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WELL CARED FOR AT PETERSBURG

Uncle Sam Pays Strict Attention to the Habits of His Soldier Boys.

Camp Lee, Va., October 29.—Prince William saw quite a number of her boys in khaki this past week, for Major General Cronkhite, commanding General at Camp Lee, on Thursday ordered that a number from each company should go home to participate in the final drive of the Liberty Loan campaign. They were on furlough from Thursday noon until 10:45 Sunday night. Between twenty-five and thirty men returned to Prince William and, in a way no one else could, they impressed upon the people at home the necessity of each one buying a bond. And those who were able to lend Uncle Sammie their aid in this manner could not resist the convincing appeal of the men who are ready to give their all.

The plan proved successful beyond the expectations of the officers here. The men had gone back, giving up in part their opportunity to be with the home folks and friends and to have a good time. Their pleasures they made secondary to their mission and Friday and Saturday the men were energetic salesmen and helped a lot of people place their dollars where they could be most useful in helping win this war.

The fellows from company K sold better than \$25,000 worth of bonds and reports from other companies tell of equal success. A complete report cannot yet be made.

There may yet be some who think the men here are unwilling soldiers, are not heart and soul in the work and are not willing to do their full part. The way in which they, themselves, took hold of the Liberty Loan is a sufficient answer. Company K bought 170 bonds or nearly a bond per man. The 319th regiment took them at the rate of \$65 per man. Some of the other regiments did even better. These were quite a few men who were selling their pay home to wives or parents or other dependent relatives; they could not and were not expected to take any bonds. So most of those who were able to spare anything out of their \$30 per month bought at least two. For each bond bought by a soldier \$5 per month for ten months was allotted. For instance, if he took three bonds he received only \$15 each pay day for the next ten months, unless he allotted some of that to the folks at home. When paid for these bonds will be delivered wherever the soldier designates.

An opportunity is to be given the men in camp here, if they are properly qualified, to enter a training school here and qualify for commissions as second lieutenants. The prerequisites are previous military training or experience, or college training. From applicants on each unit was selected, as for instance the captain of a company up to ten per cent of the enlisted strength may be recommended before December 1st and from these a board will select 1.7 per cent of the enlisted strength of the camp for this school which begins on January 5 and lasts until April 5. After graduation, these prospective officers will be returned to their companies until they may be commissioned and assigned.

Recently Corporal J. L. Gregory was appointed corporal of quarters and Corporal G. O. Lynch served in that capacity last week. Each week a corporal and his squad of seven men are placed in charge of the company barracks. This squad is responsible for keeping things clean and tidy in and around quarters, bringing in supplies and other odd jobs. The corporal in addition has charge of the mail, catches the company in for mess, or "chow" as the fellows call it, and is the final authority in the matter of granting passes for leave out of camp evenings or afternoons off. So there are reasons why a private wishes to be on good terms with a corporal.

Private J. M. Keyes and myself were transferred last week to the medical corps. We are located at present in the medical department of the 118th Infantry. There are about twenty men here outside of the officers. We have our quarters and mess in the infirmary. Since these are as few as there is a certain home-like atmosphere here not found in a company of 250 men. Steam heat and a bath room in the building are provided for us and the patients. Men from the regiment who are not seriously ill will be cared for here, but all serious cases will be taken to the base hospital, where the very best of

care and surgical and medical treatment will be given. This regiment is fortunate in having at its disposal a first class dentist, Lieut. Allen, of Pennsylvania State University. If it is true that an army wins its battles with its teeth this regiment need lack nothing on that score.

In the matter of keeping his fighting men in health Uncle Sammie believes an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. He vaccinates against smallpox; inoculates to prevent typhoid; by oiling standing water, thorough draining, covering all garbage cans, allowing no foods or filth to be exposed and by screening all windows, he practically eliminates the many diseases and disorders for which the mosquito and house fly are responsible; all the men get the habit of sleeping in pure air, regularly cleaning their teeth, taking frequent baths and keeping their clothes clean, for rules of personal hygiene are enforced; careless spitting around is prohibited; and any of the men will testify that none suffer from troubles resulting from overeating or lack of healthful exercise.

RED CROSS MEMBERS AT REGULAR MEETING

Routine Business Transacted and Christmas Plans Announced. Many Present.

The regular meeting of the Manassas Chapter of the American Red Cross, held Monday evening at the Town Hall, was well attended. Mr. George G. Tyler, chairman, presided. The meeting opened as usual with the singing of "America" and prayer, the invocation being offered by Rev. J. F. Burks. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Miss Mary Larkin, and approved.

Committee reports were made as follows: Mrs. G. T. Lyon, for the committee on military relief; Miss Mary, for the knitting section of the committee on military relief, and Mr. G. Raymond Estelle, for the finance committee.

Miss Gattie Perkins, president of the Junior Circle Auxiliary, reported that \$31.29 had been turned into the treasury after the play which was given recently by the junior girls under the direction of Mrs. Lyon.

The secretary reported a membership of 151 and the receipt of a donation of \$2.50 from Mr. H. G. Russell, of Cherry Hill.

Mr. L. Frank Pattie, treasurer, reported that the funds on hand amount to something over \$200. Bills to the amount of \$44.22 were ordered paid.

After some discussion concerning the celebration to be given in honor of the boys who left for Camp Lee Wednesday, Lieut. George C. Round was made chairman of a committee of arrangements. The members agreed to abandon the evening entertainment on account of election day and the desire on the part of many of the boys to remain at home until the time of their departure.

Announcement was made of the chapter's plan to send 100 Christmas packages to the soldiers and sailors at home and abroad.

After a brief statement of Red Cross activities by the secretary, the meeting adjourned with "America" and benediction by Rev. H. Q. Burr. One new member, Mrs. W. Hill Brown, was received at the meeting.

WELBY M. RICE DIES ON FRIDAY

Widow and Five Children Survive—Funeral Service at Grace M. E. Church.

Welby March Rice died last Friday afternoon at his home on Fairfax avenue, after a brief illness. He was fifty-six years old and had been in failing health for several months. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of which he had been a member for many years. The pastor, Rev. H. Q. Burr, in paying tribute to his memory, spoke of his interest and participation in every branch of church activities. Rev. T. D. Clark sang "The Holy City," and other music was rendered by the choir.

Interment was made in the family lot at the Manassas cemetery, his fellow members in the Bull Run Council, Order Fraternal Americans, taking part in the service. The pallbearers were Messrs. Thomas H. Lion, James E. Nelson, C. M. Larkin, R. S. Hynson, (Continued on page five)

DEMOCRATS GET A BIG MAJORITY

Westmoreland Davis Gets Majority of 38,000—C. J. Meetze Re-elected.

Virginia gave her next governor, Hon. Westmoreland Davis, of Loudoun county, a majority of 38,000 votes in Tuesday's election, and the state democratic ticket as a whole was elected by increased majorities. The state officers for the next four years will be as follows:

Governor—Westmoreland Davis, of Loudoun.
Lieutenant-Governor—E. F. Buchanan, of Smyth.
Attorney-General—John R. Saunders, of Middlesex.
Secretary of the Commonwealth—B. O. James, of Richmond.
State Treasurer—Charles A. Johnston, of Montgomery.
Superintendent of Public Instruction—Harris Hart, of Roanoke.
Commissioner of Agriculture—George W. Kolner, of Richmond.

Chris. J. Meetze, who has represented Prince William for three terms in the House of Delegates, was re-elected by a majority of two votes over C. A. Sinclair, democratic nominee. Mr. Meetze repudiated the action of the county democratic committee in declaring Mr. Sinclair the nominee and ran independently. This local contest occasioned one of the warmest political fights ever staged in the county.

The seventeen seats held by the republicans in the General Assembly of Virginia are reduced to fourteen and the republican vote even in the republican counties of southwest Virginia is greatly reduced. In the ninth district the democrats carried Russell, Governor Stuart's home county, by 400 votes, electing his nephew, John White Stuart, to the House of Delegates by a handsome majority over his republican opponent.

Mr. Meetze's opponent, Sinclair, was defeated in the county by a vote of 1,000 to 1,500. The vote in the county was as follows: For Governor—Davis, 781; Meetze, 71; Smith, 6.
For Lieutenant-Governor—Buchanan, 637; Davis, 74; Crawford, 16; Muller, 5.
For Attorney-General—Saunders, 654; Wolcott, 92.
For Secretary of the Commonwealth—James, 613; Reid, 85.
For State Treasurer—Johnston, 651; McLaughlin, 91.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—Hart, 286; Rankin, 106.
Commissioner of Agriculture—Kolner, 675; Bowman, 82.

Figures on the local contest by precinct:

Precinct	Meetze	Sinclair
Brentsville	25	15
Nokesville	15	60
Greenwich	9	24
Adie	11	15
Washington	2	21
Hickory	25	32
Hickory Grove	14	8
Horton	18	9
Cathart	10	24
Waterfall	3	6
Manassas	112	128
Talbot	1	1
Independent RR	28	8
Dumfries	22	18
Joplin	19	8
Occoquan	25	17
Headley	21	7
Potomac	13	1

DAIRYMEN TO HOLD IMPORTANT MEETING

The Prince William Dairymen's Association will meet at Nokesville in Mr. Frazer's Hall Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. to consider the organization of a registered Holstein Breeders' Association and other business. Dairymen throughout the county are urged to be present.

The year 1917 will be a remarkable one, apart from the events relating to the great war. We have had frost every month, except three—June, July and August. Of course November and December will register frosts as usual. Who can remember a year when there was frost in nine months of the year?—Fairfax Herald

D. A. PRESCOTT ON TORPEDOED SHIP

Manassas Boy Tells Thrilling Story of Ill-Fated American Transport.

Daniel Alford Prescott, of Medford, Mass., a former Manassas boy, who has been with the American Field Service in France, was on the American transport Finland, which was torpedoed by a German submarine on the morning of Sunday, October 28. Mr. Prescott was the only man on the transport who saw the submarine, according to a news dispatch from Paris, after his arrival in that city with other survivors. He was on watch duty on the starboard bow of the ship at the time.

"The weather was rather misty," he said, "and I was looking over the sea when I observed what appeared to be a periscope a quarter of a mile away on the starboard side. I hastened across the deck to report, and then saw the wake of a torpedo coming toward the ship. This was followed almost immediately by a heavy explosion. The ship listed, the whistle was sounded, men poured out of the decks and life boats were lowered. I got off in one of the boats. The sea was rather smooth at the time, but while the men in the water were being picked up by the lifeboats a squall arose, rendering the sea very choppy. 'Some of the men were in the water for a half to three-quarters of an hour. Many of the crew of the Finland left the ship, but later returned and assisted in bringing her into port. The officers of the vessel remained aboard; they directed the work of picking up the survivors and later of bringing the ship in. I reached port in a patrol boat. The Finland was docked shortly after 9 o'clock that night."

Joseph Malone, a New York man in the field service, said he just finished his tour of duty in the field service, and was sitting in the office with six other ambulance men when the Finland hit the vessel. They were thrown from their chairs and covered with a cloud of coal dust, which passed from the busines. They seized life preservers and hastened on deck. Mr. Malone said he was thrown out of a boat as it was launched, and remained in the water twenty minutes. He saw nearly a hundred men struggling in the water, but all were provided with life preservers.

Mr. Prescott is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Prescott, former residents of Manassas. He was graduated from Manassas High School and entered Tufts College in 1914. Last June he sailed for France and, after completing his enlistment for six months' service, was returning home on the Finland to resume his college studies, having failed to pass the physical examination required for enlistment in the army.

The following extracts are taken from a letter from Mr. Prescott dated October 30:

"At last winter is here. The rainy season set in a few days ago, and with it came the cold. Yesterday morning I went down to fill my car with gasoline and found that the water which had collected on top of the cans—they have a rim around the top—was frozen solid, almost half an inch of it. Believe me, my hands were cold before that tank was filled. I returned from four to five hours out of the twenty-four much like our February rains at home.

"Yesterday afternoon we started out for a night run in the middle of coming darkness we drove toward the forest and just before dark we stopped on the side of a hill the side away from the rocks. In view our support it was raining as it can only rain in France, with the clouds a scant two hundred yards above the earth. We, with our top over us and our hood of canvas pulled up from the dash until there was only a slit to see through, were as snug and dry as peas in a pod, and as warm as toast because we had on lots of clothes and a heated blanket. We had taken up one of the floor boards so that all the heat from the exhaust came up to us, and it put 'old man Chalmers' to rest. Going up a particularly long, steep hill we had to let down the canvas because we were almost stifled by the heat. But I have wandered—we were waiting for our supper, then it got dark. Sitting not a foot apart I had to feel Tom's arm and trace it down to his hand before I could take the piece of chocolate he was giving me.

"Finally the Ford came with hot supper. It was all part in the back of a camion that had a good top and we all piled in after it. A handful of plates was passed around and then the

chief served the beans. Having carefully chosen a place close to the center of action, even though a bit leaky, it was easy for me to get my share of the Boston specialties, but I wanted bread to eat with it, so I shouted for 'pain' till I was hoarse, but without result. By-the-by, 'pain' is French for bread. So I contented myself with resting my chin on the edge of the plate and using a spoon, my sole weapon of attack, to scoop it in with. In the meantime there were difficulties. Someone let the cheese fall amongst the boys, while Bacbey sat down in Herb's plate of beans at a very inopportune moment. Another fellow attempted to hold his bread up so that he could see when he had gotten enough confiture on it, but, alas, it was too dark and he poured it into his eye and all over the fellow next to him. Someone back in the rear passed his place for an encore and after it had been filled it was started back to him, but it had to go through too many hands, for when he had received one and retired to his corner, the first spoonful was empty, for someone had kept the full one. But (Continued on page Two.)

LAST OF BOYS OFF TO CAMP

Prince William's Quota of 103 Now at Camp Lee—Celebration Given.

Prince William's quota of 103 was completed Wednesday when the fifth contingent, composed of fourteen men, joined their comrades at Camp Lee to begin training with the New National Army which is expected to distinguish itself in the fight to make the world safe for democracy.

They left on Manassas branch train at 9:47 a. m. and reached camp in the afternoon. The first and third contingents were placed in Company E. The second and largest increment became part of Company K, and the fourth contingent, which was composed of colored troops, was assigned to 73rd company, 18th training battalion, depot brigade.

Public exercises in celebration of the departure of the last contingent were held early Wednesday morning at the county courthouse, Lieut. George C. Round presiding. The courtroom was decorated with the Stars and Stripes and other patriotic emblems. The boys were seated in rows within the railing.

The audience joined in singing "America." Mrs. Hodges presiding at the organ, and Rev. T. D. Clark, pastor of the Baptist Church, pronounced the invocation.

Addresses expressing the interest and pride of the community in the boys who are going out as our representatives were made by County Clerk George G. Tyler, who was also clerk of the local board governing the selection of men; Judge J. E. T. Thornton, Miss Mary Larkin, who spoke on behalf of the county Red Cross chapter; Miss Margaret Worthington, who is conducting a Bible class at the Presbyterian Church, and Mrs. George C. Round, representing the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Rev. Mr. Clark sang "Benedict in the Cradle of the Deep" and "When Johnny Comes Marching Home."

The girls of the Junior Red Cross auxiliary presented a concert program contributed to the Red Cross by the ladies of the community. One will be sent to each of the Prince William boys already at Camp Lee. Mrs. Round presented cards designed for the soldiers by the W. C. T. U.

The program closed with "The Star Spangled Banner" and benediction by Rev. H. Q. Burr, pastor of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, South, after which the boys marched to the railway station, accompanied by towns and county officials, members of the Red Cross, other citizens and the children of the Manassas schools.

Carlisle D. Buck, youngest son of Mrs. R. C. Buck, of Manassas, and the late Dr. Buck, was the prospective soldier placed in charge of the mess. Mr. Buck has been in business for some time in Kingsport, Tenn. John Lemuel Hynson, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hynson, of Manassas, was chosen as Mr. Buck's assistant.

The fourteen men were as follows: Randolph W. Fair, Richard Coranell, Leonard M. Sweeney, John L. Hynson, Magruder Peery, Sumner Hunter Smith, Carlisle D. Buck and Martha Omer Smith, all of Manassas; James E. N. Beaumont, Catharine; Henry Lynn Latham, Haymarket; Ephraim Horne, Bristow; John Thomas Clarke, Manassas; Edmund Deane, Rector, Quantico, and Clarence Charles Mayhugh, Quantico.

CLASSES WELL ATTENDED

Miss Worthington Takes Charge of Women's Bible Study.

The Bible study classes conducted here during the week by Miss Margaret C. Worthington, of Charles Town, W. Va., have been largely attended by members of the Gypsy Smith Prayer Circle and other ladies of the community. The classes have been held at the Presbyterian Church each afternoon at three o'clock and at the manse at 7:30 p. m. The average attendance has been forty women. The class will be conducted tomorrow as usual.

Miss Worthington is a Marylander by birth. She was a missionary in China at the time of the Boxer uprising. She has made a life study of the Bible and taught for some years in connection with Christian Service work in St. Louis. She is an occasional contributor to religious magazines and still retains her interest in the Chinese mission field which she was compelled to relinquish because of her health.

RED CROSS WILL HELP CONSUMPTIVES

State Anti-Tuberculosis Association Calls on the Red Cross for Aid.

Face to face with the fact of the inadequate facilities in the state for the care of the consumptives, the Virginia Anti-Tuberculosis Association has asked the support of the Virginia Branch of the Red Cross, both in work to increase the number of beds for consumptives, and in the sale of the Red Cross Seals as a direct method of raising funds for the support of the consumptive soldiers or their families.

There are 4,000 deaths from consumption each year, and there are only 350 beds in Virginia in both state and private sanatoria. The State Sanatorium at Catawba has a capacity of 150, and the waiting list has run at one time during the year as high as 200. Reports from the consumption boards of the state show that approximately 1,000 drafted men were rejected for this cause. For the treatment of these men, many of whom need immediate treatment, there is not a vacant bed in the state.

The Virginia Anti-Tuberculosis Association appealed to the Red Cross for its support in a movement to increase the number of beds in the state by 100. In a recent telegram received from the office of the Postmaster Division of the American Red Cross, the organization pledges its support in a variety of ways.

The State Tuberculosis Association has asked the local chapters to cooperate in the sale of the Red Cross seals, which will this year go in part to provide a fund in each locality for the support at hospitals of rejected men, consumptive soldiers, and the families of these five classes of men.

INTERESTING VISITORS COME TO MANASSAS

Mayer of Evanston, Ill., and His Father Here—War Record Revealed.

Four prominent citizens of Evanston, Ill., arrived at Manassas on Monday and spent Tuesday in visiting the battlefields under guidance of Lieut. Round. The four were Hon. H. P. Pearson, mayor of Evanston, and his father, H. A. Pearson, who was a veteran of the civil war, and a prominent banker of Chicago for the last half century; also Capt. J. F. Ward who was a soldier in the 24th Massachusetts in the Army of the Potomac and H. J. Patten, who has given close attention to civil war history and a near relative of Governor Beveridge.

H. A. Pearson was a Lieutenant in the 8th Illinois Cavalry, the regiment which John S. Mosby testified to be the best cavalry regiment in the Federal Army. Mosby and Pearson became warm friends after the war. Mosby said the 8th Illinois was the only regiment he was afraid of.

In the photographs of the group of officers which had charge of the dedication of the Henry House Monument, Lieut. Pearson was a staff officer of Gen. William Gamble and stands at the extreme left of the photograph. A most interesting romance of Prince William annals is told by Lieut. Round in which Lieut. Pearson took one of the chief parts. It seems that in May, 1865, when General Gamble was in command at Fairfax Court House a large party of ladies visited the officers and among them a Miss (Continued on page Five)

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(Continued from page One.) It was too dark to find the culprit. "Finally we got under way. The rain continued to fall in torrents and it was absolutely so black that I could not see six feet in front of the car. I could not see another car, and I could not see another car that far away. Darkness in Egypt or anywhere else has been in its infancy until last night. "Star shells, far over the hill, which reflected a wee bit of light to us from the clouds, were the only things which made it possible to move at all without first walking over the ground. "As we slowly crept along, the engines racing in low speed and our eyes staring ahead without being able to see, a spark from a wheel or horn's horn would make us stop the car until we could see just a little again. I had to make the fellow with me throw away his cigarette because its glow put my eyes out of focus. Can you imagine it so dark that the glow from a cigarette would blind you as thoroughly as a dazzling locomotive or auto headlight ordinarily does? "After about a quarter of a mile of such traveling our convoy stopped and the corporal in charge came back to us and asked, 'Have you a cable?' 'Certainly,' we answered. 'All right. Pull Herb out of the ditch and then follow on. You know the way, don't you Dannie?' "And he went on with the rest, leaving us the job. Herb was in the ditch—both wheels on one side. We hooked a cable on him and dragged him forward, but he only slid along in the ditch—then we repeated backwards and then forward again. That convinced us of the uselessness of it, so we got down to business. We carried bags and planks and ropes, built up a firm place until there was no possibility of a failure, and then they shouted, 'Give her the juice, Dannie.' "I gave it to her and for a moment she held fast, almost choking the engine, then she moved slowly, and finally amidst a howl of joy she was out. "We hadn't gone fifty yards when we found another car by the wayside. It was MacKenzie. He had run off a bridge and broken a spring, so all we could do for him was report it to the chief, who sent one of the other cars to take his load and leave him to his fate. "We continued our way and while crossing a narrow, one-way bridge, I heard a clatter at the other end, but I swore that no frog should jump me, and went on, to find the way blocked by one of their 75's. "After due argument—they not understanding mine nor I theirs, due to my broken French and their cracked English—they backed their old gun off the bridge, and I went on. "The unloading was uneventful and we went home the short cut, but found an awful bunch of traffic—some huge guns and some funny looking things that looked like tanks. We got through everything finely, crossed the river, had practically gotten out of troublesome traffic and were fixed up cozy for a quick run home when we saw one of our cars. Of course we stopped, for we had imagined them home long before and what did we find? I felt like making a bed in the camion when I saw what had happened to one of the two cars we sent home via short cut. The driver had been blinded by a light on an officer's car—we were then well behind the lines—and had run into a ditch waist deep. Some place to get a truck out of, for both front wheels and one hind one were in. We hitched up two cars tandem, pulled forward and mine pulling diagonally, then we all gave it in her at a signal and just walked out."

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

(Edited by Miss Eleanor Moore Lewis) On Saturday morning, November 3, the high school girls' basketball team went to Clifton. In the morning the second team played, with a score of fourteen to six in their favor. The first team played a practice game in the evening. They all returned that evening, a very happy crowd. The boys' first basketball team played with Eastern College first team Saturday night, losing by a score of fifty to twenty. The athletic association has arranged to have the girls and boys practice basketball in Conner's Opera House, where they will hold their games after this. The boys will practice on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday and the girls on Tuesday and Thursday. The assembly was changed at a recent meeting of the faculty from Friday morning to the second period on Wednesday. You don't want American boys to die needlessly. Saving food in American kitchens will save lives of American boys in France. Every time you use the bread-knife on a non-wheat loaf you cut a slice off Germany's chance to win the war. Subscribe for the Journal, \$1 a year in advance.

EASTERN COLLEGE NOTES

At present only a few young men studying at Eastern, who come from South and Central American countries clear to Manassas for the purpose of learning to speak English. They wish all the help possible in this regard. The club has organized the Latin-American Club, which meets every Saturday afternoon at 4 p. m. There they give short speeches in English and swap Spanish words for English words with any one who wishes to help them. Refreshments are served. The officers are: President, Humbert Reyes; vice president, Timoteo Puente, treasurer, Alfonso Reyes; secretary, Pedro Navarrete. Prof. Hodge and Prof. Mosher are honorary members. The subject chosen for the speeches is Yucatan, the country from which the majority of the young men come. The Jeffersonian Literary Society, which is organized like the House of Representatives, has added a committee to look after East Hall, with the purpose of keeping it in the best possible condition. On Friday night there will be a joint meeting of the literary societies. The program contains recitations, humorous talks, violin solos and a debate on Government Ownership of Railroads. Mr. Lester Henry is now two games in the lead on the "checker championship of the United States." New students continue to arrive. Mr. Landis, brother of Mr. Allan Landis, who was at Eastern two years ago, arrived last night and took up work in the commercial department. Eastern College won easily from Manassas High School last Saturday night in the first basketball game of the season, by a score of 50 to 12. Payne and Robinson did the best work for the college, while Hopkins for the high school showed excellent playing ability.

ROLL OF HONOR

The Roll of Honor for the Manassas graded school, Mrs. L. J. Larkin, principal, follows: 8th Grade. Louise Ayres, Elizabeth Burr, Christine Beachley, Rebecca DeLuitta, Elizabeth Pope, Jessie Payne, Jack Merchant. 7th Grade. Lela Aray, Elizabeth Cornwell, Clara Brooks, Elizabeth O'Neil, Catherine Weir, Robert Riley, Arthur Becker. 6th Grade. Carleton Athey, Nannie Saffer, Christine Moser, Alice Broeden. 5th Grade. Elizabeth Coleman, Hazel Saunders, Mildred Mills, Ardath Evans, Susan Harrison, Bowling Hoof, Warren Rosenberger. 4th Grade. Marjoe Broadbus, Annie L. Merchant, Nancy Waters, Jenksa Davies, Elmer Maddiman, Arthur Maddiman, Dabney Waters. 3rd Grade. Nannie Walls, Ruth Hutchison, Leroy Woodyard, Claude Smith, Eugene Johnson. 2nd Grade. Lucy Arrington, Lucy Athey, Dorothy Beachley, Marie Benseit, Virginia Conner, Ethel Cross, Virginia Cross, Dorothy Cornwell, Evalyn Cornwell, Olga Graft, Gladys Gorda, Emma E. Ledman, Virginia Mock, Jane Rorabaugh, Leone Benredo, Thomas Broadbus, Alfred Broden, Curtis Bell, Clarence Cornwell, John H. Cannon, Frank Frazier, Clifton Mills, Annie Kinchloe, Henry L. Lewis, Robert Athey, Jesse Stevens, Sam Hainlop, Wade Wetherbills, Carroll Robinson. 1st Grade. Roy Babb, Lester Broeden, George Byrd, Billy Conner, Preston Eyles, Jack Fatchie, Frank Scott, Kenneth Scott, Lillian Crabble, Martha Bowles, Barbara Bennett, Emily Chisholm, Christine Austin, Lillian Bryant, Halie Davis, Mildred Maddiman, Anita Mills, Margaret McCann, Mabel Payne, Mary Ryland, Elizabeth Sinclair, Baby Woodyard, Elizabeth Hutchison, Tussie Robinson.

LOSING HIS BALANCE

Knowledge of the rifle and all of its parts is an important part of the training given to U. S. Marines. At first, this proves puzzling to the raw recruit. During the morning inspection, recently, one of the future sea soldiers handled his rifle poorly, and was taken to task by the officer. "Are you acquainted with the parts of your rifle?" he asked, sternly. "Yes, sir," the recruit replied. "Well, where is the balance located?" "I don't know, sir," said the Marine, glancing nervously at his rifle. "It was all here this morning."

ON GUARD AT THE READING GATE!

It is a fine thing to guard our homes against alien soldiers of whose purposes we are all aware. But it is also very important to guard them against other insidious foes that creep in under the disguise of friendly entertainers to plunder and destroy cherished ideals, the lofty standards, the clear views that have given the home its character. If you will familiarize your young people with the best reading, they will not be likely to crave what is inferior and demoralizing. The Youth's Companion is a powerful influence in awakening a taste for what is best in reading. It is on guard at the reading gate! Nothing cheap, mean or hateful passes its challenge. But neither does the crabbled and dull and austere. Cheery idealism is The Companion's counterclaim. Put it on guard at your reading gate! The Companion is \$2.00 a year. If you do not know it, by all means send for sample copies giving a forecast of what the next volume will bring. By adding 25 cents you can also get McCall's Magazine, the best fashion authority for women and girls—both publications for \$2.25. Our two-at-one-price offer includes: 1. The Youth's Companion—52 issues of 1918. 2. All the remaining issues of 1917. 3. The Companion Home Calendar for 1918. 4. McCall's Magazine—12 fashion numbers of 1918. All for only \$2.25. THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, Commonwealth Ave., Boston, Mass. New Subscriptions Received at this Office.

Calf Predicts War's End. The birth of a calf bearing the figures "17" on its hide, on the farm of G. W. Weaver, near Montgomery, Pa., leads many people to believe that the freak foretells the end of the war before the close of 1917. The figures are nine inches high and one-half inch wide. They are perfectly shown in black on white background on the left side of the calf. On the right side is the profile of a stern-looking man wearing a military cap, which all beholders so far have declared to be a striking silhouette of Napoleon Bonaparte.



SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM

N. E. - Schedule figures published only as information. Not guaranteed. Trains leave Manassas as follows: SOUTHBOUND No. 43-9.05 a. m. daily; local for Charlottesville and limited beyond to Atlanta. Conches only. No. 25-9.59 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. 17-4.55 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. 18-9.00 a. m. daily except Sunday; local to Washington. No. 16-9.05 a. m. daily; local to Washington. Parlor car, daily except Sunday. No. 20-2.42 p. m. daily; limited to Washington and points East. Stops on Sunday only. No. 14-2.47 p. m. daily except Sunday; limited to Washington. Parlor car. No. 44-5.52 p. m. daily; limited to Washington. No. 22-9.05 p. m. daily; local to Washington. Parlor car. No. 26-9.30 p. m. daily; limited to Washington and points east. Stops on Sat. WESTBOUND No. 49-8.25 a. m. daily; local to Harrisonburg. Parlor car. No. 21-4.55 p. m. daily except Sunday; local to Harrisonburg. Parlor car. R. H. DeBUTTS, Division Passenger Agent, Washington, D. C.



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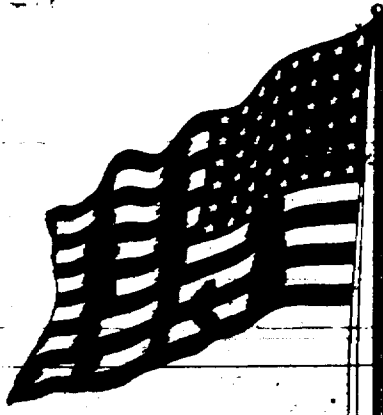
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HELPING THE BOYS IN CAMP

The organization of the Richmond Commission on Training Camp Activities will be news of great interest to the relatives and friends of the boys at Camp Lee.

The definite object in view is best set forth in the following letter which The Journal has received from headquarters, 607 East Grace street, Richmond, Virginia, through the secretary, Mr. G. H. Whitrey.

"Under the direction of the War Department Commission on Training Camp Activities of which Raymond B. Foadick is chairman, a Richmond Commission on Training Camp Activities has been formed.

"The particular task of this organization is to safeguard and direct the interests of the soldiers during their leisure hours, and also, to interest the people of the cities adjacent to the camps in the personal welfare of the soldiers, that grave dangers usually associated with camp life may be minimized or possibly eliminated.

"We wish to call the attention of your readers to the following services this office can render the people at home as well as the soldiers.

"1. We have on file a large list of conveniently located boarding houses, which, making moderate charges, are able to take care of the relatives of the men in Camp Lee.

"2. A large number of men and women have volunteered to visit the men of the camp when they are sick in the camp hospitals. When a boy in the camp is sick this office should be notified and we shall be glad to have him visited and his parents kept informed as to his condition.

"3. When requested, efforts will be made to have the boys temporarily adopted by homes in this city or in Petersburg.

"This work is suggested by the voluntary contributions of those interested in the welfare of the soldiers and no charge is made for the services we are able to render. Letters requiring an answer should contain a stamped envelope properly addressed.

"Parents and relatives of the men in Camp Lee are cordially requested to make use of our facilities for rendering the above services."

One county agent says that by trusting a sick cow for a man who always looked with doubt and suspicion on a county agent, he has been able to convince him that the county agent does know something. Have you carried your troubles to the county agent? He is the government's doctor at your service to try to cure all bad conditions in matters of stock raising and agriculture. Don't wait for your neighbor to find it out while, but when you are convinced, pass it on.

BIDDING THE BOYS ADIEU

Prince William is proud of her boys who have responded to the nation's call as volunteers and as members of the New National Army chosen by the draft. The fifth and last installment of our quota for the National Army, chosen by an enthusiastic send-off.

We were sorry to see them go, because we shall miss them and because we, the American people, with all our sporting blood, believe in war only when every other resort has failed. But we are proud that they are ready to go when we need them. It were small consolation to keep them with us, if thereby the Germans are to win the war.

"Many of the housekeepers tell me they could live this winter on what they have in their pantries," is the interesting statement of Miss Edith Thompson, home demonstration agent for Fairfax county, who is doing for Fairfax what Miss Gilbert is doing for Prince William. This is encouraging. Can any families in Prince William say as much?

Table with 2 columns: Receipts and Disbursements of School Funds in Manassas District for School Year Ending June 30, 1917. Includes items like State funds, County funds, District funds, and Total receipts.

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TALKS TO CLUB BOYS AND GIRLS

County Agent Discusses Plans of Poultry and Canning Clubs for Exhibit.

(Miss Lillian V. Gilbert, county home demonstration agent.)

The girls of the canning clubs are busy turning in their record books and compositions which will be in the hands of the judges next week and placed on exhibition at the corn show and fair Friday, November 23.

The girls are urged to have this part of their work in the demonstrators' office by the last of the week. Hon. C. C. Capita has remembered the girls with a handsome prize, \$5 for the canning club and \$6 for the poultry club.

The canning club has unusual advantages for the girl now. Not only does she learn to use the cold pack method in canning, but the literary, social and business sides of the work are brought out. She learns to be a little homemaker.

All girls completing the course in canning club work, after securing an average of 75 per cent each year may become members of the "All-Star Club" and be privileged to wear the star pin awarded by the state home demonstration agent.

A girl who has scored 75 per cent each year for four years will receive a certificate from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute in recognition of her work. If the average is 85 per cent the seal will be in silver, and if an average of 90 per cent is made, the seal will be in gold.

A four-year course has been mapped out for the poultry club work, which is recognized also by the Virginia Polytechnic Institute. All poultry club members reporting in full this year, who have not received poultry club pins, will be supplied when the records are in.

The girls and boys should get busy and let us have their compositions and matching and brooding reports. It is urged that every girl and boy exhibit one pullet and one cockerel at the show on November 23. A prize will be offered for the best cockerel and for the best pullet. If you have not both, don't fail to exhibit what you can.

Entry blanks have been sent in by the following girls and boys: W. Laird Avey, Bess E. Grisso, Birttrum Kidwell, Fred Stamer, E. H. Dickson, Roberts Smith, George Johnson, Gladys Johnson, Benjamin Lewis, Harvey Young, George Brecht, Willie Fairfax and Ernest Davis.

Boys and girls, don't be slackers. At least fifty should be in this list. All boys and girls finishing the four-year course in poultry work, as outlined by the extension division, will receive a certificate from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg. This is something worth working for. A number of prizes will be offered for the work. Each class will be recognized separately.

The great cry is "raise more poultry." This is what we can use here at home, so our beef, pork and mutton can be used for the army. Now is the time for poultry club members to "do their bit" for Uncle Sam. Some of these are doing this already.

ROLL OF HONOR Roll of honor for Purcell school Miss Mary A. Weber, teacher: Myral Beavers, Annabell Corwell, Evelyn Corwell, Rowena Corwell, Daisy Corwell, Amy Corwell, Arletta Townsend, Leona Townsend, Cleveland Corwell, Jessy Corwell, Milton Posey, Randolph Posey and Harold Townsend.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

If your boy is at Camp Lee, you will be interested in an article on the editorial page of the Journal.

The regular meeting of the Manassas Club will be held at the Town Hall Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Manassas Good Housekeepers' Club will be entertained next Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. R. S. Hynson.

The Gypsy Smith prayer circle will meet next Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. D. Weirich.

The students of the Temple School of Music gave a recital Wednesday evening at the studio in Hibbs & Giddings Building.

The ladies of the Manassas Baptist Church will hold their annual dinner and bazaar in Conner's Hall on Thanksgiving day.

A meeting of the Manassas Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, was held at the chapter hall Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Adah Wenrich and Miss Ruth Leith have accepted positions with Mr. J. W. Smith at the Five, Ten and Twenty-five Cent Store.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at the rectory next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. W. C. Wagener, who has been in a Washington hospital, has returned to her home on Battle street, and is very much improved in health.

An oyster supper was held recently at home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hundley, for the benefit of the Methodist Church. The proceeds amounted to about \$22.

Rev. L. C. Messick and his family have moved from Nokesville to Manassas and are occupying the United Brethren parsonage on West street, adjoining the church.

Mrs. C. E. Nash is in Petersburg with her daughter, Mrs. George Berger Coker, whose husband has been extremely ill of pneumonia. Mr. Coker is improving slowly.

Private Claude H. Wise, formerly of Manassas, who has been in Pennsylvania for some time, is with the enlisted signal reserves of the New National Army at Camp Meade, Md.

Miss Grace M. Holtzclaw and Mr. Beverly M. Leache, both of Greenwich, were married Saturday at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Barnett Grimsley, of the Baptist church.

Frederick Hunton Cox, of Manassas, a member of the first contingent of Prince William men sent to Camp Lee, has been transferred from Company E, 318th Infantry, to headquarters company, retaining the rank of sergeant.

Mr. Montgomery Fox, of Centerville, who has been confined to his bed at the home of his son in Fairfax county for several weeks as the result of a blow on the head, is recovering and was able to return to his home last week.

Robert Newman, of Fairfax, a respected colored man employed on the Pringle farm by Mr. S. G. Byrnes, died Saturday, after a short illness, at the age of forty-seven. Funeral services were held Tuesday. Two children survive.

The ladies of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union have announced a pie sale to be held in the Reid Building tomorrow, beginning at 2 p. m. There will be pie and three more pies, including genuine cream and lemon pies.

Mrs. William Vogt represented the Woman's Auxiliary of Trinity Church at the annual convention of the state Woman's Auxiliary of the Protestant Episcopal Church, which was held at Charlottesville this week. Mrs. Vogt is president of the local branch.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Larkin, who made their home at the Payne residence on Main street, which was recently purchased by Mrs. Peter Polen, have moved to the Shannon property on West street. Mrs. Polen is making preparations to move from Hickory Grove to Manassas.

Mrs. Lucy M. Winn and her son, William T. Winn, were killed Thursday night when their automobile was struck by a train near DeWitt, Dinwiddie county. Mrs. Winn was the widow of the late Thomas Winn, of Brunswick county, and the daughter of Capt. Richard Manson, a veteran of the civil war. She is survived by one son and four daughters, among whom is Mrs. Harwood P. Myers, of Accomac county, wife of Harwood P. Myers and daughter-in-law of Mrs. W. R. Myers, of Manassas.

A meeting of the Prince William Home Guards, originally set for November 8, will be held at the Town Hall next Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Every member and others who desire to join are urged to be present.

Great preparations are being made for the Prince William show, to be held November 23. A full account of the plans was given in the issue of November 9 and further announcement will be made next week.

Prince William county last week enlisted the aid of more of her housewives in the food-saving campaign which is to help to win the war. Pledge cards were distributed by Mr. C. A. Montgomery, county agent, through the county schools.

The county board of supervisors held a meeting at the courthouse yesterday and a full account of the session will be given in next week's issue. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 27, and future meetings are to be held on the fourth Tuesday of the month.

Mr. Charles R. McDonald, division superintendent of schools, who has been ill for some time, paid a visit to his friends in Manassas Wednesday. Supt. McDonald is recovering rapidly and is planning to begin his visits to the schools of the county next week. He was accompanied to Manassas by Mrs. McDonald.

Dr. E. L. Flanagan, district director of the state board of health, who has been conducting a health survey in Fairfax county, recently reported that an intestinal worm, sixteen feet long, had been taken from the body of a Fairfax child three and a half years old. The treatment in the case was administered under the supervision of the child's physician.

One hundred and fifty Christmas packages for our soldiers and sailors here and abroad will be shipped tomorrow by the Manassas Chapter, American Red Cross. The chapter accepted 100 packages as its apportionment of the 1,000,000 to be prepared by the national Red Cross and later when packages began to arrive the number was advanced to 150. Contributions have been received from every section of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence M. Mims recently celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at their home in Springfield, S. C. Their four daughters and about 100 guests were present, including Miss Mary Lee Chapman, of Manassas. Mrs. Mims was formerly Miss Minnie Wroe, of Prince William county, a niece of late Lieut. and Mrs. Edwin Nelson and a cousin of Mrs. Albert Speiden, of Manassas.

The ninety-fourth annual meeting of the Baptist General Association of Virginia will convene in Roanoke, Monday, November 19. The sessions of the association will be held in the Belmont Baptist Church. Len G. Broughton, the noted Baptist minister of Atlanta, London, England, and other places, and other Baptist divines of wide reputation are on the program. The sessions will continue for five days, during which time the delegates will be entertained by the Baptists of Roanoke.

Mrs. Jacob L. Harrell entertained at bridge Monday evening at her home on West street, in honor of her guest, Mrs. Wade Carmack, of Bristol, Tenn. Mr. G. Raymond Ratcliffe received the prize awarded to the player making the highest score. Music was rendered by Miss Mildred Belt. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Waters, Mrs. W. Fewell Merchant, Mrs. L. Frank Pattie, Mrs. Harry P. Davis, and Mrs. Stuart E. Evans.

A silver tea was given at the chapter hall Friday evening by the Manassas Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, for the benefit of a needy Confederate soldier. Rev. Barnett Grimsley presided. Mrs. Arthur W. Sinclair, chapter historian, read an interesting history of the Prince William Cavalry and readings were given by Miss Porter, of Eastern College. The musical program included solos by Mrs. L. Frank Pattie and Mrs. John L. Elliott, accompanied on the organ by Miss Julia W. Lewis, and violin solos by Mr. Orville W. Mosher, jr. Delightful refreshments were served.

Dr. A. C. Fisher, of Richmond county, a brother of Mrs. J. F. Burks, of Manassas, has offered his services to the medical corps of the United States Army and is expecting immediate orders to sail for France. Dr. Fisher is the head of a patriotic family. His son, Marion Fisher, formerly of the Coast Guards, organized at Roanoke, is now stationed at Fortress Monroe, and another son, Augustus Fisher, is an army engineer. Miss Beattie Fisher, of Norfolk, a daughter, which is making preparations to sail. Another daughter, Mrs. Wright, of Warsaw, who was a trained nurse before her marriage, and her husband, a physician, are preparing to enlist.

Every housewife who signed the food pledge cards will receive a badge.

The Auction Bridge Club was entertained Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, at their residence on Grant avenue. The present were: Dr. C. R. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Waters, Mrs. Jacob L. Harrell, Mrs. Margaret Lewis and Mrs. W. Fewell Merchant, wife of Lieut. Merchant. Later in the evening the hostess served quail on toast.

Rev. J. F. Burks has resigned as rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, Manassas; St. Anne's Memorial Chapel, Nokesville, and the Mission Chapel, Clifton, and accepted a call to the Episcopal churches at Evinston and Alta Vista, Campbell county. His resignation, which is effective February 1, was tendered Sunday afternoon before a meeting of the vestry of Trinity Church. Rev. Mr. Burks has been rector of the Prince William churches for the past four years and the family has made many friends in this section of the state. He is a former rector of the Episcopal Church at Brandy Station, Culpeper county.

A fire in the kitchen of the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sorg, at Dunn Loring, Fairfax county, recently burned to death their two children whom they had left alone in the house for a short time while working in their dairy. Smoke was seen coming from the building by neighbors and when the door was opened the interior of the kitchen was in a blaze. No one could enter until the flames had been extinguished. The bodies of the boy, three years old, and the girl of eighteen months were found burned to a crisp. It is supposed that the children were playing with the fire in the kitchen stove and set the room ablaze.

A committee of ladies is collecting jams, jellies and preserves to send to convalescent hospitals for the soldiers of France. A great many jars have been contributed and the committee has adopted the slogan, "Five Hundred Quarts by December 1," hoping that Prince William may be able to make this gift. It is authoritatively stated that the soldiers whose nerves have been shattered by the excitement of the trenches are given sweets at regular intervals, both day and night, as medicine, and that it produces the tonic effect desired where all drugs have failed. Contributions may be left at the office of Hon. Thomas H. Lien.

Some of the housewives of lower Prince William are planning to invite Uncle Sam's soldiers to take dinner with them on Thanksgiving day. Each family is to invite as many as desired to partake of their family dinner. The invitations are to be left by individuals with the commander of the camps, who will designate the men. The plan is not intended to reach the man who is near home and friends, but for those who are too far away to spend the holiday at home, or possibly have no home, or any one to care. It is expected that a large number of families will be glad to share their festivities with the boys who are trying to win the war. Persons in this section probably will invite the boys at Quantico.

Representatives of the Bankhead Highway Association arrived in Manassas Wednesday evening and held a short conference in the director's room of the National Bank with members of the Manassas unit. Among the members of the party were Senator Bankhead, of Alabama, whose long career in congress is chiefly recognized by his work in connection with good roads, rural free deliveries and post roads; Mr. Playman, Alabama capitalist, who is one of the promoters of the association; Mr. L. T. Harrison, of Lynchburg, representing the Piedmont division, and three pathfinders, who are expected to pass through Manassas by automobile today. Members of the association who realize the importance of placing Manassas on the highway route are hoping to elicit the active co-operation of every person in the section.

Mr. C. A. Hoppin, of Worcester, Mass., is spending a few days in Manassas to go over the records at the Prince William county courthouse, which are of value in compiling data concerning the families of the early settlers of New England and some of the Atlantic States. Mr. Hoppin declares that the old records could not be duplicated by any means living today, in care, thoroughness, neatness and precision. Most of the writing was done by men born and educated in England, who had been taught to write the old court hand, and their work is beautifully expressed and perfect in form. Mr. Hoppin has been engaged in research work in England for sixteen years, he told a representative of The Journal, looking up the earlier history of the American colonists. When the war began he returned to America, as the English archives were no longer open for inspection. He has published several books.

ABOUT PEOPLE WE KNOW

Mrs. Craver, of New York, is visiting her sister, Miss Mary Snook.

Miss Esther Dickens, of Bristol, was a Manassas visitor during the week.

Miss Lillie Evans, of Gordonsville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Larkin.

Miss Julia Ayres Maloney visited friends in Washington Monday and Tuesday.

Rev. Alford Kelley has returned from a short stay in Minnieville and Quantico.

Mr. Gilbert Lunsford, who has been visiting his family here, will return to Galax today.

Private T. D. Robinson, Company K, Camp Lee, spent Sunday with his wife in Manassas.

Lieut. Everett L. Rice, U. S. A., is spending the week with his mother, Mrs. Welby M. Rice.

Mr. W. L. Jerman, of Takoma, D. C., a former resident, was a Manassas visitor Tuesday.

Mr. A. H. Roseberry, of Madison Rup, Orange county, visited Mr. E. B. Giddings last week.

Mrs. Wade Carmack, of Bristol, Tenn., during the week was the guest of Mrs. Jacob L. Harrell.

Miss Myra Payne is spending a few days in Washington with her sister, Mrs. Lindsay L. Lomax.

Mr. W. H. Lipscomb, of New York, was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lipscomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duell, of New York, were week-end guests of Miss Mary Snook, at her home near Bristol.

Miss Margaret Worthington, of Charlestown, W. Va., is the guest of Miss Isabel Kelley during her stay in Manassas.

Dr. M. C. Bennett, of Washington, was a guest this week at the home of Lieut. and Mrs. George C. Round, on Bennett avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Wenrich, of Washington, this week were the guests of Mr. Wenrich's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wenrich.

Mrs. N. L. Turner, jr., of The Plains, and her little son, Nathaniel Loughborough Turner, III, are visiting at the home of Mrs. P. P. Chapman.

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

Mrs. Charles Ford Brower, jr., of Norfolk, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary E. Wilkins. Mrs. Wilkins will return to Norfolk with her daughter.

Miss May Leachman has been in Philadelphia, where her brother, Keith Leachman, younger son of County Treasurer J. P. Leachman, is recovering from typhoid fever.

John Winn and Harwood P. Myers, jr., the little sons of Rev. and Mrs. Harwood P. Myers, of Onancock, Accomac county, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Myers.

Private Gordon H. Brown, of Mineola, Long Island, is visiting at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Brown.

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COUNTY MINISTERS MEET

Resolutions Adopted and New Officers Elected.

The Ministerial Association of Prince George's County met at the manse yesterday morning, Rev. T. D. Clark, president, in the chair. Rev. L. C. Messick led in prayer. This being the time for the annual election of officers, Rev. Alford Kelley was elected president and Rev. H. Q. Burr, secretary. The association unanimously decided to hold a union meeting at the Presbyterian Church Wednesday, November 21, at 7:30 p. m., subject, "Luther and the Reformation." An illustrated lecture will be one of the features of the meeting which is to be held in recognition of the 400th anniversary of the Protestant Reformation, and it is hoped the meeting will be largely attended.

It was also decided to hold a union Thanksgiving service at the United Brethren Church at 10:30 a. m. Thursday, November 29. Rev. H. Q. Burr was appointed to preach the sermon on this occasion.

The following resolution was unanimously passed: "It is the decision of the members of this association that hereafter they will refuse to marry divorced persons unless they produce documentary evidence from some court that they are the innocent parties to a divorce granted only on the ground of adultery."

The following motion also was passed: "Hereafter no union service shall be held on Sunday or Wednesday night without the formal consent of the Ministerial Association, and this association respectfully requests the District Sunday School Association to hold future meetings during the week."

The association adjourned to meet Tuesday, November 13, at 10 a. m.

INTERESTING VISITORS

COME TO MANASSAS

(Continued from page One.)

Catharine J. West of Western, Pa. The ladies visited the battlefield and with them originated the plan of a monument at the Henry House. On the day of the dedication Lieut. Pearson was the commissioner who had charge of the conveyance for 500 visitors from Washington who left the railroad at Fair Farm Station, as the railroad bridge at Union Mills had not been rebuilt. When the commissary had started the cavalcade back across Bull Run he says he reserved the best ambulance and horse and took the prettiest girl and it so happened that he has traveled with her ever since. They visited the scene of some of their courtship at the Henry House in 1905 with Lieut. Round and Mrs. Round and both still survive and reside side by side with former residents of the eminent Frances E. Willard, in the headquarters of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

WELBY M. RICE DIES ON FRIDAY

(Continued from page One.)

Charles B. Kelly and W. E. McCoy. Mr. Rice was born in Paris, Fauquier county, April 7, 1861, the son of James M. and Mary J. Rice. He is survived by his wife, who was before her marriage Miss Rose Latimer; five children, Welby Carroll, Everett Latimer, James Emmett, Marvin Latimer and Rose Elizabeth; two sisters, Mrs. Cornelia Settle, of Missouri, and Mrs. Alfred Green, of Paris; and four brothers, Messrs. J. E. Rice, Pueblo, Colo.; Thomas B. Rice, Dodge City, Kans.; James W. Rice, Delray, Fla.; and Bertrand Rice, Wibaux, Mont. Lieut. Everett L. Rice, U. S. A., who has been stationed in New York near the Canadian border, reached here in time to attend his father's funeral.

WHEN THE WAR WILL END

Absolute knowledge, I have none, But my aunt's washerwoman's sister's son Heard a policeman on his beat Say to a laborer on the street That he had a letter just last week That was written in the finest Greek From a Chinese coolie in Timbuctoo Who said the negroes in Cuba knew Of a colored man in a Texas town Who got it straight from a circus clown That a man in Klondike heard the news From a bunch of South American Jews About somebody in Borneo Who heard a mah who claimed to know Of a swell society female fake Whose mother-in-law will undertake To prove that her seventh husband's niece Has stated in a printed piece That she has a son who has a friend Who certainly knows when the war will end. —Exchange.

The Aid Society of Grace Church met at the home of Mrs. L. B. Williams, in Prescott avenue.

William Burgess, colored, convicted at the September term of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county criminally assaulting a Fairfax child and sentenced to be electrocuted, paid the penalty of his crime, Friday last. A message received by Mr. F. W. Richardson, county clerk, from the penitentiary authorities, states that Burgess was put to death at 7:15 a. m. Friday.—Fairfax Herald.

Announcement has been made from the office of Governor Stuart of the appointment of State Senator Harry Flood Byrd as fuel administrator of Virginia. Senator Byrd is a son of Richard Evelyn Byrd, United States district attorney and former speaker of the House of Delegates. He represents the tenth senatorial district, is editor of the Winchester Star and president of the Valley Turnpike Company, which operates the longest stretch of good roads in Virginia.

Southern trains No. 9 and No. 10, running between Charlottesville and Danville for several months, will be returned to the old schedule again on Sunday, according to information received here, making the run between Washington and Danville. No schedule has been received at the local railroad office, but it is expected that No. 9, southbound, will reach Manassas about 8:30 a. m. and No. 10, northbound, will arrive about 2:30 p. m. News of the change will be gladly received, especially by those who have felt the serious inconvenience of being without a mid-day train.

There is a rumor going about the state to the effect that the food administration will commandeer all canned goods beyond a certain limited number for each household. This statement was whispered about during the July food card campaign and cropped up last week last week during the recent food card campaign. It reached the ears of Colonel E. B. White, food administrator for Virginia, who now issues an absolute denial that any food-canned by any housewife in any city or county of the state will be taken over by the government for any purpose whatsoever. What a woman can do with, to do with as she pleases, says Colonel White. The government has nothing to do with it, and if every woman in the state will deny this rumor that has somehow crept abroad she will be doing a favor to the Virginia food administration, as well as the whole government.

EASTERN COLLEGE NOTES

What members of the class of 1917 of Eastern College are doing: Will C. Duncan is teaching in Irving School for Boys, Tarrytown, N. Y. Timothy C. Dale is in France with the Boston Medical Unit. Elisabeth C. Hoke is working for the government in Washington. J. Hal Ramsey is in government service. George H. Richwine is teaching in the Central High School, Harrisburg, Pa. Clarence F. Rowland is in Red Cross work in Washington, D. C. Lester J. Henry is continuing studies and coaching athletics at Eastern. Jas. Thomas Dolan is in the employ of the Southern Railway, Washington, D. C. Minnie Arrietta Smith is now Mrs. W. Eldrid Whaley, Atlanta, Ga. H. Wayne Kramm is a member of the aviation corps. E. D. Kizer is teaching in Winona Lake College, Indiana. Daisy E. Brown is teaching at Buckhall, Va. Blanche M. Bushong is assisting her father in business. Lillian E. Ferguson is continuing her studies in household arts in Columbia University. Emma B. Kost is teaching mathematics and history in the Sullerwille High School, Ohio. Elizabeth Shannabrook is teaching domestic science and history in the Culpeper High School. Mabel Lee Jones is teaching in Maryland. Academy Graduates: Paul T. Galleher is in the coal business with his father, Superior, Wis. George Oliver Lynch is in Camp Lee. John P. Martin is in business with his father in Alabama. Walter H. Moore is in the Navy. Lyman Patterson is in the aviation corps, Princetown, N. J. George Curtis Porter is in France in the photographic corps. Irvin M. Quigg has a position in Washington, D. C. Margaret K. Roop has entered the freshman class of Eastern College.

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HIBBS & GIDDINGS

CHURCH SERVICES

PRESBYTERIAN
Presbyterian Church, Rev. Alford Kelley, pastor.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Subject, Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Subject, Seeking Worth-While Things.

Greenwood Presbyterian Church, Manassas, Rev. Alford Kelley, pastor. Preaching Sunday, November 18, at 10 a. m.

EPISCOPAL
Trinity Episcopal Church, Rev. J. F. Hurks, rector.

LUTHERAN
Bethel Lutheran Church, Rev. Edgar Z. Pence, pastor.

BAPTIST
Manassas Baptist Church, Rev. T. D. Clark, pastor.

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

METHODIST
Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Manassas, Rev. H. Q. Burr, pastor.

UNITED BRETHREN
Rev. L. C. Messick's appointments follow: Manassas—First and third Sundays, 7:30 p. m.

Rev. C. K. Millican's appointments follow: Sudley—First, second and fourth Sundays, 11 a. m.

Rev. C. K. Millican's appointments follow: Gainesville—First Sunday, 3 p. m.

Rev. C. K. Millican's appointments follow: Woodlawn—Third and fifth Sundays, 8 p. m.

Rev. C. K. Millican's appointments follow: Buckhall—Second and fourth Sundays, 3 p. m.

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By E. A. MOREE, Former Director of the Atlantic Division of the American Red Cross.

"It is not for the men in the trenches that I feel the greatest pity, much as their terrible and heroic suffering stirs my heart. I am moved most by the plight of those behind the lines and in the devastated territory, women, aged men and little children, left in cold blood unprotected and dying by the hundreds of thousands from exposure and starvation."

Mrs. William R. Draper, the tireless vice president of the New York county chapter of the Red Cross, made this reply to my request that she tell me something of what seemed to her the most interesting phase of Red Cross work at present. "It's comparatively easy," she said, "for a well fed man to face swift death in the excitement of battle. It's another matter for the mother who lies on the sidewalk of a wrecked and deserted village, her starving children around her, and watches an agonizing death approach by inches. So much for sentimental pity! But that should not be the main motive. We must be supremely practical. The future welfare of these war-torn peoples depends on our giving prompt aid to these children and their mothers. We must do it simply, and we must do it right. "I suppose I feel this phase of the need more keenly because of the many friends I have scattered through Europe. They are constantly writing me graphic letters describing the needs of those people and begging us to do something for them. "I happened to know something of the effect of these letters judiciously passed around by Mrs. Draper among her many wealthy friends in this country through those indirect appeals Mrs. Draper has been able to turn over to Red Cross headquarters many large gifts of money and countless supplies. For instance, a group of five of her Brooklyn friends have given her the privilege of spending \$20,000 a year for this work, besides hundreds of thousands of dozens of pairs of the best socks that can be purchased. "Here's a letter from a friend in Serbia, the little country we're so likely to overlook in our earnestness about France and Belgium," she went on. "Their army has no reserves. Last fall at Monastir the same men fought for one hundred consecutive days with out relief. They were most miserably clothed and fed, and hardest of all not one of them knew whether his wife and children were alive or if living where they were. Thousands upon thousands of peasant women and children in Serbia have no source of food and clothing but the army and the Red Cross. "Thousands of these sufferers live right in the war zone, many of them actually in the zone of fire. The army has done its best to help them, but the army has only bread and meat to give, and a little of that. The industrial and scattering relief agencies that are seeking to help are almost hopelessly handicapped by lack of materials, workers or transportation. One of the most useful things we can do is to send automobiles to the Red Cross workers in Serbia. The following extract from this letter summarized the needs: The big cry is for the women and children. Most of the children are little girls, so that means plain, simple warm garments which can be worn by peasants who have been used to wearing heavy hose-suits. The foods required are beans, turnips, sugar, cocoa and condensed milk. Sweetened condensed milk is not desirable. The best tinned milk used on any of the fronts is just the straight tinned milk without either condensation or sweetening. It ought to be possible to send plenty of raisins and prunes from the United States. Those Serbian women and children have no fruit item in their diet and they need it. At the same time the letter told of some sadly misguided efforts of private individuals, such as sending pink silk lingerie to Macedonian peasant women. One box opened for distribution on the front contained a pair of high-heeled shoes and a pair of silk stockings. "I have clapped my hands over my eyes," she said, "and I have said, 'What a waste!'

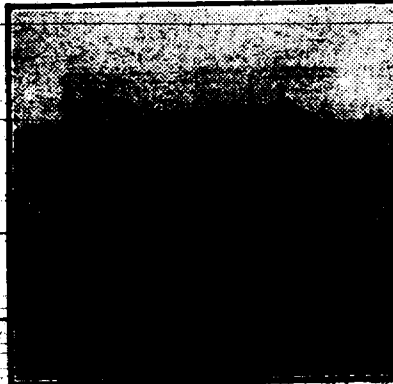


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We have arranged for a series of six interesting articles, "War Talks, by Uncle Dan," written by Mr. Howard H. Green, president of the University Training League, of which this is the first. They tell in a graphic way why military training is of value, both to the nation and to the individual, and our readers will find them of unusual interest.

WAR TALKS

By UNCLE DAN

Number One

America Must Fight Hard or Germany May Win—Necessity for Military Training.

"Now, Billie," said his mother, "your Uncle Dan is coming tomorrow to spend a week with us on the farm, and if you want to know about the war here's your opportunity. Uncle Dan is probably one of the best-informed men in the country." Billie clapped his hands and gave such a whoop that he awakened the baby, but what could you expect of a fifteen-year-old boy who is a living interrogation point and wants to know about war?

Uncle Dan arrived in due time and Billie watched for an opportunity. It came that evening after dinner when Uncle Dan had lighted a cigar and taken a seat on the porch.

"I'm mighty glad you came, Uncle Dan. I want to talk to you about the war. We have just put military training in our township high school, but we had a hard time to do it. The Joneses and the Greggs objected. They said the war wouldn't come over here. Grandma Jones said: 'They ain't no use to us to train, it will soon blow over.' Well, we put the training in just the same. You ever heard Judge Brownell, the president of the school board, do the stretches up. He said unless we take off our coats and go to it, Germany may yet win, and if she does, she will take over the great British fleet as a war trophy and compel us to do what she wants to; that she could make us pay all the cost of the war; the Kaiser could tax us as he pleased and that we couldn't help ourselves. He could make every one pay over a part of what he craves; that he could make the farmers pay rent for their own farms, etc. Now, Uncle, what do you think of that?"

"Well, my boy," said Uncle Dan, "all that Judge Brownell says might easily come true and may unless we get quickly to the aid of the allies with large numbers of men and help them break the German line. Unless we can beat the submarines, they may prevent us from getting enough food to the allies to keep them going. In that case Germany would win. As matters stand today, our greatest need is trained men. If we had had several millions of men with military training in our industries and on our farms when the war came, who could have been called at once for service, I do not believe the Kaiser would have spread the war upon us. As it was, he had no respect for us, and now we are in it and must get through with it. But never again must we be caught so wholly unprepared. "There is only one safe way," said Uncle Dan, "and that is to adopt permanently universal military training, apply it to every young man who is physically fit, say in his thirteenth or twentieth year. The training can be carried forward in the United States training camps that are now being established for training men called by the selective draft. As soon as these men vacate those stations, they should be filled by younger men, and this should be made the permanent policy of the country."

Billie's mother, Mrs. Graham, had followed the conversation. She came out and said: "Really, Brother Dan, are you serious as to the danger of our country? If it is as bad as that, it is high time for us to wake up and do something about it."

"Exactly," replied Uncle Dan. "It is better to wake up now than to be roused awakened later. We may as well understand, sister, that this is our war and we must win it or God help America. Everything that we have or hope to have—our liberties, our blessings, our opportunities are all involved in the great issue before us. Nothing must stand between us and winning this war. It is a question whether the peoples' right or the Kaiser's might shall dominate the world. If there ever was a holy war, this is it. We are fighting for world liberty. We are fighting for the freedom of humanity. We are fighting for the right of men to govern themselves instead of being governed against their will by a war-mad overlord. Perilous times are ahead of us. We must be prepared to make any sacrifice, to perform any service that may be required of us."

"Oh, Uncle Dan," exclaimed Billie, "may I bring my chum, Jimmie Collins, when we have our next talk? He is a bug on this war business and just crazy to see you."

"Certainly," said Uncle Dan, with a hearty laugh. "If we are to have more talks, I shall be glad to have Jimmie join us."

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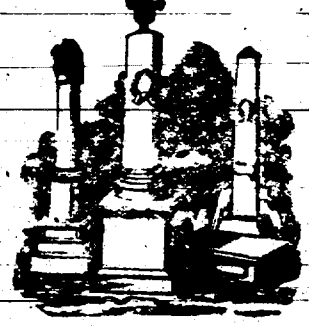
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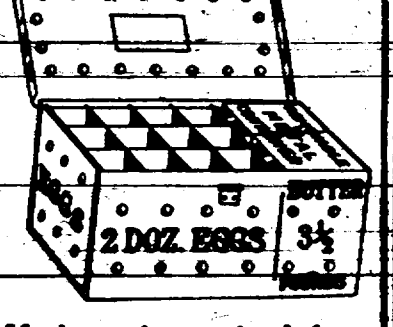


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 of her people to conserve their
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- Food is Wasted**
1. When it is spoiled in cook-
ing.
 2. When it is poorly prepared.
 3. When more is cooked than
can be consumed.
 4. When more is purchased
than can be conserved.
 5. When it is trimmed or
pared too thick.
 6. When poor judgment is
displayed in its selection.
 7. When the meal is not prop-
erly balanced.
 8. When too much is served.
 9. When we eat more than the
bodies require.

The demand for food conserva-
 tion and economy is not an in-
 dividual necessity but a National
 necessity and is overlooked by a
 large number of people. National
 Conservation can only be
 accomplished through individual
 conservation. Whether or not
 our surroundings render it nec-
 essary for us to conserve food
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 ies call upon every one to con-
 serve.

Several years ago a famous
 student of history and econom-
 ics indicated that the next war
 would not be won by armed sol-
 diers but by famine. This coun-
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 food is practiced, famine may be
 the controlling element. Our al-
 lies are fighting—they are not
 agricultural producers. The lo-
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 has been greatly reduced. This
 country must stand sponsor for
 the food needed by the allies and
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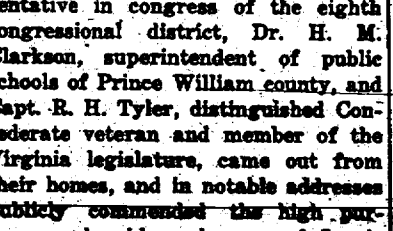
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 port Blackwell and Edward Magpie
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 are of such value there that I can't
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 "John Minor Leavelle, Ludlow Clark,
 and Dick Thompson are in the sup-
 ply depot with Col. Whitcomb and
 they are all doing good work. Ben
 Wood is also at the base hospital
 where the other boys are, and I have
 young Willis with me. Dan Kelly's
 boy is a daisy and is here with me.
 Hefflin is also at a hospital, but I shall
 have him with me soon. They are as
 fine a lot as I know and the outfit
 has just about saved my life. I call
 them the 'Forty Immortals'."

**CRITICISES ACTION
 OF COLORED LEAGUE**
 Reader Says Industrial School
 Should Not Be Drawn
 Into Politics.
 The Manassas Journal:
 Will you kindly permit me to say
 in the columns of your paper that it
 was with surprise akin to consterna-
 tion I read in your last issue an or-
 ganization named "The Colored
 Voters' League" had designated the
 Manassas Industrial School as a ren-
 dezvous on a certain date for those
 who may or may not favor the prop-
 aganda of said league. As there were
 no names signed to their propositions
 and all I know of their organization
 is what I learned from reading last
 week's Journal, my remarks cannot be
 considered as directed to any one per-
 sonally when I say to the Colored
 Voters' League as a whole that to
 draw the Industrial School within the
 scope of politics, to make it a meet-
 ing place for political parties, or even
 to suggest that discussion of current
 political issues take place in the build-
 ings or on the grounds is a line of
 thought and action wholly opposed to
 the spirit of its founder, Jennie Dean.
 Her aim was to establish a purely
 educational institution where her
 young people could be trained in a
 well-grounded English education and
 useful industrial arts, based upon a
 firm religious foundation of truth and
 virtue, with kindness and charity to
 all. We all know that political dis-
 cussions, like creed discussions and
 race issue questions engender feeling,
 aroused feelings cause indignant re-
 marks and sometimes produce worse
 things, and from a small beginning if
 the wrong direction large and un-
 pleasant occurrences may result.
 When the first building erected on
 the grounds of the Manassas Indus-
 trial School for Colored Youth was
 dedicated on September 4, 1894, three
 eminent gentlemen of Prince William
 county, Hon. E. E. Meredith, repre-
 sentative in congress of the eighth
 congressional district, Dr. H. M.
 Clarkson, superintendent of public
 schools of Prince William county, and
 Capt. R. H. Tyler, distinguished Con-
 federate veteran and member of the
 Virginia legislature, came out from
 their homes, and in notable addresses
 publicly commended the high pur-
 poses and noble endeavors of Jennie
 Dean in thus establishing an enter-
 prise which they believed would be
 productive of a general good. Since
 then the standing of the Manassas
 Industrial School has been unques-
 tioned as an institution of useful aims
 and beneficent purposes, and the
 friends of Jennie Dean and her work
 never wish to see its standards low-
 ered.
 May I express the wish that the
 next issue of your paper after this will
 contain an apology from the Colored
 Voters' League for unintentionally I
 hope—publicly casting a blamish upon
 the execution of an institution
 founded solely for the purpose of ben-
 efitting educationally and religiously
 their children and their children's
 children, and to declare uncondi-
 tionally that as Jennie Dean's life-
 work is their inheritance, the stand-
 ards of the Manassas Industrial School
 as conceived by her pure and lovely
 spirit shall never be lowered by any
 set of theirs.

JANE E. THOMPSON.
 Broad Run, Virginia.

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GAINESVILLE

Miss Fatella Cave left Friday for Baltimore, Md.

Messrs. O. P. Sinclair and Robert Lee had a successful day hunting last Thursday.

Maynard M. Mason, a former Gainesville boy, leaves for Fort Belvoir, U. S. engineer corps shortly.

L. M. Clarkson, brother of C. D. S. Clarkson, who has been connected with the letter in road building in this county, expects to sail for France shortly, having joined the U. S. army.

Mr. Chas. B. Allen is still engaged in surveying Mr. Gilbach Twigg's estate, near Markham.

Mr. G. E. Teates was a Bealeton visitor Sunday.

Charles K. Millican, who is a R. M. A. student at Frost Royal, has been quite sick recently.

Miss Nell Cave visited the Misses Furr at Broad Run on Sunday.

W. Atlee Wood was a Greenwich visitor on Wednesday.

Hunters Busy.

Judging from the size of the game bags brought in by the local hunters, game must be very plentiful; we understand two nimrods procured 90 some rabbits in two days. Looks like it won't last long at that rate.

Mr. Henry Dulaey, of Broad Run, has accepted a position as clerk in Cave's store, having started to work November 1.

Clarence Clarkson Mayhugh, one of the drafted boys from Gainesville, left Wednesday morning for the national army cantonment at Petersburg.

Judge Love, of Fairfax, visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Bella L. Hite, several days the past week.

Mr. Thomas M. Piercy, of Fredericksburg, is visiting his old home near here, now owned by his son, Jack M. Piercy.

Personal Mentions

Mr. Don Cologne, of Washington, D. C., was the guest of Mr. John Hall last week.

Mrs. Wilmer Stradley, who has been visiting the Misses Cave, returned to her home in Wilmington, Del., last week.

Mrs. Margaret Purcell, widow of the late Capt. J. E. Purcell, who has been spending several months at home here, left last week for Wilmington, Del., for the winter.

Rev. C. K. Millican preached a very interesting sermon to a large and attentive congregation on Sunday. His text was taken from Paul's Epistle to the Philippians, "to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain."

Mrs. Morris and her daughter, Miss Mayme Morris, who have been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Morris, near here, left on Friday for their home in Pittsburg, Pa.

WATERFALL

The Civic League of Waterfall school held its regular meeting on Wednesday evening of last week. An unusually large crowd was in attendance, and the League was glad to welcome many new members. After the business session the pupils of the school presented an interesting Hallows-eve program, as follows:

Song—America—By the school.

Recitation—Francis Kibler.

"Little Orphan Annie"—Evelyn Boley.

Dialogue—"Witches and Jack o' Lanterns"—By eight girls and boys.

Recitations, "Little Jack Pumpkinhead"—Nemie Grossman, Jr.

Witch Song—Pauline Gosson and Evelyn Boley.

Recitation, "I'm Not Afraid of Anything"—Omar Kibler.

Recitation, "When the Frost is on the Pumpkin"—Preston Smith.

Song, "U. S. A. Forever"—School.

The league was favored with two very interesting talks to the conservation of food by Messrs. E. R. Gosson and C. J. Meetze. After the program ice cream, cake and candy were served.

Messrs. Robin Powell and Joe Davis, of Bailey's Cross Roads, were in this neighborhood on a hunting trip the first of the week.

Mr. R. B. Gosson was a Manassas visitor on Wednesday.

Mrs. Susannah Bell is spending several days with Mrs. Frank Pickett, of Springfield.

KOPP

We have begun to realize that winter is on his way to us now. The roads in this section are in very good condition and the autoists are making good use of them for soon their cars will be put in garages to hibernate through the winter.

Messrs. Lion and Meetze motored through here Saturday.

Mrs. Laura Murphy and daughter, Miss Laura, accompanied by Misses Harriette Downs and Mildred Lanier, of Washington spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Annie Downs, and Miss Mary Murphy. Miss Harriette Downs has recently accepted a position in Washington, D. C.

Two privates in the marine corps spent the week-end at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Cole, of Kopp.

Miss Olivia Lynn, of Bellefair Mills, was a Kopp visitor Sunday.

Misses Hattie Cole, and Maed Norman and Messrs. Bryan Norman and Walter Woolfenden were visitors at the home of Miss Annah Woolfenden Friday.

Mr. Walter Woolfenden, accompanied by a party of friends, motored to Manassas Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. L. D. Donohoe was a Joplin visitor Monday.

We were very sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Brawner.

Mrs. Jones, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of Mr. Thomas Woolfenden, sr.

Services were held at Bellehaven Church Sunday by Rev. Barnett Grimsley.

League Program.

The Holmes School and Civic League held its regular meeting at Holmes School, Saturday evening. A large crowd was in attendance, and a short program was rendered. A play, "Married to Suffragette" was given. The characters were as follows: Mr. Bobbs—Mr. Woolfenden. Mrs. Bobbs—Miss Cole.

Cousin Madge—Miss Norman. Mrs. O'Conner—Miss Mountjoy.

The next meeting will be held Saturday evening, December 1, at which time a box social will be given, for the benefit of the school, and other refreshments will be sold.

The farmers are busy husking corn and taking care of other food, products for winter.

The gunners seem to be enjoying the season, and report much success.

SNOWBIRD.

HAYMARKET

There will be a business meeting of the Haymarket Branch of the American Red Cross at the Town Hall Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Members are urged to attend, as matters of importance are to be discussed. At the close of the business session refreshments will be sold for the benefit of the branch.

The food conservation rally held at the school building on Tuesday of last week was very well attended, and the pledge cards signed by practically all members present who had not signed in July.

School Program

The Haymarket High School is now well under way, with good attendance.

Miss M. E. Scott is principal, and Mrs. J. E. Jordan and Miss Lillian Lightner are assistants.

Mr. Lee Massie Clarkson, youngest son of the late Dr. H. M. Clarkson, has recently enlisted in the army, and is in training at Camp Meade.

Dr. and Mrs. Wade G. Payne are occupying their pretty and attractive home, recently purchased in Haymarket.

Mr. Charles Gillis left Tuesday for his new home in Montgomery county, Maryland. Mrs. Gillis is visiting her parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. R. East, of Haymarket.

Entertains Guild

The ladies of St. Paul's Guild were pleasantly entertained by Miss Sue Alrich on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Shoemaker left last Friday for Washington, where they spent several days before going to their home in Montgomery, Ala., for the winter.

Mr. Marion Hutchinson is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hutchison.

Mr. Gustav Heineken, of Baltimore, is a guest at "Mill Park."

Miss Belle Price was a Washington visitor this week.

Dr. S. A. Wallis, of the Theological Seminary, will preach at St. Paul's Church Sunday at 11 a. m.; at Rockland Chapel at 3 p. m. and at the sanctuary at 7:30 p. m.

NOKESVILLE

Mr. Joseph Manuel spent Sunday with Mrs. Manuel, who was taken to Emergency Hospital, Washington, last week to be operated on for appendicitis. Mrs. Manuel is slowly recovering.

Mrs. John Diehl died Tuesday morning at her home near Nokesville. She is survived by her husband and three children.

The Nicol Literary Society of Hebron Seminary gave a Hallows' program Friday evening. The amusing and entertaining program was enjoyed by a large audience. Hon. C. J. Meetze gave a short address on food conservation.

Mrs. Samuel Whetzel and her two children are visiting her parents in Rockingham county. The hospitable home of the family in her absence is presided over by Mr. Whetzel's sister, Miss Sarah Whetzel.

Miss Franziska Jones, Mrs. T. A. Bodine and her niece, Miss Ruth Brecken, all of Washington, spent the week-end with Mrs. H. J. Jones.

Mrs. W. E. Free, jr., returned Sunday from an extended visit to relatives in Alexandria and Washington.

Mrs. Jones and her family, of Elkwood, spent Monday here at the home of Mr. Robert Jones.

CLIFTON

The school league met last Friday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. Buckley, in charge. The chairman of the road committee reported the decision of the committee and it was moved and carried that the chairman be authorized to proceed with work.

Several members present voted to give \$1 each to the fund and Dr. J. H. Ferguson promised a team and hand for a day.

The secretary reported that the schoolboard would pay \$5 per month to the salary of Mrs. Hodge and that the league would be expected to pay the remainder. A committee of teachers was appointed to get new members. A committee of three gentlemen was appointed to keep order at any entertainment given by the school.

The members of this committee, provided they will act, are Messrs. Joshua Buckley, Maurice Davis and Roger Cross.

Mrs. Buckley tendered her resignation as president, which was accepted with regret. Rev. W. L. Naff was duly elected president, and the league adjourned to meet the first Friday in December.

Community Fair

The community fair was quite a success. The basketball girls played the second team of Manassas High School in the morning and were beaten 14 to 6, and in the afternoon they played the first team from Manassas, losing 22 to 6. The games were played according to the rules adopted by the visiting teams, which differed from the rules observed at Clifton.

The exhibits were very good and somewhat better than last year's display, except in the fancy work department, which was not quite so full. Some especially fine turnips were exhibited by John Ferguson and Emanuel Humberger.

After luncheon the speakers took charge of the meeting, Superintendent M. D. Hall acting as chairman. Mrs. Hodge played and led the singing, while all arose and sang "America." Rev. W. L. Naff led the audience in the Lord's Prayer, after which Supt. Hall introduced Miss Edith Thompson, home demonstrator of Fairfax, who spoke on the subject of how to save the food supply and how to help in the production of more food.

Mr. Sanders Speaks

Mr. H. W. Sanders, agricultural demonstrator at Manassas High School, spoke on gaining larger yields by following better methods. Mr. Hall then introduced Dr. Flanagan, who is making a health survey of the county. Dr. Flanagan told of his work and its designs and illustrated his remarks concerning hookworms with a chart showing the ravages of the disease and the change in a patient who had been cured by treatment.

Supt. Hall closed the meeting with a plea for more patriotism in the present crisis, especially in the conservation of food.

This is the second community fair Clifton has had and the promoters feel encouraged in the advancement made over the first one. The next will be held at an earlier date, if possible, in order to send the community exhibit to the county fair.

Red Cross Meets

The ladies of the Red Cross met in the school building Tuesday evening with a number of the members and friends on hand, either knitting or cutting out work to be taken home to be made. These new members were received, bringing the total membership up to 22.

Among the Sunday visitors from Washington were Irvin Quigg, James Cross and Archie Mathers.

Misses Sara Ferguson and Marjory Green spent the week-end here, the former with her parents and the latter with friends.

Old Landmark Burned.

The home of Mr. Wilton Buckley was destroyed by fire Thursday morning. The fire caught in the roof, supposedly from a hole in the chimney and was so far advanced when discovered by Mrs. Buckley and her daughter that nothing could be done. With the help of some men nearby they saved some of the household furniture. A great deal was lost, including Mrs. Buckley's supply of canned goods, nearly 200 cans, nine barrels of apples and their crop of sweet potatoes. Mr. Buckley was away from home.

The house was probably the oldest in the neighborhood. It is said to have been built 250 years ago and used in "ye olde times" as a tavern and wagon stand. Four generations of the Buckley family have been reared under its roof. Mr. Buckley will build on the old site at once. The family is with Mr. Buckley's son, Rush, for the present.

Mr. J. L. Fristoe has purchased a new Ford.

The literary society of the school

FORESTBURG

Mrs. J. E. Tapscott has returned from a visit to Berryville and Washington.

Mr. C. C. Dunn, of Quantico, visited his mother, Mrs. Charles Dunn, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Abel returned to their home in Washington Tuesday, after spending several days with Mr. Abel's father, Mr. R. S. Abel.

Mr. Richard Anderson visited in Joplin Sunday.

Miss A. M. Dunn recently cut her hand severely.

Mr. Jesse Rainey, of Dumfries, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. W. T. Abel.

Mrs. S. G. Bettis is on the sick list.

SOMETIME.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Strayed from "Mill Park" one small yearling horned bull, reddish white face. Please notify F. Peters, Haymarket. 1t

Coal stove for sale, good order. Mrs. C. E. Simmons. 1t

Piano for sale; good make; good condition. Mrs. J. F. Burks. 25-1t

For Sale—17 yearling steers and heifer calves, 3 cows; reasonable terms. D. W. Robinson, Catlett road, 1 1/2 miles from Nokesville. 1t

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Receipts and Disbursements of the Funds in Manassas District for School Year Ending June 30, 1917.

Receipts.	
State funds on hand July 1, 1916	600.28
State funds received during the year	7,716.89
County funds apportioned	1,979.90
District funds on hand July 1, 1916	2,077.98
District funds levied during year	4,560.83
Other funds on hand July 1, 1916	860.31
Library	25.00
Overdrawn on treasurer county fund	8,166.28
Dog taxes	151.82
Mrs. J. A. Robinson	10.00
Total receipts	\$22,529.39
Disbursements	
Amount paid teachers	\$13,082.74
New buildings	2,049.38
Repairs and furniture	1,972.85
Libraries	65.00
Maps, globes, etc.	18.40
Rent, fuel and light	643.22
Com. of treasurer	288.39
Pay of Dist. clerk and trustee expense	116.00
Debt, bonds and interest	1,108.00
Stationery and postage	14.80
Brooms, chalk and supplies	129.02
Freight and express	43.89
Insurance	29.13
Pay of janitors	41.75
Demonstration work	481.50
Farmers wages	484.70
Domestic science, seeds, etc.	284.64
Refunded to banks	58.92
Printing	114.45
Total disbursements	\$30,983.81
Insolvent	
Amount due treasurer	\$3,166.28
Literary fund	6,566.67
Total insolvent	\$9,732.95
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