

PRINCE WILLIAM BOARD MAKES DRAFT DECISIONS

The Prince William county board in charge of the work of selecting Prince William men for the draft army has practically completed its decisions concerning the 206 men on the first call. The full list, including the undecided cases, is given below. It is apparent that the men accepted from the list of 207 will not supply the army with Prince William's quota of 103, and 125 men have been summoned to appear for examination next week.

The local board is composed of Sheriff Charles A. Barbee, chairman; County Clerk George G. Tyler, clerk; Dr. J. M. Lewis, examining physician, and Dr. Wade C. Payne, assistant. The decisions of the board may be contested both by individual and by the government. Commonwealth's Attorney Thomas H. Lion has been selected to represent the interests of the government.

The number of men in each list is as follows: Accepted without claim of exemption, 55; exemption claims denied, 30; exemption claims allowed, 49; physically disqualified, 51; exemption claims under consideration, 7; persons still to report, 15.

ACCEPTED FOR SERVICE

(1) The following is a list of persons who claimed no exemption, who have been duly and legally called for the military service of the United States, and who have not been exempted or discharged:

- 258 Louis Cornelius Quinn, (colored), Nokesville
- 837 Welford A. Buck, Manassas
- 337 Otho Baker, Bristow
- 755 Francis Norvell Larkin, Manassas
- 616 Malvern Varner, Occoquan
- 775 John Lawrence Gregory, Manassas
- 690 James F. Williams, Quantico
- 349 James Miffin Keys, Bristow
- 437 Cumberland Cornwell, Manassas
- 514 James Emory Morgan, Cherry Hill
- 487 Howard Lankford, Neabeco
- 140 James R. N. Beaumont, Catharpin
- 18 Fred Hogan, (col.), Haymarket
- 739 Winter Willis Harris, (col.), Manassas
- 601 Olive M. Sisson, Quantico
- 117 Alexander Johnson, (col.), Thoroughfare
- 75 Vernon Marsh Mount-Ellis, Gainesville
- 786 George Oliver Lynch, Manassas
- 332 Thomas Randall Ward, (col.), Bristow
- 194 William Francis Ritenour, Nokesville
- 874 George Ernest Twine, (col.), Manassas
- 343 Bankie Ralls, Bristow
- 726 Robert Hancock Smith, Manassas
- 452 Wallace Jackson Randall, Dumfries
- 550 Frank L. Davis, Quantico
- 574 Charlie R. Keys, Quantico
- 31 Custis Lee Mayhugh, Waterfall
- 677 David Clarence Glascock, Agnewville
- 5 Henry Lynn Latham, Haymarket
- 54 Samuel Stewart Tyson, Haymarket
- 341 Willie Berryman, Bristow
- 353 Ephraim Herndon, Bristow
- 687 John Goode, (col.), Occoquan
- 488 John Thomas Clarke, Minnieville
- 72 Arthur Thomas Ellis, Gainesville
- 112 Peter Gould Berry, (col.), Gainesville
- 895 Wyatt B. D. Harris, (col.), Manassas
- 11 George Jackson, (col.), Haymarket
- 900 Robert Herbert Cornwell, R. F. D., Manassas
- 664 Aubrey Gulick Glascock, Agnewville
- 556 John H. Ferguson, (col.), Quantico
- 154 Nestor Currell Pattie, Gainesville
- 608 Webster Whyte, (col.), Occoquan
- 25 Charles W. Creel, Waterfall
- 705 Rixey Embrey, Manassas
- 222 Frederick Sylvester Whetzel, Nokesville
- 368 Earl D. Merrill, Independent Hill
- 919 George Peters, (col.), Manassas
- 292 Lary Floyd Whetzel, Bristow
- 822 Fredie Gardner Cockrall, Manassas
- 470 James Wellington Vaughn, 1408 1st st., n. e., Washington, D. C.
- 90 Dorsey Murphy, (col.), Bristow
- 424 Richard Cornwell, R. F. D., Manassas
- 8 Henry Thomas, Haymarket
- 205 Owen Lester Cornwell, Bristow

EXEMPTION CLAIMS DENIED

(2) The following persons have not been exempted or discharged, though claims were made:

- 509 John William Patterson, Neabeco
- 784 Robert Lee Lewis, jr., Manassas

- 692 Thomas David Robinson, Manassas
- 810 Walter R. Robinson, (col.), Manassas
- 420 Randolph Whitmer Fair, Manassas
- 606 Norman Gregg Seelman, Occoquan
- 513 Earl Brown, Cherry Hill
- 223 Raymond Charles Bailey, Nokesville
- 379 Eustace Conway Owens, Bristow
- 530 Charles Dunbar Rue, Dumfries
- 645 Lewis Roan, Woodbridge
- 749 Raymond Reeves, Manassas
- 841 Frederick Hunton Cox, Manassas
- 635 Noel Edward Pettitt, Hoadley
- 335 Nelson Pearson, Bristow
- 391 John Calhoun Horton, Bristow
- 6 Rolfe Robertson, Haymarket
- 327 Mark Elphenza Thomas, (col.), Bristow
- 345 Willie Riley, Bristow
- 717 John Calvin Goode, Manassas
- 939 Elmer Monroe Schaffer, Manassas
- 906 John Robert Woodyard, Manassas
- 736 Jasper Lee Whetzel, Manassas
- 707 Joseph Hunton Corum, Manassas
- 848 Edward A. Roads, Manassas
- 121 Edward Stuart Carter, Gainesville
- 532 Sam Lee Reynolds, (col.), Dumfries
- 323 Samuel White, (col.), Bristow
- 878 Arthur Lee Beavers, R. F. D., Manassas
- 880 Roy Allen Muddiman, Manassas

EXEMPTION CLAIMS ALLOWED

(3) The following claims of exemption have been allowed:

- 783 Alpheus Hunter Webster, (col.), Manassas
- 275 Joseph Peter Smith, Nokesville
- 526 William Maddox, Dumfries
- 107 John Howard Carter, jr., Thoroughfare
- 604 Robert Shackelford, Occoquan
- 433 William Beavers, Manassas
- 10 Joseph Campbell, Haymarket
- 797 Chas. Edward Randall, (col.), Manassas
- 432 Alton Smith Cornwell, Manassas
- 390 Robert Lee Hinton, Independent Hill
- 772 Francis Montgomery Lewis, Manassas
- 721 Ernest Alton Pearson, R. F. D., Manassas
- 757 Harvey Sharp, Manassas
- 298 Simon Washington, (col.), Bristow
- 15 Harry Hogan, (col.), Haymarket
- 989 Reuben Melton Jenkins, Manassas
- 620 George W. Jackson, (col.), Occoquan
- 760 Harold Edwin Fleming, Manassas
- 183 Ollie Roy Dennis, Nokesville
- 350 Alonzo Abel, Bristow
- 549 George Harrison MacDonald, Minnieville
- 741 Aubrey Allen Muddiman, Manassas
- 711 Nathaniel Harrison Robinson, Manassas
- 623 Frederick Sullivan, Featherstone
- 360 George Lowry, Catlett
- 51 Haywood Berry, (col.), Gainesville
- 773 Charles Craig Lynn, Manassas
- 519 James Ervin Arrington, Dumfries
- 392 Clarence Marion Horton, Bristow
- 583 Johnnie O'Neill, Cherry Hill
- 122 Samuel Tyler, Haymarket
- 799 Carl Jehle, Manassas
- 321 Percy Blakey, (col.), Bristow
- 320 Opa Kerlin Miller, Nokesville
- 814 Edgar Zirkle Pence, Manassas
- 738 Jesse Crosby, Manassas
- 221 Russell Green West, Nokesville
- 504 Issie Alvin Simmes, (col.), Dumfries
- 312 Herbert Franklin Keys, Bristow
- 191 John Thomas Cook, Nokesville
- 840 Rauben C. Bowers, Manassas
- 857 Charles Hugh Shenton, Woodbridge
- 524 Joseph Riles, Dumfries
- 40 Joseph Shaw Allen, (col.), Thoroughfare
- 622 Robert Hale, Featherstone
- 586 William R. Stark, Quantico
- 781 Jos. Lemuel Brown, (col.), Manassas
- 857 Phillip Irvin Payne, Manassas
- 438 John Arthur Cornwell, R. F. D., Manassas

PHYSICALLY DISQUALIFIED

(4) The following is a list of persons who have been pronounced physically disqualified for service:

- 458 Luther Carney, Joplin
- 854 James M. Miles, (col.), Manassas
- 676 James Frank Taylor, Agnewville
- 886 Clarence Miller, (col.), Quantico
- 873 Olive Benton Shaffer, Bristow
- 486 Paul Edward Clarke, Minnieville
- 507 Shirley Jones, Joplin
- 43 Jerry Patrick Sweeney, Thoroughfare
- 924 Currell Lynn Cushing, Wellington
- 652 William Franklin Woodyard, Occoquan
- 182 George Hunton Washington, Nokesville
- 46 James Robinson, (col.), Thoroughfare
- 868 Karl J. Austin, Manassas
- 542 Murry L. McInteer, Dumfries
- 552 Daniel E. Holland, Quantico
- 675 Albert Francis Arrington, Hoadley
- 906 John Roy, (col.), Manassas

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QUARANTINE IS DECLARED

Board of Health Adopts Measure to Prevent Spread of Infantile Paralysis.

No cases of infantile paralysis are known to exist in Prince William county and Mayor W. C. Wagener, the city fathers and the board of health are actively concerned in keeping the record. A quarantine has been declared against infected areas and notice is posted throughout the community. John Lawrence Gregory has been appointed special quarantine officer.

A family from Greene county, which stopped in Manassas en route to Harrisonburg, was detained at the station yesterday. Members of one Manassas family who have been visiting in Frederick county have been quarantined for two weeks.

"Now that your board of health has quarantined against Rockingham, Shenandoah and Warren counties, where infantile paralysis exists, and your city fathers have provided for a special quarantine officer," reads a statement which was issued from the mayor's office yesterday. "I appeal to the parents and guardians of the children of Manassas to assist the officers in making the quarantine as effective as possible. I would advise keeping the children from all public gatherings, especially those under 16 years of age, during the time of the quarantine."

FOUR COMMITTEES NAMED

Red Cross Propaganda Announced Semi-Monthly Meetings to Be Held.

The Manassas Chapter of the American Red Cross, with jurisdiction over all of Prince William county save the parts organized prior to the granting of the county charter, has announced the election and appointment of the following officers and committees:

Chairman—George G. Tyler. Vice chairman—Mrs. George T. Lyon.

Treasurer—L. Frank Pattie. Secretary—Miss Mary Larkin. Executive committee—Mayor W. C. Wagener, G. Raymond Ratcliffe, Mrs. C. M. Larkin, Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson, Mrs. R. S. Hynson, Mrs. J. P. Burks.

Membership—Rev. J. F. Burks, Rev. Aiford Kelley, Rev. H. Q. Burr, Rev. J. Halpenny, Mrs. J. P. Dogan (Groveton), Mrs. E. N. Pyatts (Catharpin), and Misses Mary Lipscomb and Mary Beverly Leachman.

Finance—Dr. C. R. C. Johnson, E. Lynn Robertson, G. Raymond Ratcliffe and W. C. Wagener. General Propaganda—Lieut. George C. Round, Miss Isabel Kelley, C. C. Leachman, D. J. Arrington, R. S. Hynson and L. Ledman.

At a meeting of the executive committee Tuesday evening at the home of the secretary, the committee appointments were made, plans for holding a mass meeting were discussed, and arrangements were made for distributing wool among the knitters of the community. The committee agreed upon holding regular meetings of the chapter on the first and third Mondays of the month at the Town Hall, subject to the approval of the chapter. Other committee appointments are to be made later. The chapter will hold an important meeting at the Town Hall Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

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VISITS OLD BATTLE GROUND

Judge Richardson, of Richmond, Finds Spot Where He Was Wounded in 1862.

Judge D. C. Richardson, of the city court of Richmond, spent Tuesday looking over the historic fields of Manassas on which he was an actor fifty-five years ago this present month. He traveled with Lieut. Round with a horse and buggy from morning till night. He found the spot on Groveton farm where he served in one of Gen. Stephen D. Lee's light batteries directly in the rear of the new house erected by Mr. Roland, from which spot Syke's division of regulars in Gen. Pope's army were engaged by Longstreet's guns, as the Federals charged on Stonewall's strong position on the unfinished railroad.

About the hour of 4 p. m. when Gen. Longstreet's entire right wing moved forward on the south of the Warrenton pike, Judge Richardson was badly wounded as his battery advanced northward in relief of Jackson. From his position he could see the remainder of the battle as it progressed toward Bald Hill and Henry Hill. This was the only good opportunity he had during his life to see a great battle.

He found an old cherry tree, the very one he lay under for three days with no food and little water, from Saturday till Tuesday. On the latter day the driver of an ordnance wagon going to the railway station after ammunition carried him and another wounded man for a long and painful drive until he met an old citizen named Foote who became interested in his case and located him at a house where an elderly lady, Mary Jane Brent by name, nursed him back to life. After three weeks' treatment by this good angel of his life he hobbled to the railway station and took the cars for Gordonsville. Whether this station was Bristow or Haymarket or Catlett he cannot tell, but he is now disposed to believe it was the latter.

Mrs. Mollie Dogan and family tried to make up for his starvation treatment in August 1862. G. C. R.

FOUR GO TO FORT MYER

Prince William Men Summoned to Officer's Training Camp—Others on List.

Capt. Arthur L. Fuller, examining officer for Virginia at Fort Monroe, has given out the names of the Virginians selected to attend the second reserve officers' school at Fort Myer. The list is not entirely complete, as several names are still under consideration.

Four of the men are from Prince William county—Roswell E. Round and Francis A. Hutchison, of Manassas; Norman A. Beckley, of Gainesville, and C. McL. Gilbert, of Thoroughfare.

Others from neighboring counties are: J. G. Carter, W. H. Gaines and H. A. Spillman, Warrenton; Philip C. Crilly, Alexandria; P. H. Lee, The Plains; J. H. Harnsberger, Catlett; J. M. Marshall, Marshall; A. H. Roberts, Accotink; R. K. Farr and Chapman Fletcher, Fairfax; Chas. R. Hughes, Berryville; S. M. Wampler, Culpeper, and N. Williams, Clarendon.

Among the alternates are V. A. Dorsey and G. J. Morgan, of Fairfax. A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Harry Cornwell, of Manassas, and Miss Alice I. Biggs, of Washington.

KEEP CHILDREN AT HOME

Board of Health Urges Parents Not to Carry Those Under 12 Into Danger Zone.

To reduce the dangers of a widespread outbreak of infantile paralysis, the state board of health today issued a public warning to parents against permitting children under 12 years of age to travel promiscuously in the state. No quarantine has yet been declared nor is the warning to parents a formal sanitary order from the state authorities, but it is made as urgent as the board of health can without recourse to formal quarantine.

The board explains that infantile paralysis is probably spread by carriers, some adult and some juvenile, some showing evidences of the disease and some, to all appearances, in normal health. As there is no known way of identifying all carriers, the safest course is to reduce contact to a minimum and to promote sanitation. So argues the board, in the light of New York's experience last year.

"The board most strongly urges parents not to travel with children under 12 years during the present outbreak of infantile paralysis," says the published warning. "There is no telling when such a child may, unconsciously, be exposed to a carrier and there is no sense in taking chances. One of the most pathetic cases reported this summer was that of a young mother who took her child to the mountains for its health—only to find, within a very short time, that the child in some manner had been exposed to infantile paralysis and had contracted the disease. Cases of this sort are rendered much more probable every time children travel during the outbreak."

"Every effort should be made to keep the environment of the child sanitary and special pains should be taken to reduce the fly- nuisance and to dispose of all filth in a safe and sensible manner. It is not necessary to keep children in the house, but it is most desirable to keep them on the premises, in the fresh air, but away from other children.

"Parties and picnics attended by children are to be discouraged at this time and, in the mountain and valley districts, should not be permitted by the local authorities. The presence of one carrier at a picnic may mean the spread of the disease from a dozen new centers, every one of them potentially dangerous."

"The age of 12 years has been set as the upper limit of these necessary precautions because experience has shown that 97 percent of all the victims of infantile paralysis are under that age. Where parents are particularly apprehensive, this age limit may be raised."

If an extension of the infected area is thought desirable by the board, quarantine-lines may be fixed and more drastic action taken. For the present, the board is most concerned in keeping children from traveling.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OUTING

The Sunday Schools of Coles district will meet Saturday, August 25, for an all-day outing in the gold mine field at Independent Hill. It is desired that each Sunday School be well represented. Visitors from other districts are cordially invited.

Croquet and other games and diversions will be provided. It is hoped arrangements may be made to serve refreshments on the grounds. Everybody is invited to bring dinner and anything that may contribute to the enjoyment of the day. Sunday School officials are asked to advertise the outing and urge their respective schools and others in their neighborhoods to come.

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- 356 ... 218 William Robert Nelson, Nokesville ... 212 Other Daniel Hale, Nokesville ... 357 Denzel Baker, Bristow

UNDER CONSIDERATION

(5) Exemption claims filed by the following persons are still under consideration:

- 280 Jacob Edward Lee Cooper, Nokesville ... 168 Maurice Levy Payne, (col.), Catharpin

HAVE NOT APPEARED

(6) The following is a list of persons who have not appeared for examination, including those who have enlisted in the army or navy, those who have been examined elsewhere, and a few who have not reported:

- 564 James Evans, Quantico ... 557 Louis Dubnicaj, Quantico

CALLED FOR EXAMINATION

The following is a list of persons summoned to appear next week for examination to complete Prince William's quota of 103:

- 23 Eli Stokes, Waterfall ... 807 J. Benjamin Johnson, Jr., Manassas

TUESDAY

- 867 Werner Griffith, Manassas ... 712 Ervin Arthur Fox, Manassas

WEDNESDAY

- 17 Richard Green, Haymarket ... 76 Thomas Henry Phillips, Bristow

GERMANS BELITTLE AMERICAN TROOPS

SAY THEY WILL PROVE SMALL FACTOR IN GREAT STRUGGLE - CLAIM OUR MEN ARE NOT ...

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It appears from news which leaked out of Germany, in spite of the unusually close censorship, that the German officials are telling their men and women that the American troops will cut little figure in the big war.

The funniest part of it is that they claim that Americans can't think quick enough. What a joke! That's our reputation - quick to think.

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TERMS: - Sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of six months will be given, purchaser to execute interest-bearing note, with approved security, payable at The National Bank of Manassas.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

All persons indebted to the estate of the late John R. Hornbaker whose obligations are past due will please come forward and settle with the undersigned. Those having claims against the estate will present the same duly authenticated.

Mrs. J. R. HORNBAKER, Executrix.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

All persons indebted to the estate of the late Edward P. Dodge will please settle same with the undersigned at once. Those having claims against said estate will present same to the undersigned properly authenticated.

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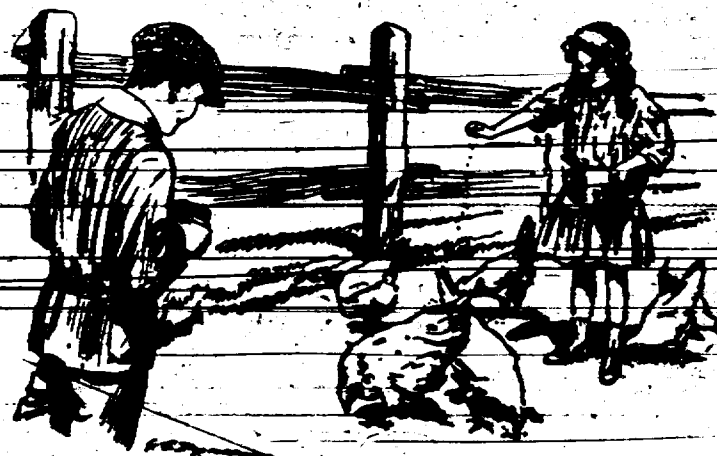
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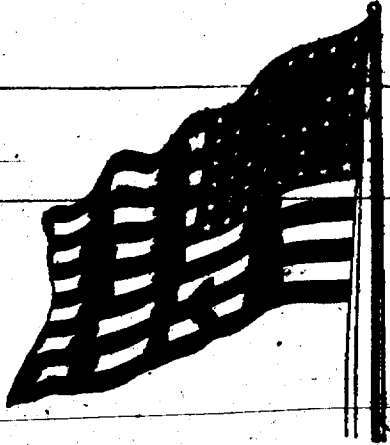
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THE INFANTILE PARALYSIS QUARANTINE

The Town Board of Health having declared a quarantine against infected areas for protection against infantile paralysis, it becomes the duty of every citizen to support the authorities in their decision. The quarantine has come as the result of thoughtful consideration and comprehensive study of the situation in Virginia.

We all know something of the misery which follows in the wake of poliomyelitis, the dread disease of childhood, which nevertheless has claimed adults among its victims. While there is no cause for great alarm—not one case has been discovered in Prince William county—sensible persons will not await a state of terror to be convinced of the necessity of taking proper precautions. There is an old familiar saying about locking the stable door when the horse is gone.

In recent years infantile paralysis has assumed more terrifying forms. Many cases have been fatal and few recoveries are complete. Science is baffled by the disease. Absolute medical knowledge concerning it is appallingly absent. Years of study have brought out countless theories, without revealing what is sought.

Absolute cleanliness, careful regard for all measures pertaining to health and a suspension of public gatherings attended by children apparently are the only means of security. Placed in the balance, it were better to submit to the inconvenience of the quarantine than to find out too late that a little careless disregard was a pressing invitation to great calamity.

3 PER CENT SELF-DENIAL

Sounds like a light and little attempt at something big, does it? Not at all. It was a very happy idea for the busy business girl when some thoughtful sister helped to form the 3 Per Cent Service Bond Committee as an auxiliary of the National Surgical Dressings Committee of America and the Trench Comfort Packet Committee for the United States and our Allies.

The business girl, whether her business be at home or abroad, who has no time to knit, no time to sew, no time to do bandage rolls, no time for the smallest of tasks with her hands to help the soldiers, may join this organization and contribute three cents of every dollar she spends on clothes or pleasures to the funds governed by the committees under which it is formed.

Many of these business girls feel like slackers. And so they are if their bit can be done and they do not make the effort.

"As clothes and pleasures are both very dear to the feminine heart," said one of the organizers, "most of our dollars go that way. So it is not asking a great deal of any girl to save only three pennies every time she spends a dollar on herself. Then, although she does not wear her country's uniform, she knows within her heart that every gown or smart hat or pretty pair of pumps has been bought with a patriotic dollar, and bears unseen the trademark of her voluntary sacrifice."

Every girl is invited to join. There is no age limit surely. She may be twenty, or she may

have arrived at the age when newspaper folk are expected to assume a voluntary censorship of figures.

By writing to the 3 Per Cent Service Bond Committee, at 299 Fifth Avenue, New York City, you may obtain a bank certificate with the flag and bearing this rhyme:

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GUILTY

In law it has always been denied a defendant to plead both an alibi and a confession and avoidance, as is now done with the Kaiser's message to the President. You couldn't both plead that you were attending a cakewalk the night Jones' coop was robbed, and at the same time aver that the coop had already been emptied by the time you got to it. The Kaiser's note is an impudent forgery; and, even if it isn't, it contains no fresh proof of Germany's guilt. The French violated Belgian neutrality first; but if they didn't, we had to violate it as a matter of military necessity. There were no German atrocities in Belgium, because German soldiers have it not in them to be atrocious; but if there were any, then the Belgians provoked them. The Lusitania was loaded to the gunnels with explosives, which caused her to sink almost of herself, besides she was a British cruiser; but, even if she wasn't, Germany had a right to sink her with her freight of American women and children to get even with England. When eight hundred thousand Armenians were being cruelly slaughtered, the German Diplomatic and Consular officials in Turkey didn't know what was happening, or, if they did, they couldn't jeopardize the Turkish alliance by interfering. German moral lawyers have this curious intellectual kink: they don't understand that the jury of world opinion is just like any other; inconsistent pleadings induce verdicts of "Guilty."—New York Evening Post.

The latest prisoner of war is said to be a live pig which was transferred squealing and kicking from his pen on the deck of a Norwegian ship to the hold of the German U-boat which torpedoed it. The story is told by the survivors of the crew who recently landed at an Atlantic port. A great desire to make the capture is evidenced by the statement of this man that the submarine risked destruction from an approaching destroyer to get the pig aboard.

TO UNDERSTAND

If we would only try to understand
The human failings to which all are prone,
How sweet a place would be this lovely land,
How fewer of us walk its way alone.
We need so much the sympathy they give
So sparingly that fall so oft to see
The self-same love I need to help me live
Is hungered for by others and by thee.

Intolerant so oft of little things
That one soft word explains away at last,
We bear the wound that festers and that stings,
While we sit brooding on the bitter past.
A little frankness out of kindly love
Would do so much to set all problems clear
And make this world a world like heaven above
For all who suffer and who struggle here.

We look on differences truth might heal
With tragic gloom, and take our way again
With daring spirit and as hard as steel,
Whether our foes be women or be men.
We miss so much of peace and charm and rest,
So much of gladness in this life so grand,
With which our days might be forever blest
If we would only try to understand.
—THE BROWN BIRD.

One went betimes to a philosopher, who lived in a deep well, and said unto him:
"O philosopher, what is success?"
And the philosopher replied:
"It is that which the most persistent man on earth had nearly attained when he died."
"And what is failure, O philosopher?"
"I do not know, son; I have never sought it."
—Times-Dispatch.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

—Mrs. Margaret Lewis has been ill at her home on West street.

—A daughter was born Tuesday to Representative and Mrs. Henry D. Flood.

—Miss Ida Ransdell, who was operated on for appendicitis in a Washington hospital, is recovering slowly.

—A marriage license was issued here Saturday to Bernard L. Lockett and Miss Ethel Davis, both of Dumfries.

—Miss Georgie Harrell, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Harrell who has been ill, is improving slowly.

—Members of the Epworth League of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will hold a social Thursday evening on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Hiner.

—The Potomac Baptist Association is in session this week at Upperville. The delegates of the Manassas church are Rev. T. D. D. Clarke and Messrs. Westwood Hutchison, Robert A. Hutchison and Powell Metz.

—Miss Martha Dinwiddie, district home demonstration agent for Northern Virginia, and Miss Lillian V. Gilbert and Mr. C. A. Montgomery, county agents, are attending the meeting of the state farmers' institute at Blacksburg.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cleveland Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Bauserman have returned from their wedding trip which was made by auto. Mrs. Fisher was formerly Miss Olive Belle Lam and Mrs. Bauserman was Miss Mary Ruth Fisher.

—Rev. James W. Wright, pastor of the South Branch United Brethren Church, Mayville, W. Va., left for his home Thursday after spending a short time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wright, of Bristol. Rev. Mr. Wright preached Sunday night at Aden.

—Miss Francis Cocke, of Warrenton, has been awarded the \$600 Pulitzer scholarship to Barnard College, Columbia University, New York, which is given only on competitive examination. This is the highest of the Pulitzer scholarships and is given for four years.

—Carlin Tracey, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tracey, of Loudoun county, while playing with a loaded shotgun, accidentally discharged the contents of one barrel into the head of his little eighteen-month-old sister, with whom he was playing, and instantly killed her.

—The dwelling and barn at the Lucasville farm owned by Mr. R. S. Hynson were destroyed last Friday night by fire of unknown origin. The loss, which included more than 200 bushels of wheat, was partly covered by insurance. The house was unoccupied at the time of the fire.

—Mrs. Fred Vollmer, of Portsmouth, who is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Charles E. Brawner, cut her hand severely Tuesday when she lost control of the bicycle she was riding down a hill near the Brawner home in the country near Manassas, and ran into a barbed wire fence.

—Right Reverend Wm. Cabell Brown, bishop coadjutor of the Diocese of Virginia, will preach and administer the rite of confirmation here on the first Sunday in September. The services will be held at St. Anne's Memorial Chapel, Nokesville, at 11 a. m., and Trinity Episcopal Church, Manassas, at 8 p. m.

—Fifty girls are enjoying a camping trip for two weeks near Bluemont, under the auspices of the Virginia Sunday School Association. The mornings will be devoted to lectures designed to inspire Sunday School workers and the afternoons to recreation. Dr. Herwin U. Roop, president of Eastern College, is one of the instructors.

—The girls of the Junior Circle, Manassas Chapter, American Red Cross, netted about \$50 from "Romeo and Juliet," which was presented at the Dixie Theatre Wednesday afternoon and night. The girls raised the film and had charge of the show through the courtesy of the manager, Mr. Thomas W. Lion. "Join Now" literature was distributed at the door.

—Mr. E. R. Conner's automobile was damaged Wednesday afternoon when the engine is supposed to have backfired and flames started in the grease around the engine and gasoline which evidently had leaked from the carbureter. Fortunately the machine was near a stream when the fire was discovered and the blaze was easily extinguished. The car is in the garage for repairs.

—Capt Osborn H. Oldroyd, asistant adjutant general of the Department of the Potomac, G. A. R., celebrated the seventy-fifth anniversary of his birth Tuesday, July 31. A reception was given in his honor at the home of Mrs. Mary Crenshaw Fortier by the Ellen Spencer Mussey Tent, Daughters of Veterans, fifty of whom were present. Capt. Oldroyd has many friends in this community.

—The Alumni Association of Manassas Institute and Manassas Agricultural High School held a meeting Monday evening at the home of Misses Ruth and Charlotte Smith. The members decided to hold their annual picnic at Compton on Tuesday, August 28. All members who have no way of getting to the picnic grounds are requested to notify the president, Miss Ruth Smith, at least a week in advance, that conveyances may be provided.

—The mid-summer meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Dodge. The members were entertained on the shady lawn. Miss Isabel Kelley presided and the secretary, Mrs. George D. Baker, read the minutes, which were approved. The subject for the afternoon was "Missionary Work in China." Delightful refreshments were served by the hostess and her assistants.

—At a called meeting of the town council Monday evening, Dr. J. C. Meredith was appointed acting town health officer during the absence of, Dr. W. Fewell Merchant, first lieutenant, medical reserve corps, who is on duty at Camp Lee, Petersburg. Mayor Wagener was authorized to obtain the services of a man to meet all trains for precautionary measures concerning the travel of children under sixteen from the districts where cases of infantile paralysis are known to exist.

—Rev. Gypsy Smith, jr., of Noank, Conn., accompanied by Mrs. Smith and their little daughter Bettie and Miss Laura Hoagland, of Somerville, N. J., greeted his many friends in Manassas yesterday en route to the Loudoun Camp Meeting which opens today. They made the trip by automobile. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and their little daughter were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Burks at the Rectory and Miss Hoagland was a guest at the home of Mrs. Margaret Lewis.

—Mrs. J. L. Bushong and Miss Elsie Rosenberger entertained their Sunday School classes at the home of Mrs. Bushong last Friday evening from seven till nine. Various games were played after which refreshments were served. Those present: Lula Arey, Mildred Monroe, Beulah Baker, Hazel Saunders, Laird Arey, Bawoolya Grimes, Edgar Arey, Ralph Saunders, Robert Saunders, Robert Kelley, Dennis Baker, Wilbur Rosenberger, Bennett Rosenberger and Warren Rosenberger. Miss Olivia Hornbaker was also present and helped to entertain the little folks.

—Dr. E. L. Robey is about to open a drug store at Quantico which will be conducted by Rosier Francis. Herndon Observer.

—Quantico, from a sleepy country town, almost in a night sprang into a city with several thousand residents and has been, it is stated, without proper legal control. At a conference of the Virginia state authorities with those of the county in which Quantico is located, steps were taken to enforce the laws at Quantico, and Benjamin Purvis, of Fredericksburg, has been appointed a special commonwealth's attorney for the new town. A police force is to be appointed at once and the town will not be allowed to become "wide open," as do many new towns in the early stages of their growth. —Washington Star.

ABOUT PEOPLE WE KNOW

Mr. R. L. Gaither, of Elkins, W. Va., visited friends here during the week.

Mrs. L. B. Williams returned Saturday from a fortnight's visit to relatives in North Carolina.

Miss Nettie I'Ardeila, of Washington, during the week was the guest of Mrs. Lucy A. Snow.

Miss Catherine Weir this week visited Miss Virginia M. L. Green, at Pinehurst Farm.

Miss Lucile Hutchison, of Haymarket, recently was the guest of the Misses Brown.

Mr. L. S. Crump, of Baltimore, recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Crump, near Fayman.

Miss Blanche Ransdell, who is employed in Washington, is spending three weeks' vacation at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace M. Monroe are visiting Mr. Monroe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Monroe, of Burke.

Lieut. Everett L. Rice is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rice, while awaiting orders.

Miss Fannie Willcoxon, of Hopewell, is visiting her sisters, Misses Kate and Mattie Willcoxon.

Mrs. Fred Vollmer, of Portsmouth, and her son Charles arrived Sunday at "The Pines" to visit her sister, Mrs. Vogt.

Miss Mabel Wands, of Washington, last week was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Randall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Lipscomb and Miss Mary Lipscomb have been guests this week at the Hotel St. Charles, Atlantic City.

Mr. Maxey Vollmer, who has been with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Brawner; for the past year, left last week for his home at Portsmouth.

Miss Ruth A. Round has returned from the state normal school at Harrisonburg, where she gave instruction in physical education.

Mr. O. D. Waters has returned from a visit to his family who are the guests of Mrs. Waters' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Longwell, of Gassaway, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brooke Griffith and their little son, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Williams, returned to Washington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond N. Wrenn, of Herndon, spent the week-end at "Elkinoe" with Mrs. Wrenn's mother, Mrs. B. J. Holden.

Dr. and Mrs. Herwin U. Roop and Miss Margaret Roop have returned from a visit to relatives in Pennsylvania. Mrs. Roop and Miss Margaret have been in Nebraska for several months.

Mr. J. A. Dougherty and his daughter, Miss L. A. Dougherty, of Philadelphia, have been the guests of Mr. Dougherty's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Portner.

Mrs. Margaret Barbour is attending the Baptist association at Upperville.

Mrs. L. L. Lomax, of Washington, was the recent guest of her sisters, Misses Fannie and Myra Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anthony left for their home in Kansas City Friday, after a three weeks' stay in Manassas with Mrs. Anthony's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hooff and their daughter, Miss Laura Hooff, and Dr. F. B. Hooff, of Charles Town, W. Va., and Mr. S. D. Gray, of Washington, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hill Brown and Mr. A. A. Hooff.

Mr. Arthur W. DeBell, of West Virginia, who has been commissioned first lieutenant, Medical Reserve Corps, recently visited his brother, Mr. John T. DeBell, of Centerville, en route to the training camp at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Reid, of Dumfries, and their children, Cora, Hallie, Margaret and James, and Mr. Eugene Cator, of Stafford county, spent Sunday here at the home of Mr. Reid's sister, Mrs. Norvell Larkin. They made the trip to Manassas in Mr. Cator's car. Miss Cora Reid remained in Manassas with her aunt and Miss Louise Reid, who has been here for some time, returned home with the family.

Miss Edna Bosley, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lawrence for two weeks, has returned to her home in Baltimore. She was accompanied from Washington by Sergeant John Skette, Fifth Maryland Infantry.

Miss Isabel Kelley has returned from a short stay in College Park, Md.

Mrs. L. E. Beachley and children have returned from a week's visit to relatives in Charles Town, W. Va.

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Mrs. John L. Elliot has returned from Baltimore, where she was the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moffett Crigler.

Rev. J. E. Burks is the guest of friends at Raccoon Ford, Culpeper county.

Miss Peggy Fred, of Washington, is the guest of Miss Marie Leachman, at her home near Bristol.

Lieut. W. Fewell Merchant, of Camp Lee, Petersburg, visited his family during the week.

Miss Edith M. Haydon, Occoquan district home demonstration agent, spent the week-end with Miss Emily Johnson at "Clover Hill."

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lyon have been visiting in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wenrich, Miss Adah Wenrich, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Wenrich and their little daughter Winnie, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hibbs and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rexrode and family, all of Manassas, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Wenrich and their little son Charles, Jr., of Washington, who are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wenrich, motored to Wellington, Villa, on the Potomac, and spent Sunday at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watkins, son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wenrich. Lunch was served on the banks of the river.

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MANASSAS DISTRICT table with columns for Democratic Committee and candidates like Arrington, Hooff, Leachman, etc.

GAINEVILLE DISTRICT table with columns for Democratic Committee and candidates like Robertson, Hutchison, White, etc.

COLES DISTRICT table with columns for Democratic Committee and candidates like Barbee, Wright, Holmes, etc.

SUPERVISORS IN SESSION

Dr. Meredith Appointed Physician to Poorhouse - Several Committees Named.

The Prince William county board of supervisors met at the court house at Manassas on Thursday, August 9.

Business was transacted as follows and a number of warrants were issued:

ORDERS

McDuff Green appointed a committee to purchase three drag scoops for Brentsville district. L. Ledman appointed a committee to purchase 15 tons W. A. egg and 5 tons W. A. nut coal for courthouse and jail.

BRADLEY

A series of meetings will begin Sunday morning at Jones Chapel, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, continuing each night. Rev. H. Q. Burr, the pastor, will be in charge.

BRENTSVILLE DISTRICT table with columns for Dem. Com. and candidates like Colvin, Earhart, Kerlin, etc.

OCOQUAN DISTRICT table with columns for Democratic Committee and candidates like Cornwell, Davis, Janney, etc.

DUMFRIES DISTRICT table with columns for Democratic Committee and candidates like Ratchliffe, Crow, Marchant, etc.

CONVENTION SEPT. 2

District Sunday School Members Will Hold Session at Brentsville.

The annual Sunday School convention of Brentsville district will be held at Brentsville, Sunday, September 2, beginning at 10 a. m.

We are glad to announce that we have secured two of the state workers for this occasion, Miss Katherine Groh, superintendent of the elementary division, and Mr. E. I. Carruthers, vice president of the state association.

We hope every Sunday School will be well represented, as we want the convention to be of real help to the schools in making them more efficient in their work of character building and soul winning.

PROGRAM AT COMPTON

Cannon Branch and Bradley Sunday Schools to Have Outing.

Cannon Branch and Bradley Sunday Schools will render a children's program Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at Compton farm, Come, one and all, in the invitation of the committee in charge, bring your baskets filled with good things to eat, and have an enjoyable day.

Devotional - Elder A. Conner. Song by the congregation. Recitation - Lottie Dove. Reading - Alma Armentrout. Recitation - Nellie Kline. Song by the children. Recitation - Ila Breeden. Declamation - Leslie Kline. Solo - Francis Conner. Illustrated talk - R. G. West. Quartet - Workers' Class. Recitation - Agnes Thomason. Declamation - John Harley. Solo - Etta May Hottle. Reading - Ruth Bucher.

Veterans of Berkeley Camp, Confederate Veterans, Hold Reunion.

In these days of short memories, and too often of short-measured loyalty, it is pleasure to report the annual reunion of the Berkeley Camp, Eighth Virginia Regiment, Confederate Veterans, at Little River, Loudoun county, on Thursday, August 9.

Fifty-five years ago their first meeting with Confederate soldiers occurred on this spot, and time has not lessened the warmth of welcome.

There was music in the morning, followed by the usual bountiful repast. In the afternoon came speaking from Mr. Lewis Shumate, Mr. Henry Harrison, of Leesburg, and Major Murray, of North Carolina, whose address will be long remembered.

When it ended cake and ice cream were served and later the exercises closed with a few remarks and the benediction of Rev. J. F. Coleman. In spite of the war cloud which hangs so heavily over us all this day of sunshine and good fellowship at Little River may be called a perfect success.

THE HONOR ROLL

Mr. S. H. Griffin, first lieutenant, engineer officers' reserve corps, has been ordered to report at the training camp in Washington, September 1.

Mr. Jeffrey Ballantyne Patterson, of Philadelphia, fourth son of Mrs. Ballantyne Patterson and the father of twin boys and a baby girl, has been notified to report at the officers' training camp at Fort Myer.

Everett L. Rice, second lieutenant, infantry, officers' reserve corps, who has been in the training camp at Fort Niagara, N. Y., will be assigned to duty with the regular army.

Walter A. Richards, of Clifton Station, has been commissioned second lieutenant, infantry, officers' reserve corps, at the training camp at Fort McPherson, Ga.

Mr. Albert A. May, who has enlisted in the quartermaster corps, has been ordered to report at Fort Myer.

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at 9:30 o'clock with Sunday School. Preaching at 11 a. m. Dinner on the grounds at noon. Service for the children at 2 p. m. Preaching at 3. Dr. Hervis U. Rupp will be with the pastor during the day. The public is most cordially invited to come. L. C. MESSICK, PASTOR.

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For Sale - Pair young mules; weight about 2,000 pounds. C. H. Payne, Occoquan, Va. 13-5*

For Sale - Two good driving or work horses, nine years old. Wheatley M. Johnson, Manassas, Va. 13-1f

Having sold my garage to Mr. E. E. Hockman on July 1, I have no further connection with the business. D. C. Yates. 13-3t

For Rent - Truck farm near Springfield to white or colored man with a team. Good chance for man that will work. Address Fred Davis, Springfield, Va. 13-1t

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For sale cheap - splendidly bred setter-bitch and weaned pups by best field dog in county. Mrs. Robb White, Broad Run, Va. 11-8*

For Rent - Residence on Grant avenue. Will be for rent Aug. 12. Apply to Mrs. F. S. Brand, 1857 California st., Washington, D. C.

Farm wanted - Will rent on shares; owner to furnish all but labor. J. W. Holliday, Nokesville, Va. 11-3*

For sale - Two-year-old heifer and calf, both extra fine. For particulars address Mrs. M. P. Thornton, Kopp, Va. 11-8

Wanted - Gentle pony and cart. Apply to THE JOURNAL.

Loudoun Camp Meeting, Benton's woods, begins August 17th, closes August 26. Rev. Gypsy Smith, jr., will be with us the entire time. Anyone desiring to tent or seeking information will address H. H. Otley, General Manager, Bluemont. 8-7

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A CARD

To the Voters and Citizens of Prince William County: I hereby give notice to the people of Prince William County that I shall be a candidate to succeed myself in the next House of Delegates of Virginia. I believe my conduct in the past four sessions warrants this. I ask you to examine the records, as kept in the Journal of the House, to see where I stood and how I voted on all matters. Thanking you for the honor which you have already conferred upon me and the confidence reposed, and with a renewed promise and determination to better serve you in the future, I am, Very respectfully, CHRIS M. ...

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No. 35-9.59 a. m. daily; U. S. Fast Mail to Charlotte, Atlanta, Birmingham, New Orleans. Dining car. Stops to take on passengers from Harrisonburg Branch points.

No. 15-5.12 p. m. daily; local to Charlottesville. Parlor car to Warrenton daily except Sunday.

No. 17-6.22 p. m. daily except Sunday; local to Warrenton.

No. 41-10.45 p. m. daily; Washington and Chattanooga Limited to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, New Orleans. Dining car. Stops to receive passengers for points beyond Charlottesville at which scheduled to stop.

NORTHBOUND

No. 18-7.00 a. m. daily except Sunday; local to Washington.

No. 16-9.06 a. m. daily; local to Washington. Parlor car, daily except Sunday.

No. 30-9.40 a. m. daily; limited to Washington and points East. Stops on Sunday only.

No. 14-9.47 a. m. daily except Sunday; limited to Washington. Parlor car.

No. 44-6.25 p. m. daily; limited to Washington.

No. 28-8.06 p. m. daily; local to Washington. Parlor car.

No. 36-9.30 p. m. daily; limited to Washington and points east. Stops on flag.

WESTBOUND

No. 49-9.05 a. m. daily; local to Strasburg, connecting there with B. & O. train leaving Strasburg 1.00 p. m. daily except Sunday for Harrisonburg. On Sundays only this train operated through to Harrisonburg.

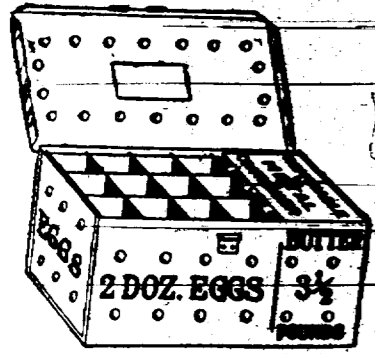
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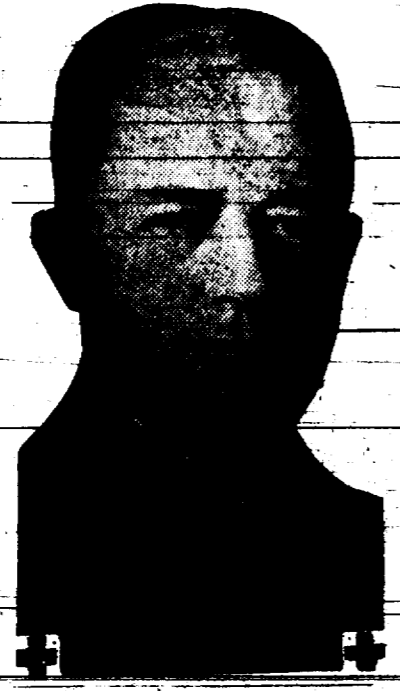
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Chairman Davison's Appeal For \$100,000,000 For the Red Cross.

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HENRY P. DAVISON, CHAIRMAN OF THE RED CROSS WAR COUNCIL.

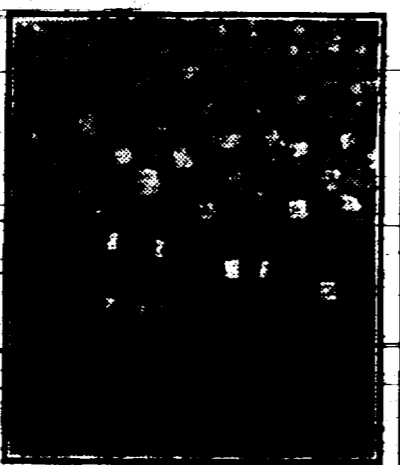
iments will be added to their number. All our national guard is to be mobilized, our regular army is to be recruited to full strength, and 500,000 other men are shortly to be called to the colors. Within a few months we should and will have in service an army of 1,000,000 and a navy of 150,000 men.

"These men must have of our best. To prepare against their needs in advance will be a stupendous task which the Red Cross must undertake. Doc-

tors, nurses and ambulances must be made ready. Vast quantities of hospital stores, linen, bandages and supplies of every kind must be prepared and at once. If we wait it may be too late.

When we ask our own sons and brothers to fight for our liberty 3,000 miles from home in a country already sore and afflicted, surely we cannot do less than prepare to take care of them in their day of suffering."

Red Cross at the Front. This photograph shows only part of the nurses, surgeons, etc., of Presbyterian base hospital unit No. 2 now



in Europe for war service. This unit includes 25 surgeons, 50 nurses and administrative staff of more than 100 orderlies, chauffeurs, cooks, messengers, etc.

SECRETARY BAKER'S PLEA FOR THE RED CROSS

"We are separated from the actual scene of this conflict by thousands of miles of sea. Our human life has as yet been unharmed. We are entering the war in the firm belief and purpose of ending it in a victory for right, and we have not the slightest intention of stopping until that victory is achieved."

"I think if anybody would ask me how much he ought to give to the Red Cross at this time I would say, 'All you have.' That is a counsel of perfection. I know, but then it would not be enough. I understand the war council has set itself the task of raising \$100,000,000. That may sound to some like a large amount, and yet this war is costing in actual money every day \$200,000,000 to \$300,000,000 and to human life from 10,000 to 15,000 of those who are killed in actual warfare, without counting those who starve and die of disease."

"The Red Cross of the United States of America has set itself the great task of raising for one night say, cosmic philanthropy, a sum equal to the destruction which the war entails in a day." - Newton D. Baker.

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Put the whole herd, young and old. There is hard cash in kind attention. With soiling crops and some grain the herd should maintain a profitable production. There can be no profit in fattening the herd run down when the pastures become dry or short. Keep the calves in clean quarters out of the hot sun. People seem willing to pay any price for good butter, but good butter is hard to sell at any price. There is always going to be a place in the market for good, pure dairy products. Butter, cream, milk and cheese will always be in demand if the quality is right.

SUMMER CARE OF SHEEP.

Flock Should Be Watched For Diseases and Have Abundant Pasture.

The present world shortage of wool and meat should be an incentive to give the flock of sheep extra care and attention during the present year, says the Pennsylvania State college. The pasture should be arranged for the greatest supply of feed. The lambs that are to go to market in the fall should produce the maximum amount of fleece and meat at the least expenditure of money.

As soon as the weather is warm enough the entire flock of sheep should be dipped twice at an interval of two weeks. Any of the standard disinfectants may be used for this purpose. This treatment will rid the sheep of external parasites.

The flock should have plenty of good pasture during the entire summer. The lambs should have a separate feeding place, where they can be supplied with a small amount of grain. When the lambs are weaned they should be placed on a clean pasture, where no sheep have been pastured during the season, or on a field seeded to some forage crop. Clean pasture is necessary to avoid trouble with internal parasites.

If the sheep show signs of becoming sluggish they should be treated for stomach worms. The gasoline treatment is the simplest. Keep the sheep off feed for twelve hours. Give each lamb a dose of five ounces of cow's milk, half a teaspoonful of gasoline and a tablespoonful of raw linseed oil. Double the dose for mature sheep. The treatment should be repeated three consecutive days.

Save every lamb dropped. Make certain that all have been docked. Castrate all male lambs that are not to be kept as rams for breeding. Save all the good ewe lambs for breeders as they will be in demand during the next few years. Market all the surplus lambs as soon as they are ready to be marketed. Take care of the breeding flock so that it will be in condition in the fall for breeding. Keep a check on the breeding to make certain that all the ewes are bred.

CARE OF MILK CANS.

To Prevent Rusting They Should Be Carefully Dried After Washing.

Cans should first be rinsed with cold water, then scrubbed with hot water and washing powder, then rinsed in clean hot water and finally sterilized with steam or rinsed with boiling hot water, says Hoard's Dairyman. They should then be inverted and allowed to dry in a place free from dirt and in the sunshine, if possible. It would be very desirable also if there were some method of drying out the cans with a hot air blast, for it has been found that leaving a little of the wash water in the can is one of the most effective means of seeding the milk with undesirable bacteria, as well as being an excellent method of causing the can to rust.

After a can has started to rust the best method of procedure is to scrub off as much of the rust as possible and then follow the proper methods of washing and drying the can. It is understood, of course, that the cans should be protected from the weather and not allowed to stand out of doors or in damp, dark rooms. The same method of control for this should be followed as for caring for the other tin dishes in the house.

Water For Hogs.

It is important that a plentiful supply of clear water be kept before the hogs at all times. Hogs that have the summer element do not go to the trough at the same time to drink, as they do in dry weather, consequently the occasional watering, as frequently practiced in dry hot feeding, will not suffice for hogs feeding in the cornfield. More complete digestion takes place and more economical gains result when hogs receive all the water they care to consume than when the supply is limited and irregular.

Lime For Poultry.

If your poultry range is gravelly or has gravelly areas the birds can pick up enough lime for shell and bone making, but if it is clayey it is well to supply grit and pounded oyster shells the year around. A pound of coarsely ground oyster shell is said to contain enough lime for about seven dozen eggs.

Protect Horses From Flies.

Disinfecting the stables with coal tar dips will go a long way toward protecting the horses from flies. Clean the stables every day in hot weather. Farm Journal.

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NORMAL TRAINING COURSE

Principal of the Manassas High School Takes an Inventory of Its Advantages.

E. H. OSBORN

Since it is always desirable to take an inventory of one's possessions from time to time, it would be well to call the attention of the people of our county and adjoining localities to the really excellent normal course they now have offered in the Manassas Agricultural High School. The normal training course given at Manassas is one of the 26 such courses established in certain high schools of the state for the purpose of training teachers for the elementary schools. But while these courses have been offered for some years no provision was made requiring prospective teachers to take them, or indeed to take any normal training whatever. Now, however, by a state regulation relating to the certification of teachers, it has become necessary for all expecting to teach to attend either the state normals or the summer school professional courses or these high school training classes. No graduate of a general high school course, for instance, can now teach until after attending one of these courses or obtaining a first grade certificate by state examination.

Students are eligible for the normal class upon the completion of two years of high school work, or graduates of the high school may take the course as a year of graduate work. The latter plan is urged wherever possible, as a much more efficient grade of normal work can be done when based upon the thorough preparation of a complete high school course.

A three-year certificate, renewable from time to time according to the State regulations, is given to graduates of the normal course.

Unusually good facilities for the high school normal training courses are offered in Manassas High School, not only in the incentive to thorough work given by the traditions of sound scholarship already well established in the school, but also in the full laboratory courses offered in domestic science, agriculture, botany and chemistry; the large library accessible to the students, and the unusually good opportunities offered for practice teaching and observation work. More than the usual amount of practice teaching required by the State course is given the students in the large Manassas Graded School, and in several especially selected rural schools. The class also spends from one to two weeks each year in observation work in the schools of Washington City. The close proximity to Washington is another great advantage enjoyed by the normal students, as well as by those of other departments of the school, both in the accessibility of the unrivalled educational and scientific collections of the Capital and also in the ease with which lecture courses and assistance of various kinds can be obtained from the Federal Departments.

The instructor in charge of the normal department is a full graduate of the Farmville State Normal and has also had additional normal professional work at Columbia University, New York. The instructors giving the academic work accessory to the normal course have been trained at Harvard, Chicago, Johns Hopkins and Virginia Universities, Goucher College and Virginia Polytechnic Institute. Students, therefore, have not only the advantage of a good material equipment but are brought in touch with much of the best recent thought and practice in their field of work.

A final valuable feature of the work is the influence brought to bear upon the student by the community activities of the high

school. Insensibly the future teacher begins to realize that the class room activity must broaden into the wider field of community and social work before its own special aims can be in any measure fully realized. To give such a broadened, into some of the larger meanings of the teacher's profession is among the chief aims of the course.

CHURCH SERVICES

EPISCOPAL
Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church, Manassas, Rev. J. F. Burks, rector. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. No services in the absence of the rector.

PRESBYTERIAN
Presbyterian Church, Manassas, Rev. Alford Kelley, pastor. Sunday services—Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Sermon by Dr. H. U. Roop. Subject, "Enlarge." C. E. Meeting at 7:30 p. m.

LUTHERAN
Bethel Lutheran Church, Manassas, Rev. Edgar Z. Pence, pastor. Choir practice every Wednesday evening. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching Sunday at 8 p. m.

CATHOLIC
St. Ann's Catholic Church, Manassas, Father William Gill, pastor. Mass at 7 a. m. first and third Sundays. Second and fourth Sundays at 10:30 a. m., followed by benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

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

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

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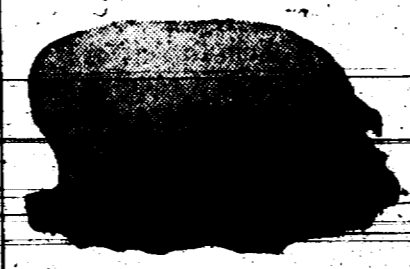
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LIVE STOCK NOTES.

Don't kill the fine sows. Some one will want them to re-enforce his flock. Should a horse seem weak or show difficulty in rising suspect feed at once. Unsound corn be rejected, also musty hay. A man who confines his pigs in a wet, dirty pen is robbing himself. Give the pigs or porkers a chance and they will always keep their beds clean. Roots, turnips especially, are almost a necessity to the profitable handling of sheep. Skim milk is always valuable. Middlings and some tankage are also valuable for pigs. Teach all colts first to walk fast. A fast walking horse is a joy.

RAISE MORE SWINE.

Hog is the Most Important Animal to Grow For Meat and Money. The quickest and surest way of augmenting the meat supply next to the raising of poultry is by raising hogs, the United States department of agriculture points out. The hog is the most important animal to raise for meat and money. He requires less labor, less equipment, less capital, makes greater gains per hundred pounds of concentrates and reproduces himself faster and in greater numbers than any other domestic animal. As a consumer of by products the hog has no rival. No other animal equals the lard hog in its fat storing tendency. The most satisfactory meat for shipping



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long distances on train, boat or wagon and for long storage after reaching its destination is mess pork. There is no animal which produces more meat and meat products than the hog. Pork finds ready sale because packers have discovered many ways of placing pork on the market in attractive and highly palatable form combined with most excellent keeping qualities. There is no other meat from which so many products are manufactured. Very near 50 per cent of the total value in dollars and cents of the meat and meat products slaughtered in the packing houses of the United States is derived from the hog. Our country leads by far all countries in the production as well as in the consumption of meat and meat products. Three-fourths of the world's international trade in pork and pork products originates in the United States in normal times, and the war greatly has increased this proportion. According to the estimates, there was an increase of 9,580,000 hogs between 1910, the census year, and 1916, inclusive. The increase at the end of 1916 was 3,148,000 over the preceding year, while it is estimated that there was a decrease at the end of 1916 of 313,000 hogs compared with 1915.

If we expect to continue to provide meat to foreign peoples as well as our own people, every farmer must put forth the best effort to produce more hogs. Hogs can be kept profitably upon many farms where they are not found today. Farmers who already raise hogs can produce many more, for there is not much chance of producing meat this year in excess of the requirements. More dairy farmers should raise hogs, for they fit in especially well upon dairy farms where skim milk, buttermilk or whey is fed upon the farm. A man who has skim milk is in a better position to raise pigs than a man who has none.

CURING ALFALFA HAY.

Careless Handling Reduces Value by Shattering Off the Leaves. Saving the leaves and preventing leaching of nutrients by rains are given by the Ohio agricultural experiment station as the two essentials in making the best alfalfa hay. Curing the hay in bunches under covers is given as the most efficient method to harvest the most nutritious hay. Careless handling of alfalfa may reduce the value of the hay considerably. The leaves contain nearly three times as much nitrogen and calcium as the stems, chemical analysis made at the experiment station show. Handling the crop so that the leaves are not broken off will save these most valuable nutritive constituents. Exposure of the hay to sun in an atmosphere of high humidity in hay. Dried alfalfa over which water washed lost 50 per cent of its nitrogen, 75 per cent of its phosphorus, 90 per cent of its potassium and 40 per cent of its calcium. This represents the substantial loss in the value of hay exposed to the weather for considerable time when rains occur. Curing alfalfa in bunches, or cocks, preferably under caps, tends to eliminate such losses. The hay may be cut one day, sun-dried the next and then cured in the cock for two days or more. Shattering of leaves is thus prevented, the hay retains its green color, and little of its value is lost. Duck or heavy unbleached muslin covers are frequently used to cap the cocks so that the hay is not wet by dew or rain.

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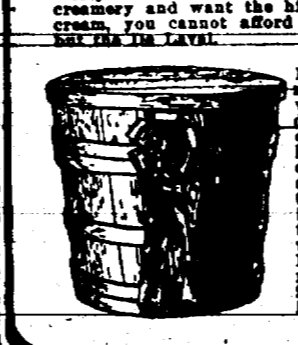
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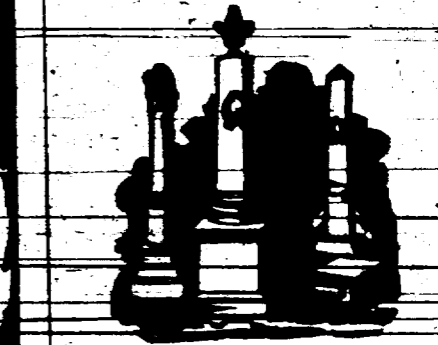
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INDEPENDENT HILL

The Hayfield School and Civic League held its August meeting last Friday. The constitution and by-laws submitted were adopted. A standard school diploma, awarded to the school by the State Board of Health, was presented to the league. A committee was appointed to purchase a set of song books for the league. Messrs. Max Weber, George Oleyar and Leslie Merrill were appointed a committee to arrange a program for the next meeting on Friday, September 14.

Among the other numbers on the program a reading in costume, "Aunt Sophronia at the Opera," by Miss Dorothy Merrill received much applause.

MR. MEETZE SPEAKS

Hon. C. J. Meetze delivered a practical yet inspiring address, the keynote of which was unselfish cooperation for community betterment and patriotic service. He pointed out encouraging tendencies in present activities and painted a glowing and realistic picture of the future of the league work. The thought running through the address which struck home was: In order to attain the most in real values in life, we must get above the little selfish things and live more largely for the other fellow.

He explained the work and organization of the Red Cross in Prince William and urged that a local organization be formed.

OUTING NEXT WEEK

A notice of the Union Sunday School outing, to be held Saturday, August 25, in the gold mine field, will be found elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. Arthur C. Werner was a visitor at "Springdale" Sunday.

Mr. E. D. Merrill is spending several days this week at Blackburg, attending the State Farmers' Institute.

Mr. Worth Storke, of Manassas, spent the week-end at his home here.

The dramatic talent of the vicinity is planning to present in the near future an agricultural play entitled "Back to the Farm." The play was formerly produced by the State College of Agriculture.

WATERFALL

Mr. and Mrs. William Bell and Mr. Markley Bell, of Weleetka, Okla., and Mrs. Katherine Prince, of Lynchburg, are the guests of Mrs. Susannah Bell.

Miss Florence Gossom is visiting at the home of Miss Annie Pickett, at Landover, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Clarke and Miss Jennie Seleiba spent several days last week in Washington.

Mrs. Parke Torbert and Miss Marion Torbert, of Washington, are spending the week with Mrs. R. R. Smith.

Mrs. P. C. Bowen, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting relatives in the neighborhood.

GUESTS AT OAK SHADE

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rohrman and the Misses Lotta and Annie Brooks, of Washington, are spending some time with the Misses Shirley, at "Oak Shade."

Mrs. G. A. Gossom and Miss Ruth Gossom were Washington visitors last week.

Mrs. J. T. Simonds, of Washington, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Downs, of Woolsey, last week.

Mr. Inman Kibler, of Lynchburg, was the week-end guest of his brother, Mr. Omar Kibler, of "Poplar Hill."

Mrs. "Jack" Proctor and little Miss Rebecca Proctor, of Georgia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garrett at "Bell-haven."

MISS SHIRLEY IN WASHINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haneke and their small sons, Edward and William, motored out from Washington Saturday and were the week-end guests of the Misses

Shirley at "Oak Shade." On their return they were accompanied by Miss Rose Shirley.

Mr. R. E. Gossom was a Washington visitor last week. While in Washington Mr. Gossom purchased a Buick car.

Miss [Name] of [County], is the guest of Miss Sara Crewe. Miss Sally Mount, of Broad Run, is visiting at the home of Mr. Frank Pickett.

The Misses Stewart and Miss Rose Howard, of Washington, are guests at "La Grange," the home of Miss M. J. Foley.

Mr. Clint Foley is visiting relatives at Savage, Md.

Mr. Ben Creel, who recently enlisted in the army, is now at a training camp in Ohio.

FORESTBURG

Mrs. James Dunn and her daughters, Katie and Ruth, accompanied by Miss A. C. Dunn, returned to Washington Sunday. They were accompanied also by Mr. King.

Miss Pearl Baher, of Stafford, was the guest of Miss A. M. Dunn Saturday.

Mrs. Susie DuVall, is visiting at her home here this week.

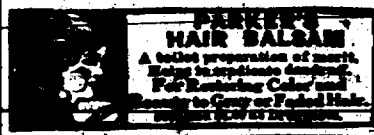
Mrs. Clifton Abel, of Washington, is visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Abel.

Mr. J. E. Tapcott has accepted a position at Quantico.

Messrs. J. C. Dunn and E. W. Abel and Misses P. V. Baher and A. M. Dunn motored to Quantico Sunday.

Mrs. John Calvert has returned to her home in Washington, after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Nora Davis.

Miss Mildred Williams is spending the week with relatives in Washington.



OCCOQUAN DISTRICT

The agricultural forces in Occoquan district completed another busy week Saturday evening with the meeting of the district league of safety in the auditorium of [Name] School. Addresses were made by Mr. C. A. Montgomery, county agent, who showed stereopticon views on poultry work and farm implements; Miss Lillian V. Gilbert, county home demonstration agent; Miss Edith M. Haydon, Occoquan district home demonstration agent, and Miss Martha Dinwiddie, district demonstration agent for Northern Virginia.

Miss Haydon gave a survey of the district and Miss Gilbert spoke of the work of the poultry and tomato clubs, mentioning with special pride the tomato patch of Mr. W. H. Leary, of Hoadley, and the Barred Rock chickens of Willie Fairfax, son of Mr. Aubrey Fairfax, of Hoadley.

The Junior League of Safety met Tuesday evening at Fairview School. They decided to spend the coming weeks in drying fruits and vegetables and will make a report of the work accomplished at the next meeting on September 6.

Miss Haydon superintended the canning of 41 quarts of beans Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. John Dewey, of Agnewville. Another canning demonstration took place Wednesday evening and Thursday morning at the home of Capt. R. T. Woodyard, near Occoquan. Thursday afternoon the girls' club at Woodbridge held a meeting, reporting experiments in making potato buns and taking patterns for their caps.

Friday afternoon a demonstration in canning beans was held at the home of Mrs. Fairfax, near Hoadley. A meeting of the patrons' league took place Friday evening at Bacon Race.

Saturday Miss Gilbert and Miss

Haydon gave a canning demonstration for colored women at the home of Marian Washington, near Occoquan. Seven kinds of fruits and vegetables were canned and much interest was exhibited in the work.

CHERRY HILL

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Soutter visited in Washington Sunday.

Miss Ethel Bushey spent last week in Washington, visiting her sister, Mrs. W. George.

Messrs. Oscar Bushey and Clarence Carroll spent the week-end in Washington.

Mrs. H. O. Russell was in Washington on business last week.

Mr. John Hicks has been confined to his home by sickness the past week.

Mr. W. G. Bushey was in Occoquan on business during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neal spent a few days last week with friends in Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sisson were Washington visitors last week.

Rev. W. T. Beard will hold service Sunday at the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

CATHARPIN

Mrs. James R. White (nee Miss Katherine Cushing), of Vulcan, W. Va., is visiting her father, Mr. Robert Cushing, and other relatives in this neighborhood.

Misses Mary and Sara Pringle, of Hyattsville, Md., have been visiting at the homes of their grandmother, Mrs. Mary E. Wilkins, and their aunt, Mrs. Kyle Lynn.

Mrs. Oscar Lynn and her granddaughters, Misses Clarice and Lucille Jones, of Alexandria, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Lynn's son, Mr. Kyle Lynn. Mr. Oscar Lynn also spent the week-end at his son's home.

Mr. Clarence Lynn recently visited in Washington.

Miss May Lynn, of Wellington, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. H. Sanders.

Mrs. Irving Brooks and her daughter, Miss Audrey, have returned to their home here, accompanied by their cousin, Miss Edmonja Pattie, at whose home they recently were guests.

Several of our neighborhood boys have been drafted for service in the army. They have been examined by the county board and are awaiting summons to appear before the second examining board.

Mr. L. B. Pattie recently lost a valuable horse which succumbed to spinal meningitis.

Mr. Philip Potter, of Orlando, spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. L. B. Pattie.

CLIFTON

A number of young people met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richards Friday to enjoy a musical evening. Among those present were Misses Effie Adams, Esther and Miriam Buckley, Ida Ayre, Mary and Louise Quigg, Sara and Mary Ferguson and Messrs. Roger Cross, Elmer Ayre, Harry Fristoe, Lewis and Irvin Quigg.

Rev. H. J. Beagen, of Chester, Pa., will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian Church Sunday. The church will be in order by that time, after the decoration of the walls by Mr. George T. Lyon, of Manassas.

Mrs. Quigg and her daughter, Miss Mary, spent the week-end with relatives at Floris and Herndon.

Mr. O. L. Detwiler, who is in the neighborhood threshing out grain, says he has had a great deal of bad grain to thresh, owing to the bad weather during and since harvest.

Rev. W. L. Naff has ordered a five-passenger Ford from the dealer at Fairfax.

The housekeepers of Clifton are certainly "doing their bit" in canning, as they are seeking instruction through the county demonstration agent and are canning all sorts of vegetables and fruits.

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