

If our American pioneers had deliberately named their towns and cities with the purpose of making future travelers from Europe feel at home, they could scarcely have succeeded any better than they have by distributing Old World namesakes to satisfy their own sentimentality. There are, for instance, no less than seven Venices in the United States, according to a bulletin of the National Geographic Society, just issued. They are in the states of California, Florida, Illinois, Louisiana, Missouri, Ohio and Utah. The real Italian name, Venezin, has been given to an Arizona community. Thirteen American cities are titled Naples, after Italy's Napoli, and six states claim a Belgrade, corresponding to the Yugoslavian capital, Belgrad.

A queer complication regarding these cities has arisen since geographic boards in most European countries have made official decisions on the correctness of the names. Strasburg, since France's ownership of Alsace, has become Strasbourg; must the eight Strasburgs in America insert an extra letter in their names? Coincidentally, our nine Smyrnas would have to submit to the new Turkish spelling and change to so many Izmirs. The capital of Norway dropped the name, Christiania, for the ancient version, Oslo, but here we have the edge on the Old World, for Minnesota had her Oslo long before the change took place. Texas, the bulletin points out, has a tendency to adopt the correct, original spelling of its European namesake towns, and harbors within its borders a Roma and a Milano. Wisconsin and Missouri have never settled a long mooted question as to whether the former's Belgium or the latter's Belgique is correct. If inhabitants of towns such as these actually become

stirred up in a meticulous zeal for propriety, there will be endless confusion and adjustments. Imagine, for instance, throwing off the map the comparatively simple Flushing, New York, for its proper Dutch original, Vlissingen!

MORE JUICE FOR LESS MONEY.

Domestic electric rates in the United States have declined 11 per cent since 1926. During the same period standards of service, in most localities, have been materially improved.

Mass production and distribution has effected more efficient and economical service. Rate reduction has become a matter of policy with many great companies. As prices decrease, use of electricity is stimulated. The average home today uses more electricity than ever before and pays less for it.

It is hoped that the ultimate product of mass generation and distribution of electric power will be a service that will penetrate to the farthest reaches of rural America—when the village and the metropolis, the farm and the factory, the country cottage and the city apartment, will all receive identical service at a low cost.

Press Comment

Brilliant Thought.

The Washington Post.—The entire village of Eliza, Ill., is for sale to the highest bidder. Can't a local philanthropist be found to buy it in and turn it over to the congressional group that would make Washington the testing block for all fool laws?

Are There Some Others?

Atlanta Constitution.—This would probably be a better country if we heard more about the seventeen amendments and less about the eighteenth.

Heaven Forbid!

Detroit Free Press.—The discovery that hash contains vitamins will probably lead eventually to the discovery that it was George Washington's or Abraham Lincoln's favorite dish.

Ho, Hum.

Liberal News.—Columnists poked just as much fun at the hobble skirts, the bustle and the hoop skirt, in their day, as they do now at the short skirts and bare legs. As far as the women are concerned the difference is somewhat wider spread. Then they suffered both from the garments and the jokes, now they are annoyed only by the columnists.

What's the Delay?

Milwaukee Journal.—Up to press time no one had blamed the Wisconsin bank robberies on the repeal of the State prohibition law.

Yeah?

Boston Transcript.—An Indian girl who participated in a Western beauty contest was "Pretty Bear."

Hard On Dad.

The Washington Post.—Citizen of Florida devises a way to use a rocking chair to generate power to run a fan, churn, sewing machine, etc. The invention ought to provide a way to get a little work out of father.

Weeds.

Louisville Times.—Little did our grandparents think the day would ever come when widow's weeds would be cigarettes.

Father's Setback.

Philadelphia Inquirer.—A banker says a college education sets a man back three or four years, and any man with a son in college will subscribe to that.

Practice On Him.

Louisville Courier-Journal.—In drying up Washington care should be taken not to overlook Senator Heflin.

Comment Is Superfluous.

Indianapolis Star.—Senator Brookhart promised to "tell all" he knew, and it only took him about 15 minutes.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FOR DECEMBER 1, 1929.

The International Sunday School Lesson for December 1 is, "Some Social Teachings of the Bible: The Christian Home in a Modern World"—Luke 2:40-52.

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS.

God had only one son; and He sent Him into an artisan's home for His childhood training.

Oldest and latest and divinest of all human instincts is that which turns toward a home.

Writers rail at the city's babyless apartment houses, and at "economically independent" wives; but these do not really represent the mood of our modern times. Still, as forever, normal women and normal men—who, thank God, are the great majority of mankind, even though they may be less noisy than the "liberal" few—covet for themselves their own roof-trees and firesides, with little children playing about.

If she were to lay aside her pose for a moment of sincerity, the "career"-mad college girl, and her sister in the musical comedy chorus, would rather powder a baby's pink skin than their own noses. Good took care of that when he planted the deepest instincts in the life of the race.

What every woman knows, in her heart of hearts, is that there is more real happiness in singing lullabies to her own baby than in singing Italian operas to the diamond horseshoe in the Metropolitan Opera House. In the words of Swinburne:

"All the bells of heaven may ring,
All the birds of heaven may sing,
All the wells on earth may spring,
All the winds on earth may bring
All sweet sounds, together;
Sweeter far than all things heard,
Hand of harper, tone of bird,
Sound of woods, at sundown stirred,
Welling water's winsome word,
Wind in warm, warm weather."
—the laughter of a child.

Humanity has advanced in many non-essential aspects; but we are still one with the cave man in protecting, cherishing and loving our own family and home above all else.

New York's Sky-Line.

Some persons are growing a bit impatient of New York's world-famous sky-line as the symbol of the civilization of this western continent. Towering building and rabbit-warren apartment houses are not really representative of the life of the New World. Most of us live in single-family houses, which we own. The percentage of apartment-dwellers is really small. We have our own yards, wherein the children play, and our own gardens and our own cellars, with furnace chores for father and the boys. In the average home mother still does the housework herself. Family life remains the normal thing, and the sweetest fruit of our civilization.

As a matter of fact, the radio has helped stem the recent drift away from the home; for it brings the whole world's beguilements and interests to the fireside. Television will soon be doing the same for visual entertainment and events. And the great facts of religion are playing a proportionate part in this new and Providential projection of the outside world into the average home. This is the modernization of the transmission of truth and family traditions by parent to child.

Is It Well With the Child?

Let the tides of the times rise or fall; let science heap undreamed largesse of many inventions into the lap of humanity; let new philosophies come or go, the truth abides that the love of man and woman for each other, and the supreme devotion of both to their offspring, are the one constant and paramount factor in this changing world. The home always has been, and always will be, the central and normal unit of society, and the greatest single influence in shaping character and destiny.

To build a happy, wholesome home is a greater feat than to make eloquent speeches or write great books. And its rewards are the most immediate and desirable. In the home is righteousness best buttressed and patriotism and international good will made vital. The short cut to "social service" is a real home where concern for others is in the atmosphere. Religion relies upon the home before ever it depends upon the church. All the great goals of character are determined in the home.

Mr. R. E. Magill, of Richmond, has sent me the outline of a plan for "Accredited Christian Homes", which they are trying out in Grace-Covenant Presbyterian Church, and promoting generally, in an unorganized way. As we now have standards for

everything else under the sun, it is proposed to set up as a standard for "Accredited Christian Homes", these four points, which not a few families in Richmond have already accepted:

- (1) Family Worship, regularly maintained.
- (2) Parents assisting children in the study of Sunday School Lessons.
- (3) At least one parent must accompany children to Sunday School.
- (4) At least one parent must accompany children to at least one church service on Sunday.

A Famous Cartoon.

A few evenings ago I talked with a friend whose husband had been away for a year, fighting a battle for life, and winning it; so that he is back again in his own home. My friend's face was radiant with new health, happiness and peace, and I scarcely needed to hear her words to know her message: "We are so happy! We have learned that money, and all the other things that used to worry us, do not count at all. This year has taught us what really is worth while." Faced with the loss of life's dearest, and of the home which he had made and which would not be a home without him, that woman had learned to appraise correctly life's real values. She now understands the Scripture, "He setteth the solitary in families."

Need it be said to the sometimes hectic "younger generation" that the man and woman who have established a home, and who have reared children in an atmosphere of love and of righteousness, have been a real success, even though their names have never been in print, and even though they have never had a balance of a hundred dollars in the bank? Contrariwise, the man who has made millions, and seen his home and his children go to ruin, is a worse failure than any bankrupt.

Most famous of all the cartoons of the popular newspaper artist Webster, is a simple picture of two pioneers, wearing coonskin caps, meeting at a backwoods crossroads in Kentucky, and exchanging news. The cartoon is entitled "Hardin County, 1809", and the point of it is in the colloquy:

"Any news down t' th' village, Ex-ry?"

"Well, Squire McLean's gone t' Washin'ton t' see Madison swore in; an' ol' Spellman tells me this Bonaparte Fella has captured most o' Spain. What's new out here, Neighbor?"

"Nuthin' a tall, nuthin' a tall, 'cept for a new baby down t' Tom Lincoln's. Nuthin' ever happens out here."

That "new baby", born in Tom Lincoln's log cabin, was Abraham Lincoln!

The Grip That Never Lets Go.

Young parents seldom realize the indelible lines they are engraving upon the imaginations and memories of their children; the awesome pride of girls and boys in father and mother. That is well, for otherwise they would be self-conscious, and therefore unreal and ineffective. What father used to say—his jokes, his reminiscences, his recital of his day's experiences, his reverence for God and God's sure truth and justice, his spirit of honor and of patriotism;—and what mother used to do—her housewifely ways of neatness, her exaction of implicit obedience, her special creations that appeared on the dinner table upon high occasions; her favorite hymns, with which she sang the baby to sleep; her stories and her favorite books—these are the life-influences that all the colleges and universities cannot match.

This grip of home upon impressionable hearts never relaxes. A man may wander into "the far country"; he may rise high or fall low, but he cannot escape these early memories. All of the great and lasting values of life hark back to earliest home influences. It was a Catholic priest, Father John B. Tabb, who wrote, with beautiful understanding, some lines which he called "An Idolater":

"The baby has no skies
But mother's eyes;
Nor any God above,
But mother's love.
His angel sees the Father's face,
But he the mother's, full of grace;
And yet the heavenly kingdom is
Of such as this."

Small Comfort.

Cincinnati Enquirer.—The little gold digger may prove an expensive luxury as a wife, but one thing sure is that she'll never keep her home so natty clean and neat that her bank account will be afraid to smoke in it.

CHUCKLES

Believe It or Not.

A woman timidly entered the theatrical manager's office.

"Well!" shouted the great man, "what's your specialty? Let's hear you sing."

The woman hesitated, then quaveringly struggled through the first verse of "Annie Laurie."

"Rotten!" was the verdict. "You can't sing."

"I never said I could, and now, if you've finished, I'll clean the office. That's what I came in for."—Pearsons.

A Real Linquett.

"I speak four languages," boasted the doorman of a hotel in Rome to an American guest, "Italian, French, English and American."

"But English and American are the same," protested the guest.

"Not at all," replied the man. "If an Englishman should come up now, I should talk like this: 'Oh, I say, what extraordinarily shocking weather we're having! I dare say there'll be a bit of it ahead.' But when you came up I was just getting ready to say: 'For the love of Mike! Some day, ain't it? Guess this is the second floor, all right!'"—Youth's Companion.

High Expectations.

Irate Diner: "Look here, waitress, there's not a particle of turtle in this turtle soup."

Waitress: "Well, what of it? We have cabinet pudding, but you wouldn't expect to find Mr. Mellon in it, would you?"—Epworth Herald.

Daddy Knew.

The Pastor: So God has sent you two more little brothers, Dolly?

Dolly (brightly): Yes, and he knows where the money's coming from; I heard daddy say so.—Missouri Pacific Lines.

Tough On Mike.

Barber: "Haven't I shaved you before, sir?"

Customer: "No—I got those scars in France."—Exchange.

Prevaricating Papa.

Proud Parent (who served in the A. E. F.): And that which I have just told you, son, is the story of my experiences in the World War.

His Son: But, papa, what did they need the rest of the army for?—Exchange.

Knew Her Bones.

Teacher: "Now, Dorothy, tell me how many bones there are in your body."

Dorothy: "Two hundred and eight."

Teacher: "That's not right. There are only two hundred and seven."

Dorothy (with great delight): "But I swallowed a fishbone this morning!"—Christian Advocate.

Rare Specimen In Zoo.

An obscure poet took his wife and his eight children to the zoo. The children had made repeated demands to see the elk, so the poet pleaded with the man at the turnstile.

"I'm a poet," he said, "and I have a wife and eight children. Can we get in to see the elk without paying the full price?"

The man at the turnstile craned out of his little box.

"Half a moment," he said. "You are a poet. That is your wife and those are your eight children, and you want to have a look at the elk?"

"Exactly!" said the poet.

"If you wait a second," said the man, "I'll fetch the elk along to have a look at you."—Tit-Bits.

Posted On Bears.

She was visiting a certain zoo and gathering as much information about the animals as was possible in one short afternoon.

"Are these bears carnivorous?" she inquired of a keeper who happened to be standing near.

"Well," replied the keeper slowly, "they were when they arrived, mum, but they've been all right since we cleaned 'em down with carbolic!"

Who Pays Its Taxes?

Outdoor America.—The most distinguished tree in the United States is a tree that owns itself. It is a white oak tree in Athens, Ga. No one can buy or sell it. No one owns the land on which it stands rooted. The man who owned the tree left this provision in his will. "In consideration of the great love I bear for this and the great desire I have for its protection for all time, I convey to its entire possession of itself and all land on eight feet of the tree on all sides."

Plenty of Hogs.

Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.—The fossil skeleton of a hog 7 feet high has been found in Nebraska. Sometimes the modern road variety appears even bigger than that.

KITCHEN AT KENMORE MAY BE RESTORED

Kenmore Is Old Home of Betty Fielding Lewis, Sister of George Washington.

Fredericksburg, Nov. 28.—Proposed plans for the rebuilding of the old kitchen building to the north of Kenmore Mansion here have been found to conform with the original foundations by workmen excavating on the site. Kenmore is the old home of Betty Fielding Lewis, sister of George Washington, and is redolent with memories of the first American President.

The contractors uncovered in the course of excavating an irregular brick foundation. Upon examination and study of this old brick work, it was very clear that this was the foundation of an inside chimney with a large fireplace opening into one room and a smaller one into a second room. The first would have been the kitchen and the second the cook's room.

This plan of the old chimney conforms in every detail with the proposed plans for the rebuilding of the kitchen. The location of this foundation is almost identical with the location of the restoration work and the location of the kitchen to the east and the smaller cook's room to the west will conform with an old plan that has been uncovered.

The entire construction cost of the new kitchen building will probably be under \$12,000. The Kenmore Association is also considering the repairing and restoring of Kenmore Mansion and architects are making necessary plans for the work.

BETTY CROCKER WILL RADIO ON XMAS COOKING

Betty Crocker will devote the first two lessons in the winter term of her Radio Cooking School of the air to Christmas preparations. This winter term begins Thursday, December 12, with a lesson on baking Christmas cookies. For several years Betty Crocker has been advocating kitchen-made Christmas presents, and in this lesson she will give recipes for old-fashioned Christmas cookie which, she says, will make most acceptable gifts. She calls this lesson "My Favorite Christmas Box."

"A Cake of Christmas Color" is the subject of her cooking school lesson for Thursday, December 19, in which she promises to give a recipe for a cake that is distinctly new and different as well as appropriate for a Christmas party or a Christmas gift.

Holiday cooking also will be featured in Betty Crocker's Tuesday morning talks preceding Christmas as well as in the Thursday cooking school lesson. Her talk on "Holiday Confections" which she will give on Tuesday, December 10, will include recipes for such interesting and well-known candies as pralines as well as recipes for new and unusual confections.

"A Christmas Eve Supper Menu" will be given on Tuesday, December 17, and on Tuesday, December 24, when everyone is almost too busy to eat, she will give some timely suggestions for a quick meal that will mean only "An Hour in the Kitchen."

The third lesson in the winter radio cooking school falls on Thursday, December 26, and Betty Crocker says it will be most welcome to those who feel they must economize after a too lavish holiday spending, for she is going to tell them how to make an inexpensive dessert.

EXTRA ASSESSMENT FOR ACCA TEMPLE

Richmond, Nov. 26.—Relief from the financial burden which Acca Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, incurred by reason of its new building costing more than had been set aside for its erection, was assured by the unanimous vote of the organization to go forward with an assessment on each member of \$100. When this action was taken, it was specified that no increase in dues would be necessary.

Approximately 2,000 members attended yesterday's meeting, which was called to adjust financial matters in a way that will permit the work of the organization to go forward without interruption. Many plans were discussed during two hours of deliberation before the final assessment scheme was unanimously accepted. Potentate Robert D. Ford and his staff had charge of the meeting.

It is believed that at the time of the public information regarding the more general use of the auditorium and the ball room, the idea being to popularize these and to let the people of the city and state get the benefit of the spacious and elegant quarters for such purposes as was intended.

CLASSIFIED ADS

One cent a word; minimum 25 cents

FOR SALE

30 or 40 Barrels of Corn. A. W. Smith, Gainesville. 27-2t*

TWO Good Guernsey Heifer Calves about ten weeks old. Rob-Nel Farms, Manassas, Va. 27-2t

DRESSED PORK for sale at Milford Mills. Phone 8-F-11.

ON TUESDAY, December 3, in Parish Hall, Manassas. Turkey and Oyster Dinner and Supper. Also fancy and useful articles suitable for Christmas. 28-1t*

HOME MADE CANDY, Fresh Daily. Special for Thursday—Black Walnut Chocolate Fudge. Also boxes filled with assorted candies. George and M. Washington, Centre Street, Manassas. 28-1t*

LEGHORN BREEDING COCKERELS, from pedigreed trap-nested stock. \$3.00 and up. Get yours while they are available. A. W. Amphlett, Haymarket. 28-4t

BRONZE TURKEY Gobblers and hens for sale as breeders. Milford Mills. 28-2t

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END GATE for Ford Truck. Finder please return to E. R. Conner, Manassas. 28-1t

FOR RENT.

TWO ROOMS on Center Street, Manassas, suitable for living or office rooms. Water and lights in building. Apply E. R. Conner. 28-2t

THREE-ROOM Apartment, over McDonald's Store, with water, lights and garage. \$10 per month. Apply to J. Carl Kincheloe, Manassas. 28-2t

HELP WANTED.

MARRIED MAN to work on farm and dairy. C. F. M. Lewis, Manassas. 27-2t*

NEAT ALL-AROUND Colored Girl with first-class reference. Apply Journal Office. 28-1t*

MISCELLANEOUS

EPISCOPAL BAZAAR in Parish Hall, Manassas, Tuesday, December 3. Turkey and Oyster Dinner and Supper. Fancy articles suitable for Xmas on sale all day. 28-1t*

WILL SAW wood into stove lengths. Work done on premises. R. E. Russell, Manassas. 28-2t

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NO HUNTING. No Hunting or Trespassing on farm of A. L. Lawler under penalty of the law. A. L. Lawler. 28-1t*

WANTED—HORSE. GOOD WORK HORSE to winter. Will pay rent on exceptionally good horse. Apply T. Ridder, Manassas. 28-1t

CUSTOM HATCHING. I WILL start running my incubator on Wednesday, November 27, setting dates each Wednesday, reserve your space now. Other information, write J. Lawrence Gregory, Manassas, Va. 26-tf

"KEEPING THEM CAGED."

The featured article among the score of interesting articles and stories in The Washington Star's Magazine for Sunday, December 1, is "Keeping Them Caged", written by one of the great prison authorities of the country. Order your copy of next Sunday's Washington Star from your newsdealer today.

LOYAL TEMPERANCE LEGION.

The regular meeting of the Loyal Temperance Legion will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday, December 1, at 3 p. m. It is hoped that there will be a good attendance of the members and their friends.

BAPTIST AID MEETING.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Manassas Baptist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. R. M. Jenkins, on Tuesday, December 3, at 2:30 p. m. Members are expected to bring in "Rainy Day" bags at this meeting.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Dr. ad Mrs. E. H. Marsteller left yesterday for a visit with friends in New York City.

The Episcopal Bazaar will be held in Parish Hall on Tuesday, December 3. Turkey and Oyster dinners and suppers will be served. Many fancy and useful articles suitable for Xmas gifts will be on sale.

Mrs. E. B. Smith, of Portsmouth, Va., spent the week-end with her daughter, Miss Kitty Smith.

Mr. Frederick A. Vollmer, known to many here, died at the home of his son, Mr. F. Maxey Vollmer, near Norfolk, on November 3.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Grey, who have been sojourning in Mt. Carmel, Pa., for several months, where Mr. Grey was engaged in a construction contract, are passing some time at the home of Mrs. Grey's mother, Mrs. R. L. Rice.

Miss Claudia Donohue, of Washington, spent the week-end in Manassas.

Mrs. Roswell E. Round and son, Rosewell, Jr., are visiting Mrs. Round's mother, Mrs. A. A. Maloney.

The Misses Ruth Smith and Kitty Smith entertained at tea on Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Ruth Cox. Miss Cox received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Mrs. M. Bruce Whitmore entertained a number of guests at a delightful luncheon on Monday.

Mr. Jenkins Davies, of William and Mary College, was a week-end visitor at his home here.

Another William and Mary student visiting his parents was Robert M. Weir. Mr. Weir was recently honored by election to the presidency of the freshman class at the college.

Members of the Woman's Club Chorus Class can get their tickets for the Ethelyn Lynn Recital, at the Prince William Pharmacy (Dr. C. R. C. Johnson), on Friday afternoon.

The Valley Aid Society will hold a sale of fancy articles and food in the Show Rooms of the Manassas Motor Co., Centre Street, on Saturday, November 30.

Mrs. F. W. Patterson was a Washington visitor this week.

The Swavely School vs. Warrenton High School football game, scheduled for 10:30 a. m., Thanksgiving morning on Swavely Field, should prove a big attraction to local lovers of a hard-fought game of football.

The Garden Club section of the Wo-

man's Club will not meet again until Monday, December 9. The meeting then will be held at the residence of Mrs. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, at 3 p. m.

The Chorus Class of the Woman's Club will meet next week on Wednesday instead of Tuesday. Time 1:30 p. m.; place, Parish Hall, when, Wednesday.

The necessity for going to press a day early has made it necessary to leave out many items of news. We couldn't give thanks all covered with ink, so we ask your kind indulgence.

Mr. D. T. Herndon, though still critically ill, is reported as showing some improvement.

Messrs. T. H. Lion, C. E. Nash, M. M. Ellis, Wilson N. Wenrich, James R. Larkin, Walker Merchant and Paul Cooksey, attended the business meeting of Acca Temple, in Richmond last Friday night.

Mr. Charles Wenrich, of Washington, was a Sunday visitor to the home of his mother, Mrs. H. D. Wenrich.

Mrs. W. L. Lloyd was a Manassas visitor one day this week.

Mrs. M. M. Washington, of Greenwich, was in Manassas on Tuesday to attend the meeting of the chorus class of the Woman's club.

Mrs. P. L. Proffitt, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Emergency Hospital, Washington, on Monday, is reported as making splendid progress toward recovery.

LUTHERAN CHURCH SCHEDULE.

Bethel Evangelical Lutheran Church, Rev. Luther F. Miller, pastor.

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Sunday School 10 a. m. The Holy Communion at 11 a. m. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 7:30 p. m., "The Law and the Gospel in Luther's Catechism".

SWAVELEY NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Knowles Cooper, Miss Cooper, Miss Bonvillian, Masters Bobby and George Walter, all of Washington, and Miss Crocker, of New York, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Swavely.

Mrs. O'Neill, of Washington, was a Sunday visitor at the school.

Mrs. Sigman spent the week-end in Washington.

The concert given on Friday last by the Gilbert Male Quartet met a very favorable reception from the large audience present.

The committee in charge are now busily engaged in preparations for the Thanksgiving Dinner and Dance and a large number of guests are expected.

A few of the boys will go home for Thanksgiving Dinner, and return in time for the dance.

Dr. Swan, one of the leading psychiatrists of New York, gave the boys on Monday evening a very interesting address on "Mental Hygiene."

OCOQUAN

Miss Virginia Leary, of William and Mary College, spent a few days at home last week.

Mrs. F. W. Hornbaker, who has been ill in a Washington Hospital, is reported improving.

Mrs. Harry Carter spent Monday in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Moore, of

Burke, spent Sunday with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Pierce.

Mrs. John Leary and Miss Virginia Leary spent Saturday in Washington.

Miss Marion McMahon and Mr. Edward Cole were quietly married in Washington on Saturday.

Mr. Henry McMahon, of Washington, visited his parents on Sunday.

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LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE FARM.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Prince William County entered in the suit of Shirkey against Shirkey et als., the undersigned commissioner of sale therein appointed will proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1929, at eleven o'clock a. m., in front of the Peoples National Bank in the Town of Manassas, aforesaid County, all that certain tract or parcel of land, with improvements thereon, lying and being situate in Brentsville District, said county, on the Bristow-Aden road, and adjoining the lands of Flory, Pound, Roseberry and others, and known as the Delphi A. Shirkey place, containing, more or less, 184 ACRES.

Terms of Sale—One-third cash and one-third in one and two years, respectively, from day of sale, the purchaser executing interest bearing notes on sale day for said deferred payments, with the right to anticipate the same, and title to be retained until the payment of the purchase price in full.

H. THORNTON DAVIES,
Commissioner of Sale.
I. G. G. Tyler, Clerk of the Circuit Court aforesaid, do hereby certify that bond, with approved security, has been executed as required by the aforesaid decree of sale.
27-4t GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

VIRGINIA:
IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY OF PRINCE WILLIAM,
NOVEMBER 14, 1929.

MARY B. MOTHERSHEAD, Complainant,
vs.
HARRY S. MOTHERSHEAD, defendant.
IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant from defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, custody of Kenneth Mothershead, one of the children of the parties hereto.

And an affidavit having been made and filed in this office by the complainant that the defendant is not a resident of this state, and that his last known post office address or place of abode was Silver Springs, Maryland, and an application having been made in writing for this order of publication.

Therefore, it is ordered that the defendant, Harry S. Mothershead, do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week, for four consecutive weeks, in The Manassas Journal, a newspaper published and circulating in Prince William County; a copy sent by the Clerk of this Court, by registered mail, to the defendant addressed to Silver Springs, Maryland; the address given in the aforesaid affidavit, and a copy posted at the front door of the court house of the said county on or before the 18th day of November, 1929, that being the first Rule day after this order is entered.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
A true copy:
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
R. B. WASHINGTON, p. q. 27-4t

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, VIRGINIA:

MINOR W. BAKER, et al,
vs.
J. J. CONNER, et al.
IN CHANCERY.

Affidavit having been made and filed in this office, as provided by law, that The Federal Land Bank of Baltimore, a corporation, is not a resident of the State of Virginia; that its post office address is St. Paul and 24th Streets, Baltimore, Maryland, and being one of the defendants in the above styled cause; therefore, I, Geo. G. Tyler, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia, do enter the following order of publication against said non-resident defendant.

The general object of the above styled cause is to settle the estate of Jos. T. Baker and Christiana Ellen Baker, deceased, and divide the proceeds among the parties entitled thereto in accordance with the last will and testament of Jos. T. Baker; to set aside an alleged release of a certain deed of trust on the real estate of J. J. Conner as set forth in Exhibit D filed with the bill of complaint in this cause, and subject the said property to the payment of the debt due the estate of said Jos. T. Baker of \$2,100 with interest, and

distribute among the heirs at law of Jos. T. Baker and Christiana Ellen Baker the proceeds of said estate, and subject to sale the 101 acres of land, more or less, set forth and described in Exhibit D aforesaid, and for general relief.

It is therefore ordered, that the said, The Federal Land Bank of Baltimore, do appear within this office within ten days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect its interest; that this order of publication 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 said county, on or before the next succeeding Rule Day, and that a copy of the same be mailed to The Federal Land Bank of Baltimore, at St. Paul and 24th Streets, Baltimore, Maryland, by prepaid United States registered mail, and that a certificate be filed with the papers in this cause of the facts herein directed.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
THOS. H. LION, p. q.
A true copy:
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk 27-4t

LEGAL NOTICE.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, VIRGINIA:
NETTIE JANE WILSON
vs.
ARTHUR B. WILSON
IN CHANCERY.

Affidavit having been made and filed in this office as provided by law, that the defendant, Arthur B. Wilson, is not a resident of the State of Virginia and that his last post office address was Euclid Apartments, Washington, D. C.; therefore, I, Geo. G. Tyler, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia, do enter the following order of publication:

The general object of the above styled cause is to secure a divorce a mensa et thoro from the defendant, Arthur B. Wilson, upon the grounds of wilful abandonment and desertion of the complainant and desertion of the complainant and their infant son on July 7, 1928, and in due time merge such decree as may be entered into a decree of divorce from the bond of matrimony created by the marriage between said parties; that it be decreed the complainant be awarded the care and custody of the infant son, Donald James Wilson; that said defendant be required to pay unto said complainant suit money to prosecute this suit, temporary and permanent alimony and required to pay such sums as the court may decree for the care and education of said infant son till he shall reach his majority and for general relief.

It is, therefore, ordered that the said Arthur B. Wilson do appear within this office within ten days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest; that this order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Manassas Journal, a newspaper published and circulating in the County of Prince William, Virginia; that a copy thereof be posted at the front door of the court house of said county, on or before the next succeeding Rule Day, and that a copy of the same be mailed to said Arthur B. Wilson at Euclid Apartments, Washington, D. C., the last known address as set forth in said affidavit of said complainant, by United States prepaid registered mail, and that a certificate of the facts herein directed be filed with the papers in this cause.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
A true copy:
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
THOS. H. LION, p. q. 27-4t

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust executed by Mary and Ernest Porter, November 26, 1919, and recorded in the then current deed book of the county clerk's office of Prince William County, Virginia, and by the further reason of default having been made in the payment of the debt of \$300.00 and interest therein secured, and at the request of the beneficiary under said deed of trust the undersigned trustee will offer for sale by way of public auction, in front of The Peoples National Bank, at the intersection of Battle and Center Streets, in the town of Manassas, County and State aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1929, at about noon of that day, all that certain lot or parcel of land lying and being situate near the coal bin, on the south side of the Southern Railway Company's right of way, front-

ing on said right of way 58 feet 9 inches and running back between parallel lines to Monroe Avenue, and being Lot No. 17 in Reid's Addition to the town of Manassas, and is the same property conveyed to Mary Porter by F. E. Ransdell and wife, October 13, 1909, recorded in Deed Book 59, at folio 65, of said clerk's office. This lot has located thereon a comfortable dwelling and other outbuildings and is an opportunity for one to secure a comfortable home for a small price.

Terms of Sale: Cash.
THOS. H. LION, Trustee.
J. P. KERLIN, Auctioneer. 28-4t

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that a stockholders' meeting of the Quantico-Washington Bus Company, Inc., has been called to meet in the First National Bank of Quantico, Virginia, building at 4 p. m., on Tuesday, December 10, 1929, to take action upon the following resolution which was passed at a Director's meeting of the Company on November 19, 1929.

"Resolved, That petition be made to the State Corporation Commission for dissolution of the Quantico-Washington Bus Company, Inc."

QUANTICO-WASHINGTON BUS COMPANY, Inc.
C. C. CLORE, Vice President.
H. EWING WALL, Secretary. 28-2t

INSURANCE RATES ORDERED REDUCED

Stock Fire Insurance Companies Doing Business in State Must Cut Rates.

Stock fire insurance companies doing business in Virginia have been ordered by the State Corporation Commission to reduce their rates \$834,310 a year. The order was based on a study of the stock companies whose records were used as criteria, but its scope will actually cover more than 200 companies, including mutual and reciprocal companies, and the reductions may be materially increased. The State Corporation Commission

attempted as far as possible to carry into effect the recommendations of the Chandler Commission which was appointed pursuant to the Hall resolution to probe the insurance field. One of the proposals of this body was that the state as a whole should be the unit for rate-making and should not be divided into zones as it then was.

Rates now applicable to what is known as the valley zone, i. e., the counties of Arlington, Augusta, Clarke, Frederick, Fairfax, Highland, Loudoun, Page, Rockbridge, Rockingham, Shenandoah and Warren, are fixed in the order as the minimum rates, and present rates elsewhere were fixed as the maximum. Existing rates on the Eastern Shore were approved.

The schedule of rates filed by the companies in pursuance of the act of the last General Assembly were disapproved by the commission, and the companies were given 30 days in which to submit to the commission a schedule complying with its order of yesterday.

NOKESVILLE HIGH NICKS HERNDON

Brentsville District High School Basketeers Defeat Herndon High School, 16 to 10.

The boys' basketball team of the Brentsville District High School won a fast game from the Herndon High School last Friday night in the Oakton gymnasium.

The Nokesville team held the lead from the start, although Herndon made several sharp rallies. The final score was 16 to 10.

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THURSDAY, NOV. 28, 1929.

POULTRY HUSBANDMEN WILL MEET IN RICHMOND

Blacksburg, Nov. 27.—An important meeting scheduled for the first week in December, is the annual convention of the Virginia State Poultry Federation to be held December 5-6 at the John Marshall Hotel, Richmond, according to an announcement made by Harry L. Moore, poultry husbandman of the Virginia extension division.

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A comprehensive, nation-wide program to prevent illness, and to save lives through proper nursing care and advanced methods of life saving and first aid is fostered by the American Red Cross.

The organization is the largest employer of rural public health nurses in the United States, through its Chapters. The policy of the Red Cross is to encourage its Chapters to extend the public health nursing service, where leadership in this field is not taken by some other agency in the community.

The Red Cross health and life saving campaign embraces the following: preservation of health through skilled nursing care; prevention of loss of life in accidents; prevention of illness through cleanliness in the home and knowledge of methods of home care of the sick and raising the standard of health and physical efficiency through proper nutrition.

During the year just closed, more than 42,000 certificates have been issued in the Red Cross course in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick, and since the courses were inaugurated more than 500,000 persons have been taught; 149,000 children were instructed in proper eating through the Nutrition course; 45,898 individuals passed the severe Red Cross tests in Life Saving and 52,596 persons passed the rigid examinations in the First Aid Course.

This work is supported from funds obtained in the annual Roll Call, Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day, November 11 to 28.

SUPREME COURT RULES IN TAX CASE

Nation's Highest Court Rules Against Virginia In Kellam Case.

Richmond, Nov. 26.—The United States Court of Appeals yesterday reversed the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals and held that Virginia had no right to tax a \$50,000 trust fund deposited in Baltimore for the ultimate benefit of Lucius J. Kellam, 18, and Emerson Poly Kellam, 14, both of Accomac.

The case, which has been in litigation for nearly four years, originated when trustees for the two children filed a petition in the Circuit Court of Accomac County, in April, 1926, seeking relief from an assessment on the trust fund by the State of Virginia, covering the years 1921 to 1925, inclusive, amounting to a total of slightly more than \$1,000.

Little Effect On Revenue. Both the Accomac Court and the State Supreme Court held that the fund was properly taxed, because of the residence of the beneficiaries in this State. It was the fifth such decision by the State Supreme Court within a space of a few years.

The decision of the United States Court "will have but little effect on the revenues of the State," C. H. Morrisette, State Tax Commissioner, said yesterday when informed of the high court ruling. "A \$50,000 trust fund was involved. The principle involved was whether Virginia could, under the Constitution of the United States, tax the corpus of a trust fund invested in intangible personal property created by one who was a resident of Virginia at the time of his death, with a nonresident trustee and resident beneficiaries, which beneficiaries, however, were not to come into possession of such corpus until they were twenty-five years of age."

Contentions Outlined. Consul for the Kellams contended the controversy was controlled by a previous decision of the Supreme Court and that the property involved in the trust had not actually passed into the possessions of the Kellams and might never be enjoyed by them. Virginia argued that while the property was being held in trust, the Kellams had obtained sufficient title

to it to warrant the State in taxing it. It contended the previous decision cited did not deprive the State of power to tax personal property belonging to its citizens, but held outside, and that the only question was whether the Kellams had such an interest in the property as to amount in substance to possession.

WAYSIDE WISDOM.

By S. E. KISER.

Here's your hat, be on your way.
Prophet of the evil day;
I am busy being glad;
Keep your hopeless words for those
Who are nursing petty woes,
And insist on being sad.

I have heard your kind before,
Go your way, and come no more
With your warnings and your fears;
Look for those who like to think
There is cause for hope to sink
Deeper as each day appears.

Do not linger to explain
That the wicked only gain
Pride and profit and applause;
I have faith that bids me still
To believe in God's good will
And in every holy cause.

Waste no time in telling me
That the worst is yet to be,
That the Golden Age is past;
I refuse to sit and moan
For the chances that are flown,
Or for joys that couldn't last.

I have blundered more or less,
But the pleasures I possess
Make my ills seem small and few;
I decline to groan or grieve;
Much preferring to believe
That my hopes are coming true.

Prophet of the evil day,
Cease to tarry; go your way;
I am busy being glad;
Share your gloom with those who sigh
And are being worried by
Troubles they have never had.

CATLETT

Mr. R. L. Wilson was a Manassas visitor last Saturday.

Mr. John Trenis, of the University of Virginia, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Trenis.

Mr. Miller and his sister from Michigan are guests of their cousin, Mrs. B. F. Colvin.

Mr. V. R. Newman and Mr. M. Beall, of Washington, and Mr. H. C. Neyman, of Orange, have been guests of Mrs. James K. Douglas.

Miss Annie Bennett, who has been ill, is reported better.

Work on the road between this town and Nokesville is being rushed to completion.

BYRD TO CONFER WITH MAYORS AS TO AIRPORTS

A meeting of the Mayors of all towns and cities in the State, whose communities do not have airports, will be called in Richmond sometime during December, it was announced yesterday by Governor Byrd.

The Governor, who has just completed an air tour of the State, pointed out that there are at present nearly sixty regularly operated landing fields in the State, and many of them have been created through State-aid.

The present appropriation of \$25,000 annually which is administered by the State Highway Commission will be doubled if a recommendation of Governor Byrd in the next budget is carried out. The chief executive of Virginia announced this recommendation while on the air tour.

Governor Byrd said he hoped that airports could be established at intervals of about ten miles along the usually traveled routes across Virginia.

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8:45	3:45 6:15	Ar. Manassas, Cocke's Pharmacy
9:05	4:05	" Greenwich
9:25	4:25	" Warrenton, Warr. Green Hotel
11:15	6:15	" Luray

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ARTS COLLEGE IS SOUGHT BY WOMEN

Site Near U. of Va., Is Opposed By Board of Visitors.

A Liberal Arts College for Women at or near Charlottesville and co-ordinate with the University of Virginia was advocated by the Women's Joint Legislative Council and opposed by resolutions of the Board of Visitors and the Alumni Association of the University of Virginia, which preferred a college affiliated with the University but placed at a distance from Charlottesville, preferably at one of the State Teachers' Colleges, before the legislative commission, headed by Judge Don P. Halsey, which opened its public hearing yesterday morning at 10 o'clock in the hall of the House of Delegates.

Large Number Attend.

Approximately 150 persons attended the morning session at which the following six of the nine members of the commission were present: Judge Don P. Halsey, Miss Adele Clark, the Rev. Beverly D. Tucker, Richard S. Wright, of Strasburg; Edwin B. Jones, of Monterey, and Miss Helen Ruth Henderson, of Council. Absent members were Edward L. Stone, of Roanoke, George W. Layman, of New-castle, and John W. MacCauley, of Roanoke.

During the morning meeting three groups were heard from: The Women's Joint Legislative Council, headed by Mrs. Randolph Maynard; the Alumni Association and the Board of Visitors of the University of Virginia, and the City of Lynchburg. Each group was allowed forty-five minutes in which to state its case. The commission also granted Rosewell Page five minutes in which to state an individual opinion, which supported the first group. In the afternoon two groups were heard from: The City of Harrisonburg and the city of Fredericksburg.

Mrs. Randolph Maynard opened the remarks for her group, the Woman's Joint Legislative Council, by reading a list of the Virginia women's organizations which have recommended a co-ordinate college of liberal arts for women to be placed at the University of Virginia.

Leading Bodies Represented.

These organizations included the Business and Professional Women's Club, the Parent-Teachers' Association, the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs, the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion, the U. D. C., the D. A. R., the Women Alumnae Association of the University of Virginia, the Virginia League of Women Voters, the American Association of University Women, the Virginia Branch of the Housewives' League, the Southern Woman's Educational Alliance, the W. C. T. U., the Y. W. C. A., the Virginia State Teachers' Association, the Council of Jewish Women, the College Club, the Altrusa Club, the Catholic Woman's Club. Recommendations from several prominent political, social, and educational individuals were also read.

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SEVEN-YEAR-OLD CHILD SUFFERS FATAL BURNS

Culpeper, Nov. 27.—Seven-year-old Hattie Maude Thrall, child of Mrs. Gentry Thall's needy family of five, whose father is confined to the State Hospital for the Insane, was burned to death here while she awaited transportation to the Maybee Home for Children at Richmond.

Since a mental affliction had taken Mrs. Thrall's husband from her, she was the sole support of her family. She struggled along the best she could for more than a year. It was suggested she send Hattie to a home to lessen her labors. She refused at first, but circumstances necessitated sending the child away, and a representative from the Richmond institution was called.

Hattie cried a bit. She did not want to leave her mother. The little girl stood before the open fireplace at her home. Her cotton garment was ignited by the blaze, and she was burned fatally. Yesterday they buried her at Bethel, a small rural church on the outskirts of town here.

CATHARPIN

A daughter, Mary Frances, was born Sunday, November 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee Hoffman, of "Deserette".

Sergt. Major and Mrs. W. K. Caldwell visited Washington Tuesday where Mrs. Caldwell has been receiving treatment at the Naval Hospital.

A daughter, Patricia, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Briggs, on Monday, November 25, at the home of Mrs. Briggs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pattie.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. McDonald and Miss Lizzie McIntosh were Washington visitors last Tuesday.

Mr. Tony Nalls is rapidly convalescing in Warrenton Hospital from a recent operation for appendicitis.

There will be a joint meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society and the Wesley Bible Class of Sudley Church on Thursday, December 5th, at 7:30 p. m. An interesting program will be given, and the entire membership of Sudley Church is most cordially invited to attend.

MACREA COLORED SCHOOL LISTS SECOND HONOR ROLL

The honor roll students at the Macrea School, Gainesville, for the second six weeks of work was announced yesterday by B. Oswald Robinson, principal. Those placed on the coveted roll were:

First Grade—Helen Payne, Romaine Robinson, Louie Robinson, John Robinson. Second Grade—Louise Peterson, Rachel Robinson, Dorothy Hatchet, Evelyn Robinson.

Third Grade—Rudolph Carter, Richard Robinson, John Taylor. Fourth Grade—Clarence Jackson, Lucille Thomas, Elmer Thomas, Elmer McKenney, Thomas Randall, Banks Strother.

Fifth Grade—Marie McKennie, Nelson I. Lane, Herbert Moore, Felix Robinson, Lilabee Peterson, Ruth Davis. Seventh Grade—Ronil Johnson, George Moore.

PERFECT SCORES MADE BY TYPEWRITER STUDENTS

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New Currents, lb.	19c
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