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MANASSAS, VIRGINIA, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1930.

\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

SUPERVISORS MET IN BUSY SESSION

H. L. Tubbs Is Reappointed Superintendent of County Roads.

APPROVE NEW SCHOOL IN GAINESVILLE DISTRICT

Rolfe Robertson, James R. Larkin, And L. Ledman Appointed Committee To Draft Budget For Coming Year.

The Board of Supervisors of Prince William County met last week in regular session and after clearing up numerous routine matters transacted many important pieces of business. Those attending the meeting were James R. Larkin, chairman; D. E. Earhart, J. Lindsay Dawson, C. R. Earhart, J. W. Merchant, and Rolfe Robertson.

Various accounts of expenditures were examined and approved, and ordered paid out of the county fund, district road funds and dog tax funds, as they may apply.

F. R. Cox, county agent, appeared before the board and outlined the plans for a County Corn Show which will be held in the Manassas High School on February 15, and asked that the body recognize the show in some substantial way. The Board approved the show and voted the sum of \$30 to be used for prizes.

New High School.

The resolution of the School Board recommending the erection of a new school building for the Gainesville district was approved by the Board.

The application of the Virginia Public Service Company to have certain roads and ferds discontinued and abandoned came up. Notices were posted in conspicuous places in the vicinities effected, but this was not thought sufficient and the board appointed a committee to view the ferds and roads and bring in a report. The committee consisting of Charles B. Allen, Hasten W. Herring, James R. Dorrell, E. M. Briggs and George W. Ayres. It was also voted to have the land proprietors interested appear at the next meeting of the Board.

School Safety Signs.

It was ordered that school zone signs be purchased and erected throughout the county, at such points as have not already been taken care of.

The Children's Home Society of Virginia, was voted \$250.00 toward the aid of orphans committed to its care.

H. L. Tubbs, the very efficient road superintendent of Prince William County, was reappointed to that office for the ensuing year.

The old Court House at Brentsville was cared for in an appropriation of \$400 to be used in remodeling the interior and making repairs. The building will remain in custody of the School Board and will be used for joint purposes of the Board in the community where located.

Rolfe Robertson, James R. Larkin and L. Ledman were appointed a committee to draft the budget for the coming year.

L. Ledman was appointed a committee to secure bids for improving the interior of the Jail House, same to be submitted to the Supervisors at next meeting.

Rolfe Robertson and H. L. Tubbs were appointed a committee to attend the Highway Commission meeting at Lexington, today, and tomorrow.

The State Treasurer's January check for the county's share in the 1½ cent Gas Tax amounted to \$1,552.84.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING BOOKED NEXT WEDNESDAY

Mr. Roswell Page, Prominent Virginian, Will Give An Author's Reading.

The Woman's Club of Manassas will hold its regular meeting at the High School on Wednesday, February 12, at 2:30 p. m.

The business session out of the way Mr. Roswell Page, well-known author, and a brother of Thomas Nelson Page, will give an author's reading.

The executive board of the club will meet on Wednesday in the Library at 1:45 p. m.

R. WALTON MOORE ASKS POST OFFICE

Suggests Federal Building For Manassas And Orange Be Considered.

R. Walton Moore, representative in Congress for the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia, never lets an opportunity to do something constructive for his district slip by, and recently while urging the construction of a post office at Culpeper, put in a good word for the post offices at Manassas and Orange.

"While the annual postal receipts at Orange and Manassas, are less than those in Culpeper," said Mr. Moore, "nevertheless they are such as to justify the consideration of those places also for the construction of buildings."

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 1929, the receipts at Orange were \$20,054, while those at Manassas were \$11,510. Four rural routes are operated out of Manassas, and Orange operates three rural and four star routes.

Another project on which Mr. Moore is working and for which a bill is confidently expected to be passed during the present session is that providing for funds to enable the Secretary of War to make a careful examination of the Manassas battle fields, looking to having them dealt with in some appropriate way so as to mark the points of historic interest.

POOR GYM LIGHTS STOP BASKETBALL

Basketball League Refuses To Play Scheduled Games Under Present Lighting Arrangements.

By BEVERLY MITCHELL.

Disaster has come upon the Manassas High School basketball team, in so far as playing league games here is concerned. The lights in the gymnasium are very weak and the school basketball league in which the local five is entered has served notice on the High School Athletic Association that new lighting arrangements must be made before any more league games will be played.

Light Fund Sought.

A special non-league doubleheader will be staged in the school gymnasium on next Tuesday, February 11, with Jefferson High School of Falls Church. The money taken in at the door will be placed in the lighting fund. All sporting fans of Manassas are urged to come to this game not only because it will be a fast game, but because their presence will aid in furthering the cause of sport in the High School.

On February 14th Warrenton will be met in the feature game of the season, and as these teams are great rivals, a spirited contest is looked for.

HYGIENE CERTIFICATES FOR GREENWICH WOMEN

Nursing and Hygiene Class at Greenwich Will Be Presented Certificates Next Thursday Night.

Dr. E. H. Marsteller, chairman of the Red Cross nursing committee, will present Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick certificates to students of the class from the Greenwich community. The class has been instructed by Miss Ruby Ryman, county nurse, with lectures by Dr. Marsteller from time to time.

Those who will receive the certificates are: Mrs. Lucy Douglas Washington, Mrs. Nan Boley Spittle, Mrs. N. K. Middlethorn, Mrs. Ruth Emmons Lloyd, Mrs. Carrie Pearson Holliday, Mrs. Muriel Arey Ellis, and Miss Ruby Holliday.

EPISCOPAL GUILD PLANS RECEPTION

Members of Episcopal Church Invited to Gathering on Wednesday Night, February 26.

The Ladies' Guild of Trinity Episcopal Church is making plans for a reception to be tendered members of the Episcopal Church in Parish Hall, Wednesday, February 26, between the hours of 8 and 10 p. m.

Mrs. Robert H. Smith is chairman of the committee, and assisting her in the arrangements are Mrs. James R. Dorrell and Mrs. J. P. Lyon.

R. H. L. CHICHESTER DIED ON MONDAY

Judge Chichester Was Member of the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals.

WAS JOURNALIST AND PUBLISHED FREE LANCE

Was Father of Daniel M. Chichester, Popular Prince William And Stafford Representative In General Assembly.

Fredericksburg, Feb. 6.—Succumbing to the illness which he had resisted for more than a year, Judge R. H. L. Chichester, a member of the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals, died at Mary Washington Hospital here Monday morning. He was in his sixtieth year. Judge Chichester had been in poor health for the past two years, and since last Fall he was under treatment at the hospital here.

Native of Fairfax.

Judge Chichester was born in Fairfax County April 18, 1870, the son of Daniel McCarthy and Mrs. Agnes Robinson Moncre Chichester. He received his education at St. John's Academy, Alexandria, and later at the University of Virginia. He was admitted to practice at the Virginia bar when 21 years of age, and soon became the commonwealth's attorney for Stafford County.

He was married June 11, 1895, to Miss Virginia Bell Wallace of Stafford County. Three children were born to them, Daniel McCarthy Chichester, a member of the General Assembly; a daughter, now Mrs. John L. Wilson of Knoxville, Tenn., and Richard Henry Lee Chichester, jr.

Beginning with his election as commonwealth's attorney for Stafford County, Judge Chichester held public office continuously with the exception of five years, when he practiced law at Stafford court house. His offices in succession were as follows: County judge of Stafford and King George Counties, from 1898 to 1904; judge of the fifteenth judicial circuit, composed of the City of Fredericksburg and the counties of Stafford, King George, Spotsylvania, Hanover and Caroline, from 1910 to 1925, and during part of that time was a member of the Special Court of Appeals. In 1925, Gov. E. Lee Trinkle named him to the supreme bench of the State, and in 1928 the General Assembly re-elected him for a 12-year term, beginning February 1, 1929.

Owned Ancestral Home.

Shortly following his marriage Judge Chichester acquired the ancestral Moncre estate Glencairne, at Falmouth, in Stafford County. This home had passed through several generations of the Moncre family and had once been owned by Supreme Court Judge R. C. L. Moncre, the maternal grandfather of Judge Chichester.

Outside the court room Judge Chichester had two hobbies, journalism and the breeding of blooded cattle. His herd of registered Guernsey cattle won him fame as a cattle fancier and was exhibited at fairs and cattle shows all over the Eastern United States.

He was the publisher of the Fredericksburg Free Lance Star.

MRS. A. M. PIERCY SCHOOL TRUSTEE

Mrs. Anita M. Piercy Appointed From Gainesville District Succeeding C. B. Allen.

Mrs. Anita M. Piercy, of Gainesville, was yesterday appointed by the School Board as a member of that body to represent the Gainesville District to fill out the unexpired term of C. B. Allen, resigned, for the period ending June 30, 1932.

The board passed resolutions of appreciation of the faithful and helpful work of Mr. Allen, whose resignation was accepted with regret.

The recommendations of the School Board that a new school be built at Haymarket were presented to the Board of Supervisors for their action and have in turn been approved by the latter. This will mean that an election will be held so that the people of the Gainesville district may express themselves by vote as to whether or not the present antiquated High School building at Haymarket shall be replaced with a modern school building.

Members of the School Board as now constituted are: D. J. Arrington, chairman, Manassas District; W. L. Lloyd, Brentsville District; A. T. Barnes, Coles District; Mrs. Anna G. Cline, Dumfries District; E. S. Brockett, Occoquan District, and Mrs. Anita M. Piercy, Gainesville District.

SENIOR BAZAAR CAMPAIGN IS ON

Will Be Held In March For Benefit of Bleacher Fund For Athletic Field.

Plans are well under way for the Senior Bazaar which will be given by the Senior Class of Manassas High School on March 7. The bazaar is being arranged in the interest of the athletic field, and the work of carrying forward this plan has been undertaken by the out-going class.

Among some of the forms of entertainment offered will be side shows, fortune telling, while a "Yo-Yo" contest will be given so that the yo-yoers of the county may match their skill in what is believed to be the first contest of this kind in Prince William.

The following committees have been appointed by Beverly Mitchell, president of the Senior Class:

Supper—Virginia Metz, chairman; Miss Haile, faculty advisor; Agnes Thomasson and Helen Lloyd. Entertainment—Eloise Compton, chairman; Miss Lacy, advisor; Douglas Dodson. Side Shows—Claron Kline, chairman; Miss Pulliam, advisor; Amelia House and Dorothy Beachley. Candy Table—Helen Evans, chairman; Miss Harrison, advisor; Nadine O'Bannon. Fortune Telling—Hilda Moser, chairman; Miss Lulu Metz, advisor; Leda Sowers.

Fish Pond—Alice Conner, chairman; Miss Johnson, advisor; Jesse Raney. Ice Cream and Drinks—Ethel Ritenour, chairman; Miss Myers, advisor; Frances Bushong.

Building and Decorating—Robert Athey, chairman; Mr. Pullen, advisor; Lawrence Brawner. Balloons—John Hopkins, chairman; Albin Taylor and Clopton Athey.

COUNTY CORN SHOW SET FOR FEBRUARY 15

Exhibit Will Be Held In Manassas High School. Many Entries Now In.

Premium List.

Best ten ears, any variety—Engraved silver vase.

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
Ten ears white corn	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00
Ten ears yellow corn	3.00	2.00	1.00
Ten ears ensilage corn	3.00	2.00	1.00
Shelling class, ten ears	3.00	2.00	1.00
Ten ears, utility class	3.00	2.00	1.00

Any variety of corn may be entered in the shelling exhibit. This corn will be shelled and the exhibit having the highest per cent of corn to cob will be given first place.

Exhibitors may make more than one entry in a class, but can not receive more than one place or premium in a class.

There are no entry fees for exhibits.

STRATFORD HALL FUND IS MOUNTING SLOWLY

Mrs. C. M. Larkin, Chairman of Local Committee, Announces Campaign Will Continue Another Week.

The drive being made in Prince William County for contributions to the Robert E. Lee Memorial Foundation, to be used in the completion of purchase of Stratford Hall, Lee's birthplace, though not growing by leaps and bounds, is slowly mounting. Mrs. C. M. Larkin, chairman of the local committee, announced yesterday that the opportunity to contribute will be held open one more week, so that those who have not already contributed may be given an opportunity to do their bit.

Contributions may be made to Mrs. Larkin or any of the following committee members: Mrs. R. L. Byrd, Mrs. Stuart Pattie, Mrs. Howard Jamison, and Miss Sarah Donohoe.

Summary.

Previously reported	\$54.25
Mrs. G. Berger Cocke	1.00
Mrs. J. B. Johnson	1.00
Mrs. Mamie Lynch Delaney	1.00
Mrs. Pat Lynch	1.00
Mrs. Richard Lee	5.00
Mrs. W. A. Newman	1.00
Mrs. N. K. Middlethorn	1.00
Anonymous	.50
Contributed	.50

Total to date \$66.25

FOUR YEAR HIGH SCHOOLS GAINING

Accredited Schools In State Increased By Fourteen Last Year.

Richmond, Feb. 6.—Four hundred and five accredited four-year high schools, twelve accredited junior high schools, and 198 unaccredited schools, which offered from two to four years of high school work, were in operation for the session of 1928-29, according to the report recently submitted to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction by D. W. Peters, Supervisor of Secondary Education. The number of accredited four-year high schools was increased last year by fourteen schools, while the number of unaccredited schools, through consolidation or through meeting the standards for an accredited rating, was reduced by thirty-nine.

Third In Enrollment.

According to data prepared by the Division of Research of the National Education Association the per cent of increase in high school enrollment from 1920 to 1926 in Virginia was exceeded by only two states—Florida, which ranked first in this respect, and North Carolina, which ranked second. For the session of 1928-29, 67,566 students—25,442 boys and 38,124 girls—were enrolled in the accredited high schools.

Last year 2,846 boys and 5,045 girls were graduated from the standard high schools of the State, of this number 2,945 expected to enter college.

Attendance Encouraging.

The record of attendance in the high schools during the past session was encouraging. The average daily attendance in the four-year rural high schools was 93.16 per cent; in the rural junior high schools, 95 per cent; in the four-year city high schools, 94.05 per cent; and in the city junior high schools, 94.10 per cent. These percentages indicate that little waste occurred through non-attendance.

Forty-nine high schools were in operation during the summer of 1929, with an enrollment of 5,713 students. The courses which are now offered during the summer are of the same nature as those given during the regular session, and are enabling many students either to make up deficiencies or to reduce the time required for graduation.

BAPTIST AUXILIARY TO HAVE VALENTINE SOCIAL

The Girls' Auxiliary of the Manassas Baptist Church will meet on Wednesday, February 12, in the church, at 3:30 p. m. A Valentine Social will follow the business meeting.

Officers re-elected at last meeting were:

Ruby Russell, president; Elizabeth Cross, vice president; Edith Jasper, secretary; Irene Cross, treasurer.

COURT SESSIONS OPENED MONDAY

Circuit Court For Prince William County Began Sessions with Judge Howard W. Smith On Bench.

SPECIAL GRAND JURY GETS BUT ONE CASE

Calendar In Such Shape That Court Will Probably Adjourn Next Week.

The February term of the Circuit Court of Prince William County was opened here on Monday morning with Judge Howard W. Smith on the bench. There are no outstanding cases on the docket, and the first day was taken up chiefly with setting dates for hearings.

The special grand jury for the term was called upon to look into but one case, that being the Commonwealth vs. Major Thomas, on indictment for a felony, in which they brought in a true bill. Having no further business before them the special jury was discharged. The members were, J. A. Hooker, foreman; William Adamson, S. R. Love, C. G. Paris, Dudley Martin, C. E. Furr, R. A. Kearney, and Omeis Wells.

The sheriff filed his report on prisoners in jail which was ordered filed. The Clerk of the Court reported on fines by Justices of the Peace from December 2, 1929 to February 1, 1930 which was ordered filed.

Several Cases Settled.

Commonwealth vs. Burrows, Koll, Raemaker and Bradstreet—prohibition misdemeanor. No further prosecution by the Commonwealth.

Town of Manassas vs. Jenkins Keys—Appeal. No further prosecution.

Commonwealth vs. Andrew Cornwell—Information for prohibition misdemeanor. Failed to appear and capias was issued against him.

Alice G. Wine vs. W. L. Coppage et al.—Suggestion. Case dismissed.

E. L. Cockrell vs. J. E. Barrett—Appeal. Dismissed agreed.

Hynson & Bradford vs. Alex. Jones. Hynson & Bradford to recover on note.

E. P. Robertson vs. Bryant Porter. Case dismissed with costs against Robertson.

Henry A. Pearson vs. John T. Trevasis. Case set for trial April term of Court.

Herndon et als, plaintiff vs. Virginia Public Service Corporation. Case dismissed amicable settlement having been reached.

Application of Clifford Ellis of Quantico for a soft drink license was not granted.

Alexandria National Bank vs. C. H. Keyser. Plaintiff to recover.

J. P. Kerlin, sheriff, presented accounts which were allowed and ordered filed.

GOOD DAIRY BULLS FOR THIS COUNTY

Department of Agriculture Representative Makes Survey of Prince William Herds.

C. J. Stauber, representing the dairy division of the United States Department of Agriculture, was with the county agent Friday and Saturday visiting the farms of dairymen who had made application for the loan of department dairy bulls.

Seven of these men were able to meet the necessary requirements and four Holstein bulls will be sent down immediately, while the remaining three will be released as soon as they reach a serviceable age.

These young bulls are of the best breeding obtainable, and they should mean much for the future of the dairy industry in the county. These additions will bring the total number of Beltsville bulls in the county up to fourteen.

WASHINGTON PHYSICIAN AT GRACE CHURCH SUNDAY

Dr. R. Lyman Sexton, a prominent Washington physician, will speak at the Methodist Church Sunday, February 16th, at 7:30 p. m. A silver offering will be taken.

His subject will be "The Mountain People in the Shenandoah Park". Motion pictures will accompany his talk.

NEWS OF WEEK IN OLD VIRGINIA

Charlottesville Bonds Bought.

Charlottesville, Feb. 5.—Chase Securities Corporation of New York, and the State-Planters Bank and Trust Company have purchased \$875,000 city of Charlottesville, Va., bonds, which will be offered to the investing public within the next day or two, it was announced here.

The bonds yield 4.75 per cent and maturities of the bonds range from one to forty years. They are general improvement bonds.

Bill Taxes Chain Stores.

Richmond, Feb. 5.—Delegate Wilbur C. Hall, of Loudoun, who was instrumental in 1928 in killing a chain store tax measure because of its unconstitutionality, today introduced another measure designed to place a higher tax on the stores "to curb their monopolistic tendencies", which he believes will stand the test imposed by the constitution.

Fire Destroys Desk Plant.

Appomattox, Feb. 5.—Fire, starting from an overheated stove wiped out the factory and lumber yard of the Wagers Manufacturing Company here. The loss is estimated at \$10,000, partially covered by insurance.

The Wagers Manufacturing Company was the only plant in Virginia engaged in the manufacture of school desks, and was owned by N. G. Wagers.

The flames spread rapidly, rendering futile efforts of the local fire company to save the building and lumber yard. Firemen, aided by volunteers, with difficulty prevented the spread of the fire to near-by buildings.

Elm Trees Planted.

Yorktown, Feb. 4.—The planting of fifty-two elm trees along the highway leading from the Yorktown monument to the National Cemetery has been completed by J. A. Childress in charge of the planting for the Comte de Crasse Chapter, D. A. R. Mrs. L. R. O'Hara is chairman of the tree committee.

These elms will be dedicated as memorials to various persons, some chapter members and many others famed in local history.

Poultry in Car Loads.

Buckingham, Feb. 6.—The county farm agents of Buckingham and Fluvanna Counties are sponsoring a new idea in marketing for this section.

A carload lot of poultry is expected to be shipped this month if bids for birds are satisfactory, thus taking up the surplus fowls in both counties.

This is being done through the head of the Division of Markets, Richmond, and if bids are fairly high will be a boon to poultrymen having surplus fowls to dispose of.

Live Stock Burned.

Alberta, Feb. 5.—Three buildings, one large barn and two smaller ones, with most of their contents, were destroyed by fire early Monday night on the farm of B. C. Elmore, near Alberta. One pair of mules, four milch cows, two calves, five sets of harness, about twenty tons of feed, a motor truck and a binder were part of the loss. One pair of mules, one cow and one yearling that were in the opposite end of the building were saved. Two wagons were also pulled from the burning structure.

Timber Land Purchaser.

Monterey, Feb. 6.—One among the largest deeds recorded in Highland in recent years was received by Clerk I. L. Beverage this week, it being the transfer of between 4,000 and 5,000 acres of timber land, lying in this county, on Alleghany Mountain, near Warwick's Draft. The conveyance is from the Wain Lumber Corporation to the Forest Lumber Company, and the consideration named is \$225,000.

High Prohibition Mark.

Richmond, Feb. 5.—Seizure of 37

liquor stills, 41 bootleggers' cars valued at \$17,475, and 2,983 gallons of whisky valued at \$29,437, during the past six months is the proud boast of one prohibition agent and his trusty coupe, according to figures given out yesterday by Captain R. Q. Merrick, prohibition administrator of the district comprising Virginia, West Virginia and the Carolinas.

Byrd Is Honored.

Winchester, Feb. 5.—Dirt farmer and fruit grower friends of Harry F. Byrd cheered and applauded Monday night as the former governor rose to speak at a "home-coming" banquet in his honor at the George Washington Hotel.

R. Gray Williams, who served on several commissions, sketched the State's material and industrial development under Byrd's administration referring to it as a new era in the "Mother of States".

EGG PRODUCTION INCREASES.

Hens on American farms in 1929 produced eggs at the rate of 45,600 a minute, U. S. Government statistics show, while poultry as a whole created a net income of more than \$1,181,000,000 for the farmers of the nation. This places poultry well above wheat, oats, fruit, potatoes, and a long list of other farm products in rank as money makers for farmers.

Growing realization of the profits to be made from greater attention to the farm flock is responsible for the increased interest the farmer is now taking in the old hen coop. Once the chickens were left to "the women-folks" by the farmer, who felt that poultry was a "pin money" proposition. Now, with farm poultry in the "big money" class, the head of the house is beginning to take upon himself a large share of the work necessary to successful poultry raising.

Awakened Interest in Poultry.

This greatly awakened interest in poultry as a major farm product has resulted in constant improvement of farm flocks during the past few years, particularly since leading hatcheries of the country banded together under the slogan, "Hatchery Chicks for Greater Profits", to pledge improved stock to farmers.

In spite of this effort to make farm flocks sure-fire profit producers many farmers have failed to realize the importance of good stock and of improved methods in obtaining best results from their hens. The old-fashioned hen coop is no longer satisfactory. New-type brooding and laying houses, sanitation and scientific management are replacing the old hit-or-miss methods.

Increased egg production is the first step to greater profits from the poultry flock.

Hens must lay from 140 to 170 eggs a year to return a good profit to their owners, while the average for American farms is only 70 eggs per hen per year. Replacement of low-grade stock, and improved methods of caring for hens offer the two quickest methods of securing best results from the poultry flock, poultry experts advise.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear mother, Effie D. Lynn, who departed this life ten years ago today, February 5, 1920.

Ten years have passed, since that sad day,

When my dear mother was called away.

God took her home, it was his will, But in my heart I love her still.

In my heart your memory lingers, Tender, loving, kind and true;

There is not a day, dear mother, That I do not think of you.

You suffered hours; yes, hours of pain,

To wait for cure; but all in vain. So God alone, knew what was best, He called you home to give you rest.

From this world of pain and sorrow, To the land of peace and rest.

God has taken you, dear mother, Where you will find eternal rest.

It is lonely here without you, And sad all along the way,

For it is not the same to me, Since you were called away.

What happy days I once enjoyed; When we were all together.

But, oh! how changed it all is now, Since you have gone forever.

I have a picture framed of you, Framed in memory, loving and true.

None but mine eyes can see that face, Deep in my heart is its hiding place.

It matters not, which road I take; How dark or lonely it may be,

I know, oh God, will sometime join, The road that leads to thee.

Every day I think of you, dear mother And my heart is sad with pain,

Oh this world would be like heaven, If I could only hear your voice again.

Your loving daughter,

MYRTLE LYNN

Can't Blame Senate.

Washington Star.—It is evident that the fire in the Capitol in Washington was not due to a hot box on one of the wheels of legislation.

WATERFALL.

Mr. R. B. Gossom, jr., of the University of Maryland, and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wayland, of Occoquan, were guests at "Mt. Atlas" on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Howard Bell, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Granville Thoms, and Mrs. Albert Gaines, of Falls Church, returned to her home here on Saturday.

Miss Jean Smith, of Washington, spent several days at her home here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Clark, and the Messrs. Milton and Tom Davis, of Baltimore, visited relatives here last week.

Miss Bertha Owens, of "Mountain End", is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Leslie Crump, of Washington, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Kibler, of Clarendon, were guests at "Oak Shade" on Wednesday last.

Word has been received by his relatives here of the rapid convalescence of Mr. Granville Thomas, of Falls Church, who was operated on recently at Sibley Hospital for appendicitis.

Messrs. Burton Padgett and Omar Kibler, jr., of Washington, were guests at "Hagley" one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thornhill and son, Philip, are visiting relatives in Culpeper.

Messrs. R. B. Gossom and R. R. Smith were Manassas visitors on Saturday.

Miss Mattie Matthews, of Stone House, visited Miss Flora Smith on Wednesday last.

Mr. Frank Gossom, of Lynchburg, was the guest of relatives here last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sinclair, who spent last week with Mrs. Sinclair's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gossom, returned to their home in Washington, on Sunday.

Services will be conducted at Antioch Sunday a 11 o'clock a. m., by the pastor, the Rev. V. H. Council, weather and roads permitting.

GAINESVILLE

Miss Louise Pearson, of Manassas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Pearson.

Mrs. Milton, who has been ill for some time, is somewhat improved.

Mr. A. B. Cave and Mr. Will Armstrong have returned from a visit to Florida.

The Court of Appeals has held that if one continuously accepts and has use and benefit of a newspaper, he must be held liable for the subscription price.

Mrs. T. M. Piercy visited Mrs. John Clark on Tuesday. Mrs. Clark has been ill at her home here.

HICKORY GROVE SCHOOL FIVE POINT PUPILS

The following students at the Hickory Grove School have been pronounced as five point health pupils:

James Redmond Gossom, Elmer Lloyd Hensley, Billie Teel, Virginia Teel, Ollie Smith, Lester Leonard, Madie Leonard, and Rolfe Robertson, Jr.

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BUS SCHEDULE

Centerville-Manassas-Warrenton Line

Effective July 20, 1929.

Read Down	Read Up
A.M. P.M.	A.M. A.M. P.M.
7:30 2:30 5:00 Lv. Wash., D. C. (9 & Pa. Ave. N.W.)	Ar. 9:30 11:15 6:15
8:30 3:30 6:00 " Centerville	Lv. 8:25 10:15 5:15
8:45 3:45 6:15 Ar. Manassas, Cocke's Pharmacy	8:10 10:00 5:00
9:05 4:05 " Greenwich	9:40 4:40
9:25 4:25 " Warrenton, Warr. Green Hotel	9:25 4:25
11:15 6:15 " Luray	Lv. 7:30 2:30

All busses from Manassas make direct connection at Centerville for Washington, D. C. No waiting.

All busses from Manassas make direct connection at Warrenton for Luray, Va. and Intermediate Points.

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THINGS OF THE SOIL

The Manassas Journal's Complete Agricultural Service

By DAN VAN GORDER

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

FEASIBLE FACTS FOR FEBRUARY.

Although Spring does not begin officially until late in March, we somehow like to think of February as the proper month to start "making things grow", the month when Nature awakens life in twigs and branches of trees, when the sugar maple bucket heralds its luscious products on its way to its ultimate goal on buckwheat cakes. In fact February is the proper time to attend many details in garden and orchard. But despite the duties it brings, impatience and hurry should not displace caution and good judgment. Too early is often as disastrous as too late in Spring preparations.

This month is an excellent time to prune shade trees, shrubs and vines, if the work was not done last fall, as little "bleeding" will occur while growth is dormant. Don't leave stubs when pruning trees. Saw limbs off close to parent limb or trunk; paint bark and cambium layer of the wound with shellac, then disinfect the entire wound with creosote and give a heavy coating of white lead paint. All stubs from previous prunings should be cut back properly.

Dormant sprays for control of scale insects on shrubs, trees and other infected growths should be applied this month. Many owners complain each year of scale on lilacs and similar shrubs. These may be controlled by February spraying with miscible oil or kerosene emulsion. Either of these sprays is effective against all scale pests. These insects spend the winter protected in the bark crevices of trees and shrubs. Thorough covering of the entire surface with the must be applied before growth starts, spray is important. These sprays as they will seriously damage young buds and leaves.

Miscible oil sprays are sold by seed and spraying material dealers and drug stores under several trade names. Directions for diluting and applying on the containers should be followed. Kerosene emulsion can be bought already prepared, or can be made at home. Formula for home mixing will be sent to readers free upon request. It is well to remember in combatting scale pests that the dormant spray is the most effective and essential application for this purpose, and should not be neglected.

Lawns with poor sod should be reseeded the latter part of this month. A mixture of blue-grass, redtop, and English or Italian rye may be used. Or, a reliable brand of lawn grass seed is advised. Lawns should be given an early Spring feeding this month. Unless you know your lawn soil is acid, don't apply lime. Lime is not a plant food; it serves mainly to neutralize the acidity of the soil. Rather than apply stable manure with the danger of polluting the lawn with weeds, give it a surface feeding with 10-6-4 commercial fertilizer. The annual Spring raking urge should be curbed. There is no necessity or reason for tearing up the tender grass roots with a rake every Spring.

Early cauliflower seed should be sown in hotbeds early this month, and later transplant the seedlings into seed flats or coldframes. The trans-

plants should be set two or three inches apart each way to await transfer to the open later. Grow some cauliflower this year if you have never tried producing this excellent vegetable.

To have early celery plants for setting in late April, sow the seed of an early, self-blanching variety this month in flats. Being difficult to germinate, the seed should be sown in a pliable soil, preferably sandy, and kept moist. When the seedlings are large enough to handle, transplant them into other flats.

Seed for early cabbage should be sown toward the end of this month. There are several fine early varieties. After the plants are transplanted into other flats, harden them to outdoor conditions by giving them more air each day until permanent setting time.

Tomatoes should be started this month for early use. Plant the seed in flats and transplant seedlings into other flats or spent hotbed. Give young plants plenty of sunlight for rapid development.

There are several annual flowers which may be started late in February, such as heliotrope, celosia, lobelia, salvia, vinca, verbenas, etc. The seed should be sown in flats or pans, with good drainage materials in the bottom, covered with an inch or two of finely sifted garden loam containing some sand and leaf mold. The seed bed should be kept moist in a temperature between 60 and 70 degrees. Do not omit a single watering, or do not water too frequently. Keep soil surface covered with a newspaper and glass until seeds begin to germinate. The seedlings should be transplanted into other flats or pots as soon as they are large enough, and kept there until ready to plant in the open. Too early starting of annuals is to be avoided.

Make definite plans this month for a vegetable garden. More profitable use of a small plot of ground cannot be made than to produce succulent, home grown vegetables for the fam-

ily table. In fresh vegetables Nature has stored foods essential to the health of humanity. Eat more vegetables is a safe rule of health. Grow your own vegetables improved this rule both in measures of health and wealth.

FIVE POINT PUPILS AT HAYMARKET SCHOOL

The Haymarket School has set an exceptionally high mark for other schools in the county to aim at in the matter of good health. This school for the term ended January 21, recorded 137 Five Point pupils.

Those listed on the Five Point Roll are:

David Harrover, Jack Lightner, Ernest McQuin, William Roland, James Senseney, Robert Smith, Thomas Tyler, Dasie Adams, Elizabeth Foley, Margaret Gardner, Mary Benson Terrell, Lloyd Davis, Fowler Ashby, Smith Garrison, Richard Jordan, Hamilton Latham, Roy McQuin, Carl Smith, Josephine Adams, Edna Bodine, Dorothy Bodine.

Marie Clark, Dorothy Godfrey, Ruth Griffith, Annie Mayhugh, Bessie Sinclair, Virginia McQuin, Thomas Cornette, Lawrence Ellis, Henry Florence, Billy Garrett, Howard Melton, Hervin Polen, Alwylda Adams, Gloria Godfrey, Helen Osborne, Elise Smith, Cynthia Leonard Marie Smith, Della Beach, Louise Beach, Eva Garrison.

Somerville Gaines, Elizabeth Harrover, Virginia Piercy, Mac Tyler, Herman Minton, Audrey Bell, Robert Rollins, Robert Lunsford, Gladys Crouch, Rodney Ayers, George Corder, Thomas Goeth, Charles Leacke, Willard McQuin, Carlton Redmon, Marvin Smith, James Thomasson, Carroll Tulloss, Charles Wilkinson, Herman Robinson.

Mary Beach, Blanche Ellis, Virginia Gaines, Marie Hensley, Marquerite Latham, Katherine McQuin, Roberta Payne, Helen Rollins, Edna Sloper, Geneva Thomasson, Ruth Wells, Regina Rollins, Hornesberger Godfrey, Marshall Garth, Forrest Sinclair, Chester Lunsford, Peter Beach, Hammett Gough, Brice Tulloss, Cecil Sibold.

Wilton Ashby, Maurice Graham, Ernest Leonard, Thomas Sutphin, Virgil Hensley, George Hottle, John Wells, Helen Smith, Alvira Leonard, Annie McQuinn, Virginia Leacke, Mary Lee Clarke, Mildred Lunsford, Maphie Welsh, Mary Griffith, Shirley Fowler, Viola Ellis, Fay Schaeffer, Ruth Lunsford, Marvin Bealey.

Sarah McDormont, Frances Smith, Howard Bell, Carl Campbell, Wade C. Payne, Robert Redmon, Andrew

Smith, Artemus Smith, Harry Welsh, Edward Carter, Mary Parson Carter, Winifred Murdie, Bobbie Tyler, Tom Piercy, Roy Lunsford, Louie Fewell, Norman Ashby, Leon Rowler, Wilton Godfrey, James King.

Eugene Lunsford, Herman Payne, Donald Schaeffer, Palmer Smith, Omer Todd, Billie Tyson, Wallace Lunsford, Eddie Fewell, Nancy Rust, Katherine Sinclair, Evelyn Smith, Mary Sloper, Frances Davis, Ruth Ellis, Julia Clark.

OCCOQUAN

There will be an Oyster and Chicken Supper at the Methodist Church, Friday night, February 7th. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. Hattie E. Bailey, of Washington, made a business trip here on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wayland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Rector, of Washington, on Sunday.

Dr. Devins, of the State Health Department, is conducting a Dental Clinic in the High School. It is hoped that many patrons will respond in order that the children may become five pointers.

Announcement has been received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. James Cotton, of Washington, D. C., on January 27th. Mrs. Cotton will be remembered as Miss Helen Bailey of this place.

Mrs. J. W. Weedon, sr., is spending

some time in Washington with her daughter, Mrs. Dolph Schultz.

Mr. Gordon Leary, of the University of Virginia, spent the week-end with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Pierce and family spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Moore, at Culpeper. Mrs. Francis Petrola and son, of Washington, were guests of Mrs. John Leary on Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Burdette spent Sunday with Miss Kathleen Carter.

Mr. Caldwell Slack, of Washington, spent the week-end with his parents here.

Miss Mary Bryant spent the week-end with her parents here.

Mrs. R. L. Insko and Mrs. Betty Carter visited friends at Hoadly on Sunday.

Mrs. Theresa Davis has returned home after spending some time in Washington.

Miss Corine Fling, who has been sick, is able to be out again.

Mr. Henry McMahan was an Occoquan visitor on Sunday.

Mrs. George Selecman is spending some time with her mother at Hoadly. Mrs. Hattie Raily, of Washington, was an Occoquan visitor on Friday.

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Today, the whole trend of medical practice is away from needless "dosing," and millions of families in more than 60 countries use Vicks for all cold troubles. Ever-increasing demand for this better 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"—there are now "Over 26 Million Jars Used Yearly."



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A THEORY JUSTIFIED.

The whole story of interconnection of electric facilities simmers down to this: If central systems, serving wide territories, can provide the public with better service at a lower cost than localized or municipal plants, they are necessary. If not, there is no reason for their existence.

So far, mass production and distribution of electric power has more than justified the theory. Hundreds of small communities are now provided with the same standards of electric service and rates as great cities. The inefficient village or small town plant, with its high cost of operation and habit of breaking down or slowing up, as in Manassas, has all but disappeared.

The average citizen, when he presses a switch, wants the lights to go on, the iron to heat and motors to turn. At the end of the month he wants as small a bill from the utility as possible. And when he finds that great plants, with their unrivaled facilities for economical and uninterrupted operation, can give him a service that will do this, he is in favor of interconnection.

The future progress of Manassas as well as all rural America is going to depend, to a great extent, on the electric industry. Only great electric plants, serving thousands of homes, can overcome the disadvantage of sparse population that has hampered the development of local plants outside of sizeable cities. Electrical mass production and interconnection brings the greatest possible good to the greatest possible number.

OFFICIAL AGRICULTURAL OUTLOOK.

Just at a time when the farmers have been encouraged to believe that they will be quickly and greatly benefitted by the operations of the Federal Farm Board created by the farm relief legislation, comes the Bureau of Agricultural Economics of the Department of Agriculture, which is operated on economic and scientific lines, and proceeds to drape the roseate picture with a bountiful supply of crepe.

The chief features of the report may be summarized as follows:

That the demand for farm products in the coming Summer and Fall is not likely to be as good as it was a year ago.

That the demand for some farm products already has been affected by the decline in industrial activity since last June, with butter, cotton and wool noticeably affected.

That with the purchasing power of consumers in 1930 somewhat reduced below 1929, the farmer needs to follow a rather conservative production policy, and to plan his production expenditures accordingly.

That the competition to be met by American agriculture as a whole from foreign production will probably be somewhat

greater during the 1930-31 season than in 1929-30, especially from wheat, corn, flaxseed and pork products.

That no material change from recent levels of total farm income seems in prospect in the next five years.

On the other side of the ledger, farm financing and purchases, the Bureau states:

That the outlook for farm mortgage financing and for marketing credit are more favorable than a year ago, but that the outlook for production credit is less satisfactory in most of the South.

That the general price level for farm machinery is expected to remain about the same as during the past four years.

The Bureau sees one bright spot, however, from the farmer's viewpoint, which is:

That there will be a somewhat larger supply of farm labor for farm work at slightly lower wages for the first half of the year.

RAILROAD RECEIPTS.

The official survey of railroad earnings and expenses during the year in 1928, the last period for which complete data is available, has recently been released. It is of direct interest to the public.

The railroads received, for freight, passenger, mail and express transportation, and all other services, the sum of \$6,111,735,511.

Operating expenses—including wages, locomotive fuel, materials and supplies, insurance, depreciation and other such factors—totaled \$4,549,438,996 and the tax bill was \$389,432,415. Deducting these items, the lines had \$1,172,864,100 of operating receipts left.

Out of this the lines had to pay \$603,226,797 for rent of leased roads and interest on borrowed money. Cash dividends of \$431,030,910—which provided an average net return on total stock outstanding of but 5.3 per cent—were paid stockholders.

This left \$138,606,393. To this was added miscellaneous income, derived mainly from rental of property, of \$16,814,742, making a total balance of \$155,421,135, about two and one-half per cent of total receipts.

This was the comparatively small sum available for investment in new facilities, for making up deficiencies incurred in previous years and to help create reserves against bad years in the future, all of which are necessary factors to be considered in the operation of any industry. It is plain that railroad profits have been minimized, mainly by excessive taxation and restrictive legislation, to the point where the progress of our main source of transportation is threatened.

WORLD GROWS SMALLER.

More than 29,450,000 telephones, 85 per cent of all instruments in the world, are now connected for international communication. This network serves a population estimated at over 350,000,000.

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Transatlantic telephony is a new thing. What its ultimate results will be cannot be forecast. But it is certain that it will play a major part in the future industrial and social history of the entire world.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FOR FEBRUARY 9, 1930.

The International Sunday School Lesson for February 9 is "Warnings and Promises"—Matthew 7:1-29.

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS.

Lately I have been reading several volumes of excerpts from the wisdom literature of the various oriental nations. As I dug my weary way through chapter after chapter of these oft-lauded Eastern cults, I recalled Max Muller's saying, that research into the literature of oriental religions yields a few grains of wisdom for a great deal of chaff. My outstanding impression is of the vagueness of it all, and, in general, of its commonplaceness and unreality.

By contrast, we have the remarkable definiteness of the teachings of Jesus, as summarized in the Sermon on the Mount, which has furnished the text for three consecutive Sunday School Lessons. Jesus was as explicit as He was profound. The red blood of reality pulses in the arteries of His speech. There is no mistaking what He means in these great passages from Matthew's Gospel. They are not only clear, but they are also luminous. Any child may grasp the meaning to the Master.

Mulum in Parvo.

Take, for example, almost at random, these sentences from the present Lesson: what could be plainer or more explicit or more arresting; and yet more fraught with deeper meaning?

"Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened to you. For it is always he who asks that receives, he who seeks that finds."

"Or what man is there of you, who if his son shall ask him for a loaf, will give him a stone; or if he shall ask for a fish, will give him a serpent? If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children, how much more shall your Father who is in heaven give good things to them that ask Him?"

"All things, therefore, whatsoever ye would that men should do unto you, even so do ye also unto them."

Here was a new sort of teacher, telling men how to live the good life; how to find felicity; how to understand God. His principles were put forth as something to be practiced. Mere credal religion gets scant support from the Sermon on the Mount: every paragraph thunders the injunction, "Go and do it!"

By the common consent of the ages, the best and most workable law of life is that which Jesus here impacted into the few words colloquially called "The Golden Rule." Confucius once expressed the negative side of the same principle; but that is as near as the world's great thinkers ever got to this guide for everyday living.

It is a favorite verse for children: yet the longer we live and the farther we advance in understanding of life, the more profound and far-reaching this teaching seems. From formula for childhood's conduct it develops into a business code, and a law of international relationships.

There are still undiscovered depths and heights in this single sentence which, as Martin Luther quaintly says, ties up into a little bundle the teachings of the whole Sermon on the Mount. This apothegm is profoundest philosophy made portable. The Golden Rule, supplanting the world's rule of gold, is the way of the golden life.

Eugenists on Clergy's Children.

Many men, ministers especially, are finding it hard to keep calm and clear-eyed in the midst of so many new and revolutionary ideas which label themselves as religious. This shock of surprise and alarm surely cannot come to one who is familiar with the warnings of Jesus Himself, that false prophets would arise. There ever have been such, and there ever will be, deceiving the very elect.

What of it? Jesus gave an infallible test for proving them: the doctrine is to be interpreted by the deed. "By their fruits shall ye know them." One group of teachers in our time are making a lot of noise, as they attack the churches, the preachers, the Bible and the Christian religion. Many of the mentally immature are following them, simply because they do not have the good sense, or the Scriptural knowledge, to apply the Jesus-test of fruits.

Does today's new philosophy make for kindly, friendly living? for personal chastity? for contented homes? for individual industry and loyalty? for patriotism and reverence and spiritual peace? Such questions are answered in the asking: everybody

knows that the fruits of our modern and maudlin individualism are quite the contrary.

On the other hand, what are the fruits of even our most imperfect Christianity? I leave the reader to make his own answer; reminding him merely that on January 9, 1930, in the annual meeting of the American Eugenics Society—which is by no means a particularly pious organization—it was seriously proposed, "as a measure of racial benefit," that there be provided "a special stipend for the rearing of every child born to a clergyman." This measure was advocated because cold statistics have proved that the best quality of leaders arose from the progeny of the clergy. Verily, "By their fruits shall ye know them."

A Shock For Lip Religion.

That dry-witted Presbyterian who said he "had no religion to speak of" was rebuking the voluble Christians whose religion runs to vocabulary. It is interesting to note how Jesus hank from anything savoring of professionalism; His sharpest words were reserved for the Pharisees, who flaunted their religiousness. So in our Lesson the Master utters a terrible warning against voluble lip-service, the religion of mere phraseology: "Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of My Father Who is in heaven."

For the doers, instead of the talkers, Jesus told the story of the man who built his house on the bed-rock, as contrasted with the short-sighted sand-dweller, whose habitation the first rush of hilly Syria's storms would sweep away. The man whose deeds express his devotion is firmly fixed: no floods can move him. In other words, our Lord was the exponent of the true, the tested, the enduring, the real.

The Teacher Who Saw Straight.

It is quite fashionable, even in the "new" social philosophies, to appeal to the example and teaching of Jesus for support. No notion is too wild, no scheme for social reorganization too fantastic, no cause or movement too bare-brained, to attempt to buttress itself with such phrases as "Jesus taught," "Jesus showed," "Jesus did." Seldom in all this rampant appeal to Jesus is there printed a footnote giving chapter and verse. Yet what Jesus was and said and did is not a matter of speculation; it is all in the New Testament. Anybody who will take the trouble to read can learn for himself what Jesus really said and did.

Over against the dark cloud of discussion and debate which has arisen on our day's literary horizon, we see shining the clear fact that Jesus was no mere speculative thinker, no theorist. He spoke with authority. What He thought was set forth in explicit terms. Because "He knew what was in man" He saw straight into the heart of reality. Surrounded by life's everydayness, and life's common people, with all of their faults and frailties, as well as their possibilities, he perceived clearly and set forth strongly the truths that apply and that are practicable. Always He spoke of what He knew: He was no second-hand commentator, but an Original Authority.

Press Comment

Antiques, Novelties, Knickknacks. Springfield News—Gentlemen may prefer blondes, but gentlemen just shut their eyes and take what comes.

How Many Do?

Atchison Globe—We have always admired a man who could quit drinking without becoming an evangelist.

Yeah?

Toledo Blade—Where obscurity is desired there is nothing like long skirts for hiding legs never intended by Mother Nature for exhibition.

There's a Game.

Toledo Blade—We like to look at basket ball as played by two high school teams. It is so different from a crooning broadcast.

Asking Too Much.

Philadelphia Inquirer—"In drying up Washington," says the Louisville Courier-Journal, "care should be taken not to overlook Senator Heflin," but no one is asking the police to work miracles.

Try It Yourself.

Arkansas Gazette—An intelligence test you might see how many of your friends can name the seven other amendments in the Constitution of the United States.

OLD HOMES ON AND NEAR "QUALITY RIDGE".

By A. M. EWELL.

"Quality Ridge" was the name given in former days by certain simple folk, white and colored, to a certain ledge of high ground lying, roughly speaking, parallel with the Mountain, and said to be the highest point between the said mountain and Washington City. It extends from Bull Run on the north to Catharpin Run on the southeast, crossing Chestnut Lick, which here runs through a wooded gorge. From some points on this high ground one gets beautiful views of the Mountain itself about two miles away, looking strikingly dark and high, and showing its full length from Aldie in Loudoun to Thoroughfare.

The old house on the Ridge near Bull Run, which is also the Loudoun Line, is "Prospect Hill", an old Hutchison home, now falling to ruin. On seeing it one is filled with regret for what was once a most attractive dwelling. Its many dormer windows still glimmer above the long shingled roof, its old stone kitchen still suggests the generous style of Antebellum cooking once done there. A few box-bushes, reduced to skeletons by nibbling colts, still survive—pitiful reminders of the once green masses, higher than the eaves of the house and, according to tradition, once trimmed into fanciful shapes. A few of the old shade trees are left, the grass is still green in patches, but if dilapidation continues unchecked we fear this once attractive old home will soon share the fate of "Waterloo". It is now the very oldest Hutchison house left and is supposed to be a part of the adjoining farm, "Egypt". "Prospect Hill" some years ago was much the prettier place. It is to be hoped that some day some descendant of the family will rescue it from complete ruin.

Going south from this place, with in the right Mr. Parker Wilson's home and a lovely view of the Mountain beyond, one of its greatest attractions, we pass the former home of a man once well known in Prince William, Mr. George Galleher. There is a tragic old tale connected with this place, though that is now "another story". It does not look tragic—only home-like and comfortable. The Mansion is not the original one at this spot.

Admiral Cockburn's Uncle.

Crossing Chestnut Lick, here borders a picture-book wooded hills, we reach "The Shelter", which is not only old but like "Evergreen", still belongs to a descendant of the original owners—he having been no less a personage than Martin Cockburn of "Springfield" in the Mt. Vernon and Gunston neighborhood, and uncle to the redoubtable Admiral Cockburn who captured and burned Washington City. The oldest part of the Shelter house, the lower and thick-walled part, is undoubtedly ancient—and was probably the summer home of Martin Cockburn. There is a tradition that he spent a part of his time here, and old books, mostly in Latin with his name in them, not to speak of other belongings, bear witness to that fact. For people in the "chill country" near the Potomac a summer home was often a necessity. He was a Scotchman by birth, but came early in life to Virginia, and seemed to leave a most pleasant impression on all who knew him. He has been largely written up, notably by Bishop Meade. His home at "Springfield" is still standing, though much altered for the worse, very near "Gunston Hall", and he and George Mason were friends. As the Scotch who remembered Culloden were not then in love with the English Government it is probable that Martin Cockburn at least somewhat influenced Mason's ideas of American Independence, resulting in The Bill of Rights. The name of Cockburn is a noble one in Scotland, and is pronounced "Coburn". Martin Cockburn married a Miss Bronaugh, and having no children his name and estate passed through her to her people. The present writer has some interesting old china which once belonged to a Mrs. Martin Cockburn Bronaugh. That however "is another story".

Interesting Legends.

"The Shelter" is a very picturesque old house. Mr. Bailey Tyler, the present owner, has many interesting tales to tell of it—among other things of the ghost, for it was once supposed to be haunted by a trouble spirit, the shade of one of the "Rattlesnake Gramps" who died there. It is unfortunate that one of our best Prince William old families should, by indulgence in bad temper have acquired such a nickname, and we hope that the Shelter Ghost e'en though once venomous as a serpent is now like a Run on the north to Catharpin Run and the southeast, crossing Chestnut Lick, which here runs through a wooded gorge. From some points on this high ground one gets beautiful views of the Mountain itself about two miles away, looking strikingly dark and high, and showing its full length from Aldie in Loudoun to Thoroughfare.

Quite An Accomplishment.

Florida Times-Union—Tiffin, Ohio, man wants a divorce from his wife, claiming that she makes home brew. It has generally been conceded that a wife who can make good home brew is considered a first-water jewel.

Playing the Game.

Los Angeles Times—When King Amanullah of Afghanistan left his throne for the Riviera he took most of the treasury with him. Thus proving that Hoyle was right. The king can take the jack.

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Going south from this point there is a truly magnificent view of the Mountain and of the valley between. At the Sudley Road we turn to the left awhile, going eastward and down from the top of the Ridge to "Stepney"—most homelike and attractive old Lewis place, and the present home of the Bernard-Smiths. Here is a most judicious blending of styles, an old house harmoniously united with a newer one, not to speak of Wepplewhite furniture and fine old family portraits. One loves to see the past holding its own this way, though with late improvements added. "Stepney" has long been a seat of hospitality. The name suits the place. It is so emphatically old English. The still older Lewis home was "Warner Hall" in Gloucester County, a once famous mansion now burned.

A little further on in this direction is "Lawnville", for many years the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lynn. He was one of our honored veterans of the Eighth Virginia Regiment, C. S. A., and Mrs. Lynn a most valued member of the U. D. C. Chapter of this same name. Both have long passed away. Before their time at "Lawnville" it belonged to the Thorntons, a family renowned for the beauty of its women. I once met one of them as an old lady, and she was beautiful still. The old Thornton-Lynn house was partly destroyed by fire, but built up again by Mr. Holmes Robertson, its present owner.

We now come back to the top of the Ridge, and the very highest point of all—Snow Hill.

Grand Colonial Mansion.

Snow Hill house is our nearest approach to a really grand Colonial home-like and comfortable. The Mansion. It was built about the middle of the Eighteenth Century for a Mr. Brooke who must have been a lineal descendant of that Edmund Crossing Chestnut Lick, here borders a picture-book wooded hills, we reach "The Shelter", which is not only old but like "Evergreen", still belongs to a descendant of the original owners—he having been no less a personage than Martin Cockburn of "Springfield" in the Mt. Vernon and Gunston neighborhood, and uncle to the redoubtable Admiral Cockburn who captured and burned Washington City. The oldest part of the Shelter house, the lower and thick-walled part, is undoubtedly ancient—and was probably the summer home of Martin Cockburn. There is a tradition that he spent a part of his time here, and old books, mostly in Latin with his name in them, not to speak of other belongings, bear witness to that fact. For people in the "chill country" near the Potomac a summer home was often a necessity. He was a Scotchman by birth, but came early in life to Virginia, and seemed to leave a most pleasant impression on all who knew him. He has been largely written up, notably by Bishop Meade. His home at "Springfield" is still standing, though much altered for the worse, very near "Gunston Hall", and he and George Mason were friends. As the Scotch who remembered Culloden were not then in love with the English Government it is probable that Martin Cockburn at least somewhat influenced Mason's ideas of American Independence, resulting in The Bill of Rights. The name of Cockburn is a noble one in Scotland, and is pronounced "Coburn". Martin Cockburn married a Miss Bronaugh, and having no children his name and estate passed through her to her people. The present writer has some interesting old china which once belonged to a Mrs. Martin Cockburn Bronaugh. That however "is another story".

After the Brookes at Snow Hill came the Stuarts who lived there for many years. It was then sold to Mr. Henry Lynn, and has lately been sold again to Mr. Otis Latham. The original old square house at Snow Hill is well-built and on a large scale. If it could be harmoniously added to, say with two wings joined either directly to the house or by colonnades the effect would be truly worthy of its very fine site. We shall hope some day to see this. There are more interesting traditions connected with the place. One is to the effect that it was largely built with lumber hewn from a gigantic poplar that grew up on the spot, and that the stump is still under the house. One cannot help thinking that this, if true, would have called for a Redwood in size. Another tale is that an Indian, of course a Chief, disputed the right to build here, was killed in a fight which ensued and buried under the house. Again interesting, if true. But we would rather dwell upon the gentle "Knights of the Horse-Shoe".

Editor's Note—Next week an article, "More About Old Homes near the Mountains", from the pen of Mrs. R. B. Gosson, will appear.

PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT.

I announce my candidacy for Congress from the Eighth Virginia Congressional District, and for the November general election of 1930, and to the national Congress of my Country, the United States of America.

JOHN M. DANIEL.

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CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to express my thanks and deep appreciation to my neighbors and friends for their kindness during the illness and death of my brother, Richard H. Cooper. 38-1t* LAURA E. COOPER.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend to our relatives and friends our heartfelt thanks for the acts of kindness and sympathy shown during the sickness and death and for the beautiful floral offerings to our dear and beloved mother. Gertrude E. Spittle, Sister and Brother. 38-1t

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends, neighbors and relatives for their kindness and help during the illness and death of our son and husband, Alton. We assure you that everything that was done from the least to the greatest was appreciated beyond expression. G. A. Gossom, his wife, Brownie, and Family. 38-1t

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend to our neighbors and friends sincere thanks and appreciation for the many favors during the sickness and death of our father and husband. Mrs. T. I. Sullivan and Family. 38-1t

LINCOLN STORIES.

The Magazine of The Washington Star for Sunday, February 9, is devoted largely to new Abraham Lincoln material—stories and articles on the Civil War President. Research has developed much new and interesting material, all skillfully set forth in the Magazine. Order your copy of next Sunday's Washington Star from your newsdealer today.—Adv.

NEW CITY HALL.

Petersburg, Feb. 5.—The town council of Colonial Heights near Petersburg has decided to have a new municipal hall. The contract for the erection of the building has been awarded to C. F. Watkins.

The contract price was \$5,878. Work will begin at once.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

The chorus class of the Woman's Club will meet in Parish Hall on Tuesday, February 11, at 1:30 p. m.

Miss Natalie Larkin, who recently accepted the position of Society Editor of the Army and Navy Journal, spent the week-end with her parents.

Miss Mary Jasper, a pupil in the typing class at the Manassas High School, wrote a perfect test for 15 minutes on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Bell, home demonstration agent of the county, will leave here shortly for Highland County, where she will carry on a similar work.

Mr. Albert A. Leonard, of Midland, and Miss Elizabeth Lee Hiner, of Waterloo, were married on Wednesday morning by Rev. George Hasel, at the parsonage.

Miss Sarah Pitts, of Charlottesville, who has been appointed home demonstration agent of the county to succeed Miss Bell, transferred, will arrive to take up her work on Monday, February 10.

Mrs. Robert Bateman and little daughter, Gertrude, of Riva, Md., are visiting at the home of Mrs. C. V. Sauvener this week.

Miss Eugenia Osbourne, who is spending some time in Washington doing research work at George Washington University, was a week-end visitor to her home.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Lutheran Church will meet at the parsonage on Tuesday, February 11, at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Simpson are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Chester Frederick, born January 29, at Alexandria Hospital.

The Ladies' Guild of Trinity Episcopal Church plan to give a series of luncheons during the week beginning March 17. Lunch will be served each day between the hours of 12 to 2 p. m.

Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, Mrs. Gibson, and the Misses Eleanor Gibson and Anne Bradford, are in Washington today attending the performance of Robin Hood.

Mrs. E. Swavely has returned from a brief visit in Washington.

Mrs. Anna G. Cline, member of the school board from Dumfries, was in town yesterday attending a School Board meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. White announce the birth of a son on Monday. Mr. White is the head miller of Manassas Milling Corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Blevins are rejoicing in the arrival of a baby girl on Thursday, February 6. Mr. Blevins is the night miller for the Manassas Milling Corporation.

SWAVELY NOTES

On Monday, in connection with the "Winter Lecture Course", Mr. W. W. Ellsworth delivered an interesting and instructive lecture, illustrated by lantern slides on "Shakespeare and Old London".

Mr. Ellsworth also delivered the address at Sunday vespers, his subject being "The English Bible".

Mr. Reeves, graduate-manager of Lafayette College, visited his son, Mr. Gendell Reeves, and Mrs. Reeves at the beginning of the week.

On Monday, at Ballston, our basket all team defeated Washington and Lee High School by 37-14.

This evening at 8:15 the next feature of the Winter Course will take place—an exhibition by "Mardoni, the Escape Artist", the successor of Houdini.

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VIENNA

REMARKABLE FIGURE IS MR. EDWARD TYLER

Is Vigorous In Mind and Body As He Enters His Ninety-Fourth Year.

Entering now upon his ninety-fourth year, Mr. Edward Tyler, of this community, presents a remarkable figure of both mental and physical vigor.

Born in England during the reign of King William the Fourth, he has lived through the reigns of Queen Victoria, King Edward the Eighth, and bids fair to outlive King George the Fifth.

Accustomed to work all of his life, until about two years ago, Mr. Tyler performed the major portion of the manual labor on his farm, and except in the winter time, regularly brought his milk and cream into town three times a week.

He came to this state when a young man, and soon demonstrated his worth as a practical agriculturist, and his services were sought by men with estates like those owned by the late Robert Portner, and C. A. Heinekin. The broad vineyards of Annaburg were of his planting and dressing.

His skill as a sheep shearer challenged many a contestant; but it is believed that his record of one hundred and four sheep in one day remains unbroken.

He has recently retired from the active work of farming, and now resides in Manassas; but his mind is as clear and as active as in the days of his prime.

Although he has passed the allotted span of human life, his many friends wish for him many more years of happiness and usefulness.—(Contributed.)

DUMFRIES VIRGINIA DARE LODGE INSTALLS

Liberty Rebekah Lodge, Alexandria, Conducts Impressive Installation Ceremony At Dumfries.

Officers of Virginia Dare Lodge No. 66, of Dumfries, were installed at the last meeting. The installing team from Liberty Rebekah Lodge, Alexandria, Va., conducted the exercises with much pomp and ceremony, and the whole affair was magnificently done.

Following the business meeting members and out-of-town guests repaired to the dining hall where sumptuous refreshments were served by a committee in charge of this phase of the program.

Officers of the Dumfries lodge for

the ensuing year who were installed are:

Noble Grand, Mrs. Annie G. Cline; Vice Grand, Mrs. Mary Williams; Conductor, Miss Lillian Williams; Warden, Mrs. Ada Thrope; Chaplain, Mrs. Beulah Brawner.

Noble Grand Supports: Right Support, Mrs. Nellie Purvis; Left Support, Miss Mary Agnes Love; Vice Grand Supports, R. S., Mrs. Belle Rison; L. S., Miss Dorothy White; Outside Guardian, Mrs. Janie Abel; Inside Guard, Miss Lucy Lewis; Musician, Carlton Garrison.

The committee on refreshments consisted of the Misses Lillian Williams, Mary Agnes Love, Isabelle Rison, Lucy Lewis, and Mr. Carlton Garrison.

PROMINENT CITIZEN DIED LAST THURSDAY

T. I. Sullivan, Aged 81 Years, Is Buried From Oak Grove Church.

Mr. T. I. Sullivan, aged 81 years, and a life-long resident of Prince William County, died Thursday, January 30, at his home. Funeral services were held at Oak Grove Church on Sunday with a large crowd of relatives and friends in attendance. The pallbearers were six of the grandsons of the deceased.

Mr. Sullivan was one of the best known citizens of the county, a delightful neighbor and active during his life in promoting the interests of Prince William County. A wide circle of friends in his immediate community and throughout the county will mourn his passing. Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan celebrated their fifty-ninth wedding anniversary last December.

Surviving are the widow, five children, thirty grandchildren, and thirty great grandchildren. The five children are Fred T. Sullivan, of Milford, Nebraska; Ollie and Julian, of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Grace Potter, of Bladensburg, Md., and Mrs. R. M. Oleyar, of Independent Hill.

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CATHARPIN

Rev. and Mrs. Charles F. Phillips have returned from a visit to Mrs. Phillips' parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Ragan, of Moorefield, Ky., and it is expected that services will be held at Sudley Sunday morning.

Mrs. Robert Haislip has been ill during the past week with an attack of asthma.

Mrs. Emmett Pattie has been on the sick list for several days this week.

Little Patricia Briggs, infant daughter of Mrs. Raymond L. Briggs, was taken to Warrenton last week where she was successfully treated by Dr. Bailey for ulcer of the cornea.

"Aunt" Frances Beal is quite ill at her home near Catharpin. Her many friends wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pattie entertained a number of the young people of the community on the evening of January 25th.

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

Mrs. Raymond L. Briggs was a caller at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Etta Lynn Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. L. A. Robbins, who has been seriously ill with an abscessed tooth,

is recovering since her visit to Warrenton Hospital where she underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbins and family recently moved to this community from Wise County, Va., and reside at the Patton farm now owned by Mr. F. H. Sanders.

Miss Audrey McIntosh was a caller at "Bellefarm" Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Shelton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Collins, of "Marble Hill". Mrs. Shelton will be remembered as Miss Mildred Collins.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Brower are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Hon. and Mrs. Russell Holman Willis, of Roanoke.

HICKORY GROVE SCHOOL HONOR ROLL PUPILS

The following pupils have made the necessary averages justifying their enrollment on the Honor Roll for the third six weeks:

Sixth Grade—Rosa Gardner and Louis Gossom. Fourth Grade—H. Clay Gossom. Grade One—Rolf Robertson, jr. Grade Two—Lucille Gardner. The name of James Gossom, of Grade Six, was placed on the second honor roll, as he had the necessary scholastic marks, but had missed time through absence.

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GRAPE FRUIT, 3 for	25c

GROCERIES

All Santos Red Bag Coffee, lb.	25c
C&K 5 O'Clock Coffee, lb.	31c
Wilkins Breakfast Coffee, lb.	38c
Premium Brand Coffee, lb.	40c
Mammy's Favorite 4-lb. Buckets	\$1.45
Maxwell House Coffee, lb.	43c
5 cakes P. & G. Soap	19c
5 cakes Star Soap	19c
Small Chipso	10c
Large Chipso	23c
Olympia Peas	23c
1 lb. jar Peanut Butter	23c
2 lb. 6 oz. Apple Butter	23c
2 lb. 10c cans Vienna Sausage, 2 for	15c
2 lb. 10c can Tomato Soup, 2 for	15c

MEATS

Pork Chops, lb.	25c
Sausage, lb.	25c
Round and Loin Steak, lb.	35c
Stew Meat, lb.	18c
Roast, lb.	23c to 28c

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LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA:
IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF
THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
COUNTY OF PRINCE WILLIAM,
JANUARY 23, 1930.

IN CHANCERY.
CHARLES A. E. KING
vs.

DORIS B. KING.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii upon the grounds of wilful desertion continuing for a period of three years. And an affidavit having been made and filed in this office that the defendant, Doris B. King, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, and that her last post office address is unknown to the complainant.

It is therefore ordered that the said defendant do appear here within ten days from due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Manassas Journal, a newspaper published and circulated in Prince William County, and a copy of the same be posted, by the Clerk of this court, at the front door of the Court House of said County on or before the 27th day of January, 1930; that being the next Rule day after this order is entered.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

A true copy:

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

FRANK P. MONCURE, p. q. 37-4t

SALE OF VALUABLE FARM LAND.

Under and by virtue of a certain decree entered on the 11th day of June, 1929, by the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia, in the cause of F. M. Osborne, Gdn., against Nannie Virginia Osborne, et al., the undersigned special commissioner of sale therein named, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 8th, 1930, at about noon of that day, in front of The Peoples National Bank, of Manassas, in the town of Manassas, Va., all that certain tract of land lying and being situate on the Carolina Road, within about one mile of the town of Haymarket, and being the home-site of that certain farm known as "Wayside", containing 52.3 acres, more or less.

While this tract has no mansion house thereon (the same having been destroyed by fire), there is a beautiful location for one, surrounded with shade and shrubbery, on a good elevation, and has some out-buildings. The land is located in a most delightful section of the county, surrounded with good neighbors, churches and schools with an improved hard surface highway passing along, or through the property.

Terms of sale—One-third cash, the deferred payments to be of one-third of the sale price and payable respectively in nine and eighteen months, with interest on the deferred payments from day of sale till paid.

THOS. H. LION,
Commissioner of sale.

I, G. G. Tyler, Clerk of aforesaid Court, do certify that bond has been executed in above styled cause as provided, or stated in aforesaid decree. 38-4t. GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

ANTIOCH SCHOOL HAS HONOR ROLL PUPILS

Colored School At Waterfall Lists Many Pupils With High Averages.

The Antioch colored school at Waterfall closes the third six weeks of the school year with a creditable list of pupils who have attained averages necessary to enrollment on the Honor Roll. These pupils have been honored:

First Grade—Octavia Brown and Gilbert Stokes. Second Grade—Myrtle Hatcher and Gladys Lansdowne. Third Grade—Wilmer Lansdowne. Second Honor Roll which carries those with necessary scholastic averages but who were absent, finds the following pupils listed: First Grade—Naomi Gaskins, Francis Lansdowne and Sarah Winston. Third Grade—Smith Hall.

Fifth Grade—Francis Bridget, Mabel Thomas and L. Winston. Sixth Grade—Russell Butler and Gordon Lansdowne. Seventh Grade—Evelyn Stewart and James Winston. Second Honor Roll—Fifth Grade—Wade Gaskins.

That Worry Is Gone.

Houston Post-Dispatch—We keep hearing about a war between the sexes. Personally we long since surrendered.

CHURCH NOTICES

GRACE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, South, Rev. George Hasel, minister. 9:45 a. m., Sunday School. J. P. Pullen, superintendent. 11:00 a. m., Special Service for Young People. 3:00 p. m., Burke. 6:45 p. m., Senior League. 7:30 p. m., sermon by the pastor. Everybody welcome.

MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH, Rev. Hiram D. Anderson, pastor. Worship at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., Mr. L. Ledman, superintendent. Senior B. Y. P. U., 6:45 p. m., Miss Janet Trusler, president. Junior B. Y. P. U., 6:45 p. m., Mrs. Harrell, leader. "Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire."

BETHEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, Manassas, Rev. Luther F. Miller, pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Divine Worship and sermon at 2:30 p. m.

MT. ZION EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, Nokesville, Rev. Luther F. Miller, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m. Divine Worship and sermon at 11 a. m.

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH Manassas. Rev. Michael J. Cannon, pastor. Catechism every Saturday at 10 a. m. Sunday masses, Manassas, first, second and fourth Sundays at 8 a. m.; third and fifth Sundays at 10:30 a. m.

Minnieville—Masses on first, second and fourth Sundays at 10:30 a. m.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, rector. Morning prayer with sermon by the rector at 11 a. m. Church School at 9:45 a. m., Mr. F. R. Hynson, superintendent. Swavely School vesper service at 6:30 p. m., with address by President Swavely.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Rev. W. A. Hall, pastor. The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., Mr. F. G. Sigman, superintendent. Christian Endeavor Society meets at 6:45 p. m. Union Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH, T. S. Dalton, pastor. Service on Third Sunday at 11 a. m., and Saturday preaching at 2:30 p. m.

WOODBINE BAPTIST CHURCH, Rev. V. H. Council, pastor. Worship at 11 a. m., first and fifth Sunday of the month. Everybody welcome.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH Haymarket. Rev. W. F. Carpenter, rector. Sunday School at 10 a. m.; morning prayer with sermon at 11:10 a. m.

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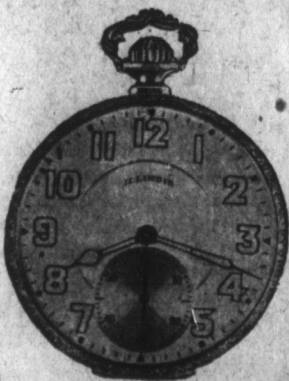
MASONIC NOTICES

Manassas Lodge No. 182, A. F. & A. M., meets in the Masonic Temple on First Friday evening of each month at 8 p. m.

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STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Questionnaire on Public Health.

CHAPTER IV.

1. What general rule applies to the manner of contracting communicable diseases?

A. A communicable disease can only be contracted by getting into the body secretions, excretions or discharges from the body of a human having these germs.

2. How, then, can we classify these diseases?

A. According to the way these diseases leave the body.

3. What diseases are carried by the secretions from the eye?

A. Pink eye and trachoma.

4. What is pink eye?

A. Acute inflammation of the eyes, lasting one or two weeks. Most people are susceptible. Germs are in secretions of the eye and are readily carried by using the same towel or basin or on fingers.

5. What precautions should a person who has pink eye take?

A. Consult a doctor, use antiseptic eye wash given by doctor. Do not use towel or basin used by others and do not shake hands with any one.

6. What is trachoma?

A. A rare and chronic disease of the eyes not readily communicable and difficult to treat.

7. What should a victim of trachoma do?

A. Consult a good eye specialist and follow his instructions. He should not use towel or basin used or to be used by others or shake hands with other people.

8. How may the diseases transmitted by the secretions of mouth and nose be sub-divided?

A. Those that are accompanied by cough and sneeze are called "spray-borne", and those in which the patients do not cough and sneeze are called "non-spray-borne".

9. Why use the word "spray"?

A. Because in coughing or sneezing the germs are discharged in minute particles or spray, hence spray-borne.

10. Which group are most readily communicated?

11. Why?

A. Because the spray-borne are carried as the non-spray-borne and

also broadcast by the spray in coughing and sneezing.

12. How are non-spray-borne carried?

A. Any way by which the secretions of the mouth can get from one mouth to another.

13. Mention some ways.

A. Common drinking cup, putting into the mouth anything that may be soiled by the secretions from the mouth of another.

14. What two rules would best prevent these diseases?

A. The two simplest rules: Rule 1—"Whenever you cough or sneeze, bow your head or put a handkerchief over your mouth and nose." Rule 2—"Don't put into your mouth fingers, pencils or anything else that does not belong there, or use a common drinking cup."

15. What are the spray-borne diseases?

A. Tuberculosis, influenza, grippe, bad colds, measles, whooping cough.

16. What are the non-spray-borne diseases?

A. Mumps, diphtheria, scarlet fever, meningitis.

DUMFRIES

Mrs. Belle Rison entertained at a Five Hundred party on Saturday last. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Castelle, Mr. Carlton Garrison, Mr. Archie Keys, and the Misses Rison.

A number of the Dumfries folks attended the Mid-Winter Carnival at the Post Gymnasium in Quantico.

The younger set enjoyed the coasting during the past week, but now seem to be nursing bruises and stiff joints.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Garrison had as their guests on Sunday their son, Mr. Chancellor Garrison, and wife; Mrs. Thomas Crimons and their daughter, Mrs. Jessie Amidon, all of Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. George Waters announce the birth of a son.

The young people are very much interested in the Dramatic Club which was recently started by our Episcopal minister, Rev. Charles Leavell, of the Seminary.

Miss Lillian Williams and Miss Lucy Lewis spent the past week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weedon, of Quantico.

Miss Mary Agnes Love and Mr.

Kenon Davis motored to Washington Sunday.

Dr. Cole, of Fredericksburg, was in Dumfries twice during the past week to see Dr. Cline, who has been ill since June.

The Court of Appeals has held that if one continuously accepts and has use and benefit of a newspaper, he must be held liable for the subscription price.

Mr. and Mrs. Magruder Keys and Mr. and Mrs. French Brawner visited Mr. and Mrs. George Waters last week.

Mrs. D. C. Cline and Miss Katherine DuValle also called on the "Waters".

The Missionary Society of the M. E. Church is holding its meeting at Mrs. Ruel Waters this month.

Mrs. Emily Charles and children, of Richmond, who have spent two months with Mrs. Charles' sister, Mrs. Eastman Keys, have joined her husband in Uniontown, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Crawford announce the birth of a daughter last week.

Mrs. William A. Speake is confined to her home by illness.

YOUNG EDWARD H. COOPER DIES IN MARYLAND

Little Edward Hawes Cooper, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Cooper, died at his home near La Plata, Maryland, on January 23, following a short illness. The remains were brought to Manassas for burial and laid to rest in Valley View Cemetery. Surviving are the parents and a brother and sister.

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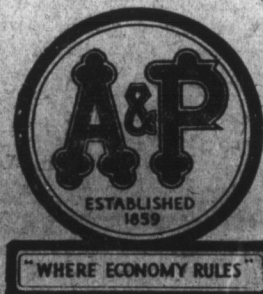
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COUNTY WIDE FARM SURVEY ADVANCES

Research Work By Community Committees Reveals Need of More Lime and Legumes In County.

Results of the survey now being voluntarily made by the Prince William community agricultural committees already indicate that there is a great need for more lime and soil improving legumes in the county. That an increased interest is being shown as a result of the work of the committee is also indicated by the number of inquiries received by the county agricultural agent as to the amount of lime to apply, the requirements of different crops, what form of lime to use and where it may be obtained. The reply to these inquiries as given below is based upon experimental results and observations.

What Are The Lime Requirements of Crops?

There is a difference in the lime requirements of crops. For example, alfalfa, sweet clover and red clover commonly fail when the soil is deficient in lime; alsike clover, cowpeas, soybeans, and vetch are decidedly helped; bluegrass, timothy, corn, wheat, oats and barley are moderately helped; red top, rye and potatoes are little affected, while watermelons, dewberries and strawberries may be actually injured. However, all of these crops may be indirectly greatly benefited by lime except the last group. For example, clovers and other legumes are benefited by lime and these crops and organic matter and nitrogen to the soil which is beneficial to all crops regardless of their lime requirement. Again, when lime is applied immediately before a corn crop the corn shows only moderate benefits from its use, yet if the corn is grown in a rotation with clover is greatly benefited and when the land comes around to corn again the corn is greatly improved.

How Much Lime Should We Apply?

There are no experiments which show exactly how much lime to apply under a given condition and the rules given below are simply based upon observations which show that the amounts suggested have paid. Basing results on this principle, the recommendation for alfalfa and sweet clover is two to three tons of State lime or its equivalent to the acre; for rotations including red, sapling or alsike clover, two tons of State lime

or its equivalent, as a first application to land which has not been limed for six or more years and, thereafter, half these amounts every four or five years.

For rotations including soybeans, cowpeas or vetch, one to one and one-half tons of State lime or its equivalent as a first application and half this amount every four or five years is recommended.

What Kind of Lime Should We Use and Where May It Be Obtained?

Remembering that one ton of burned unslacked lime, 1½ tons of hydrated lime, 2 tons of marl, 2 tons of oyster shells or 2 tons of ground limestone will get approximately the same results, we can then go about determining which of these equivalent amounts can be put on the land at the lowest cost.

State ground limestone may be ordered from the Department of Agriculture and Immigration at Richmond. Burned lime may be obtained from a number of dealers in the county. It should be remembered when buying the burned form that 56 pounds of the ground unslacked which may now be obtained in moisture-proof bags, will do the work of 74 pounds of hydrated lime, while the cost per ton is approximately the same.

BRENTSVILLE SCHOOL LATEST HONOR ROLL

The following pupils of the Brentsville School made the Honor Roll for the past six weeks:

First Grade—Virginia Bradshaw, Louise Mundy, Hazel Counts, and Clifford Reedy. Second Grade—Dorothy Keys. Sixth Grade—Lloyd Keys.

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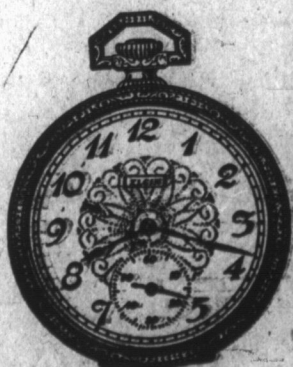
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Death Came On Monday Following An Illness of Several Months.

George Alton Gossom, jr., second son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gossom, of Waterfall, died at his home here on Monday last, following an illness of several months. He was in his twenty-fourth year, and was a young man of sterling character and lovable disposition.

Funeral services were conducted at Antioch Church, of which he was a faithful and consistent member, by his pastor, the Rev. V. H. Council, on Wednesday at 11 A. M.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Preston Smith, R. B. Gossom, jr., Barton Padgett, Ashton Bell, William Sinclair and Feirell Melton. He was laid to rest in the cemetery there, amid a large crowd of sorrowing relatives and friends, and his grave was covered with many lovely flowers.

He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Minnie Brown Gough, of Buckland; his parents, one brother, Irvin Gossom, of Washington, and three sisters, Mrs. Charles Sinclair, of Washington, and the Misses Mary and Ruth Gossom.

WOODBIDGE

Mrs. Colyn Jellison is quite ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, of Baltimore, and Mr. Tyrell's sister of Washington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wil and Mrs. William Tyrell on Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Burdette visited Miss Kathleen Carter on Sunday.

Miss Nellie Alling and Mrs. A. T. Hydes visited Mrs. Stuart Lambert on Monday.

Miss Wilda Bourne spent several days as the guest of Miss Thelma Williams.

Miss Florence Burdette visited her mother here on Sunday.

Mrs. Stuart Lambert's sister, Mrs. Payne, who has been seriously ill, is slightly improved.

Mrs. Brawner, of Dumfries, visited Mrs. Schaeffer on Saturday.

Mr. Charles Dewey, accompanied by several friends, visited Washington on Saturday.

The Court of Appeals has held that if one continuously accepts and has use and benefit of a newspaper, he must be held liable for the subscription.

WELLINGTON

The school maintained a good enrollment through the recent severe winter weather, such absences as there were being due to illness.

Miss Evelyn Walls has been entertaining many of the young folks of the community with sleighing and skating.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Walls announce the birth on January 30, of a son, Vernon Lee.

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CLIFTON

Clifton Chapter, Order Eastern Star, will meet next Tuesday, February 11, in Masonic Hall.

The Parent-Teacher Association met Wednesday night.

The Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday night in the Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. J. L. Fristoe has been very sick at her apartment, but is able to be up in her room now.

Miss Mollie Cross is ill at her home here.

Mrs. Scanlon, of West Virginia, was the guest this week of her mother, Mrs. Rankin, and sister, Mrs. H. A. Weaver, returned to her on Tuesday. Mr. Ralph Weaver is confined to his home with the mumps.

Mrs. John O. Curtis returned home last week after spending two months with her son in Richmond. Miss Edith Curtis, of Washington, accompanied her mother for a two days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mock, of Atlanta, Ga., are the guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. David Grille, of Washington, were week-end guests of Mrs. Grille's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Buckley.

Mr. R. M. Wine has been confined to his home with a cold, but is able to be out again.

Mr. George Schaeffer visited his parents in Quicksburg, Va., for the week-end.

The Four H Club will give a chicken supper at the Masonic Hall on February 13th.

Rev. V. H. Council has returned home after several days' visit with his children, Judson Council, Mrs. David Carver, of Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Thomas Simpson was a Washington shopper on Tuesday.

JOHN W. MAY DIES IN ALEXANDRIA

Prominent Business Man And President of W. H. May & Sons, Inc.

Alexandria, Feb. 6.—John W. May, 74 years old, one of the best known and most prominent business men in Alexandria, died at his home, 209 North Washington street, early Monday morning from an attack of acute indigestion. He had attended services in the Methodist Episcopal Church South, on Sunday night, and appeared to be in his usual health a short time before his death.

Mr. May was president of the firm of W. H. May & Sons, Inc., which had been founded by his father many years ago. He was also president of the Fairfax Mutual Life Insurance Co., and had been prominent in civic affairs for more than half a century. He was a past president and member of the board of directors of the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce. He is survived by a daughter, Miss Emily May, and two sons, J. William May and Carroll H. May, as well as a sister, Mrs. Mary Boush, all of Alexandria.

Funeral services were conducted at the residence at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning by the Rev. D. L. Snyder, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and interment was in Union Cemetery.

WELLINGTON HONOR ROLL

First Grade—John Rollins. Third Grade—Dorothy Rollins and Alva Wheeler. Sixth Grade—Lulu May Sturgill.

DUMFRIES METHODISTS PLAN VALENTINE PARTY

Prizes For Funniest and Prettiest Costume and Many Features for Children.

The ladies of the Dumfries Methodist Church will give a Valentine Party on Friday, February 14, in the School House, beginning at 7 p. m., to which all people of the county are cordially invited. The supper will consist of hot waffles, made as only the Dumfries ladies can make them, maple syrup and coffee.

It is especially urged that those who come appear in costume for prizes will be given for the funniest costume, the prettiest costume, and for numerous other things. For the children there will be a grab bag, and for both the young and old a fortune telling booth will be installed.

The committee in charge of the Valentine Party is headed by Mrs. Magruder Keys, as chairman; Mrs. Nellie Brawner and Mrs. Myrtle Keys.

OCOQUAN HIGH SCHOOL SIX WEEKS' HONOR ROLL

The following students have been placed on the honor roll of the Occoquan High School for the third six weeks' period, according to Miss Elizabeth Vaughan, principal:

High School.

Myrtle Hensley, Jane Selecman, Margaret Selecman, Frances Brunt, Burnette Brockett. Second Honor Roll—Malissa Lacey.

Graded Roll.

Second Grade—Ellen Haislip, Mary F. Shelton, Katherine Shelton, Mary K. Sanford, Eula Jellison.

Fifth Grade—Madeline Dawson, Margaret Burdette, Rowena Arnold, Frances Snellings.

Those who failed to make honor roll on account of illness are: First Grade—Amy Brown, Ellen Thompson. Second Grade—Virginia Jewel. Third Grade—Ardelle Jellison, Eunice Jellison. Fourth Grade—Mary Turner. Fifth Grade—Georgie Pierce, Roger Sanford.

AIRPLANE AND SLED SERVE IN DISASTER

Washington, Feb. 5.—The humble horse-drawn sled and even children's sleds competed with airplanes in the relief work done in the over-flooded territory along the Wabash and

White Rivers in Southern Indiana and Illinois. Reports received at the national headquarters of the Red Cross from the relief director give due credit to both agencies in helping the sufferers. Two of the relief bases received their supplies by airplane, and farmers came in with sleds, some of them being improvised with boards nailed across poles.

During the relief operations, the airplane ground code which was devised jointly by the Red Cross and Army Air Corps several years ago, was put into use to signal the requirements of refugees to airplane scouts, flying low.

KERCHOO!—KERCHOO!

(By H. L. Hendrickson.)

There was a certain barber,
As the story art'ly goes:—
With a morden kind o' shaver,
Clipped off his neighbor's nose.
Then he hastily replaced it,
As no doctor was in town;
Tho, sad regrets! he learnt that he
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