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MUST PURCHASE AUTO STAMP

Suggestions On Where To Attach Sticker

Motor vehicle owners were today offered the choice of several locations for the new Federal auto tax stamps by Colonel M. S. Battle, director of the Division of Motor Vehicles, following discussions with the Bureau of Internal Revenue. Stamps are now on sale at all post offices for \$2.09, and are good until July 1, 1942.

On passenger cars, they should be placed either in the lower right corner of the rear glass, or on the windshield behind the rear view mirror in the driver's "blind spot." In view of the fact that the glue is on the back of the sticker, the director suggested that an ideal place for the sticker was on the back of the mirror itself, where the sticker could be seen from in front of the vehicle, and where it could not possibly provide an obstruction to the driver's vision.

On trucks and buses, the director suggested locating the sticker on the instrument panel, and covering it with shellac.

"We are interested only in keeping this sticker out of the driver's line of vision," the director said. "A two-inch sticker in the wrong place on the windshield can hide a 1 1/2 ton truck at 200 yards. The Federal authorities appear to have left the location of the sticker to the various states, and therefore we are offering drivers several spots."

NO BOARD OF TIRE APPEALS

Contrary to a prevalent belief, there is no Board of Tire Appeals to which aggrieved citizens may appeal. This fact becomes evident from information released by Gen. Bright in Richmond. However anyone who is aggrieved by an action of a local tire board may appeal directly to the State Tire Administrator.

According to press releases on the subject the applicant must file his complaint under oath within thirty days, setting forth the order or rules which he believes to be inconsistent with the action taken by the local board.

SAVE PAPER!

One of the important commodities in which our Government is interested is paperboard. Paperboard is used to manufacture the corrugated and paper shipping containers so greatly in demand for defense shipments. This vital paperboard is made of waste paper. By waste paper is meant old newspapers and magazines, old corrugated boxes and waste paper from trash baskets.

The mills have much greater capacity than is being used and their raw material, namely, waste paper, exists in abundance.

It is hoped that each citizen will consider it his or her responsibility to conserve waste paper. If you have accumulated any amount of waste paper will you please communicate with the Salvage Committee, Phone 60, Manassas, Virginia.

R. L. Byrd,
Secretary.

SPECIAL COURSE IN SPANISH

Beginning Tuesday night, January 27, 1942, there will be given at Osborn High School a series of lessons in beginning Spanish. These lessons will be given once a week for at least ten weeks. There will be no fee for the course except the cost of the textbook.

The only pre-requisite for the course is at least one year of some foreign language. Any one desiring to enroll may attend the first meeting without further notification.

NAMED DEPUTY CHIEF OF COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. R. M. Loughborough, Co-ordinator of Defense activities in Fairfax County has announced the appointment of Ray L. Huff, superintendent of the Penal Institution at Lorton, as deputy chief of communications to succeed Lawrence Proctor.

Mr. Huff will have charge of the nearby area as assistant to H. A. Friede, chief of fire alarms in Washington, who is head of the communication system on the entire metropolitan area which includes Alexandria City, Arlington and Fairfax Counties, Virginia and Montgomery and Prince Georges Counties in Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart McMichael motored to Florida last week where they will be until the latter part of next week.

COLGATE DARDEN BECOMES GOVERNOR OF VIRGINIA

SPECIAL CENSUS

In the interest of Civilian Defense and to obtain information for Air Raid Wardens, the Students of Manassas High School will take a complete census of the Town of Manassas during the week of January 26th. The cooperation of the citizens of the Town is asked in furnishing information called for in questionnaire.

Huntin Tiffany,
Town Manager.

ATTIC TRASH AIDS ENEMY

Capt. Joyce Gives Additional Air-Raid Advice

Clean out your attics. If you have an accumulation of books, papers, or any other articles which you have no use for in your attics; take them down and sell or give away what you can. This will help you and your family better security from fire.

Save all bags and sacks. Burlap sacks are very useful, and valuable for the farmers. They may be hard to get later on. Also, cotton bags and sacks should be saved; they make good sand bags in case we ever have to use sand bags. Shake them out and stow them in a dry place away from rats. If you have no special use for burlap sacks give them your neighboring farmers, they will find good use for them.

Instead of trash in the attic, keep a bucket or two of sand there; also a long handled shovel. It is also well to keep a flashlight handy to use in case of a blackout. In case an incendiary bomb should land on a floor, wait a minute until its first violent sputtering slackens; then drop a shovelful of sand into a pile near it, shovel the bomb on the sand and put sand over it. Better still shovel the bomb into a bucket containing sand and then cover it up with more sand. Do not throw water on the bomb, as it will cause it to explode.

If you happen to have a hose handy, a fine spray of water will cause the bomb to burn out quickly and will help to keep the floor from catching fire. KEEP COOL AND CALM. DO NOT GET EXCITED.

A very good picture of a man disposing of an incendiary bomb was shown in one of the metropolitan papers last Sunday. One of our Good Lady Fire Wardens should get her picture taken in the act of disposing of a bomb and have it shown in our county paper. You could use an oil soaked rag to simulate a bomb, and with a long handled shovel be in the act of putting it into a bucket or washtub.

We trust all you Fire Wardens will keep posted from reading your County Paper, and articles you may see in other papers and magazines.

Read your County Paper weekly. You will get good pointers there. You will also keep up with your county news.

Thos. F. Joyce,
County Air Raid Warden

BULL RUN GRANGE ELECTS OFFICERS FOR 1942

The Bull Run Grange held its first meeting in the new year the night of Thursday the first at which time officers for 1942 were elected. On January 8 officers were installed and a good meeting followed. Hereafter one meeting a month will take place on the second Friday night of the month instead of two.

On February the 13th the Harvest supper will take place at seven o'clock for Grange members in good standing, at which time we hope to have a speaker on national defense.

Officers are: Master-Wade Smith, Overseer-Robert Carter, Lecturer, Mildred Ewell, Assistant Lec.-Rev. W. F. Carpenter, Stewart-Joe Douglas, Assistant Stewart-Edwin Shatzberger, Lady Assistant-St. Mary Pickett, Secretary-Mrs. Willis Foly, Treasurer-Preston Smith, Chaplain-Mrs. Flynn, Graces-Mrs. Douglas, Mrs. Preston Smith, Dorothy Flynn, Executive-C. B. Roland, Committee-Tom Smith and Willis Foly.

HAPPY PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Donation Libeau are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Barbara Frances, born Friday last.



ROBERT EDWARD LEE

On the birthday of our great Confederate Commander we find ourselves again at war, fighting for the very same principles for which he drew his stainless sword and carved deeply and forever in America the ideals of honor and decency in government now challenged by Hitlerism. And which, please God, shall not perish.

HOWARD SMITH, JR.

CALLED TO ARMY

Howard Smith, Jr., son of Representative Howard W. Smith, has been called to active duty in the United States Army, and will report to Camp Wheeler, Georgia, on February 2 as a Second Lieutenant.

Since 1937 Mr. Smith has been Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney of the City of Alexandria. He is a graduate of the Alexandria Public Schools, The Episcopal High School and of the Greenbrier Military School, Iewisburg, West Virginia, where he was commissioned a lieutenant in the Officers Reserve. He also attended Randolph Macon College, the University of Virginia and the National Law School, from which he was graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Law.

He married Miss Cooke Foreman, of Elizabeth City, North Carolina, and they have a daughter, Lucinda Lewis Smith.

His many useful civic activities, which will be greatly missed by his induction into the armed forces of his country, include his membership of the Junior Vestry of Christ Church, The Board of Governors of Little Theatre, The Alexandria Association, the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Alexandria; chairmanship of the board of directors of the Alexandria Library, Secretary of the George Washington Chapter, Reserve Officers Association, and on top of this Howard Smith, Jr. is a deputy air raid warden.

URGES GIVING

FOR WAR RELIEF

Mrs. Anita Piercy is again urging that everyone give liberally to the war relief drive of the Red Cross. Give or send your contributions to Miss McGill, Haymarket, Mrs. Douglas, Thoroughfare, Mrs. Alvey, Catharpin and Mrs. Sweeney, Gainesville.

YOUR PART (Continued)

A handful of Marines for days held Wake Island against impossible odds. They didn't have a chance and they knew they didn't have a chance. But there was a thing called tradition to live up to. They did their part.

Captain Colin P. Kelly, Jr., didn't have a chance either, and he knew it. But there was a job to be done—he, too, played his part.

In the Philippines, in Hawaii, in China, on the high seas American fighting men are doing their part, writing into the record new chapters in heroism and sacrifice.

WHAT CAN YOU DO? The American Red Cross has an answer. When Japanese bombs fell on Pearl Harbor and Manila, the Red Cross was ready and in action without delay. You've seen the pictures—pictures of terrified little children and frantic mothers, the wounded and dead, innocent victims of warfare which no longer recognizes civilians as non-combatants.

In the pictures you saw other people, men and women with Red Crosses on their arms, who were on the job scarcely before the bombers were out of sight.

These Red Cross men and women had but one thought in mind—mercy. They were doing their part. They were relieving suffering where that relief was most needed—at the scene.

Under their ministrations thousands of human beings, some of them your former neighbors—perhaps the man and his wife and the cute little girl who sailed off to Manila a year ago—are being helped.

In Army camps and defense outposts, naval stations, airdromes, any spot where a U. S. man is standing guard over the future of America, there the Red Cross flag waves. Those men appreciate the Red Cross. To them it is a breath of home and the sympathetic help they associate with home.

So, you want to know how you can help?

GIVE TO THE AMERICAN RED CROSS WAR FUND!

It takes money to help in wartime. The American Red Cross needs that money, and there is no time to waste. The War Fund must be raised; not next year, not next month, but NOW.

All of you can give. You can give your money just as others are giving their life blood. By so doing you take up your station with the Red Cross on the front lines of mercy. The goal won't be reached until you have done your part.

Your part?

GIVE TO THE RED CROSS WAR FUND!

NOTICE TO FARMERS

J. Gray Beverley, Field Supervisor, will be at the office of Mr. Frank Cox, County Agent, Manassas, Va., Wednesday morning, January 28, between the hours of 9:00 A. M. and noon, for the purpose of taking applications for 1942 Crop Loans under the Emergency Crop Loan Act.

Farmers desiring these loans should apply on that date.

SCHOOLS FACE NEW PROBLEM

Local Committee Provides School Lunches

For several years the management of school lunches has been under W. P. A. with money contributed by various organizations.

Now the requirements have changed and this is no longer possible. It seemed that we could not have lunches served. During the recent cold spell the faculty at Bennett became aware that there were children there who needed both clothes and food and they appealed to the P. T. A.

Their committee on nutrition under the leadership of Mrs. Janie McCall and with the kind cooperation of Mr. J. Carl Kincheloe was already serving milk to the needy children. At their meeting last Thursday a committee of mothers were appointed to assist the President Mrs. A. O. Beane to work out a solution. These were Mrs. Paul Cooksey, Mrs. R. C. Linton, Mrs. R. C. Haydon and Mrs. J. P. Boyer with Miss Kline assisting with the nutrition part of the program.

Several mothers have volunteered to assist one day a week to make it possible to serve a nourishing dish each day to over forty undernourished children and to sell same for 5c a serving to other Bennett school pupils. This will mean that the people of Manassas School District, will have to cooperate with these willing workers. This is an emergency present both in times of War and times of Peace.

Next week a member of the committee will be at Bennett School Kitchen between 9 and 12 each morning and will gratefully receive contributions of potatoes, cabbage, carrots, turnips, onions, eggs, butter, apples, walnuts, or canned fruit or vegetables.

Will you do something? If you can assist in serving any school day between 9-2 please call the chairman Mrs. Paul Cooksey. If you have suitable clothing for children it will also be appreciated.

SENATOR MEDLEY'S BILLS

Four measures have been introduced in the State Senate by our Senator, Hon. William D. Medley, which have the endorsement of the Virginia Bar Association and the Commission on Uniform Laws, of which Senator Medley is a member. The measures have been referred to the Committee on General Laws and it is not anticipated that they will meet with much opposition.

One measure provided that property owned or inherited jointly by two persons who die at the same time would be divided half and half among the survivors of the two. The measure, Mr. Medley states, is designed to provide uniform procedure where there is no sufficient evidence that persons have died otherwise than simultaneously. It would eliminate the hair-splitting difficulty of attempting to determine who died first in a circumstance where both were killed at approximately the same time.

The other bills also have to do with technical law procedure. One would employ Virginia courts to appoint expert witnesses in civil and criminal proceedings; to determine their compensation; and to authorize conferences and joint reports of expert witnesses. A similar bill was introduced last Session but failed to get through the legislative jam.

The other two measures introduced by Mr. Medley prescribe the basis of distribution to creditors having security upon assets of insolvent estates, and prescribes who should bear the risk of loss after a contract to sell realty.

BISHOP GOODWIN HERE

NEXT SUNDAY

Owing to the war emergency Rt. Rev. F. D. Goodwin, Bishop Coadjutor of Virginia was not able to visit Trinity Episcopal Church, Manassas, last Sunday, as announced, but plans to be here this Sunday, January 26, at the 11 o'clock service.

Customary Ceremonies And Parade Omitted By Executive Request

Hon. Colgate W. Darden became Governor of Virginia on Wednesday of this week. The inauguration was prefaced by a joint session of the Senate and House of Delegates at 11:15 A. M. attended by distinguished guests which included former Governors, members of Congress, Supreme Court Justices and many other prominent national and State officials.

At noon the Attorney General was first sworn in by Justice Herbert B. Gregory. Then Governor Price motored to the Jefferson Hotel to call for Governor-Elect Darden. Accompanied by Adjutant-General Waller, they returned to the Capitol-Governor Price's last trip as Chief Executive. The oath of office was then administered to Lieutenant Governor Tuck on the south portico by Justice Edward W. Hudgins. Then the Governor was sworn in by Chief Justice Preston W. Campbell.

Governor Darden made concise recommendations to the General Assembly which included:

1. Authorization of Civilian Defense as a legal activity.
2. Abolishment of the Unemployment Commission and substitution of a capable administrator.
3. Increase of Highway Commission from five to seven members.
4. Abolishment of the Division of Motor Vehicles.
5. Repeal of the 10 percent tax on liquor and reduction of retail prices to reduce bootlegging.
6. Increase of vocational education and state appropriation of a minimum of \$720 for teachers salaries.
7. Retirement plan for state employees.
8. Reform of penal system including installment payment of fines.
9. Relief of Governor of parole administration and pardons.
10. Conservation of existing State surplus.
11. Suitable redistricting in accordance with population.

There was no parade or pomp to the occasion and the address of Mr. Darden was brief. The opening prayer was offered by Rev. Thomas Ryland Sanford, of Luray, and the benediction by Rt. Rev. William A. Brown, Bishop of Southern Virginia.

A feature of the occasion was the attendance of the Naval Affairs Committee of the United States Congress, of which Governor Darden had been a distinguished member.

At the request of Mr. Darden the customary Governor's reception and ball, as well as the usual parade, were omitted on account of the war emergency.

Governor Price, as one of his last official acts placed before the General Assembly for confirmation the list of appointments made since the last session. These include a number of very important positions which became vacant during the past two years, outstanding among which is that of Highway Commissioner, vacated by the death of the late Henry G. Shirley, and filled by the temporary designation of James A. Anderson.

Of the sixty appointments made by outgoing Governor Price, only two are experiencing serious opposition and may possibly not be approved by the legislature. There are Hon. Lee Long, State Highway Commissioner, and Col. Kemper, former Executive Secretary to the Governor and selected for the post on the Unemployment Commission.

Hearings have already begun on the \$217,500,000 State Budget—a huge sum in Virginia financial terms, but scarcely a drop in the bucket in comparison with the mighty Federal appropriations of billions upon billions.

Former Speaker Ashton Dovell, who did not seek re-election as Speaker of the House, in an impromptu address on Monday warned of the potential trouble lying in Virginia's surplus of \$13,000,000.00, stating that its accumulation is largely due to failure to carry out what should have been done two years ago with the primary education system of the State. It is certain that others feel the same way about their pet projects and all it indicates an approaching battle over this surplus—a heritage of prosperous times and wise e-

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DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY HOLD INTERESTING MEETING

The Daughters of Confederacy were delightfully entertained at the Prince William Hotel Wednesday afternoon January 7th, the hostesses being Mrs. R. S. Hynson and Mrs. James R. Dorrell.

Mrs. R. A. Hutchison presided and proceeded with the usual opening exercises which was followed by the historical program led by the historian, Mrs. E. H. Hibbs. Mrs. Hibbs selected the subjects from the U. D. C. Bulletin, "Brief Review of Virginia Military Institute from its Founding through the Reconstruction Period with an interwoven characterization of Thomas Jonathan Jackson, as the V. M. I. cadets knew him and the same of Washington and Lee with the characterization of Robert E. Lee." Mrs. Warren E. Coleman prepared a paper on V. M. I., exhibited a number of photographs and a military cap worn by Mr. Coleman, a graduate of the Institute. The second half of the subject, Washington and Lee was presented by Mrs. Celestine Brown whose brother Mr. McDuff Green attended the University and was offered a position as an instructor. Mrs. Brown's paper was replete with interest; a beautiful tribute to Robert E. Lee, the school's great post-war President, an ideal citizen.

Mrs. Hibbs has arranged with Station W. J. S. V., Washington, for a broadcast sponsored by Chapter to be heard on January 17th at 9:45 A. M. Col. Robert A. Hutchison has been secured to speak. Through the courtesy and kindness of Major James R. Werth of Alexandria, Va., fifty copies of his radio talk "Maury, First American International Leader" which was broadcast last year, are being sent to the chapter, also copies are sent to all High Schools in Virginia. Major Werth is Grandson of Commodore Maury.

The treasurer, Mrs. G. G. Allen gave financial report and received dues for the year. Absent members heard from were Mrs. Fannie Ransdale of Washington, Miss Nollie Nelson, California.

Mrs. Nannie Middlethorpe, Florida and Mrs. Mary K. Scott of Prince William.

The membership papers for Mrs. Robert W. Adamson III were given over to the registrar for approval.

Mrs. W. F. Dowell and Mrs. E. H. Nash made report on "chur baskets" and other gifts sent at Christmas.

The secretary, Mrs. L. J. Carper read the Division Presidents annual letter outlining the work for the present year and naming the objectives and special objects to be supported financially.

The subject of buying defense bonds was discussed. It was definitely decided to do special Red Cross work and tentative arrangements made, also individual contributions for Red Cross in addition to the \$5.00 membership was suggested.

Mrs. McDuff Green, District Chairman U. D. C. distributed a member of minute books 1941 convention.

The hostesses served a salad course with coffee.

The February meeting will be at the Carper home on Battle street.

MARKER TO BE UNVEILED

A marker will be unveiled by the Sarastota (Virginia) Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy to Confederate Secretary of State Judah P. Benjamin on January 22 on the spot from which Benjamin made good his escape from pursuing Union troops and sailed for England, June 23, 1865.

The unveiling will recall many interesting historical facts of that stirring period. Benjamin, who had a price of \$50,000 on his head at the time of his escape, was one of the ablest attorneys of his day in Louisiana, a United States Senator, a framer of the Louisiana State Constitution, one of the founders of what became the Illinois Central Railroad, and finally the third ranking official of the Confederate States of America its Secretary of State.

Oddly enough the end of the Confederacy did not mark the brilliant career of its talented Secretary of its talented Secretary of State. At the age of 54, in feeble health, he began the study of English law, gained admission to the bar in six months instead of the three year requirement, and two years later published a book on the English law of sale transactions which is still the leading authority in England on that subject. His private practice in the sixteen years of residence in England totalled almost a million dollars in fees. At his death he was honored there as one of the greatest barristers.

FARM HOME BURNS

The home of W. L. Coverstone on the Sudley Road was totally destroyed this noon by fire which started in the attic and burned the dwelling down to ground.

Both engines responded, the first call coming shortly after 11:30. Furniture on the first floor was recovered.

The residence was only partly covered by insurance.

WILL ENTERTAIN LARGE GROUP OF STOCKHOLDERS

Thos. D. Jones, Secretary-Treasurer of the Warrenton Production Credit Association, announces that the eighth Annual Stockholders' Meeting of the Warrenton Production Credit Association will be held on January 30, 1942 at 10:30 a. m. in the Centre District High School, Warrenton, Virginia. Plans are being made to make this the largest Annual Stockholders' Meeting which this farmers' cooperative credit organization has ever held. An attendance of around 200 stockholders and wives is expected, and plans are already under way for an interesting program. Mr. Jones reports that as usual, the Warrenton Community League will arrange a banquet in the gymnasium of the high school immediately following the business session.

T. Otis Latham of Haymarket, Virginia is a director of the Warrenton Association from Prince William County, and W. Hill Brown, Jr., Commonwealth Attorney for Prince William County, is the Association's legal representative here.

There are quite a number of members of the Warrenton Production Credit Association in this county, and since early last spring, the Association has been maintaining a point of contact through the Manassas Group of the National Farm Loan Association. A large crowd of farmers from Prince William County will attend this stockholders' meeting.

VISITS HOME

Colonel James M. Martin, Jr., from Pine Camp, New York was home visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Doll Martin and his wife, Mrs. James M. Martin Jr. He returned to Camp last Wednesday accompanied by his wife and mother, Mrs. Doll Martin, and sister, Ruby and also Lee Buckley of Fairfax. They all returned home after a three day visit.

CHRISTIAN SERVICE MEETING

The Womans Society of Christian Service, of Grace Methodist church held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. C. B. Compton on Thursday evening, January 8th, 1942.

The Program was opened with a scripture reading, and prayer by Mrs. W. O. Luttrell.

There were 16 members present. The installation of new officers was postponed until February.

Favorable reports were made by the various chairman of committees.

Adjournment was made to meet with Mrs. Roy Muddiman in February.

Mrs. Compton was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Sara Rice and Mrs. C. C. Fisher.

FRIENDSHIP CLASS MEETING

On Monday evening the Friendship Class of the Manassas Baptist Church met with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bourne. Over half of the entire membership of the class was present. Reports of Christmas baskets and other service activities were heard. The class voted to subscribe \$5.00, for the school dental clinic; \$5.00, for the Red Cross war relief fund and not less than \$5.00, for the President's Birthday Fund which is for the fight against infantile paralysis.

After the business session the class enjoyed some brain teasing problems in science and mathematics. Delicious refreshments of punch and cake came as a pleasant climax to a happy evening.

LIKE OLD TIMES

J. W. Alvey, of Catharpin, this week filled his large old-fashioned ice house from an endless supply taken from Bull Run which runs along his place.

Jack says that some of the ice was six inches thick. It has been several years since ice houses in this region could be filled.

DEATH OF JAKE JONES

Mr. Jake Jones died January 14 and will be buried Friday, January 16, at 2:00 at Bradley Church. Mr. Jones was 35 years old.

CULTIVATION

The highest purpose of intellectual cultivation is, to give a man a perfect knowledge and mastery of his inner self.—Novallis.

Culture would not be culture if it were not an acquired taste.—John Cowper Powys.

That is true cultivation which gives us sympathy with every form of human life, and enables us to work most successfully for its advancement.—Henry Ward Beecher.

Nurseries of character should be strongly garrisoned with virtue. School-examinations are one-sided; it is not so much academic education, as a moral and spiritual culture, which lifts one higher.—Mary Baker Eddy.

That alone can be called true refinement which elevates the soul of man, purifying the manners by improving the intellect.—Coleridge.

DEATH OF MRS. PENCE

Mrs. Annie Zirkle Pence, widow of the late Rev. M. L. Pence, died at Little Mountain, S. C., on January 9, 1942, at the age of 74 years, 2 months, and 21 days. She spent her time among her three children; the Rev. E. Z. Pence, Little Mountain, S. C., where she died, Mr. A. L. Pence, Manassas, Va., and Mrs. Paul Sigman, Spencer, N. C. She was a member of Bethel Lutheran Church, Manassas. Services were held in Solomon Lutheran Church, Forestville, Va., where her body rests by the side of her husband, who died about 15 years ago. She is also survived by eight grandchildren. The service was conducted by her pastor, the Rev. A. W. Ballentine, assisted by the Rev. A. K. Yount and the Rev. T. A. Graves.

THEODORE JAMES LINTON

Theodore James Linton died very suddenly on January 8th, 1942 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Akers of Manassas, Va., where he has made his home for the past five years. He was born November 19, 1860 at Paint Bank, Va. He was the son of the late Rev. William Linton, of the Methodist Church, which he has been a member for 64 years.

On May 21, 1884 he married Emma Keister and to this union they were blessed with six children, A. R. Linton, Burke, Va., C. L. Linton, Warrenton, Va., Mrs. Fred Byrne, Sterling, Va., G. A. Linton, Keymor, Md. and Mrs. Charles Akers, Manassas, Va. He has 33 grandchildren living.

Services were conducted at Bakers Funeral Home January 10, 1942 by the Rev. Clark Wood of Gainesville, Virginia.

He was laid to rest in the cemetery at Sudley. The pallbearers were C. C. Rodgers, Theodore Ritter, Walter Riggle, D. C. Huffman, Orrin Kline and M. J. Hottle.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness and cards of sympathy shown during the death of our dear husband and father, also for the beautiful floral tributes.

Mrs. Emma Linton
and Mrs. Charles Akers.

THURMAN A. COOPER

Thurman Ashby Cooper, of Arlington, Va., died Jan. 3 and was buried in the cemetery at Greenwich Presbyterian church Jan. 6. He was a resident of Prince William County for twenty five years.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. John De Chant and the Manassas Masonic Lodge.

He had been employed in Railway Mail service over thirty years, and was a member of Harmony Lodge, and Almas Temple Washington.

Surviving are his wife Mrs. Addie B. Cooper and one daughter Marion of Arlington, Va., and two sister, of Pa., and one brother, of West Virginia.

IN MEMORIAM

In Sad but loving remembrance of my dear Father James William Cook, who departed this life Nov. 2, 1941.

The golden gates were opened wide, A gentle voice said come. The Angels from the other side, Welcomed dear Father home,

O What a blessed glorious sleep Had settled on his brow. Then why should his loved ones weep. When he's so happy now? Yet we hope to meet him.

In the realms beyond the sky; In the celestial songs to join him, Praising God on high, Goodbye, dear Father, it will not be long,

Till we shall join in the heavenly song Our sorrow will then be over. And we shall meet to part no more. How we miss you, dear Father, In our home which you left But when you parted from us To heaven you went to rest.

His devoted daughter Bessie

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE RADIO PROGRAM

The Christian Science Board of Directors in Boston, Massachusetts, announces that a Christian Science program will be given over the Columbia Church of the Air on Sunday, January 18, from 10:00 to 10:30 A. M.

The program will be conducted by Mr. Harry C. Browne, a former First Reader in The Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

BAPTIST MISSION

ARY MEETING

The monthly meeting of the W. M. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Emma J. Harrell on Lee Avenue Tuesday afternoon, January 20 at 2 o'clock. Mrs. R. M. Graham will be the leader of the program.



WATCH THIS SPACE

Next Week

FOR AN IMPORTANT

ANNOUNCEMENT

BY THE

PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY

DEFENSE SAVING COMMITTEE