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KU KLUX STAGE A HUGE PARADE

Recalls Reconstruction Days to Jacksonville, Florida's Old Civil War Residents.

The Ku Klux Klan is again in the limelight. The organization which began during the reconstruction period in the South, about which Thomas Dixon, the famous novelist, took such a delight in writing of their knightly deeds, has been reorganized, and is widespread and powerful.

Virginia is well represented in the Klan, there being branches in Richmond, and other cities in the state.

The most spectacular demonstration of the Ku Klux was that recently staged in Jacksonville, Fla., about which the Sunday Times-Union printed the following article:

"A silent host, cowed and gowned in flowing white, treading with dignity single file the downtown streets of Jacksonville, marched last night to remind the people here that the South is not dead.

From a point unknown to a point unknown, mute, unswerving, halting traffic demanding and receiving the right of way, walked the hosts of the Klan. Ahead went couriers, masked figures almost unconceivably massive, on horseback to warn the crowds of the Klan's approach.

A two-note blast on a cowhorn trumpet was the signal. The eerie tone reminded patriarchs of the days that were, when the South struggled against the forces of intrigue and oppression, when white-clad figures fared abroad by night to right wrongs, to preserve traditions.

About half an hour before the start of the demonstration, two couriers, mounted and masked, rode through the streets advising the public what to expect and advising against interference with the movement of the line. These couriers also heralded their approach by blasts on a trumpet.

Thousands congregated. Whispers ran through the crowds of Saturday night shoppers: "The Ku Klux are coming!" (Continued on Page Six)

DELEGATES TO MEET

Every league in Prince William county has been requested to send a delegate to the Co-Operative Education Association conference, to be held at Richmond, November 25th and 26th, in connection with the State Teachers' Association conference.

Written reports of the work of the various leagues by the presidents are to be sent to Mr. C. J. Meetze, as soon as possible, in order that all leagues will be represented in the report, which will be read at the conference.

MRS. HOWLAND HERE

The temperance question in general was discussed by Mrs. Emma Howland, of Boston, national organizer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, at the Presbyterian Church, last Sunday evening.

Sunday morning, Mrs. Howland spoke at the Woodbine Church, on a subject taken from the Bible. While in Manassas she was the guest of Mrs. Emily C. Round.

—Mr. James W. Burnett

\$69.25 COLLECTED ON NOV 2

Election Wire Service Paid—Balance of \$30.25.

Sixty-nine dollars and twenty-five cents was collected for the special wire to receive the election news in Manassas on November 2, according to J. H. Burks. \$37.50 of this amount was paid to the Western Union Telegraph Company, for the wire, and \$1.50 to Joe Mills for hauling chairs to and from the hall, leaving a balance of \$30.25, which has been placed in bank to the credit of O. E. Newman, chairman of the street committee, to be used for streets and sidewalks.

A large number of chairs from the Ruffner school building and Eastern College, were loaned for the night by Miss Lula D. Metz and Miss Flora Lion.

ROY PAYNE TAKEN BY SHERIFF'S MEN

Lodged In County Jail Here Following Complaints of

Chicken Thefts.

Roy Payne, sixty-three years old, was arrested early Tuesday morning by Sheriff C. A. Barbee, Deputy Sheriff J. P. Kerlin, and Boss and Logan Jacobs, following a complaint that he had been stealing chickens in the vicinity of Thoroughfare.

The sheriff and his men broke down the door of the Payne house about four miles out from Thoroughfare, and found their man in bed. He was taken into custody and brought to Manassas and placed in jail.

Payne was indicted last year on a charge of felony, but was released on \$1,000 bond to appear in the December, 1919, term of court, which he failed to do. The last heard of Payne previous to his arrest Tuesday morning, was that he was in Fauquier county.

AMENDMENTS FAVORED

In voting for the amendments to the Constitution, on November 2, it was decided in favor of amending all of the proposed sections.

The result of the ballot follows:

Section 32, for 504, against, 358; Section 117, for, 424, against, 327; Section 133, for, 594, against, 322; Section 136, for, 568, against, 310; Section 138, for, 609, against, 299; Section 184, for, 636, against, 309.

COCKRELL—DANIELS

Mr. Edwin L. Cockrell, a well known Manassas business man, and Miss Cora Daniels, of Catlett, were married at the home of the bride Thursday morning.

Both Mr. Cockrell and Miss Daniels were twenty-two years old. They left, immediately after the wedding, for Niagara Falls, on their honeymoon.

Mr. Cockrell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Cockrell.

MR. McLEAN FOUND DEAD

Mr. John W. McLean, of Newriver, Fairfax county, was found dead in his barn last Friday. He arose early that morning and went hunting, returning at dinner time. He partook of a hearty meal, and went to the barn. Shortly afterward his body was

WHAT MANASSAS NEEDS

By CLARENCE W. WAGENER

What about Manassas? Is the town all it should be? Are we, its citizens, leaving no stones unturned in furthering its progress?

Such questions as these must be popping up frequently in the minds of nearly all of us. The trouble is, I believe, that we lack faith in one another—at least to the extent that we fail to get together to thrash out many problems that all of us know ought to be thrashed out.

Now just why we hold back from pooling our ideas and knowledge for the betterment of the community puzzles many of us. To an outsider it must appear rather strange—the more or less isolated life each Manassas family group is living. Very likely this is due to our too intimate knowledge of each other, and a tendency to magnify characteristics in others that do not coincide with our likes and dislikes. To look for the best in our neighbors is an acquired trait, to say the least.

I do not believe we mean to give the impression that we are satisfied—though to an outsider we do. Among ourselves there are enough rumblings to indicate a smouldering dissatisfaction. The majority of us appreciate that Manassas, like so many other small towns, is not all it should be, but, feeling that somehow or other there is little co-operation here, we stifle any public expression of our yearnings for better conditions. With the individual citizens of Manassas trusting one another and giving one another credit for the possession of ideas that may be as good as their own, we would soon witness the birth of a new spirit of co-operation in Manassas.

What we need first of all is a spirit of brotherly regard for the opinions of others. We need frank and open discussion of all matters of public concern. The individual citizen should be encouraged by the rest to speak out his convictions openly. And his fellow citizens should render the respect always due honest convictions honorably expressed.

For some time and at my own instance, I have planned to write the series of articles of which this is the first. My aim will be to promote constructive discussion of specific improvements needed. I ask for such discussion both orally and through the columns of The Journal, which has kindly consented to publish signed contributions of this nature. Each article will be wholly impersonal and written with but one object in view—to promote the ultimate welfare of Manassas and her citizens.

Next Week—"WHAT MANASSAS NEEDS IN ADMINISTRATION."

TEACHERS ARE TO BE TRAINED BY MISS BELL

Leaves Harrisonburg for Richmond to Institute New Correspondence Course.

Harrisonburg, Va., Nov. 9.—Miss Mary I. Bell, who has been instructor in Hygiene and Librarian of the State Normal School in this city, is leaving for Richmond to institute a correspondence course for teachers, to train them in the physical inspection of children and enable them in turn to impart physical instruction to their charges.

Miss Bell will be attached to the State Health Department, but will work under regulations jointly approved by the State Board of Education and the Health Board. Such matters as the extent of the course, the number of hours to be exacted, the credits to be given, will have to be decided by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, but the character of the teaching and the subjects to be covered will be within the province of the health authorities.

This new course has been made virtually necessary under the provisions of the West bill which looks to a time in the near future when no teacher may secure a certificate or have one renewed unless he or she can exhibit proficiency in the elemental facts concerning physical education.

SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE GIVEN EX-SERVICE MEN

Y. M. C. A. to Assist Financially to Take Up Study—Short Course at V. P. I.

An amount of money has been appropriated by the Educational Committee of Fauquier County Young Men's Christian Association, for the purpose of awarding correspondent scholarships to a number of ex-service men.

The committee is anxious to serve as many men in the neighboring counties as possible, and any man who is interested in taking a correspondence or any collegiate course and needs help, the educational committee of Fauquier will assist him financially.

T. A. Graves, secretary of the committee, pointed out that it is possible for ex-service men who are interested in farming, to go to the V. P. I. for the short course for the month of February, for little or no expenses. Mr. Graves will furnish any information regarding the courses to any ex-soldier, sailor or marine in this county.

The Civic League of Dumfries, will hold a meeting on Monday night. All patrons are asked to be present. The League will give an oyster supper on Tuesday, November 23, at which Mr. C. J. Meetze will speak. Refreshments and music will be on the program.

ELECTION RETURNS, EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

	Cox	Harding	Moore	Brooks
Alexandria City	1,417	921	1,529	1,016
Arlington	885	997	1,470	740
Culpeper	973	938	1,129	207
Fairfax	1,994	967	2,038	813
Fauquier	1,965	568	1,519	472
King George	249	258	297	197
Loudoun	1,730	757	1,973	445
Louisa	682	312	833	188
Louisiana	718	258	922	200
Orange	786	393	896	309
Prince William	718	599	846	613
Stafford	459	599	546	613
		375	12,142	6,204

WOMEN VOTERS ASSEMBLE

Miss Dortch Addresses Meeting at Richmond.

Women from all parts of the state of Virginia, assembled in the Senate Chamber at Richmond, Wednesday, to complete the state organization of the League of Women Voters, a body whose objects are to foster education for citizenship and to promote progressive legislation.

The league strongly advocates its members entering the political parties of their choice and accomplishing their work through them. It is, according to its leaders, in no sense a woman's party.

Miss Della Dortch, of Tennessee, regional director of the third region, League of Women Voters, delivered an address on "The New Dominion."

RED CROSS SEAL SALE UNDERWAY

No Illusions About Sanatoria Solving Consumption Problem in Virginia.

Richmond, Nov. 9.—Health authorities have no illusions about sanatoria solving the tuberculosis problem. As fast as they are built and equipped, they are filled; and there are applicants asking admission only to be denied because there are not sufficient facilities.

Blue Ridge, Virginia's latest addition, its third tuberculosis sanatorium, now is filled and there is a waiting list; and it is doubtful whether any state can afford to appropriate all the money necessary for a complete sanatorial system. This condition makes the work of such associations as the Virginia Tuberculosis Association always valuable.

The association is now beginning its campaign for the sale of Christmas seals, virtually its only source of revenue. The greater part of the money collected by the seal sellers will be spent within the communities buying the seals. The entire state has been organized this year under the direction of Dr. R. K. Flaanagan, who has charge of the campaign as executive secretary of the association.

LINEN SHOWER

Mrs. Robert A. Hutchison, assisted by Misses Susan Ish Harrison and Lavinia Ruth Hutchison, entertained informally in honor of Miss Susan Hutchison, whose marriage to Mr. Robert A. Ryland, of Washington has been announced to take place on November 17th, last Saturday afternoon.

The special feature of the occasion was a modernized Pandora's Box bedecked with ribbons and roses,—"a hope chest" filled with beautiful tokens and good wishes from friends far and near. At a given time, Miss Hutchison was escorted to the center of the room and presented with the "mystery box" by the Misses Mary Elizabeth Hutchison and Mary Ryland, who lifted the top and showered the bride-to-be with much silver and fine linen. Special mention is made of a piece of homespun manufactured, perhaps, a century ago at Prospect Hill, the home of Judge John Hutchison, the paternal great-grandfather of Miss Hutchison.

—Mr. R. S. Hymon in New

LIGHTLESS NIGHTS FACE MANASSAS

Coal Embargo Prevents Shipment to Supply Need of Municipal Power Plant.

Manassas may be lightless within the next few days, unless the embargo is lifted in all east bound shipments out of the Logan Field, which has been on since November 2, and cars of coal are immediately sent here for the purpose of supplying the electric light powerhouse.

The powerhouse has only several days supply on hand, which means that in the event the embargo is not lifted within that time, lamps and candles will have to be used.

Mr. J. H. Burke, of the Public Utilities Committee, sent a letter to the Hooper-Mankin Fuel Company, of West Virginia, which is under contract to supply the coal used by the power plant, requesting that several carloads of coal be rushed here at once. A reply was received from T. H. Hooper, president of the company, yesterday, which in part, reads:

"We have your letter of the 8th requesting that we rush you several cars of coal on our contract. We regret that we are unable to do so just at this time, due to the fact that all eastbound shipments on the Chesapeake & Ohio are embargoed out of the ed, which we trust will be with Logan Field. This embargo has been on since the second of this month. Just as soon as it is lifted in the next few days, we will ship all of the coal to you from this mine, until your contract is taken care of."

Manassas has before been without water and electric lights, due to the shortage of coal, and everything possible will be done to prevent a repetition of this.

One carload of coal is enroute to Manassas, according to Mr. Burke.

MRS. CHARLES LINTON DIES AT HOME NEARBY

Dr. W. Fewell Merchant Says Death Was Due to Attack of Measles.

Mrs. Charles Linton, twenty years old, a life long resident of Independent Hill, died last evening at eleven o'clock, at her home there, after a sickness of four days. Doctor W. Fewell Merchant, of Manassas, attended her, and he declared that her death was due to an attack of measles.

Mrs. Linton was born at Independent Hill, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Luck. Funeral services will be held at the Belhaven Church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

She is survived by her husband, Mr. Charles Linton, and one child, not quite a year old.

PEARSON-BRADY WEDDING

Strother D. Pearson, of Gainesville, and Miss Alma G. Brady, of Haymarket, were married in Manassas by the Rev. T. D. D. Clark, last Saturday evening.

Mr. Pearson is the son of R. A. and Ida Pearson, and Mrs. Pearson the daughter of G. G. and Lucy Brady. Mr. Pearson is a street car conductor.

—Mr. J. W. Monroe of Burke, was the week-end brother and sister of the bride.

HICKORY GROVE

The regular meeting of the Hickory Grove Patrons' League was held at the school house on Wednesday, November 3, at 2:30 p. m. The following members were present: Mrs. Edward Watson, Miss Mary Ewell, Mrs. May Galleher, Mrs. Walter Gardner, Mrs. W. P. Wilson, Mr. W. P. Wilson, Mr. T. Otis Latham and Mr. S. W. Hunt.

It was decided to go ahead with the addition to the building. An oyster supper is to be held at the school house on Tuesday, November 23, at 8 p. m. At that time it is hoped that Mr. C. J. Meetez, president of the leagues of Prince William county, will be present and address the league.

The school children will take part in the entertainment, with music, etc. Miss Mary Ewell and Mrs. Wilson were asked to see about lights for the building, also dishes, etc. Mrs. Galleher will help Mrs. Wilson and the school children decorate the school room. All members were asked to solicit contributions. It is proposed to have an oyster supper, also ice cream and cake. The proceeds of the sale to go towards the new building, or rather, addition to the building.

It is earnestly requested that all patrons be present on November 23 and it is hoped that the superintendent may come also. Reasonable prices will be charged for all refreshments.

Mrs. Wingate, of Alexandria, has been visiting her friend, Mrs. Walter L. Gardner. Miss Beasie Jacobs, of Thoroughfare, sister of Mrs. Gardner, has been staying in the neighborhood for the past week.

Misses Mary and Maude Ewell, of "Edgehill" and "Dumblave" respectively, expect to go to Washington, shortly, to attend a reunion of the McGregor Clan, of which they are members.

Mr. Thomas B. Hutchison, of the U. S. M. C., stationed at Quantico, Va., visited his mother, Mrs. Alice Hutchison, of Little River, on Saturday and Sunday.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. Stafford Keyes, of Herndon, sister of Mrs. Will Downs, of Woolsey, is getting better. Mrs. Wowns expects to be with her sister for a while. The latter is still in a Washington hospital.

WATERFALL

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Kibler and family, of "Poplar Hill," were guests of relatives in Marshall over Sunday.

Mrs. S. R. Clark and Mrs. R. B. Gossom attended the funeral services of Mrs. Matthew at Mt. Zion Church on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith and Masters Karl and Marvin Smith were guests of Mrs. Wesley White, in Washington, several days of last week.

Mr. R. B. Gossom, who has been in a hospital in Baltimore for a very serious operation, is reported as doing nicely, and is expected home this week.

Mrs. J. P. Smith, Miss Flora Smith and Mr. Clint Foley were guests at the home of Mr. Ben Matthew, at Stone House, on Sunday last.

The R. A. Society met at the school on Tuesday evening. An interesting feature of the meeting was a debate, Resolved, That a physician has greater opportunity to display skill and to show heroic suffering for Christ on the foreign field than in America. Affirmative, Preston Smith, Barton Padgett; negative, R. B. Gossom, jr., Mason Mayhugh. The negative side won.

Services at Antioch Sunday at 11:30 by the pastor, Rev. Edward Taber.

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"About a year and a half ago," says Mr. Arnold, "I began having attacks of stomach trouble, which continued getting worse until my liver and kidneys were so affected that I was forced to quit work. I had been working night shift on an Akron paper and shifted to day work, thinking a change of hours would help me, but without avail. I was taking medicine continually, and had first one doctor and then another but kept getting worse. Every time a friend suggested a remedy I tried it, until at last, some one recommended The Reese Formula R-11. By this time I had given up hopes but began taking The Reese Formula R-11. I had no confidence in it or anything else. Imagine my surprise when after taking half of the first bottle my condition began to improve. I continued taking it and before finishing the third bottle

I was completely restored. I am again working and feel better than I have for many years."

"The Reese Formula R-11," continued Mr. Arnold, "cost me a dollar and a quarter a bottle and considering the fact that a millionaire oil magnate offered a million dollars for a relief from stomach trouble I think I am some financier."

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WOODBINE

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bell, of Washington, spent the week-end with their parents near here.

Miss Alverta Wheaton visited her sister, Mrs. Feaganes, in Alexandria, Friday and Saturday, and was accompanied home by her little brother, Richard, who had been spending several days there.

Misses Cora and Dora Breeden spent the week-end at their home here.

Mr. Worth Storke, of the Peoples National Bank of Manassas, spent the week-end at the home of Miss J. Pearl Russell.

The social at Woodbine Saturday evening proved to be very successful, and a goodly sum was realized.

The School and Civic League was reorganized with the following officers appointed: President, Mr. T. M. Russell; vice-president, Miss Maud L. Norman; secretary, Mrs. J. A. Hill, and treasurer, Mrs. T. M. Russell. The next meeting will be held Saturday evening, November 20. The committee in charge of the program is Mrs. Hill, Miss Norman and Mr. Breeden.

On Sunday morning at Woodbine Church a W. C. T. U. was organized with the following officers: President, Mrs. Hill; secretary, Miss Goldie Golihew; treasurer, Mrs. Linton.

In the evening, a B. Y. P. U. was organized with the following officers: President, Mr. Breeden; vice-president, Miss Norman; secretary, Miss Cornwell; treasurer, Miss Russell.

The total number of rats and mice brought Woodbine school by pupils is 533. Emory Russell has the greatest number to his credit, and Alverta Wheaton ranks second.

MINNIEVILLE

Mr. Paul Clarke and daughter, Catherine, are in Washington spending some time visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. James Alexander, of Washington, visited his mother Saturday and Sunday, returning Sunday evening.

Miss Osie Bailey has returned from Washington, where she took her little niece for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hinton had as their guests Sunday, Mr. P. W. C. Hinton, son and daughter, of Accotink, and Miss Elliott, of Amelia county, and Mrs. Myers and daughter, of Clifton.

The Clarkes had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sisson, Messrs. Wilbur Brawner and Rural Waters, of Dumfries; Miss Tracie Spitzer, and Messrs. Kidwell and Carter, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clarke.

Mr. Boatwright, of Richmond, spent the week-end with his wife and son and mother-in-law.

BRENTSVILLE

The Young Peoples' Union will meet next Sunday at 7 p. m. with Miss Daisy McKay as leader.

The home demonstration club will meet at the school house next Wednesday evening. The subject will be "Caring and Housing the Poultry Flock for Winter."

Mr. Rucker Cooksey has returned to his work at Indian Head, Md., after recovering from a severe attack of lumbago. He has been visiting his father, Mr. T. H. Cooksey.

Mrs. Elmer Landes and children, who have been spending some time with her parents here, has returned to her home in Washington.

Mrs. Harvey Hensley, who suffered a stroke of paralysis recently, is still confined to her bed.

BUCKHALL

Mr. and Mrs. Heffin, of Stafford county, visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Payne, recently.

Mrs. J. T. Speakes has returned from a visit with relatives at Haymarket.

Mrs. F. J. Chandler visited her parents at Independent Hill over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Winslow expect to move to Buckhall next week. They will occupy Mr. Arthur Colbert's house until their own dwelling is erected on the Deal farm.

Report of Buckhall School for the Month of October.

Names of pupils neither absent nor tardy:

Lawrence Brawner, Arthur Carter, Georgie King, Edward Smith, Anna Fately, Florence Raymond, Maline Smith, Stella Sonafrank, Blanche Carter, Virginia Carter, Mabel Crouch, Clara Evans, Margaret Farquhar, Pauline Smith, Lyla Sonafrank.

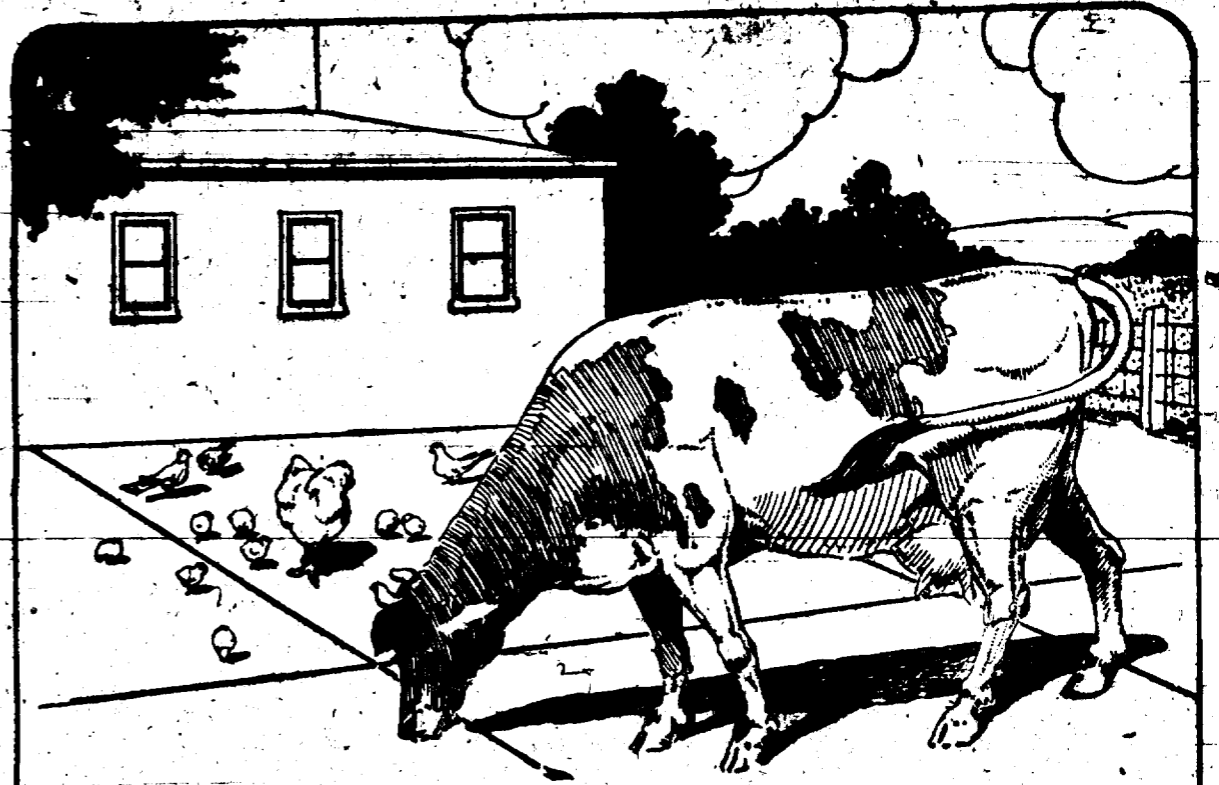
Not absent but tardy, Marie Jasper.

Absent only one day during the month:

Max Carter, Charley Farquhar, Elizabeth Crouch, Helen Evans, Royce Carter, Addie Crouch, Hilda Payne.

Mrs. Chandler, Teacher.

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ARMISTICE DAY

Two years ago yesterday, the guns of the nations engaged in the most terrible war in history, were silenced, doughboys, "Tom-mies" and "Frogs" showed themselves to the enemy for the first time since the war began without danger of being shot. A dense fog settled on the battle front in the early morning, but it cleared away as the morning grew old, it did not in any way put a damper on the spirits of the men who had fought and attained a well earned victory. Songs floated on the brisk air, and all in all, everybody was happy.

And while those boys were over there rejoicing, the home folks were doing the same. The cable lines and telegraph wires were thrown open to the glorious news of the signing of the Armistice, and tears of happiness appeared in many mothers eyes who had sons "Across the Pond," in the interest of Humanity. Mothers who lost sons before that eventful day, were glad for the sake of the women whose boys lived to see that day—and yes, everybody was happy.

America celebrated again yesterday the second anniversary of the signing of the Armistice. Big cities staged patriotic demonstrations that began at an early hour in the morning and continued until late in the night. But during her celebration, America paused, to pay tribute to the hundreds, yes, thousands, of mothers sons, who "went west," victims of the cowardly Hun, and who now lie buried in Flanders Field, their graves marked with white crosses. America knows that these men made the "Supreme Sacrifice," and that many more would have been killed had it not been for the signing of the Armistice on November 11, 1918.

TO WRITE ON MANASSAS NEEDS

Following an editorial published in The Journal last week on the organization of a Chamber of Commerce, one of the prominent citizens of Manassas has agreed to get together with any twenty who have the interest of the town at heart, and organize such a body.

Clarence W. Wagener, former editor of The Journal, and a well known citizen, also has agreed to show the needs of Manassas in a series of articles, the first of which is "What Manassas Needs in Administration," to appear in the next week issue. Mr. Wagener's column will be open for discussion in The Journal, and he will endeavor to show how local conditions can be bettered.

One of our railroad friends seems to think the last Presidential election has started the tramps on the go again, for he remarked to a friend just after the last election returns came in, "Well, they're in again."

"Whose in again?" the party addressed asked.

"Why the tramps, just pulled one off the trail. He was going south."

Senator Harding went fishing Tuesday, and returned empty handed, which goes to prove that he is better at getting votes than he is at fishing.

Isn't it funny how "has been's" will come back? Who remembers William Jennings Bryan?

LAUGH AND LIVE

Jokes and Witty Sayings From The Liveliest Publications of the Country

William and Henry, chauffeurs, were discussing the ill luck of a fellow chauffeur, Clarence, who had the day before been fined for taking out his employer's car without permission. "But how did the boss know Clarence had taken the car out?" asked Henry.

"Why," explained William, Clarence ran over him."—Harper's Weekly.

Col. Bryan turns his attention to the reorganization of the democratic party without considering the further developments of the prohibition party.—Washington Star.

The young housewife, looking very pretty and womanlike in a big green overall, was cleaning out the pantry cupboard. "Dickie," she called to her husband, who was smoking in the spick-and-span little drawing-room, "I want you to bring me a mouse trap home tomorrow."

"But, angel," cried the young man, "I brought you one home only yesterday."

"I know, pet," called back the young bride, "but that one has a mouse in it."—Spanish River News.

"You know," said the woman whose motor car had run down a man, "you must have been walking very carelessly. I am a very careful driver. I have been driving a car for seven years."

"Lady, you've got nothing on me. I've been walking for fifty-four years."—Detroit News.

"Has your library been a help to you in your business?"

"Yes," replied Mr. Cumrox.

"Which books gave you the best ideas?"

"I didn't get much from the books themselves. But several of the chaps who persuaded me to subscribe gave me some wonderful suggestions on salesmanship."—Washington Star.

Mistress — "Bridget, you've broken as much china this month as your wages amount to. Now how can we prevent this occurring again?"

Bridget — "O! don't know, mam, unless you raise me wages."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

The quiet looking boy at the foot of the class had not had a question. His teacher pronounced him this one.

"In what condition was the patriarch Job at the end of his life?"

"Dead," was the calm response.—Front Royal Record.

"And do you keep a cook, Jones?"

"Yep, we keep a cook; also her mother and stepmother, her two children, her brother, a sister, her cousin and an unemployed uncle."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Just one thing we'd like to know about George Washington. We wanta know where that dollar landed that he threw across the Potomac.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

King Alexander of Greece died from the effect of a monkey bite. Moral: Don't monkey with monkeys.—Publishers' Auxiliary.

A child is born in the neighborhood; the editor gives the loud lunged youngster and the "happy parents" a send off and gets \$00. It is christened and the minister gets \$5 and the editor gets \$00. The editor pushes and tells a dozen lies about the "beautiful and accomplished" bride. The minister gets \$10 and a piece of cake and the editor gets \$00. In the course of time she dies; the doctor gets from \$15 to \$100, the minister perhaps gets another \$5, the undertaker gets from \$75 to \$150, the editor publishes a notice of the death, an obituary two columns long and a card of thanks and gets \$0.00. No wonder so many country editors get rich. Have you paid your subscription?—Gibsonburg (O.) Derrick.

"Because You Seem Interested"

¶ This was the reply that a prominent business man gave, when asked why he had sent so much of his business to the Peoples National Bank.

¶ "I like your interested personal service," he said, "and feel that the officers and employees of your institution are endeavoring to facilitate each transaction. I am getting service that goes beyond the confines of mere business, and such service is of incalculable value to me."

¶ Perhaps, Mr. Business Man, this is the sort of service you require; and if you are not enjoying a connection with this bank, your account is cordially invited.

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Remember Date, Thursday, Nov. 18th

Dr. Scholl's Foot Specialist

will be at our store on the above date to treat any foot ailments. He will examine your foot, tell you the cause of your trouble and tell you how to remedy same. **ABSOLUTELY NO CHARGE**—and no obligation or compulsion to buy anything. Do your feet tire you, ache, pain or cramp? The specialist will tell you the cause and the remedy free of all charge.

Remember Date, Thursday, Nov. 18th

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A Policy in Hand

IS WORTH A HUNDRED IN THE MIND, therefore don't say you will insure your property, but do it, and do it NOW.

¶ ELECTRICAL STORM SEASON IS HERE. CAN YOU AFFORD TO TAKE THE RISK?

¶ TOMORROW MAY BE TOO LATE, FOR THE FIRE FIEND IS NO RESPECTER OF PERSONS OR OF PROPERTY. WE CAN BE OF GREAT ASSISTANCE IN HELPING YOU TO COVER YOUR PROPERTY PROPERLY AND RIGHT. CAN PLACE YOUR POLICIES TO THE BEST ADVANTAGE AND IN THE MOST RELIABLE COMPANIES, AND IF A FIRE SHOULD DO YOU DAMAGE, CAN SEE THAT YOU ARE PROMPTLY PAID.

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 WHY SOME GEESE DON'T LAY GOLDEN EGGS

¶ Did you ever wonder why PROMOTERS in far off places should send to your county for financial backing?

¶ If your name has ever been selected as one of a "chosen few" in your community who are invited to receive the benefits of a "good thing"—you will know what we mean.

¶ If a man in Prince William County struck oil on his farm, would he have to go to Utah or Iowa or California for partners to share his luck?

¶ He would naturally let his friends and neighbors in first, but he would have to have oil, would he not?

¶ Promoters flock to regions where money is made in the good old basic way, out of the soil, and they talk tremendous profits, and liken their schemes to old and well-established concerns whose stock is up in G, trying to give the impression that because some poor widow made enough money to buy a four-room cottage by investing in a share of oil stock once upon a time.

¶ When you consider placing any money in a venture, remember that some 40,000 small investors recently placed their savings with "Get-rich-quick" PONZI at Boston, and many of them would be glad to have half their principal back, to say nothing of tremendous dividends.

¶ A bank prospers when the individual members of the community prosper. Your bank wants you to have savings and earn dividends.

¶ It's a business proposition with them to help you with sound advice, and they will be glad to do it.

¶ When the investment "Shark" marks you for his own—STOP, LOOK, LISTEN, count ten and consult your banker, or any SOUND BUSINESS man, before you put your name "on the dotted line."

National Bank of Manassas
 THE BANK OF PERSONAL SERVICE

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

—Mrs. E. J. Adamson was a Washington visitor Monday.

—Miss Mary Larkin, of Washington, is visiting relatives here.

—Mr. C. J. Meetze was in Washington on business Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Didlake will spend the week-end in Washington.

—Mr. S. Hynson was a Washington visitor Tuesday and Wednesday.

—Messrs. Tyson Marshall and Walter L. Green, of Oakton, were in Annapolis Sunday of last week.

—Miss Florence Kincheloe, of Alexandria, spent several days with Mrs. E. Wood Weir, this week.

—Mr. M. M. Ellis and Miss Frances Spies motored to Washington last week to get the election returns.

—Mr. Robert A. Hutchison was in Charlottesville this week, where he attended the United States Court.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reid and three children, of near Quantico, Va., were in Manassas Monday on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Fleming and their daughter, Miss Hope, of Herndon, visited Mrs. E. Wood Weir Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Cox, of Washington, were the guests of Mr. Cox's mother, Mrs. Louise Cox, Sunday.

—Mr. J. L. Moser has purchased the Pringle place, a one hundred and twenty-two acre farm, northeast of Centreville.

—Mrs. G. W. Leith visited her daughter, Miss Ruth Leith, who is a patient at Sibley Hospital, Washington, on Monday.

—The Woman's Auxiliary of Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at the residence of Mrs. L. E. Beachley, Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

—Lieut. Lyman Patterson, of Bolling Field, Washington, D. C., visited his mother and aunt, Mrs. Ballantyne Patterson and Mrs. B. T. H. Hodge, Sunday.

—Mrs. R. M. Jenkins and her little son, Robert, who have been visiting Mrs. Jenkins' mother, Mrs. Kite, of Hood, Madison county, have returned home.

—The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for rural carriers, to be held at Warrenton and Manassas on November 27.

—Mr. Wilbur Rosenberger and his aunt, Mrs. E. L. Hornbaker, motored to Herndon Monday and were the guests of Mr. Rosenberger's mother, Mrs. G. L. Rosenberger.

—Mrs. J. Frank Culverwell and Mariana Speiden, of Washington, were the week-end guests of their brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Albert Speiden on Battle street.

—Mr. and Mrs. I. I. Anderson and son, Lester, of Catharpin, motored to Washington on Sunday last. Mrs. Anderson is spending the week in the city with relatives and friends.

—Joseph C. Bennett, former lieutenant in the United States Marine Corps, was cut above and below the right eye, when a piece of wood, which he was sawing, on his farm nearby, struck him, last week.

—The ladies of Trinity Episcopal Church have decided to postpone their annual bazaar from Thanksgiving day, as previously announced, to the first Monday in December. The Guild will meet at the rectory on Tuesday, at 3:30 o'clock, to complete arrangements.

—The congregational meeting which was to have been held at the Presbyterian Church last Monday, has been postponed until after the regular church services Sunday morning.

—There will be speaking and an oyster supper at the Independent Hill O. F. A., Hall, Friday night, November 19, for the benefit of the Sunday School. Everybody is urged to be present.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Meetze had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Garrison, of Washington, and Miss Mary Gray Monroe, of Burke. Mr. Watts is assistant secretary of labor.

—Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Miller and their little son, Edgar, jr., and Miss Katherine Rudasill, of Washington. Mrs. Miller and Miss Rudasill are sisters of Mrs. McDonald.

—Mr. and Mrs. John S. Green and daughter, Virginia, of Oakton, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Strother and daughter, Dorothy, of Alexandria, and Mr. John S. Wilson, of Manassas, were Sunday guests of Mr. J. R. Wilson, of Washington.

—There will be a social at the Hayfield school, November 20, beginning at 7:30 p. m. A program will be given, also a debate between Smithfield and Hayfield schools. Mr. C. J. Meetze is expected to speak in interest of the Civic Leagues. Everybody is invited to attend.

—Mr. Walter T. Ketcham, of Washington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ketcham, of Capitol Heights, Md., has recently left for Florida to join his wife at Miami, where they have purchased a beautiful home and expect to reside. They have the best wishes of their many friends in and around Washington.

—In the last issue of The Journal in the official election returns of Prince William County, a mistake was made in the addition of the number of votes cast for Mr. Harding. Instead of 339 as was the total printed, it was 393. Unofficial returns from Horton's Store on votes cast for President, gave Harding 10, and Cox 4.

Sidney H. Sheppard, colored, of Nokesville, died at Doctor Carson's hospital, Washington, D. C., on November 2, after a short illness. He was eighty-two years old, and was taken sick while on a visit to his children in that city.

Funeral services were conducted at Nokesville by the Rev. Richard Jackson.

A GIFT OF DELCO-LIGHT

HAPPINESS GOES OUT FROM THE HEART BEFORE IT COMES IN. IT NEVER BY ANY CHANCE STAYS AT HOME. YOU CAN HARVEST IT FOR THE COMMON GOOD, BUT YOU CANNOT STORE IT FOR YOUR SOLE INDIVIDUAL USE. YOU CAN LEND IT BUT YOU CANNOT BORROW IT, YOU CAN EARN IT BUT YOU CANNOT BUY IT, YOU CAN SPEND IT BUT YOU CANNOT ACCUMULATE IT. A MAN MUST CONTRIBUTE TO THE STOCK OF HUMAN JOYS BEFORE HE CAN PARTICIPATE IN ITS PROFITS. TO SEEK HAPPINESS WITHOUT GIVING, IT IS A FUTILE QUEST, AND ALL OUR LONGINGS FOR WHAT WE HAVE NOT LEARNED TO GIVE TO OTHERS ARE AS EMPTY BOTTLES IN THE WINE CELLAR OF THE SOUL. HAPPINESS REALLY NEVER WAS ANY GOOD IN THIS WORLD BUT TO GIVE AWAY.

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PROGRESS MADE IN STATE HARVEST

Preliminary Estimate of Crop Is 45,600,000 Bushels This Year Throughout State.

All crops in Virginia have been harvested and preliminary estimates of yields have been made. The average of yields per acre this year of all crops combined, duly weighted, is 9.2 per cent greater than the ten year average of yields, this compares most favorably with the average for the United States which is 6.9 per cent greater than the average. These excellent yields maintain the total production, although there has been a decrease in the total cultivated acreage.

The price index of all crops on November 1st was 28 per cent less than a year ago, and 4.8 per cent more than the average of the preceding five years.

October was a very favorable month for harvesting the crops, and in spite of serious shortage of labor in some sections, good progress has been made.

The preliminary estimate of the Virginia corn crop is 45,600,000 bushels, compared with 44,800,000 bushels last year. The average yield per acre is reported to be 30 bushels per acre, compared with 28 bushels last year and 26 bushels the ten year average. This is the largest yield on record. The next largest yield was 28.5 bushels in 1915. The quality is 92 per cent, compared with 90 per cent last year, and 88 per cent the ten year average.

The yield of white potatoes has been excellent in the Southwest and Central districts, but in the Eastern district the early crop was damaged by late frosts, and the stand of the late crop was poor due to too much rain after planting. The average yield for the state is reported at 108 bushels per acre, compared with 95 bushels last year, and 93 bushels the ten year average. The above yield indicates a total crop of 13,608,000 bushels, compared with 11,495,000 last year, and 12,690,000 in 1918.

The average yield of sweet potatoes is 112 bushels per acre, compared with 125 bushels last year and 104 the ten year average, indicating a production of 1,032,000 bushels, compared with 4,750,000 bushels last year.

Excellent crops of apples and pears were produced. The total farm crop of apples is reported to be 78 per cent of a full crop or 15,210,000 bushels, compared with 9,950,000 last year and 10,668,000 in 1918. The heaviest crops were in the non-commercial districts of the South and Southeast. The number of trees of bearing age is reported to be 15 per cent more than in 1910.

A good crop of clover seed was harvested, the average yield being reported at 2.2 bushels per acre.

The yield of cowpeas for seed was rather poor on account of the excessive wet weather in August, which resulted in an unusually large growth of vines and very few pods. The yield for hay was 98 per cent of normal, compared with 81 the ten year average. The past season proved almost ideal for both the growth and harvesting of cowpeas for hay.

\$225 RAISED BY SCHOOL

To be Used Toward Buying New Movie Machine.

Two hundred and twenty-five dollars, half of the amount required for the purchase of a moving picture machine, has been raised by the children of the Manassas schools through selling subscriptions to a publication of the Curtis Publishing Company, according to a report made by Miss E. H. Osbourn, principal of the schools, at a recent high school assembly.

Of this amount, the school share was \$112.50. It was proposed to bank the money, as the picture machine would cost \$240. Efforts will be made in other ways to raise the remaining amount. The first year students made the best showing, they having obtained \$136 worth of the subscriptions, and won the prizes offered. The winning students were Miss Christine Moser, with 25 subscriptions, and Miss Madeline McCoy, with 19.

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Thursday, November 18

A SPECIAL

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Friday, November 19

A SPECIAL

"The Mystery of the Yellow Room"

THIS IS ONE OF THE BEST MYSTERY PICTURES ON THE
SCREEN. ADMISSION, 11c-17c.

Saturday, November 20

"PIRATE GOLD."

EPISODE No. 9, "THE DOUBLE CROSS." CHARLIE CHAP-
LIN IN "THE RINK." NEWS AND PATHE REVIEW.
MATINEE, 3 P. M., 6c-11c. NIGHT, 7:30, 11c-17c.

Monday, November 22

A SPECIAL

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executrix of the
estate of the late Macon Cave, I re-
quest that all persons having claims
against such estate present the same
promptly to me, properly authenti-
cated, and that all persons indebted to
such estate promptly make payment
to me.

LOUISE CAVE, Executrix,
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¶ Pie, America's most popular
dessert, requires great care in
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effort to better our pastry we
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sures delicious pies, fresh every
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¶ Why bake your pies when we
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riety and at a reasonable price?

¶ Remember, also, that we serve
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your appetite.

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MANASSAS, VA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit
Court of the County of Prince Wil-
ham, on the 9th day of November,
1920.

G. C. CARRICO, Plaintiff

vs.
Alfred Carrico, A. R. Mandley, Fred-
erick N. Mandley, Hayward A. Man-
dley, Mary Jane Groves and Willard
Groves, her husband, Ella Williams
and Jim Williams, her husband, de-
fendants.

The object of this suit is to have
partition, if possible, and if not, sale
of a certain tract of land in Gaines-
ville district, Prince William county,
of which the late Harrison Carrico
died seized and possessed, and distri-
bution of the funds arising from sale
amongst the parties entitled thereto;
and for general relief.

And an affidavit having been made
and filed that the defendants, Alfred
Carrico, Frederick N. Mandley, Hay-
ward A. Mandley, Mary Jane Groves,
Willard Groves, Ella Williams and
Jim Williams are not residents of the
State of Virginia, it is ordered that
they do appear within ten days after
due publication hereof, and do what
may be necessary to protect their in-
terest in this suit. And it is further
ordered that a copy hereof be pub-
lished once a week for four successive
weeks in the Manassas Journal, a
newspaper published in the county of
Prince William, and that a copy be
posted at the front of the courthouse
of this county on or before the 15th
day of November, 1920, that being the
next succeeding Rule Day after this
order was entered.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
A Copy—Taste:
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
C. A. Sinclair, p. q.

SUPREME COURT TO ACT ON PORTNER WILL

Judge Samuel G. Brent Says
Evidence Wasn't Presented
to Him in Time.

Judge Brent, of the circuit
court of Prince William County,
signed such of the papers that
were presented to him recently,
in time to enable those contest-
ing the will of Paul V. Portner
to present the case to the Su-
preme Court of Appeals of Vir-
ginia; but the Judge certified
that the evidence had not been
presented to him within time,
and for that reason, declined to
certify the same was presented
in time. This probably means,
that if the contestants carry the
case to the higher court, they
will not be able to get the enor-
mous mass of evidence taken in
the trial court, before the Su-
preme Court.

An order was also entered in
the suit brought recently by
Harry F. Lynn, against B. Lynn
Robertson and his brothers and
sisters, involving, among other
things, the construction of the
will of the late Henry F. Lynn.
The court ruled in favor of B.
Lynn Robertson in the construc-
tion of the will, and held that the
suit was brought wrong as to the
other matter involved. A new
suit will probably be brought,
and the case tried before a jury.

Another order was entered in
the circuit court for the city of
Alexandria, last Saturday, set-
tling the principles on which the
estate of the late P. M. Brad-
shaw, of that city, should be ad-
ministered. Mr. Bradshaw was
a brother of T. S. Bradshaw, of
Brentsville, this county.

HAYMARKET

Mrs. H. M. Clarkson has sold
her farm, near this town, known
as "Waterleak," to Mr. Claggett,
who will begin immediately to
make the necessary repairs to
the place.

Rev. Westwood Hutchison, of
Manassas, preached on the theme
of "Missions to Spread the Gos-
pel Throughout the World," at
the Baptist Church, Sunday.

Mr. J. C. Tulloss, of Brooklyn,
N. Y., was here looking after his
business interests last Friday
and Saturday.

Mr. C. C. Roland has his new
street light in operation. It is
an improvement to the neighbor-
hood.

One hundred and nine feet of
water was found in the new well
on the Parson's place, the home
of Mr. J. W. Lyon.

A ten-pound baby boy was
born to Mrs. J. W. Lyon on Tues-
day.

Mr. Joseph C. Tulloss is mak-
ing repairs on the Tulloss apart-
ment, where it is expected he will
make his office in the near fu-
ture.

Mrs. W. H. Garrett has been
very ill at her home here. Mr.
Garrett says her improvement is
slow.

Mr. A. R. G. Bass has caused
his assistant to build a new plank
fence from Masonic hall to his
yard.

Several new lights are to be
put up in town, according to re-
ports. Mr. Roland started the
movement.

Mr. R. A. Rust, with Mr. and
Messrs. R. A. and A. B. Rust,
with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gillis
visited their former home in the
valley the first of the week.

INFANT BURIED THURSDAY

Catherine May Schaeffer, in-
fant daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Edgar A. Schaeffer, died Wed-
nesday. Funeral services were
held from the residence of Mr.
and Mrs. Will May, yesterday
morning. Burial followed in the
Lutheran Cemetery, near town.
The little baby was three months
and fifteen days old, according to
the death certificate.

INDEPENDENT HILL

Mr. Austin L. Greenwood and
his cousin, Mr. Weldon Taylor, of
Baltimore, spent several days
last week with relatives here.

Mr. Max Weber returned
home Saturday from Sibley Hos-
pital, Washington, much improv-
ed from the wounds he received
with a knife in the hands of
Henry Butler, colored. Max is
still very weak and the wound in
his stomach has not entirely
healed, but he is able to walk
around.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Oleyar
and their two little sons, John,
jr., and Claude and Mrs. T. I.
Sullivan motored to Fort Hunt,
Sunday and spent the day with
Mrs. Sullivan's brother-in-law
and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Homer
Beavers.

Miss Lillian Greenwood is in
Baltimore visiting relatives and
friends.

Mrs. T. I. Sullivan gathered a
quart of raspberries this week
from the second crop.

Mrs. Charlie Linton is very
sick with the measles. Dr. Mer-
chant is attending her.

Mr. Joe Lowe has recovered
from a very bad case of measles.
He is able to be out again.

BRUCE COMPLETES WORK

Dr. Philip A. Bruce, author,
historian, and University of Vir-
ginia Alumnus of the class of '75,
has completed the five volume
history of the University, upon
which he has been working for
the past four years, and which
he will present as a gift to his
Alma Mater upon her one hun-
dredth anniversary next June.

So wide is the scope of the five
volumes, that faculty members
say that they tend to serve as a
history of education in Virginia.
Dr. Bruce has divided his work
into nine periods, beginning with
1779. He concludes with a full
description of events during the
administration of President Ed-
win A. Alderman. There is a
vivid description of conditions at
the University during the Civil
War.

HONOR STUDENTS

The students winning highest
average in their respective
classes in the first reports sent
out by Manassas High School
this fall are as follows:

First year—Clifton Athey
and Miss Susan Harrison.

Second year—Misses Henri-
etta Myers and Clara Rexrode.

Third year—Miss Anngbell
Merrill and Arthur Fairbanks.

Fourth year—Misses Beulah
Whitmer and Caroline Beachley.

The honor roll for the grades
was published last week.

THOROUGHFARE

Miss Lillian V. Gilbert, county home
demonstration agent, of Manassas,
visited the school on Monday in the
interest of the Rat Campaign.

Mr. W. H. Butler was an Alexandria
visitor on Thursday.

Miss Anita Shumate attended the
teachers' meeting at Manassas on
Thursday and Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rambo, of Alex-
andria, were week-end guests of Mrs.
Rambo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L.
Garrison.

Miss Jessie Jacobs spent a few days
at Hickory Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Douglas visited
Mrs. Douglas' mother, Mrs. Leve
Gough, on Sunday.

Mr. L. C. Jacobs was a Manassas vi-
sitor on Thursday.

GREENWICH

The civic league will postpone the
meeting from Friday, November 5, to
Friday, November 12. A good pro-
gram is expected on that date.

Mr. James M. Grant, of Washing-
ton, is spending the week-end with his
uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. M.
House.

School is closed at the present time
on account of scarlet fever in the fam-
ily of Mr. J. W. Holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tyler and son,
Bostace, Mr. Hyatt and Miss Anna
Hyatt, of Herndon, visited Mrs. Susan
Taylor on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reid visited Mrs.
Will Hoffman on Sunday.

Miss Lula Mayhugh visited Miss
Laudie Taylor Sunday.

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KU KLUX STAGE A HUGE PARADE

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Signs of the Cross.

Then—from nowhere, it seemed—came a blaze of light, a file of white-clad figures. The flaming cross approached. Borne by a stalwart figure, whose robe of white whipped and bellowed in the wind, the Klan emblem advanced. Behind it came a file of white figures, each stately, each masked, each in no whit different from the other.

Silently the phalanx marched. There were some who tried to count them, but gave up the effort. It was too much like "counting sheep" at night when sleep refuses to come. The file seemed endless.

With measured tread, at intervals of approximately eight feet the Klansmen marched. There was no word uttered during the demonstration. No man's features were visible. An endless file of robed men, mysterious, purposeful, it seemed, the line moved in seemingly scheduled order, through the principal downtown streets, past Hemming park and to—nowhere.

"We were here yesterday!"

"We are here today!"

"We will be here forever!"

Thus read signs which were borne by figures distributed through the line.

What did it mean? Who could say? Apparently, from the comments of the crowds, here was a revivification of the South's bulwark of reconstruction days. How long the Klan had existed, who its members were, where it met, what it purposed doing—none could tell.

Rumors that have been current for the last several days were verified last night when the couriers of the Klan appeared on the streets. Where did those rumors originate? No one could—or would—say. No man knew whether his neighbor held membership in the mysterious organization; whether his own brother was a wearer of the robe and cowl. No man had been asked to join, as far as could be learned. No man knew where meetings were held, yet, apparently, meetings had been held.

Yet the existence of the Ku Klux Klan, was made evident. Older people, in whose minds still run the memories of the days of reconstruction recalled similar sights, remembered nights apart, when the two-toned tocsin sounded, when muffled hoofbeats resounded from the highways as horsemen rode to some mysterious rendezvous. They lived again the turbulent times when the carpetbagger Jared southward, with his gospel of "forty acres and a mule," when the glimmer of the flaming cross heralded the approach of the clansmen.

The Ku Klux exists today, just as it existed in 1868. This is known. In Georgia, a top Stone mountain whose bald summit of granite rears in majesty above the city to Atlanta, meetings have been held. Mysterious hundreds have roared through Peachtree road in high-powered motor cars—not in hoof-beat cadence as in days of reconstruction—to keep the appointment and to answer the call to the cross.

Purpose of Klan?

The Klan stands for justice for all people, first, last and always, the message said. It stands against violence at all times, for cooperation with constituted legal authority; for the purity of the ballot, for the sanctity of womanhood and the home and—lest it be made light of—for white supremacy against all elements and bodies, foreign or otherwise, is mentioned last."

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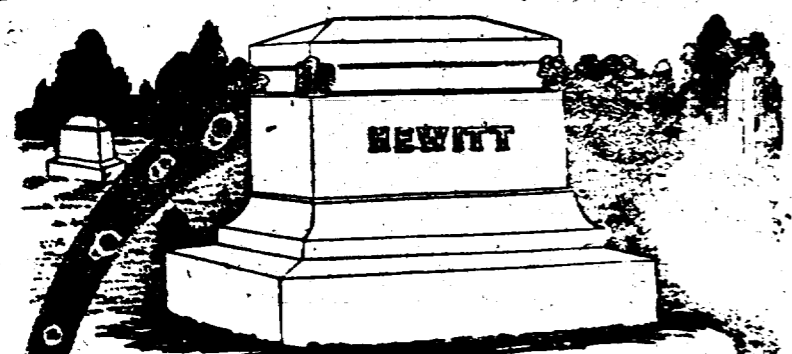
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THE UNDYING INFLUENCE OF MUSIC

The following is a paper read at the teachers' institute October 29, by Mrs. Chloe E. Lay Hodge, and published by request.

The sun shines forth in majestic beauty, flooding the world with light, and day is born. The Queen of night, with her silvery beams, looks down upon the sleeping world and beautifies it with soft radiance. Stars come forth from their hiding place, illuminating the dome of blue with ten thousand scintillating lamps. We look up and admire and rejoice that we can see the wonderful handiwork of the great Creator. Our very being seems elevated, and we admire and praise and adore.

"The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament showeth His handiwork, but there is no speech nor language their voice is not heard."

Music is divine in its origin. It is born of God, and finds a home in the heart of man. As He is eternal so is music. Its influence outlives the sun and moon and stars. Their influence ceases with the setting of the sun, and the veiling of the moon and stars.

As long as there is a human voice full of sweetness and strength, and power to move to laughter or tears, or fill the soul with reverence and trust in a Heavenly Father, and longings for a higher and nobler life, lifting it to God in prayer, so long will live the influence of music. Not is music confined to the human voice. The grand harmony of a well-trained orchestra is sometimes almost overwhelming in its influence. It thrills the soldier, giving him courage to march on, to face the enemy, and gain a glorious victory. In its wonderful descriptive power, it entertains, amuses and carries one far above the sordid things of the world. Accompanying grand choruses, with its suggestions of heaven or with its sustaining harmonies supports a solo voice, the music lives on and on. A pebble is dropped into the placid waters of a lake. The water expresses itself in widening circles, until the farthest shore is reached. So it is with music, it lives on in widening circles of influence, until it reaches the throne of God, where the angels ever sing the praises of the Author of all that is true and beautiful and good.

The mother will ever sing sweet lullabies to the sleeping babe cuddled on her breast. The school boy and girl will ever sing at school, at home and at church. In school they study music, either in chorus, or solo, voice, and learn to understand and appreciate the value of music. The years pass on, and they widen the scope of their knowledge of music, and songs of love, and home and country, and best of all the inspiring sacred music of the Sunday Schools and of the oratorio become familiar, and linked with the words of the poet sink deep into the heart and become a part of their very being, and never dies.

The painter with his brush and pallet may portray the grace and beauty of a face or form, or a choice bit of landscape, never so perfectly. The sculptor may wield his hammer and mallet with steady and unerring hand, giving to the world a noble and perfect work. The picture and statue will in time crumble to dust, and be forgotten. Not so will music, for who can estimate its undying impress on mind and soul, and its elevating and cultural influence. The merry, happy and joyous effect in school or home is beyond estimate. Its inspiration to worship and praise and prayer, and to all that is refining and ennobling passes on and on and lives forever.

The voice of the one who sings

a song of love in words and sweet and passionate sounds that convey the deep and lasting meaning. But above all the human voice excels in undying power in sacred music. It is well known that one filled with a passion to win souls for Christ, can with the winning power of his voice accomplish as much good as the minister of the gospel. But working together how never-ending is the influence that goes forth in the world.

We would urge the teaching of music in our schools, not only as a pastime or mere pleasure, but as a great blessing to those who teach and those who learn.

Having had much experience, we would, if permitted urge all who teach music to think of the beautiful and undying influence it may have, and remembering its divine origin, dedicate it to the great Master Teacher.

MRS. MARTHA A. MATTHEW

(Thos. D. D. Clark.)

Mrs. Martha A. Matthew, widow of Mr. Martin Matthew, who died June 3, 1895, passed away at her home in Prince William county on November 4th in the 81st year of her age. She was the daughter of Bayliss and Icy James Foley and from the time of her marriage in 1865 was a resident of Prince William county. For more than fifty years she was a member of Mt. Zion Primitive Baptist Church in lower Loudoun. Rev. T. D. D. Clark of Manassas, conducted short services at the house, and the funeral sermon was preached at Mt. Zion Church by her pastor, Elder Lefferetts, followed by interment in the church-yard.

She leaves to mourn her loss eight children, three sons—R. M. Matthew, of Roanoke; J. P. Matthew, of Nevada, and B. F. Matthew, of Manassas; five daughters—Mrs. Mamie Davidson, Mrs. Laura Moncrieff, Mrs. Icy Hawkins, of Washington, D. C., Miss Mattie Matthew, of Manassas, and Mrs. Ada Hoal, of Roanoke; also seven grandchildren and many devoted friends.

Among the first of the friendly hands to greet and welcome me when I came to Prince William county sixteen years ago was that of Mrs. Matthew. One glance at her face assured me of her kindly good will and sincere interest in the word of grace I had come to preach, and in meeting her from time to time as the years have passed, my first impressions of her quiet unassuming integrity of character have been deepened. Her face in death was serene and beautiful with the composure of one whose faith and experience had enabled her to say, "I shall be satisfied when I awake."

Nothing in the word of God is more clearly revealed to Christian faith and hope, than the immortality of the body; and so—Our groping hands will find your form again;
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Shall see and know your pure transfigured face
And we with you, dear mother, cease to weep.

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Reports From Committees Feature Daughters of 1812 Annual Council.

Tributes were paid to the deceased members of the National Society, Daughters of 1812, at the tenth annual council which convened in Petersburg on September 27th. Reports from the officers and committees were the feature of the meeting.

A copy of the minutes taken by the secretary, read as follows: Mrs. J. F. F. Cassell, president, presided. She showed an increased interest in lines of work as organized by state and national societies. A salute to the flag was given by the body, and the American Creed recited in concert, following the devotional exercises and address of welcome by Mrs. Moon, the regent of the hostess chapter. The Commodore, H. H. Cocke, responded to by the president, Mrs. Cassell, who included in her response also, gracious words of greeting to the assembled delegates and visitors.

Miss Nora Davidson, a real daughter of the war of 1812, and an honored member of the hostess chapter, was presented with flowers. She voiced her appreciation in spite of the infirmities of age, by reciting an appropriate poem.

The memorial hour was next observed. Beautiful tributes were paid to the deceased members.

Mrs. W. N. C. Merchant read an appreciation of Mrs. Rudd from the pen of her regent, Mrs. Arthur W. Sinclair, who was prevented from being present by illness. Reports from state officers, chairmen of committees and chapter regents were gratifying, showing increasing interest.

Mrs. Cassell's report showed how arduous her labors had been in the societies' behalf, in this the first year of her incumbency as its president. Her report was accepted with appreciative thanks.

The state historian's report disclosed the fact, in a letter of thanks from the National Librarian, for a reprint of the History of Virginia, by Captain John Smith, that Virginia had been the only state to respond to her request for its oldest history.

Mrs. Irwin Moon's report as librarian showed many valuable acquisitions to the state library. The Colonel George Armistead chapter report, read by its first vice regent, Mrs. W. N. C. Merchant, included a contribution of ten dollars to the Manassas High School. Five dollars toward the purchase of the oldest history of Virginia for the National Library, and one book, a copy of General George Washington's will, and other interesting records of the county wherein he died, to the state library.

An interesting report of much work done along patriotic and charitable lines by Mrs. M. J. Patsel, of Roanoke, was also included in the report of Mrs. Sinclair, chapter regent. The Elizabeth Livingston chapter, of Bristol, reported being justly proud of the unusual number of real daughters it has been privileged to enroll and emphasized the fact that Mrs. Alley, the recording secretary of the chapter, is collecting material for "A Real Daughters Book" in the compilation of which the aid of the other chapters is asked.

The Doretha Payne-Madison chapter, of Richmond, reports a contribution of twenty-five dollars to the endowment fund of the Confederate Memorial Literary Society. The specific work of the society for this year is to prosecute to completion the memorial to the soldiers and sailors of the war of 1812. This memorial will be placed in the state

capital and to help keep the service boys in the Blue Ridge Sanatorium supplied with magazines who were reported as starving for reading matter.
The executive board meeting in February and annual council in November next will be held at the Jefferson Hotel, Richmond, Va.

IN MEMORIAM

In sad and loving remembrance of our dear son, Private Melvin Cornwell, who died of wounds received in action in France, November 1, 1918.

Somewhere in Arlington, Virginia
Sleeps in his lonely, silent grave,
He is resting peacefully;
He died his flag to save.

So bravely did he march away,
So bravely did he die,
Far away from those who loved him,
Where he could not say good-bye.

Dearest Melvin, how we miss him,
This world will never know,
If tears could only bring him home,
He would have been here long ago.

Stars of gold hang in our window,
Though my grief is just the same,
The dearest thing in all this world
Is just to hear your name.

When the word came you were dead,
That awful blow stamped my life with pain,
And every day it seems as though
We look for you in vain.

Your dear, sweet face is always with us,
Your sweetest smiles and eyes so blue,
You cannot come to us, Melvin,
I hope some day I'll meet with you.

Yes, in this lonesome world, some day,
When all our work is done,
I will then stand face to face,
With my dear-soldier son.

By his devoted Mother and Sister.

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We wish to offer our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors of the Sudley vicinity for the kindness and sympathy shown during the death and illness of our beloved mother, Martha A. Matthews. Also for the beautiful flowers and the use of cars.
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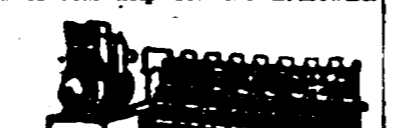
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