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## WITH THE COUNTY AGENT

### Agricultural League of Safety Workers Get Busy—Canning Demonstration.

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

The cooperation of the district school boards has made it possible to employ assistants to the county home demonstration agent, to work in connection with the agricultural league of safety and in cooperation with the council of safety and extension work in the county. In the following districts work has been started and meetings have already been held:

- Manassas—Miss Marion M. Lewis.
- Brentsville—Miss Marie V. Leachman.
- Ocoquan—Miss Edith M. Haydon.
- Dumfries—Miss Ruby Allen Payne.

The agricultural council of safety of Manassas district met with the council and Miss Lewis, their worker, Saturday afternoon, June 16. Mr. J. J. Conner is chairman of this council.

The work was discussed at length and the members of the council assured Miss Lewis that they would stand by her in the work and render any assistance needed. Miss Lewis also has the hearty cooperation of her school board. It is hoped that in the near future other districts will have similar meetings.

Just as these young women were starting out in the work, Miss Emily Johnson, a member of the Manassas district council of safety, had them to come to her home for lessons in canning. Miss Johnson is always ready to render any assistance possible. The day was spent canning peas.

A few years ago President Julian A. Barruss, of the State Normal School at Harrisonburg, believing that it might serve in some degree to enrich the life of many country girls and encourage them to take up a work which is so full of meaning for our state, offered a short course to canning club girls in the state. Each county offers this course to the girl making the best all-round report of her year's work.

Prince William county is offering this course to two girls, one from the first and second year of the work and one from the third and fourth years. The girls eligible to this year's course from last year's work are Miss Alice Davis, from the first year, and Miss Eva Kidwell, from the third year. Any canning club girl in this county is entitled to attend, who will agree, if possible, to remain in the club another year and pay her expenses.

Expenses are return railway ticket from the girl's home to Harrisonburg plus \$7 for board while there. It is suggested that each girl be given \$1.50 extra to meet unexpected demands.

Any poultry club girl may attend on the same conditions; any young woman in the county who wishes to prepare herself to assist the county agent as a local worker; any home demonstrator or leader of agricultural league whom the county agent may wish to have this special training.

The date of meeting is Saturday, July 21, to Monday, July 30, inclusive. All girls are expected to reach Harrisonburg in time for supper Saturday evening. They will leave after breakfast Monday morning, July 30.

The names of all girls wishing to take advantage of this course shall be in the hands of the county agent not later than July 10.

The local county agent will either accompany the girls to the

## LAST TRAINING CAMP

Officers From Virginia to Report at Fort Myer August 27.

The second and last training camp for officers from Virginia for war service will be held at Fort Myer August 27 to November 26. The age limits are twenty years nine months to forty-four years.

Preference will be given to men more than thirty-one years old and it will be difficult for men under that age to qualify unless the applicant has unusual military experience or preeminent qualifications in the handling of men. Application blanks and bulletins of information may be secured on application to Alexander Forward, Governor's Office, Richmond, Va., or Capt. John T. Rowe, Fort Monroe.

## SCHOOL TEACHERS NAMED

Manassas Board Announces Appointments—Several to Be Supplied Later.

The Manassas district school board has announced the appointment of teachers for 1917-18 as follows:

Manassas High School—Miss E. H. Osbourn, principal; Miss Lulu D. Metz, Miss E. Myrtle Grenada, Miss Mary J. Cox, Miss Williette R. Myers, Mrs. B. T. H. Hodge, Mr. I. E. Cannon. Agricultural director and teacher to succeed Miss Gladys Johnson, resigned, yet to be appointed.

Manassas Graded School—Mrs. C. M. Larkin, principal; Miss Beatrice Limstrong, Miss E. W. Garth, Miss Kate Wilcox, Miss Hattie Wilcox, Miss Mary Rosenberger, Miss Grace Moran, Miss Louise Maloney, Buckhall—Miss Pearl Long, Miss Pearl Snow.

Bethlehem—Miss Muriel Arey. Cannon Branch—Miss Mabel Long. Groveton, Bradley and Stone House—Appointments to be announced later.

Colored Schools: Brown (Manassas)—Beatie E. White, Virginia Brooks. Lucasville—Alice A. Taylor. Manly—Georgia Berry.

Lightning struck a window at Lebanon Hall, the home of Mrs. Mary Conner, during the storm of Wednesday afternoon. The window and three lights were shattered and the curtains were singed. No other damage was done.

That every necessary precaution for their comfort is had. If this is not clear, write to your county agent, stating points you wish explained.

Through the interest and cooperation of Dr. Rupp, president of Eastern College, a short course to include, canning, cooking, sewing, manual arts, nature study and poultry, will be given to some of the canning club girls of this county July 9 to 14. Schedule for this course, which is to be given in Eastern College, and outline of course will be published next week, with full explanation of details.

Girls, get busy and be ready for this treat. Two poultry club girls will be chosen from the girls sending in compositions by June 1, this being the time compositions were due.

One girl from each district, who is an active member of the agricultural league of safety, will be eligible to this course. The girls to be chosen by the district council of safety, district school board and district assistant to county agent. It is urged that the official body get busy and report to the county agent by July 10.

## MEETINGS TO CLOSE MONDAY

Gypsy Smith, Jr., Will Give His Lecture, "From Gypsy Tent to Pulpit"—Two Thousand Attend Sunday Service—Forty Professions.

You can't afford to kill the best that's in you.

That's the Gospel: Go back to the fellow you've wronged, and make it right.

There is always alchemy in sin. If the devil had his way he would turn Manassas into a universal hell.

Sin always breeds fear. Money is a mighty fine thing to have, but a mighty poor thing to worship.

The women and Christ can save the world. The women and the devil can damn it. What the women are the homes are. What the homes are the cities are.

God will forgive you, what's or your sin, but Nature will never forgive and will make you pay to the last rattle in your throat.

A fence around a precipice is better than a hospital at the foot. If we are going to beat the devil we must beat him with the cradle by bringing our children to Christ.

Gypsy Smith, Jr., leaving his sick bed yesterday, preached a soul-stirring sermon to another large congregation at the tabernacle. His text was taken from the fourteenth verse of the second chapter of the Second Book of Kings. "Where is the Lord God of Elijah?" After the sermon and prayer eight persons responded to the invitation of the evangelist and came forward to declare, "By God's help, I will try to be from this day forward more like the man or the woman God wants me to be."

Rev. Harwood P. Myers, of Onancock, stepped into the

breach when it was learned that Mr. Smith would be unable to conduct the service Wednesday evening. It was conceded that Mr. Myers had been assigned a difficult place to fill, but the crowd which had assembled to hear Mr. Smith gave undivided attention and interest to Mr. Myers' sermon on "The Prodigal Son." Three young men accepted the invitation extended by Mr. Myers at the close of his sermon.

The evangelistic services will close Sunday evening when it is expected that the tabernacle will see the largest crowd which has been present during the series.

The Sunday-evening crowds in the past have had to seek standing room in the roadway. Mr. Smith will preach at the tabernacle Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. There will be no services in the afternoon, as previously announced.

Monday night the evangelist will give his lecture, "From Gypsy Tent to Pulpit," the story of his father's life, which has attracted large audiences wherever the evangelist has preached.

The meetings continue to attract crowds from Prince William and the neighboring countryside. The name of the evangelist is on every lip and his sermons are the topic of discussion in every company. The morning meeting in Manassas has changed from the time-honored observation on the state of the weather to "Did you hear Gypsy Smith last night?"

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## DIES IN WASHINGTON

Mother of Mr. Albert Speiden Passes Away at the Age of Eighty.

Mrs. Lucy Leadbeater Speiden died Monday evening at her home in Washington, after a brief illness. She was eighty years old. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at First Baptist Church in Washington. The funeral was conducted by Rev. E. H. Swem, assisted by Rev. T. D. D. Clark, of Manassas.

Mrs. Speiden was a native Virginian, her father being the late John Leadbeater, of Alexandria. Her husband, Mr. Edgar Speiden, died several years ago.

Mrs. Speiden was actively connected with church work. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lucy Culverwell and Miss Marianna Speiden, and four sons, Messrs. Edgar, Cuthbert and Thomas Speiden, of Washington, and Mr. Albert Speiden, of Manassas.

## CATHOLIC ALUMNAE MEET

Members Hold Annual Session at St. Edith Academy—Committees.

The Alumnae Association of St. Edith Academy met at Bristow on Saturday, June 16.

Among the alumnae chapters represented were Norfolk, Manassas, Roanoke, Washington, Annapolis, Pittsburgh and Atlantic City.

On the following day delegates representing other schools in Virginia which are affiliated with the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae met to discuss plans for a state federation and to draft by-laws. St. Edith Academy, the first school in Virginia to join the international federation, holds the governorship.

An invitation was accepted from the Alexandria chapter of St. Mary's school to hold its constitutional and mass-meeting in the fall at their alumnae headquarters in that city, and it is expected that plans for the state federation will be completed there.

Temporary officers elected at the alumnae meeting were: Miss Mildred Revelle Brady vice governor, and Mrs. Bevens Cobill, recording secretary, both of St. Edith's alumnae; Miss Mary Harlow, of Alexandria chapter, corresponding secretary; Miss Elizabeth Dolan, of St. Joseph's alumnae, Richmond, treasurer; Mrs. Robinson, of St. Patrick's alumnae, Richmond, chairman.

Miss Mary Murphy, of Alexandria, and Mrs. G. A. Kengia, of Manassas, were among the members appointed to the legislative committee for St. Mary's.

The legislative committee for St. Edith's is composed of the following persons: Miss Minnie Dille, Richmond; Mrs. Nan Bevens Cobill, Hancock, Md.; Miss Mildred Brady, Annapolis, Md.; Miss Martha Rollins, Bristow, Va.; Miss Constance Brady, Annapolis, Md.; Miss Catherine Fyran, Atlantic City; Miss Ruth Doran, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Miss Mary Grace McGuire, Norfolk; Mrs. Maude Timberlake, Richmond; Miss Gertrude Hickey, Roanoke; Miss Edna Miller, Richmond; Miss Eileen Dailey, Washington; Miss Edythe Lawa, Nokesville; and Miss Margaret Lynch, Manassas.

## PLANS FOR RED CROSS

Further plans for the Manassas chapter of the American Red Cross will be announced after the close of the evangelistic campaign.

New members added this week are Messrs. L. B. Williams and J. P. Lyon, Mrs. W. S. Ryland, Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Dr. C. R. C. Johnson and Dr. J. Marye Lewis.

Members are being enrolled at THE JOURNAL office by Miss Mary Larkin.

## PRAISES VIRGINIA FARMER

State Council of Safety Expresses its Appreciation of Hearty Support.

(C. A. Montgomery, County Agent)

The county agricultural council of safety is pleased with the splendid response of the people of the county in trying to increase the food production, and with the work and cooperation of the district councils. It is wonderful what can be accomplished when all work together. The boys and the girls are responding in most communities by raising a special crop of some kind. Manassas continue coming in each day. Not only the children, but the men and women, are showing much interest in the work.

I have just received a letter from the secretary of the Virginia Agricultural Council of Safety, which reads as follows:

The Virginia Agricultural Council of Safety has been much gratified to receive reports from all sections of the State indicating that the acreage of food and feed crops has been very largely increased over that planted in former years. Corn, potatoes, beans, garden vegetables of all kinds and such summer forage crops as cowpeas, soy beans, and the like, show a tremendous increase in acreage. It is evident that both the farmer and the farmer's wife are putting their best energies forward in this matter and are giving the Government a cordial support that is being exceeded by no other class of people. Recognizing these facts the State Council of Defence has passed the following resolution in appreciation of this service:

"In view of the fact the farmers of the State have planted a greatly increased acreage of food crops, and are bending utmost efforts to respond to the appeal of the Government to increase the supply of food for the State and Nation, the Council of Defence wishes to express its appreciation of the splendid support the farmers of Virginia are according their Government in this emergency, and its confidence that this support will be continued.

"In the estimation of the Council of Defence no class of citizens is actuated by more patriotic motives, or has a greater desire to support their Government in its present grave crisis than the farmers of Virginia."

We feel that this is justly deserved recognition of patriotic service and sacrifice, and are more than convinced that the farmer will continue to do all of his share and more toward winning this great war.

## NEWS FROM FRANCE

Mrs. Patterson Hears from Her Son in Army Base Hospital.

Mrs. Ballantyne Patterson is in receipt of interesting news from her son, Major Robert U. Patterson, United States Army Base Hospital, No. 5, in France.

Major Patterson writes, "The capacity of the hospital far exceeds what I expected. There are over 1,874 beds and at a pinch we can accommodate 2,000. Things point to a big drive on the front before many days, and we will be very busy. There are five large hospitals here and we are right on the line of evacuation, about fifty miles west of the fighting line. Three days ago, about noon, the first Taube (aeroplane) we have seen flew over our hospital, causing some excitement. Sometimes the fragments of shell from our own anti-aircraft guns fall upon the camp. Two or three fragments dropped in our hospital tents on this occasion, but did no harm."

Further Major Patterson adds that it is most important in writing letters to avoid any personal views on any subject, as letters on both sides are censored. The nights are very cold yet, but warmer weather is coming.

## C. J. MEETZE LOSES APPEAL

County Democratic Committee Declares C. A. Sinclair Only Candidate Who Filed Papers in Time—Chairman's Decision Upheld.

At a meeting of the Democratic Committee of Prince William county, held at the courthouse, Thursday, June 28, 1917, pursuant to notice, the following members were present:

Gainesville district—O. C. Hutchison. Manassas district—A. A. Hooff, J. P. Leachman, W. N. Lipscomb and Thos. H. Lion.

Coles district—C. A. Barbee, S. R. Lowe and B. W. Starke. Brentsville district—J. P. Kerlin and J. P. Mammal.

Ocoquan district—S. T. Cornwall, Tyson Janney and Dr. F. W. Hornaker.

Dumfries district—Wm. Crow, L. E. Merchant and W. H. Keys. The meeting was called to order by W. N. Lipscomb, county chairman.

In the absence of the secretary, D. J. Arrington, L. E. Merchant was elected temporary secretary. Vacancies were filled as follows: M. G. White was elected, vice C. A. Heineken, deceased; E. T. Wright, vice R. C. Capen; J. M. Keys, vice J. M. Hooe, deceased; G. M. Ratcliffe, vice W. W. Abel, deceased.

Messrs. White and J. M. Keys were present and sat with the committee.

The chairman announced that C. A. Sinclair was the only person who had complied with the requirements of the primary law with reference to his candidacy for the democratic nomination for the House of Delegates, and that, under the law, he had duly announced him as such nominee. The following resolution was

offered by J. P. Kerlin, and duly seconded:

"WHEREAS, C. A. Sinclair, of Manassas, Va., who complied with the primary law by filing with the chairman of the democratic committee of Prince William county, at least sixty days before the date fixed by law for the primary, the necessary declaration of candidacy and papers required by the primary law to become a candidate for the democratic nomination for the House of Delegates, to be voted for in the primary to be held August 7, 1917; and

WHEREAS, no person, other than the said C. A. Sinclair, complied with the said law, by filing a declaration of candidacy with the said chairman within the time prescribed by law;

Therefore, under and by the terms of the said primary law, C. A. Sinclair, of Manassas, Va., is declared the nominee of the democratic party for the House of Delegates from Prince William county, to be voted for in the November election, 1917.

A number of committeemen spoke in favor of this resolution. A resolution, offered by Mr. Lion, asking Mr. Geo. L. Browning of Orange, Va., and Mr. Robt. A. Hutchison to present their respective views on the legal questions involved, was lost.

Mr. C. J. Meetze thereupon stated that he desired to be heard. While he was urging his claim, Mr. Crow, of the committee, asked him if he would abide the decision of the committee with reference to his claim, to which he replied that he would not. If the committee adopted the Kerlin resolution.

Upon the conclusion of Mr. Meetze's address, Mr. Lion of

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ferred the following substitute for the Kerlin resolution, which substitute was... voting majority:

**Resolved,** That a primary election be held for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the House of Delegates from Prince William county on the 4th day of August, 1917, provided those who desire to become a candidate shall give notice of such intention to the chairman of this committee on or before the 15th day of July, 1917, accompanied by a deposit of \$25.00 each. In the event not more than one person shall declare and file his intention of candidacy with said chairman, the said chairman shall declare said person the party nominee and no primary shall be held, and said deposit shall be returned.

**Mr. Lion's substitute was lost.** The Kerlin resolution was then voted for, all of the committee but one voting for it, and the same was declared carried.

The following resolution was then offered by J. P. Kerlin, and carried by a unanimous vote; be it

**Resolved,** That it is the sense of this committee that it is the duty of every loyal democrat in this county, not only to vote for C. A. Sinclair, as the regular democratic nominee for the House of Delegates, but to use all honorable means at his command to secure the election of the said C. A. Sinclair.

The following resolution, offered by Wm. Crow, was adopted by a unanimous vote:

**WHEREAS,** It appears to this committee that unjust criticisms have been made upon W. N. Lipscomb, as chairman of the democratic committee of this county, with reference to his official acts in relation to the nomination for the House of Delegates; and

**WHEREAS,** It appears to this committee that the action of the said chairman has been in strict accord with the law of the state, bearing on this matter, and in strict accord with the ruling of the highest party authority in this state—the state chairman of the democratic committee; therefore be it

**Resolved,** That this committee commends the said chairman for his fair, impartial and faithful administration of the law, with relation to such nomination.

The following resolution, which was offered by Mr. Lion, was adopted by a unanimous vote:

**Resolved,** That the chairman of this committee be and is hereby directed to have printed on the primary tickets the names of all members of the committee for their respective district for the ensuing term, and shall file notice of their desire to become a member of the said committee, on or before July 15, 1917, with the chairman hereof.

The chairman laid before the committee a letter which he had received from R. A. James, chairman of the state democratic committee, giving his ruling on the primary law.

On motion, it was ordered that the secretary furnish the Manassas papers each a copy of the minutes of this meeting.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

L. E. MERCHANT, Secretary.

The following letter was written by W. N. Lipscomb to the Chairman of the State Democratic Committee, Hon. R. A. James:

Manassas, Va., June 18, 1917.  
Hon. R. A. James, Chairman Democratic State Committee, Danville, Va.

My Dear Mr. James: I want you, as Chairman of the State Committee, to advise me, as Chairman of the Democratic County Committee for Prince William county, on a matter of party interest.

Our committee directed that nominations for the House of Delegates be made in the primary under the primary law.

On Friday, June 8th, I filed his declaration of candidacy duly acknowledged, petitions properly verified, together with the Treasurer's receipt, with me as such chairman and I gave him a receipt therefor.

On Saturday night, June 9th, I sent him his papers, under seal, by messenger. What was the last date under which the papers could be filed? What was my duty

as chairman with respect to M. and his papers? What was my duty with respect to S., whose papers were filed June 8th?

I shall greatly appreciate a prompt reply.

Yours truly,  
Signed W. N. LIPSCOMB,  
Chairman Democratic County Committee.

The State Chairman's reply to Mr. Lipscomb's letter:

Danville, Va., June 21, 1917.  
Mr. W. N. Lipscomb, County Democratic Chairman, Manassas, Va.  
Dear Mr. Lipscomb:

Yours of the 18th, received. All Declarations of Candidacy properly witnessed with lawful petition and Treasurer's receipt filed with you as chairman on or before June 8th, I deem it your duty to recognize and certify the candidates' names to the proper officers to be printed on the official ballot of your county, and petitions filed with you after June 8th I do not think comply with the primary law and should not be recognized by you as lawful notice.

With great respect,  
Yours very sincerely,  
Signed R. A. JAMES,  
State Democratic Chairman.

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National Convention, Woodmen of the World, Atlanta, Ga., July 10-21, 1917. Account above occasion, Southern Railway will have on sale at Washington, D. C., and principal stations in Virginia reduced round trip fare excursion tickets to Atlanta, Ga., July 7, 8 and 9, 1917, bearing final return limit of July 25. Consult agents for details or write R. H. DeButts, D. P. A., Southern Railway, Washington, D. C. 6-2

Peabody Summer School, Nashville, Tenn., June 14-August 31, 1917. Account this occasion, Southern Railway will have on sale at Washington, D. C., and stations in Virginia, reduced fare tickets to Nashville, Tenn., June 11, 12, 13, 14, 21, 22, July 20, 21 and 28, 1917, bearing final return limit of 15 days following, but not including date of sale. Extension of final limit granted on payment of fee of \$1.00 and by deposit of ticket with Special Agent. Consult agents for details or write R. H. DeButts, D. P. A., Southern Railway, Washington, D. C.

**PUBLIC SALE THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CULPEPER**  
Saturday, June 30, 1917

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E. H. DeBUTTS  
E. R. CONNER  
W. D. GREEN, Auc'r

**SCHOOL NOTICE**

A meeting of the Coles district school board will be held at Independent Hill Saturday, July 14, at 2:30 p. m., for the purpose of appointing teachers for the coming session and to receive bids for furnishing wood for the session. The patrons are cordially invited to attend. By order of the school board.  
THOS. J. WOOLFENDEN, Clerk.

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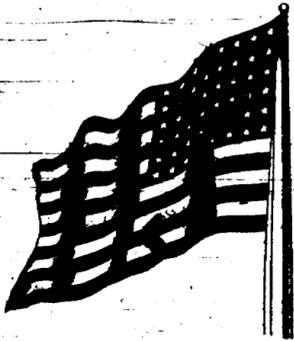
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MANASSAS, VA., FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1917.



### PROCLAMATION BY THE PRESIDENT

I hereby designate the period June 23 to June 30 next as recruiting week for the regular army, and call upon unmarried men between the ages of 18 and 40 who have no dependents and who are not engaged in pursuits vitally necessary to the prosecution of the war to present themselves for enlistment during the week herein designated to the number of 70,000.

June 15, 1917. WOODROW WILSON.

### SAVE THE WASTE AND WIN THE WAR

The fighting blood of every American—not the 21-31 man, but every loyal man, woman and child—is demanded by the war against Germany. There are other ways of fighting than by the outpouring of blood on the battleground. Uncle Sam's bravest are offering their lives as soldiers of sea and land, to follow the flag 3,000 miles from home in a land bloody with suffering after nearly three years of war. Don't forget your opportunity. Let your fighting blood adopt the motto, "Save the Waste and Win the War."

Sunday, July 1, is Food Saving Day, a day which makes its appeal to every home in the land. Food conservation is one of the strongest weapons at our command. Increased production, without conservation, cannot save the day.

And so all America is called upon to prove her patriotism by inaugurating a campaign to Save the Waste and Win the War. For the man who lives in luxury the day has no greater significance than for the man who has learned economy from the master economist, Necessity. The home of luxury may contribute much, the home of comfort may deny itself and the home of want may add its sacrifice.

Sooner or later we must learn that the fight is worth all we can offer, that the world freedom we seek cannot be accomplished without hardship, and that the battle is dearly won alone by the sacrifice of the man who guides the gun.

### GENEROUS AMERICA

The free-will offering of the American people to the American Red Cross is the largest offering ever known in the history of the world. Perhaps the amount subscribed may exceed \$120,000,000, \$20,000,000 beyond the mark set for the week's campaign which closed Monday, June 25. It may be that American generosity felt its limitations on account of the Liberty Loan which was so generously oversubscribed. And it may be that the Liberty Loan campaign which carried enthusiasm to top-notch gave a running start to the Red Cross fund.

Many gave of their little, who had not a tenth of the sum required to buy a Liberty bond. They gave what they had with no hope of return, and glad of the privilege.

An old New England record tells of the neighborly New Englanders who in war time felt it their solemn duty to plant and to harvest the crops of their neighbors who had shouldered the gun before they could hope to plant and to harvest their own. It is doubtful if any man today will feel that his duty to his neighbor in this regard shall more than equal his duty to his family. The old record, however, points the way to the unity of thought and action which the spirit of the times should exact from every American of today.

### AMERICAN TROOPS

Nearly everybody in the country—certainly every newspaper in the country—has known for a week that American troops had been landed in France. The arrival of a second contingent apparently has so altered the demands of the censorship as to permit the publication of the news, and thus to carry to the heart of the American people assurance that the country has begun to take a vital and important part in the actual conduct of military operations.

It is a glorious thought—that these gallant men of the regular army are ready for the trenches and ready to advance the banner of freedom against legions who are freedom's foes. Our dispatches describe with what enthusiasm the regiments of Pershing's expedition were received and with what rapturous greetings. To bruised and bleeding France these stern-visaged soldiers must have appeared as angels of deliverance and light.

God speed them and keep them!—Richmond Times Dispatch.

### PAYING ITS WAY

A subscriber to our paper once got mad and stopped his paper, says an exchange. He was piqued and "took it out" on the paper. The man was a lumber dealer. The first issue of the paper which he missed contained an announcement of some developments which called for lumber, and he lost a contract which would have yielded a profit equal to his subscription bill for a lifetime—and then some.

The little story has its redeeming feature which will make any country editor smile. The man came back a few weeks later and gladly parted with the subscription price, acknowledging his loss and declaring that he would never be without his newspaper again.

Very often a man is apt to think about cutting down expenses and it isn't hard for him to think he can do without his newspaper when he doesn't know how it is to be without it.

The bare intimation that the Manassas Civic League at its meeting Monday night plans to take up the matter of sprinkling the streets should insure a full attendance of members and an ingathering of new ones who would be glad to have a hand in getting rid of the dust. This dust is no respecter of persons. It makes miserable the life of the civic league member and the fellow who hasn't time to join. If any body of persons can help the situation, surely it is the civic league. Will you help?

Even those of us who are hostile to thoughts of "President" Roosevelt may share Mr. Roosevelt's pride in his announcement that two of his sons, Major Theodore Roosevelt and Capt. Archie Roosevelt, have gone to France and that the other two will follow. One of his sons-in-law, Dr. Richard Derby, is a major in the officers' reserve corps.

Educating women who must fill the places of men at war is the purpose of a training school which has been opened in Richmond. Already 235 women have been enrolled in the various departments, including stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping, sewing machine, bookkeeping machine, writing, office methods and office practice.

### WINNING

It takes a little courage  
And a little self control,  
And some grim determination  
If you want to reach a goal.  
It takes a deal of striving,  
And a firm and stern set chin,  
No matter what the battle,  
If you're in the race to win.

There's no easy path to glory,  
There's no rosy road to fame,  
Life, however we may view it,  
Is no simple parlor game;  
But its prizes call for fighting,  
For endurance and for grit,  
For a rugged disposition  
And a "don't know when to quit."

You must take a blow and give one,  
You must risk and you must lose,  
And expect that in the struggle  
You will suffer from a bruise.  
But you mustn't wince or falter,  
If a fight you once begin;  
Be a man and face the battle—  
That's the only way to win.

—AUTHOR UNKNOWN.

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**BRIEF LOCAL NEWS**

The Prince William county board of supervisors will meet here at the courthouse Monday morning.

Mr. A. H. Harrell, who recently was operated on for appendicitis in a Washington hospital, has returned to his home in Manassas.

Sheriff Barbee has been instructed to post notices calling for a primary on August 7 for the purpose of nominating democratic candidates.

The Southern Railway will offer special rates to Harrisonburg July 2, 3 and 4 on account of the Lutheran celebration, the 100th anniversary of the Reformation.

Mr. Thomas W. Lion has purchased the interest of Mr. R. S. Hynson in the Dixie moving picture theatre which has been the joint property of Mr. Lion and Mr. Hynson.

A special program will be given next Friday at the meeting of Manasseh Lodge, A. F. and A. M., in celebration of Lieut. George C. Round's fiftieth anniversary as a Mason.

Mr. Charles E. Seitz, specialist in land drainage, has been here with Mr. C. A. Montgomery, county agent, to go over some land in this section. It is expected that Mr. Seitz will return to Manassas in the fall.

Mrs. Estelle D. Day, of Topeka, Kans., formerly of Manassas, has presented to the Manassas public library through Lieut. George C. Round an autographed copy of the History of Women Suffrage, by Susan B. Anthony.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Dunnington, formerly of Manassas, will celebrate their silver wedding anniversary next Friday evening at their home in Wilson, N. C. Mrs. Dunnington is a sister of Dr. W. Fewell Merchant, of Manassas.

A party was given Monday evening at "Clover Hill," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Johnson, in honor of Miss Virginia Tomlinson, of Belleville, Texas, and Miss Eleanor Jones, of Smithton, W. Va. Miss Tomlinson is a niece of Mrs. Johnson.

Miss Rosamond Burke, of Clifton, addressed the ladies of the Presbyterian Missionary Society Tuesday afternoon. Miss Burke was recently graduated from the training school in Richmond and will enter Johns Hopkins Baltimore, in August, for a course preparatory to going to the foreign missionary field.

Capt. Cornelius H. Harrell of the Engineer Officers' Reserve Corps has been relieved from his obligations in connection with the enlistment at the citizens' training camp at Fort Myer and has been assigned to active duty at the same camp. Capt. Harrell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harrell, of Manassas.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Prince William Horse Show Company was held here Saturday. It was decided to hold the horse show this year, says Mr. Thomas H. Lion, director and former secretary, if a guarantee can be obtained to defray the expense of the show. While the date is not definitely agreed upon, it is expected that the show will take place August 1 and 2.

The monthly meeting of the town council was held Monday evening at the Town Hall, Mayor Wagener presiding. Reports were made by Mayor Wagener, Sergeant Wine, Supt. Rosenberger, Treasurer C. C. Leachman, the chairman of the public utilities committee and Dr. C. R. C. Johnson, who made a trip to Richmond in the interest of the council. The members present were Councilmen Coleman, Conner, Johnson, Newman and Wenrich.

Mr. Robert Vance, of Quickburg, has accepted a position with the Cornwell Supply Company.

At a meeting of the finance and executive committees governing the evangelistic campaign, Wednesday, the tabernacle was sold to Mr. Alfred E. Bruch for \$300. It is understood that Mr. Bruch plans to use the building as an implement shed at Ben Lomond Farm. Persons who hold bills against the finance committee are requested to present them at once that settlement may be made without delay. A full statement concerning the funds will be issued by the treasurer, Mr. G. Raymond Ratcliffe.

**ABOUT PEOPLE WE KNOW**

Mrs. O. D. Waters has returned from a visit to friends in Washington.

Mr. A. L. Pence and friends from Washington spent the week-end in Manassas.

Miss Willie Burnett, of Culpeper, recently visited her aunt, Mrs. Kelly.

Mrs. Edward Lingle, of Lynchburg, was the recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Aubrey Mills.

Miss Anna Jackson, of Warrenton, has been visiting Miss Ruth Leith.

Miss Mattie Barbee, of Orlando, was the guest of Miss Lilla Ashby this week.

Mrs. J. T. Dewey, of Agnewville, was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Leith.

Mr. William Crow, of Joplin, was a Manassas visitor during the week.

Mrs. Coons, of Culpeper, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. George H. Smith.

Mrs. John A. Nicol, of Washington, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. J. W. Teates.

Miss Alma Redd, of Catlett, is spending the week with her cousin, Miss Emma Lois Davis.

Miss Mary J. Walker, of Barboursville, is visiting her brother, Mr. W. J. Walker.

Miss Sue Brawner, of Broad Run, is visiting friends in Manassas.

Miss Louise Willett, of Washington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary F. Reid.

Miss Rebecca Monroe, of Washington, this week was the guest of Miss Ruth Smith.

Miss Daisy Swetnam, of Fairfax, was the guest of Miss Julia Maloney yesterday.

Mrs. W. C. Pitzer, of Roanoke, this week has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sprinkel, at their home on Lee avenue.

Mr. C. Shibley Leachman, of Alexandria, spent Sunday here with his father, Mr. C. C. Leachman.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Lipcomb, of Elizabeth, N. J., this week were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Lipcomb.

Miss Bertha Mims, of South Carolina, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Speiden, at their home on Battle street.

Miss Edith Smith, of Washington, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Smith, of Nokesville.

Mr. Maurice Harrell, of Washington, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Harrell.

Miss Blanche Ransdell, of Washington, this week has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ransdell.

Little Miss Marylett Nicol, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Nicol, of Washington, is visiting at the home of Mrs. J. W. Teates.

Mr. A. K. Fletcher, jr., of Harrisonburg, was the week-end guest of Miss Hoagland and Mr. Cole, at the home of Mrs. Margaret Lewis.

Miss Graves and Miss Jessie J. Walker, of Washington, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Shacklett.

Mrs. G. W. Watson and her daughter and niece, Misses Virgie and Josephine Watson, left Monday morning at Weir.

Mr. C. A. Montgomery recently had as his guests his father, Mr. Charles W. Montgomery, and his brother, Mr. R. B. Montgomery, of Franklin county.

Miss Ruth Round leaves today for Harrisonburg where she has been made director of physical education for the summer session of the state normal school.

Rev. Gypay Smith, jr., and Mrs. Smith are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Burks, at the Rectory. Mrs. Smith arrived yesterday.

Miss Ada Kincheloe, of Upper-ville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. Frank Pattie. Miss Kincheloe has returned from a visit to friends in Providence, R. I.

Judge and Mrs. J. B. T. Thornton had as their guests yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Keith and Miss Helen Moore, of Fairfax Courthouse.

Mr. John C. Adams, of Germania, W. Va., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Arrington. Mrs. Adams and their baby son have been here for several weeks.

Prof. Leigh Reid, of Haverford College, Pennsylvania, who has been the guest of his mother in Alexandria, is visiting at Markham.

Miss Elizabeth Wine, of Falmouth, this week was the guest of her brother, Sergeant C. H. Wine. She was accompanied home in Mr. Wine's car by Mr. and Mrs. Wine and their little son, Carroll Winston Wine.

Mrs. G. W. Berry, of Phoenix, Ariz., and her two little children are the guests of Mrs. Berry's mother, Mrs. P. H. Lynch.

Mr. R. L. Byrd and family, accompanied by Mr. Willis Meetze, have returned from a motor trip to Kinsale where they were the guests of Mrs. Byrd's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bailey.

Mrs. C. E. Brawner, who attended the Confederate reunion in Washington, has returned to her home near Manassas. She was accompanied by her little granddaughter, Miss Frances Griffith, of Oyster Bay, Long Island, N. Y., who will spend the summer at "The Pines."

Miss Pauline Carter, who spent the winter here with her cousin, Miss Lilla Ashby, while attending the high school, has returned to her home near Minnieville. She was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. Lou Carter, who spent last week with Mrs. W. J. Ashby.

Mrs. Carl G. Griffith and little Miss Eleanor Griffith, of Washington, were the guests of Mrs. Griffith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Foote, Wednesday.

Mrs. Clarence W. Wagener, of Fostoria, Ohio, passed through Manassas last Saturday afternoon en route to Marshall, where she is visiting her parents, Postmaster and Mrs. George J. Russell. Later Mrs. Wagener will visit relatives and friends in Manassas.

Mrs. E. C. Jones, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Smith, has returned to her home in Smithton, W. Va. Mrs. Jones was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Eleanor Jones, who spent the winter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Willis Davies and who was graduated from Manassas High School with the class of '17.

Mr. Charles B. Chamberlain, of Washington, D. C., and his little daughters, Misses Elsie and Katherine Chamberlain, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Willis Davies.

Miss Mary H. Lipcomb left today to attend the wedding of Miss Theo Brown, in Washington, and will go from there to Fredericksburg to visit Miss Elizabeth Embrey, the daughter of Judge Embrey.



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Sixty Children Take Part in "The Golden Apple" - Trained by Miss Hopkins.

The students of the Temple School of Music presented "The Golden Apple," an operetta in four acts, Monday evening at Conner's Opera House under the direction of Miss Margaret Temple Hopkins.

The following young people took part: Clarence Meetze, George Larkin, William Hill Brown, Hawes Davies, Taylor Weir, Walter Clark, Julian Gregory, Robbie Sprinkel, Charles Armistead Sinclair, Mabel Lyon, Elizabeth Pope, Kathleen Spies, Ruth Babb, Marian Clark, Winnie Wenrich, Muriel Larkin, Rose Ratcliffe, Lois Bell, Curtis Babb, Charles Webster Hopkins, Dorothy Lake, Mildred Muddiman, Edith Gregory, Anna Weir Waters, Madeline McCoy, Edna May Corun, Elizabeth Coleman, Helen Cannon, Susan Ish Harrison, Catherine Weir, Rose Rice, Rilla Holler, Beulah Baker, Ardath Evans, Ruby Athey, Alma Bell, Treva Holler, Elvare Conner, Garnette Brown, Catherine Hibbs, Hazel Saunders, Olivia Athey, Gilbert Allen, Preston Lyon, Robbie Weir, Jenkyn Davies, Ralph Saunders, Jack Ratcliffe, Lillian Larkin, Catherine Larkin, Sarah Leachman, Eloise Giddings, Clara Rexrode, Lanier Moran, Emily Round, Macon Broadbent, Elsie Roenberger, Dorothy Johnson and Adah Wenrich.

STONE HOUSE

The Stone House Good House-keeping Club was entertained last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. A. Moss.

A festival was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hundley Wednesday evening for the benefit of the Stone House School.

Miss Bertha Patterson, of Chantilly, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hundley.

THOROUGHFARE

Mr. Willie Ayres and Miss Lillie Lucy, of Alexandria, and Miss May Garrison and Mr. W. I. McCullough, of Antioch, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Garrison Sunday.

A number of persons from this section attended the Gypsy Smith meeting at Little Georgetown recently.

Miss Mammie Bontz this week visited at the home of Mr. I. C. Jacobs.

CHURCH SERVICES

EPISCOPAL Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church, Manassas, Rev. J. F. Burks, rector. Celebration of the Holy Communion at 7:30 o'clock, a. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. St. Anne's Memorial Chapel, Moxville, Rev. J. F. Burks, rector. No services on account of the tabernacle service at Manassas.

PRESBYTERIAN Presbyterian Church, Manassas, Rev. Alford Kelley, pastor. Sunday services—Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Subject, "Isaiah's Call to Heroic Service." No other services on account of the Gypsy Smith tabernacle meetings. Wednesday—Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Subject, "The Blessings of National Obedience." Clifton Presbyterian Church—Sunday services—Sunday School at 10 a. m. Subject, "Isaiah's Call to Heroic Service." Aid Society on Tuesday, July 2, at 3 p. m., at the home of Mrs. May E. Quigg.

METHODIST Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, Manassas, Rev. J. Halpenny, pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Manassas, Rev. E. Q. Barr, pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

Rev. C. K. Millican's appointments follow: Sudley—First, second and fourth Sundays, 11 a. m. Fairview—Second and fourth Sundays, 3 p. m. Gainesville—First Sunday, 3 p. m.; third and fifth Sundays, 11 a. m. Bristow—Third and fifth Sundays, 3 p. m. Woodlawn—Third and fifth Sundays, 3 p. m. Woolsey—First Sunday, 8 p. m.

LUTHERAN Bethel Lutheran Church, Manassas, Rev. Edgar Z. Pence, pastor. Choir practice every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Cathedral Instruction Friday at 3:15 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching Sunday at 11:00 a. m.

UNITED BRETHREN United Brethren Church, Rev. L. C. Measick, pastor. Midland—First and third Sundays at 11 a. m. Buckhall—First and third Sundays at 3 p. m. Aden—Second and fourth Sundays at 11 a. m.

MEETINGS CLOSE MONDAY

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The music rendered by the tabernacle choir and the children's choir has added considerably to the interest of the meetings. The music is directed by Mr. Forest Cole, assisted by Miss Laura Hoagland, pianist.

Mr. Smith, feeling the intense heat and the strain of constant preaching, into which he seems to throw every ounce of his vigor, collapsed at the close of his sermon Tuesday night. He was hurried to the home of Mr. S. T. Weir and a physician was summoned. Two days of absolute rest brought improvement and he returned to the pulpit last evening, not restored to his normal strength, but apparently none the worse for his illness.

The sermon of Sunday evening has been pronounced by many the most powerful of the series. Mr. Smith had for his subject the Ten Commandments, the standard of right living. His text was Daniel 5:27, "Thou art weighed in the balances, and art found wanting." The evangelist called upon his hearers to jump in the scales and weigh themselves according to their proper observance of God's laws. After his brief, earnest prayer forty members of the congregation came forward.

Part of this sermon follows:

"New York city is a great city, but if you and I had lived in Babylon in Belshazzar's time we wouldn't think New York was so much. Babylon was a grand, a beautiful city, but I can't tell you all of its glories. Belshazzar gave a feast; all the lords with their wives and concubines were there and I imagine I can see the flashing jewels and hear the rattle of fine silken gowns, the dancing girls, the wine drinking, the revelry and debauchery, and amid it all the hand which appeared and wrote upon the wall the sentence which startled and filled them with an awe-stricken panic! "And then they bent for Daniel—just like you fools who send for the preacher when you're sick! Daniel came, but he could not be bought! And he told Belshazzar a few things, for you remember Belshazzar had taken the sacred vessels from the temple and desecrated them for his own vile use. Daniel told him his government would be divided and given to the Medes and Persians, and hardly had the words been spoken ere the soldiers of the invading army were upon them.

"You and I are weighed in God's balance. You may be a heavyweight in your own or your wife's eyes, but in God's scales you fall far short. You'll find the weights in the 20th chapter of Exodus—Thou shalt not! "If you are living for society or dress or applause, get it! But God help you when it's gone! God can and will forgive anything I may do, if I ask Him to, but nature will not. Girls, if you love yourself do not blame the man, for he will give you just exactly as much respect as you demand. "If you sin everybody who loves and respects you will have to bear the shame, and you will not be the only one to suffer. Your children will have to reap what you have sown. You can't fool with sin without paying for it. God wishes you to be the finest, strongest and most winsome women you can make of yourselves. But you may make shipwrecks of your lives just as many others, equally as sweet and pretty as you are, have done, if you do not take Christ. Only he can help you.

"Oh men! the lust for gold is one of the damning sins of the age! How people lie for it! Steal for it! And then some make society their god and make God play second fiddle to it. If some of you passed away tonight they could pile on your casket cards, eyebrow pencils and powder puffs and tell the story of your life! How rotten some society is today. "Step into the scales and put on the weight. Thou shalt not steal! How do you show up? And another weight—Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord in vain. The name of the Lord can do is to stand on the corner, and blaspheme! You think you can swear and blaspheme—it's a sign of rotten character! "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy, is another weight. America's greatness in the past has been her high regard for the Sabbath. You better look out. Do you keep your store open on the Sabbath? How much do you weigh? "Another weight—Honor thy father and mother! I wouldn't wipe my feet on the young man who will speak of his mother as the old woman! Jump into the scales and let's see how much you weigh tonight! "Thou shalt not kill! Wonder if you're true to your marriage vows? You can kill a wife by being untrue—by a bitter tongue. How much do you weigh? "Thou shalt not commit adultery! No crime before God is so black as that, and no country where it is so prevalent as in the United States! Not guilty? Read Matthew 5th and 28th. Christ says He will not only hold us responsible for the act but the thought! How much do you weigh? "Thou shalt not steal! A man steals when he fails to give proper return for what he takes! A man is a thief who doesn't pay careful because the conductor doesn't happen to see him. "Wish I had time to preach on your card parties. Parlors where cards are played are kindergartens of gambling! I have more respect for the gambler who hangs out his sign than for mothers who permit such things in their homes! Dancing, card playing, women do more damage than all the saloons in the country! "Let's put those commandments in the scales and then jump in and see how much we weigh! If you won't take the ten commandments as the standard of right living you ought to be kicked out of the community. "Yes, I've sinned, but I'll jump in on the other side of the scales, but not alone! I'll take the Son of God with me! Will you step in?"

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Miner's Luck

Story of a Girl's Bravery

By ELSIE MARSH

Pete Clarkson was working on a claim when he saw something glint in the sunlight. Stooping, he picked up a small chunk of ore and held it near to his eyes.

Clarkson threw aside his pick. He posted his notice of possession by laying the paper on the newly broken ground and placing a stone on top to keep it from blowing away. Any one who jumped that claim now might expect the wild justice of the mining camp to be visited upon him.

As he drew near the camp the thunder of the stamp mills smote the air, and the blur of smoking chimneys dimmed the eastern sky.

Pete Clarkson's persistent efforts and dogged determination to find something that would enrich him sufficiently to offer Molly Gray a home had resulted in his striking what was probably the lost vein of the Great Dome ledge.

He stopped once at the house of Jim Gray, superintendent of the Great Dome, and Molly Gray, sweet as a rose, with gray eyes, brown hair, pink cheeks and pink gown, came to the door.

"How'd you make out, Pete?" she asked, her little brown hand lost in his great earth stained palm.

"It's the Molly Gray," he said quietly, thrusting the lump of ore into her other hand.

"Oh, Pete," she cried joyfully, "where?"

"On Crow ledge, near Crow rock."

"Where we saw the sunset that night?"

"Same place."

"What were you doing there, Pete?" she asked, with dimpling cheeks.

"Prospectin'," he grinned sheepishly. Then, passing his hand over his unshorn chin, he nodded toward the Great Dome smelter. "I guess it will be all right now down there," he said confidently.

"You know it has always been all right with me, Pete," said Molly shortly.

"I know," he said soberly. "I'm going down now to get out my papers. I'll stop on my way back."

"Haven't you registered yet?" she asked anxiously.

"Nope; stopped here first thing. Got her staked all right, though, and the name posted. Goin' back there to make camp. So long, see you later." And with a backward wave of his hand he topped down toward the registering office.

From the doorway of the cabin at the head of the street Molly, holding a pair of fieldglasses to her pretty eyes, watched him enter the office. Then her gaze fell upon the figure of a man sprawled upon the rough veranda encircling the one roomed building. A wide-brimmed hat was drawn over his eyes, and to all appearance he was lost in slumber.

Molly looked at the open window over the man's head and calculated that if Pete Clarkson apportioned his discovery in his usual bluff, hearty accents it could readily be heard by the man on the veranda if he were awake and listening, and if it should prove to be Dave Lumly, who was own brother to Jim Lumly, the registrar of claims, why, then, Pete Clarkson would have a race for his claim, that was all. She remembered the case of Albin Smith, the young prospector from the east who made a find and staked his claim. Before he could register it and return to the scene Dave Lumly had news of the find and had jumped the claim. With his brother to back his title to it, Lumly had done the same.

And the sheriff and his posse to back him. Young Smith had shot himself, and after all the mine had proved worthless.

As the momentous news slowly stretched himself, took a careful survey of the street, then, with a swift movement, leaped into the middle of a waiting sorrel and rode out Black tent. It was Dave Lumly.

Presently she saw Pete emerge from the registry office and cross the street to the smelter. With sudden energy she re-entered the house, scribbled a few lines informing Pete of her whereabouts in case she could not find him, planned the note to the front door, and called her little mare Daisy, mounted and dashed down the street toward the smelter.

"Pete Clarkson?" repeated Browning. "Just left here for down the street."

"If he comes back tell him to go up to our place. There's a message for him. Will you tell him?" she inquired breathlessly.

"Sure thing, Miss Molly," he said heartily; then he watched her disappear down the long street and out upon the short cut through the canyon to Crow mountain. The afternoon sun shone on her hatless head and the light wind fluttered her pink skirts as the little mare broke into a gallop.

Once she drew rein and took a swift survey of the country.

After mirth the mare covered, scrambling up steep hillsides and sliding recklessly down the slopes. Molly, with blazing eyes and compressed lips, watched for the reappearance of the sorrel horse and its slouching rider. Lumly, taking advantage of the information he had gleaned at the registry office, would remove Pete's stake, substitute one of his own and claim possession of the Molly Gray. If she could only reach Crow rock before Dave Lumly she would fight with all the fierceness of old Jim Gray himself for the possession of her lover's rights.

Molly frowned as she thought all the things over, and even then she turned and looked back along the trail for some sign of the approach of Pete Clarkson. If he returned to the cabin, as he had intended doing, he would find her note.

With heart beating in time to the muffled thud of Daisy's hoofs, she drew rein on the crest of the ledge and looked about for Dave Lumly, but he was not in sight, and with resumed confidence she cantered along the narrow, uneven trail to Crow rock.

When she rounded the rock the sorrel was nipping the parched turf and Lumly, on his knees, was stuffing a piece of white paper into his pocket. His back was toward her, and he had doubtless mistaken the tread of her horse for the trampling of his own beast.

"Look here, Dave Lumly!" Lumly jumped to his feet and looked into the barrel of a revolver leveled with cool precision.

"You git outter my way, young lady," he snarled defiantly, making a movement to grasp her bridal rein.

"Stop there or I'll fire!" she said calmly.

"What do you want?" he growled, looking at her out of stealthy red eyes.

"I want you to put that paper back in the hole," she commanded sharply.

"And if I don't?" he grinned savagely.

"Why, if you don't," she said, with a calculating glance, "I believe I'll just bore your right arm."

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"Are you going to do it?" she asked.

"Oh, sure; of course I couldn't refuse a lady," he said, taking the paper from his pocket with his right hand and furtively reaching with his left around to his hip.

"Your left hand up!" she commanded again.

With a muttered oath he swung his arm aloft. The sorrel horse drew near and thrust an inquiring nose toward his master. With a quick movement Lumly held out the paper, the sorrel caught it between his lips, and in another instant it fell to the ground a mass of pulp. Lumly laughed exultantly.

Molly Gray whitened about the lips. "Other hand up!" she commanded shortly.

The man obeyed.

"Turn your back and walk toward me," she said, as he hesitated, she added contemptuously, "Don't be afraid, I'm not going to shoot you in the back."

He turned sullenly and backed slowly up to the mare's side, with massive gestures to his shock of rough hair she abstracted the six shooter from his belt and ascertained that there was no other weapon. The man trembled slightly. It was a pecky dangerous thing to have a woman fooling with a revolver. One never knew what—

"Now walk forward twenty steps and don't turn; if you do it will be for the last time!" Molly did not recognize her own sweet voice in the firm tones that cut the air like the lash of a whip.

The man obeyed. When, at her word of command, he faced about, the feet of the little mare were gathered in the hole in the ground, and her rider, with shining eyes and bright, glad smile, looked at him down the length of his own six shooter.

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Lumly looked back down the trail. Several horsemen were riding rapidly up Crow creek bottom. There was a flash of sunlight on metal.

With a muttered curse he turned toward his horse. "You'll pay for this holdup, girl," he said threateningly.

"It's not a holdup; it's a hold down," retorted Molly sardoniously.

As Lumly disappeared among the distant western slopes three men rode steadily down the trail and rounded Crow rock in a cloud of dust and a scatter of flying stones. Molly Gray, with trembling lips, smiled upon them.

"Where is he?" demanded Pete, while the other men looked mingled disappointment and admiration upon pretty Molly.

She pointed toward the west, where a solitary horseman was silhouetted against the amber sunset sky as he dropped behind a distant hill.

"So you let the critter go?" uttered the sheriff ruefully.

Pete looked at her questioningly.

"I didn't want to shoot on Crow rock, Pete," she explained in a low tone.

A light of understanding came into his eyes. He nodded his head. "That's all right, sheriff. I guess that critter won't jump any more claims hereabouts, I reckon."

"Where is your claim, Pete?" asked Hodges, looking curiously around.

"Here it is," interpolated Molly, blushing. "He was jumping it when—"

"And you stood him out?" chorused the men.

She nodded gravely. "He led the paper to the horse, so I held him up, and now I'm holding down the claim myself."

"I don't understand," said Hodges bluntly.

"Why, you see," laughed Molly, while Pete grinned fatuously upon her, "I'm the claim—that is, I'm Molly Gray, and I'm holding down the claim. It's the Molly Gray, you know," she said, slipping down from the saddle into the outstretched arms of her lover.

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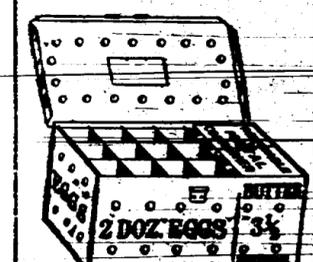
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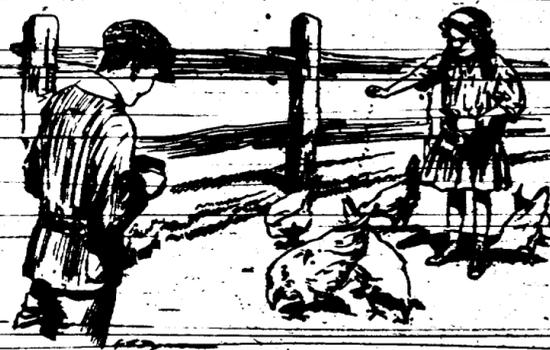
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#### Story of a Farmer Boy.

By F. A. MITCHELL

There are two things that especially interest me. One is gardening, the other automobiling. In these I have found occupation and amusement after retiring from business, though I am free to confess that since gardening is confined to a portion of the year and one can go motoring at any time I have done more of the latter than the former.

It is in the spring that I have found comfort in my garden. I prepare my ground early, and when the first warm days come on I start out on a brief tour in my car, for experience has taught me that "one swallow does not make a summer," and I have obtained better results by refraining from planting till later when more reliance is to be placed on the continued warmth of the sun germinating my seed than by putting it in when cold is liable to follow heat.

But there is work in gardening, and motoring is all pleasure. Therefore I confess I prefer the latter.

One morning I stopped at a farmhouse for water for my radiator. The farmer came out, took a bucket, pumped the water and insisted on pouring it into my tank. Before leaving him I engaged him in conversation, for I have noticed that if there is one thing a farmer likes it is to talk.

This is natural. A countryman does not mingle in the hurly burly of city life. The city man comes home in the evening having had more talk than he has needed and prefers to sit down and be quiet. But the farmer is in a great measure cut off from all interchange of thought with his fellow men. If he can get a city man to swap ideas with him he will talk or listen, as his makeup impels, till the cows come home.

"You seem to have a great variety of produce on your farm," I said to the farmer.

"Yes," he said, "we have. We're near enough to the city for a market, and we put in a lot of different things, so that if some fall we don't make a dead loss."

At that moment a sturdy boy of five came out of the house and stood looking admiringly at my machine.

"Your boy?" I asked the farmer.

"That's his granddud."

"What would the world be without the children?" I observed.

"You're right there, stranger," said the old man. "The only trouble about children is to understand 'em. We don't consider that they're children and not men and women. Consequence is we rub 'em the wrong way. And I've noticed that sometimes the most obstreperous turn out the best. We send 'em to school, and if they learn easy we think they're fine. If they don't we think they're no good."

"I was readin' about the big inventor t'other day—the man they call the wisard, and it said when he was a little feller his teacher took him to his mother and told her the boy was a dunce. The mother took the job o' teachin' him herself, but I reckon that boy was born to teach other people, for that's what he's been doin' ever since."

"I never had any trouble with any o' my children, except my boy Jim, the father o' this little shaver here. The fault with Jim was that when he got to be thirteen or fourteen years old he knew more 'n I and his mother and the whole family. He was ready to tell me how not to run the farm, but he couldn't tell me how to run it. He thought he could, and sometimes he did. I told him he'd better keep his opinions to himself."

"Sometimes he'd do things without my knowin' it or against my orders. I remember one day I told him to trim an apple tree and be particular to cut off the lower limbs that was hanging near the ground. What did he do but cut off all the top ones. I didn't give him a lickin' for his disobedience, but I scolded him a lot. Do you know the little cuss' way o' doin' it turned out fine. After that the tree he trimmed give us the biggest and the best apples of any in the orchard. And the best part of it was we didn't have to go up on a long ladder to pick 'em and lose a lot by not bein' able to get at 'em."

"Well, Jim was always doin' somethin' the wrong way. When a man is raisin' anything he don't want his assistance to tell him how to do it, especially a boy that he has brought up from a baby. Jim was always monkeyin' with the farm machinery, throwin' it out o' gear mostly, though once in awhile he'd make it run even. I told him to let it alone and to let every-thing alone, but it didn't do any good."

"One time I found a quarter acre o' ground that had always produced well ruined. Nothing came up there that season. Come to find out Jim had been gettin' some kind o' chemicals into it. There was an air of prosperity and comfort about all these people and their farm that was very attractive to me, and in time I came to know them all well. During these visits Jim received a high appointment in the United States Department of agriculture."

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"Jim went away, and I supposed he was goin' to do as I told him—hire out for a farm hand."

"Meantime while he was gone I wasn't gettin' along very well with the 'reckoned I

worked out and required to be fertilized. I didn't have the money to do the job as it ought to be done, and I thought that if I didn't spend a lot on it I'd lose what I put into it, so I didn't do anything. I tried to raise such crops as didn't need much fertilizer, but didn't get much of a return."

"Jim was away four years, and all the while I was runnin' down financially. He used to write home once in awhile, but he didn't tell us what he was doin'."

But Jim was never a good hand at explainin' things. I've thought since that if when he was a boy he'd have told me some'n about what he was drivin' at I'd have had more patience with him."

"The only thing Jim did tell us, and he wrote that to his mother the last year he was away, was that he'd got a sweetheart. He said she was the prettiest gal in the world and the best. When his mother told me about it I said I reckoned Jim would have a hard time makin' care of a wife, especially if he was goin' to do things his own way and never take any advice from anybody."

"Well, when I had got so low financially that I had to put a mortgage on my farm Jim come home. He said he'd been to an agricultural college and had come home to help me out."

"Father," he said, "you and all the rest of the old fashioned farmers have been blunderin' along for ages. The earth and everything in it is a big laboratory, and there's nothing that isn't subject to the laws of science. Do you remember when you told me to trim the apple tree and cut off the lower branches? Well, it occurred to me that that tree was a mighty big climber for the sap; that by the time it got to the top it must be tired out, and that what apples it produced would be small and few. Besides, it would cost more to gather apples grown as high as that than they'd be worth when you got 'em down."

"And do you remember the ground I put the chemicals in? Well, that was a failure, but when a boy of fourteen begins experimentin' he's not likely to succeed without a lot of failures. Sometimes a grown educated scientist will work for years over a problem and fail in the end."

"When you tired of me and grand-mother left me the legacy I determined to use it to learn what there was known about scientific agriculture. I don't claim to have learned any more than is known by others, but I've learned that and it's a good foundation on which to learn more. I'm not going to do much experimentin' on my own head, but I have put you on a better basis in your efforts to make money out of the farm."

"And I must tell you further that there's business in farming as well as anything else. My vacations I've spent clerking in a produce store in a big city. There I've learned certain of some middlemen's methods. I've seen something of how he squeezes the consumer on the one hand and the farmer on the other. I don't want to squeeze either myself, but the more a man knows about squeezin' the less likely he is to get squeezed."

"Now, dad, I'll tell you what we must do. We must take advantage of our opportunities such as they are and turn away from what are not opportunities, no matter how attractive they look. We've got a market handy for much produce as is used on the table of any and every body. We'll go into table vegetables on a small scale at first, and if we find it pays we'll increase the scale. As soon as we can work it we'll open a store for the sale of our own produce and make the whole profit ourselves. But we can't go too fast; must feel our way and shift our plans as we run up against stone walls."

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## DAIRY WISDOM.

- Don't sacrifice any better calf from a first class dairy cow.
- Give each calf a chance to drink water at least twice each day.
- Give the cows a good feeding of hay before turning into the fresh pasture.
- Put the cows on the low ground where the coarse grass springs up and grows rankly at the start. If this grass is left uncropped it becomes tough and will not be eaten at all.
- Calfes can be raised perfectly on skim milk.

## SUMMER SILAGE CROPS.

Provision Should Be Made to Tide Over Scarce Pasture Period.

Dairy farmers who have not already made preparations for tiding cows over the period of insufficient pastures in late summer and fall should not forget that many cows went nearly dry last July and August, says a Pennsylvania Agricultural college bulletin.

Such conditions may be avoided and incidentally the dairyman's bank account strengthened by a little forethought. Maintaining the milk flow during the period of insufficient pasture may be accomplished by feeding additional grain, by feeding soiling crops and by feeding silage.

Feeding soiling crops in addition to the pasture secured by the cows helps to maintain the milk flow at moderate cost. The objection to this method is the labor and planning necessary in planting and cutting such crops at the proper time. Unless one has some silage from last year's feeding soiling crops offer the most feasible feeding plan for the coming summer.

The best, cheapest and most practical way to tide over short pastures is to have an ample supply of corn silage. Plan to have enough left over from winter feeding to take care of the short pasture period. This involves less labor than soiling crops, and the feed is handy and ready for use whenever needed.

The summer silo should be rather narrow in diameter so that the silage may be fed at the rate of three inches daily to prevent spoiling.

Begin now to plan for a corn acreage sufficient to insure silage for next summer's feeding. It will keep well with the exception of a small amount on top. Put up an extra silo if needed. In the meantime plant some soiling crops for use this summer.

## CALVES UNPROFITABLE.

Consensus More Feed in Milk Than They Produce in Meat.

Veal calves from dairy cows generally lose money for their owners, and when these calves are kept until a year old the loss is even greater, is the information brought by cost account records of the Ohio agricultural experiment station for twenty-six herds.

The milk used to grow these calves is often of more value as human food than the veal produced.

In the twenty-six dairy herds, eight-teen owners lost money on raising calves for veal. The average loss on 323 veals was about \$1.95 a head. The average loss on raising 361 calves in thirty herds studied was \$6.90 for the first year. Only five dairymen among the thirty raised calves at a profit.

When dairymen get a high price for milk they would be ahead by selling calves rather than raising such animals for veal or beef. The milk would bring a higher price for human food than the veal produced from it. Pure bred calves usually bring higher prices for breeding purposes, and in such cases it is profitable to raise them.

## SWINE ON PASTURE.

Hogs Require Some Grain to Make Economical Gains.

Hogs on pasture require grain for greatest profits in pork production, but a full feed is not economical when pasture is plentiful and grain high priced. When corn alone is fed a limited ration is considerably cheaper because the forage crop takes the place of much of the grain.

Hogs fed all the grain they would eat made more rapid but less economical gains in feeding tests at the Ohio Agricultural Experiment station. They can be marketed sooner, however, which often is an advantage to farmers.

Some protein feed, such as tankage or skim milk, is recommended to be fed in small quantity along with corn and pasture to pigs weighing less than 100 pounds. Best production is usually low expensive when such feeds are given to large hogs, especially if they are on such pasture as alfalfa, clover, rape or soy beans, all of which are high in protein.

## Care of Horses.

Frequent currying and brushing will insure a healthy condition of the horse. A few minutes spent daily in currying and brushing a horse is time well spent. Aside from giving the animal a clean, glossy appearance, this daily brushing stimulates circulation. The skin is an important excretory organ and must be kept clean and free to do its work.

In the spring the horse should be kept especially clean, as the long hours of work, dust, sweat and heat all combine to make proper care of the skin a necessity. Sore shiners and other affections, due to lack of care on the part of the owner, have often caused great loss of time and money.—Farm and Fireside.

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HAYMARKET

Mr. S. L. Kotter, who was unable to hold the service last Sunday at St. Paul's Church, has been taken to a hospital in Washington.

Rev. Dr. Kennedy, of the Theological Seminary, conducted the service and administered the Holy Communion. It is expected that Dr. Kennedy will hold services next Sunday.

Rev. W. L. Naff preached at the Baptist Church Sunday.

There was no prayer service on account of the Red Cross meeting.

Capt. J. R. Rust recently celebrated his seventy-seventh birthday and says he is feeling fine this year. We hope the captain may enjoy many more happy birthdays.

HOME TEAM LOSES

Greenwich baseball team defeated Haymarket Saturday by the score of 17 to 8.

Miss Rose Shirley, of Antioch, is visiting friends here this week.

Mr. Robert Shumate injured his arm recently when the wagon brake broke on a steep hill. He was thrown under the wagon and a wheel ran the length of his arm, leaving it painfully bruised.

Rapid progress is reported on the Warrenton-Fairfax turnpike. The men employed will soon be working near Haymarket.

HARVEST NEAR

Crops here are looking very well, but we need the rain. Wheat is nearly ready to harvest now.

Mr. Page Beale, who has been confined to his home with rheumatism, is recovering.

A new garage will be opened about July 1 in the Rector Building, near the drug store.

Mrs. M. F. Magill is very ill.

Mrs. W. D. Baker and children have returned to Haymarket for the summer. Mrs. Baker will be remembered as the lady who sang at the tent meetings last summer.

GREENWICH

Miss Leona Lee, of the Franklin Square Hospital, Baltimore, has returned to Baltimore after a fortnight's visit to her home here.

Miss Carrie Lee is visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Mr. G. H. Washington visited at "The Hermitage" Sunday.

The Greenwich sick list at present includes Mrs. E. D. Morris, Miss Katie Cockerill, Messrs. Teny Weeks, A. R. Triplett, F. L. Mayhugh and J. A. Moor.

Mr. W. F. Davidge, jr., of Washington, is visiting at "The Grove."

Mr. Sylvanna Stokes, jr., has recovered from his recent illness.

We notice in last week's JOURNAL a letter from a place called Rock Ray Mill. The writer says it is situated between Gainesville and Greenwich, but we can't place it unless it is what is known as Ellis' Mill. We would be greatly obliged if the writer would enlighten us on the matter. "Catherine," won't you inform us?

Miss Mae House is spending the week in Manassas.

Miss Virginia Lee, of Colerain, N. C., is expected home next week for the summer vacation.

The Civic and School Improvement League will hold its regular monthly meeting on Friday, July 13. The program will appear in the next issue of THE JOURNAL.

Mr. Earl De Grain spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Levi McClannahan.

Misses Ella Reid and Mae House spent last week in Manassas.

Mr. G. H. Washington will be among the Manassas visitors Sunday to hear Gypsy Smith's farewell sermon.

Keeneyes is very glad to note that "Mutt," the former Independent Hill correspondent, has returned, and hopes that he will get on the job again.

SMITHFIELD

A surprise party was tendered recently to Mrs. Ida Hayes on the occasion of her birthday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mansfield, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill, Mr. Andrew Kinche- loe, Misses Myrtle and Dorothy Merrill, Harriet Simpson, Grace Florence, Lydia Maconahay, Elsie Fairbanks and Lucy Kinche- loe and Messrs. Ray and George Fairbanks, Leslie Merrill, Pat and Howard Hill and Arthur Fairbanks.

Mr. Frank Davis, of Hoadley, was a Smithfield visitor Sunday. Messrs. James, Samuel and Edward Kinche- loe have accepted employment in Gunston.

Mr. Gilbert Comstock, who has been visiting friends and relatives here, has returned to Pennsylvania, where he is employed in a powder mill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Florence, of Independent Hill, were the guests of Mrs. Mat Florence Sunday.

Mrs. Keeler, of Washington, and her daughter Bessie are visiting at the home of Mrs. Keeler's son.

Miss Belle Kinche- loe, who has been ill, is much improved.

Miss Nancy Keys has been visiting in Baltimore, Md. She was accompanied by her grand- mother, Mrs. C. Beavers.

Mr. M. M. Russell recently visited in Washington and Alex- andria.

FORESTBURG

The people of this section are getting ready to harvest their wheat.

Miss Arvillah Dunn visited this week at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Syncox.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Proctor, of Baltimore, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Randall.

Among those who attended the children's services at Dumfries Sunday evening were Misses Beatrice Abel, Eitta Tapscott, A. C. Dunn, Gertie Tapscott and Maggie Abel, Messrs. Jesse Rainey, Guy Cline, Allen Liming and F. L. Davis, Mrs. Ida Abel and her son Philip.

Mr. Clifton Abel, of Washing- ton, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Abel Tuesday.

Mr. J. C. Dunn made a busi- ness trip to Washington Satur- day.

Mr. R. W. Abel and Miss A. M. Dunn visited friends at Joplin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Mr. Harry DeVaughn has re- turned to Washington, D. C.

BELLEHAVEN

At Bellehaven Church Sunday morning after preaching service a Sunday School will be organized. A committee was appointed at the district convention to attend to the work of reorganizing the dormant Sunday Schools of the district.

Minnieville was reorganized two weeks ago. Mr. Simeon Long will assist in the work and will also be at Orlando at 3 p. m. for the same purpose.

It is hoped that the people of these localities will be prompt to encourage the work.

ORLANDO

Miss Mattie Barbee, who has been spending some time in Washington, has returned to her home, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Virgie Ruffner.

Miss Lillian Ellicott is visiting relatives in Brentsville.

Miss Ada Cooper has returned to her home, after spending the winter in Washington.

Mrs. Nathan Wells is spend- ing some time at the home of Mr. J. Wells.

Mrs. J. Wells is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dora Wells, at

CLIFTON

Children's Day was observed Sunday in the Baptist and Pres- byterian Sunday Schools. The Baptist Sunday School had a pro- gram of songs, recitations and drills of a patriotic nature. An address was made by Dr. Fristoe, of Maryland, the Baptist evan- gelist, who is here at his summer home.

The Presbyterians gave a pro- gram mainly illustrative of the need of Sunday School missionary work. The program opened with "The Star Spangled Banner" and closed with "America." The church was very prettily deco- rated with roses, daisies and flags. The address was made by Rev. Aiford Kelley, pastor of the church. A collection for Sunday School missions was re- ceived.

SICK FOLK IMPROVE

Mrs. R. R. Buckley, who has been sick for the past few days, is very much better.

Mrs. John Detwiler and her little daughter continue to im- prove.

Mrs. Fowler is improving. The Anti-Saloon League recent- ly held a meeting at the Baptist Church in the interest of temper- ance.

The ladies of the Baptist Church held a lawn fete on the old hotel lawn Tuesday night.

Mrs. R. L. Poindexter has re- turned from a visit to North Car- olina.

WINS SCHOLARSHIP

Miss Esther Buckley has re- ceived a scholarship in household arts in the State Normal School at Harrisonburg. Miss Buckley will leave for the fall term to work for a B. S. degree.

Miss Miriam Buckley has an appointment to teach at Broad- way for the term beginning with September.

Mrs. Hodge, of Manassas, was able to resume her music classes Wednesday. She met her pupils at the home of Mrs. Lucy Buck- ley, instead of going to the school house which is a long walk for her lame foot.

VACATION VISITS

Miss Sallie Swart, of Washing- ton, is stopping with Mrs. Lucy Payne for the summer.

Dr. Sanford is spending his vacation at the home of Mrs. Payne.

Mr. Joshua Buckley also, is boarding at Mrs. Payne's since his brother moved back to the farm.

The Civic and School League will meet with Mrs. M. E. Quigg next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. J. M. Fulmer lost a horse Saturday night.

Mr. Woody Wilt is making a daily trip on the train to his work at Fairfax.

Rev. W. L. Naff will fill his pulpit at the Baptist Church Sun- day at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

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KOPP

The farmers of this section are busy cultivating corn, while the housewives are equally busy taking care of the fruit.

Messrs. W. T. Jones and Ca- ton Norman motored to Wash- ington Friday, returning on the following day.

A crowd of young folk from Kopp attended the picnic and dance given at Independent Hill Saturday.

Mr. P. M. Cole, of Washing- ton, spent the week-end at his home here.

Messrs. W. T. Jones and Ca- ton Norman made a business trip to Manassas Saturday.

FIRE AT SAWMILL

Some little excitement was aroused in the neighborhood Fri- day afternoon when fire broke out at Mr. A. C. Gordon's saw- mill and burned for thirty minutes in the woods around the mill.

Mrs. E. S. Carney, who has been on the sick list, is much im- proved.

Mr. Thomas Woolfenden, sr., who has spent a few weeks in Washington and Baltimore, re- turned home Saturday.

Mrs. M. C. Holmes is visiting at the home of her son and daugh- ter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Holmes.

Miss E. Viola Cole has accepted a position in Baltimore.

MR. WEBER INJURED

While riding at a good speed Friday afternoon, Mr. Max Web- er, of Independent Hill, was thrown from a mule, on the hill just beyond the home of Mr. J. S. Storke. He remained uncon- scious until the arrival of Dr. W. F. Merchant, of Manassas, who applied restoratives. He is im- proving rapidly.

Miss Maud L. Norman returned home Wednesday for the summer vacation.

Mr. Karl W. Woolfenden was an Independent Hill visitor Sun- day afternoon.

Mrs. T. W. Lynn, who has been sick, is improving.

BACK FROM WASHINGTON

Mr. Herbert L. Tubbs, jr., who has spent the winter and spring in Washington, arrived home Sat- urday to spend his vacation with his parents here.

Mr. E. W. Cornwell, of Bris- tow, passed through here Sunday.

Mr. W. E. McCoy, of Manassas, was in Kopp last week.

Mr. Lee Devis, of Bellefleur Mills, was a Kopp visitor Sunday.

Services will be held at Belle- haven Baptist Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. Barnett Grimsley of Culpeper.

MINNIEVILLE

Farmers are busy in the field. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Clarke, ac- companied by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, motored to Manassas Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Athey.

Mrs. Minnie Hammond has re- turned to her home in Baltimore, after visiting her parents here.

Messrs. D. C. Alexander and R. B. Reed were Dumfries visitors Sunday.

Messrs. J. T. and P. E. Clarke motored to Washington business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Clarke, Mr. John Clarke and Miss Lucile Clarke motored to Quantico Sun- day.

Miss Elsie Windsor was the guest of Miss Edith Curtis Sun- day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reid and children, accompanied by Miss Lucile Brawner, were in Minnie- ville Tuesday.

Miss Estella Alexander and Mr. Arthur S. Boatwright spent the week-end with Miss Alexan- der's brother, Mr. J. A. Alexan- der of Marshall.

Messrs. R. C. Ennis and W. A. Dane visited at Mr. C. E. Clarke's Sunday.

Elder A. J. Garland will preach at Greenwood Baptist Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

The Minnieville Civic League will meet at the school house on

JOPLIN

The quiet atmosphere of Joplin was disturbed by the noisy ap- proach of an automobile about 11:30 o'clock on the night of June 19. The car, which was out of the post office and a loud call was made for Justice William Crow. Justice Crow presently appeared at an upstairs window and demanded to know what was wanted and why his peace- ful slumbers were so rudely in- terrupted at that unseemly hour.

To the great surprise of the magistrate, he found that his midnight callers were Mr. L. Q. Moss, special officer at Quantico, and Sergeant Graves, of the Ma- rines, now stationed at Quantico, and that they had two men ar- rested at Quantico for selling whisky. Not having any place to lock them up at Quantico, they had commandeered an auto- mobile and brought them to Joplin before Justice Crow for dis- position. Justice Crow, after realizing the situation, came down, heard the complaints and issued warrants, and ordered Mr. Moss to take his prisoners back to Quantico and guard them until morning. Justice Crow deputized Sergeant Graves as a guard to aid Mr. Moss.

SENT TO GRAND JURY

Wednesday morning Justice Crow went to Quantico to hold a preliminary hearing. He placed the prisoners under \$100 bond each to appear before the grand jury at the next regular term of the circuit court of Prince Wil- liam county.

Mr. Crow says that in view of the fact that so many hundreds of people of all nationalities are coming into Quantico it will be absolutely necessary for the county to make some arrange- ments for taking care of such emergencies as this. At the last meeting of the board of super- visors, Mr. Crow placed this mat- ter before the board and asked for an appropriation to put up a small building for this purpose. His petition was not granted.

A MATTER FOR ATTENTION

"This is a matter that should be looked after by the county," says Justice Crow, "there should be no delay. The officers cannot be on duty day and night, and it would seem that this is a matter for immediate attention." It is reported that a canning club is being organized in Joplin. We trust that the report is true and that the young people will exhibit the interest to make it a success.

Messrs. William Crow and A. L. Liming were in Alexandria and Washington recently.

Misses Ruby G. and Elsie Loyd, of Washington, D. C., are visit- ing their aunt, Mrs. Lucy B. Crow.

Mr. A. L. Liming, Joplin's popular blacksmith, spent Sun- day evening with friends in Forestburg and Dumfries.

Mr. C. A. Butts, of Stafford county, was in Joplin this week. A fine rain fell at Joplin Wed- nesday evening.

The farmers are harvesting this week.

BRENTSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fox and Master Emmett Fox motored from Culpeper and spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams.

Mr. Allen Cambel and Miss Lion, of Washington, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rec- tor Sunday.

Miss Clarence Doll of Maurer- town Shenandoah county was Miss Lyane Williams' guest the past week.

Mr. James Carr is spending the summer with his grandmother at Bristow.

Mrs. J. A. Kite, of Madison county, is visiting friends near Brentsville.

Mrs. William Price, of Wash- ington, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owens.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

All persons indebted to the estate of Joseph W. Mathias, deceased, will please come forward and pay the same to the under- signed personal representative, and those having claims against the said estate will kindly present same properly certified for payment.

S. C. HARLEY, Administrator.

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