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BERKELEY CAMP REUNION

Several From Manassas Took Part in Program at Little River on Thursday, August 5.

(G. L. Hutchison, Adj. Berkeley Camp)
At Little River Meetinghouse on Thursday, August 5th, the Berkeley Camp, Confederate Veterans, met for their annual reunion as the guests of the 8th Va. Regt. Chapter, U. D. C. The day was an ideal one and at an early hour a vast throng of Veterans and friends began to arrive to spend once again a pleasant day with each other.

Commander E. Berkeley called the Camp to order at 10:30 a. m., after which Rev. T. D. D. Clark led in prayer, earnestly invoking the divine blessing upon the assembled host. The adjutant then read the minutes of the last meeting and called the roll.

Col. R. A. Hutchison, of Manassas, in behalf of the Daughters of the Confederacy, extended the Camp a very cordial welcome, to which Col. E. Berkeley responded very graciously in behalf of the Camp. After this the Camp adjourned until after a deliciously dinner served on the grounds.

Lieut. L. M. Shumate called the Camp to order at 1:30 p. m., and "Nearer My God to Thee" was sung with much feeling. Adjutant G. L. Hutchison then introduced the Rev. Geo. T. Baker who, in a very able address, reviewed the history of the 8th Virginia Regiment from Ball Run to Appomattox. "Dixie" was sung and Comrade A. H. Compton recited "The Charge of the Light Brigade."

Another recitation, "Night on Shiloh," was very ably given by Miss Mildred Harrell, of Manassas, after which "Old Folks at Home" was sung. Rev. T. D. D. Clark now made a heart-stirring address and this was followed by the singing of "Only Remembered by What We Have Done."

The Rev. Robb White, rector of St. Paul's church, Haymarket, was called to the stand and in a few well-chosen words addressed the Camp, after which the Camp proceeded to take up its regular order of business.

On motion of Comrade Compton, all the officers of last year were reelected, Colonel Berkeley and Lieutenant Shumate "for life." It was noted with deep regret that our lines have been thinned by the death of quite a number of our members since we last met.

On motion of Comrade Shumate, the Camp extended to the Daughters of the Confederacy and the ladies of the community an unanimous vote of thanks for their cordial and generous hospitality. The Camp was then adjourned by the Commander subject to call. Thus ended one of the most pleasant and enjoyable meetings of our Camp.

WE ERRED LAST WEEK.

In last week's issue of THE JOURNAL we stated that Mr. W. W. Garrison, of Manassas, and Miss Edith J. Maffett, of Herndon and Richmond, were married at Rockville, Md., on the preceding Saturday. Our authority for this statement was current rumor which was not denied by Mr. Garrison and which we took every means in our power to verify.

Shortly after THE JOURNAL came out last week, however, we learned that we had been totally in error as to the date and place of the marriage for the ceremony was not performed until Wednesday of last week and then in Richmond.

CRUSHED UNDER MACHINE

John C. Gossom, a Native of Prince William, Killed At Lynchburg.

Death came on Tuesday to John C. Gossom, a native of Prince William, who, for several years, has been employed at Lynchburg. Mr. Gossom, a machinist in the employ of the Bonsack Machine Company, of Lynchburg, was fatally injured when a 2,000-pound grinding machine, which was being unloaded, fell from a pulley and pinned him against a brick wall. He was rushed to St. Andrew's Hospital where he died a few minutes after arrival.

The remains were shipped to Haymarket and the funeral services were held at Antioch Baptist church yesterday about noon. The pallbearers at the funeral were the four brothers of the deceased, a nephew, Mr. Will Gossom, and his brother-in-law, Mr. Sydney Clarke, of Indian Head, Md.

Mr. Gossom, who was well known throughout the county, was 41 years of age at the time of his death. He leaves a wife and small child. His mother, Mrs. Mary Gossom, of near Antioch, four brothers and one sister survive the deceased. The brothers, Messrs. R. B., Frank, Allie and William, all live in the Waterfall neighborhood. His sister, Mrs. Sydney Clarke, resides at Indian Head, Md.

A Treat for the Royal Ambassadors.

Those of the Royal Ambassadors who will meet at the home of Mr. Westwood Hutchison tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock will be taken for a regular boy scout hike by an officially registered scoutmaster.

The boys who are going on this hike, should bring with them a quarter of a pound of bacon, two roasting ears of corn and at least two large potatoes. In addition to this, each boy should bring as much bread as he thinks he can eat on the day's trip.

Those who bring their fishing tackle will have an opportunity to fish.

One of the principles of scouting is to be prompt. This should be no less a principle of the Royal Ambassadors.

The scoutmaster, who will be in charge of this hike, is Rev. O. Grey Hutchison, scoutmaster of Troop No. 1, of Smithport, Pa.

Death of John R. Graham.

On Wednesday morning, August 4, about 8 o'clock, John R. Graham, a highly respected citizen of Prince William who lived near Beverly Mills, Fauquier county, was found dead in the hall leading to his bedroom. His death is supposed to have occurred about 8 o'clock the evening before, for he was found dressed for bed, the linen of which remained untouched. It is believed that death was due to paralysis of the brain.

Mr. Graham, who was 72 years of age at the time of his death, was well known in the Thoroughfare neighborhood where he had many warm friends who regret his death. He is survived by four children: Mrs. J. J. Utterback, Manassas; Mrs. J. R. Powell, Buckhall; Mr. R. B. Graham, Thoroughfare, and another daughter of Waterfall.

Secretary of State Lansing declares that "a very definite policy" has been agreed upon at the two Pan-American conferences on the Mexican situation. Latin America will cooperate in every peaceful way in aiding in the restoration of law and order in Mexico. If peaceful means fail, Latin American governments will lend their passive moral support to armed intervention by the forces of the United States.

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IN COMMEMORATION OF THE MANASSAS NATIONAL JUBILEE OF PEACE

JULY 21, 1911

THE FIRST INSTANCE IN HUMAN ANNALS WHERE SURVIVORS OF A GREAT BATTLE MET AND EXCHANGED FRIENDLY GREETINGS FIFTY YEARS AFTER THE DAY OF ACTUAL COMBAT.

ON THIS SPOT THE CLOSING SCENE WAS ENACTED

THE TABLEAU OF THE RE-UNITED STATES IN WHICH THE PRESIDENT, THE GOVERNOR OF VIRGINIA, AND FORTY-EIGHT MAIDENS IN WHITE TOOK PART, WITH 1000 VETERANS OF THE BLUE AND THE GRAY AND 10,000 CITIZENS OF NEW AMERICA.

The above has been suggested as the inscription for a proposed tablet to be erected on the east side of the courthouse, exactly opposite the spot where the Manassas National Jubilee of Peace was enacted on July 21, 1911. Criticism of the wording and suggestions as to different arrangement in the design are asked by Lieut. Geo. C. Round, who has the matter in charge.

CROPS WORTH BILLIONS

American Farmers Likely to Get More for Products Than Ever Before—Kosoff Yields.

(Extract from Baltimore Sun)
The 1915 agricultural crops will be the largest in quantity and the greatest in value in the history of the American nation, according to the August crop estimates issued Monday by the Department of Agriculture.

The wheat, corn and oats crops alone, it is estimated, will bring the American farmers nearly \$4,000,000,000, the greatest sum ever realized on these products. The wheat yield will be nearly 1,000,000,000 bushels, the corn yield 2,918,000,000 bushels and the oats yield 1,402,000,000 bushels. These estimates stand as new high records.

The Maryland wheat yield will fall about 2,850,000 bushels below last year's crop, but in Virginia the estimates promise a 5,500,000 bushel gain. The Virginia total yield is estimated at 16,700,000 bushels, against 11,296,000 bushels last year and against 9,171,000 bushels as the average for 1909-1913.

Throughout the whole country it is estimated the wheat acreage is 10,000,000 acres larger than last year, the number of acres being 40,160,000, an increase of 11 per cent. over 1914.

The Agricultural Department's experts place the price of a bushel of wheat on August 1st at \$1.054. At this figure, the value of the wheat crop is estimated at \$1,024,000,000. The value of the corn crop is estimated at \$2,315,000,000, and the oat crop at \$530,000,000.

If the figures, as fixed in Monday's estimate, are realized, the American farmer will receive more money for his product this year than ever before in the history of the country. Much of the Western wheat was sold last year by the farmer before the war boosted the price, but this year it is anticipated that the farmer himself will get the benefit of the high prices.

A BIG FARMERS' MEETING

Farmers' Institute and Dairy-men's Meeting on Courthouse Lawn Saturday, Aug. 21.

A rare treat is in store for the farmers and dairymen of Prince William and adjoining counties for Saturday, August 21, there is to be held a big farmers' meeting on the courthouse lawn at Manassas. It is proposed to make the meeting an all-day one and to that end the farmers are asked to bring their lunch and spend the entire day.

The morning session will be given over to a discussion of dairy problems by Dr. Helmer Rabild, of the dairy division, Washington, and members of the dairy and food division of the state department of Virginia. In the afternoon there will be a discussion as to the best methods of growing grains. Good speakers will present phases of these subjects that will be well worth while.

One of the features of the meeting will be an effort to get some kind of a dairy organization formed which can handle the dairyman's problems satisfactorily. This is a pressing need in this section and none realizes this better than the progressive dairyman of Prince William.

Make Saturday of next week one of your days off this summer. You and your family can gain much in the way of information and recreation by taking in the two sessions of the big meeting. The business men of Manassas are very much interested in this meeting and they have a surprise in store for the farmers who attend. Make preparations now and Manassas will give you a good welcome when August 21 rolls around.

The Senate reception room in the Capitol, at Washington, which was wrecked by a bomb placed therein July 2 by Frank Holt, who later shot J. P. Morgan and killed himself in a cell at the Mineola, L. I., jail, has practically been repaired by Superintendent Wood's employees. The expense of the repairs was only \$442.63.

LOOK OUT FOR POLLUTION

Recent Heavy Rains Threaten Increase of Typhoid in Many Parts of Virginia.

(From State Board of Health)
The heavy rains that have swept Virginia during the last week have probably caused the pollution of many wells and have increased to such an extent the danger of the spread of typhoid that the State Board of Health Wednesday issued a public warning on the subject.

During the last few days, the board has received several reports of minor outbreaks in various rural communities. Investigation of these outbreaks by officers of the board has shown that the infection in some instances was evidently due to the pollution of the wells by washing rains. The board points out that this constitutes a permanent source of danger unless proper precautions are taken. Sometimes it happens, according to the board, that the water supply of a family or of a community becomes polluted by underground seepage, but for one such case there are usually many where the water supply becomes dangerous by reason of surface washing.

"To protect a well or spring from surface washing is not, says the bulletin of the board, a difficult or expensive undertaking. In case of a spring, if it is well-located and fenced off so that animals cannot reach it, only two things are usually necessary—to see that the spring-branch is clear and will not back into the spring and, secondly, to ditch around the spring on the grade above it in such a manner that water washing down grade will be carried off and will not reach the spring.

"In the case of a well, the well should be raised above the surface of the surrounding ground and should be made water-tight. It is a mistake to leave crevices for ventilation. A good well does not need ventilation. The open tops of wells are so often a source of danger and the open buckets so frequently become polluted that every well should be supplied with a pump and covered with water-tight tongue and groove timber. If these precautions are taken there is no danger that the spring or the well will be polluted from surface bathing."

LEVY ON REAL PROPERTY

Levy Made on Tangible Property at Special Meeting of Board Last Friday.

At a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Prince William county, held at the court-house of the said county on Friday, the 6th day of August, 1915, there were present J. T. Syncox, Chairman, J. P. Manuel, J. F. Gulick, T. M. Russell, J. L. Dawson and O. C. Hutchison.

Ordered that treasurer pay to J. P. Manuel \$29.75 out of Brentsville district road fund to pay freight on carload of stone chips for macadam road at Nokesville. Further ordered that treasurer honor draft or drafts from J. P. Manuel for freight on two additional cars of stone chips and charge same to said fund.

The following accounts were presented, examined, allowed and ordered to be certified to the County Treasurer for payment:

J. L. Dawson, Occoquan rd. fd.,	\$25.50
R. W. Cornwell, Coles " "	5.00
Same, Special " "	3.50
J. F. Gulick, electoral board, co. fd.,	4.00
T. M. Russell, poor claim, " "	8.00
Geo. C. Tyler, superintendent schools, salary to Aug. 1, co. fd.,	79.16
Chas. A. Barbee, posting voting lists, etc., county fund,	24.30
Chas. A. Barbee, summoning board, county fund,	3.00
J. T. Syncox, supervisor " "	5.80
J. P. Manuel, " " "	4.80
O. C. Hutchison, " " "	6.25
J. F. Gulick, " " "	4.00
T. M. Russell, " " "	4.70
J. L. Dawson, " " "	5.80

The committee on reception and location of cannon and cannon balls from United States War Department submitted its report in writing, which report was ordered to be filed.

Ordered that the clerk and chairman of the board of supervisors draw a warrant in favor of Geo. C. Round for the sum of \$23.58 to cover freight and expense on cannon and cannon balls given the county by the United States War Department.

In the new tax laws there is only a levy of ten cents on the \$100 of real and tangible personal property payable to the state. Formerly it was 35 cents on the \$100. But the power is given the board of supervisors to levy an additional tax of 25 cents on the \$100 in order to avoid a deficit in the school or other funds. Therefore, the board ordered an additional levy of five cents on all real and tangible personal property in this county for the year 1915, for county school purposes and a further additional levy of two and one-half cents on all real and tangible personal property for district school purposes be levied in each district.

The above schedule was adopted by the following recorded vote:

For adoption—J. P. Manuel, J. L. Dawson, O. C. Hutchison and T. M. Russell.

Against adoption—J. T. Syncox and J. F. Gulick.

It was ordered that the superintendent of roads for Manassas district report at the next meeting of the board the probable cost of a bridge over the creek along H. G. Payne's, on road from J. L. Lineweaver and Bland's Ford bridge, and the necessity for such a bridge.

In regard to changes on Manassas-Milford road, land damages were allowed as follows: W. S. Athey, \$50; T. H. Athey, \$50; M. C. Bennett, \$100, and Eva Lewis, \$10. All the above land owners were willing to accept said awards except T. H. Athey whose objections were not allowed. The board unanimously voted in favor of widening the road as proposed and order was made that warrants be drawn in favor of the land owners as stated above.

Ordered that the board adjourn to meet again on Thursday, August 19, 1915.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES

The average daily attendance during July at the Panama-Pacific Exposition was 69,602, exposition officials announced recently. The daily average since the opening, February 20, is 58,268.

Gross earnings of the Seaboard Air Line will decrease \$4,000,000 during the present year, according to a prediction made by W. J. Harahan, president of the line, in a speech to about 2,000 of the road's employees at Savannah, Ga., recently.

According to the annual statement on the production of mineral paints, now available for distribution by the Geological Survey, the United States produced 66,766 short tons of natural mineral pigments in 1914, having a value of \$473,036.

All government money and securities after August 16 will be transported by registered mail instead of by express. The express companies, which have been handling the traffic more than twenty-five years, will lose nearly a half million a year.

Mrs. Martha Jefferson Triest Burke, widow of John W. Burke, and great granddaughter of Thos. Jefferson, died Sunday at her home, 208 Wilkes street, Alexandria. Mrs. Burke was born in Monticello, two months before Jefferson died, on May 3, 1826.

Gov. H. C. Stuart is expected to attend the State Farmers' Institute, which will be held at Fredericksburg September 7 and 8. State Forester R. C. Jones, of the University of Virginia, will deliver a lecture on "Conservation." Officials of the United States Government also are expected.

There is more gold in the United States than in any other country in the world. The latest Treasury figures show that on August 2nd there was \$2,006,899,589 in gold cash and bullion—the greatest stock of gold of any country in the world, probably greater than any other two countries in the world.

This year's cotton crop will be approximately 11,970,027 equivalent 500 pound bales, compared with 16,134,930 bales last year, a decrease of approximately 25 per cent. That estimate, unofficially calculated, is based on the government's condition report, issued last week and official figures of acreage and normal yield.

The phenomenal record made by the Richmond reserve bank during the first seven and a half months' operation of the new banking system has created the impression in Washington that Baltimore now has no chance to capture the fifth district bank. The first statement of the earnings and expenses of the twelve reserve banks, made public last week, reveals the fact that the Richmond bank is the best money maker in the reserve system.

The movement for the establishment of a summer capital in Maryland or Virginia in proximity to Washington so that the President and his official family can be within a few hours ride of Washington at all times is gaining strength, and as a result of the agitation Representative C. C. Carlin, of Virginia, announces that he intends to press the subject in the next session of Congress. Mr. Carlin favors the Mount Weather site at Bluemont, Va.

Almost 100 pounds of salt per capita was the consumption of the United States during 1914, amounting to a total of 9,968,520, 560 pounds, an increase of 41,575,800 pounds over 1913, announces the geological survey. Sugar's per capita consumption during 1914 was 89.14 pounds. Salt production in the United States was 9,736,911,160 pounds and imports were 261,609,320 pounds during 1914. That produced in this country was valued at \$10,270,358.

Supplementary Reading for High School Students.

Below is given a partial list of books required for supplementary reading in the course in English history in the third year of the high school.

Students entering this class next year should read as much from this list as possible during the summer months, in order to save time and to lighten the class work next year.

A list required for reading and study in the third year and fourth year English classes is also given, as some reading of these would prove helpful in next year's work.

The books required in the English courses may be obtained in Dr. Johnson's Drug Store. Those in the history reading list may be found in the Ruffner Carnegie library. A collection of good fiction, desirable for reading by the high school students in any class, has been set apart in a special section of the library.

The books in these collections may be borrowed the days the library is opened, Thursday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

I. Partial list of books for supplementary reading required for English history class.

1. King Arthur Stories.
2. In the Days of King Alfred—Tappan.
3. In the Days of William the Conqueror—Tappan.
4. Ivanhoe—Scott.
5. Talisman—Scott.
6. Prince and Pauper—Mark Twain.
7. In the Days of Queen Elizabeth—Tappan.
8. Tale of Two Cities—Dickens.

II. Books required for reading and study in third year English.

1. Silas Marner—Eliot.
2. Merchant of Venice, or As You Like It—Shakespeare.
3. Quentin Durward—Scott.
4. House of Seven Gables—Hawthorne.
5. Selections from Gray, Burns and Byron.
6. Idylls of the King (Gareth and Lynette, Elaine and the Passing of Arthur)—Tennyson.

III. Books for the fourth year English.

1. Macbeth—Shakespeare.
2. Milton's Minor Poems.
3. Speech on Conciliation—Burke.
4. Southern Orators (Selected).
5. Henry Esmond—Thackeray.
6. Browning's Poems (Selected).
7. Selections from Wordsworth, Shelley and Keats.
8. Life of Johnson—Macaulay.
9. History of English Literature.

A list of books required for first and second year English, and a suggested list for supplementary reading for these classes, will be published later.

A CREED THAT WORKS

Darwin was not a believer in Christianity. He went to the South Seas; he saw the conversions and the work of the missionaries at Tahiti, says the Christian Herald. It was a new, convincing argument to the scientist, who was looking for practical facts. He said: "The lesson of the missionaries is the enchanter's wand: the march of improvement consequent upon the introduction of Christianity through the South Seas probably stands by itself in the records of history." The creed of the missionaries worked!

Let us beware of a creed that is merely inherited and not gathered up into personal experience. A creed that does not accomplish something is not faith, but useless baggage—Merely to go to church, to recite formulas and talk in pious language is not Christianity. A Christian is a man who has the spirit of Christ and who thinks and acts and lives in a big and generous way as Christ lived. "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."—Exchange.

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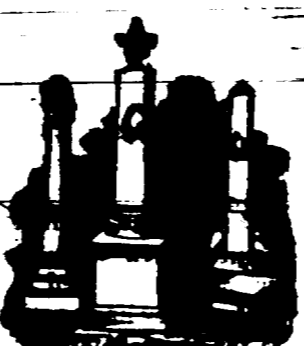
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MANASSAS — VIRGINIA

VIRGINIA
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for Prince William County, in Vacation July 28, 1915.

Jeffries Executor vs. Jeffries Administrators

The Court of this county has rendered judgment that James P. Jeffries, now deceased, bequeathed his real estate to trustees for Eustace Jeffries, deceased. The said trustees certain real estate in Fauquier county, consisting in part of a farm known as "Latham Island" a farm formerly belonging to John B. Jeffries, as well as of other real estate purchased by said James P. Jeffries under decree of the Circuit Court for Fauquier county in two chancery suits therein pending, one styled "James P. Jeffries vs. Jeffries, and the other Fletcher vs. Gaines, as well as the legal title to certain judgments and choses in action, formerly belonging to Eustace Jeffries, and to follow the same or the proceeds thereof into the hands of his wife, Mary H. Jeffries, to whom the said James P. Jeffries conveyed the said property or its proceeds with notice of the trusts attached to the same and to secure an accounting thereof; and it being suggested to the Court that J. A. C. Smith, the executor of the last will and testament of James P. Jeffries, deceased, and the plaintiff in this suit, has also departed this life, and that George Latham Fletcher has been duly appointed administrator d. b. n. w. a. and has qualified as such before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fauquier county, Virginia; and the said James P. Jeffries having died since the institution of this suit, leaving as his heirs at law two infant children, James P. Jeffries, jr., and Nannie S. P. Jeffries, since intermarried with one Antonsanti; and said infants having heretofore been duly made parties defendant to this suit; and C. M. White having been appointed guardian ad litem as to them and he having since departed this life and said suit being abated as to him; and said James P. Jeffries, jr., and Nannie S. P. Antonsanti having attained their majority, it was ordered by the Court that all of these facts be suggested upon the record and that this suit be abated as to all of said deceased parties. And, on motion of said George Latham Fletcher, administrator d. b. n. w. a. of Eustace Jeffries, he was admitted as party plaintiff and this suit was ordered to be revived in his name as such administrator d. b. n. w. a. and herewith proceeded with in his name as plaintiff; and upon his further motion, a scire facias was ordered to issue against the said James P. Jeffries, jr., and Nannie S. P. Antonsanti summoning them to appear and show cause why this suit should not be revived and proceeded with against them as parties defendant, which has been done, and the said scire facias having been twice returned not executed though the same was twice delivered to the Sheriff of Fauquier county wherein they each formerly resided more than ten days before the return day, and it further appearing by affidavit that said James P. Jeffries, jr., and Nannie S. P. Antonsanti are non residents of the State of Virginia, and that diligence has been used on behalf of the plaintiff to ascertain in what County or Corporation, if any, within this State they or either of them are, without effect, it is ordered that they do severally appear within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests. And it is further ordered that this order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the MANASSAS JOURNAL, a newspaper published in the county of Prince William, and that a copy thereof be posted at the front door of the court house of Prince William county on or before the next rule day.

Test: J. E. HERRELL, Clerk.
A Copy—Teste: J. E. HERRELL, Clerk.
GRANVILLE GAINES } p. q. 7-23-15
JOHN S. BARBOUR }

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY
WASHINGTON, July 28, 1915.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The National Bank of Manassas," in the town of Manassas, in the county of Prince William, and state of Virginia, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882;

Now, therefore, I, Thomas P. Kane, acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The National Bank of Manassas," in the town of Manassas, in the county of Prince William, and state of Virginia, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association; namely, until close of business on July 26, 1935.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this twenty-sixth day of July, 1915.
T. P. KANE,
Acting Comptroller of the Currency.
Charter No. 5032 Extension No. 3394
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MANASSAS, VA., FRIDAY, AUGUST 13, 1915.

NOW'S THE TIME FOR A PARK

For sometime Manassas has felt quite keenly the need of a small park where in the afternoons and evenings people could walk, and find inviting benches awaiting them. The townspeople would most assuredly find such a place very attractive. But such a park would prove equally attractive to the tired mother from the country who would like to have a seat in the shade and a drink of water before beginning the homeward journey after a day's shopping. In still another way would a park prove valuable to the town. To strangers or to people forced to wait here between trains scarcely anything would make a greater appeal than a nice little park. Such an advertising feature would speak well for Manassas.

It has been suggested several times that the courthouse yard should be converted into a miniature park and we have always considered the suggestion a good one. Somehow or other the matter has never been very vigorously agitated; had it been we would probably not feel the need of a park now. To us, however, the present seems a very opportune time to consider this matter and we wish to go on record as being highly in favor of some definite action being taken along this line now. Therefore we wish to gain the attention of the people of Manassas and Prince William, the members of the committee on recommendation for the placing of the cannon and the Board of Supervisors.

The time is now ripe for action in regard to converting the courthouse yard, in a simple manner, into a park. If it is contemplated that this should be done at all no time is better than the present, for the arrangement of the cannon should be made so as to be in harmony with a series of walks, if these walks are to be laid. The committee which is to suggest the location and relative position of the cannon and cannon balls would do well to make such concrete suggestions as to converting the lawn into a park as it deems wise. There are many reasons why the town and county should have such a park and practically none why it should not.

We are not advocates of any expensive conversions of the courthouse lawn into an elaborate park. We believe that the yard can be made very attractive with very little expense, and we believe that the people of the town and county would highly endorse any action taken on the part of the Board of Supervisors towards securing this need of the town and county. By removing the iron fence and by laying several well-arranged gravel walks, along the edge of which were placed at intervals iron benches, would be about all that would be necessary. It is quite probable that some individual or organization would very gladly offer to install a drinking fountain. The planting of a few shrubs and evergreens would add wonders to the looks of the place in a few years' time.

This matter of converting the courthouse lawn into a small park should receive the endorsement of all the people who are at all interested in such a proposition. If you happen to be interested you can find ample opportunity to express your opinion in the matter at the meeting of the Manassas Civic League which is scheduled for Tuesday evening and to which you are invited. If the Board of Supervisors of Prince William can be made to feel that the park will be a great boon to the people of the town and county there will be little difficulty in having the matter carried through. If ever the courthouse yard is to be converted into a park now is the time it should be done.

DON'T think that just because the front of your property is clean that it is all that's necessary. The smell and unsightliness of many a backyard plays havoc with the doctrine of neighborly love.

A LAUNDRY FOR MANASSAS

Manassas is to lay another claim to being progressive when very shortly a Chinese laundry will open its doors for business in our town. Several times in past years Chinese laundries have started and have had a short-lived existence in Manassas. In some cases these laundries have been rather poorly supported, more often, however, the laundries have not taken into consideration that a business must be built up and for this time is required. Again it has rarely happened that these laundries have been unworthy of the people's patronage.

The new laundry for Manassas, we feel confident, can become a permanent fixture of the town if the management is willing to give good service and charge a reasonable price for work. When the people of Manassas and the outlying country learn that a local laundry is doing good work and at a reasonable rate the business can be expected to grow. Only in proportion as the laundry can prove its worth, however, can it expect success in Manassas.

A DISGRACE TO THE STATE

There has been much talk of late about the moral clean-up which the "mushroom" city of Hopewell is to enjoy and there are those who think the Governor and others in charge of the administrative affairs of the state should be congratulated on the probe which has recently been made into the life of Hopewell. The uncovering of such gigantic schemes of graft, licentiousness and illegal trading calls forth no congratulations from us. We feel too keenly the disgrace which is the commonwealth's that such conditions were for even a short while allowed to exist, unmolested in the fair and grand old state of Virginia.

We are not well enough acquainted with the intricacies of law to say just who should have checked up on Hopewell, but none denies that a check on the policing of any "magic" city was in the past, is now, and always shall be an absolute necessity, if the law is to be respected. The temptations placed before the hastily-chosen policemen of such cities are too great for many of them. The experience of all cities built up in a night has been that vice, graft and illegal business of all kinds spring up instantaneously as it were and in sufficiently large quantities to warrant the close scrutiny and concern of state officials.

There is nothing peculiar about the wonderful climate of the state or about the ancestry of Virginians which should lead us to believe that graft, crime, vice and other forms of lawlessness will not under certain conditions spring up quickly on our soil and flourish. Even had we no rascals among the native population only half a chance need be afforded before there would be a good number of "crooked" outsiders ready to ply their "trades" at every opportunity. What Virginia needs from the Governor down is officers who are wide-awake and who will not be too confident that "all's well" by complacently looking the field over from their swivel chairs.

MOW DOWN THE WEEDS

As one walks over town these evenings his eye is occasionally caught by a rank growth of weeds and bushes on premises which otherwise would be very attractive. In some cases these eyesores and ill-health breeders are growing up in the backyards (rarely in the frontyards) and neglected gardens of our citizens. Very often, though, the biggest crop of this non-productive growth is seen on vacant lots and on property which is unoccupied. Altogether there is quite a crop of weeds and bush growth in Manassas this year, due primarily to neglect on the part of the town's citizens, but augmented by the copious rains of the past few weeks.

Now a rank growth of weeds on your premises or on those of your neighbor is by no means conducive to the welfare of you and your family. So much has been said and written on the harmfulness of letting the growth of weeds reach great dimensions before cutting them down that we feel it unnecessary to enumerate the bad things that often arise from rank weed growth. Evidence is conclusive, however, that you jeopardize your health by neglecting to mow down the weeds. To mow them down is no great task—not half so big as it looks to be. Jerk off your coat and collar, roll up your sleeves and wade in with a sharp scythe. Pretty soon you will come out feeling fine and the weeds will be lying low.

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MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

Mr. James Love, of the National Bank of Manassas, left last Saturday for a ten days' vacation with friends at East Lynn, W. Va.

Miss Annette C. Smith, who has been spending some time at North Chesapeake Beach, returned home on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. W. J. Walker left Saturday afternoon for a visit of a week or more to relatives and friends at Barboursville and in Orange county.

Mr. Harry Sanders, of Haymarket, who recently returned from Florida, was the guest of Mr. George Adamson the first of this week.

Rev. O. Grey Hutchison, of Smethport, Pa., arrived yesterday afternoon for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Westwood Hutchison.

Mrs. H. F. Tompkins, of Washington, spent from Saturday through Tuesday with her son-in-law and daughter, Hon. and Mrs. H. T. Davies.

Mr. C. H. Yarborough, jr., who has been teaching at the University of Virginia Summer School, returned to Manassas the first of this week.

Mr. Robert Newman, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Newman, left the first of this week for Bridgeport, Conn., where he has accepted a position.

Mr. Aubrey Mills and family yesterday attended the Primitive Baptist Association which is being conducted this week at Occoquan by Elder Smoot.

Mrs. W. H. Cather and her little daughters, Misses Ella and Irene Cather, left this week to spend a short time with Mr. Cather, in West Virginia.

Mrs. H. C. Linn and daughters, Misses Anne and Margaret, of George Washington Park, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foote on Quarry street.

Miss Rebecca Monroe, who is visiting her uncle, Hon. C. J. Meetze, has returned from a visit of several days to her aunt, Mrs. W. T. Monroe, at Wellington.

Mr. Edgar Houghton, of Missouri, who is convalescing from a recent operation, is visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Athey, near town.

Rev. S. G. Dorey, of Denver, Colo., a former pastor of Asbury M. E. church, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bell and others at Manassas this week.

Mr. Welford A. Buck left this morning for Welch, W. Va., where he has accepted a position with the hardware firm of which his brother, Caryle, is an employee.

Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton, of Spartansburg, S. C., passed through Manassas yesterday morning on his way to Delaplaine where he will visit for a short while.

Mr. R. M. Jenkins, of the Crigler-Camper Co., expects to leave tomorrow for a two-weeks' vacation with relatives and friends in Madison and Orange counties.

Mrs. Bettie Harrison and daughter, Miss Lucy, left on Tuesday for a visit to Mrs. Harrison's son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Simpson at Clarendon.

Mrs. Mary Hornig and granddaughter, of Washington, have returned home after spending two weeks with Mrs. Hornig's nephew, Mr. E. M. Cornwell, near the coal bin.

Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Myers and small child, of Onancock, Va., left yesterday, after a visit of nearly two weeks to Mr. Myers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Myers, on Prescott avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. R. Meade Hammond's relatives at Dranesville, are expected in Manassas to-day, to spend a short time with Mrs. Hammond's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Maddox.

Miss Emily Johnson, demonstration agent for girls' canning clubs in Prince William, spent part of last week at Harrisonburg where a demonstration of girls' canning clubs was given.

Miss Edna Barnard, of Baltimore, and Miss Edna Dinges, of Middletown, Va., who have for some time past been the guests of Mrs. J. L. Bushong, have returned to their respective homes.

Miss Clara Akers returned to her home in Maryland Wednesday, after a visit of several days to Misses Olivia and Lena Cooksey. She was accompanied to Washington by the Misses Cooksey.

Mr. and Mrs. Westwood Hutchison and Miss Susan Hutchison, accompanied by Miss Elma Latham, of Hickory Grove, are attending the Potomac Baptist Association now in session at Del Ray, Alexandria county.

Dr. Jesse Ewell, of Ruckersville, Greene county, was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Westwood Hutchison on Tuesday while on his way to visit his father, Mr. John Ewell, who is ill at his home near Hickory Grove.

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Garnett and two children passed through Manassas Monday on their way to Woodbridge where Mrs. Garnett and children will stay for a few days. Dr. Garnett is still busy with the survey work at Bethel.

Among those attending the Fisher Hill reunion from Manassas on Saturday last were Messrs. James F. Gulick, Jos. Mayhugh, J. L. Lineweaver, Chas. Robinson, J. C. Gregory. From Brissawere Mr. Andy Wright and daughter.

Among those from Manassas who are to attend the Ketchon Association of Primitive Baptists now in session in Washington, are Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Athey, Mr. and Mrs. George Maddox and Mr. Edgar Houghton, of Missouria, guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Athey.

Mrs. James C. Johnson and three children, of Harrisonburg, arrived Tuesday evening for a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Round. Mrs. Johnson, who before her marriage was Miss Althea Loose, is a native of Manassas and the niece of Mrs. Geo. C. Round.

Mrs. D. B. Smith and children, little Miss Mildred Smith and Masters D. B., jr., and Harry Lee Smith, after an extended visit to Mrs. Smith's father, Mr. J. P. Leachman, left Tuesday for their home in Cape Girardeau, Mo. They were accompanied by Miss Lillian Leachman.

U. D. C. Prize Offered High-School Students.

A prize of \$25 is offered by the peace committee of the general division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, for the best essay on the subject of "International Conciliation." The contestants must be high-school students of the senior grade, descendants of Confederate veterans and the essays must be sent in through the local chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy.

All essays furnished by Virginia contestants must reach Miss Kate Mason Rowland, of Richmond, not later than Sept. 1. The length of the essay is not to exceed six typewritten pages, letter size. After careful consideration of the essays, the prize will be awarded at the meeting of the next annual convention.—The News Leader.

PUBLIC SALE

Of Personal Property NEAR INDEPENDENT HILL Wednesday, September 1, '15

Commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M. I will sell at public auction on my farm near Independent Hill, Va., on the above named date, the following property: One pair heavy mules, pair gray horses, heavy draft, pair gray horses, light draft, mares with colts, 2-year old heifer, drill, compressor, 2-horse cultivator, mowers, rake, 4 or 5 plows, 2 blocks and falls, corn-cob grinder, grinder (horse), 3 two-horse wagons, new 34-inch wagon, 3 sets double harness, set lead harness, sower, 5 thoroughbred Berkshire pigs, boar, lot of guns, one Hercules stump puller with extra tools.

Also my Farm of 640 Acres with new 7-room house, barn, 32x20 cow barn, sheds, outhouses, etc., about 10 miles from Manassas. TERMS:—\$20 and under, cash; all over \$20 six months, note with approved security. Nothing to be removed until terms of sale are complied with. Terms as to real estate to be announced on day of sale. JACOB W. HOOK, J. P. KENZEL, Auctioneer. 8-13-15



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BIDS WANTED

Bids are wanted for the erection of a bridge over Kettle Run at S. A. Marshall's, the bridge to be fifty feet long and placed on cement abutments of good sand and gravel. The abutments are to be placed on solid bed. To be eight feet above low water and to have good wing walls. The board of supervisors reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids will be received until 12 o'clock noon, August 19, at the supervisors' office. J. B. MANUEL, 8-4-15

August Clean-Up Sale

Tables are reeking with values that ARE values. We would specially mention

SHOES

Table No. 1---58c. Children's Low Shoes that were up to \$1.00.

Table No. 2---98c. Children's and Misses' Low Shoes up to \$2.00.

Table No. 3---\$1.29. Women's Low Shoes up to \$2.00.

Table No. 4---\$1.59. Women's Low Shoes up to \$3.75.

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LOOKING TO THE FUTURE IN VIRGINIA

An Address at the Annual Reunion of Confederate Veterans at Fisher's Hill, Virginia, August 7, 1915, by Fairfax Harrison, President Southern Railway Company.

In any event, thank God, we are now at peace and it is therefore our present duty as a people to guide the progress of the State along the paths of peace...

Principles of Progress. In this great undertaking it will be well always to keep before us the principles of true progress which are:

Without neglect of manufactures we are still eminently an agricultural people. It is the earnest hope we might ever be.

The United States Census Bureau tells us that the value of all farm property in Virginia increased from \$247,476,536, in 1880, to \$625,065,333, in 1910.

The corn crop of the State ranks first in money value. The United States Agricultural Department reports that for the ten years from 1905 to 1914, the average yield of corn per acre in Virginia was 24.2 bushels.

age corn production. No Virginia farmer would be satisfied with less than six barrels per acre. Looking out over the fields of the Valley and the Piedmont country across the mountains at this season of the year it is hard to conceive that any Virginia farmer houses so small a crop as that—and yet if the average of the state shall be brought up to six barrels, on the basis of last year's acreage and the ten-year average farm price, approximately \$6,900,000 a year would be added to the income of Virginia farmers.

Turning now to our record of manufactures. In common with other leading Southern States Virginia has demonstrated her ability to compete with the North in manufacturing.

The geographical location of Virginia is most favorable for a large development of manufacturing. Among the factors that are potent in determining the location of industries are the sources of supply of raw materials, an available supply of competent labor, markets for finished products, and transportation facilities for concentrating raw materials and distributing finished products.

Chief among these industries is one which every Southern man, and not least every Virginian, should regard with a thrill of pride—the fact is that supremacy in cotton manufacturing in the United States has passed from the North to the South.

the same measure, in 1909, the other Southern states, which have gone into cotton manufacturing, surpassed Virginia in the value of cotton mill products: North Carolina, with \$72,680,000; South Carolina, with \$65,930,000; Georgia, with \$48,037,000, and Alabama with \$22,212,200.

Where Virginia Lags. You have them illustrated in the Valley Turnpike, one of the oldest improved roads in the State, but he who travels many of the roads in other parts of the State and some of those in the Valley will realize that the people of Virginia should not be satisfied, but, on the contrary, should be shamefully dissatisfied with the record of Virginia in road improvement.

In saying this I am not advocating the building and maintaining of roads merely for the amusement of the tourist owners of automobiles. On the contrary, when the Valley Turnpike was built, the construction of what might be termed trunk line wagon roads was eminently a proper policy, for long hauls by wagon were then necessary.

While looking back upon the work of the men whose valor we commemorate today, let us look forward. I say, to our work of building up as even greater and more prosperous Virginia. The opportunity is ours.

TRUSTEE'S SALE! PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust, executed on the 28th day of October, 1913, by John C. Whitmer to the undersigned trustee, to secure a certain indebtedness to T. H. Ashby, the undersigned trustee, shall, on

Saturday, August 14, 1915 at 10 o'clock a. m. in front of the Postoffice, Manassas, Va., sell by way of public auction for cash, the following property, to wit: All the butcher business bought by the said John C. Whitmer of the said T. H. Ashby October 28, 1913, including one meat wagon with the two knives, one steel, one scales, one cleaver and one saw belonging to the said wagon, and one other cleaver, two blocks, one other saw, two meat racks, one ice box, one windlass, one calf wagon, one lard press, one boiler and one sausage mill.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust bearing date on the 17th day of July, 1914, of record in the Clerk's Office of Prince William county, in D. B. 65, pp. 271-2, and an order entered on the 3rd day of August, 1915, in the aforesaid Clerk's Office, substituting the undersigned as trustee in the said deed of trust, the same having been executed by Mary E. Carney to secure a certain note therein described, in the payment of which note default has been made, by reason whereof and at the request of the beneficiary named in said trust, the undersigned substituted trustee will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

Saturday, September 4, 1915 at 12 o'clock m. in front of the Peoples National Bank, in the town of Manassas, aforesaid county, an undivided one-half interest in and to all that certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being situate on Chappawhanna River, in Cokes Magisterial District, aforesaid county, adjoining the land of Ida Carney, Shilohland, Stella, Alexander, Murphy and others, and containing, more or less.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust executed on February 21, 1914, by H. L. Carrol and wife, of record in the Clerk's Office of Prince William county in D. B. 64, p. 511, the undersigned trustee therein named, at the request of the beneficiary mentioned in said trust (default having been made) will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

Saturday, September 4, 1915 in front of the Peoples National Bank, in the town of Manassas, aforesaid county, at 12 o'clock m., all that certain lot or parcel of land, lying and being situate at Thoroughfare, in Gainesville District, aforesaid county, adjoining the Railroad, Primes, Butler and others, and containing, more or less.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Prince William county pronounced at the June term, 1915, in the chancery cause therein depending under the style of Penn v. Carter et al, the undersigned commissioner of sale therein appointed, will proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

Saturday, August 14, 1915 at 12 o'clock M., in front of the Peoples National Bank, in the town of Manassas, aforesaid county, all that certain lot or parcel of land, lying and being situate in said county, in the town of Manassas, containing, more or less.

9,600 SQUARE FEET and adjoining the lands of House, Query and others, and being on Center street, town of Manassas, near the Borough property and the colored church, being 60 feet wide and street with a depth of 340 feet.

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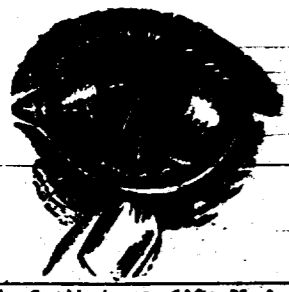
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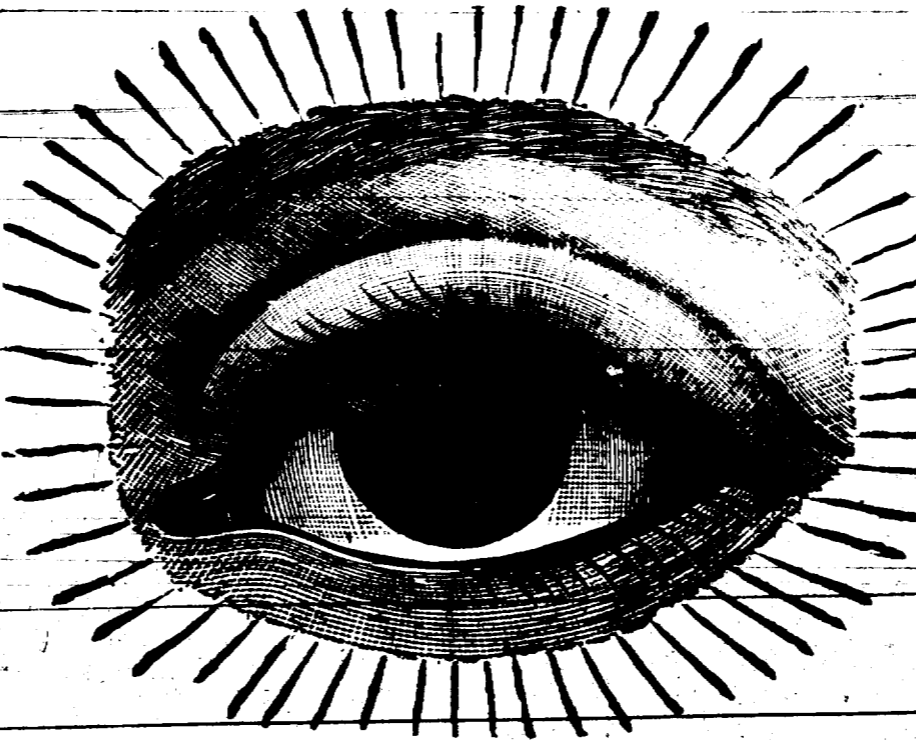
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ITEMS FROM GREENWICH

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Grant, of Washington, spent the past week with relatives here.

Mr. John Fullerton, of Orange, is visiting at "Grand View."

Mr. Paul McElroy, of Charlottesville, is a visitor at "The Manse."

Mrs. Katie Mitchell and daughter, Miss Helen, of Washington, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wood.

Miss Grace Holtzclaw is visiting friends in Washington.

Miss Mary A. Dulin has returned after a very pleasant visit to friends in Orange.

The Oak Dale Baptist Sunday School will hold its annual Children's Day on Sunday, August 15th, at 8 p. m. An interesting program is expected.

Mrs. B. O. Mountjoy spent Saturday night at "The Hollya."

Mrs. H. M. McLearn, of Washington, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. George Mayhugh.

Mr. R. W. Kidwell will leave next week for Spokane, Washington, where he will make his future home. We wish him much success.

Miss Viola Kidwell, of Fairfax, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kidwell.

Mrs. Ethel Clarke, of Washington, spent the past two weeks with relatives here.

Rev. W. R. McElroy, of Charlottesville, spent several days last week with Rev. J. R. Cooke.

Quite a large number attended and enjoyed the Civic League meeting held at the school house last Friday evening. The feature of the evening was the address by Hon. C. J. Meetze.

Mr. Morton Giddings, of Washington, spent the week-end with Mr. J. F. Cockerille.

Misses Ella Reid and Mary Cockerille have returned from a pleasant visit to relatives at Aldie.

Miss Carrie Lee is spending this week at "The Manse."

Messrs. J. W. and R. L. Ellis and D. H. and J. F. Cockerille were Washington visitors last week.

Miss Leona Lee has returned to Baltimore, after having spent the past month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lee.

Miss Mabel Wagner, of Baltimore, and Mr. F. Stuart Davidge, of Washington, who have been

staying at "The Grove," have left for a short while.

Messrs. E. R. Fitzhugh and R. S. Blakey, of Morrisville, spent the week-end at "The Hermitage."

Rev. J. R. Cooke and Rev. W. R. McElroy, of Charlottesville, are conducting a series of meetings at Brentsville this week. They will also conduct services at the Presbyterian church here next week beginning Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. E. J. Gray, of "Cedar Crest," was a Washington visitor last week.

Misses Nellie House, of Aldie, and Helen Thornton, of Nokesville, are guests of the Misses Cockerille.

Miss Mae House is home from the normal. We are glad to know that she will be one of our Greenwich teachers this session.

Miss Carrie Lee, former teacher in the Greenwich school, has accepted the principal's place at Centerville. We regret not having her in our town this year.

Miss Marian Johnson, of Washington, spent several days this week at "Esperanza."

Mr. G. H. Lightner, of Haymarket, was a visitor in our town last week.

Miss Lois Mooney, of Washington, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mooney.

Messrs. J. F. Cockerille and J. W. Ellis spent several days last week at Aldie. KEENEYES.

Ewell Camp to Meet August 21.

Ewell Camp, Confederate Veterans, will meet Saturday, August 21, at which time delegates will be elected to the 28th annual meeting of the Grand Camp, Confederate Veterans, Department of Virginia. Any other business claiming the attention of the Camp will be transacted at the same time.

All members who have not paid their dues for 1915 will please remit to our adjutant at once as he is now required to send in our dues to the Grand Camp before we can be recognized by the Grand Camp.

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INDEPENDENT HILL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cooper and daughter, of Forestburg, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. George Carter.

Miss Lillian Greenwood is visiting friends and relatives in Savage and Baltimore, Md.

There was a ball game played here Saturday by the Independent Hill and Blood Field teams. The score was 4 to 3 in favor of Independent Hill.

Mrs. Allie Sullivan and daughter and Mrs. Edith Barry, of Washington, are visiting relatives here.

The rain and wind storm that visited this section of the county on the third, did a good bit of damage to the corn crop and fruit trees.

Mr. Fred T. Sullivan, of Milford, Neb., who has been spending a three-week visit with his parents and friends here, has returned West. He will stop over in Chicago, Ill., to attend the merchants' week and style show. He intends to purchase his holiday goods while there.

Messrs. Michael Oleyar and Max Weber spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Washington.

Mrs. R. M. Greenwood left here on Saturday and returned on Monday, after visiting friends and relatives in Washington, D. C., and Savage and Baltimore, Md.

Mr. Julian I. Sullivan and family have moved back to Washington, after spending four years in Los Angeles, Cal. His three sons—Clyde, Melvin and Elmer—are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Sullivan. TRIKEY.

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