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PUBLIC URGED TO BUY COAL NOW

Should Avoid Railroad Congestion and Repetition of Last Winter's Conditions.

It has become absolutely necessary that domestic consumers of coal put in their supplies during the summer months. In this manner they can help their government, help their army and help their allies. Today the greatest battle in the world's history is being waged in France. The outcome of that conflict may very readily determine the outcome of the war, and America is expected to determine the outcome of the conflict. The part America can play in the fight will be determined by her shipping and manufacturing facilities. Both of these depend on coal.

State Fuel Administrator Byrd has been notified by the Federal Fuel Administrator that it is imperative that the people of the states be informed regarding the necessity now confronting the government in the matter of fuel. The government intends to see that the people are taken care of, but it expects the people in turn to assist the government. This is to encourage early purchases. Early purchasing of coal is the most effective way in which the domestic or private consumer can assist the government at this time, for which reason domestic consumers are requested to put in their winter supply early.

It has become a widely recognized fact that the present world's war in Europe is being fought largely with fuel, and that Germany, who, since the beginning of hostilities has occupied the territory in which lie the coal mines of France, is still exercising the utmost economy in the use of coal, which is so necessary to the successful operation of all large industries.

With domestic fuel stored away in the homes of the people the great transportation lines next winter will be better able to meet the necessity of attending to government business. Once brought to their attention the people will be quick to realize this and are expected to join heartily in the proposed movement to have their winter supply of fuel purchased and stored away during the summer months.

Death of Walter F. Bowen

Died, at the home of his sister, Mrs. David H. Oertly, Washington, D. C., April 5, 1918, after a long and lingering illness, Walter F. Bowen, the only and idolized son of Mrs. M. H. Bowen, and the late Dr. Peter B. Bowen. The deceased was one of the gentlest and most chivalrous of men—loyal to his friends, generous to his foes, and faithful in all relations of life. To his heart-broken mother he was ever the most devoted son, and no society or pleasure drew him from her companionship. Into his short life was crowded untold suffering and pain, which he bore with uncomplaining heroism.

During the last weeks of his illness, he said to his mother, "Try and gain your consent, mama, to let me go. I am so tired of pain and suffering. I am not afraid to die. I am willing to trust to God's mercy." And in this spirit he passed into a world where suffering is unknown and where all tears are wiped away. "After life's fitful and fleeting hours, he sleeps well."

CHEESE DEMONSTRATOR COMING NEXT FRIDAY

Meeting Woman's Auxiliary on Friday Evening, April 19th, at 2:30 O'clock.

(Miss Lillian V. Gilbert, County Home Demonstration Agent)

Owing to the great food value found in the cottage cheeses, and the great demand for all foods containing high food value a cheese specialist has been sent into the state of Virginia for a few months. Miss Jessie Logan, who has this work and is connected with the Washington office, will be in Prince William county April 19, 20, 22, 23 and will give demonstrations each day while here.

These demonstrations will be given in the Agricultural High School building each morning and afternoon with the exception of the 19th. This being the regular day for the meeting of the Northern Virginia Farmers' Institute, there will be only one meeting, that in the afternoon; and in connection with the Woman's Auxiliary. This meeting will begin promptly at 2:30 p. m. Miss Logan will, at this time give her first demonstration, which will be given in the drill room of the high school.

All women interested are not only invited, but requested to attend these demonstrations. Come and learn the art of cheese making, if you have not already acquired this art. Miss Logan will be glad to answer any questions. Don't miss this opportunity. Come prepared to stay all day. The cheeses started one day will be finished the next.

A special invitation is extended to the women living in the town of Manassas to join their neighbors living in the rural districts and get the advantage of these demonstrations.

RED CROSS AT DUMFRIES

Society Organized Tuesday Evening of Last Week.

The Dumfries people met together Tuesday evening, April 2, at 7:30 o'clock, in the town hall for the purpose of organizing a Red Cross Society.

There was a large number present, forty-one of whom gave in their names to become members.

The principal of Dumfries school, Miss Myrtle Johnson, gave a very delightful and explicit lecture on the Red Cross and its work.

The school children gave a good entertainment, consisting of patriotic songs, recitations and pantomimes, after which officers were elected as follows:

Chairman, Mr. L. E. Merchant; vice-chairman, Mr. C. W. Garrison; treasurer, Mrs. E. C. Waters; secretary, Mrs. Eastman Keys; chairman civilian relief, Mrs. Bell Tubbs; chairman knitting committee, Mrs. F. C. Graffawn; chairman hospital garments, Mrs. D. C. Cline; chairman surgical garments, Mrs. Clay Speake; chairman refugee garments, Mrs. Beulah Brawner.

It was decided that the society was to meet every first Tuesday in the month and the different committees will call the members to work at stated times. The meeting adjourned to meet at the hall May 7.

This section was visited yesterday afternoon and last night with what is possibly the heaviest snow storm ever occurring at this time of the year. Snow piled up late yesterday afternoon at the rate of two inches per hour.

USE POTATOES TO SAVE THE WHEAT

One-third to One-half of Flour Can be Replaced With the Mashed Potato.

(Miss Lillian V. Gilbert, County Home Demonstration Agent)

The potato has a place in our food list which no other vegetable occupies. It appears on the tables of countless families at least once a day and often at all three meals, and is so much a part of our daily food that we miss it almost as much as we would bread if we have to go without it. Its popularity is based on more than accident or custom. It is palatable and wholesome, supplies much food material, and has some special food qualities to its credit. Though we prepare it in almost endless ways as a vegetable served with the meat and other foods, we also use it in soups and salad making, sometimes for desserts, and with flour in baking. That we can use potato with flour is not surprising, for the food substance potato supplies most abundantly is starch, and it is largely because of the starch they contain that the world uses cereal grains as breadstuffs. It will very often be found, with a little experimenting, that one-third to one-half of the flour in some favorite recipe can be replaced with mashed potato.

Patriotism becomes practical when you get it down to consuming as many potatoes as possible during the next few weeks. There are two reasons why this form of practical patriotism is called for just now.

First. Because of transportation difficulties naturally attendant upon war conditions, there is a surplus of potatoes in Virginia and some other states.

Potatoes are too heavy and bulky for shipping abroad, when every inch of shipping space must count for most. Food so valuable as potatoes should not be allowed to spoil.

Second. While potatoes are not on the official list of wheat flour substitutes, they have much the same food value as wheat. One medium-sized potato contains as much starch as two slices of bread. When you eat potatoes you do not need as much bread. In the present crisis any saving of wheat brings us nearer our goal of 75,000,000 bushels of the 1917 wheat crop for the allies.

Farmers, you who have wheat in your barns, if you haven't done so, now is the time for you to do as many other farmers are doing, and turn over your 1917 crop, or what remains of it, to our allies. The President of the Southern Railway gave up wheat bread last July. He is a farmer.

War Savings and Thrift Stamps Sold to Amount of \$27,576.

From December 1st to March 30th, inclusive, the people of Prince William county invested \$27,576.00 in War Savings and Thrift Stamps. Five thousand W. S. S. and five thousand three hundred and sixty-three Thrift Stamps were sold in the county during the period named.

Local War Savings Director G. Raymond Ratcliffe states that, although the Third Liberty Loan selling campaign is now on, there will be no abatement in the efforts of his corps of workers to dispose of War Savings and Thrift Stamps. At the same time Mr. Ratcliffe does not discourage the purchasing of Liberty Bonds, but urges all who can to buy them.

UNIQUE UNION SERVICE

Sermon in Speech, Song and Instrumental Music.

The largest congregation seen in Manassas during a number of years assembled in the Baptist Church on last Sunday night. The occasion was the quarterly union meeting of Manassas churches, and the speaker, who was also singer and player, was Prof. H. G. M. Marshelian, a native Armenian from Tarsus. Prof. Marshelian spoke from Ezekiel 18:33, "For I have no pleasure in the death of him that dieth, saith the Lord God: wherefore turn yourselves, and live ye."

The exposition of the text was in the form of remarks upon or the singing of selected or original religious songs, in which God's love, Christ's atoning work, the sinner's need of Christ, the plan of salvation by faith in Christ and the sad possibility of eternal punishment by continuing in sin instead of repenting of and turning from sin by divine help.

The Professor was accompanied in his songs by Mrs. B. T. H. Hodge, although he at times led in the accompaniment of his two violins or accompanied himself alone on a violin. The service was an unique one and greatly interested the large congregation, even few of the children sleeping during the service.

The great range of voice of Prof. Marshelian was a revelation to his hearers. It sounded strange to hear him changing the pitch, while singing, from ordinary soprano to low bass and then to high soprano, although his earnestness was such that the novelty of the singing did not detract from the solemnity of the service.

After an hour and three-quarters had been used, the congregation almost unanimously voted for him to continue fifteen minutes longer and conclude his program. At ten o'clock the service ended, those present feeling that they had experienced an unusual but a spiritually profitable form of worship.

GETS FIFTEEN YEARS

Negro Pleads Guilty and is Sentenced by Court.

Walter Thornton, who was indicted on the first day of the April term of the court for the killing of Allen Perry, near Gainesville, on Sunday, March 31st, entered a plea of guilty in the circuit court on yesterday, and upon such was sentenced by the court to serve fifteen years in the penitentiary.

Thornton and Perry engaged in a fight over a crap game at the home of another negro, George Moore, and the trouble resulted in the shooting and killing of Perry by Thornton.

"Tim" or Clifford Thornton, who was indicted at the same time charged with the shooting of Stephen Tyler, was acquitted by the jury empanelled to try the case against him.

There can be no peace with honor or safety to ourselves or to posterity, except a just peace, and there can and will be no other peace. Work for peace accomplishes nothing but the hampering of our effort, the delay of the real peace, and a greater toll of death of America's fighting men. Our duty is to war for a just and righteous peace; to work or speak for any other peace is aid and comfort to Germany—injury and disloyalty to our boys in France.

MEATLESS DAYS SUSPENDED UNTIL MAY 1

Action Due to an Unusual Run of Hogs to Market, Car Shortage, Etc.

According to notice sent out by the Federal Food Administrator to all local Food Administrators, meatless days are entirely suspended until May 1st, next. This action is due to an unusual run of hogs to market, to car shortage which still continues, to storage capacity and to overseas transportation and port facilities.

The Food Administrator's notice in part says: "The large supply of potatoes and milk and this temporary removal of meat restrictions, should facilitate enlarged saving of breadstuffs, but this announcement should not be considered by consumers as a departure from the general principles of conservation of all foods. The need of food on the other side and the need of economy in America is greater than ever."

In a communication, dated April 2, sent out by the Federal Food Administrator to Home Economics Directors, Mr. Hoover asks that all householders use wheat products not to exceed a total of one and one-half pounds per week per person.

In this communication the Food Administrator says: "The wonderful morale of the allied armies cannot longer hold out under the double strain of desperate battle and the anguish of knowing that at home the women and children are going ill fed, because America greedily eats its white bread and hoards its wheat. Our allies still bear the brunt of battle. They ask us for bread and more bread. This we can give, if we will. We must give quickly before it is too late—before the freedom of the world is lost."

DEATH OF WALTER BOWEN

Only Son of the Late Dr. P. B. Bowen, of Brentsville.

Walter F. Bowen, only son of the late Dr. P. B. Bowen, of Brentsville, died in Washington on Friday of last week and was buried in the Manassas cemetery on Sunday morning.

Mr. Bowen had been in ill health for several years and his death was not unexpected. He was formerly in the railway mail service but was compelled to give up his duties some time ago, owing to the condition of his health.

The pallbearers were Messrs. A. H. Green, E. W. Cornwell, W. J. Keys, Geo. B. McDonald, W. C. Wagener and C. A. Sinclair.

The deceased, who was thirty-nine years of age, leaves surviving him his mother, Mrs. Margaret H. Bowen, of Brentsville, and one sister, Mrs. Ada Oertly, of Washington, D. C.

The Journal extends its deepest sympathy to the bereaved mother and sister. In Mr. Bowen's death the sister has lost an affectionate brother, and the mother a constant and loving son and companion.

What Your Liberty Bond Will Accomplish.

\$18,000 invested in Liberty Bonds will equip an infantry battalion with rifles. \$50,000 will construct a base hospital with 500 beds, or equip an infantry brigade with pistols. \$100,000 will buy five combat airplanes, or pistols, rifles, and half a million rounds of ammunition for an infantry regiment.

THE HONOR ROLL SYSTEM ADOPTED

For the Purpose of Arousing Competition in Selling Third Liberty Loan Bonds.

A system known as the Honor Flag and Honor Roll system has been adopted by the Liberty Loan Organization for national use during the Third Liberty Loan campaign.

The chief object of the system is to arouse a spirit of competition between towns, counties and states in making the best records in sales of Third Liberty Loan Bonds. The insignia and equipment to be used in connection with the plan consists of a specially designed Honor Flag for communities, a window sign bearing a reproduction of the Honor Flag, a large Honor Roll to which is to be attached the names of subscribers in each community, a large Honor Flag to be awarded to states, and a national Honor Flag which will be unfurled in Washington. The equipment will be supplied by the Treasury Department and will be distributed through the Federal Reserve Banks.

The Honor Flag to be awarded to communities will be 36x54 inches in size. It will have a red border and a white center, and three vertical blue stripes, indicative of the Third Liberty Loan campaign. This flag will be awarded to each community that subscribes the sales quota set for it by the Federal Reserve District Liberty Loan Committee. As an additional honor emblem, a blue star, to be sewed into the white field of the flag, will be awarded to communities every time they increase their quotas by a hundred per cent.

The window card will be 7x9 inches and will bear a reproduction of the Honor Flag and a space for the subscriber's name. The subscriber will be expected to place this card in the window of his residence or place of business.

The Honor Roll will be 25x38 inches and will bear a large reproduction of the Honor Flag and these words, "Help our town win the right to fly this flag," and "These are the people of our town who are helping to win the war by investing in United States Government Bonds of the Third Liberty Loan." A space is reserved at the bottom of the Honor Roll for attaching names of subscribers.

The names of all units smaller than a state which obtain their quotas will be inscribed on the state flag and the name of all states acquiring the right to fly the Honor Flag will be shown on the National Honor Flag at Washington.

Farmers' Institute to be Held Friday, April 19.

Members of the Farmers' Institute who have heard Mr. T. B. Hutcherson from Blacksburg, will be glad to know that he will make an address at the next meeting of the Institute which will be held Friday, April 19. His subject is "Legumes in Their Relation to Soil Fertility." A speaker from the U. S. Department of Agriculture is also expected. All farmers of the eighth congressional district are urged to attend this meeting, especially since it will be the last one held this session. Come and by your presence help to make it the best one.

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APRIL COURT IS STILL IN SESSION

Hutchison - Harrison Case Submitted—Decision to be Rendered in Vacation.

Common Law.

Harrison vs Hutchison. Hearing of testimony concluded on Saturday, and the court desiring further time to consider of its decision the court reserved its decision to be rendered in vacation.

J. P. Leachman, treasurer, ordered to pay Judge Geo. Latham Fletcher \$34.60 for mileage and per diem for holding a part of the April term of court under designation of the Governor.

Real Estate Investment Co. vs Peter J. Wyand. Plea of non-assumpsit, issue joined, jury and verdict for the plaintiff for \$100 and costs.

The resignation of R. E. Lunsford, a justice of the peace for Dumfries district, accepted.

D. Pipkin vs C. Paris. Case continued to Saturday, April 13, at cost of the plaintiff.

B. J. Sayers, executor, vs W. J. Carter and H. W. Herring. Judgment by the court, by consent, in favor of the plaintiff for \$163.24 with interest from Sept. 21, 1914, and 10 per cent costs of collection, subject to credits of \$50 as of June 21, 1915, \$50 as of August 11, 1915, and \$25 as of December 11, 1915.

T. S. Meredith vs Southern Railway Co. Case continued generally to the 3rd day of the June term of court.

Commonwealth vs Minnie Keys. Motion to declare bond heretofore entered into forfeited overruled; case set for trial May 1st next; defendant recognized to appear on that date in the penalty of \$1,000, with J. W. Keys as her surety.

Commonwealth vs Mary E. Thornton. Case continued to the first day of the June term. Defendant recognized in the sum of \$500, with E. D. Morris as her surety.

Will of Frank Fletcher, late of Thoroughfare, admitted to probate on motion of Annetta McKnight by her attorney.

W. J. Ashby, jailer, presented accounts against the Commonwealth aggregating \$51.08, for board of prisoners and committal fees, which accounts were allowed and ordered certified to

the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Thos. S. Meredith, justice of the peace for Gainesville district, allowed \$2.40 for attendance and mileage in appearing before the board of supervisors and reporting fines.

Fick et als. vs Hutchison. After jury empanelled witness discovered to be absent. On motion juror was withdrawn; jury discharged and case set for trial on the second Tuesday in June.

Edward F. Dibble Seedgrower, Inc. vs Edward V. Brush. Jury waived and case submitted to the court. Judgment for plaintiff for \$96, with interest from April 2, 1915, and costs.

Chancery.

Mutual Ice Co. vs Maud H. Kincheloe. Heard on exceptions to report of Master Commissioner Bryan Gordon. Fee of \$25.00 allowed by said report to Thos. H. Lion reduced to \$10; \$15.58 recommended by said report to be paid to Maud H. Kincheloe not allowed. Mrs. Maud H. Kincheloe directed to pay over to C. A. Sinclair, bonded commissioner, \$30.58 and Bryan-Gordon directed to distribute funds in the hands of said bonded commissioner, after deducting the unpaid costs of this suit.

Bessie T. Knott vs Wm. T. Knott. Decree for absolute divorce granted the plaintiff; plaintiff allowed to resume her maiden name of Bessie F. Akers.

Howard P. Young vs Bertha M. Young. Cause docketed by consent. Bryan Gordon appointed a special commissioner to convey to H. P. Young the interest of the late T. C. Young in the land of which David P. Young died seized and possessed.

Commonwealth vs Walter Thornton. Plea of guilty; trial by jury waived; prisoner sentenced by the court to serve fifteen years in the penitentiary.

Commonwealth vs Clifford Thornton. Plea of not guilty; jury and verdict of not guilty; prisoner discharged from custody.

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In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Prince William on the 25th day of March, 1918, Chas. H. Emery, Plaintiff, against W. H. Jones and Bessie Jones, Defendants.

In Debt and Attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover from and of the defendants the sum of Thirty Dollars with interest and attorneys fees, and to attach the estate of the defendant, Bessie Jones, for the amount of the said debt, interest, cost of collection, and cost of this suit.

And the attachment having been returned executed by the Sheriff of the said County. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Bessie Jones, is not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear within fifteen days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof 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 be posted at the front door of the Court House of this county as the law directs.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
By his deputy, L. Ledman.
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By his deputy, L. Ledman.
C. A. Sinclair, p-q. 45-4

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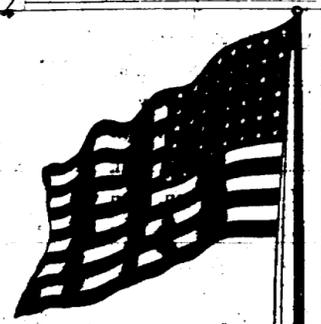
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GERMAN TREATMENT OF CONQUERED TERRITORY

Washington, D. C., April 12.

The systematic exploitation of Belgium by the Germans under the so-called "Rathenau Plan" is revealed for the first time to the American people in the latest publication of the Committee on Public Information, issued today, entitled "German Treatment of Conquered Territory."

It is based upon unpublished reports to our Department of State and other sources as yet little known in this country, and presents an appalling record of calculated German greed and brutality. Much of the most damning evidence is derived from the official orders and other utterances of the Germans themselves.

The Rathenau plan was suggested early in August, 1914, by Dr. Walter Rathenau, president of the General Electric Company of Germany. It consisted essentially in the formation, under his direction, of a bureau to procure an unfailing supply of essential raw materials for the war, such as rubber, saltpetre, metals, etc., both by purchase in neutral markets and by seizure in occupied territories. Secretly a more dastardly purpose was pursued. "The plan aimed not merely at making war-support war by contributions and requisitions forced from the conquered peoples. It also sought to destroy the industries among the subject peoples so that it might not be possible to build them up again for some years, if at all. In the meantime, the German authorities counted upon their ability to capture the markets of the world for their own wares."

As an example of the deliberate crushing of Belgian competition, the case of the glass industry is cited. This was one of the most flourishing industries of Belgium before the war, and German glass manufacturers could not compete with it in the export trade. In the words of the head of the German organization of glass manufacturers, "It became vital to the German manufacturers of glassware that the Belgian manufacturers should be stopped from going to neutral markets." Accordingly, the German administration in Belgium was appealed to, and it promulgated "an order stopping importation, transit, and exportation" of these goods. Seizure of Belgian trade secrets was another feature of this typically German plan.

The extent to which Belgium has been denuded of its wealth, war materials, machinery, means of transport and man power under this iniquitous plan is almost unbelievable. "All crude materials indispensable for Belgian industries," reported Brand Whitlock, our Minister to Belgium, as early as August 2, 1915, "were requisitioned and sent to Germany—leather, hides, copper, wool, flax, etc. Furthermore, if not the entire stock, at least the greatest number possible of machinery parts were shipped to Germany, to be used,

according to German statements, in making munitions which Belgian factories had refused to produce." Belgian draft horses, the best in the world, were seized and sent to Germany to be sold to German farmers. A long list compiled from the German official ordinances is given of the articles ordered seized in Belgium. It comprises some 300 separate items, listed under such headings as minerals and metals, chemicals, machinery, food, clothing, textiles, household articles, old material, oils and explosives, metal products for industrial establishments, medical supplies, etc. The articles range from tungsten steel to ground slag, from electric condensers and conductors to printer's slugs and matrices, from all grains for bread-making to oat straw, from bath tubs to stair-carpet rods and doorknobs, from old rags to the skins, horns, feet, bones and carcasses of horses, calves, goats, rabbits, and dogs. Nothing apparently is overlooked or forgotten in this ruthless robbery of the quivering victim. It is German efficiency joined to German unscrupulousness and disregard of all rights on the part of those not able to defend themselves.

Other chapters in this publication, which may be obtained free by writing to 8 Jackson Place, Washington, D. C., are devoted to pillage and arson as practiced by German officers and troops; to the deliberate burning of the rich city of Louvain, on the false charge that the citizens had fired on German troops; and to the wanton destruction of houses, orchards, and every work of man carried out last spring in northern France when Hindenburg was forced to fall back from the region of the Somme.

Professor Dana C. Munro, of Princeton University, is the compiler, assisted by George C. Sellery, of the University of Wisconsin, and August C. Krey, of the University of Minnesota. The pamphlet is part two of "German War Practices," the first part of which, by the same authors, was issued several months ago.

"In some respects the material in this part," write the authors in the introduction, "which deals with the treatment of conquered territory, seems at first of a less brutal and revolting character, as injury to property is always less serious than murder and enslavement of people. But when the treatment of conquered territory is studied carefully it is clear that the system shows itself here in an even more brutal form, because the systematic exploitation and wanton destruction would inevitably lead to starvation of the population, especially of the aged, feeble, and the children, and to the forced enslavement of the able-bodied workers. Furthermore, the results of these evils will not end with the war, but will be perpetuated. The conquered lands, even after they regain their freedom, will suffer long and grievously from the enfeeblement of the population caused by the misery during the occupation of the countries by the Germans."

The neglected rain-barrel and any other place where water stands furnish breeding places for mosquitoes. A minute or two employed in emptying every such vessel about your premises is time well spent.

A stitch in time saves nine—but a ditch in time often saves many times nine cases of malaria. Swat the malaria-carrying mosquito by draining its breeding place.

If health is wealth, who is mathematician enough to figure out the financial loss each year incurred in Virginia through preventable disease?

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C. C. CARLIN'S RECORD IN THE INTEREST OF THE AMERICAN FARMER TOLD BY A MAN WHO KNOWS.

The two following letters are self explanatory and tell their own story—the story of what the Hon. C. C. Carlin has done for the great American farmer. Mr. Kimble, President of the Farmers National Congress of the entire United States is a farmer of national reputation and no man is better qualified to speak for the farmer. Mr. Turner of The Plains is known to many of Loudoun's citizens, and is highly esteemed by all who know him. These letters so plainly tell their own story that comment is unnecessary.

Mr. Turner's Letter.

The Plains, Va. March 28, 1918.

"Mr. J. H. Kimble, Pres. & Legislative Agent, Farmers National Congress, R. F. D., Port Deposit, Maryland."

"Dear Sir:—"

The record of Congressman C. C. Carlin of this District has been questioned in respect to his attitude towards legislation urged upon Congress by the farmers, through such farmers organizations as the Farmers National Congress, and, as an operating farmer myself, I am writing you, the Legislative Agent of the Farmers National Congress, for the facts about Congressman Carlin's votes and attitude toward legislation in the interest of the farmers."

"I will greatly appreciate this information."

"Very truly yours," (signed) "R. R. Turner."

The following reply from Mr. Kimble to Mr. Turner's letter tells the farmers and citizens of the Eighth Congressional District exactly what they want to know.

Mr. Kimble's Letter.

FARMERS' NATIONAL CONGRESS, U. S. A.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Port Deposit, Maryland, March 27, 1918.

"Mr. R. R. Turner, The Plains, Va."

"Dear Sir:—"

I have your letter inquiring about the record of Congressman C. C. Carlin of your State on measures urged by farmers' organizations, and stating that his votes and attitude towards legislation of interest to the farmers have been questioned.

As a farmer, living on a farm all my life, I have been identified with the Grange, and have held various offices in the above farmers' organization, one of the chief objects of which has been national legislation in the interest of the farmer and the people, such as parcel post, rural credits, postal savings, federal aid to roads, and the like.

As National Legislative Agent of the above farmers' organization for the past five years, it has been my duty to keep in close touch with the legislative situation at Washington, and I take pleasure in answering your inquiry about the attitude and votes of Congressman Carlin with reference to legislation in the interest of the farmers and the whole people. I know the "bumboogie" that is sometimes handed out to the farmers and the people by politicians and candidates for office, and that is sometimes handed out by men in office seeking to continue in office. But the man in office has a record, particularly the congressman, and as I have said, one of the chief objects of the Farmers' National Congress and the thing I like about it most, is the fact that for years, it now being in its thirty-eighth year, it has sent representative, home-life farmers, actual tillers of the soil to Washington to argue before congressional committees and to watch closely and find out precisely what was done in committees and in Congress with legislation that could be justly denominated by the farmers, and the people. We have kept "tab" on legislation and have kept track of who voted how and have not hesitated to make known the votes and attitude of congressmen on bills of vital importance to the farmers.

The Congressional Record shows that Congressman Carlin has voted right and in the interest of the farmers and the people every time a legislative matter has been up in Congress in which we were interested, such as parcel post, postal savings, good roads, increased appropriations for agricultural purposes, marketing work, rural credits, anti-grain-billing, warehouse licensing, direct election of senators, and the like.

Not only has he voted for these and other similar, legislative demands of the farmers, urged by such representative farmers organizations as the Grange, the Farmers Union, and the Farmers National Congress, but he has favored and voted for every other piece of legislation that has been proposed in Congress, during the over ten years he has been a member, that was in the interest of the farmers and the people and that has been opposed by the Big Interests and certain other unscrupulous and resourceful influences, whose insidious methods and potent later meddling was partially exposed several years ago by the Mulhall Lobby Investigation.

And not only on the floor of Congress, but in committee room he has shown himself to be a friend of the farmers and the folk. As a member of the House Judiciary Committee Congressman Carlin led and whipped the fight, in connection with the anti-trust legislation urged by President Wilson, for taking the farmers' organizations out of the unjust predatory trust class into which they had been thrown judicially under the Sherman Law. For realize the far-reaching importance of this particular provision of his until they learn that a big trust was responsible for some farmers being convicted under the criminal section of the Sherman Law during the first fifteen years it was on the federal statute books. Their conviction was so monstrous that the presiding judge apologized for it when he passed sentence. President Taft pardoned them, and one of the very first things President Wilson did, backed by such members of the Judiciary Committee as Congressman Carlin, was to have the Sherman Law applied and another law repealed.

"If you should care to have a detailed list of the various bills, the page of the Record, the date, and the like, showing minutely that Congressman Carlin has voted for every one of the many measures we have been urging, I will be glad to furnish the information.

I do not know Congressman Carlin, personally, having met him only once, but I do know his legislative record. He is one of the most genuine friends the farmer has, or could have in Congress, for he is always on the job in their interests. His record in Congress for the over ten years he has been in the House of Representatives is that of a faithful servant of the farmers and the people. I am at a loss to imagine who could question his record, his acts and votes, from a farmer's standpoint, for his record is an exceptionally good one in the eyes of all the officers and legislative committees and representatives of the various farm organizations, with whom I have come in contact. I am in Washington every little while and meet with the officers and representative of the various farmers' organizations. Last year there was formed a sort of a federation of the various farmers' organizations for legislative purposes, something in a co-operative way, which the Farmers' National Congress, which led the fight for parcel post, rural credits, postal savings and the like, worked on for years—and known as the Federal Board of Farm Organizations. I have the honor of being on the Executive Committee of that federation, as well as being the Legislative Agent and President of the Farmers' National Congress, and know that Congressman Carlin's record is considered by us as exceptionally satisfactory and above question. From a farmer's standpoint, I wish you had written more in detail about his record and how his record has been questioned. The Mulhall Lobby Investigation disclosed the dark and devious ways in which some of the Big Interests did their work and I can readily understand, in view of his splendid record, how some of those self-same interests might want to undermine Congressman Carlin, or any other true friend of the farmers and the people.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) J. H. KIMBLE.

According to Mr. Kimble Mr. Carlin has done and is doing what others say they will do.

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The enemy is engaged in making war in this country, in transmitting news to Berlin and in spreading peace propaganda as well as lies about the condition and morale of American military forces.

Whenever any suspicious act or disloyal word comes to your notice communicate at once with the police department or with the nearest office of the Department of Justice.

State of Virginia: Circuit Court for Prince William County, to-wit:

Second Rules March 1918. Travers Stokes, Mary Lewis and Eli Stokes,

vs. Nancy Virginia Stokes, Lavinia Berry, Spencer Stokes, Thomas Stokes, Virginia Marshall, William Stokes, Hester Thomas, Robert Thomas and R. B. Gosson, administrator of Spencer Stokes, deceased.

The object of this suit is to settle the accounts of the said administrator; to subject the estate of Spencer Stokes, deceased, to the payment of all liabilities against it; to assign dower therein to the widow of Spencer Stokes; to partition the real estate of Spencer Stokes among those entitled thereto, by sale or partition in kind, subject to the payment of liabilities; to subject the dower interest of said widow to the payment of a debt due by said widow, as guardian to Robert and Hester Thomas; to allot counsel fees, and for general relief.

It appearing by affidavit filed in this suit that the defendants, Nancy Virginia Stokes, Lavinia Berry, Virginia Marshall, and William Stokes are not residents of the state of Virginia, it is ordered that they appear within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests; and that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Manassas Journal, and be posted on the front door of the court house of said county on or before the next succeeding rule day.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk. A true copy—Teate: GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk. Robert A. Hutchison, p. q. 44-4

PUBLIC SALE!

—OF— VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a certain deed, etc., dated the 30th day of January, 1918, of record in deed book 70, pages 436-7-8, in the clerk's office of Prince William County, Virginia, executed by the heirs of the late Thomas M. Piercy, deceased, the undersigned trustee therein named will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1918 at twelve o'clock, m., in front of The Peoples National Bank, in the town of Manassas, aforesaid county and state, all that certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being situated about 2 1/2 miles from Gainesville, on the Page Land Lane, in Gainesville district, aforesaid county and state, adjoining the lands of A. D. Marsteller, E. H. Marsteller, Wm. H. Brown place, and Bull Run and Catharpin Run, containing, more or less,

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Commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. Having rented my farm one mile west of Bristow, I will sell at public auction, on the above-named date, the following personal property:

Four horses—1 gray mare, 5 years old, 1300 lbs; 1 gray horse, 4 years old, 1200 lbs; 1 bay horse, 4 years old; 1 gray colt, 3 years old. Seven young cows, Holstein-bull entitled to registration; New Idea manure spreader, 3/4 Turnbull wagon, good as new; kitchen range, wheat binder, mowing machine, horse rake, truck wagon, small disk harrow, springtooth harrow, grain drill, wheelbarrow, grass seeder, cutting box, 3 turn plows, 3 double shovel plows, Superior wheat drill, 2 sets of harness, plow harness, lines, bridles, collars, 2 log chains, rakes, forks, shovels, hoes, picks, lot of milk cans, and other odds and ends too numerous to mention. About 5 feet ensilage in silo.

TERMS—Sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount, a credit of nine months will be given, the purchaser executing interest-bearing, negotiable note, with approved security, payable at the National Bank of Manassas. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

M. A. ROLLINS. J. P. KERLIN, Auctioneer. A. S. ROBERTSON, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust executed on the 23rd day of November, 1913, by Mary V. Morgan and J. A. Morgan, her husband, of record in the clerk's office of Prince William County, Virginia, in deed book 64, pages 287-8, to secure to William Clarke the sum of \$2,500 (on which interest is now due from May 28, 1917), as fully set out therein, the undersigned trustee therein named, having been requested so to do by said Clarke by reason of default having been made in the payment of said note and interest, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

MONDAY, APRIL 1, 1918, at twelve o'clock, m., in front of the courthouse, in the town of Manassas, aforesaid county and state, all those two certain lots of land, lying between Center street and the Southern Railway on the southeast corner of said Center street and Fairview avenue, in the aforesaid town, and described as follows:

First—Containing about two acres, with dwelling, etc., thereon, running with Center street 175 feet and said railroad 183 feet, and about 322 feet back to Center street on either side of said lot.

Second—Containing about .87 acres, and running with said Center street 178 feet, 190 feet with Fairview Avenue, 172 feet with railroad, and 176 feet from said railroad back to Center street.

TERMS CASH. GEORGE C. ROUND, Trustee.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

—Miss Margaret Lynch has accepted a position in the Navy Department, Washington, D. C.

—Hon. C. C. Carlin will address a patriotic meeting at Haymarket on Sunday, April 14, at 3 o'clock.

—Col. E. B. White, of Leesburg, has resigned as state food administrator, in order to be in a position to devote the whole of his time and attention to his candidacy for congress.

—There will be a meeting in the O. F. A. hall at Independent Hill Sunday, April 14, for the purpose of reorganizing the Sunday School. All interested are asked to be present at 8 o'clock.

—The members of the Patriotic League at Purcellville, Loudoun county, have pledged themselves to sell all except ten pounds of wheat per capita and to make that do till the coming harvest.

—Mr. Allen Green, of Aden, has lost ten head of cattle since the present wet spell of weather set in. The cattle had been kept housed during the winter months, and were recently turned out on pasture.

—Rev. E. A. Roads, formerly pastor of the Grace M. E. Church, South, of this place, visited friends in Manassas this week. Mr. Roads leaves Augusta county next week for his pastorate at Christiansburg, Montgomery county, Va.

—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Bryant, who died on last Friday, was held Sunday morning, interment being made at the family burying ground on the McGrath farm, near Bradley. Mrs. Bryant was 83 years of age and lived with her son, Mr. Geo. Bryant, near Manassas.

—The High School Minstrels will give a performance in Conner's Hall, Saturday, April 20, beginning at 8 o'clock. Remember that "a laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market," and only those are urged to come who are prepared to laugh. Don't miss this mixture of songs, jokes and negro comedy.

—The Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, which has been in session in Baltimore, adjourned early this week. Prince William appointments are announced as follows: Manassas, Rev. H. Q. Burr; Dumfries, Rev. C. L. Beard; Occoquan, Rev. G. E. Smith; Sudley, Rev. C. K. Millican.

—Mr. R. M. Weir sustained a painful injury to his left wrist on Tuesday of this week. In driving his automobile close to and parallel with the barn at his home he reached out to pull the door of his car shut and caught his arm between the corner of the building and the moving automobile. While no bones were broken, the wrist tendons were badly torn.

—The chairman of the Third Liberty Loan for the county of Prince William has appointed the Rev. Alford Kelley chairman of the ministers' work, as designated by Secretary McAduo. Every minister in the county is requested to make a personal sacrifice for the cause of liberty and meet Rev. Mr. Kelley at his residence Tuesday, April 16th, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

—John Henderson and Jesse Green, the two colored men arrested last week in connection with the burglary at Mrs. Margaret Lewis' boarding house, on West street, are still confined in jail. The local police authorities are making diligent search for articles, that have recently been stolen from homes here, in an effort to be in a position to cause the conviction of the two men.

to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bruch, of "Ben Lomond."

—Mr. W. N. Lipscomb is reported to be critically ill at the Episcopal Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital, Washington, D. C.

—The Red Cross will meet next Monday night promptly at 7:30 o'clock. After the meeting the members will attend the moving picture show to be given by the Junior Red Cross.

—Mr. C. W. Polen, of Manassas, is a travelling salesman for Austin, Nichols & Co., of New York, the largest wholesale grocery firm in the world. Mr. Polen's headquarters are at Clarkburg, W. Va.

—Congressman William A. Jones, of Virginia, was paralyzed in Washington on Sunday. According to reports, there is little hope for his recovery. Congressman Jones is chairman of the House Committee on Insular Affairs.

—The executive committee of the Gypsy Smith, jr., evangelistic campaign will meet at the office of the treasurer, Mr. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, on Saturday, April 13, at 10 a. m., to dispose of the surplus left after all expenses were paid.

—Prince William county's quota in the Third Liberty Loan Bond campaign is approximately \$60,000. Capt. Westwood Hutchison, the Liberty Loan Director for the county, is perfecting local organizations through which it is thought the county's quota will be quickly subscribed. All of the banks in the county are taking an active interest in trying to make the campaign a success.

—Mr. John R. Turner, clerk of the circuit court of Fauquier county for more than thirty years, died at his home at Warrenton on Saturday night last, aged eighty years. The deceased is survived by his widow, two sons and two daughters—Judge E. S. Turner, of Warrenton; Hugh Turner, of Newport News; Mrs. Nellie Turner Anderson, of Charleston, S. C.; and Mrs. W. H. Lewis, of Rectortown. Mrs. Lewis is a sister-in-law of Messrs. Jos. F. Ashby and Charlie Lewis.

ABOUT PEOPLE WE KNOW

Miss Mary Beverley Leachman is visiting in Washington.

Mr. Macon Cave, of Gainesville, was in Manassas on Thursday.

Mrs. W. R. Free of Nokesville, was a Manassas visitor this week.

Miss Mildred Belt spent the week-end at her home in Baltimore.

Mr. Fred R. Hynson, of Occoquan, was in Manassas on Wednesday.

Miss Lucy Buck, of Washington, was in Manassas for the week-end.

Mr. John R. Fick, of Quantico, attended court on Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Victor Emerson, of Philadelphia, is visiting her mother, Mrs. P. H. Lynch.

Miss Carr, of Philadelphia, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Davis.

Mrs. Babb and children are visiting at the home of Mrs. Babb's mother in Tennessee.

Privates John L. Hynson and Henry Latham, of Camp Lee, were in Manassas Sunday.

Mrs. Morgan, of Hampton, Va., is in Manassas in the interests of the Equal Suffrage League.

Captain W. Fewell Merchant, of Camp Lee, will spend the week-end with his family here.

Grove, was in town on Thursday.

Mr. T. Latham Gaines, of Catharpin, was in attendance upon the circuit court this week.

Mr. Charles E. Lipscomb, of Plainsfield, N. J., spent several days in Manassas this week.

Mr. C. Paul Nelson and Mr. H. A. Robson, of Huntington, W. Va., were Manassas visitors Sunday.

Dr. V. V. Gillum attended a Shriner's meeting at the Willard Hotel, Washington, D. C., on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Portner, who spent the winter in Philadelphia, have returned to their home here.

Rev. and Mrs. Lewis, of Boise, Idaho, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Birkett.

Miss Ethel Larson is spending the spring months with her sister, Miss Clara Larson, in Western North Carolina.

Mrs. W. S. Ryland has as her guests her mother and sister, Mrs. J. B. Fryer and Mrs. H. W. Sewell, of Valdosta.

Mr. C. C. Wenrich, with his wife and little son visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wenrich, on Sunday.

Private Frank Adams, of Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga., was here on a short furlough last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Adams.

Mr. James E. Nelson, of Washington, visited relatives in Manassas on Sunday. Mr. Nelson now holds a position with the Wells Fargo Express Co.

Mrs. W. N. Merchant, who has been the guests of her daughters, Mrs. Silas Lillard and Mrs. Archie Nalls, of Alexandria, returned home this week, accompanied by Mrs. Lillard.

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(By Lillian Larkin)

Preparations are being made for an Allied Bazaar, which will be held in Conner's Hall Saturday, May 4. The door receipts will be added to the picture fund of the assembly room and the Normal training room. The receipts will be given to the Athletic Association.

The assembly program last week was devoted to the subject of athletics. Miss Emily Johnson gave a brief history of the organization and progress of the Eighth Congressional District Athletic Association. In a short talk Mr. Sanders spoke of the value of athletics. He also told the boys what will be expected of them if they go in for track this spring.

The Arbor Day program, scheduled for Wednesday, was postponed indefinitely. However, each class has planted a shrub or tree on the school grounds.

The evangelist who has been conducting services in the United Brethren Church will address the school Friday morning.

The boys are busy practicing for a minstrel show, which will be given in the near future, for the benefit of the Athletic Association.

Those receiving the highest average for work done in March are as follows:

- Mattie Athey, fourth year, academic.
- Marian Burkes, fourth year, normal.
- Dorothy Johnson, fourth year, commercial.
- Elsie Rosenberger, third year, academic.
- Percival Lewis, third year, agricultural.
- Edith Merchant, third year, commercial.
- Lanier Moran, second year.
- Caroline Beachley, first year.

SHALL MANASSAS HAVE A HOME GUARD?

The Manassas Home Guard has now been organized for several months. In the opinion of many it has been a complete failure. But is this true? And, if it is, who is to blame? There are approximately eighty men in Manassas who signed up as members. Only about five per cent of these have been regular attendants on drill nights, and from the standpoint of these men alone, the organization has been a success.

If you think a well organized, well equipped and well drilled Home Guard would be a credit to the town as well as a source of protection to the citizens of the county in an emergency, why not do your part toward helping the organization attain this ideal? It is a well established fact that few things worth while are attained without some sacrifice, and in this instance, the only sacrifice is that of time—one or more nights a week. This, with the moral support of the patriotic citizens of the town and county will insure success to the organization. May we expect this much of you?

(Signed)

- A. A. HOOFF, 1st Lieutenant.
- G. R. RATCLIFFE, 2nd Lieutenant.
- C. H. WINE, 1st Sergeant.

Do Your "Bit" for the War Relief Fund of the W. C. T. U.

All members of the W. C. T. U. are asked to sell the eggs they get on the four Sundays in April and turn this money over to the local treasurer. She will forward the money to the state treasurer and it will be used for War Relief in the W. C. T. U.

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Mr. J. B. Shepherd has been quite ill for the past week.

Mrs. J. E. Arrington and Mrs. Chas. Hopkins visited relatives in Neabaco on Sunday last.

Mrs. H. Davis was a guest of Mrs. Dorsey Allison on Tuesday last, near Bristow.

Mr. William Roles was the guest of Mr. George Russell Friday.

Mrs. Rosey Rainey and her sister, Sallie, were in Dumfries on business Saturday.

We are glad to know that Mrs. Lloyd Brawner is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. William Roles called at the home of Mrs. C. E. Hopkins Friday last.

EARTHQUAKE SHAKES

Felt in Virginia and Washington—Severest Since 1886.

Virginia and Washington experienced a severe earthquake Tuesday night when for miles about was shaken for more than three minutes by a palpable earth tremor. The shock was the severest felt since the quake which damaged Charleston, S. C., in 1886.

The shocks were felt in all Virginia towns as south as Richmond and Lynchburg. Reports from nearby cities indicated that the tremors were more severe to the southward. Georgetown University seismographs show, however, that the quake was of the faintest character, centering probably within 200 miles.

It began at 9:09 o'clock and lasted until 9:12 o'clock. It was of three millimeters intensity.

Dishes were shaken on tables and pantry shelves in many homes.

One woman in Washington ran frantically from her home, screaming. Dishes were shaken from the pantry shelves in many apartments. Officials at the White House also felt the shock.

Walls were shaken in many homes.

A report from Lynchburg

quake was felt in that city shortly after nine o'clock, causing many inquiries at the local newspaper office. It was also felt in the contiguous counties. The shock, however, was not sufficient to cause any damage.

The shock of the earthquake was felt by many in Manassas.

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Value of Music in the Education of the Young

By CHLOE E. LAY HODGE

The following paper, which was read before the Educational conference held in Manassas on March 21 and 22, is by request printed in full here:

In the short time given us, it is impossible to do justice to a subject so wide and deep as music. We can, as it were, but touch the fringe of its flowing garments. It has the dignity of age, an inheritance handed down through all the years, of heavenly birth, the most aristocratic of all arts.

Imagine the world without music; no song of birds, with their thrilling prophesies of spring; no joyous summer carols in the midst of the verdure of the trees lifting their feathery tops in the sunshine, no soft lullabies, crooned by loving mothers to their precious babes, no sound of children's choruses, sacred hymns and anthems, giving utterance to every phase of human thought and feeling; such immortal choruses as "The Hallelujah Chorus," or our patriotic songs with such a ring of enthusiasm as to impel great audiences to rise as one man and pour forth a flood of harmony only surpassed by the songs of the angels surrounding the throne of God. We ask again, "What would the world be without music?" How could we spare the jolly college songs that bring together, in happy conclave, boys and girls, young men and maidens? Could we spare the folk songs, and the "Rag-time" music enjoyed by so many, even, we must admit, by the cultivated musician? And last, but not least, could we spare such popular war songs as "Joan of Arc," "Our Boys Are Not Forgotten," "Keep the Home Fires Burning," songs that will not soon be forgotten, especially the latter, although the voice of her who wrote it is forever hushed in this world. What would we do without the magnificent music of the orchestras, the organ, the piano and violin, and cornet? We would give an honor to the kings of original music, Bach and Beethoven, Handel and Haydn, Mozart and Mendelssohn, Schumann, the fathers of song and Schubert. These gave musical form and rules for harmony and placed music on a throne undisputed in right, a queen who reigns over the whole world with gracious authority. We honor Wagner, Liszt, Gounod and Franz, and our home musicians, Sherwood, MacDowell, Beech and Lane, and many other star in the brilliant firmament of music, and we know our light will never be dimmed. We would spare the influence of the singers as Jenny Lind, Mrs. Cary, Albani, Antonette Sterling, Sims Reeves, Caruso, De Retskies, and a hundred other glorious singers? We could ask, how did these earn their high places on the roll of fame? Did they find themselves at the top of the ladder with one bound? Did they flash like a meteor on the world without any effort of their own? No, it was by beginning early, in their childhood, to work earnestly and perseveringly for themselves to the study of the chosen art. In many cases, through tribulations and discouragements, and sometimes through hunger and want that they attained their reward, and came to the world their most beautiful and appealing music.

It is the crushed rose that sends forth the most lovely perfume. It brings us to assert that the value of music in the education of the young cannot be over-estimated. Music in our schools should have an honored place. It represents mathematics in the

study of harmony, of grammar in correct pronunciation and punctuation, and analysis of its themes, literature, in the proper character of its themes and the interpretation of the words and sentences; physics, in the comparative study of sounds; psychology, in its constant appeals to the study of the beautiful; physiology, in its physical culture for strength development and a correct voice production.

Every school should have time given to voice culture. Here we may say that patience and perseverance is not alone necessary on the part of the pupils. The teacher should be patient and persevering also, and make a faithful effort to bring out any talent that might be lying dormant in the pupils. Some times instrumental or vocal music can be made more interesting and better interpreted by a little dramatic setting of the words. For instance, the familiar song, "Swanee River," may become more than mere voice and words, if a picture of the old gray darkey, talking to his companions can be thrown on the mental screen. Or the exquisite Minuet of Beethoven may appeal more perfectly to the pupils by a description of the brilliant robes of the men and women dancers in these stately figures, the trailing garments of the ladies with powdered hair and beauty patches, and the velvet and satin garments of the men with their flashing knee and shoe buckles, each moving with measured grace amid the gorgeous surroundings of the candle-lighted ball-room. Patience both of teachers and pupils must certainly exist, for it is only step by step that round after round of the ladder can be mounted. It is when the mind is fresh and impressionable that it is well to begin music study. The foundation must be good or the building will fall. The early period of the lessons should be made as interesting as possible, consistent with really good work. The lessons in our schools are of the greatest importance in chorus producing and are far-reaching in their effects. The homes are made happy and attractive by music of any kind, but especially by singing. Listen! What is that we hear? It is Sunday evening and the family around the piano are gathered to sing. They are a happy group. Hush, let us listen! What are they singing? It is that beautiful old hymn, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and still another, "Onward Christian Soldier," and yet another, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," and another, "America." Is it not beautiful? "Where did they learn to sing so well you ask? 'In school," we reply.

The churches also receive the benefit in solos, choruses, and congregational singing. Now, again, listen! "Where is that chorus of men's voices?" It is far away across the sea. It is in the trenches, our boys singing a favorite war song, and this is followed by an evening hymn, "Abide With Me," sung with such deep feeling and expression that one can scarcely restrain the tears. Now silence reigns, the watch is set, and trusting the Heavenly Father, the weary soldiers rest a little while. Is not this true of all the brave Allies also?

—Where did these men learn to sing? Was it not a part of their education in our schools all over this broad land?

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Subject, "Jesus Requires Confession and Loyalty."
Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m.
Subject, "Enjoy Summer."
Preaching at 8:00 p. m. Subject, "Christ—Blessed Not Himself."
Wednesday—Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Subject, "Justified by Faith."

Clifton Presbyterian Church, Rev. Alford Kelley, pastor.
Sunday School at 10 a. m. Subject as stated above.
Preaching and Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 11 a. m. Subject as stated above.
Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m. Subject as stated above.

LUTHERAN

Bethel Lutheran Church, Rev. Edgar Z. Pence, pastor.
Catechetical instruction Thursday at 3:15 p. m.
Sunday—Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Preaching at 2:30 p. m.
Services at the Nokesville Lutheran Church Sunday at 11 a. m.

BAPTIST

Manassas Baptist Church, Rev. T. D. D. Clark, pastor.
Sunday—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning service, 11 o'clock; E. Y. P. U., 8:45; evening service at 7:30.
Wednesday—Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m.

Each and every member of the Manassas Baptist Church is earnestly requested to be present at the morning service on the second Sunday in April. Business of importance to every member.

Rev. Barnett Grimley's Appointments
Bellehaven, fourth Sunday, 11 a. m.
Woodbine, second and fourth Sundays, 3 p. m.
Hatcher Memorial, second Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Oak Dale, third Sunday, 11 a. m., and first Sunday, 7:30 p. m.
Auburn, first Sunday, 11 a. m. and third Sunday, 7:30 p. m.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST

Primitive Baptist Church, Elder T. S. Dalton, pastor.
Services every fourth Sunday at 11 a. m. and the Saturday preceding at 2:30 p. m.

CATHOLIC

All Saints' Catholic Church, Manassas, Father William Gill, pastor.
Mass at 8 a. m., first and third Sundays, second and fourth Sundays at 10:30 a. m., followed by benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

METHODIST

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Manassas, Rev. H. Q. Burr, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.
Senior Epworth League at 8:30 p. m.

Rev. G. E. Millican's appointments follow:

Budley—First, second and fourth Sundays, 11 a. m.
Fairview—Second and fourth Sundays, 3 p. m.
Gainesville—First Sunday, 3 p. m.; third and fifth Sunday, 11 a. m.
Bristow—Third and fifth Sundays, 3 p. m.
Woodlawn—Third and fifth Sundays, 3 p. m.
Woolley—First Sunday, 3 p. m.

UNITED BRETHREN

Rev. L. C. Messick's appointments follow:
Manassas—First and third Sundays, 7:30 p. m. Second and fourth Sundays, 11 a. m.
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VALUE OF MUSIC IN THE EDUCATION OF THE YOUNG

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In conclusion, we affirm: taking the letters which spell our subject, "Music," that music is the most magnificent of all arts, the most useful, the most sacred, the most indispensable, the most costly.

Why magnificent? Because it more than repays its devotees for all efforts to achieve success.

Why useful? Because of its varied and far-reaching opportunities to give pleasure and encourage noble thoughts and high ideals, as well as to express joy and merriment.

Why sacred? Because it is the most heavenly of all arts. Because it is, with many, the most intimate communion with God, the expression of worship, love, honor, sorrow for sin, joy for redemption, thanksgiving for many mercies, and peace in perfect trust.

Why indispensable? Because as we think we have proved, we could not do without it.

Why costly? Because it costs much time and patience and love, as well as money, to obtain it, so we find it priceless and count those, indeed fortunate who have learned its value. The painter's choicest canvases will fade beyond recognition; the sculptor's masterpiece crumble to dust, but music will never die but live on and on through ages.

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An act of July 2, 1909, required examinations to be taken in the state of residence. While this provision is suspended for the period of the war, it is still required that only those who have been actually domiciled in the state or territory in which they reside for at least one year previous to the examination may become eligible for permanent appointment to the apportioned departmental service in Washington, D. C.

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County school levy 25 cents on the \$100 of tangible property.
Brentsville district school levy 25 cents on the \$100 of tangible property.
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County levy 30 cents on the \$100 of tangible property.
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Coles district 30 cents on the \$100 of tangible property.
Dumfries district 20 cents on the \$100 of tangible property.
Gainesville district 20 cents on the \$100 of tangible property.
Manassas district 30 cents on the \$100 of tangible property.
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D. E. Kincheloe, poor claim	12.00
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McDuff Green, attendance and mileage	5.30
J. J. Conner, attendance and mileage	4.25
O. C. Hutchison, attendance and mileage	5.20
T. M. Russell, attendance and mileage	4.70
C. C. Leghman, treasurer, water and light bill for courthouse, etc.	6.59
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T. M. Russell, poor claim	12.00
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The questions for the various subjects will be based upon the books listed below:

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Virginia History: Smithy (American Book Co.).
English History: Cheyney (Ginn & Co.).
Virginia Edition (Ginn & Co.).
Civics: Mc Bain; Government and Politics of Virginia.
Physical Geography: Tate; New Physical Geography (Macmillan Co.).
Agriculture: Duggar; Agriculture for Southern Schools (Macmillan Co.).
Physiology and Hygiene: Ritchie; Primer of Sanitation and Physiology (World Book Co.).
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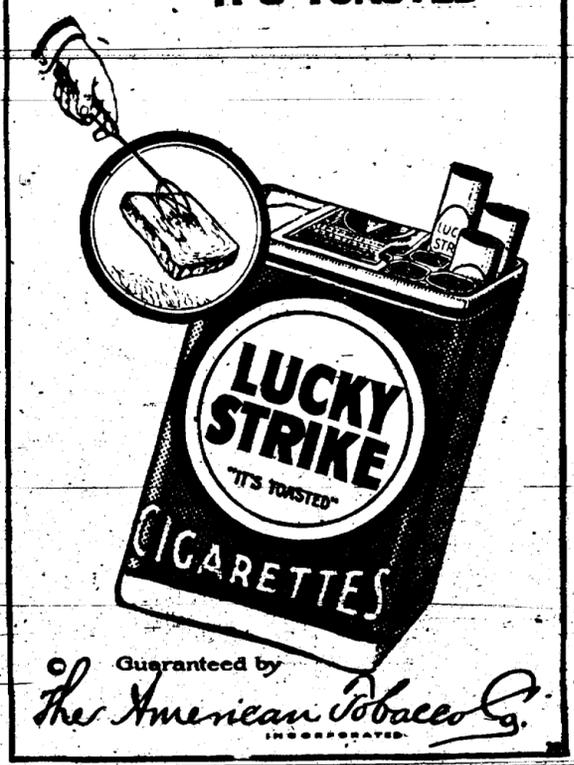
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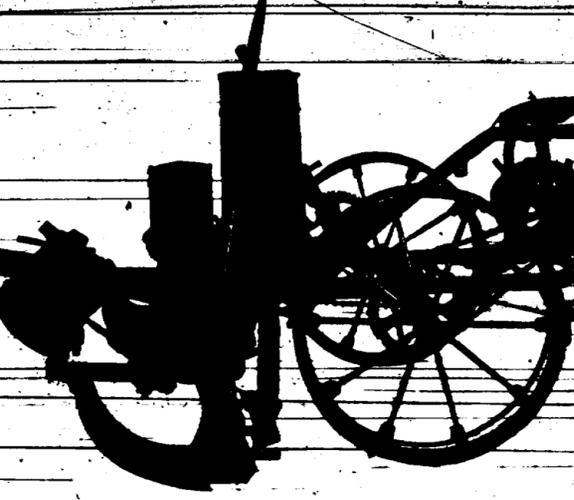
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HAYMARKET

Mr. Cary Gamble, a student at the Episcopal High School, Alexandria, spent the Easter holidays at "Waverley."

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Rector have had news of the safe arrival "Over Seas" of their son, Private Percy Rector, who enlisted last summer, and for some months was in camp in Arizona.

Miss Mary G. Rötter and Miss Helen Coleman were the guests of Miss Lillian Hutchison at Easter.

Mrs. Carval Hall, of Annapolis, was here last week, getting her home in readiness for the return of herself and family the last of this week.

Dr. G. M. Coleman, proprietor of Haymarket Pharmacy, with his family, is now located at Lexington, Va. He left his business here in charge of Mr. Parsons Rector, and we hope his absence from Haymarket is only temporary.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Osborne lost their dwelling house and most of its contents by fire on the last Friday in March. The fire was discovered by Miss Nannie Osborne and her little brother Haynes, who were the only members of the family at home. A number of workers speedily answered the call for help, but only succeeded in saving the furniture on the first floor.

Haymarket school has been fully organized as a Junior Auxiliary of the American Red Cross, under the local branch, with 100 per cent enrolment. The officers are: Chairman, Miss Mary E. Scott; treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Jordan; secretary, Miss Nannie V. Osborne. The children are greatly interested, and every Friday afternoon finds them all busy with Red Cross work. The special work in which they are engaged is the making of refugee garments and knitting.

The officers of the branch school committee are chairman, Mr. R. B. Gosson; treasurer, Mr. W. W. Butler.

There will be a patriotic meeting at the Parish Hall on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, under the management of the Haymarket Branch of the American Red Cross. Hon. C. C. Carlin will speak, and there will be patriotic songs by the Junior School Auxiliary.

The meeting is arranged for "information and inspiration" concerning not only the work of the Red Cross, but all that pertains to the winning of the war. No admission will be charged and the people of the community are not only cordially invited, but urged to attend. At the close of the exercises all members of the Haymarket branch are requested to remain for a short business meeting, which will be held for the purpose of electing a chairman and vice-chairman, to succeed Dr. W. C. Payne, and Dr. G. M. Coleman, who resigned by reason of leaving Haymarket.

HOADLEY

A very enjoyable surprise party was given Ernest L. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Davis, Saturday evening. Dancing and games were indulged in until a late hour, when all were called into the dining-room where the table was tastefully decorated and bountiful refreshments were served.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Davis and family, of Potomac, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis, of the Cross Roads, Mrs. Daniel Reid and children, Mrs. Rozier Fairfax and children, Mrs. J. Fairfax and children, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pettit and family, Mrs. Tyson Reid and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. French Davis, Misses Eleanor Lewis, Florella Milstead, Angie Metzger, Sue Snapp, Marion Lewis, Eva Kidwell, Ella Leary,

Mattie Payne, Ocella Dane, and Messrs. Cecil Calvert, Guy Cline, Bertram Kidwell, Arthur Hedger, Prof. Dowson, Walter Hain, Hunter Payne, Arthur Metzger, Julian Mills, Eston Leary, C. Fairfax, Julian Reid, Clarence Fall Reid and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis, Mrs. C. H. Payne and daughters, Mattie and Estell, and Mrs. R. Reid and daughter, Irene, were callers at the home of Mrs. John Mills Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Davis and daughters, Hazel and Anna, visited Mr. Davis' sister, Mrs. Rozier Fairfax, Sunday.

Mrs. Haldia Reid was called to Alexandria Saturday by the illness of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Sam Reid.

Mr. Thomas Fairfax and family have moved to Hoadley.

Mr. Will Smith, of Canova, is teaching Mr. Sam Cornwell to run his new Ford.

Miss Selina Payne is staying with her grandmother, Mrs. Hugh G. Payne, of Blands Ford, who is sick.

We are glad to hear that Mr. M. K. Fairfax is slowly improving.

Mr. Paul Reid, of Belvoir, and Mr. Pearley Pettit, of Indian Head, Md., were callers in this neighborhood Sunday.

Mrs. G. Cleveland Russell, of Agnewville, is learning to run her Ford.

Mr. Colin Payne and Mr. Arthur Hedges were Kopp, callers Sunday last.

Mr. Cecil Calvert, of Agnewville, called at the home of Clyde Pettit Sunday.

CATHARPIN

Miss Pearl Sanders has returned to Roanoke, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sanders.

Mrs. C. F. Brower, sr., visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. L. Sanders, in Manassas, recently.

Mrs. M. E. Williams is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Brower, jr., in Round Hill, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Brower, jr., visited relatives in the neighborhood on Sunday last.

Mr. A. M. Allison has somewhat recovered from a recent attack of grip.

Miss Beatie Allison, of Washington, visited her parents on Sunday.

Mrs. Rosa Donohoe is quite indisposed at this writing.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Ebband was born on Sunday last and was buried in Sudley cemetery on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hutchison are receiving congratulations upon the recent birth of a daughter.

The teachers and pupils of Catharpin school have organized a Junior Red Cross and fifty members have already been enrolled. They are now busy knitting an afghan and hope to get more work to do soon. Each one is anxious to "do his bit," and every little will help.

WATERFALL

Rev. W. L. Naff will fill his regular appointments at Antioch on the second Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

A "Good Health and Farm Improvement" program will be given by the Community League at the next meeting on Friday evening, April 19th, at eight o'clock. Ice cream will be sold for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Mr. J. P. Smith was a Manassas visitor on Friday last.

Miss Virginia Wheeler, of Washington, spent the Easter recess at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gosson and Miss Mary Gosson spent Friday of last week in Alexandria.

Misses Ruth Hulfish and Nellie Rector and Mr. Lawrence Hulfish, of Haymarket, were

"Oakshade" visitors on Sunday. Mrs. J. C. McDonald spent the past week with relatives in Washington.

A decided earth-quake was felt here during the heavy rain and wind storms which visited this section the first of the week.

Mr. Howard Bell spent Monday and Tuesday in Manassas.

A mountain climb for arbutus with a picnic lunch was much enjoyed by some of the young people of the neighborhood on Saturday afternoon of last week.

CLIFTON

Rev. W. L. Naff preached in the Baptist Church Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The Lord's Supper was celebrated at the morning service.

Mrs. Hodge is practicing for an entertainment to be held in the school auditorium April 19. Among the attractions is a "Negro Debate."

The contest in sale of Thrift Stamps is in full blast in school; the contest is between the high school and grades.

Messrs. Earl Mathers and Elmer Ayre, who have been on the sick list for some days, were both able to take their places in the Naval Reserve office in Washington Monday morning.

Among the Sunday visitors were Mrs. Milton Buckley, Miss

Rose Buckley and friend, Messrs. Irwin Quigg and James Cross. Mr. John D. Garrett, clerk of

Centerville school board, visited Clifton school Monday.

There was a big fire in the woods here on Monday and Detweiler's Crossing on the railroad Sunday. Quite a number were out fighting it most of the day to keep it from a couple of houses occupied by colored people, which were in the path of the wind-blown flames. The fire was started by sparks from passing trains.

The Red Cross meeting was not held last Tuesday owing to a case of smallpox in the village.

The Red Cross Branch of Clifton now numbers 60 members, and has been doing quite a bit of work since being organized last October. They have raised \$114.47 by rummage sale, concert, rebates from our membership subscriptions, private donations, etc. Of this amount \$60.06 has been spent for raw material to be made up by the workers and the balance, \$54.57, is in the treasury to buy more materials as they are needed.

The following articles have been shipped to National Red Cross from here in four different shipments: Ten knitted sweaters, 24 pairs knitted wristlets, 17 knitted wash cloths, 16 pairs bed socks, 17 comfort bags, 30 button bags, 54 pin wheels, 14 pillows, 20 pillow

cases, 135 French candles. These things have all been made by a few workers who are very busy women in their own homes.

Mr. George Mayhugh and family are going to move to the next town in a few weeks. Mr. Mayhugh expects employment in the factory there. Miss Grace Mayhugh and brother, Gusta, with the son-in-law, Mr. Dan McCaully, are already employed there.

MOUNT HOLLY

Misses Lucy and Annie Kincheloe spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Kincheloe.

Mr. Kirby Rainey was a Mount Holly visitor Sunday.

Mrs. L. E. Anderson, who has been very ill, is improving.

Corporal W. M. Towles, of Camp Quantico, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends here.

Mrs. Ruth Kincheloe and Miss Lucy Kincheloe visited Mrs. Ellen Anderson Sunday.

Through an invitation from a friend in the Marine Corps, Mrs. Anna Barr, Misses Lucy and Annie Kincheloe, Katie Burton, Margaret Barr and Mr. Willie, attended the orchestra given in the U. S. M. auditorium for the benefit of the United States Marines on Saturday last. All enjoyed a very pleasant evening at Camp Quantico.

Miss Annie Kincheloe spent Sunday with Miss Myrtle Rainey.

FORESTBURG

The farmers here are planting corn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Synn spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Fush Abell.

Mr. Richard Anderson called Sunday at Cedar Lane, the home of Miss Beatrice Abell.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Abell visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Anderson.

Mrs. E. H. Williams and Mrs. E. B. Anderson made a business trip to Fredericksburg Monday.

Mr. C. G. Dunn has recently bought an automobile.

Mr. E. H. Williams made a business trip to Accotink Saturday.

Mr. Reuben W. Abell visited his father, Mr. R. S. Abell, Sunday at Oak Hill.

There will be services at Forest Hill Church Sunday at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dunn and daughter, Dorothy, and Mrs. Canady spent Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Chas. Dunn.

We are glad to know Mrs. Ellen Anderson is improving from her severe fall.

Mr. J. C. Dunn and Mr. Nelson Abell motored to Fredericksburg Friday on business.

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