

GIVES CHRISTMAS HINTS

Postmaster General Tells How to Care for Christmas Packages—Prevent Losses.

The Postmaster General has issued a circular that would save delays and disappointments in the sending of gift packages through the mails at this holiday season. Here are the directions: Mail your parcels early. They may be marked "Do not open until Christmas."

To prevent congestion at the postoffice windows be sure each package is properly packed and addressed before offering it for mailing.

Prepay all postage or your parcel will be held for postage.

Write the address plainly and completely, giving street and number for city destinations and rural route or box number for country destinations.

Your name and address must appear on the face of your parcel, preferably in the upper left-hand corner.

You should also place your name and address within the parcel. This precaution will secure delivery in case of the mutilation or loss of the tag or wrapper.

PACK PARCELS SECURELY.

Do not wrap your parcel in flimsy paper or tie it with weak string. Pack securely, wrap in stout paper and tie well with strong cord.

Reinforce canes, umbrellas, golf sticks and similar articles with strips of wood or otherwise wrap them to withstand the ordinary risks of handling and transportation.

Pack hats in strong boxes. The ordinary pasteboard boxes must be crated.

Use a stout box, thoroughly wrapped, for shipping cut flowers, candies, etc.

Mark all parcels containing crockery, breakable toys, etc., "Fragile."

Mark hampers or containers in which dressed fowl, vegetables, fruits, eggs, butter and the like are shipped, "Perishable."

In shipping articles having sharp points or edges pad the points and edges so that they cannot cut through their covering.

SHOULD INSURE VALUABLES.

You should insure valuable parcels. The fee is 5 cents for values up to \$50.

You may now send a book or a set of books as a Christmas present by parcel post. The rate on books weighing eight ounces or less is one cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof. The regular rates apply above eight ounces.

You may obtain special delivery by affixing a special delivery stamp or by adding 10 cents in regular postage. In the latter case write "Special Delivery" plainly upon the parcel.

INSERTION OF INSCRIPTION.

You may insert in parcel mail written or printed inscriptions, such as "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year" or "With Best Wishes."

Upon the fly leaves of books you may write simple dedicatory inscriptions not of a personal nature. Other written additions or insertions subject a parcel to letter postage.

If you desire a written communication to accompany your parcel, inclose it in an envelope, affixing first-class postage, and tie securely to the outside of the parcel. Place the stamps to cover the postage of the parcel upon its wrapper, and those to be placed on the face of the communication.

SEAL SALE GOES ON.

The announcement of the American Red Cross that none of the funds raised through the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals will be devoted to Red Cross work abroad is increasing the interest in the sale of these Christmas tokens.

In many Virginia cities there is profound sympathy with the sufferers in the European war and the heartiest cooperation in efforts to relieve their distress, but there is a general feeling that these efforts do not and should not conflict with the tuberculosis relief work of the nation. "With 20,000 consumptives in Virginia," declares the State Antituberculosis Association, "Virginians will not let their proper interest in the welfare of the European sufferers interfere with local charity."

LOCAL FUND INCREASING

Belgium Relief Fund Packages May be Shipped Free of Charge to Norfolk.

The following are the contributions received to date by Mr. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, treasurer of the local Belgium Relief Fund:

Previously acknowledged \$26.00
Col. E. Berkeley 1.00
T. H. Lion 5.00
Miss Myra Payne 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Evans 1.00
Total \$34.00

Mr. Round, the county chairman, requests all persons collecting or receiving funds for the cause, to send what they have in hand to the treasurer, Mr. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, at Manassas, by December 17.

Foodstuffs and serviceable clothing can be shipped free on the railroads of the state if well packed in boxes or barrels or strong sacks. Each tag and bill of lading should read: "War Relief Donation to J. P. Aisred Mottu, Belgian Vice Consul, Norfolk, Va."

The tag should also give the name of the shipper, his station, county and the commodity within the package sent. This will facilitate proper distribution in Belgium and save the necessity of unpacking and examination until the destination is reached.

Printed tags will be supplied by County Chairman Round on application by mail or in person. The district chairmen and some of the railroad agents have also been supplied with them.

The chairman asks that in neighborhoods where subscription papers have not been circulated that collections be taken in the churches on some Sunday in December. Those who desire to circulate subscriptions can cut out the following form and paste it at the head of their paper:

FORM OF SUBSCRIPTION.

"The undersigned will pay the sums set opposite their names for Belgium Relief to G. Raymond Ratcliffe, treasurer, or to the person circulating this paper, to be sent to the treasurer."

"A Long Time Ago in Virginia and Maryland."

Miss Alice Maude Ewell wishes to announce to readers of the JOURNAL a special Christmas sale of her book, "A Long Time Ago in Virginia and Maryland." She has recently bought out the rights of the Neale Publishing Co. in the book and reduced the price to one dollar postpaid. Orders addressed to her will be promptly filled.

The collection of short stories under this title has been widely read and favorably noticed. The book is a reprint from St. Nicholas, and is attractively bound and illustrated.

DEATH OF MERRITT LAMB

Brother of Mrs. G. W. Johnson and the Late George F. Lamb Dies in Michigan.

(From The Rockford (Mich.) Register)

Merritt M. Lamb was born in Marcellus, N. Y., June 30, 1845, and died at his home south of this place, November 17, 1914, aged 69 years, 4 months and 17 days. He was one of a family of nine children and when about six years of age, his parents moved to Manassas, living there until about 1864, when his father died.

His mother and family then returned to New York and later came to St. Joseph county, Michigan.

July 11, 1876, he was married to Lucy J. Warren, and in 1881, they moved to Grand Rapids, Mich., where they spent several years. In January, 1914, they moved to Rockford where his last few days were spent.

Mr. Lamb united with the Methodist church several years ago. He was a quiet man and much thought of by his many friends, who showed their appreciation by many beautiful flowers sent for decoration.

He is survived by his widow, one sister, Mrs. Hannah Johnson, of Manassas, and three brothers, Messrs. Lucian, of Fulton, N. Y.; Adrain and Thomas K., of Rockford. The funeral was held Friday, Rev. J. M. Jensen officiating.

Mr. Lamb and brother, Mr. T. K. Lamb, in 1912, visited his sister and the family of his late brother, Mr. George F. Lamb. While here he renewed acquaintance with many of his former friends. A faithful husband, brother and uncle has passed away.

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WATCH OUT MANASSAS

Fredericksburg Would Have It Believed That Manassas Was Just Born.

Manassas has no hotel. That is, a folder issued by the Fredericksburg Motor Club, of the town of that name, would have it believed this community, or whatever Fredericksburg wishes it to be termed, comprises just the elements of any little "jerk-water" habitat. Those elements are a postoffice, railroad station, telegraph, telephone, "gas," oil and tank goodness, a doctor. Then this description winds up by saying "straight ahead," and of course, anyone who could not find anything other than the above advantages would naturally go straight ahead.

With all due thanks to Fredericksburg for mentioning Manassas in the route, they might have included some of the desirabilities which this town offers a motorist. Perhaps Fredericksburg may have a better hotel than Manassas and for that reason, ignored the fact that here, there is the finest hostelry to be found in any town of this size.

Then too, probably the fact that the engagements in the vicinity of Fredericksburg during the civil war seem more important to the compilers of the pamphlet than the two battles of Bull Run caused them to leave out entirely any mention of the historic battlefield of Manassas. History at least will give this due credit and the world will always remember Manassas as being the scene of the first important engagement of a grand war when Fredericksburg and its names may be forgotten.

BOY ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Berkeley Embrey Victim of Accidental Shooting by Marvin Rice—May Recover.

Thinking that the revolver he was carrying was unloaded, Marvin Rice, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rice, pointed the weapon over his shoulder at his friend, Berkeley Embrey, who was walking at his side, and fired, inflicting a scalp wound Tuesday night. Young Embrey, with the bullet, a .22 caliber size, in his head went to his home and went to bed without letting anyone know about the affair. On not appearing the next morning for breakfast he was found in bed with the pillow covered with blood.

Unable to locate the bullet, Dr. J. M. Lewis, the attending physician, took young Embrey to the Sibley Hospital, Washington, last night where an operation was performed. The condition of the boy is believed to be serious according to latest reports.

BIG SHOW AT THE DOXIE.

Commencing on Tuesday night a larger and better program will be offered at the Dixie motion picture theatre. Instead of three reels as shown heretofore, there will be an exhibition of four reels, including the famous Warner's Features, one of the largest motion picture corporations in this country. Tuesday night there will be a three-part picture entitled, "Life's Cross-Roads," which is a tragedy and romance of modern society and, in addition, an extra reel. Thursday night there will be exhibited a virile story of the great north woods, "Twilight," featuring the wonderful little actress, Miss Gene Gauntier. A dramatization of the story, "Bringing in the Law," that was published in the People's magazine, will be the three-reel feature for Saturday night.

UHLER RANDELL

Miss Martha Elizabeth Randell and Mr. Bedford Brown Uhler, of Alexandria, were quietly married Wednesday afternoon by Rev. J. F. Burks, rector of Trinity Episcopal Church. The ceremony, which was witnessed by a small company of relatives and friends, took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ransdell, parents of the bride. The "Bridal Chorus" from "Lo-hengrin" was rendered by Miss Julia W. Lewis.

The bride was attired in a blue traveling suit and carried a bouquet of roses. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Uhler left on a short wedding tour, which is to include a southern trip by sea. They will be at home to their friends at 202 North Washington street, Alexandria.

H. F. LYNN TAX TOO MUCH

Court Orders Reduction of Administrative Tax—Regular December Term.

The December term of the circuit court convened Monday with Judge J. B. T. Thornton presiding.

COMMON LAW.

Westwood Hutchison, foreman; R. S. Hynson, Wm. Crow, S. R. Lowe, A. H. Green and M. I. Glascock sworn as a special grand jury of inquest and returned the following indictments:

Ed Bryant, misdemeanor and T. D. Yaunessa, misdemeanor.

A list of all writings admitted to record in clerk's office ordered to be filed.

P. H. Kennelly vs. W. D. Green—trial set for today.

C. W. Griffith vs. B. D. Godfrey—case continued to the second Monday of the February term.

Bailey Tyler appointed assessor of lands for District No. 1 in this county.

In re estate to correct an error which appeared upon the face of an order entered November 3, in which the administrative tax of the late Henry F. Lynn's estate should be \$138.09.

Accounts examined and certified.

W. J. Ashby, jailor, for board of prisoners and committal fees, \$7.50.

W. J. Ashby, to \$2.00 for keep of lunatic.

B. F. Jenkins, constable, for making arrests, etc., \$6.18.

Clifton Thomas, under bond in the sum of \$100.00.

John Phillips vs. W. M. Jordan, executor et al—appeal dismissed at the cost of the contestant.

E. R. Rector vs. Clifton Thomas and William Churchville—court ordered E. R. Rector recover of Clifton Thomas sum of \$377.00 with interest from April 17, 1914, subject to a credit of \$170.00 as of October 29 and his costs.

Case of William Churchville continued until today.

B. F. Jenkins ordered to sell buggy in this cause according to law.

E. R. Rector vs. Clifton Thomas—ordered that plaintiff recover of defendant \$26.25 with interest and costs.

Inassumpit—F. Early Rollins and Herbert Breen vs. E. D. Morris—verdict of jury to F. E. Rollins to recover \$70.34 with interest and costs.

The National Bank of Manassas vs. M. D. and M. A. Lynch—plaintiff to recover \$600.00 with interest and costs.

In re Ocoquan Company—amount of removing obstruction from channel of Ocoquan run ordered to be paid.

E. J. Weaver & Son vs. N. H.

WILL SELL XMAS SEALS

County Committee To Aid Red Cross in Fight Against Tuberculosis.

At a called meeting of the presidents of the Good Housekeepers' Clubs and presidents of the School Leagues of the county, Saturday, at Raffner building, a committee consisting of Mrs. Walter L. Sanders, of Catharpis; Miss E. H. Osbourn, of Manassas, and Mr. George G. Tyler, of Haymarket, was appointed to take preliminary steps toward getting medical speakers of the State Board of Education to visit the schools of the county in regard to getting the medical services of the county, as has been done in Loudoun.

At this meeting Miss Florence S. Lion was appointed press secretary and also custodian of the Red Cross seals of the county, which are being distributed to the teachers, presidents of the Good Housekeepers' Clubs and presidents of the league for sale. The money thus raised is to help defray the expenses of the Anti-Tuberculosis Association, fifty per cent. staying in our own county, forty per cent. going to the state and ten per cent. to the national association.

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New York City, Boston and Wisconsin have stamped out two-thirds of their death rate from this cause. Now Virginia is trying to do the same and one way to raise the necessary funds to carry on this work is by the sale of the Red Cross seals. You will find these seals at the school houses, Dowell's Drug Store and the Prince William Pharmacy. The custodian has been provided with these seals from Richmond and will be glad to furnish them in any quantity to all who wish them.

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You will not find a nicer assortment of ties in the city than we are showing. Price, 25c and 50c, put up in fancy boxes.

Men's Handkerchiefs

Cambric 5c and 10c
All Linen 15c and 25c
Silk 25c and 50c

Put up in Fancy Boxes

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Cotton, all colors 10c and 15c
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Men's Bath Robes \$3.00 to \$5.00

Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps

We have just received a nice assortment of men's and boys' hats and caps. All the new shapes and colors.

Men's House Slippers

Plush 25c and 50c
Leather \$1.50
Indian Mocassin \$1.50

Men's and Boys' Sweaters 50c to \$5.00

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Trunks from \$2.00 to \$15.00
Suit Cases from 75c to \$8.00
Club Bags, black and tan, for all prices.

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We have a large assortment of Duchess Corduroy Pants for men (seconds); price from \$2 to \$3.50; every pair guaranteed.

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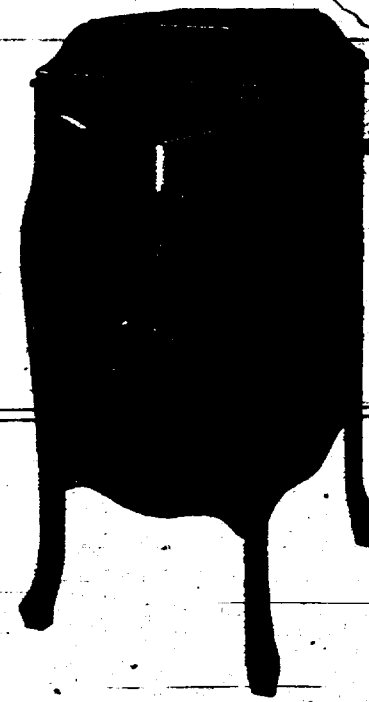
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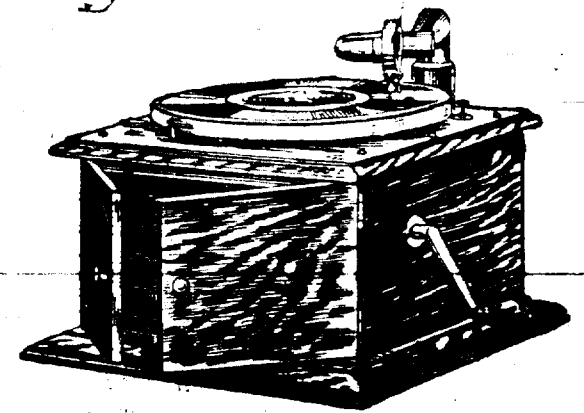
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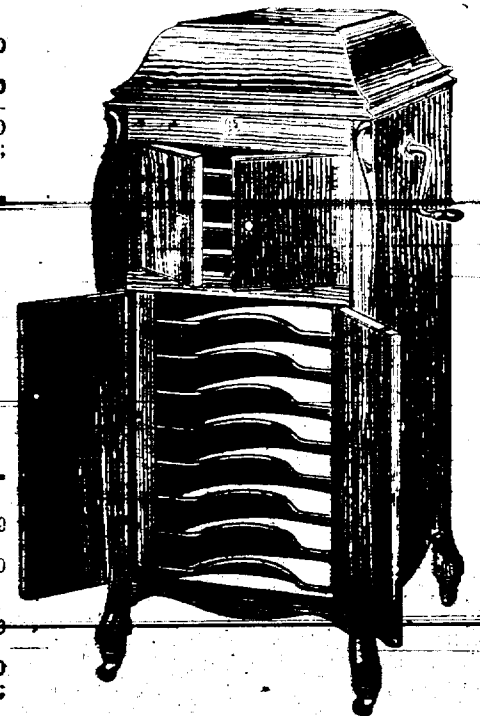
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All persons indebted to the estate of L. F. Beachley, deceased, will come forward and settle the same with the undersigned, or the personal representative, within thirty days from the date of this notice, those having claims against said estate.

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MANASSAS, VA., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1914.

"PEACE ON EARTH"

Amid wars and rumors of wars those words have rung out on Christmas day as clearly as the bells but never has their sound seemed to be so incongruous as at this Yuletide when practically all of Europe are struggling like barbarians; blind to the two thousand years of Christian teachings.

This would seem to leave the United States the only ones of human kind who can carry out the policy of good will towards men. America will witness a true Christmas if it embraces this opportunity to help the world. The world is, in fact, critically ill and goodness only knows when it will recover from this sickness.

The United States, and especially the South, can understand somewhat the situation as it exists in Europe. Those who passed through the trials of '61 to '65 and experienced the hardships that a war brings upon the people in whose territory it is waged can realize why it is that the people of Belgium need help and need it quickly. Sherman's march through the Shenandoah valley and on to the sea was terrible but it could hardly have equaled the reports that come of the devastation of Belgium. The crow that Sherman said would have to carry his own rations if he followed in the trial of the Union army would probably not care to even start across Belgium with its skies pierced with bullets as well as its fields. This plucky nation was totally unprepared to be the anvil whereon the fortunes of Europe were to be welded and shaped, but although unprepared, they have withstood the brunt of the attack with a valor that history will record. If they do not receive aid however, from somewhere the world will witness a pitiful picture of starving and suffering. To pity is human; to aid is divine.

Then, leaving the scene in Europe for the time, we find here in America another problem that will require us to share not only half of our loaf but a little more than half. It concerns the great army of unemployed. They wander the streets eager and searching for work but they can find none. In Richmond there is a movement under way to afford relief to those of that city who have been thrown out of work. It is not their wish to be idle. They do not want to be for it means that the little ones at home must feel the pangs of hunger and know the piercing of the cold. Worst of all, it eventually results in crime being committed since, when it is impossible to buy food and clothes, it becomes necessary to steal them.

Christmas 1914 may not be a merry one to America but it will be a happy one if we do our share towards making it happy for others.

COOPERATION IN FARMING

Right now a virtual revolution is pending in Southern agriculture. Old things are passed away; behold all things are become new. The call is for leaders. The call is for plain farmers and farmers' wives and farm boys and farm girls to make themselves leaders in their neighborhoods—leaders for new methods of farming, and leaders also in new methods of farm living.

The old individualistic un-Christian way of living must be forever done away with. The old doctrine of "Every man for himself and the devil take the hindmost" must give way to the new doctrine, "Bear ye one another's burdens." Cooperation is the master-word of the new century. Whole neighborhoods must learn to work together.

You can't farm profitably any longer unless you work with your neighbors. You must work with them in buying fertilizers and supplies. You must work with them in buying and using modern

them in getting more and better livestock. You must work with them in packing, shipping, and selling your crops after you grow them. You must work with them to develop some system of rural credits whereby men may help one another out of the Slough of Debt and on to the Highway of Independence. And having done all this, it will yet remain true that you cannot have a satisfying life, no matter how much money you make, unless your neighbors are educated, a reading people, well informed, neighborly, and anxious to join with you for better schools, better roads, prettier homes, a richer social and intellectual life, and for a happy, "pull-together" neighborhood.

Away up in Wisconsin there fingers with us, seventy-eight years old this month, one of the grand old men of American agriculture—ex-Governor Wm. D. Hoard, founder of Hoard's Dairyman. I was struck with a great utterance of his the other day, a sentence that I wish could be burned into the consciousness of every agricultural leader in America:

"I cannot bear to go to my grave until I see imparted to my Nation the spirit that will make agriculture not only the support of men's bodies but an inspiration to their intellects."

That is what we want—a rural life that will not only furnish material comforts and prosperity, but will be a thrill with the spirit of progress, and will bring out all that is finest in the mind and soul of man.

Once again then, kind reader, may we not appeal to you to make yourself a leader in your neighborhood, a soldier of progress, a missionary of cooperation, a builder of the new civilization that we must yet work out in the rural South? Time presses; a great opportunity beckons to us. Out of some great crisis, as a rule, has come the new spirit that has remade nations and civilizations in other lands and times. It was only when her old systems of farming had broken down that Denmark turned to diversification and co-operation. It was only when Irish farmers found they could no longer make profits by old methods that Sir Horace Plunkett was able to begin his now world-famous movement for rural cooperation in Ireland. Is there not today—as we have already intimated—such an opportunity in the South? The necessity for turning from the one-crop system calls for diversification and diversification calls for cooperation—demands a spirit of neighborliness, fellowship, comradeship, among farmers such as we have never had before. Each man now needs his neighbor's help as never before. The individual farmer could make cotton with little help from his neighbors and get along somehow. But success in growing and marketing new crops, success in growing and marketing livestock, and success in getting out of the old slavish crop mortgage, "time-prices" system and getting into a system of independence—all this is dependent upon cooperation, dependent upon neighbors working together.—The Progressive Farmer.

OLE HEZ' SEZ

It's funny how much mud a little dirt can make. It sure does beat the Dutch how the Russians are a-fightin'.

I wonder if some people would go to the door if opportunity knocked on it.

Good humor is a pretty good sort of a disease and a smile is terribly catching.

Tight skirts are going out of style they say but I wonder if men's pocketbooks will get any looser.

All the youngsters are mighty spry and polite 'bout this time and will be 'till Christmas morning.

War don't have any regard for persons and it is goin' to make it hard for Santa Claus to get around.

A merchant says, says he, that if all the folks that owe him would pay up he could retire from business.

These amateur theatricals are great chances for bashful fellows to make love and for the audience to get tired.

Bile an egg for a long time and it will get hard; so, if a man talks about hard times all the time they sure are goin' to be hard.

Like some people this half and half weather aint a bit pleasant. It ought to be one thing or other then we would know what kind of clothes

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CONNER BUILDING

MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Christmas 13 days off.

The town council will hold a called meeting Tuesday night.

The Prince William county board of supervisors is to be in session next Thursday at the court house.

Mrs. J. R. B. Davis entertained the young ladies' sewing club yesterday afternoon in her home on Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Storer moved from the Johnson property on Main street to Elder A. Conner's place near town.

Mrs. B. T. H. Hodge is to entertain the Bethlehem Housekeepers' Club tomorrow afternoon, beginning at 2 p. m.

Hon. George C. Round addressed the school children of Burke Station Wednesday night on "The History of Fairfax County."

Two youths were arrested last week by Game Warden Ira C. Reid for violation of the game laws. Justice Hodge fined the offenders \$3.60 each and costs.

Rev. J. F. Burks will conduct services at Trinity Episcopal Church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School meets every Sunday at 10 a. m.

There will be a pie social in the M. I. C. building on Saturday, December 12, beginning at 2 p. m. It will be held for the benefit of the M. E. Sunday School.

Mr. T. E. H. Dickens has been appointed rural mail carrier on the Bristow route No. 2, to succeed W. E. Harris, resigned. The appointment is effective December 15.

Elder J. N. Badger, of the Primitive Baptist Church, suffered a paralytic stroke at his home on West street on Wednesday night. His condition is reported to be very critical.

Mr. Andrew Pringle, who has been living on the Sadley road property recently sold by Mr. E. R. Cooper to Rev. Mr. Lawson, of Covington, is planning to move to Birmingham.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Eden U. B. Church will hold an oyster supper in the Junior Hall Thursday, December 17, beginning at 6:30 p. m. The proceeds will be used to pay for a new organ.

A fire from freight cars that burned near Alexandria, also burned the wires that supply the local Southern Railway station with lighting current and put the building in darkness for a while Sunday night.

There will be a special Christmas program, held at Hebron Seminary, Nokesville, Friday, December 18, under the auspices of the Nicol Literary Society, to begin at 8 p. m. Everybody welcome. Admission, 15 cents.

The civic league of Catharpin school is to hold its monthly meeting Monday evening, beginning at 9:30 p. m. Mr. Charles R. McDonald is to make an address on "Mines." All members are specially urged to be present.

A successful bazaar was held by the ladies of Trinity P. E. church in the M. I. C. building on Monday last. The inclemency of the weather had little effect on the attendance, and receipts totaling about \$280 were received.

Held for shooting and killing a negro named Bumbry last Saturday. Pearey Sullivan, near Cattlett was released on \$1,000 bail by Justice Frank Colvin for appearance at trial next Tuesday. It is believed that Sullivan, who was the owner of a sawmill at which Bumbry was working, became angry at the latter, and shot him. The negro died three minutes after being shot.

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Caught in the belt of saw mill machinery belonging to Mr. O. L. Payne, near Buckhall, Eldridge Hanbeck was thrown violently against the engine and sustained painful cuts about the head on Wednesday. Mr. Hanbeck received medical treatment for the injuries.

The Sunday School of Manassas Baptist Church is planning to hold the annual Christmas entertainment Tuesday evening, December 29, beginning at 7 o'clock. Committees have been appointed to arrange the "White Light" program, which was prepared by the Sunday School board of the Southern Baptist convention.

A comedian of some note and reputation in the person of John Thompson will appear tonight and tomorrow night at the Opera House. In the title of "The King of Comedy" Mr. Thompson will furnish an entertainment consisting of his original musical, singing, dancing, character and comedy interpretations.

Eastern College opened the basket ball season by taking a hard fought game from Warrenton High School at the college gymnasium Wednesday night by the score of 31 to 23. With the score 12 to 10 against them at the beginning of the second half Eastern went into the game with a fighting spirit and pulled the game out of the fire.

A fire believed to have been caused by a lamp exploding almost completely destroyed the house of Mr. D. B. Grisso near Nokesville this morning at 5:15. The loss was covered by insurance to the extent of \$1,400 in the Royal Fire Insurance Company, W. N. Lipscomb, of Manassas, agent. Mr. Grisso's barn burned during the past summer.

Receipts totaling about \$100 were received by the town for the electric current consumed during the month of November. There are from 60 to 75 consumers of the municipal current and also that number having the advantage of the water system with more to be connected. Electric bills should be paid monthly and water bills quarterly.

A meeting of the committee of the Prince William Belgian Relief Fund will be held at the Opera House on Saturday, Dec. 12, at 2 p. m. Hon. Geo. C. Round, chairman, has invited Rev. Louis Smet, the pastor of All-Saints Catholic church, to deliver an address as he is a native of Belgium and is very interested in the work. All clergymen and teachers, who are the ex-officio members of the committee, are requested to be present.

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Mrs. W. Fewell Merchant entertained at bridge Wednesday afternoon in her home on Battle street. The guests of honor were her sisters-in-law, Mrs. W. W. Holt, of Washington, and Mrs. Ralph E. Holt, of Chattanooga, Tenn. The other guests were Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson, Mrs. G. D. Waters, Mrs. W. A. Newman, Mrs. W. M. Brown, Mrs. Bayard Sheldon, Mrs. Margaret Lewis, Mrs. J. L. Harrell, Mrs. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, Mrs. R. W. Payne, Miss Beasley and the Misses Herrell.

To drive an automobile of an elopement is alright sometimes and especially if one can keep on traveling but to be assaulted by relatives of the bride as happened to a young man named Nash, of Stafford county, who ran the automobile in which Mr. R. L. Hinton and Miss Mary Brooks eloped to Manassas and were married on Thanksgiving day, is dangerous, to say the least. Messrs. W. E. and Ellicott Brooks were the assailants of young Nash and were fined by Justice J. W. Payne \$5 and \$10 respectively.

Are you puzzled what to give a friend or relative for Christmas? Settle it right now by sending them a year's subscription for THE JOURNAL and they will be reminded of this kindly act every week for fifty-two weeks. A neat and attractive Christmas card will be mailed to the person to whom the subscription is given so that it will reach its destination by Christmas announcing who has made the gift. There are a lot of people who are living away from Manassas who would appreciate such a thoughtfulness.

A banquet was given by the Men's Bible Class Friday evening in Conner's Opera House. Members and guests, numbering about seventy, were present. The informal program included solos by Miss Edith Meryl Otto and Miss Edna Porter Patterson, students of Eastern College; a duet by Dr. and Mrs. Herwin U. Roop; a reading by Mrs. W. M. Rice; a piano solo by little Miss Rose Rice; a violin solo by Mr. H. W. Kramm, of Indianapolis, a student of Eastern College, and an address by Rev. E. A. Roads, pastor of Grace M. E. Church, South.

It cost three of the four candidates for election as representative from the Eighth Congressional district \$368.87 to carry on their campaigns. Representative Charles C. Carlin, the Democratic nominee, who was elected by an overwhelming vote, spent only \$493.65. The items in the declaration filed with the clerk of the corporation court by Mr. Carlin were as follows: postage, \$255; duplicating, \$30; advertising and publication, \$49.50; stationery, \$60; addressing and folding, \$74.15; traveling, \$25. Mr. Joseph L. Crupper, the Republican candidate, paid out a total of \$385.92 in his campaign. The independent prohibitionist, Mr. James E. Johnston, reported an expenditure of \$9.30. The Socialist candidate, Mr. Milton Fling, has not filed a statement.

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Tricycles, hand cars, sleds, des... sulies, wagons, shoo flies, games of all kinds, tree ornaments, Christmas post cards, doll furniture, air rifles and every other imaginable toy—all on display and ready for your inspection. We have plenty of room to put away your toys now and keep them till Christmas. It will be better for you as well as ourselves to make your selections now while the stock is full and you would have plenty of time to go over the line and pick out what you want and put it away.

CHINA FOR CHRISTMAS.—We have one whole room full of toys and china for Xmas. The handsomest you ever saw—lamps, berry bowls and sets, water sets, pitchers, figures, ornaments, salad bowls, cake plates, cups and saucers, and a million other useful things that you will see when you come.

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ABOUT PEOPLE WE KNOW

Mrs. J. L. Harrell was a Washington visitor last week.

Miss Margaret Clark was the guest of relatives in Washington last week.

Elder and Mrs. A. Conner left Tuesday to spend the winter in Omaja, Cuba.

Mr. W. J. Shelton, of Washington, a former resident, recently visited friends in town.

Mrs. L. E. Hixson and Misses Lucille and Ethel Hixson spent Saturday in Washington.

Miss Lucy Saffer returned Wednesday from a visit to relatives in Occoquan and Washington.

Mr. Thomas Bradbury, of Sherrill, Ark., formerly of Orange, visited friends here during the week.

Mr. William Preston Gibson, of Leesburg, was the recent guest of his sister, Mrs. R. S. Hynson.

Mr. Irving H. Moran, of Washington, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. W. H. W. Moran, last week.

Mrs. Marvin Melton and children, of Markham, were guests this week of her sister, Mrs. A. H. Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Holsinger, of New Enterprise, Pa., visited at the home of Mrs. Barbara Poté last week.

Messrs. Thomas and Douglas Clark, of Washington, spent Sunday with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. D. D. Clark.

Mrs. G. B. Bresnahan, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nash, has returned to her home in Washington.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Merchant had as their guests this week Mrs. Virginia D. Holt, of Richmond, and Mrs. W. W. Holt, of Washington.

Mrs. R. B. Larkin and little Miss Muriel Norvell Larkin were

week-end guests of Mrs. J. A. Adams, in Washington.

Miss Elizabeth Todd, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Todd, left last week for St. Albans, W. Va.

Miss Lucy Buck, who is teaching at Bethel High School, Agnewville, recently spent several days with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Bock.

Mr. J. D. Marshall, of Page, W. Va., great grandson of Chief Justice Marshall of Virginia, was a recent guest of the Misses Payne, of Grant avenue.

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M. H. S. TO PLAY B. H. S.

Manassas High School will open its basket ball schedule in Conner's Hall tonight, when its team clashes with the goal tossers representing Bethel High School. While this is the first year of the visitors at the sport, they have a heavy fast team that is likely to force the local boys to the limit, particularly as they have been practicing longer and should be in better condition. There is additional interest in the contest due to the fact that the visitors are being coached by Mr. R. C. Haydon, from the local high school, who is principal of the school.

The M. H. S. team just began work this week and is somewhat handicapped from the fact that only two regulars, Williams and Green, are back from last year's team. The losses will have to be filled from the squad composed at present of Willcoxon, Lynch, Rexrode, Spies, Harrell, Prescott, P. Williams, Meetze, Athey, Hiner, Sean and Blackwell.

This will be the only game on the local high school's schedule at present.

FIRES COST MANY LIVES

Kerosene Burns Responsible for Many Accidental Deaths in Virginia.

Burns caused more deaths in Virginia during 1913 than railroad accidents and drowning cost more lives than mining accidents, according to statistics of the State Board of Health completed today and given to the press.

The board's figures show a total of 246 deaths from burns during the year 1913. While many of these are declared by the board to be the result of non-preventable accidents, kerosene oil is thought to be responsible for many fatal burns. On this aspect of the subject, the board today issued a special bulletin which reads in part as follows:

"Reports from the registrars of births and deaths indicate that the careless use of kerosene oil, in kindling fires, results in many harrowing accidents. We not infrequently hear of cases where persons have risen to light fires in cold rooms and have attempted to make the fire burn more rapidly by the application of kerosene. It often happens that this ignites and burns back to the person who is applying the oil. Even where there is not an immediate explosion that destroys life and property, there are torturing burns. Carelessness in handling lighted lamps, or in putting oil in lamps while they are burning, also causes many fatalities.

"The people of the state cannot be too strongly cautioned against these practices. Oil should never be applied to a burning fire and, if used at all, should be sprinkled on the wood before the fire is lighted. It should never be used on wood which is placed in a fire-place or stove where ashes are smouldering, and it is far better never to use kerosene lamps than to use them carelessly. They are burned or filled with care to other lights.

NO GREAT STANDING ARMY

President Wilson Warns Against Increasing Forces in Message to Congress.

Before the Senate and House of Representatives in the third session of the Sixty Third Congress on Tuesday President Wilson read into his annual message some pertinent and striking presentations of the country's position as to its military preparedness, and the matter of business tangling legislation.

With great emphasis and deliberation the President reminded Congress that we are "champions of peace and concord" and that the country must depend "upon a citizenry trained and accustomed to arms" in time of peril to the nation. He put himself on record as being against a great standing army.

He gave an impetus to the better business movement in declaring that the trust and currency legislative program of his administration had been completed, leaving no doubt as to what was to follow and that there need be no fear as to the future for the business world.

URGES MEASURES TO BE PASSED.

Conditions arising from the war in Europe should be met by such legislation as the Government Ship-Purchase bill, measures to unlock the resources of the national domain and to encourage improvement of navigable waters for generation of power and the bill already passed by the House to give a large measure of self government to the people of the Philippines according to Mr. Wilson.

A wonderful demonstration was given the President and from time to time applause from the galleries and the Congressional body interrupted the reading of the speech.

OFFERINGS TO EDUCATE

Richmond, Va., Dec. 2, 1914.

A meeting of the Trustees of the Education Society was held November 11, 1914, to consider the serious financial condition of the Society. We owe a large amount of money today, and a large indebtedness stares the Society in the face unless generous contributions are received in answer to this appeal. For several years past the receipts have not met expenses.


At this meeting a resolution was passed requesting the Bishops of Virginia, Southern Virginia and West Virginia to appoint the third Sunday in Advent for sermons to be preached in Churches under their charge, on the subject of the Ministry, the offerings to be devoted to the work of the Education Society.

The work of this Society is well known. Most of our Clergymen have been helped by it. It has been instrumental in building up many new fields by educating Clergymen to fit the needs of our people; and has also been the means of keeping open many of the old Churches. For nearly one hundred years it has done its quiet but invaluable work, making the Virginia Diocese what they are.

I trust this appeal will be responded to by the congregations to whom it is made, that the Society may not be hindered in doing its noble work of training officers for the army of the Great King. ROBERT A. GIBSON, Bishop of Virginia and President of the Board of Trustees of the Education Society.

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Manassas High S. school.

While every week makes a history worth recording, yet sometimes, like the chronicles of world events, one week seems more important and interesting than others. The dull and chilly weather with the weeping sky did not seem to have a serious effect on the regular routine work of the school. Between important tests and happy anticipations of the coming holidays, both students and teachers gave no sign of flagging. The influence of the visit to Richmond, with its inspiring meetings and discussion of important topics, has been imparted to those who were not privileged to be present at the convention. The following are some of the activities we have to record in connection with the high school.

Friday the Manassas District Teachers' Meeting organized for the year. Miss Katie Willcoxon was chosen president. The study of Halburton's "Literary Interpretation" and "Art of Teaching Poetry" was chosen as a part of the monthly program.

Saturday there was a meeting at the high school, called by Mrs. Walter L. Sanders, of Catharpin, for conference of presidents of Patrons' Leagues and Good Housekeepers' Clubs. The important subject under consideration was, "How Best to Secure Permanent Medical Inspection of the Town and County Schools?" A committee was appointed to arrange, through the State Board of Health, for a series of addresses to be given through the county. There was also the re-organization of the High School Current Event Class so successfully conducted last year by Miss A. B. Kirk.

Another important item was the opening of the midwinter basket ball season for high school teams.

There will be a meeting of the debating club next Friday. Subject, Resolved, "That Inter-class Contests Should Displace Inter-scholastic Contests."

The sale of Red Cross seals has been undertaken by a committee of the students of the league.

Miss Mildred Lawler's continued absence is caused by the illness of her mother.

Miss Marian Lewis has also been absent on account of illness from tonsillitis.

Last but not least are the substantial signs of early work on the new wing to the high school. The growing satisfaction of the agricultural and normal classes is displayed in words and smiles at the prospect of the bright new quarters they will enjoy in the near future.

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Two of the grades are looking forward to giving their parents and friends much pleasure in two Christmas entertainments, of which we will hear more fully next week.

Very few of the scholars have been detained by the unpropitious weather. Good health, for the most part, has prevailed and with it as a happy possession, who would not face and conquer any difficulty.

The review of the rudiments of music is in progress and the annual examination will take place in the near future.

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RELIEF SHIP SOON FULL

Gratification Expressed by Gov. Stuart Over Belgium Relief Fund Work.

While expressing gratification over the result so far obtained by the Belgium relief commission in this state, members of the commission who gathered in the office of Governor Stuart Monday stated that what had been accomplished up to date did not mean that people should stop their contributions.

On the contrary, the commission members requested that all prospective contributors would send in their contribution as early before the 20th as possible in order to permit the ship to have full cargo when she sails. The commission is anxious to impress the public with the fact that there is still need for contributions in order to fill up the ship.

At the meeting Monday were Governor Stuart, Colonel Henry Boykin and John Stewart Bryan. Speaking of the success of the commissions endeavors, Governor Stuart said Monday:

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"We are glad to be able to report that we have secured a ship the Lynorta, which will sail from Norfolk on the 20th of December direct for Belgium. This ship was chartered in Liverpool by the American commission for relief in Belgium, and was brought to Norfolk for the specific purpose of receiving Virginia's contribution to these stricken sufferers. I am glad to learn from the chairman of the Belgian relief commission, Colonel H. M. Boykin, that real progress has been made toward supplying the tonnage for this ship. The Lynorta has a capacity of 6,000 tons.

"I, myself, was really amazed to find what a vast space 6,000 tons was when it came to filling it with food. Ten barrels of flour will make one ton, and if the Lynorta was filled solely with flour, which is the chief demand from Belgium today, it would require 60,000 barrels. Of course," said the Governor, "we do not expect to fill the ship entirely with flour. The good people of Virginia have been prompt and generous in their responses, and have given us clothes and flour and other food-stuffs that are available.

GRATIFIED WITH RESPONSE

"We were rather surprised to have the sailing date fixed so early, and the commission will therefore redouble its efforts to see to it that no citizen of Virginia is deprived of the opportunity of helping in this cause. I am not surprised, but I am gratified, to find how generally the opportunity of helping in this work has been prized by the people of this state. It is not regarded as a tax upon the charitable efforts of Virginians, but is rather treated by the state at large as a privilege.

MUST FILL HER UP

"This is the first opportunity I have had to make a statement myself on the matter, and I cannot too strongly emphasize the need for redoubled efforts on the part of Virginia in order that our anticipated pleasure at filling this ship shall not be defeated. We have not in hand at present anything like enough to complete the cargo.

We have a great number of promises. We are satisfied that these promises will be fulfilled as far as possible, but the early date for the sailing of the Lynorta makes it imperative that our efforts be redoubled in order that the cargo may be satisfactorily completed. If there is any fear in the mind of anyone that there will be a surplus shipment to the Belgians, I would be glad to remove such impression. We need everything that can be assembled in Norfolk between this date and December 20 to make a creditable showing. In our calculations we are assuming that the generous disposition of the Virginia people, as manifested,

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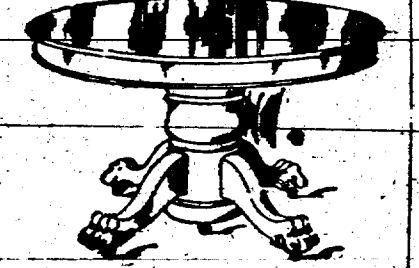
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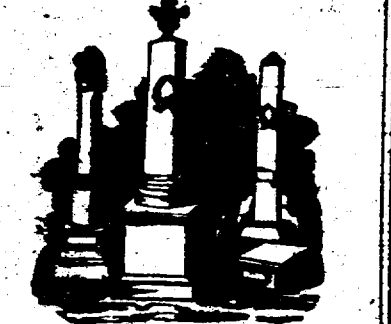
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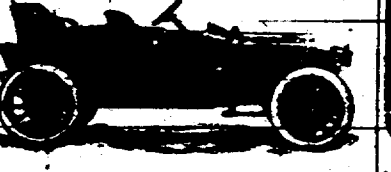
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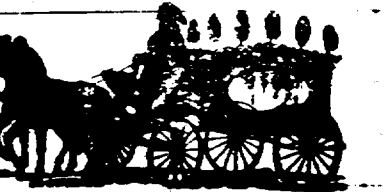
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Some Xmas Suggestions

Veteran Says He Took Orders From R. E. Lee - Applies for Pension in Richmond.

(BY R. W. MERCHANT IN THE RICHMOND EVENING JOURNAL)

Probably the most pathetic scene that ever occurred in the State Auditor's office was witnessed a few days ago when an old Confederate soldier, who had passed considerably beyond the allotted threescore and ten period, stalked into the office and made his way to the desk of the chief of the pension department. Standing, with shoeless feet and tattered garments, before the pension chief he presented a picture of abject poverty and misery. When invited to be seated he dropped, dejectedly, into the chair beside the desk and began his tale of woe with tears streaming down his haggard cheeks.

Between his piteous sobs he made known the fact that he had no relatives or friends to care for him; that he was an applicant for a pension which had been held up for some cause, and if no pension could be granted him he would end his miserable existence by jumping into the James River.

Chief Johnson was deeply affected by the story of the old soldier, and his young lady stenographer also was moved to tears. When she had regained her composure she took from her purse a bill and, with handkerchief to her eyes, placed it in the hands of the old man, expressing for him her deepest sympathy.

Chief Johnson explained to the old veteran that efforts were being made with all possible haste to obtain such information as would make him eligible, under the laws of this state, to be placed upon the pension roll. He also explained that replies to inquiries thus far received probably developed two impediments to the old soldier's eligibility—viz., as to his being a bonafide resident of Virginia and that he had been an inmate in charitable institutions of the state and had left them on account of insubordination.

BE D—D IF HE WOULD.
The old man, in pleading guilty to the latter impediment, said: "Yes, that is true; I've only submitted, in all my life, to but one man's authority, that of my commander, Robert E. Lee, whom I followed through privations and bloodshed for four years in defense of the South, and I'll be d—d if I'll be a dog for anyone now while lingering on the verge of the grave."

The pension clerk provided a lunch for the old man and sent him to one of the city's charitable institutions pending further investigation of his eligibility to a pension. As Chief Johnson was wending his way home later in the day he came across the pension applicant, who was trudging along one of the streets leading to the river. The old man said: "I find it is no use; I have given up the ghost, and I will end this struggle in the turbulent waters of the river."

GOT PENSION AT LAST.
Yielding to the persuasions of Mr. Johnson, the old soldier retraced his steps with him to Broad street, where he was placed on a street car and sent to a place of refuge. He was told to return to the State Auditor's office the next day.

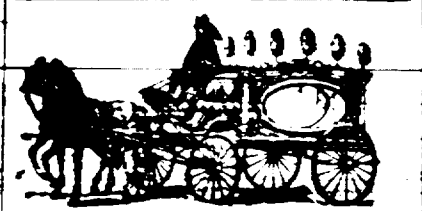
The following morning's mail brought to Mr. Johnson's desk such further information as enabled him to approve the old soldier's long-pending application, and when he again presented himself at the pension chief's desk a check for the allowance made was handed him. This so revived the old soldier that tears once more began to flow. After mopping his eyes with his handkerchief and heaving his grateful thanks upon the head of the State Auditor, and also upon that of the chief of the pension department, the hero of many battles again avowed reason and returned to a not tense on

Majority Against Teaching Sex Hygiene in Schools—Opinion of Medical Journal.

There has been considerable discussion on the question of teaching sex hygiene in the public schools. The advantage of increased knowledge for the children, as well as the practical difficulties of presenting this subject properly, have been commented on from various points of view. There has been little effort, however, to secure an expression of opinion from those vitally interested, namely, the parents and the children themselves. For this reason, the report of the Bureau of Research of the Upper Peninsula (Michigan) Educational Association, recently issued, is of interest. This bureau was organized to make a direct study of the schools of the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, their equipment and their methods and material for study. It is at present endeavoring to discover the points of strength and weakness of the schools, as judged by the parents and others interested in them. The report just issued is divided into four sections—moral education, physical education, industrial education and general. The basis for the report is the individual opinions of 317 representative citizens. Under the first head, among many other subjects discussed, the question was asked of parents, "Do you believe that sex hygiene should be taught in the schools?" To this question, 92 replied "yes," while 175 opposed such instruction; six made qualified replies. Commenting on these answers, the report says that the replies indicate that patrons of schools are not ready as yet to have sex hygiene taught in the schools.

"Doubtless but few teachers are qualified to teach the subject well," says the report, "and to teach it poorly would be much worse than not to teach it at all." The bureau also endeavored to get the point of view of the pupil. At Houghton, two lectures on sex hygiene were given to boys and two to girls. Some time after the lectures, the boys and girls were segregated and were asked: "Did you learn anything of value at the last lecture on sex hygiene?" Ninety boys stated that they had learned something of value and eight that they had not, while 54 girls regarded the lecture as of value and 20 did not. When asked: "Do you favor another lecture?" 85 boys were in favor of further instruction and 13 were opposed to it, while 44 girls were in favor and 30 were opposed to the proposition.

This report, says The Journal of the American Medical Association, emphasizes the points which have been previously brought out; until we know what should be taught pupils at different ages, until we have formulated a definite graded course of instruction and have trained teachers to give this instruction, the proposition for teaching sex hygiene in the public schools should be approached with the utmost caution. In no case should an effort be made to force such instruction on the pupils or on the community. When the parents of children are convinced, by a large majority, of the advisability of such instruction, it should be provided. Premature efforts to place such subjects on the school curriculum in advance of public opinion can only cause misunderstanding and trouble.



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My farder says that Limer is hard And work's so hard to get. Oh! Santa'll have to miss our part But I am hopin' yet! Today when farder went away Our muvver held us tight And said she hoped he'd find some work Before this very night.

She told us, too, that Santa Claus Would have to pass us by— But you just bet they a'int no flaws On hopin' 'till yuh die! And I don't hardly fink it's true He'll not come round this year; Though every now and then I'm blue— Chase off, you ugly tear!

My chum, Mike Murphy's little boy, Told me his farder said The same thing yesterday. What joy That hopin' isn't dead! For, when I told Tim how I felt, He cheered right up, and we Are goin' to feel like when we knelt And prayed once for a tree.

It's awful hard, though, hopin' still When farders talk that way, And muvvers look like they was ill, And they's less to eat each day! It wears and tears your little heart— But then it's all we've got— So I say it is just as well To keep on hopin' as not!

—Baltimore Sun.

"HAZEL ADAMS."

The Bethel Dramatic Club of the Bethel High School will present "Hazel Adams," a drama in three acts at the high school on the night of December 19. The cast comprises Miss Glascock as Hazel Adams, an adopted daughter; Miss Buck as Chloe, a negro maid; Miss Reynolds, who will take the part of Mrs. Adams, Hazel's foster mother; Mr. R. C. Haydon, as Mr. Adams, the foster father; Mr. C. Garrison, as Basil Northcote, a villain; Mr. J. Keys, in the double part of George Beatty, a detective and John Esterbrook, Hazel's lover; Mr. A. Glascock, as Joe, a negro butler and Mr. Thomas Shepherd, as Mose, Joe's negro "pal". The proceeds will go towards paying for a piano. The doors will open at 7:30 p. m.

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The last farewell was spoken Ten weeks ago today. Our family circle was broken When our loved one passed away.

Oh! the memory of that morning, As we waited with aching hearts; Seeing the one we loved so dearly, Pierced by death's most cruel darts.

Farewell, dear Clay, is a solemn word, Which thrills every heart. But oh! it is the will of God, That dearest ones must part. The angels brought the message, That our loved one should go. And those who have loved ones Can our grief and sorrow know, For as long as there is memory I shall always think of my dear Clay. BY HIS MOTHER.

AN HONEST MAN

We almost forgot him. He was a subscriber who had been dropped from our list way back in 1913 on account of the Post Office Department ruling. It had slipped his memory too. This week he walked into the office and paid his subscription that we both had forgotten about. We thank him and any other person who is honest enough to pay an honest debt. A newspaper bill is an honest debt as much as any other bill and it ought to be paid.

SCHOOL APPORTIONMENTS

BATHURST, Va., December 3, 1914. To the Clerks and School Boards: Apportionment No. 1 of the regular State School Funds for the season of 1914-15, to be used exclusively for the payment of teachers' salaries in the primary and grammar grades amounts to \$4,122.27, and is divided among the several districts at the rate of \$1.087 per capita of school population, as follows:

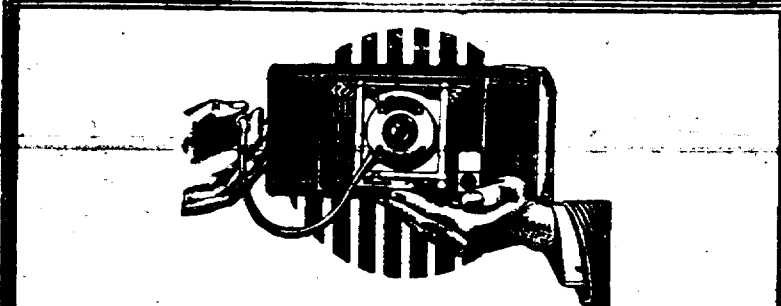
District	School Population	Apportionment
Brentsville	489	\$ 547.25
Coler	367	408.30
Dunsmire	474	519.84
Gainesville	747	819.23
Manassas	3,269	3,561.65
Ocoquan	369	401.00
Total	5,715	\$4,122.27

GEORGE L. TYLER, Division Superintendent.

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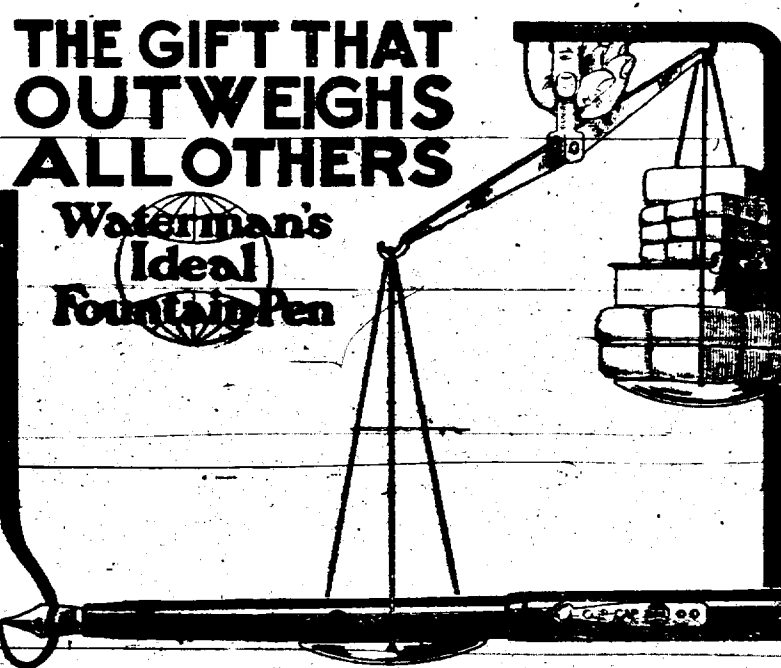
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In the Circuit Court for the County of Prince William, Virginia, held at the Court House thereof, on Friday, the 13th day of November, 1914.

Present: Honorable J. B. T. Thornton, Judge.
Britte M. Greenwood, IN CHANCERY.

Francis R. Greenwood, by her counsel, presented in the court her petition, verified by affidavit asking for an order of publication against the defendant, Francis R. Greenwood, and it appearing to the court that the object of this suit is to obtain a divorce, a decree of dissolution and abandonment of the same to be made a divorce a vinculo matrimonii, and the expiration of the necessary period of time, and it further appearing from said affidavit that the said respondent is not a resident of this State but that his last known place of abode or residence was 363 North Central Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland, and that from said affidavit and the sheriff's return thereon it does duly appear against said respondent that the said respondent has not and cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, it is therefore ordered by the court that this order of publication be and the same is hereby granted against the said defendant, and that it is ordered that Francis R. Greenwood do appear within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests, and that this order be published for four successive weeks, once a week, in the MARIANUS JOURNAL, a weekly newspaper published in Prince William County, and a copy of this order be posted by the clerk of this court at the front door of this court house as required by law, and that he, the said clerk, do send to the said respondent, by registered mail, a copy of this publication addressed to Francis R. Greenwood, at the aforesaid last known address.
J. E. HERRELL, Clerk.
By B. E. HERRELL, Deputy.

A Copy—To: J. E. HERRELL, Clerk.
By B. E. HERRELL, Deputy.
H. THORNTON DAVIES, p. q. 11-20-14.

In the Circuit Court for Prince William County, Virginia, the 18th day of November, 1914, in the Clerk's Office of said Court, in vacation.
Lillian L. Dearborn vs. J. HERRELL, Clerk.

This, the 18th day of November, 1914, the complainant, Lillian L. Dearborn, by counsel, filed her application in writing, together with her affidavit, stating that said defendant, William R. Dearborn, was a non-resident of the state of Virginia, asking for an order of publication, which application stated the object of the suit, the grounds thereof and the last known place of abode or residence of said defendant, and it appearing that the object of said suit is to obtain for the plaintiff a divorce a vinculo matrimonii, on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment for a period of over three years without interruption, and it further appearing from said affidavit and application that the said defendant is a non-resident of the state of Virginia, and that his last known place of abode or residence was Brentsville, Prince William County, Virginia, and that the process has been duly returned by the sheriff with the return of "Not an inhabitant of his bailiwick"; it is, therefore, ordered that this order of publication be and the same is hereby granted and entered against the said defendant, and it is further ordered that the said William R. Dearborn do appear within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interests; and that this order be published for four successive weeks in the MARIANUS JOURNAL, a newspaper published and circulating in the aforesaid county; that a copy of the same be sent, by registered mail, to the said defendant at his last known place of abode or residence as hereinbefore stated, and that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of this court house, by the clerk, as required by law.
J. E. HERRELL, Clerk.
A Copy—To: J. L. HERRELL, Clerk.
11-20-14.

TRUSTEE'S SALE!

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust executed September 6, 1909, by Wm. J. 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, assistant of C. E. Tyler, Bankrupt, by deed dated March 18, 1891, 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.

TERMS OF SALE:—CASH.
A. W. SINCLAIR, Trustee.
L. B. PATTIE, Auctioneer. 10-23
POSTPONED.—The above sale is postponed to Monday, December 14, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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