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MANASSAS, VA., FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1914.

VOTE EARLY--AND VOTE RIGHT

Mr. Crupper, in a long advertisement, advoca-
ting his candidacy for Congress, among other
things says:

"There will be other candidates on the ticket.
Mr. Milton Fling, and Mr. James E. Johnston.
Neither of these gentlemen can by any possibility
be elected. Either Mr. Carlin or Mr. Crupper
will be elected."

This is true. And Mr. Fling,—whoever he is,
—can say with equal truth of Messrs. Johnston
and Crupper: "Neither of these gentlemen can
by any possibility be elected. Either Mr. Carlin
or Mr. Fling will be elected." And so Mr. John-
ston could say with equal truth of Messrs. Fling
and Crupper: "Neither of these gentlemen can
by any possibility be elected. Either Mr. John-
ston or Mr. Carlin will be elected."

And so Mr. Carlin—if he thought it worth
while—could say with the utmost truth of Messrs.
Fling, Johnston and Crupper: "None of these
gentlemen can by any possibility be elected."

No one expects them to be elected. No one
expects their combined vote to equal that of Mr.
Carlin.

But the county of Prince William has always
taken great pride in her democratic majorities.
And this year if Mr. Fling or Mr. Johnson or Mr.
Crupper expects to flatter his vanity by a little
vote caused by some disaffection in the demo-
cratic party, let the returns from this county
next Tuesday night demonstrate conclusively
that in this county, at least, voters are true to
their principles.

Mr. Milton Fling is a new one to us. But he
has a perfect right to run for Congress.

Mr. Johnston, too, is a stranger to us; but he
complains of the Alexandria Gazette, where he
lives and is, or ought to be best known, that it
will not publish, even as a paid advertisement,
his communications.

Mr. Crupper boasts (?) that when he was the
republican candidate for state treasurer, he could
not carry his own city of Alexandria—where he
served eight years as postmaster.

Mr. Carlin has a splendid record in Congress,
on which he appeals to his constituents for re-
election.

Tuesday is election day. Vote early. And
vote right.

THE TIME FOR ODD JOBS

It's refreshing to turn for a moment from war
and rumors of war, from cotton embargoes and
financial depression, from things purely commer-
cial and political, to consider what needs to be
done about the house. That man who owns the
roof over his head, when he sees fall into the
offing, begins to think about a little painting here
and there, a few shutters that need fixing, a leak
in the basement wall to be cemented, a porch to
be repaired ready for spring painting. Most
men, of course, play Arkansas Traveler with their
houses; but the wise one who takes stock of his
place every year will put money in his pocket.

In communities like Richmond, where there
are many frame houses, a little domestic economy
of this type pays big dividends. One of the re-
markable things about a house is that when it
starts going to pieces, it acts like the famous
one-hoss shay and suddenly disintegrates. The
only insurance against this is the stitch in time,
the little hammer and saw and box of nails and
screws. About ten minutes a day would do
wonders.—Richmond Times Dispatch.

EVERYBODY here for the fair?

THE Swiss warn all belligerents that cross their
country's border to "cheese it."—Richmond News-
Leader.

SOUTH NOT A BEGGAR

The South is not a beggar. It does not need
to beg and it can take care of itself, or if it can-
not do so, then the sooner its people learn that
fact and bring in others who can take care of
themselves in such a heaven-favored land the
better it will be.

No other country on the face of the earth has
so many advantages as the South. No other
country upon which the sun shines is so rich in
resources. No other country is so well equipped
by nature to produce the foodstuffs of grain and
provisions and vegetables and fruits for man's
sustenance, and no other country is so rich in
mineral and timber and water power resources
so susceptible of development.

If in such a land as this, where the farmers for
the five years preceding the present crop received
an average of largely over 12 cents a pound for
their cotton, yielding very large profits, one
year's complete failure of the cotton crop, or one
year's inability, as at present, to sell the cotton
crop, brings about such a condition as to flood the
land with plasters begging for charity to "help
the South," then it is time for the people of this
section who have backbone and stamina to take
the lead and try to stem the current.

The South of olden days did not do so. The
South blasted by a four years' war never asked
for charity, and never in those days was the
country plastered with appeals to "help the
South." In the ten-year period between 1892
and 1901, when cotton sold at from 4 to 5 and 6
to 7 cents a pound in different years, the South
suffered much, but it endured the situation and
fought its fight without any such appeals as are
now being made by politicians and others who
are trying to make the South believe that it
ought to be a beggar and the world believe that
it is a beggar.—Manufacturers Record.

PROSPERITY LIES AHEAD

However much we may deplore the conflict
abroad, we are compelled to consider its commer-
cial importance to us. We need not get excited
over vastly greater business for us in Latin
American countries, believing that we are going
to supply for them all that Europe has hitherto
furnished, because in the first place, South Amer-
ica will be less competent to assimilate so many
goods, inasmuch as Europe will be a smaller pur-
chaser, here, and second, it seems obvious that
our trade in Latin America will increase in about
the proportion of our ability to furnish adequate
shipping and banking facilities to meet long
credits, and to sell the kind of goods that are
wanted, delivered in the manner wanted.

But when this situation becomes more settled
our resources will be taxed in selling Europe and
supplying our own markets at the same time.
Fifteen million men in the field will use up ap-
parel necessities about three times as fast as
when peace prevails. The equipment of 1,000,
000 horses is no small item, and, moreover, it
means steady equipment of supplies and food
for this army. Europe cannot fight and meet
these requirements simultaneously.

The more one of our industries is taxed, the
greater the activity which will be reflected from
others. It is the history of war, the civil war,
the Crimean, the Franco-Prussian, and others,
that the first shock produced dullness, but upon
recovery industry boomed and prices soared.
There is every reason to believe that history will
repeat itself, and as the waste and demolition ex-
ceed any previous demonstrations, the sources of
supply must be looked to to meet the inevitable
demand.

We are at peace, the greatest industrial na-
tion; we have the mills, the farms; in short, the
equipment which is wanted. In spite of fear, we
must be busy. Busy for ourselves and busy for
others. Some important materials we may lack
but we will be ingenious enough to evolve ade-
quate substitutes. Without excessive enthusiasm
or optimism, we have reason to expect the great-
est industrial era we have yet experienced. This
is the opinion of our most enlightened thinkers
and economists.—Fiber and Fabric.

CONDITIONS are entirely normal in Haiti. She
is in the throes of another little revolution.—
Richmond News Leader.

Depository for United States Postal Savings

ALL BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL

This bank has been designated a
depository for Postal Savings by
the Treasurer of the United States.
Moneys deposited with the Post-
master are redeposited here by the
Government. If this bank is good
for Uncle Sam it is good for you.

SMALL ACCOUNTS WELCOMED

The National Bank of Manassas

INSURANCE IS A PROFESSION

Select your agent and companies as you would your
Banker, Lawyer or Doctor, since your financial exist-
ence may depend on this and the best costs no more
than the poorest. :: :: :: :: :: :: :: ::

Established in 1878

FIRE TESTED TIME TRIED REPRESENTING MILLIONS

Home people adjust your fires—no
New York sharpers. It will pay you
to talk it over and get our rates :: ::

Lipscomb's Fire Insurance Agency

PILLSBURY FLOUR

Conner's Market for Groceries and Food, Fresh and Salt Meats,
Seed Potatoes, Seed Oats, all kinds of Grass Seeds, also a full
line of Garden Seeds. Just received a car load of Corn, Oats
and Pillsbury Flour. Come and let us give you prices.

Cash Paid for all Kinds of Country Produce

Dealer in Live Stock from one to car load lots. :: :: :: ::

Conner's Market

CONNER BUILDING

MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

-Vote early, and vote right.

-Tuesday, November 3—Election Day.

-Circuit court will again be in session on Wednesday, November 3.

-These days are hummers. County fair, hunting season and election day all at once.

-The engine room at Eastern College was slightly damaged Tuesday when the boiler burst.

-Miss Ella Payne and Mr. Arthur Beavers, of Buckhall, were married Saturday by Rev. E. A. Roads.

-Miss Lillian Wheeler was tendered a surprise party Friday evening at the Wheeler residence on Peabody street.

-Mr. O. McDermitt and family, who have occupied the Weir property near the town hall, are moving to West Virginia.

-Mrs. D. B. Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Leachman, is ill of malarial fever at her home in Cape Girardeau, Mo.

-The Home Missionary Society of Grace M. E. Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Simmons on Wednesday, November 4 at 8 p. m.

-We are informed by a house hunter that every house in Manassas is occupied and that newcomers will have to be builders as well.

-Much to the improvement of the lawn, the trees and roots have been removed inside the Fairview avenue fencing at All-Saints Catholic church.

-Rev. J. F. Burks will conduct services at Trinity Episcopal Church next Sunday at 11 a. m., and at St. Anne's Memorial Chapel, Nokesville, at 3 p. m.

-The ladies of Nokesville Episcopal Church are going to have a Halloween oyster supper at Nokesville Saturday, October 31, in the New Hall. All are invited.

-Fire late Saturday afternoon totally destroyed the dwelling of Raymond Barnes, colored, near Gainesville. The loss was about \$800, partly covered by insurance.

-Mr. Wright, who conducts the barber shop at the New Prince William Hotel, is moving into the Centre street property formerly occupied by Mr. O. McDermitt.

-Miss Louisa Foster, of Remington, and Mr. Glenn C. Armstrong, of Midland, were married Saturday afternoon by Rev. E. A. Roads, pastor of Grace M. E. Church.

-Mr. J. Robert Hall passed through Manassas several days ago with his wife, who has been in a Maryland hospital. Mr. Hall, who lives at Culpeper, is a brother of Mr. S. T. Hall.

-Mrs. G. D. Brandt, who wrote the "Ode to the New Southern," published in last week's issue, has received recognition of a poem entered in a western competition.

-Miss Marion Burke, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Burks, was taken to Washington Tuesday for treatment at the Episcopal Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital. She is expected home in a few days.

-All the patrons of Nokesville school are invited to meet at the school Friday afternoon, November 6, at 2:30. At this meeting a patrons' school and civic league will be organized. Come and bring your neighbors.

-Mr. W. I. Steere has sold his property on Zebedee and Church streets to Mr. Karl J. Austin. The Austin family is to move in next week. Mr. and Mrs. Steere have rented the Johnson property on Main and Church streets.

President Wilson has issued the annual proclamation, designating Thursday, November 26, as Thanksgiving Day.

-The monster shark on the California cars to exhibit here November 9 and 10 is said to be a wonderful specimen from the deep sea. The farmers are urged to take a day off to see fine fruits and big fish, and to learn what can be done without irrigation.

-Master Richard Bruce Hynson, the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hynson, was seriously ill Tuesday. He was suddenly affected that evening with a convulsion brought on by an attack of indigestion. Medical attention effected an immediate recovery.

-The Manassas High School football team last Saturday defeated the Carlisle Athletic Club, of Washington, 66 to 0. The high school was thrown into gloom by the accident of the game when Everett Rice, Manassas' quarterback, broke his leg.

-Mr. and Mrs. John A. Nicl and family, who have occupied the Johnson property on Main street since their home was destroyed by fire last summer, left Monday morning for Washington where they will spend the winter in their apartments at the Coynwood.

-The twelve 500-candlepower nitrogen lights at Hynson's department store figured in the test of the electric lighting system. The lights with handsome fixtures have been operated in perfect condition during the week. The work was done by Mr. C. W. Edmunds.

-The consecration of Rev. William Cabell Brown, D. D., as Bishop Coadjutor of the Episcopal Diocese of Virginia took place Wednesday, at 11 a. m., at St. James Episcopal church, Richmond. Bishop Tuttle, of Missouri, presiding bishop of the Episcopal church in America, presided.

-Mrs. J. H. Dodge entertained the monthly social meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church Tuesday afternoon in her home on Fairview avenue. The subject of the meeting was "The Philippines," led by Mrs. Will Baker. Mrs. B. T. H. Hodge presided.

-The hunting season for Spotylvania, Caroline, Orange, Stafford, Culpeper, Essex, Fauquier, Louisa and Prince William counties opens November 1, and for King George county on November 15. It is unlawful to kill pheasants in Culpeper, Fauquier, Louisa and Prince William counties. -Fredericksburg Free Lance.

-The following officers were elected by the Daughters of the American Revolution in session at Alexandria: Regent, Mrs. J. F. Maupin, Portsmouth; vice-regent, Miss Alethin Scripp, Norfolk; secretary, Mrs. Robert Gray, Norfolk; treasurer, Mrs. George S. Shackelford, Orange, and historian, Mrs. John K. Davis, Petersburg.

-Several Manassas physicians attended the sessions of the Virginia Medical Association which convened this week in Washington. The principal address was made by Dr. William C. Gorgas, surgeon general of the army and classmate of Dr. W. A. Newman, whose work on the isthmus made possible the construction of the Panama canal.

-The Webster dedication was not only of interest to those who saw it but it has attracted still more attention from those who could not be here. Judge James Keith, president of the Supreme Court of Appeals, now in Warrenton in feeble health, commissioned his niece, Miss Katherine Keith, to tell Lieut. Round he never wanted to be at any place so in his life as on that occasion. This is but a specimen of the feelings of thousands.

ABOUT PEOPLE WE KNOW

Mr. W. R. Myers was a Baltimore visitor during the week.

Mr. E. D. Morris, of Gainesville, was a town visitor yesterday.

Mrs. G. W. Merchant was a recent visitor to the National Capital.

Miss Ada Kincheke, of Upper-ville, is the guest of Mrs. L. Frank Pattie.

Mr. S. T. Hall visited his daughter, Mrs. Rae Hedrick, this week in Alexandria.

Miss Lucy Lamon, of Washington, is a guest of Col. and Mrs. Robert A. Hutchison.

Mrs. Thurman A. Cooper, of Nokesville, was the guest of Mrs. G. G. Allen last week.

Mr. Charles Bell, of Washington, recently visited his grandmother, Mrs. F. S. Brand.

Miss Evelyn Milnes has returned from a visit to friends in Alexandria and Washington.

Mr. M. H. Lightner, of Haymarket, left today for Poochuntas and Highlands, W. Va.

Miss Della Barrett and her guest, Miss Louise Counts, were Washington visitors Saturday.

Mrs. George D. Hiner, who has been visiting relatives in West Virginia, is expected home this week.

Mrs. Verona Pollock Roach, of New York, is the guest of Mrs. C. M. Larkin in her home on Church street.

Miss Louise Counts, of Bluefield, W. Va., is the guest of Miss Della Barrett, at Sunny Brook, on the Sudley road.

Mrs. Flora Jones has returned to Washington after a week's stay in Manassas as the guest of Mrs. Pime, on Grant avenue.

Miss Eleanor Moore Lewis and her brothers, William and Joseph, spent the week-end with Miss Virginia Lee, at Greenwoth.

Mr. H. Kimmel Laws, of Front Royal, who was formerly connected with the National Bank of Manassas, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. William H. Longwell and Mr. L. W. Kaslbaugh, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Waters, returned Saturday to Gassaway, W. Va.

Miss Mary Lee Chapman, who is employed in the Southern Railway offices, Washington, has returned from a vacation visit to relatives in The Plains and Beanoke.

Miss Anna Lala Dobson, head of the business department of the Winston-Salem (N. C.) high school, was a guest last week of her aunt, Mrs. L. B. Williams. She went from Manassas to Washington, Philadelphia and New York to observe the work of the city schools and will again be Mrs. Williams' guest on Sunday.

THE TWO KNIGHTS

At the Webster Memorial Dedication they tell a legend of two knights of old. Two haughty men, with on the highway met. Of brave, of kindred stock were they, and yet With fiery speech, and anger uncontrolled. They each drew lance against his kinsman's shield. Because a shield, suspended 'tween the two. To each brought only one side into view. And one had said 'twas brass—the other, gold. And so'er this they fought—for thus 'tis told— Till each were wounded, when, in changing place. Each saw the shield, but viewed its other face. One fell. The other limbed his lance. Behind No more they strive. Their rash dissensions cease. And each extends the open palm of peace. —H. M. CLARKSON, A. M., M. D.

EVANS—MILNES

Miss Emma Theresa Milnes and Mr. Robert Hilton Evans were quietly married by the Rev. J. S. Montgomery Tuesday afternoon at the rector's home in Washington.

The bride wore a smart suit of Copenhagen blue and a black velvet hat in one of the new sailor shapes.

After a short wedding trip to Pittsburgh and Northern points, they will be at home to their friends in Baltimore, Md.

The bride is the elder daughter of Mrs. W. M. Milnes, who, with Miss Brown, also of Manassas, was present at the ceremony. Mr. Evans is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Evans, of Manassas, and is employed by the American Express Company over the Western Maryland Railway lines.

Small Campaign Expense.

The campaign for congress in Virginia is not costing the candidates big rolls of bills, according to their campaign statements filed with South Trimble, clerk of the house of representatives.

The before-election statements so far filed are as follows: William A. Jones, Democrat, First district, nothing; E. E. Holland, Democrat, Second district, \$20; W. A. Watson, Democrat, Fifth district, nothing; E. W. Saunders, Democrat, Fifth district, \$59.64; C. C. Carlin, Democrat, Eighth district, \$5; Bassom Sleep, Republican, Ninth district, \$333; John L. Rose, Progressive, Ninth district, \$114.42; H. D. Flood, Democrat, Tenth district, \$25.

Representatives Montague and Glass each declared they had received no contributions and made no campaign expenditures.

Nokesville and Seminary Local.

Rev. Lake R. Markwood is holding a protracted meeting at Bockhall.

Rev. I. A. Miller and daughter, Miss Hazlie, recently spent a week-end at Fredericksburg.

Mr. C. K. Bodine is building a beautiful bungalow on Seminary avenue.

The store and town hall, being erected by Mr. W. R. Free, are nearing completion.

Mr. A. K. Grabill was called to Daleville last week to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Prof. D. N. Eber.

The Seminary has closed a half term of very encouraging work.

Through the kindness of some of the friends of the Seminary, a crowd of the student body enjoyed a very pleasant outing and attended the unveiling of the monument on the Bull Run battlefield Friday.

Professor Beaman played his first game of tennis last week, and is destined to be the champion player of the Seminary.

The Flohr family and Messrs. O. L. Strayer and A. W. Cooner spent Sunday at the Flohr home in Vienna.

Miss Rena Bowman, accompanied by Prof. H. S. Randolph, attended the love feast and visited the former's home in Fairfax over Sunday.

The Nicol Literary Society has been rendering some very interesting programs.

A special program will be given this evening under the auspices of the Music Department and the Nicol Literary Society. Come and bring your friends. Admission only 15 cents.

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Albert Hayes died recently at her home, near Kopp, after a long illness. Mrs. Hayes is survived by her husband and two children, Roland T. and Mrs. Addie J. Mayers. She was an earnest worker for the cause of Christ and a faithful member of Belle Haven Baptist church. She was laid to rest in Belle Haven cemetery by the side of her youngest son, who died June 18, 1908.

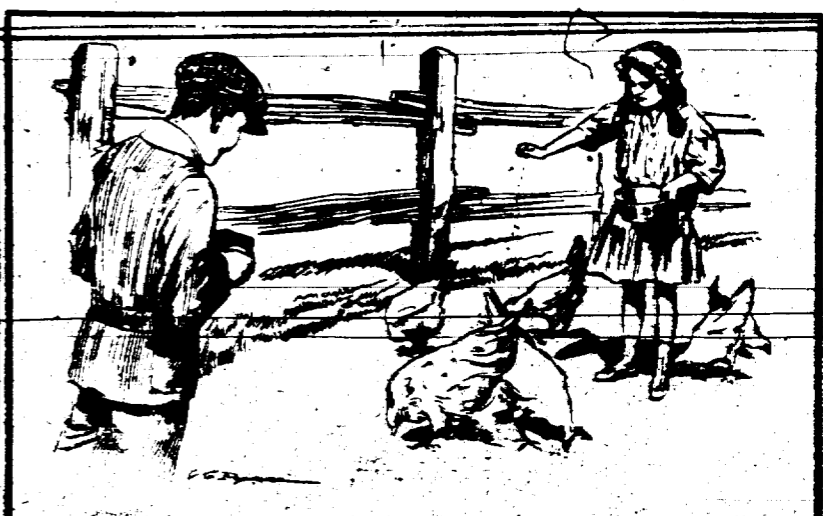
The funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. J. Cummings, pastor of Belle Haven church. The pallbearers were Messrs. Frank Hill, J. A. Hill, L. F. Merrill, E. C. DeWitt, Walter M. and Thomas J. Woolfenden. The I. O. O. F. conducted services at the grave. Beautiful tributes were given by relatives and friends. The community in which Mrs. Hayes lived sympathize with the bereaved ones.

BY TWO OF HER SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHOLARS—H. L. A. M. D.

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acquainted with our Bank Account Plan—learn the details and actual working of this systematic method for protecting your income. When you know what the plan is like make a note of your objections to it; ask yourself in what way it will retard your progress or harm your present chance of success. On the other side of the page make a note of the advantages, there are many of them but note these four: the safety of your money; better knowledge of correct business habits; closer association with thrifty people; increase of credit. Now as a conservative, practical man who wants to get ahead put the matter squarely up to your better judgment. Your account will be appreciated.

The Peoples National Bank
OF MANASSAS, VA.



Let them have a

BROWNIE

The children always enjoy taking pictures—it adds to the pleasures of the day's outing; besides, taking them is clean, educational fun.

With every Kodak or Brownie purchased—a free, year's subscription to "Kodakery," a monthly magazine for the amateur photographer.

Dowell's Pharmacy
"THE REXALL STORE"

GUNS AND SHELLS

All kinds at good prices—just received 20,000 shells—can supply your needs. Get my prices before you buy :: ::

H. D. WENRICH
Jeweler and Optician Manassas, Virginia

Pure Distilled Ice

Our new ice plant is now in operation and we furnish ice in any quantity. All orders will receive prompt and careful attention and delivery made in a courteous manner. Our plant is equipped with all modern machinery and has a capacity of ten tons a day. Visitors are invited to inspect our sanitary method of making ice. Thanking the public for their patronage and soliciting a continuance, we are,

Respectfully yours,
Davis Brothers Ice and Fuel Co.
Dealers in Coal and Wood Manassas, Va.

COUNTY DEMOCRATS MEET

Voters Urged to Support Party Nominee - New Members Elected.

Persuant to call the County Committee met in the M. I. C. Building, at 11 a. m., October 24th, 1914.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman and there were found present Messrs. C. A. Heineken, George M. Davis, George F. Pettit, C. A. Barbee, R. C. Copen, E. T. Wright, J. P. Leachman, M. C. Holmes, D. E. Earnhart, W. N. Lipscomb, A. A. Hooff, D. J. Arrington and Thos. H. Lion.

Upon motion John M. Hooe was elected a member of the committee in the place of John Y. Roseberry, removed; upon like motion O. C. Hutchison was elected a member of the committee from Gainesville District in the place of the late H. F. Lynn.

Upon motion of J. P. Leachman the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas the Democratic County Executive Committee in session assembled appreciate the importance of a full vote of the county be cast on November 3rd, 1914, as an endorsement of the Democratic administration now upon trial before the country, in its endeavors to bring about constructive and remedial legislation in behalf of the masses of the people, therefore, be it resolved, that all Democrats be and they are hereby earnestly urged to turn out and support the party nominee for the House of Representatives, the Hon. C. C. Carlin, who, in turn, has supported the present Wilson administration, thereby giving evidence of our appreciation of his efforts expended in behalf of the welfare and happiness of the masses of the people who have not been considered in the national legislation of the past few years.

Upon motion the Secretary was requested to sign the names of each member present to the foregoing resolution which was accordingly done.

The Hon. C. C. Carlin appeared before the committee, thanking the committee for the foregoing resolution on behalf of himself and President Wilson's administration, and assured the committee that it would be his effort in the future, as in the past, to serve his constituency to the best of his ability, and hoped on behalf of the party a full vote would be cast at the November election next.

Upon motion the meeting adjourned. Thos. H. Lion, Chairman.

D. J. ARRECTOR, Secretary.

The Christmas Thought.

Idea of Christmas giving are rapidly changing among the sensible. Those who think as they give are looking for a year-round service as the important thing.

In a week of shopping, with all its strain, you will not find a better gift than a year's subscription to The Youth's Companion. It offers its service, its clean entertainment, its fine suggestiveness week after week; and the end of the year, which finds many a gift in the attic, dust-covered and forgotten, brings The Companion again, with all the charm of last Christmastide.

No American monthly at any price offers the same amount of reading, and none can offer better quality. Less than four cents a week provides this best of Christmas gifts—\$2.00 a year. If you subscribe now, all the remaining issues of the year will be sent free, and The Companion Home Calendar is also sent to those who make a gift subscription. Send for sample copies, and the Forecast for 1915.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION.

The Manassas Schools

Students Visit Battlefield.

Last week came up to a brilliant climax in the enjoyment of another cordial reunion of Northern and Southern veterans in commemoration of a gallant soldier, Fletcher Webster, son of Daniel Webster, of world-wide fame, who fell in the second battle of Bull Run. The students from youngest to oldest in both grammar and high schools marched with banner, flags and pennants to the grounds of the court house where they were greeted heartily by the honored guests of North and South, who had come to unite in this interesting ceremony. Lieut. Round, in his happy, earnest way, introduced the program which was one of peculiar interest. The new national song, "United," was finely rendered by the schools. Dr. Roop sang the solo, giving clear enunciation to the patriotic words, and all the students joined in the chorus, singing it with great enthusiasm. The schools also sang "America," without which any such occasion incomplete.

It is not our province to dwell upon this interesting event. Since it is to say that the schools returned as they came, in graceful order, eliciting much praise from those who formed an audience. On the arrival of the high school at the hall of learning, Miss Osbourn found that they had been fired with such enthusiasm that to settle down to the routine of school duties would be very difficult. After suitable consultation Miss Eugenia announced a holiday, and so it came to pass that many, some on foot and some in carriages, arrived at the scene of the unveiling of the handsome tablet to the memory of Col. Webster and finally at Groveton. The children of the Groveton school, under the leadership of Miss Grace Metz, their teacher, sang several selections very sweetly both at the scene of the unveiling and at Groveton.

The day was one of much pleasure to all who participated. Many were the words of praise given to the Groveton Daughters for the delicious lunch served to all the guests.

DEPLORABLE ACCIDENT.

We regret to record the accident that befell our student, Everett Rice, who was so unfortunate as to slip on the wet grounds while playing football and to break his leg. We hope soon to tell of a speedy recovery. The allurements of our high school have brought back Miss Julia Maloney, much to our satisfaction.

We are agog in anticipation of the farmers' institute and agricultural exhibit to take place today.

The county school fair is keeping every spare moment occupied, especially in the grammar school, under the immediate direction of Mrs. Larkin and the teachers of each grade. No moment is wasted and the Bennett building, like a hive, is full of bees, differing from the insect in being without stings but like them sweet and wholesome. In the meantime Dame Nature is busy too, exhibiting unrivaled moving pictures without change. The glory of the distant hills against the deep blue of the sky with the rich coloring of the woods gives to the most fastidious observer a thrill of joy and satisfaction that one is alive and up and doing these crisp autumn days. C. E. L. H.

STRUCK BY MACHINE

Delmer Collier, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Collier, of the Aden neighborhood, narrowly escaped serious injury early this afternoon when he was struck by a car owned and driven by Mr. Herl A. Petersen, of the Washington Suburban Electric Company.

It is understood that the child started to cross the street as the machine passed near the curbing. He was struck by the front of the car which passed over him though fortunately his body was not touched by the wheels. Mr. Petersen had gathered little speed since stopping at the Peoples Bank corner and stopped within a car's length of the accident, which occurred on the north side of Centre street, near Weirman's jewelry store.

VETERANS APPLAUDED

A touching feature of the Webster memorial dedication occurred at the exercises of welcome at the courthouse when Col. Benjamin F. Cook, of the 12th Massachusetts, and Col. Edmund Berkeley, of the 8th Virginia, stood clasped in each other's arms.

Col. Berkeley was unable to be present as the exercises began and his address of welcome was read by Lieut. Round. Being requested upon his arrival to speak he recited two stanzas of his poem, "Prince William," slightly altered for the occasion. The lines follow:

Soon a beautiful park will adorn the proud spot Where our brave hero his furlough there got. And when the sun is smiling brightly after the storm, O'er the some sleeping peacefully after the storm, And Prince William's name glow over the grave Of our hero who died there his country to save.

God bless you, Prince William, the best of the free With your head on blue mountains, your feet near the sea, May your sons and your daughters maintain your proud fame, And be ever enthralled at the sound of your name, No spot on this earth is so dear unto me Or more fondly cherished, or ever shall be.

NOTES FROM ADEN

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davis and three children, of Franklin, W. Va., visited Mrs. Davis' father, Rev. J. W. Brill, last week, leaving Friday for Washington.

The meetings at the M. E. and U. B. churches closed with good results.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Bailey visited their daughter, Mrs. James Arnold, last Sunday.

The following persons called at the U. B. parsonage Saturday evening: Mr. J. R. Wright, Miss Ida Wright and Mr. Lucian Wright, Mrs. James Arnold, Miss Emma Arnold and Mr. Ira B. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. John Thacker, son and daughter, Mrs. T. J. Cooper, Mr. O. B. Cooper and Miss Esther Cooper, Miss Carrie Bear, Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Rhodes, Mrs. J. G. Linawever, Mrs. William Brawner and Miss Marian Maybugh, of Backhall.

It was an agreeable surprise to the preacher and his family, and while some of the family took to the woods, Mr. and Mrs. Brill stood their ground, and after a good social time, a few old-time songs were sung. Mr. John Thacker addressed the crowd in a few well chosen words and Rev. Brill offered prayer, after which most of the folks left for home, leaving much good cheer as well as many other things that help to keep a preacher going. Many friends who could not attend sent their donations.

NOTE OF THANKS.

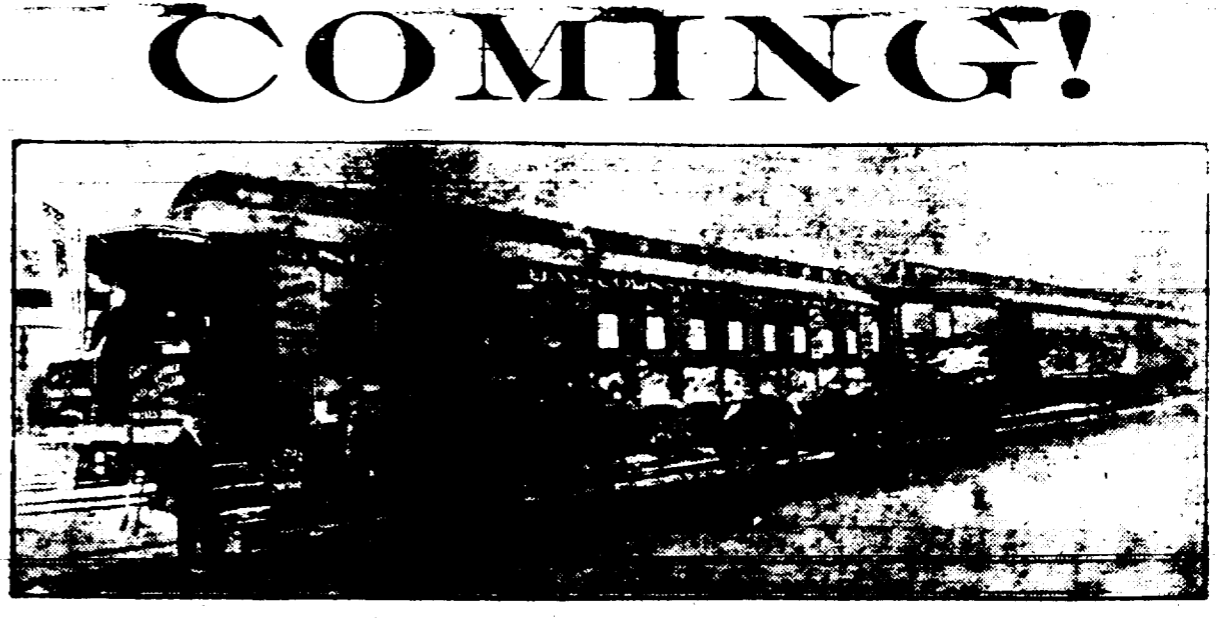
May the good Lord bless the good people in saying to them, "The same as ye did it unto thee, the least of mine, ye did it unto me." JAS. W. BRILL.

FAMILY REUNION.

Sunday, October 18, was the scene of a very enjoyable reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hoffman, near Catharpin, when they were very agreeably surprised by a prearranged visit from eleven of their children and several grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman are the proud parents of twelve living children and thirty grandchildren.

At 2 p. m. a beautiful repast was served, after which the family grouped around the organ, sang "God Be With You Till We Meet Again" and then departed for their respective homes, expressing themselves as having had the time of their lives. It was the 47th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman, and may many more years of happiness be theirs. ONE WHO WAS PRESENT.

Republicans are still angry that Democratic Congressman should claim credit for having aided a Democratic President. The G. O. P. appears to be getting around to the theory that Wilson is such a fine executive that no party has any special claim to turn. Times-Dispatch.



COMING!

OFFICIAL EXHIBIT FROM FAR-AWAY CALIFORNIA To the Public: We, the undersigned, have loaded up the two cars shown above with the choicest specimens from our orchards, vineyards and ranches, and sent them EAST for your INSPECTION, with literature descriptive of our section that WE KNOW is the BEST for Climate, Scenery and Productiveness in the Golden State; and added the Famous Hettrich Collection of Curiosities, over a Thousand in number, from all over the world, with the MONSTER SHARK CAUGHT IN MONTEREY BAY, CALIFORNIA, 36 Feet Long, Weighing 10,323 Pounds, and 460 Years Old, as an ATTRACTION, giving you a REGULAR "WORLD'S FAIR" ON WHEELS. We bring it to your city, giving you the Greatest Exhibition for little money you ever saw.

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Manassas MONDAY AND TUESDAY NOVEMBER 9th and 10th 2 Days!

NOTICE

I announce myself a candidate for Representative from the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia in the Sixty-fourth Congress and respectfully solicit the votes of the electors, at the election to be held on Tuesday, November 3, 1914. Very respectfully, JOSEPH L. CRUPPER.

BUSINESS LOCALS

For Sale.—Twenty head of yearling cattle, most of them steers. John R. Bryant, Nokesville, Va., route 2, box 60. 10-16-14

Attention Farmers.—I have two mowing machines of the Champion pattern and an old pair of bob sleds. I want to get rid of them and will give whatever anyone will give for them to the Farmers' Institute. They can be seen now at my barn. George G. Round. It

For Rent, Sale or Exchange.—An 8-room corner brick house in Washington, northwest, for rent or sale on monthly payments, or for exchange for Virginia property. Address George G. Round, Manassas, Va. 10-30-21

Take Notice.—My hydraulic press will close after Nov. 3, 1914. W. L. Diehl. It

Lost.—Gold locket, initials N. S. Liberal reward. Journal of Ice. It

Lost.—Mourning veil. Suitable reward if returned to Geo. Primm's shop. 10-30-21

Short wood for sale. Order by mail or phone. C. H. Wise, Manassas, Va. It

Mr. Ira C. Reid has been employed as game warden of the Portner estate, and will see that all trespassers and hunters will be prosecuted. The Portner Realty Co. 10-30-14

Wanted.—At once, 500 S. C. White Leghorn yearlings and pullets. Quote me your prices. Will buy in 50 and 100 lots. E. M. Cave, Gainesville, Va. 10-30-21

Winter robes and horse blankets at Austin's. 10-30-14

Notice.—No hunting allowed on Sudley farm. Sudley, Va. Ward Brothers, Fairfax papers please copy. 10-16-14

FORMAL OPENING Monday, November 2, 1914 The New Jewelry Shop of the Whitmore, Lynn & Alden Co. To our friends and the general public we beg to announce the opening of our new jewelry establishment. We desire all our Virginia friends and acquaintances to consider this a personal invitation to make our store their shopping headquarters whenever they may be in Washington. Whitmore, Lynn & Alden Co. 1225 F St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Notice to the Public.—After the 22nd day of October, 1914, trespassing on any part of the Portner estate will be prohibited. All persons caught trespassing on any part of said estate without a written permit from Mr. D. M. Pitta, manager, dated after October 22, 1914, will be prosecuted according to the law. All employees have been instructed to report all persons caught trespassing. The Portner Realty Company, Inc. 10-23-14

Five to eight per cent. off on all furniture and ten per cent. off on all table and kitchen ware for the next ten days, as I will then move to another house. S. T. Hall. 10-23-21

For Sale.—Five h. p. engine and boiler. Good running order guaranteed. T. M. Russell, Cambridge, Va. 10-23-14

Eggs, 20 cents cash. S. C. Carter. 10-22-21

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AN AMUSING 'HA'NT STORY

What Happened in Carolina on a Hallowe'en Night Some Years Ago.

BY J. F. BREAZEALE

The approaching Hallowe'en with its black cats, spooks and pumpkins brings back to mind the Hallowe'en nights of a good many years ago when I was growing up down in South Carolina. There were four of us little boys and the devilment we didn't do wasn't worth doing. Hallowe'en was more realistic then than it is now or at least we often made it more realistic.

I remember one Hallowe'en night in particular. We had an old negro neighbor named Noah Robinson. Noah was just a little bit superstitious, and he was also very fond of 'possum. On the day before this particular Hallowe'en night we got a neighbor boy of ours, Tom Crawford, to go around to old Noah and suggest a 'possum hunt over in the woods back of our barn. This piece of woods already had a bad reputation among the negroes. We were accustomed to drag the dead animals from our farm up there. This left bones scattered around in a good many places. Several 'ha'nts

had already been seen by the colored 'possum hunter. These 'ha'nts, of course, had a tendency to keep the colored population out of those woods, and consequently the 'possums flourished therein.

At first old Noah objected—"No sir, no sir, I never go in dem woods; dem woods is ha'nt-ed." But Tom finally coaxed away his fears and made a date him for that evening at eight o'clock. In the meantime we little boys had been busy with our pumpkin. We got a great big one and trimmed out its eyes, nose, mouth and teeth and made it so scary that we were almost afraid of it ourselves. At about eight o'clock we carried it up and carefully placed it among the bones in a little swamp back up the woods pasture.

Tom and Noah were on time. In about fifteen minutes we heard them coming down through the woods, shouting to their dog. Tom kept up quite a fuss in order that we might know exactly where they were. In a few minutes they rounded a patch of briars and came full view of the pumpkin. Old Noah was in front with a pine knot torch. He held the torch above his head "What's dat down dar?" My brother Claude was off behind a stump with a string tied to the pumpkin. Just at this time, in his excitement, he gave the string a pull and upset the pumpkin. The light of the candle flared up in the woods, and this was all Noah needed. Tom gave a yell and started to run, then old Noah broke good and proper. He was determined that that 'ha'nt should never catch him. Tom ran about thirty feet and fell in among the leaves, yelling with all his might.

To Noah this meant that the 'ha'nt had overtaken Tom. He was firmly convinced that at least one man should live to tell

the tale. About the first jump he made he ran into a muscading vine and put out his light. He held onto the stump of his torch, however, which still contained a few coals. By these coals we could trace his course down through the woods. He reminded us somewhat of a shooting star. He was making for the open country and his slogan was "safety first." He struck the open pasture and sped over the hill. At the foot of this hill is a ravine through which flows a creek with banks about eight feet deep. During the summer we boys had dammed up that creek for a swimming pool and had built an old bateau there. The old boat had proved to be leaky so we had taken it out upon the bank and set it upon its edge.

Fortune seemed against old Noah that night. As he sped down the hill in the dark he struck that boat amidships. He described a somersault in the air and fell into the water with the boat on top of him. Old Noah was firmly persuaded that the boat was the 'ha'nt and that at last he had been overtaken. "Oh, Lawd, if I ever get out ob dis," he prayed. In his efforts to "die game," however, he kicked off the boat and got out of the water. He ran up the hill toward a place where an old house had been. This place, too, was 'ha'nted," but Noah did not realize where he was going until he ran up near the old children.

One 'ha'nt was had enough, but two was more than Noah could stand. He jumped over an old rail fence and the top rail fell on the ground behind him. "I never done any runnin' till after that second 'ha'nt jumped over the fence after me," he said the next morning.

Mr. Kirby lived on the top of a hill about a mile away. Old Noah put all his strength into an effort to reach this house. We heard him cross the bridge and heard the stones rattling under his feet as he ran up the hill. "Open de door, Mr. Kirby," he commenced to shout. Mr. Kirby, who was onto the joke, ran out into the yard and stopped him, and there, standing in the light of the doorway with the perspiration streaming from his face, he told Mr. Kirby how one 'ha'nt had captured Tom and how he had escaped from two others. My little boy Johnny said to me when I left home: "Pa, bring me a pet 'possum," but O, Lawd, dar ain't no pet 'possum dar."

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PUBLIC SALE

REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust executed on the 1st day of February, 1911, by George Sutlyak and duly recorded in the clerk's office of Prince William county in Deed Book No. 60, at page 399, to secure to the holder of a certain note described in the said deed the payment of the sum of \$200.00 and interest, default having been made in the payment of the sum of money so secured, at the direction of the present holder of the said note, the undersigned trustee shall offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the front door of the court house of Prince William county, on

Monday, December 7, 1914

court day, at 11 o'clock noon, the following real estate, to wit: Lying and being situated on the Manassas and Occoquan road, in said county, and bounded by the lands of Jackson, Payne, Beach, Beavers and others, and containing

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more or less, and being the same land which was conveyed to the said George Sutlyak by Lucien B. Keys and wife by deed dated February 1, 1911. The records of said county show a prior lien on this land in favor of L. B. Keys for \$500.00. The amount due, if there remains anything due on such prior lien, will be announced on day of sale and the land will be sold subject to such prior lien.

G. RAYMOND RATCHFORD, Trustee. JOHN KERLIN, Auctioneer. 10-20 SINCLAIR & SON, Attorneys.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust executed September 6, 1909, by Wm. I. Churchville and others, and duly recorded in the clerk's office of Prince William county, to secure to the beneficiary therein named the payment of the sum of \$400.00 and interest, and default having been made in the payment of the money secured, the undersigned trustee, at the direction of the said beneficiary, shall sell by way of public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in the village of Gainesville, Prince William county, on

Monday, November 30, 1914

at about 11 o'clock a. m., the following described real estate, to wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Gainesville Magisterial District, said county, and bounded on the south by the Warrenton turnpike, on the west by a lane between the property here described and the land formerly owned by Cornelius Blackburn, on the north by Perry and on the east by James Robinson, and being the same property that was conveyed to the late Enoch Churchville by E. E. Meredith, assignee of C. E. Tyler, Bankrupt, by deed dated March 18, 1881, and recorded in liber 32, page 547, of the land records of said county, less three acres conveyed by the said Churchville to Mary E. Thornton.

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I will sell at public auction, on my farm known as the E. H. Morse farm, about one-half mile West of Kopp, on the new road leading to Stafford, on the above-named date, the following personal property: Two work horses, colt, 4 head of cattle, 4 pigs, lot of fowls, farming implements of all kinds, several sets of single and double harness, nearly new, lot of hay and straw, corn and fodder and small grain, household and kitchen furniture and other articles too numerous to mention. TERMS:—Sums of \$10.00 and under cash; over that amount a credit of six months will be given, the purchaser executing interest-bearing negotiable note, with approved security, payable at the Peoples National Bank of Manassas. No property to be removed until 10-16-3t JOHN M. PRIMICH.

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SEEKING LARGEST TREES

American Genetic Association Announces Prizes for Tree Photographs.

Foresters of the United States are interested in the announcement recently made by the American Genetic Association that two prizes of \$100 each have been offered for two photographs—one of the largest tree of a nut-bearing variety in the United States, and one of the largest broad-leaf tree that does not bear edible seeds.

The purpose of the competition, as stated by the association, is to find out in what regions the native trees attain their largest growth, and under what conditions they thrive best.

THE INFLUENCE OF HEREDITY. It is assumed by the association that seed from the region where the largest trees grow ought to produce larger and stronger trees than from regions where only small trees are found.

Other influences, of course, will have a bearing on the subject, and the results of the investigation may help to settle the question as to whether trees can be acclimatized.

The federal forest service has conducted some studies along this line and has discovered, for example, that the Douglas fir of the Rocky Mountains and the Douglas fir of the Pacific Coast, while the same species, have different characteristics and will produce trees like the parent stock, modified somewhat, however, by environment.

Several other questions, such as the climatic requirements of trees grown in different localities, will, of course, enter into the final solution of the problem.

form, which has to endure in its native habitat severe extremes of temperature, and German foresters have been working to discover a strain of Douglas fir which will combine, as far as possible, the hardness of the Rocky Mountain form and the large size of the Pacific Coast form.

TREES ARE FASTIDIOUS. Some authorities go so far as to say that even the ingenuity and perseverance of man are unable to induce trees to change their habits far enough to adopt a country not closely like their native habitat.

The announced purpose of the Genetic Association is to bring about the dissemination of seed of stock of the best specimens, when found, to demonstrate, if possible, the value of heredity in tree growing.

THE NEW AMERICA.

The Manassas Jubilee Anthem, dedicated to the Blue and the Gray on the fiftieth anniversary of the first battle of the civil war, July 21, 1911, was reproduced by four hundred public school children, led by President Rook of Eastern College, before the Massachusetts veterans.

UNITED. (By Mrs. Speed Mercer, of Elm City, N.C.) America, our mother fair, Queen of the earth, the sea, the air!

AMERICA! All hail to thee! Thanks be to God, who made us free! North, South, East, West, hand clasped in hand—United we, thy children, stand.

Our eagle wings are proudly spread; "Old Glory" waves above thy head; All nations know that on thy breast, Shall wave our flag, our life, our rest.

Our eagle wings are proudly spread; "Old Glory" waves above thy head; All nations know that on thy breast, Shall wave our flag, our life, our rest.

AMERICA, our mother dear, When thou dost call thy children hear, And coming pray all strife shall cease—That God will bless our land with peace.

ROLL OF HONOR.

The following is the roll of honor for Gold Edge school for all who have been present successive days or more for the first school month ending October 15, 1914.

LOW RECORD FOR TYPHOID

Only 4,012 Cases Reported and 7,460 Estimated for Year 1913-14.

Statistics just compiled by the State Board of Health for the year ending September 30, 1914, show that Virginia has had less typhoid during the past twelve months than during any year in the records of the Board and only 52 per cent as many cases as during the year 1908-09, the first for which statistics are available.

The aggregate number of cases of typhoid fever for the first nine months of the calendar year 1913 was likewise less than the number for the corresponding months for any previous year. Only 4,012 cases were reported from October 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914, and the total number estimated for the same period was 7,460.

In 1908-09, the first year following the reorganization of the State's health forces, 7,442 cases were reported 114,398 were estimated for the State. In 1909-10 these figures decreased to 6,771 and 11,843 respectively. In 1910-11, reported cases were 5,969 and estimated cases 11,803. For 1911-12, 4,608 cases were reported and 8,470 estimated. This was at the time a low level and was attributed in large degree to the unusually favorable weather conditions.

It is pointed out that this reduction in the number of cases of typhoid fever means not only a great reduction in sickness but a positive saving of human life. Had conditions in Virginia since 1908-09 remained as they were in that report year, the Board's figures show that 2,180 persons who have altogether escaped typhoid fever would during the same period have died of it.

"It is needless to remark," said an officer of the Board today, in announcing the figures for 1913-14, "that this notable result was only possible through the activity and interest of the people of the State in matters of public health. We had only 52 per cent as much typhoid as in 1908-09 because the people have learned how they may prevent the disease and are applying that knowledge. We could have no typhoid if the people of the State were to decide they were to eradicate this plague and would bend their energies to the task while spending sufficient money in prevention. The cases estimated for the State during 1913-14, 7,460 are just 7,460 too many."

Aside from this widespread interest and cooperation in improving sanitary conditions, the late spring of 1914 undoubtedly helped reduce the morbidity from typhoid. In the same way, the use of typhoid vaccine in families where the disease appeared and among those who had been exposed to it has played a considerable part in limiting the ravages of the disease.

The fact that only two outbreaks of consequence were reported during the past year is typical of the changed conditions and of the general precautions now being taken. When we are careful enough to protect ourselves from fifth, we can rid Virginia of typhoid.

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VETERANS AT HAZEL PLAIN

Former Union and Confederate Soldiers Unite in Dedication of Tablet.

(Reported for THE JOURNAL by George C. Round)

A gratifying attendance was present upon the occasion of the dedication last Friday of a tablet to the memory of Col. Fletcher Webster, who lost his life in the second battle of Manassas. The welcome program, which was rendered at the court house preceding the trip to the battlefield, was fully reported in last week's issue.

The exercises at the dedication were presided over by Lieut. Col. Cook, who, after prayer by President Roop, of Eastern College, introduced Lieut. Round, who gave an explanation of the military movements which led up to the death of Colonel Webster.

Mr. John A. Laird, a gentleman of distinguished presence, a manufacturer of Brockton, Mass., was introduced and gave the story of how the movement for the erection of the tablet had been inaugurated. It is understood that Mr. Laird furnished the money to purchase the ground.

Comrade George Kimball, secretary of the Regimental Association, told of the action of the Association and of the Fletcher Webster Post, Grand Army of the Republic, No. 13, Department of Massachusetts.

The tablet, which was placed for the day under a tent fly loaned by the Manassas Memorial Association, was unveiled at high noon by two veterans, Gen. John E. Gilman, of Boston, and Col. Edmund Berkeley, of Haymarket. The former lost his right arm at Gettysburg and the latter was desperately wounded in Pickett's charge, of which he is the ranking survivor. These two men are typical of the best blood of the two typical commonwealths of the nation founded by Washington and Adams.

The unveiling was followed by the main address by Hon. Samuel Appleton, of St. Paul, Minn., a grandson of Daniel Webster, the son of his only daughter. This address was worthy of the occasion and was listened to with closest attention and praised by everybody. THE JOURNAL expects to be able to print the same in full.

After the address the audience adjourned to the Henry Hill, where Prof. Henry and others gave explanations of the military events which occurred in full sight of this lofty view point. The procession then continued via the Warrenton pike to the pavilion where luncheon was served by the Daughters of the Confederacy, and the features of the battlefield around Groveton and looking toward the unfinished railway on Sadley ridge were pointed out.

Here the crowd broke up, some returning to Manassas and Washington and others to visit the New York monuments and the unfinished railway, the stone bridge and other points.

Among distinguished visitors from Washington were Commissioner of Pensions Saltzger, Editor John McElroy of The National Tribune, Colonel John L. Clem, of the Quartermaster Department, and Mrs. Isabel W. Ball and Mrs. Mary A. Dow, prominent officials in the Woman's Relief Corps. Colonel Clem is the only war veteran now left in the regular army.

The children of Groveton public school No. 3, established in 1871, under the lead of their teacher, sang at various stages of the exercises patriotic hymns and old war songs — "Tenting Tonight," "Tramp! Tramp! Tramp!" "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," "America," and many others. The luncheon was voted to be fine though the crowd was larger than was expected.

Everybody declared the entire celebration a success and a decided boon for our battlefield park. Now is the time for Congressmen Carlin and Senators Mason and Cameron to put in their work.

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him about an hour after dark and set him against a tree, gave him all the water in his canteen and promised him to return. This he did about an hour later to find that the Colonel had been removed. Sergt. Lipscomb was one of those participating in the recent dedication. On the Monday following the battle, the body was found after a long search and removed to the Union lines under a flag of truce.

Subsequent to the war a ring worn by Colonel Webster, which he gave a Confederate soldier of the 19th Virginia who had shown him attention, was sent to Mrs. Webster by the son of a quartermaster, George T. Jones, to whom it had been given for safe keeping by the soldier referred to, who was killed at Antietam three weeks after.

Mr. Ludwell Hutchison, of Aldie, also saw Colonel Webster while hunting for wounded men of his regiment, the 8th Virginia. He writes me an interesting letter regarding him. Prof. Henry tells me his uncle was told that General Toombs, who had known Colonel Webster in his school days, had him removed to the Cross House on the Warrenton pike and that he died there. This, however, does not agree with Mr. Blackford's statement in the Regimental History.

Daniel Webster was the exponent of the view of the Federal Constitution which finally prevailed. He was considered by many of his day as the greatest of our orators, some styling him "The Demosthenes of America." His style was dignified, strong, majestic and overpowering. One can hardly imagine Daniel Webster or Demosthenes telling a story or cracking a joke to illustrate his argument.

On the 7th of March, 1850, he made his great speech in favor of the compromise measures of Henry Clay. He favored even the Fugitive Slave Bill, because he believed it required by the Constitution. This speech lost him many friends and he was accused of making a bid for the Presidency. No doubt he wanted to be President and few men now doubt that he was competent to be President beyond any man of his day. Had he been chosen President in 1848 or 1852, it is not impossible but the "irrepressible conflict" might have been prevented. Possibly his prophetic spirit which looked on "states dissevered, discordant, belligerent," might have devised some way to avert the calamity. It is pathetic to think of his son lying for hours on a field "drenched in fraternal blood." Yet in the Providence of God or the sinfulness of man, or both, it seemed to be necessary to make true the dream of the statesman:

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I desire to thank all our people who cooperated in giving an appropriate welcome to the Massachusetts veterans and their friends and to the local comrades in Gray and Blue, who joined so enthusiastically with me in the thrilling and impressive exercises.

I name especially Mayor Brown, Judge Thornton, Mr. Breazeale and Representative Meetze, who acted as marshal of the occasion; the school officers, teachers and children who furnished the most spectacular demonstration ever seen in our town; the Ladies' Memorial Association which furnished the tent fly which so fittingly covered the tablet; the Daughters of the Confederacy, represented by Mrs. May Degan and Mrs. Fannie Thornton; those who furnished free automobiles for veterans of the Blue and the Gray on the urgent request of the citizen's committee, including Judge Thornton, Mr. Petersen, Mr. Hynson, Mr. Hornbaker, Mr. Byrd, Mr. Meetze, Mr. Newman and Mr. Jesse Conner, also Mr. J. A. Morgan, Mr. J. P. Leachman and others, who furnished free carriages and showed other courtesies too numerous to mention; the students and instructors of Eastern College and Hebron Seminary, who added materially to the eclat of the day; President Roop, Colonel Berkeley, Dr. Clarkson, Rev. T. D. D. Clark and Rev. E. A. Roads for their part in the public exercises; to Prof. Henry for special courtesies, and last but not least the local press for the just prominence given this interesting occasion.

To the two or three individuals who are usually on hand to make extortionate demands on our guests, I respectfully suggest that they make a grave mistake even from a business point of view.

The dedication of the Webster Memorial Tablet was a unique and unprecedented event in the light of American history and the development of the American nation and even the smallest child in the first grade who contributed to it will have good cause to be proud of it a half century to come.

Thankfully,
GEORGE CARE ROUND.

ROLL OF HONOR.

A report of the Nokesville public school for the month ending October 19, 1914. These teachers: Enrollment, 75.

PRIMARY GRADES—Roscoe Dahl, Virginia Fitchinger, Dora Grasso, Jim Massey, South Massey, May Miller, Brooks Miller, Agnes Reynolds, Lucile Dahl, Nannie Wells, Ira Wells, Frank Britton, Claude Massey, George Massey, Mary Rhodes, Ray Wilkins, Beulah Wilkins, Ida Rhodes, Pearl Grasso, Tusher Bryant, Ray Britton, Lory Miller and Marvin Payne.

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Judges of the Mississippi Supreme Court at Jackson, Miss., heard arguments Monday while clad in overalls and cotton shirts. Attorneys presenting cases were similarly clothed.

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Catharpin	Monday	Nov. 2
Hickory Grove	Tuesday	Nov. 3
Haymarket	Wednesday	Nov. 4
Greenwich	Thursday	Nov. 5
Nokesville	Friday	Nov. 6
Boodley	Monday	Nov. 9
Georgetown	Tuesday	Nov. 10
Woodbridge	9 to 11 a.m.	Wed. Nov. 11
Dumfries Store	1 to 3 p.m.	Wed. Nov. 11
Mimmsville	Thursday	Nov. 12
Dumfries	Friday	Nov. 13
Quantico	Saturday	Nov. 14
Joppin	Monday	Nov. 16
Kopp	Tuesday	Nov. 17
Independent Hill	Wednesday	Nov. 18
Payman	Thursday	Nov. 19
Brentsville	9 to 11 a.m.	Friday, Nov. 20
Aden	2 to 4 p.m.	Friday, Nov. 20
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