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SESSION OF COLORED SCHOOL ENDS TODAY

Exercises Attended by Many Out-of-Town Visitors—The Event of the Week.

The week at the Industrial School has been a most interesting one.

The exercises in connection with commencement have been well attended and interesting, the school again extending a very cordial invitation to all friends and neighbors to be present at the exercises.

Rev. Walter H. Brooks, pastor of the 19th Street Baptist Church, Washington, D. C., delivered the commencement sermon last Sunday. Since the entire commencement is dedicated to the memory of Jennie Dean, the founder of the school, Rev. Brooks preached a sermon analyzing and emphasizing the character and worth of her work and its value to all the citizenry of the Commonwealth. Taking his text from Proverbs, "Also, that the soul be without knowledge, it is not good," Rev. Brooks, himself an ex-slave, paid glowing tribute to the services and saintliness of the ex-slave, Jennie Dean. That Rev. Brooks was the pastor of Jennie Dean, the first principal of the school, and that he is now the pastor of its present principal, but made his presence upon this occasion the more fitting. In addition to Rev. Brooks there were seated in the pulpit Rev. E. T. Lewis, the pastor of the church, and Rev. J. Halpenny, a white minister of the town, who took part in the program.

The High School Dramatic Club on Tuesday gave a most successful and enthusiastically received presentation of Richard Walton Tully's college farce, "A Strenuous Life."

Among the judges in the music exhibition and declamation contest held on Wednesday night was the president of Eastern College, who was selected to act as chairman of the board of judges. The winners in this contest will have the prizes awarded them on Friday afternoon. Rev. J. M. Kline, Principal H. W. Sanders and E. H. Pinn, the latter of Bristow, will act as judges of the pupils' school gardens tomorrow. Although the weather thus far has been most unfavorable for gardening there is keen competition for the prize, donated this year by the school's farm manager.

At the Alumni meeting Tuesday morning reports were given of the activities of the various leaders of groups in the \$2,500 drive. Many of the friends are working hard and earnestly to make the drive a success. The school is most anxious that the drive "go over the top" and calls upon all its friends, white and colored, to redouble their efforts in this eleventh hour. It is reported that Miss Cooper, heading the effort among white friends in the North, has already collected her quota, \$2,500.

All during the day Tuesday, Farmer Ashton had his pedigreed Holsteins on exhibition. The final and principal exercises will be held in the school's outdoor amphitheatre, beginning at two o'clock today. The chief address will be delivered by Mr. Joel E. Spingarn, who returned from France, and who is honorably the donor of the gold medal, a medal bestowed annually to the Negro who has made the most notable contribution to American civilization for that year.

AN ATTRACTIVE COUNTRY HOME

COUNTRY HOME (Continued from page one.)

Through the kindness of Mr. W. H. Clark, of the Southern Railway, arrangements were made to have extra coaches on the Southern trains today. No less than six trains carried from one to two extra coaches, thus ensuring comfortable transportation for the friends who spend the 30th at the school.

FORESTBURG

The roads are in bad condition after the hard rains.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dunn visited Mrs. Dunn's parents near Stafford Sunday.

Mr. Herbert C. Anderson has a new Ford car.

Rev. C. L. Beard and Dr. D. C. Cline, of Dumfries, passed through here Monday in Rev. Mr. Beard's new car.

A number of Red Cross members attended the meeting of the Joplin Red Cross Friday evening at Forest Hill, when an address was made by Mrs. Robert L. Topf, of the American Red Cross, who has just returned from France.

Miss Arzullah Dunn is still on the sick list.

Private Reuben Abel, who has been in France with the A. E. F., has returned to his home here.

Miss Elsie Lloyd was the guest of Mrs. Viola Eagle, of Quantico, last week.

Forest Hill school closed with public exercises on Saturday.

TOKEN

Private Harvey Cornwell has returned from overseas looking well and in fine condition.

Private Allen Cornwell, son of Mrs. Martha Cornwell, who is in the base hospital at Camp Lee is improving and expects to be home soon.

Services will be held at Purcell Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Many of the men in this community have accepted work at Indian Head, returning to their homes on Sunday.

Mr. Elmer Cornwell, who has accepted a position at Quantico, spent Saturday at his home here. Mrs. Davis has returned to her home after a visit to Mrs. Payne near Buckhall.

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Mr. Elmer Fair recently visited at Bristow.

Mrs. Lena Keys recently visited at Purcell.

FAYMAN

Messrs. J. D. Stewart, W. W. Fritter, Harvey Holmes, Ennis Jewell and Peter Bridwell motored to Manassas Wednesday.

Many of the farmers have been unable to plant corn on account of the wet weather.

Mr. Norvell Herndon has purchased a fine gray mare from Mr. M. C. Fritter.

Mr. Jack Herndon, who has recently returned from Detroit, Mich., has gone into the farming business on his mother's farm.

There was a large attendance Sunday at New Hope Baptist church.

A horse belonging to Mr. W. F. Fritter was badly cut in a barbed wire fence a few days ago.

A small vote was pulled at Harton precinct Tuesday.

derfully unique, cosy and comfortable, and with its immense open fireplace and other fascinating features, including electric lights, hot water heat and bath room, is all that one could wish to live in while sojourning on this terrestrial ball. It really has to be seen to be properly understood and appreciated, especially the interior arrangements and furnishings. No doubt one of the things that attracted Mr. A. to this particular place was the variety and beauty of the trees and shrubbery on the lawn. Needless to say, he is giving them such attention as will maintain and add to their beauty. The house is adapted to its surroundings with rare taste and skill. On visiting the place at this season one is almost overwhelmed with the great profusion and sweetness of the innumerable variety of roses and various other flowering plants and shrubs. Truly no other place is so attractive as a home like that.

When we expressed regret that the place was too far from the road for its beauties to be shared by the people passing on the highway he said that some of the neighbors knew of it and shared the joy of seeing it. It's a pity to hide such a light under a bushel.

So far we have spoken chiefly of things pleasing to the eye and comfortable to the outer man. An inspection of the splendid little garden will soon convince one that the inner man is by no means neglected. Mr. A. gardens in January by studying closely quite a number of the catalogues sent out by the leading seedsmen. From these he learns of all the good things offered and imbibes a large stock of enthusiasm which help to carry him with flying colors through the busy days of spring and summer when he actually performs the stunt of having in his own garden the things seen pictured so nicely in the catalogues. To know what he has in that garden, all you will have to do is to look through a modern seed catalogue—space forbids me copying one here. He has at least half a dozen varieties of garden peas planted the same day, but they will ripen in such a succession as to provide peas until late in the summer. I will not mention other things he has, nor will I mention what he hasn't because I can't think of such now, except weeds.

Mr. A.'s British blood is manifesting itself in the well sustained and vigorous fight he is making on these evil idlers in this garden of industry. If Mrs. A. was not naturally inclined to fight she has acquired the art and is practicing it on the weeds that persist in trying to grow in this garden. If these people do not get joy out of life, working for and having things will not afford it. They are comparatively new comers to our county and are doing so well their part to make it a good place to live in that we are pleased to recognize their splendid work in this way, and then, too, it will encourage others.

Mrs. Robert Hunter, of Berkeley Springs, Md., recently killed a ground hog weighing ten pounds. Over the animal's head was a tin can. It was thought the ground hog stuck its head into the can to eat the fisherman's bait it contained.

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Fifty-two times a year you bring me all the news from home. You faithfully chronicle the deaths, births and marriages of the neighborhood. You keep me posted on parties, church socials and village gossip, and you tell me what the prospects are for good or poor crops, as the case may be. If a family moves away or a newcomer moves into the town I know it the next week. If Farmer Jones on the Ridge Road, brings a prize pumpkin to your office I know all about it, although hundreds of miles away, as soon as some of his neighbors. You keep me posted on the improvements that Farmer Brown, of the Lake road, contemplates making to his barn "in the near future." And when Farmer Smith, of the Lexington road, started a cheese factory at Kidder's Corners I knew it the day after publication.

O, country newspaper! Well may I say that "life without you would be a dreary waste." Once a week you are to me an oasis in the desert of this hurly-burly life in a great city.

The city man who does not take his "home" paper, providing he was reared in the country, does not know what real enjoyment he misses. The news I get out of one issue is worth more than the yearly subscription. I devour every line of the local gossip and neighborhood correspondence, and when I lay the paper aside I praise the country editor for giving me this privilege.

Letters from home are very welcome, but one doesn't get as much news in a hundred letters as he does in one issue of the home paper. And letters are so uncertain; you sometimes have to wait six months for a reply to your last one. But if you are a subscriber to the country paper it comes to you regularly every week, rain or shine. You may be a little in arrears, but the country editor sends the paper along with the hopes that you will some day settle up matters.

To the man who cannot visit his old home every year or two the weekly perusal of his home paper is almost as good as a trip to boyhood scenes. He reads where the little freckleface girl who sat behind him at school was married to a city chap, who holds a "lucrative position with a street car company"—probably a motorman; he is informed that the boy who was known as the bully of the school was arrested for wife desertion and is "incarcerated in the county bastille;" he learns from his home paper that "the Thornton family will hold a reunion," and the news is also conveyed that "Aunt Eliza Robertson will be ninety-three years old next week Tuesday," an event which the city man wishes he was able to be at home to celebrate.

If "midnight marauders" steal seventeen chickens from Jake Becker's coop it is nicely told in the country paper, and the editor would be driven out of town if he failed to make note of the benefit party at Odd Fellows' Hall for the M. E. Church, which was "a grand success socially and financially." The receipts, by the way, "amounted to over seven dollars."

Keep your eye on this paper for an important announcement

with feelings of genuine pleasure that I learn "Mr. & Mrs. P. C. H. Holmes" were "wedded over from Edinboro last Sunday," or that "Miss Ida Weaster is sojourning for a few days with friends at Keepville." The presence in town of Mrs. Frank Cooley (nee Baxter), of Buffalo, "formerly a resident of our burg," is duly chronicled with the additional information that she is accompanied by her two-months-old baby boy. The burning of "Hank" Edson's barn is a big piece of news, as "it is the most disastrous conflagration that has visited this section since the Fire King destroyed Brown Brothers' cider mill in 1879."

If you are sick the country editor writes a nice paragraph about your illness, and he trusts that you will "soon be able to appear upon our streets again;" if your wife dies he tells of her many good traits of character and that she "bore her last illness with Christian fortitude;" if your son gets married the country editor tells what a promising young man he is and what an "estimable and charming young lady" is the bride.

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O, country editor, dear friend, I derive much happiness every week from reading your paper, and wish it were in my power to make your business tenfold better paying than it is. May your advertising increase until you are compelled to print a larger paper and may your subscribers come to the office or send you by mail the money due you. May your days be full of happiness, and at night when you sit around the family hearthstone may your thoughts be those of sweet contentment as one who is doing worthy work well.—Walk-Over Shoe Prints.

MRS. LUCY A. HOEMES DEAD

Kopp Resident Succumbs to Illness in Washington Hospital. Mrs. Lucy A. Holmes, wife of Mr. C. H. Holmes, of Kopp, died Thursday, May 22, at Columbia Hospital in Washington at the age of forty-five years. Mrs. Holmes underwent a serious operation about one month ago and at first was thought to be improving.

Funeral services Saturday afternoon at the home of the deceased were largely attended by friends of the family. Rev. Barnett Grimsley conducted the service, after which the body was laid to rest in the family bury-ground. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. S. Storke, Thomas J. Woolfenden, George Florence, C. A. Barbee, Ed. Cornwell and E. G. W. Keys.

Mrs. Holmes was born near Independent Hill June 18, 1873, the daughter of Samuel and Lucinda Woodyard Lowe. She taught school in Prince William county before her marriage to Mr. Holmes in 1901. She was a member of the Baptist Church. Surviving members of the family are her husband, one son, Alton P. Holmes, fourteen years old, and three brothers, Mr. S. R. Lowe, of Manassas; Rev. Willis Lowe, of Kentucky and Prof. Henry Lowe, of Washington.

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LOCUST PESTS NOW DUE AGAIN

Scientists Save Us From Seventeen-Year Wait for Expected Periodical Visit.

Entomologists announce that this is the year for the re-appearance of the "seventeen-year locusts," but having survived the war, the peace conference and the income tax collector, the people of the United States will be prepared to meet this additional scourge with equal equanimity. After passing through the experiences of the past two years, what do a few trillion locusts, more or less, matter?

But the most disappointing feature of this year's visitation is the brutality with which the scientists dispel all the popular ideas of the "seventeen-year locusts," cherished from childhood to old age through past centuries. We find it isn't a locust at all, but is a member of a totally different family known as the cicada. Also, it is not a "seventeen-year" insect, but is a periodical cicada, making its appearance at periods of seventeen years and in others at thirteen-year intervals. And the two are different branches of the cicada family. Many a boy has captured a locust—or a cicada, rather—and shuddered as he spread its wings and gazed upon the dark bars of their filmy substance in the form of the letter W. For this W was believed to portend war, and the locust was looked upon as the harbinger of bloody strife. Now, the scientists chuckle as they point out that the cicada failed to announce the approach of the greatest war in history, but are due to arrive in great numbers after the war is over.

Swarms of locust are supposed to spell death to the trees, and stories are told of forests being killed by them. But the scientists have even destroyed this theory. They admit that young fruit trees are endangered by the large broods of cicadas laying their eggs in the tender branches, though these young trees can be protected against this danger. But they say that little or no permanent injury is done to forest trees or more mature trees of any kind.

This year, it is predicted, will witness a visitation of both the "seventeen-year" and the "thirteen-year" cicadas, and it is expected to be the biggest locust year since 1868, which was the banner year of all. But the old world has worried along for quite a while against greater odds than locusts, so it is safe to assume that it will not be greatly perturbed at this prediction.—Post.

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OUR OPPORTUNITY

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THE RABBIT'S CALL IN SPRING

O, wild sweet voice in the night-time,
 Come over the moon-lit hills!
 Come over the field by the wood's edge,
 Clear—soft as the April rills.
 O, wild sweet voice in the night-time,
 My heart with your gladness thrills!

The weight of care is on me,
 So weary from the day
 The weight of life is on me—
 Of late how cold and gray!
 I pray for sleep in the darkness
 To steal my thought away.

I am so tired of striving,
 And all too oft in vain;
 I am so tired of loving
 When love brings naught but pain.
 I—but that voice is calling,
 It comes through the dusk again.

I see the leaf-buds bursting,
 I smell the spice-bush sweet,
 And the mint by the brook-side spearing,
 Where violets bathe their feet—
 And I hear the wild things crying
 With love, the spring to meet.

The maple trees are blushing,
 The alder tassels swing,
 And the grass it is greening, greening,
 For this is the time of spring,
 And my heart leaps up in the darkness,
 And all its pulses sing.

What though I pass forever!
 The good old world goes on,
 With its live things sporting and meeting,
 With its sunset and its dawn,
 And its spring from winter breaking,
 As from her bed the fawn—

What though I pass forever—
 But no! it cannot be!
 By the upward urge of April
 I sense new life for me.
 O, sweet wild voice in the night-time,
 You help to set me free.

—Alice Marie Ewell in the Southern Churchman.

Thirty Minutes With Congress.

Vital and numerous are the great measures pending before Congress. A half hour devoted to reading the weekly review and special articles in The Washington Sunday Star will keep the reader well informed on the progress of what probably is the most important legislative session of our country's history.

TOM THUMBS AND GOLIATHS

An 8-year-old girl six feet tall—Myrtle Margold, of Maybank, Texas. She has that rarest of diseases—giantism.

Her growth can be checked only by a delicate operation—removing the pituitary gland, attached to the brain. It is this tiny gland that determines your height and weight. Should it become diseased, the body may grow a foot a month.

Will future scientists discover how to manipulate the pituitary gland at will, so that our descendants can be tall or short as they please? Not a wild theory, say the doctors, in view of recent sensational discoveries concerning the effect on man's stature of hormones, chemical extractions from the pituitary glands of animals.

M. Henrion estimated that Eve was 118 feet 9 inches tall. If Adam was like us, he had to climb ten flights of stairs to kiss her.

Other scientists disagree—claim that man has always been his present size. Thank man's pituitary gland for that. Century after century it remains normal. Diseases of it are rare.

A dwarf or giant is the lone exception in millions.

Old European cities have statues of legendary giant inhabitants of the past. In Ouat, one of Gayant, reputed to stand 22 feet in his socks. Antwerp had Mr. Antigonus, 40 feet tall. London has effigies in the Guildhall, of Gog and Magog, 14-foot giants who once terrorized the southwestern coast.

All these are mythical.

The tallest man in history about whom we have reliable figures was Machnow, a 9-foot-3 Russian from Charkow, who exhibited in London in 1905. Machnow had other things wrong with his architecture. His hands measured two feet from wrist to tip of index finger.

An operation on his brain in childhood would have kept him normal.

The smallest man in authentic history was Philetas, intellectual valet of Ptolemy Philadelphus, Egyptian king. So tiny was Philetas, according to historians of his day, that he had to wear great leaden shoes to keep the wind from blowing him away. Maybe the historians had a sense of humor.

Only 18 inches tall was Jeffrey Hudson, son of a huge butcher at Oakham, Rutlandshire, England. At a dinner given to Charles I this midget was served in a pie. Adopted by the king, he lived down his size—became known as "Strenuous Jeffrey," was a captain of cavalry and fought two duels. Little men, walk proudly.

All these were men suffering from disease of the pituitary gland in the brain.

Climates appear to affect the gland. Scotchmen average taller than any other race. Above all the Japanese are most sensitive about their short stature. Medical science may correct this in time—turn them into a race of six-footers.

Wonderful is the body—you realize it when you ponder that a gland small as a cherry determines your height and weight—Washington Herald.

TRUST THE PRINTER

The printer came to grief last week in getting up the Clifton correspondence, and, as sometimes happens, the proof reader did not catch him. Our neighbors at Clifton were credited with subscriptions to the Victory Loan amounting to \$1,000, only one-tenth of the amount actually subscribed, the whole trouble being caused by a single lost 0. And as troubles never come singly, Clifton's grievance this time was twofold. At a missionary meeting of the women of the Presbyterian Church an address was made on ancestor worship, and the unfortunate printer, his mind on his business instead of the copy in hand, made it ancestor workshop.

In both instances we make, on behalf of the printer, our sincere apologies to our Clifton neighbors for the misrepresentation, and in the first instance take off our hats to old Fairfax, which has gone over the top in every

ANNOUNCEMENTS

To the Voters of Prince William County:

I announce my candidacy for the nomination to the office of Member House of Delegates of Virginia from Prince William County, subject to the Democratic Primary to be held on the first Tuesday in August, 1919. Believing my record as your representative for the past four terms justified this and realizing the crisis through which we have just past and are now emerging from, and cognizant of the fact that many new and necessary measures will doubtless be enacted at the coming session in order to put our state and county on a safe basis and that our brave boys who made the great sacrifices shall be amply and carefully provided for, I shall do all in my power to keep our great state in the forefront.
 Respectfully,
 C. J. MEETZÉ.

Having been solicited in person, and by petition, by many of the citizens of my district, to become a candidate for Supervisor from Brentsville District, and having a profound interest in the welfare and material growth of our district, and the affairs of the county, I have consented and do hereby announce my candidacy for said office, subject to such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Democratic Committee for the selection of candidates at the primary to be held in August. In the event you shall honor me with your choice I pledge myself to faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of said office to the best of my skill and judgment, and I hope, with the approval of our citizens, and it shall be my aim to see that all portions of our district shall be fairly and equally treated, particularly in reference to the upkeep of our highways.
 Respectfully submitted,
 48-12 H. W. HERRING.

To the Voters of Brentsville District:
 I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of supervisor of Brentsville district, subject to the Democratic Primary. If elected, I will endeavor to discharge the duties of said office faithfully and impartially, as I have done in the past.
 49-12 McDUFF GREEN.

For Supervisor, Manassas District:
 I hereby announce myself as a candidate to succeed myself in the position of supervisor for Manassas District, subject to the Democratic Primary, believing that my past record in filling this position is the best guarantee of my faithful discharge of the duties of the office in the future.
 50-12 J. J. CONNER.

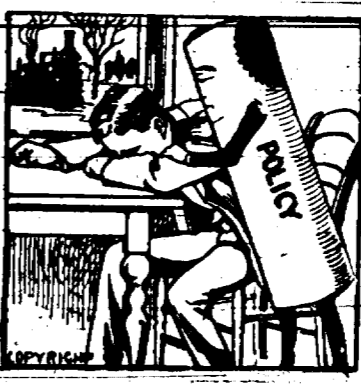
To the Voters of Manassas District:
 Having been solicited by a number of citizens of the district, I have concluded to announce myself as a candidate as democratic nominee for supervisor of Manassas District, Prince William County, Va., subject to the August, 1919, primary and to the rules and regulations governing same.
 Should I receive the nomination, which is equivalent to election, I pledge myself to faithfully and impartially represent the interests of the district and county to the best of my ability.
 Respectfully submitted,
 A. S. ROBERTSON.

To the Voters of Dumfries District:
 I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of supervisor of the roads of Dumfries District in the coming primary election, subject to the will of the voters of said district. Should I be elected, I will discharge the duties of said office to the very best of my ability.
 Respectfully,
 WM. CROW.

To the Voters of Prince William County:
 I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Prince William county, subject to the Democratic Primary. If elected, I will endeavor to discharge the duties of said office faithfully and impartially, as I have done in the past.
 CHAS. A. BARBEE.

To the Democratic Voters of Prince William County:
 I announce my candidacy for nomination to the office of Sheriff of Prince William county, subject to the Democratic Primary election to be held on the first Tuesday in August, 1919. The many offers of support already received lead me to believe that I will be successful; and should I be honored with the Democratic nomination—which is equivalent to election at the November election—I shall perform the important duties of the office without fear or favor.
 R. M. WEIR.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. Omeio Wells is building an addition to his storehouse at Wellington.

—Miss Lillian M. Kline, of Fredericksburg, and Mr. Joseph Posey, of Dumfries, were married in Washington Saturday.

—A movement has been started in Berryville to raise a fund to purchase the home of the late Marshall McCormick and convert it into a hospital.

—The June term of the circuit court for Prince William county will convene here next Monday morning, Judge Samuel G. Brent presiding.

—A meeting of the Prince William Red Cross Chapter will be held Monday evening at the chapter headquarters in the M. I. C. Building, when it is hoped that final arrangements may be made for welcoming home our returning soldiers.

—A license was issued this week at the Prince William county courthouse for the marriage of Miss Emma Johanna Peters, daughter of Mrs. Franz Peters, of Haymarket, and Mr. Alexander Frederick Hagedorn, of Baltimore, Md. The marriage will take place shortly at St. Paul's Church in Haymarket.

—Announcement has been made that Hon. R. Walton Moore will retire from the law firm of Moore, Keith, McCandlish & Hall June 1, and Mr. Christopher C. Garnett will enter the firm. The new firm will be Keith, McCandlish, Hall & Garnett, with offices in Fairfax and in the Colorado Building in Washington. Mr. Garnett was formerly chairman of the State Corporation Commission.

—The leaves and new growth on many sycamore trees in Warrenton are dying from what is said to be the attack of a new insect, according to the Fauquier Democrat. On one farm, it is mentioned, spraying has been tried with little benefit. Specimens of the insect and its effects have been sent to the forestry department and an expert is expected in Warrenton to investigate the trouble.

—Miss Ada Gibson Kincheloe, of Upperville, Fauquier county, and Mr. Frederick S. Auty, of Penn's Grove, N. J., were quietly married in Baltimore on Tuesday, May 20. After a wedding trip the young couple will make their home at Penn's Grove. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Kincheloe, of Upperville, and is a frequent guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. R. S. Hynson, of Manassas.

—The secretary of the Culpeper Chamber of Commerce at a recent meeting was instructed to communicate with Southern Railway officials relative to obtaining for Culpeper the "advantage of commuters tickets, such as are enjoyed by Warrenton and Manassas." The Culpeper business men at this time are chiefly interested in road improvement and the matter of providing an auditorium for the Culpeper graded school.

—Soldiers who, in returning to their homes from the place where they were mustered out of service, were paid only 3 1/2 cents a mile for travel expenses, can obtain the extra cent and a half authorized by congress by sending their discharge certificates or a true copy certified to by a recruiting officer, accompanied by an affidavit on government form, to the Zone Finance Office, Travel Allowance Division, Lemon Building, Washington, D. C. The Home Service Section of the Red Cross, Mrs. E. B. Sprinkel, secretary, will be glad to assist all enlisted men in preparing the necessary affidavit and will have forms on hand for that purpose.

—At a recent sale of Guernsey cattle at Madison, N. J., a Virginia cow, bred and raised by Judge R. H. Chichester at his farm near Fredericksburg, brought \$4,000. The sale was held under the auspices of the American Guernsey Cattle Club, each breeder and member having been given the privilege of offering one animal of high merit. Judge Chichester's contribution was Sonoma's Archer Girl 56637. She had a high milk and butter fat record. Judge Chichester, says the Fairfax Herald, was a former Fairfax boy, a son of the late Judge D. M. Chichester, who some ago purchased an acre of land for a cow and calf.

—Mr. W. N. Merchant, Jr., has a badly broken arm as a result of jumping from an automobile which threatened trouble on a main road near Manassas.

—The regular meeting of Manassas Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will be held Wednesday afternoon in the Red Cross headquarters, M. I. C. Building.

—Mr. Joseph S. Wood is erecting a house on his farm at Wellington, recently purchased from Mr. Andrew S. Robertson. The foundation has been laid and the lumber is in place.

—Mr. Jesse M. Jones, director of the extension division of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute since July 1, 1916, has resigned that position to accept an appointment as head of the department of agricultural and industrial development of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, with headquarters at Norfolk. His resignation is effective July 1.

—Services will be held at the Dumfries Baptist Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. Henry Nichol, of the First Baptist Church, Alexandria, will preach in the morning. The church has requested that the meetings be continued through the week and it is hoped that Rev. Nichol will be present, the services being held each evening at 8 o'clock.

—The War Department will issue a lapel button, to be known as the "victory button," to all who served in the army during the war, as a distinguishing mark to be worn with civilian clothes. Men who have already been discharged may obtain the button by sending their original discharge certificates, or true copies thereof, to the nearest zone supply officer or army recruiting officer.

—Three automobiles carrying Leesburg high school students home from the recent track meet at Manassas met with accidents, members of the party reaching home as late as two o'clock in the afternoon following the meet. One car had a broken differential, another a broken axle and a third was overturned and badly damaged. Fortunately all of the occupants escaped injury.

—Eight thousand, six hundred and fifty rats were killed by the school children of Albemarle county in a recent campaign waged under the direction of Miss Marian S. Farish, county home demonstration agent, and her advisory board of Albemarle women. Twelve-year-old Edward Smith, of Roanoke, won a \$5 prize, bringing to his school teacher 137 rat tails, the largest number turned in by any one child.

—The Fairfax board of supervisors has appointed a committee to confer with the Warrenton-Fairfax Turnpike Company as to the cost of taking over the part of the pike between Centreville and Fairfax. The supervisors agreed to pay the turnpike company \$500, the balance of the county subscription to the pike, the money to be used on the Fairfax county portion of the road and to be credited on the purchase should the county buy this section for incorporation in the state road system.

—Members of Miss Ruth P. Smith's class at the Manassas Graded School, as members of the Junior Red Cross, recently decided to send a crate of fresh eggs to the Marine hospital at Quantico. Each pupil was asked to bring one egg to school on a given day and as a result 205 eggs were contributed, considerably more than one egg from each member of the class. The young Red Cross members at the graded school have also sent candy and scrapbooks to other nearby hospitals and to Newport News.

—The five-year-old son of Rev. H. Q. Burr, of Hamilton, former pastor of the Methodist Church at Manassas, had a narrow escape from serious injury and perhaps death one day last week when he was knocked down by an automobile. The driver of the automobile turned into an alley near the Hamilton post office and, meeting a buggy in the narrow way, reversed the engine and was backing out to clear the passage when the little fellow, unconscious of the danger, stepped into the alley. He was struck by the fender and escaped being crushed by the wheels by a fraction of an inch.

—Mr. H. L. Tubbs, of Kopp, has purchased a twenty-one-acre farm, known as the Grayson farm, near Kopp, from Mr. B. J. Hinton.

—The closing exercises of Brown School, the Manassas graded school for colored children, took place last night at the Baptist Church.

—Mrs. L. A. Larkin, who has been in a Washington hospital suffering from eye trouble, returned to Manassas last week and is recovering.

—Special Officer Donaldson, of Fairfax, last week made six arrests of automobilists for speed and other violations of the county road regulations. The offenders were taken before the nearest magistrate and fines and costs amounting to \$12 were imposed in each case.

—The Y. M. C. A. in some parts of France gave flowers to the "boys" to wear on Mothers' Day. "It's against Army regulations to wear anything of the sort on the uniform," writes a Prince William boy to his mother, "but we are wearing it today and no one has been called down yet."

—Miss Florence Darling, of Dover, Del., and Mr. Harry Tyler, of this county, were married here on Monday by Rev. T. D. D. Clark. Mr. Tyler is a son of the late Joseph Tyler, of Brentsville, and has recently returned from Camp Lee, having been honorably discharged from military service.

—Col. Robert E. Lee, of Fairfax, will speak at the U. D. C. Hall at Hickory Grove on the evening of June 3, Confederate Memorial day, beginning at 8 o'clock. The ladies of the Eighth Virginia Regiment Chapter will serve refreshments before and after the speaking. All are cordially invited.


—Mr. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, cashier of the Peoples National Bank, attended a meeting of the agricultural committee of the Virginia Bankers' Association at Lynchburg Saturday. Mr. Ratcliffe also attended a meeting on the same day of Group IV of the bankers' association, which was held at the Lynchburg Country Club.

—The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold a dues social at the high school building next Friday evening at 8 o'clock. There will be an interesting program with special music. Anyone who has not brought in the April egg money is asked to bring it that night. Every member is invited to come and bring her friends.

—Mrs. A. E. Carrico, of Bristow, has received a telegram from her son, Private Thomas Carrico, 342nd Machine Gun Battalion, 89th Division, announcing his safe arrival in New York. Private Carrico has been a mounted policeman with the army of occupation in Germany. His telegram came from Camp Merritt, N. J., from which he will be sent to Camp Dodge for honorable discharge, probably because of his enlistment from a western state.

—The presentation of "The Birth of a Nation," the remarkable film drama produced by D. W. Griffith and founded on the story of "The Clansman," by Thomas Dixon, Tuesday drew the largest picture audience ever seen in Manassas. Three shows were given at the Dixie Theatre at three and six and nine o'clock, respectively, and at each performance standing room was at a premium. Special piano music was rendered by Miss Margaret Temple Hopkins and Miss Frances Spies.

—Rev. DeForest Wade, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, has been made chairman for Prince William county of a campaign for funds for the Children's Home Society of Virginia, for which Prince William is expected to raise \$460 between June 10 and 25, the time set for the statewide campaign. This society, which was chartered by the Virginia legislature in 1900, is supplementary to the work of our orphanage and other institutions and is dependent upon voluntary offerings for the care of its 1-148 little wards and other fatherless and motherless little children who need homes as a result of the recent influenza epidemic. Prince William already knows something of the work of this institution through Dr. Wm. J. Mayberry, who has been in service for many years.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. D. R. Lewis was a Washington visitor yesterday.

Mr. C. F. Bailey, of Dumfries, was a Manassas visitor Wednesday.

Sister Selina, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. O. Taylor.

Mrs. Mary Brokaw, of Ithaca, N. Y., is visiting her brother, Mr. Nelson Bennett.

Mrs. W. P. Rudasill, of Culpeper, was the guest of Mrs. L. A. Larkin on Sunday.

Mr. W. E. Dewey, of Washington, spent Sunday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. G. W. Leith.

Miss Mabel Latimer, of Washington, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Larkin.

Mrs. J. M. Kincheloe, of Upperville, last week was the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. S. Hynson.

Clarke Johnson, of V. E. I., is spending a few days with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson.

Major Royal A. Stone, of St. Paul, Minn., spent Friday of last week at the home of Dr. C. R. C. Johnson.

Mr. Worth H. Storke, of the Peoples National Bank, is spending the holiday with relatives in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barbee, of Washington, spent the week-end with Mrs. Barbee's father, Mr. R. M. Ruffner, of Orlando.

Rev. and Mrs. George W. Crabtree, of Catlett, spent Friday of last week with Mrs. Crabtree's mother, Mrs. W. J. Ashby.

Mr. H. F. Tompkins, of Washington, this week was the guest of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Thornton Davies.

Miss Julia Maloney and Mr. H. W. Sanders spent Sunday in Alexandria, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Haydon.

Miss Eleanor Smith, who has been teaching at Brentsville, is a guest of Misses Annette and Maggie Smith, at their home on West street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fontaine B. Hooff, of Charles Town, W. Va., have been the guests of Mrs. Hooff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Cox, of Washington, are week-end guests of Mr. Cox's mother, Mrs. Louisa Cox, and Mrs. Cox's father, Mr. C. C. Leachman.

Mrs. Lena W. Ketcham, of Capitol Heights, Md., returned to her home recently, after a visit of several weeks to relatives and friends in and around Manassas.

Rev. A. Stuart Gibson has returned from Winchester, where he attended the one hundred and twenty-fourth annual council of the Episcopal diocese of Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Thornton Davies returned Sunday from Richmond, where they attended a meeting of the Virginia Bar Association, held at the Jefferson Hotel.

Mrs. L. B. Williams this week attended the graduation exercises of her son, Belton Cuff Williams, at the North Carolina Agricultural and Mechanical College.

A party of Masons, including Messrs. Thomas H. Lion, C. E. Nash, J. P. Leachman, Dr. L. F. Hough and others, motored to Alexandria today in Mr. Lion's car to attend a Shrine ceremonial.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sprinkel went to Richmond last week to attend the homecoming celebration in honor of the boys of the 29th Division and to meet their son, Private Paul Sprinkel, who took part in the parade.

Mrs. L. H. Jones and her little daughter Stuart, of Bakersfield, Cal., who have been visiting in Alexandria, this week, were the guests of Mrs. Jones' sister-in-law, Mrs. H. Y. Meetze, leaving on Wednesday for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Helen White, of Warrenton.

Mr. Carl G. Steere, of the Philadelphia navy yard, arrived here Monday to spend two weeks' vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Steere. Mr. Steere made the trip from Philadelphia on his motor cycle, bringing his father as a sidecar passenger from Washington to Manassas.

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A report showing the subscription of \$115,300 to the Victory Loan from Prince William county has been made by Rev. Westwood Hutchison, county chairman. The subscription was divided among the reporting agencies as follows:

National Bank of Manassas, 176 subscribers, \$38,250; Peoples National Bank of Manassas, 151 subscribers, \$32,250; Bank of Nokesville, number of subscribers not reported, \$20,050; Bank of Occoquan, 153 subscribers, \$16,200; Bank of Quantico, 44 subscribers, \$7,250, and railroad subscriptions not reported through county banks, \$1,300.

Nokesville and Occoquan banks received banners awarded to all banks who reached their quotas in the loan.

The women of Prince William county, working as members of the National Woman's Liberty Loan committee, secured 152 subscriptions amounting to \$34,150, and the Boy Scouts turned in 96 subscriptions amounting to \$19,000. Mrs. E. D. Wisler, of the woman's committee, and Leon Waters, of the Boy Scouts, received the German helmets offered by the county chairman to the solicitors securing the highest number of subscriptions. Mrs. Wisler reported twenty-eight applications and Mr. Waters, thirty-four.

Medals are to be awarded to other committee members for good service.

PRISONER MAKES WAY THROUGH BRICK WALL

Negro Escapes From County Jail, Using Iron Rod From Cot as Brace and Bit.

Charlie Jones, a negro charged with breaking into Free's store at Nokesville and held in the county jail since May 14 for action by the grand jury, made his escape from his cell between ten o'clock Sunday night and sunrise and has not been heard from since. The prisoner effected his escape with an iron rod wrenched from his cot, which he twisted into the form of a brace and bit to bore a hole in the wall of the jail. Inserting this instrument in the woodwork of the window of his cell, he finally managed to make an opening through the window frame and the brick wall of the building, a surprisingly small opening for the passage of his substantial frame.

How the negro managed his escape so quietly is a mystery. The family of the jailor in the same building heard no disturbance and the other prisoners in the jail claim to have heard nothing. All traces of the work were skillfully concealed, the only evidence being the mortar which dropped to the ground outside as the bricks were removed and hidden under the blanket on his cot.

RED CROSS WORKER HERE

Mrs. Topnitz, Back From France, Makes Official Visit.

Mrs. Frances Boullion Topnitz, an American Red Cross worker in France, returned to Potomac Division Headquarters in Washington Sunday, after a visit of ten days to the Prince William Red Cross chapter and its branches throughout the county. Mrs. Topnitz visited branches at Nokesville, Aden, Greenwich, Stone House, Dumfries, Joplin and Quantico and the auxiliary at St. Edith Academy. On account of the short time involved and the extremely rainy weather, it was impossible for the chapter authorities to arrange a schedule covering every point in the county.

During her stay Mrs. Topnitz also visited at Buckhall, where no separate organization exists, and made an address at a meeting of the Jennie Dean branch of colored workers at the Baptist Church in Manassas.

On each occasion, beginning with her address before the chapter at Manassas, Mrs. Topnitz gave an interesting account of her experiences as a refugee worker in France and outlined the future program of the Red Cross, particularly in its relation to public health work.

Keep your eye on this paper for an important announcement to be made soon.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

—Rev. Alford Kelley has been making this week at his home on Centre street.

—Lieut. Everett L. Rice, of Fort Hamilton, N. Y., arrived this morning to visit his mother, Mrs. W. M. Rice.

—Children's day services will be held at Jones Chapel, Buckhall, Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. William Stevens, the pastor, will be present.

—A Ford touring car belonging to Rev. Thomas M. Broune, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church at Haymarket, was stolen from the Haymarket garage Sunday night.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren Church will give an ice cream social at Buckhall Saturday evening, May 31, beginning at eight o'clock. Homemade candy will be on sale. The public is cordially invited to attend.

—Private Albert McMillan, who served overseas with the 116th Infantry, 29th Division, returned to his home here yesterday. Private McMillan reached Newport News last week and took part in the parade at Richmond last Friday.

—All lot owners at the Manassas cemetery are requested by the cemetery committee of the Town Council, of which Mr. Albert Speiden is chairman, to make a special effort to clean up their lots and the surrounding walkways before Memorial day on Tuesday of next week.

—Mr. Charles R. McDonald made an official visit to Potomac Division Headquarters, American Red Cross, in Washington yesterday as a representative of the executive committee of the Prince William Red Cross Chapter and in the interest of the proposed health campaign.

—Messrs. Thomas H. Lion, of Prince William, and Walter Tansil Oliver, of Fairfax, have been mentioned as possible candidates for the state senate as the joint representative of Prince William and Fairfax counties, Senator R. Ewell Thornton having declared that he will not be a candidate for re-election. The time limit for candidates desiring to enter the race expires June 5.

—Private Paul Clarence Sprinkel, Company A, 116th Infantry, who paraded in Richmond last Friday with the 29th Division just returned from overseas, arrived in Manassas yesterday and is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sprinkel. Mr. and Mrs. Sprinkel have issued invitations to a party to be given at their home tomorrow evening in honor of their soldier son's eighteenth birthday.

—George Chappell, who is employed at the block mill, had a remarkable escape from death or serious injury Monday afternoon when his clothing became entangled in a pulley and he was taken up bodily from the floor and whirled around the shafting. The engine was cut off immediately by fellow workmen and he was rescued from his perilous position, bruised but not badly hurt.

to be made soon.

Keep your eye on this paper for an important announcement

To the Democratic Voters of Prince William County:

I respectfully announce that I am a candidate for nomination to the office of County Treasurer, subject to the August primary election. If nominated and elected I shall do my best to serve you efficiently.

J. P. LEACHMAN.

"That's a fine job," says the satisfied customer, whose printing order has been filled by the Journal's job department. See our work and get our quotations on cards, letter heads, statements, envelopes, sale bills, programs, catalogs, etc. High grade printing in one or two colors. Satisfaction guaranteed.

THE JUNE SALE

This sale opens Thursday, May 28, and runs to Monday, June 30, except on items specially listed for certain days.

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The Very Latest Style Spring Suits in all Sizes \$25.00 to \$30.00



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TWENTIETH SESSION OF COLLEGE CLOSES

Eastern Commencement Largely Attended by Townspeople—Students Receive Diplomas

The twentieth annual commencement of Eastern College came to a close on Tuesday evening. Beginning with the expression recital on May 19, through to the end, the different exhibitions were of uniform excellence.

The work in the piano department showed its highest excellence in the playing of Miss Senft and Miss Elizabeth Johnson and Miss Margaret Roop, of Manassas.

The exhibition of art and home economics, which took place from three to five o'clock on Saturday, was well attended, and the refreshments served showed the cooking ability of the domestic science pupils.

The president's reception at Voorhees Hall on Friday was attended by the students and a number of townspeople. On Sunday the baccalaureate sermon was given by the president, Dr. H. U. Roop, and special musical numbers were given by Miss Vera Board, Miss Margaret Roop and Prof. Orville Watson Mosher.

The president's prize debate was held on Monday afternoon, the subject being, "Resolved, That the League of Nations plan, as presented by President Wilson before Congress, be concurred in."

On Tuesday afternoon five members of the Central High School tennis team, Washington, arrived, and shortly afterwards a match was arranged between their two leading players and Mr. Clarence Meetze and Mr. Mosher.

The final commencement occurred at eight o'clock on Tuesday evening, the speaker being Dr. Bradford Knapp, of the United States Department of Agriculture, who gave a very strong address to the graduates.

It is announced that the next session will begin September 22th.

IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear husband, Edward W. Wells, who departed this life one year ago today, May 30, 1919.

Written by his loving and devoted wife and five little children.

HAYMARKET

A pleasant social event of this week for some of the music lovers of Haymarket was the recital given at the Parish Hall on Wednesday evening by Prof. Mosher, Mrs. Porter and Miss Margaret Roop, of Manassas.

Col. R. H. Jordan motored from Washington on Sunday and spent the day with his family here.

Mr. Robert Tyler, of Baltimore, is visiting his aunts, the Misses Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Delk and children, Miss Willie Tulloss and Mr. Frank Tulloss motored from Washington on Sunday and spent the day at the old Tulloss home here.

Private Ross Bragg, 32nd Division, A. E. F., spent Wednesday in Haymarket, on his way to visit his mother, Mrs. R. H. Bragg, of Strasburg.

Mrs. William Brookes and infant son are with her mother, Mrs. R. L. Dulany, for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Pemberton M. Price, of Philadelphia, Mrs. F. B. Price and Miss Bell Hancock motored from Washington on Wednesday and are spending this week at the family home here.

Mrs. J. L. Harrell, of Manassas, was the guest of Mrs. C. D. S. Clarkson on Sunday.

Mrs. Carvel Hall had a telegram on Wednesday from her nephew, Lieut. Woodson Hancock, 318th Infantry, A. E. F., telling of his safe arrival at Newport News.

HELP HIM ALONG

Don't down a fallen brother. Don't scorn him because he has erred; Just stop and reflect before you reject, And help him along with a word.

His sins may be many and blackest, His conscience may seem to be dead, But we who are wise will help him to rise

The glory of heavenly light.

JENNIE-CARTER LEWIS

Y. M. C. A. CAMP

To Be Opened About the Middle of June in Rockbridge County

The Camp is located in Rockbridge county seven miles from the world famous Natural Bridge of Virginia. The boys sleep in wooden huts. They have their meals in an open pavilion.

CHURCH SERVICES

LUTHERAN Bethel Lutheran Church, Rev. Edgar Z. Paxon, pastor. Sunday—Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

EPISCOPAL Trinity Episcopal Church, Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, Rector. Sunday School at 10 o'clock a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN Manassas Presbyterian Church, Rev. DeForest Wade, Pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

BAPTIST Manassas Baptist Church, Rev. T. D. D. Clark, pastor. Sunday—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.

REV BARNETT GRIMSLEY'S APPOINTMENTS Bellehaven, fourth Sunday, 11 a. m.

CATHOLIC All Saints' Catholic Church, Manassas, Father William Gilh, pastor.

METHODIST M. E. Church, South, Rev. William Stevens, pastor.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN Rev. E. E. Blough, pastor; Rev. J. M. Kline, assistant.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST Primitive Baptist Church, Elder T. S. Dalton, pastor.

UNPTED BRETHREN Rev. L. C. Messick's appointments follow:

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CAN WE COME BACK? SURE! The old firm of C. M. Larkin & Company is on the job again at the original stand on Centre street, where they are ready to serve their patrons with anything in the line of Flour, Feed, Hay, Grain, Etc.

SOUND ADVICE

FOR DAIRYMEN

County Agent Urges Pure Milk at Fair Price as Good Policy for Producer.

No doubt one of the most interesting subjects to the dairy farmers who supply milk to the city of Washington and also to the consumers of that milk is its price, both to the farmer and also to the consumer.

Milk is not a luxury, but almost as much a necessity as any other article of diet. The great mass of the consuming public has not been fully educated to its great value as a food. Strictly clean milk from healthy cows is surely one of the most nutritious as well as economical foods on the market today.

Now, it is manifestly to everybody's interest that all milk offered for sale should have and merit just such absolute confidence. No doubt the most of the milk sold in Washington deserves implicit confidence in its purity, but when stories of milk from unlicensed dairies being on sale in the city reach the consumer he is inclined to cut out milk.

Now a few words about the price. I realize that this is a very dangerous proceeding. It is almost like walking in "no man's land."

Of course, not every dairyman, even if he has a license, will make a good profit at the price commanded by the merits of pure milk.

If the efficient licensed dairymen insist on a price that is too high they not only tend to cut down the consumption of milk, but they invite more men to engage in the dairy business, and that will bring out more milk than will be consumed.

The Washington market cannot be monopolized by the nearby dairymen if the price is too high. I know of milk being shipped there a distance of 150 miles from a licensed dairy simply because the price is attractive.

The best way to make a market for a thing is to give it real merit and sell it at an attractive price, and if your competitor can not stand that sort of treatment of course he can retire from the field.

The Journal—\$1—and worth it

POEM COMES BACK AFTER FIFTY YEARS

Massachusetts Poem Copy of Verses Published Here Fifty Years Ago

Mr. George A. Haggerty of Southbridge, Mass., presumably a Union veteran, sends us a little poem which he says he found in a little newspaper printed in Manassas fifty-one years ago and which he committed to memory.

"The following poem, which has been held in the memory of George A. Haggerty of Southbridge, appeared in a little newspaper printed at Manassas Junction three years after the Civil war ended, which shows the division of families in that civil strife—brother against brother, and father against son. It also shows the devotion of a sister: The same condition prevails in Alsace-Lorraine in this world-war, where the division of families has been handed both to the French and German cause.

THE KNOT OF BLUE AND GRAY

Upon my bosom lies This knot of blue and gray. You ask me why? Tears fill my eyes As to you I say:

I had two brothers once— Warm-hearted, bold and gay; They left my side— one wore the blue The other wore the gray.

Both fought for what they deemed the right, And died with sword in hand. One sleeps among Virginia's hills, And one in Georgia's sands.

The same sun shines upon their graves; My love unchanged must stay. So now upon my bosom lies This knot of blue and gray.

Keep your eye on this paper for an important announcement to be made soon.

CHILD DIES SUDDENLY

Five-Year-Old Nelson Speiden Buried Here Monday.

Edwin Nelson Speiden, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Speiden, and grandson and namesake of the late Lieut. Edwin Nelson, died Saturday morning at the home of his parents on Battle street, after an illness of less than twenty-four hours.

The funeral took place Monday afternoon at the Primitive Baptist Church and interment was made in the family lot in the Manassas cemetery, the services being conducted by Rev. T. D. D. Clark, pastor of the Manassas Baptist Church. The pallbearers were Messrs. John H. and James E. Nelson, of Washington, C. Paul Nelson, of Huntington, W. Va. and A. O. Weedon, of Warrenton, brothers and brother-in-law of Mrs. Speiden.

Have you ever had our prices on JOB WORK? In these days it is well to know in advance both the quality and the cost. Ask THE JOURNAL.

BRISTOW

Mr. William Cornwell and Private William Riley, of Indian Head, Md., visited at the home of Mr. Cornelius Ennis on Sunday, en route to Quantico.

Mr. B. M. Bridwell visited friends near Orlando Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Noah Ennis were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Posey, near Token, last week.

Mrs. Mattie Burns and her little daughter, Grace, of Bealeton, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ennis.

Mr. G. S. Pearson, who is employed at Quantico, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. Daniel Sowers, of Luray, visited his father-in-law, Mr. N. E. Ennis, Sunday.

Mrs. Grace Potter visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Daniel, of Quantico, Sunday.

Mr. C. R. Earhart was a Quantico visitor Sunday.

Statement of the Financial Condition of Bank of Occoquan, Incorporated, located at Occoquan, in the county of Prince William, State of Virginia, at the close of business May 12, 1921, made to the State Corporation Commission.

Table with 2 columns: Resources and Amount. Total: \$111,906.92

Table with 2 columns: Liabilities and Amount. Total: \$111,906.92

Total \$111,906.92. I, James M. Barbee, cashier, do affirm that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of Bank of Occoquan, Incorporated, located at Occoquan, in the county of Prince William, State of Virginia, at the close of business on the 12th day of May, 1921, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAMES M. BARBEE, Cashier. Correct—Attest: CHAS. A. BARBEE, E. P. DAVIS, D. S. BEACH, Directors.

State of Virginia, County of Prince William. Sworn to and subscribed before me by J. M. Barbee, Cashier, this 22nd day of May, 1921.

R. H. WOODYARD, Notary Public. My commission expires January 26, 1921.

STATEMENT OF THE Financial Condition of The Bank of Nokesville, Incorporated, located at Nokesville, in the County of Prince William, State of Virginia, at the close of business May 12, 1921, made to the State Corporation Commission.

Table with 2 columns: Resources and Amount. Total: \$133,629.64

Table with 2 columns: Liabilities and Amount. Total: \$133,629.64

Total \$133,629.64. I, J. A. Hooker, Cashier, do solemnly affirm that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of The Bank of Nokesville, Incorporated, located at Nokesville, in the County of Prince William, State of Virginia, at the close of business on the 12th day of May, 1921, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. HOOKER, Cashier. Correct—Attest: F. R. RHODES, W. R. FREE, S. H. HINEGARDNER, Directors.

State of Virginia, County of Prince William. Affirmed to and subscribed before me by J. A. Hooker, Cashier, this 22nd day of May, 1921.

W. R. HOOKER, Notary Public. My commission expires Nov. 24, 1921.



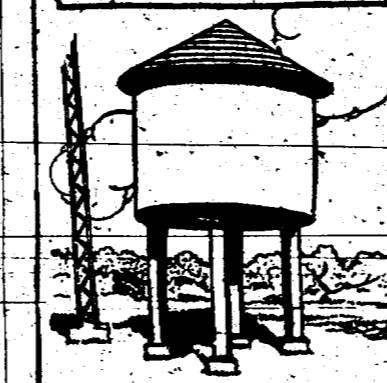
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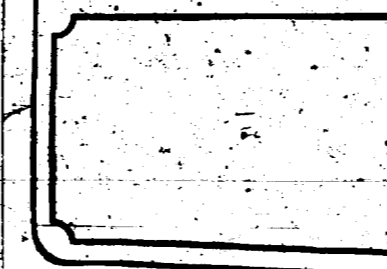
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WOMAN'S PART IN WORLD WAR

Prize Composition by Miss Aline Davis, First-year Student of Bethel High School.

The following original composition, written by Miss Aline Davis, a first-year student of Bethel High School, was awarded first prize at the recent commencement:

It was the women of the world—the mothers, wives, sisters and sweethearts of those at the front, who made real war sacrifices. It was their everlasting love, undying determination and their God-given patriotism which carried the spirit of success to every man in the army and navy.

Not so many years ago, a woman at the age of fifty renounced all general activities. She thought she was old. She thought her work was done. But the woman of today, strong, educated, enthusiastic, self-reliant! Ah, we take off our hats to her! Today when she speaks, the world listens. She can do with it almost as she wills. The war has advanced the status of women in every field.

"The girls behind the men behind the guns" embraced the workers of the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Salvation Army, Knights of Columbus and others.

First of all comes the brave Red Cross nurses who were willing to sacrifice their lives to save others. They faced the terrors and hardships of war. For examples of the Red Cross nurses we have Madeline Jaffray, a Canadian nurse, Helen LaMotte, an American nurse and Edith Cavell, an English martyred nurse. Miss Cavell, who was killed by the Germans, said that she had no fear of death as she was dying for her country and a good cause. She had a spirit which showed that she was not afraid. Miss Cavell was killed by the Germans on the morning of October 12, 1916, at 2 o'clock. She gave her testimony in a clear voice that showed no signs of nervousness and also proved that she was a brave woman. Nurse Jaffray, being wounded when a hospital was bombed, was decorated for heroism under fire. Nurse LaMotte, from Baltimore, served one year in Belgium and France. No hardship was too hard for these brave women to endure. The nurses may well be called "The greatest mothers in the world."

The nurses, when on the battlefield, would sometimes have to go several days with little to eat, but still they did their duty and attended to the sick and wounded faithfully. They were regarded as mothers among the patients at the hospitals.

Although all the women could not be nurses, they responded to the call when President Wilson said, "Everyone must find his place." A great many of them did their bit at home—some sewing, knitting, gardening and writing letters to cheer the boys at the front.

The great triumph for which every sacrifice was made is complete. President Wilson said in his address to Congress December 2, 1918, before sailing to Europe, "and what shall we say of the women, of their instant intelligence, quickening every task that they touched; their capacity for organization and co-operation, which gave their action discipline and enhanced the effectiveness of everything they attempted; their aptitude at tasks to which they had never before set their hands; their utter devotion, alike in what they did and in what they gave."

They have added a new luster to the American womanhood. It is estimated that there were in different parts of the country over 700,000 girls engaged directly in the great war activities, substituting for men in the service.

The duties that were accomplished by the women were those of wireless operators, signal corps secretaries, munition workers, aids in medical department, quartermaster department, radio-operators, France and Italy for canteen workers, motor corps, operators and the workers in food administration.

The women were more willing to co-operate with Herbert Hoover than the men. He showed them how to use wheat and meat substitutes so there would be more to send across the water to feed our army and the allies. Also aiding Mr. Hoover were the canning club girls who helped master the problem of feeding the world and deserve a great deal of credit. The women of America received thanks from the food administrators of Great Britain, France and Italy for their part in the war. While the men were still being sent overseas to partake in the great struggle, General Pershing cabled home, "Keep the food coming," and the people behind the ones at the front did keep it coming and shall continue to do so until there is no more needed.

The women in Europe and other countries, even ploughed the land and put in the crops.

Women also did their part in the buying of Liberty Bonds and War Saving Stamps.

Not only the working class of women were patriotic. Many ladies of wealth and position were good workers. The most prominent of these were the ladies of the White House, who did not let anything pass by that would help out in the war. Mrs. Wilson knit continuously and Miss Margaret Wilson was a traveler on concert tours in the interest of the Red Cross. Mrs. McAduo, the President's daughter spent six days out of every week in the basement of the treasury building in the Red Cross work room. She kept the records like a chief clerk and packed boxes like a shipping clerk.

Then, what shall we say of the brave hearted mothers who sacrificed their sons and daughters to go to the war. When she told them good-bye, she may never see them again.

When the Russian army mutinied and refused to fight or obey their officers, the women organized a woman's regiment known as the "Battalion of Death," composed of three hundred girls, mostly between 18 and 25 years old, commanded by Lieutenant Buteh Karev.

The "Battalion of Death" distinguished itself on the battle field and encouraged the mutinous regiments, thus setting an example of woman's courage and patriotism.

Now, that the boys are coming back, the women are not only able to say, "I lent money," and "I gave money," but to say, "I worked."

Women of America, our country first, last and forever.

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HOW TO SELL MORE GOODS

And How the Local Merchant May Get the Mail Order Trade at Home.

The annual practice of the mail-order houses of flooding the country with their catalogues has prompted the editor of the *Wyanet* (Ill.) Review to write the following which is reprinted from a recent issue:

"The mail order catalogues are flooding Wyanet and rural routes. They are the large catalogues as well as small ones, which are announcing 'special sales.' It is said the mail order men watch papers of the smaller communities and when they find the merchant is letting down on advertising, as is the usual proceeding after the holidays, they immediately flood that territory with their advertising matter.

"The Review family does not receive these catalogues, yet the writer never misses an opportunity of getting hold of a copy and reading it over. It affords an inspiration and a direct proof to us that it pays to advertise.

"No one can read the description of the goods and the prices attached without feeling that they are worth more than what is asked. So cleverly is the advertising copy written, and so completely does it secure one's confidence that we persist in insisting that if the books contained only the descriptive matter (and no price) 90 per cent of the readers would mentally assure themselves that they could not afford to buy the article described. But the attached price at once creates the conviction that the article is a thoroughly good value, if not an unusual bargain.

"No mail-order house expects, and no merchant has a right to think, that every one who reads the advertising is going to come-a-runnin' for any or all of the goods he tells about. Not much! If a man advertised to sell gold dollars at 89 cents each he would not sell 100 per cent in the community. Nobody offers to guarantee the mail-order house that every home which receives one of the catalogues is going to send an order. No home-town newspaper will guarantee to fill the local store with buyers all the time. The boss of the store would not think of guaranteeing to anybody that he would sell every one who comes in even if he should have the merchandise asked for. Neither does he ask a salaried salesman to give a guarantee of a similar kind. The boss would not have the thoughtlessness to ask his jobber or wholesaler to guarantee the sale of the goods he buys of them.

"The whole undertaking is a venture pure and simple, and the success to be achieved is dependent upon many things.

"If a man can make any kind of a success of his venture without printed advertising, then, all things being equal, he will make it a much greater success with advertising.

"There are too many cases where the truth of this proposition is proven to admit of any contradiction.

"All advertising that is backed with goods worth the money—100 per cent store service, courtesy and pep—cannot fail to pay."

Representative Sloop, republican, of the ninth district of Virginia, was the only Virginia congressman to vote for the woman suffrage resolution which passed the House.

According to a statement from Victory Loan headquarters in Richmond, Virginia has

ATTRACTIVE FARM PROPERTIES IN PRINCE WILLIAM AND FAUQUIER COUNTIES

286 acres in Prince William County, 65 acres in a good state of cultivation and the remainder in oak woods with about 3000 trees on it which are very valuable now. This farm is 10 miles from railroad, on public road, is fairly well fenced, has fine orchard of all kinds of fruit, nice running water. Buildings consist of fair dwelling of 7 rooms, good barn and practically new bungalow of 5 rooms, besides other out-buildings. Price, \$26,000 per acre, on very easy terms.

Great Bargain in Fauquier County, 522 acres within 2 miles of railroad and good village where there is fine school, good stores, churches and other conveniences. This farm is smooth and in fine state of cultivation and there is 300 acres of it under cultivation and the remainder in timber and oak woods. It lays along both sides of a good public road, is well fenced, nicely watered by well, springs and running stream and is ideal for either dairying, general farming or stock raising. There is all kinds of nice fruit and the buildings, which are beautifully located, consist of a splendid 7-room frame house, a new 4-room tenement house, new dairy and horse barns, large cement silo and other buildings and we offer it at \$18,000, on easy terms, if sold quick.

Nice Little Dairy Farm Near Nokesville, 50 acres, all under cultivation and very productive. This farm lays right along good public road, 1 mile from station, and at present is being used as a dairy proposition. Has nice young orchard, fine running water and the buildings, which are new, consist of good and nicely painted 4-room house, good dairy and horse barn, new silo and other buildings and is one of the best little dairy properties we know of at \$4,000, on easy terms.

Nice Home and Farm in Fauquier County, 286 acres, 2 miles from railroad and good village, 175 acres in excellent state of cultivation and remainder in oak woods. This land lays just right for good farming, is well fenced, has several running springs, large and fine orchard of all kinds of fruit, nice location on good public road and the buildings, which are beautifully located and well painted, consist of a splendid 11-room house with porches, collar and other conveniences, large and splendid barn with cattle and machine shed attached, corn crib, wagon shed, large henhouse, etc. and is offered for quick sale at only \$10,000, on easy terms.

If you are in the market for a farm, be sure to see EARTHART & RHODES before you buy, or if you have one to sell quick, send them a description of the property you want to sell.

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O hungry?
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O We have it—Everything Sanitary
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X THE SANITARY LUNCH
O Opposite Depot
X A Full Line of Candies and
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CLIFTON

The finals of Clifton High School began Friday evening and closed Tuesday.

The grades held their entertainment Friday evening. There were two short plays with several recitations and songs and ending with a very pretty pantomime.

The baccalaureate sermon was preached Sunday evening at the Presbyterian Church by Rev. Alford Kelley. The school marched in while the organist played "Onward, Christian Soldiers," and took their places in the central pews with the graduates in front.

The graduating exercises of the 1919 class were held Monday evening. The members of the class are Misses Ruth Quigg, Margaret Detwiler and Annie Elgin.

Mr. Walter Tansill Oliver delivered the address to the graduates. The speaker was introduced by Mr. John D. Garrett.

Miss Holmes, the principal, presented the diplomas and read the list of high and graded school promotions. Certificates were presented to the class entering the first high school year.

The class play was given Tuesday evening.

One of the graduates, Miss Elgin, was ill at the time of the commencement and was unable to take her part in the class play, which was assumed by Miss Holmes.

Rev. Alford Kelley was ill Monday, after a strenuous day Sunday and was obliged to go home to Manassas.

Farmers are busy planting corn, fighting weeds, etc., since the ground has become dry enough to work.

John T. Buckley, formerly of Clifton, died in Alexandria suddenly Sunday morning. The deceased was a brother of Messrs. R. R. Joshua and D. W. Buckley, of Clifton.

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MINNIEVILLE

Elder A. J. Garland will hold services at Greenwood Baptist Church Saturday evening and all day Sunday. Elder Alderton is expected to be with him.

Farmers are rushing with their work, as the season has been so delayed by the wet weather.

The closing exercises of the Minnieville School, Miss Estella Alexander, teacher, were held on Monday evening, having been postponed from Saturday on account of the wet weather.

Announcement was made of the league meeting on June 21, at which time refreshments will be sold.

Wagoner John T. Clarke, who has been in the service in France and Germany for fourteen months, surprised his family last Friday morning when he arrived home safe and sound and looking just as he did when he went away.

Mrs. J. A. Selecman and Mr. Silas Reid, of Washington, formerly of Occoquan, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Selecman's brother and sister, Mr. C. E. Clarke and Mrs. E. J. Alexander.

Mrs. D. H. McConaughy is visiting in West Virginia. Private Edward Reid, of Hoadley, who has been overseas, passed through Minnieville Tuesday, en route to his home.

Mr. C. E. Clarke made a trip to Washington Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hereford and their son, Hobart, of Agnewville, Miss Ocie Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clarke, Mr. Arthur Boatwright, Miss Estella Alexander and Messrs. Claude Ennis and D. C. Alexander were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clarke on Sunday.

Messrs. D. C. Alexander and John T. Clarke were in Kopp on Monday.

Miss Maud Norman and Miss Annabel Woolfenden, of Kopp, were guests of Miss Lucile Clarke during the week.

Miss Arcelia Dane, who has been on the sick list, is improving.

Mrs. Edith Fairfax and her son, Carroll, of Hoadley, were recent guests of Mrs. W. A. Dane.

Mr. Luther Windsor, of Quantico, visited his children last week.

Messrs. P. E. and John T. Clarke made a business trip to Washington this week.

KOPP

Farmers are late planting corn due to so much rainy weather.

The funeral of Mrs. C. H. Holmes was largely attended Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. James Luck is spending the week at the home of her father, Mr. Thomas Woolfenden.

Miss Mayme Liming, of Joplin, visited at the home of Mrs. Annie Downs Sunday.

Mr. W. T. Jones, who has been very ill, is thought to be slowly improving. Mr. and Mrs. French Gallahan and two children, Dorothy and Wilbur, of Washington, arrived at the home of Mrs. Gallahan's mother, Mrs. E. S. Carney, Sunday, where Mrs. Gallahan and the children will remain for two weeks.

Messrs. Thomas and Walter Woolfenden and Misses Bertha and Anna Woolfenden and Mary Carter motored to Baltimore Saturday and visited relatives and friends.

Mrs. L. D. Donohoe visited friends in Manassas Saturday.

Mr. W. Greene, of Toluca, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Lynn.

Mr. Archie Liming and family, of Joplin, visited friends in this neighborhood Sunday.

PURCELL

Mr. Milton Fair is building a new store house built at his residence near Purcell School.

Mrs. Emma Cornwell, who has been very ill the past few weeks, is improving slowly.

Mr. Arthur Cornwell has added another room to his dwelling.

This community is ready to extend a hearty welcome to its returning soldiers and is jubilant to see them rapidly coming home.

Reports from the valley of Virginia show that cutworms are doing much damage to the recently planted corn in that section, which is now coming through the ground in some places and is two or three inches high in others.

SUPERVISORS IN

REGULAR SESSION

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with the work according to law. The following accounts were allowed by unanimous vote:

Table listing various accounts and amounts, including Chas. A. Barbee, J. L. Dawson, J. I. Conner, J. T. Syncox, McDuff Green, O. C. Hutchison, F. M. Russell, Jordan & Jordan, Theo. S. Meredith, W. J. Ashby, H. P. Davis, T. M. Russell, Grace Potter, Uriah Wilkinson, T. E. Fowke, J. J. Conner, T. I. Sullivan, Brentsville District Road Fund, F. E. McMichael, L. L. Payne, O. W. Hedrick, Lucien Runner, K. L. Gregg, O. D. Landes, J. A. Arnold, E. D. Bell, O. R. Dennis, C. H. Robertson, Early Hansborough, J. L. Dodd, James House, E. W. Reid, Coles District Road Fund, Standard Oil Co., Herbert Purcell, H. L. Tubbs, J. M. Russell, Arthur Posey, Chas. A. Barbee, E. G. W. Keys, E. M. Briggs, F. E. Briggs, Raymond Florance, James Woodyard, F. C. Florance, C. E. Nash & Co., G. E. Soutter, Gainesville District Road Fund, Robt. Watson, Frank Gaskins, Smith, Palmer Smith, C. F. Caton, T. J. Caton, L. J. McIntosh, T. O. Latham, Manassas District Road Fund, Standard Oil Co., E. E. Cornwell, Elmer Hixson, R. Lee Johnson, W. R. Griffin, Randolph Conway, Occoquan District Road Fund, Chas. A. Barbee, Geo. M. Davis, Lewis & Brown, Palmer Smith, Robt. Watson, Smith, hauling sand, Bull Run, L. J. McIntosh, hauling gravel, Bull Run, T. J. Caton, hauling sand, Bull Run, Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., T. M. Russell, J. B. Arnold, Dan Reid, W. A. Smoot & Co., O. C. Hutchison, E. M. Briggs, J. H. Burge & Co., E. B. Bell, F. E. Briggs, Adjournd to Tuesday, June 24, 1919.

BRENTSVILLE

Miss Mae Molair is spending some time in Alexandria.

Miss Alma Bell visited Miss Edith Gregory in Manassas this week, going to see "The Birth of a Nation."

Miss Arnie Brown has returned to her home in Stafford county, after visiting at the home of Mr. Daniel Breeden here.

Mr. and Mrs. Shipp entertained at dinner last Thursday evening, celebrating their silver wedding anniversary.

Mr. Elmer Landis spent the week-end with his family here. The ladies of the Union Church met at the home of Mrs. Swank last Thursday afternoon and organized a Ladies' Aid Society. The outlook is very promising for a lot of good work to be accomplished by this organization.

The Brentsville ball team is scheduled to play the team from St. Joseph Institute tomorrow on the institute diamond.

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MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

MAYOR WAGENER CALLS

MASS MEETING TUESDAY

Citizens to Nominate Mayor and Councilmen for Election of Tuesday, June 10, 1919

Mayor Wagener has called a mass meeting of citizens at the Town Hall Tuesday evening to nominate a mayor and councilmen for the town election to be held June 10. The annual election is always held on the second Tuesday in June and the officials assume office on September 1. The nominations this year come too late for the names to be printed on the election ballots.

Mayor Wagener's announcement, thanking his friends for their cordial support and declaring that he is not a candidate for re-election follows:

"I respectfully urge the citizens of Manassas to assemble at the Town Hall in a mass meeting next Tuesday night, June 3, 1919, for the purpose of nominating a ticket for mayor and councilmen to be voted for June 10, 1919.

"I take this opportunity to thank my friends for their liberal support in the past, but I am not a candidate for re-election."

FARMS ABSORBING LABOR

Unemployment in Country Reduced 75,000 in a Week

A growing demand for farm labor is decreasing the amount of unemployed over the country, the United States employment service reported last night in presenting a summary for the week ended May 24, showing 227,425 persons classed as unemployed, against 247,365 during the previous week, 40,000 less. More than half the unemployed were reported in New York city, where the estimate ran that from 100,000 to 125,000 were seeking work.

Reductions in number of unemployed were shown at Youngstown, Ohio; Cincinnati and Los Angeles. Out of eleven cities reporting in New England, seven showed a labor surplus, the report said, Bridgeport, Conn., having the largest number. Both the middle West farming states and the South reported need of farm laborers, while on the Pacific coast Los Angeles and San Francisco reported a surplus.

THANK YOU

The esteemed Manassas Journal, with its issue of May 23, completed twenty-four years of continuous service and useful service to the territory it serves and congratulations are in order. When a country newspaper, for as such our contemporary must be classed, despite the fact that its home is in the thriving town of Manassas, is able to look back on nearly a quarter of a century of life, that fact alone signifies its usefulness to the community and its success in the journalistic field. The Journal now boasts the largest subscription list in its history and its general appearance bespeaks its prosperity. We extend our best wishes.—Fredericksburg Free Lance.

Officers and men on long duty in France and Germany may now be joined by their families upon application for transportation originating with the men and approved by the commanding general of the expeditionary forces, according to a ruling announced yesterday by the War Department. It is required that the period of duty to which the men are assigned be sufficient to justify members of their families joining them.

In the week ending May 20 troop arrivals in the United States totaled 54,519, bringing the grand total of soldiers returned to 966,259. On that date the army strength was estimated at 1,510,523, of whom 840,001 were in Europe, 178,311 at sea en route home and 484,796 in the United States.

Fruit growers in the Eastern Shore district of Virginia are making a fortune on strawberries this season. Tuesday sixteen cars were shipped to northern markets, netting the growers \$31,000 and Thursday 90 cars were shipped from Onsey, bringing in \$161,000.

A campaign to obtain the re-investment of War Savings Stamps is being conducted which...

BUSINESS LOCALS

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For Sale—Choice family cow at a reasonable price. J. H. Dodge. 2-4

A few bushels choice seed potatoes—White Rose—for main crop for sale. 2-2

If you want your stock insured against all contagious diseases, inquire at Prince William Pharmacy. 2-4

The examiner of records will meet with the Local Board of Review of this county at the courthouse on the 2nd day of June, 1919, for the purpose of examining the returns of merchants' license made by commission of the revenue, S. T. Cornwell and W. S. Runaldue. Opportunity at this time will be given merchants to be heard as to their assessments, if they so desire. Westwood Hutchison, Chairman. 2-1

For Sale—Hand-carved walnut sideboard, 5 1/2 ft. long; carving heavy and elaborate. Inquire of Miss Isabel Kelley, E. Main street, adjoining Baptist Church

Notice to Saw Mill Men—I have several million feet of pine and oak timber located three miles from Nokesville, Va., on line of Southern Railway, and desire to contract with responsible parties to work this timber. If desired, I will furnish mill, etc. to good man on reasonable terms of division. Any one interested may write me at Bridgewater, Va., or see Mr. S. C. Foster at Nokesville, Va., in person. J. A. Riddell, Bridgewater, Va. 2-4

Notice to Farmers—If you will grow Sorghum this year I will work it up for you this fall, as I have a large and up-to-date outfit for same. Will furnish seed free on application to those who will patronize me. G. A. Bradfield, Manassas, Va., R. 2. 52-4

For Sale—One registered O. I. C. boar, 300 lbs.; price, \$60.00. Registration papers go with hog. E. E. Robinson, R. F. D. 2, Manassas, Va. 51-4

Half price on hatching eggs balance of season. Single Comb Rhode Island Red, extra quality. \$1.00 for 15 eggs; \$1.75 for 30 eggs. J. H. Steele, Manassas, Va. 51-4

Eggs for Hatching—Standard bred S. C. Rhode Island Red, \$1.50 per setting of 15 or \$9.00 per 100. W. D. Kline, R. 1, Manassas, Va. 44-4

For Sale—One lot of junk iron; 1 Keystone hay loader; 7 hand cultivators; 1 Ohio, No. 13, corn stalk cutter; 1 black mare, 2 bay mares, 1 with foal by side, 1 heavy with foal; 1 small mule; 2 weaning colts; 2 ponies. R. B. Wagoner, Ben Lomond Farm.

Wanted—50,000 white oak cross ties. See us and get prices. M. Lynch & Co. 23-4

For Sale—Dwelling with large lot in Manassas. Also 33-acre farm about 3 miles from Manassas. Karl J. Austin 49-4

For Sale—Pure White Rock eggs \$1.50 per 15; \$9.00 per 100; Durock hogs, pigs and sows—pure bred—Defender and Illustrator strains; Duroc service boar. Prices right; come and see. Conner & Kline, Manassas, Va. 42-4

For Sale—The late G. M. Goodwin farm, between four and five hundred acres, in Prince William county; 75 acres in fine timber. Apply to B. M. Bridwell, Bristow, Va. 52-4

I have purchased wood working machinery and am prepared to do all sorts of shop work. J. P. Evans. 46

For Sale—6-room house in East end Manassas; good garden, small barn and outbuildings; attractive price. Apply to Mrs. Wm. Bettis, Manassas, Va. 52-8

Fire Insurance—If you are afraid of Mutual Assessments, try our old line companies. If you don't like the increasing old line rates, try our Mutual. Take your choice. We represent both kinds. Austin Corporation. 53

Stolen—My Ford touring car was stolen from the Haymarket garage Sunday night, 1919 model, No. 2,970,102, license 69392. Rev. Thomas M. Broune. 2-1

To whom it may concern:—A persistent rumor which is being circulated around Manassas and suburbs in regard to R. B. Wagoner losing his position as manager of Ben Lomond Farm on account of dishonesty in his dealings may be branded as a lie and those that circulated the report as liars; \$25.00 reward offered for positive information and facts as to name of party who circulated the above lie. R. B. Wagoner.

For Sale or exchange for light car Buick roadster recently overhauled. Apply at the Sanitary Lunch, opposite depot. 52

For Sale—Chalmers automobile, 5-passenger. Price, \$300. A. A. Hooff, Manassas, Va. 41-

For Sale—High grade Shropshire Buck (3 years old.) Misses Ewell, Edge Hill Farm, Haymarket, Va. 1-2

Keep your eye on this paper for an important announcement to be made soon.

Order of Publication.

In the Circuit Court of Prince William County, Virginia. Alexander McLean, Complainant vs. Melissa Albatros McLean, Defendant. In Chancery.

Affidavit having been filed in the above entitled suit that the defendant, Melissa Albatros McLean, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, and upon application of the complainant, Alexander McLean, in writing, stating the object of the suit, and the grounds thereof, and the last known address and place of abode of the defendant, the clerk of said court doth enter the following order of publication.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii upon the ground of desertion.

It is ordered that the defendant do appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order of publication and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of 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, Virginia, and that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the courthouse of said county on or before the next succeeding Rule Day after this order is entered, and that a copy of said order of publication shall be forthwith mailed by the clerk of this court after this order is entered, to said defendant at her last known address and place of abode, 731 Lexington Avenue, Atlantic City, New Jersey.

Entered by Geo. G. Tyler, Clerk of the Circuit Court, at the Clerk's Office of said Court in vacation, this 19th day of May, 1919.

Geo. G. TYLER, Clerk. Teste:—Geo. G. TYLER, Clerk. Chas. T. Jessup, p. q. 1-4

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