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## OLD FOLK DANCE SCORES SUCCESS

Mr. and Mrs. Ratcliffe Act As Host and Hostess for Club to Brilliant Assembly.

The old folk dance, given by the Tuesday Evening Bridge Club at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, Friday evening, proved one of the most delightful social events of the season.

The decorations, consisting principally of ferns and potted plants, added much to the attractiveness of the occasion.

The membership of the club includes Mr. and Mrs. G. Raymond Ratcliffe, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Waters, Dr. and Mrs. W. Fewell Merchant and Mrs. Margaret Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ratcliffe, acting as hosts, welcomed the guests in their accustomed gracious manner, these including Rev. and Mrs. A. Stuart Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bruce Whitmore, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lyon, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Larkin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weir, Mr. and Mrs. John Eliot, Mr. and Mrs. B. Lynn Robertson, Dr. and Mrs. Mark Brown, Dr. and Mrs. Gillum, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Larkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. Fred Dowell, Miss Tavenner, Mrs. Stuart Bevans, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Haines and Mrs. Howard Jamison.

A buffet luncheon, consisting of sandwiches, salads and coffee was served, Mrs. Stuart Bevans presiding with graceful ease at the punch bowl.

The success of this entertainment was so pronounced, that plans are being considered for another, possibly during the week following Easter.

### IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE

Items of Interest Gleaned From a Visit to County Courthouse.

On Tuesday, January 18, a marriage ceremony was performed by Deputy Clerk L. Ledman in the clerk's office, the parties to the covenant being Mr. Luther T. Compton, of Fairfax, and Miss Eliza F. Pearson, of Prince William.

A license was issued on Wednesday to Eugene Williams and Irene Monroe, both of Manassas, the marriage ceremony being conducted by Rev. M. D. Williams at his home, the same day.

The will of Wilemon Thomas, colored, who died at his home in Quantico, January 14, was, on motion of his widow, admitted to record, January 27.

A certificate authorizing letters of administration on the personal estate of Laura Liming, who died recently in Washington, intestate, was granted to Dr. D. C. Cline. Dr. Cline entered into bond in the sum of \$2,000, with the Fidelity and Casualty Company, of New York, as surety. Messrs. G. M. Ratcliffe, William Crow and E. G. W. Keys were appointed to appraise the personal effects of the deceased.

The will of the late R. T. Kohn, whose home was near Token, was probated and admitted to record January 25, on motion of his sister, Mrs. Sarah M. Fair.

—Mr. James R. Mansfield, state secretary, O. F. A., and Mr. Fred Ehardt, of Alexandria, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Lewis while here to attend the recent meeting of Prince William District Council, No. 5, Order Fraternal Americans.

## OVERTURNING TRACTOR INJURES MR. C. K. GLOVER

Front Wheels Take to Air When Headway is Attempted With Traction Wheels Ditched.

An accident happened on Wednesday to Mr. C. K. Glover, at his farm on the Centreville road, which, but for the agility and rare presence of mind displayed by the chief actor in the near-tragedy, would probably have been very serious in its consequences.

Mr. Glover, seated on a Fordson tractor, was placing the engine in position for connection with a power saw, when the traction wheels "backed" into a ditch, the forward ones resting on high ground. When in this position, he attempted to "pull out" with the result that the forward part of the machine described an arc of a half circle, capsizing the tractor backwards.

Mr. Glover failed in his attempt to get completely clear of the overturning engine, but succeeded so far as to escape what would probably have been a serious if not fatal accident.

His injuries though painful are external, and confined for the most part to bruises and slight abrasions.

### DEMOCRAT CAMOUFLAGE

Undercover Charge Reiterated—Copyrighted Craft.

The Manassas Democrat in an article under the caption, "Unrequited Ira," whatever that may mean, indulges again in slanderous implication! Beginning with "regrets," like the serpent whose sheen is dependent upon the slime exuding from within and whose very trail is loathsome, it soon leads the reader along its malicious path of indirection where it again implies the charge that The Journal has been in the habit of copying portions of its news from this, in our opinion, most unreliable source.

This would be "Leading Newspaper of Manassas," also relieves itself of the following:

"We believe that had The Journal given a little more time to diagnosing the paragraph it would no doubt have had a different story for its readers." Had we an eternity at our disposal we should be compelled to confess the difficulty in making any reasonable "diagnosis" of "the paragraph" other than that it was written in malice with the purpose of misrepresentation.

We are told also by this worthy bureau of information that its "news service is neither copyrighted nor syndicated."

What is a "copyright," or perhaps we should ask, who is a "copyright?" We have heard of a millwright, one who constructs or repairs mills; a wheelwright, a builder or repairer of wheels, etc., but a "copyright"—well, we have never met this one before—but we suppose it to mean one who makes "copy," and after a casual perusal of the columns of the Democrat, we would heartily recommend to them a member of that craft; but what's the use?

### NEAR EAST RELIEF

In addition to the receipt of \$117.50, previously acknowledged, the committee begs to list the following recent contributions to the Near East relief fund: Manassas Baptist Church, \$9.00; Julius E. Herrell, 5.00

—Miss Mollie Rixey, who has been on the sick list, has recovered sufficiently to be out again.

## MR. AYLETT CLARK TAKES BRIDE FROM FAR WEST

Son of Prominent Clergyman of Manassas Weds Fraternity Girl in Arizona.

The following account of the wedding of Mr. Aylett D. Clark, son of the Rev. T. D. D. Clark, was taken from the Tucson Citizen, published in Tucson, Arizona, and will be read with interest here:

A wedding which was a great surprise in university as well as in town circles occurred Saturday evening, January 8, at 7:30 at the residence of Rev. R. S. Beal when Miss Frances Leeson, popular member of Kappa Kappa Gamma, became the bride of Aylett D. Clark, of Virginia, a Federal Board student at the University of Arizona. The ceremony had been kept a secret and only the intimate friends of the couple were present. Miss Ruth Bird, a fraternity sister of the bride, was her only attendant, while Mr. Pooler was best man.

The bride looked lovely in a delft blue pussy-willow taffeta with silver trimmings and a hat to match. She carried a bridal bouquet of white rose buds. Miss Bird wore blue georgette over crepe de chine with a blue velvet hat to match, and carried a bouquet of violets. Mrs. A. L. Leeson, mother of the bride, wore a brocaded black satin. The wedding guests included Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bird, Mr. Lewis, Misses Frances Maise, Elizabeth Wilson, Edith Harrison and Ethel Brown. After the ceremony the guests went to the home of Miss Ethel Brown where a delicious bridal supper was served.

The bride is a popular member of Kappa Kappa Gamma and a graduate of the class of '19 from the University of Arizona.

The groom is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Clark, of Manassas, Virginia. He served three years in the recent war as a motorcycle dispatch worker.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark are at present with the bride's mother at her attractive apartment on Olive Road. Mr. Clark will graduate this year from the university.

### DRAMA AT HICKORY GROVE

Junior League Will Hold Entertainment in School House.

(By Secretary Junior League) The Junior League of the Hickory Grove school will hold an entertainment at the school house, Friday night, February 11. A little play entitled, "Uncle Joshua and Aunt Jemima Visit the School," will be given; another, "The Train Leaves in Ten Minutes," will also be performed.

A valentine post office will be conducted by "Uncle Josh," valentines may be bought. Refreshments will be served for the benefit of the league for school improvement.

A spelling match will be a feature of the evening, the older people to spell against the younger. Words will be given from the "World Speller" (used in all the schools) grades five to seven, inclusive. The entertainment will begin at 7:30.

—The musical department of the Manassas Industrial School will hold its mid-winter recital, Saturday, February 5, in the school chapel, at 7:30 p. m. An added attraction to the occasion will be the appearance of George Bohran, a baritone of Washington. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend admission, 25 cents.

## PRINCE WILLIAM FAIR ASSOCIATION MEETS

The Executive Committee and Officers Elected—Financial Statement Made.

(By H. W. Sanders, Sec'y) At a meeting of the board of directors of the Prince William Fair Association, held last Saturday, the following officers were elected for the year 1921:

President, B. Lynn Robertson; vice-presidents, J. J. Conner, J. L. Dawson, McDuff Green and M. M. Washington; secretary, H. W. Sanders; assistant secretary, Miss L. V. Gilbert; treasurer, G. Raymond Ratcliffe; executive committee, Mrs. H. L. Hundley, W. B. Bullock, J. L. Dawson, W. M. Johnson and M. Bruce Whitmore.

A financial statement was read by the secretary which showed the condition of the treasury to be as follows:

Amount due in premiums, \$2,871.25; amount advanced by B. Lynn Robertson, in payment of bills, \$1,033.44; amount notes given, \$703.79; Pain's fireworks, \$600; Hyatt Mfg. Co., ribbons, \$189.32; note, Peoples National Bank, carried over from last year, \$1,000; Manassas Journal, \$100. Total, \$6,501.175.

A large part of this indebtedness will be liquidated by the sale of additional stock authorized by the stockholders at their last annual meeting. In order that these obligations, and especially those with reference to premiums, may be met at once, the president was authorized to borrow.

The meeting closed with a very successful and encouraging session, several motions being carried whereby the 1921 exhibit may be improved. Provision was made for the protection of exhibitors in the cattle and swine department through a motion which was carried providing that herds of cattle that have been tuberculin tested by the U. S. B. A. I shall be housed separately from other herds and shall have separate drinking troughs. Swine that have not been treated for cholera will be kept in separate pens from tested animals. A great deal of interest is being shown in the 1921 exhibit and it is confidently expected that it will prove to be of unusual merit.

### COLORED MAN FOUND DEAD

Body of Robert Maloy Found in Bed by His Physician.

Robert Maloy, a colored man who has been a resident of Manassas about ten years, was found dead in his bed by Dr. Williams on Friday last.

The deceased at one time conducted a barber shop and cleaning establishment here, and was later employed by the railway company as a porter. For some time past he had been out of regular employment.

Five children survive him, his wife having died about three months ago.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Jared Naylor at the home and the interment took place in the colored cemetery, Saturday afternoon.

Advices from Rockville, Md., report the marriage at that place on Wednesday last of Mr. Herman G. Lunsford and Miss Eunice V. Doggett, both of Manassas.

Miss Doggett and Mr. Lunsford are both employed in Washington and have been commuting from this place for some time past. The marriage was wholly unexpected.

## MR. AND MRS. V. E. LAKE ENTERTAIN YOUNG FOLK

After Witnessing a Basketball Game Young People Find Joy in Dance and Play.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon E. Lake entertained a party of the younger set at their home last Friday night. The guests attended the basketball games at the Eastern gymnasium in the evening, and after these were over, were received at the Lake home with the accustomed hospitality of the gracious hostess.

Dancing and games were indulged in, the frisking feet and merry laughter of the young people giving evidence of the joy of the occasion.

Among the guests were: The young ladies of the Warrenton basketball team, Misses Elizabeth Adams, Dorothy Sanders, Constance Waters, Helen Coleman, Thelma Utterback, Ruth Kincheloe, Elizabeth Coleman, Muriel Larkin and Miss Masener, of Front Royal; and Messrs. Jack Merchant, Taylor Weir, Allison Hooff, Miss Lewis, William H. Brown, Jr., Ardith Evans, Henry Lewis, Ashby Lewis, Noel Lynn, John Goode and John Maloney.

Dainty and wholesome refreshments were served and when the clock pointed to midnight, the participants in the merry revel departed, enthusiastic over the joy of the evening.

### HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Assembly Held at Courthouse Friday, January 21.

(Communicated)

At the high school assembly held at the courthouse last Friday a most entertaining and valuable address was made to the students by Mrs. O. H. Avery of the State Board of Education, on Home Economics as a Profession.

The speaker took up the various lines of the work, cafeteria and institutional management, interior decoration, the teaching of home economics, and, above all, home making, describing where advanced training in each line could be obtained, the attractive features and range of salaries in each. But, in particular, the speaker dwelt on the importance of every girl having training in home economics in her school course, since in most cases the mothers were either too busy or not in a position to give the careful scientific training now necessary to every woman if she would have success in the most vital of all occupations, that of making a happy and successful home.

Now that the high school assemblies are being held at the courthouse, which has some seating capacity in excess of the student body, the patrons and friends of the school are cordially invited to attend the meetings. Notice will always be given out through the students of the time of the meeting.

On Thursday of this week, the second year home economics class entertained at dinner the eleven members of the student council, with Miss Mildred Creel presiding as hostess. The menu, which was entirely prepared and served by the class, follows:

Fried oysters, scalloped potatoes, hot biscuit, Waldorf salad, jellatine with bananas and cream, cake, coffee.

Notice of the athletic events of the week will be given elsewhere.

—Miss Ruth Sanger, of near Centreville, spent Sunday with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Sanger.

## STATE OFFICERS ADDRESS O. F. A.

Order of Fraternal Americans Organize a District Council Tuesday Night.

After the conclusion of the meeting of Bull Run Council, No. 15, O. F. A., Tuesday night, the organization of Prince William District Council, No. 5, was effected. This is composed of the five O. F. A. councils of this county, namely: Aden, Stonewall, Independent Hill, Greenwich and Manassas. State Secretary, James R. Mansfield and Senior Past State President, Fred W. Ehardt, were in attendance to supervise the organization.

In the absence of District Deputy State President, P. M. Boley, on account of illness, Mr. J. M. Bell officiated in his stead.

The delegates from Greenwich, Independent Hill and Manassas represented their respective councils; delegates from Aden and Stonewall not being present.

The organization proceeded with the election of officers, with the following results:

District deputy state president, P. M. Boley; vice-president, James B. Cole; Council No. 30; secretary-treasurer, D. R. Lewis, Council No. 15; marshal, W. A. Armstrong, council No. 33; warden, Ryle Lynn, council No. 54, and sentry, M. A. Bell, council No. 30.

The object of this organization is to encourage visitation among the various councils; to enlarge the work by the establishment of new councils and to promote the general welfare of the order.

A resolution was adopted recommending that councils hold open meetings, inviting the attendance of the public, at which the objects and principles of the order be emphasized.

A resolution was adopted recommending that each member of councils in this group contribute one dollar or more towards a fund to build a Virginia Cottage at the National Orphans' Home at Tiffin, Ohio.

A resolution was adopted heartily indorsing the Johnson immigration bill, now pending in the Congress and telegrams were dispatched to the two Virginia Congress and telegrams were sent, urging their support of the measure.

Addresses were delivered along lines of interest and importance to the organization by Messrs. James R. Mansfield and Fred W. Ehardt.

Mr. Mansfield, who is well known here, is ever ready with his wit and wisdom to charm his hearers and he made this occasion no exception to his previous indulgences in the use of oratory. The addresses of both speakers were received with enthusiasm.

### CIRCUIT COURT REVERSED

The supreme court of appeals last week reversed the decision of the circuit court of Prince William in the case of Bargamin vs. Lion and McIntyre, trustees, involving sale by the trustees of Bargamin farm in this county.

As there were several claims and trusts against the property, the court of appeals decided that the sale could not be effected until the rights in the various claims had been determined.

Mr. Bargamin was represented by Mr. Robt. A. Hutchings.

CLIFTON

Rev. T. H. MacLeod preached an excellent sermon on the character of Jesus in the midst of the eleven disciples in the upper room in Jerusalem after the resurrection, his human side as well as divine side, and the great power he had as a teacher.

The Woman's Missionary Society met in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. A. Hall. Mrs. Doak, the leader for the month, brought some Chinese curios given her by Miss Lillian Wells, a young lady missionary, who was a former Sunday School pupil of Mrs. Doak's at Morristown, Tennessee, and who is now a missionary to China supported by this Sunday School class. Mrs. Doak also had a personal letter from Miss Wells, which was of quite recent date, telling of her work. After a very interesting program the meeting adjourned to convene again at the home of Mrs. D. W. Buckley next month.

There were services in the Baptist Church, the speaker being sent out by the Richmond State Board of the Baptist Church.

Miss Augusta Robey, who has been ill for several weeks in a Washington hospital, is able to be out, but has not returned to her home here yet.

The Misses Bartenstein of the Clifton school faculty, also Miss Hitt, spent the last week-end in Washington.

The Clifton post office has been advanced from fourth class to third class recently.

Miss Mary G. Johnson was married at the home of her aunt in Washington last Tuesday. The fortunate young man was Mr. Frank Smith, of Washington. They will make their home in the city.

The marriage of Mr. Cecil Kincheloe to Miss Rose took place recently.

The corn show will be held this coming Friday and the second and third prizes instead of ribbons will be cash; second, \$2.00 and third, \$1.00, on ten ears; second, \$5.00 and third, \$3.00 on best bushel. The ladies of the league will have sandwiches and coffee for sale.

Mr. J. C. Swift and family have moved back to their own farm from the farm of J. W. Kincheloe.

Mr. D. W. Matthers has sold his butcher business to Messrs. Roger Cross and Milton Simpson. They will take possession February 1st.

Mr. R. R. Buckley has purchased the lumber shed and surrounding buildings that were in use a few years ago; they include the mill building and the butcher's shop.

The Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Buckley last Friday night and the school had a pie social the same night. Both came off successfully.

FORESTBURG

Mrs. J. E. Tapscott called at the home of Mrs. W. E. King Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Williams and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Proctor, all of Dumfries, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Randall Sunday.

Mr. Charles Abel continues ill. Miss Etta Tapscott visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Randall Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Bettie Abel and daughter Garnett, called at the home of Mrs. Belle Dunn Saturday afternoon.

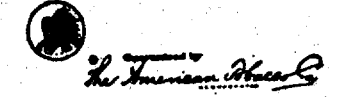
Mr. and Mrs. Bell, of Quantico, passed through Forestburg Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Keen will hold services at Forest Hill M. E. Church Sunday at 3 o'clock. We hope to see a large attendance.

DR. L. F. HOUGH  
DENTIST

LUCKY STRIKE cigarette

It's toasted



NOKESVILLE

The "Bible Institute" which was held at Hebron Seminary last week, closed on Friday night. Prof. Myers, of Juniata College, Pa., was the teacher and Prof. Boorman, president of Bridgewater College, gave some very fine lectures. The singing by the school choir, led by Miss Gibson, was very good and much appreciated by those in attendance.

St. Ann's Social Club met at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. Wine Wednesday evening of last week with a full attendance. One new member was admitted. At the business meeting it was decided to give a play entitled "A Kentucky Bible." Members were assigned their parts, after which a half hour was spent in practicing hymns to be sung at the Mission service to begin at St. Ann's on the 7th of February. The young people engaged in dancing for a short time, after which delightful refreshments were served.

Miss Story has recovered from her recent illness and has returned to her duties as principal of the public school here.

Rev. and Mrs. Mark entertained guests from Washington on Sunday.

Miss Franziska Jonas spent the week-end with her parents here.

Mrs. John Snyder, Mrs. Minnie Bagottte and Miss Della Fitzwater were Manassas visitors on Monday.

CATHARPIN

Miss Edmonia Pattie has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Wheeler, at Wellington, the past fortnight.

Messrs. Frank and William Brower spent last week-end in Leesburg.

Supt. Charles R. McDonald visited our school this week and conducted a test for speed and accuracy in the higher grades.

Miss Alice Metz was the guest of friends at Greenwich recently.

A moccasin snake measuring about two feet in length, was killed by Mr. Grover Ellison, one of the mild days last week. His snakeship was crawling through the woods, apparently thinking that spring had arrived, when Mr. Ellison found him.

Mrs. Kennedy, of Groveton, was a Catharpin visitor one day last week. Mrs. Kennedy and family expect to move to Scott county in the near future, Mr. Kennedy being employed there.

Two of Mr. Gray's children, living on the Lawville Farm, have scarlet fever. Mr. Samuel Moss's elder son, Harold, of Sudley, is also a victim of the same disease. At last reports all were doing well.

Mr. J. B. Rutter has returned from a visit to relatives in Loudoun and elsewhere.

DR. V. V. GILLUM  
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MINNIEVILLE

There will be services at the Baptist Church here Sunday, conducted by Elder Alderton, of Fredericksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Davis and daughter, Bernice, of Hartford, N. J., are visiting relatives in this neighborhood.

Mr. D. C. Alexander was a week-end visitor in Washington. Mrs. Fannie Shackelford has returned from Washington, where she visited relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. T. Clarke is spending some time in the city, visiting her sisters and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Rush Hereford, of Agnewville, Mrs. W. A. Dane, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hinton Sunday.

Mr. C. E. Clarke was in Dumfries Monday on business.

Mr. Charles Barbee, of Token, was in Minnieville Monday on business.

Messrs. J. T. and P. E. Clarke motored to Stafford last week and were accompanied home by Mr. John Greene, who is now visiting in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clarke had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boatwright and son, Sinclair; Mrs. E. J. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Clarke and daughter, Catheryne, and the Messrs. J. R. Greene, D. H. Carter and sons, Henry, and Phillip, D. C. Alexander and B. S. Kidwell.

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¶ At that time Manassas was little more than a village, and Prince William the mere embryo of its present prosperous self. Is it not a widely recognized fact that in the steady, healthy growth of the county seat and county, the work of this bank has been of signal benefit?

¶ And now, when there is no longer the feeling of risk that was once associated with the depositing of money in a bank—no matter how sound and ably financed—do not the citizens of Prince William and adjacent counties appreciate the educational value of the unflinching services of this institution during the twenty-five years past?

¶ As town and county have increased in population and wealth, the National Bank of Manassas has reported a parallel growth in its number of accounts and in the amount of money on deposit. Little was it dreamed by the foun-

ders of this institution that in a quarter of a century—a short span in the life of a permanent enterprise—that this bank would be able to show deposits of over half a million dollars, with resources over \$700,000.

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# The National Bank of Manassas

MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

# COUNTY BOARD HOLDS SESSION

## Supervisors Transact Business Of Interest and Importance In Regular Meeting.

The board of supervisors convened in regular session, Tuesday, January 25, those members present being J. L. Dawson, chairman; McDuff Green, T. M. Russell and O. C. Hutchison.

After approving the minutes of the preceding meeting the following accounts were examined and warrants ordered drawn in payment of the same:

J. C. Meredith, estate, physician to poor, etc.	\$15.00
R. E. Wine, Brentsville district, same	16.00
T. G. Brown, Gainesville district, same	10.00
D. C. Cline, Dumfries district, same	10.00
F. W. Hornbaker, Occoquan, same	10.00
L. F. Keys, overseer of poor, Brentsville district	10.00
M. J. Keys, same, Dumfries district	10.00
C. M. Copen, same, Coles district	10.00
G. A. Gossom, same, Gainesville district	10.00
W. A. Evans, same, Manassas district	10.00
E. P. Davis, same, Occoquan district	10.00
A. E. Alcott, two loads wood	6.00
F. S. Davis, hawk scalp	.50
Hex. Reid, two days electoral board	8.40
H. S. Bell, poor claim	5.00
Jordan & Jordan, same	24.00
H. P. Davis, water and light, courthouse and jail	18.34
W. A. Smoot & Co., coal	153.15
G. G. Tyler, cash advanced, freight on coal	20.76
B. T. Mills, hauling coal	9.00
J. L. Dawson, attendance and mileage	8.00
McDuff Green, same	7.30
O. C. Hutchison, same	7.20
T. M. Russell, same	6.70
S. T. Hall, three coal hods for courthouse	3.45
Manassas Journal, bill filed	101.05
W. F. Merchant, coroner and health board	18.00
J. G. Sullivan, poor claim	6.00
C. A. Barbee, attendance	2.00
R. C. Lewis, coffin for Maloy	8.40
Daniel Reid, poor claim	30.00
Norman Sinclair, 5 hawk scalps	2.50
Occoquan district school board, maintenance of schools	600.00
G. G. Tyler, 15 copies of code	99.00
Brentsville District Road Fund	
J. R. Wright, work on road	5.50
A. Crummett, shovel and work on road	3.85
E. B. Bell, work on road	6.00
J. F. Hale, same	8.00
J. L. Diehl, same	56.50
Coles District Road Fund	
J. M. Wells, work on road	11.60
Bowen Tolson, same	1.50
Walter Woolfenden, hauling pipe and oil	2.50
James Luek, work on road	18.90
Chas. Linton, same	19.00
George A. Beavers, same	2.50
Gainesville District Road Fund	
L. J. McIntosh, work on road	15.00
Boyd Beach, same, use Palmer Smith	17.50
Tom Lambert, same	24.00
C. F. Caplinger, same	8.50
Manassas District Road Fund	
Walker Reeves, work on road	12.00
D. B. Redd, same	15.00
J. T. Bean, same	2.00
J. F. Robertson, same	14.00
John W. Richey, same	42.00
Occoquan District Road Fund	
Daniel Reid, work on road	3.50
George F. Pettit, same	45.75
E. H. Sheppard, same	57.00
Daniel Posey, same	9.00
Special Road Fund	
J. W. Kidwell, repair work (B.)	9.35
G. T. Cornwell, one-third acre soil (C.)	8.00
E. S. Cornwell, one-half acre soil (C.)	12.00
Palmer Smith, part salary (G.)	28.50
Tyson Janney, nails, etc (O.)	5.90
J. W. Fairbanks, gravel (O.)	25.00

Warrant drawn on treasurer for \$118.75 in favor of T. M. Russell, paymaster, or order, the same to be charged to the joint state and county fund set aside for the maintenance of roads and bridges constructed under supervision of State Highway Commission.

Warrant drawn on treasurer for \$140.70 in favor of county fund or order, the same to be charged to state fund for permanent improvement of roads.

Nun Pro Tunc Order: At a meeting of board of supervisors held at Manassas on the 3rd day of January, 1921. NOW FOR THEM.

Whereas pursuant to the provisions of Section I of the state money aid Road Law, approved March 27, 1918, this board has formulated and laid out a tentative system of county highways and has caused a map thereof to be made, dated May 10, 1918, showing the county road system, the roads thereon shown in solid red lines are hereby adopted as a tentative county highway system, as follows:

1. From Sanborn's corner, via Agnewville, Bethel, Hoadley, Bockhall, Manassas, New Market, Stone House, Sudley, Catharlin, Woolsey, Hickory Grove, to the Loudoun county line toward Aldie—34 miles.

2. From Woolsey via Haymarket, Gainesville, Bristow, Brentsville, Independent Hill, Keys, to State Highway Route No. 1 at Dumfries—30 miles.

3. From Quantico via Forestburg, Kopp, Lansdown, Howison's Ford, Aden, Manuel's corner, Nokesville, Greenwich to Buckland—34 miles.

4. From county road No. 1 at Bethel via Minnieville, to county road No. 2 at Keys—5 miles.

5. From county road near Hoadley, to county road No. 6, at Lowe's corner—5 miles.

6. From county road No. 8 at Kopp via Independent Hill, Lowe's corner, Limstrong, to State Highway, Route No. 21, at Manassas—13 miles.

7. From county road No. 3, at Aden, to its intersection with county road No. 2, about one mile south of Bristow—4.5 miles.

8. From county road No. 2, at Brentsville, to its intersection with county road No. 6, at Limstrong—3.5 miles.

9. From county road No. 2, at Haymarket via Thoroughfare, to the Fauquier line at Beverley's Mill—4.5 miles.

10. From State Highway Route No. 21, about one mile west of Manassas via Kelly's corner and Wellington, to its intersection with county road No. 1 at New Market—5 miles.

11. From county road No. 3 at Manuel's corner to the Fauquier line towards Weaverville—2.5 miles.

Ordered that C. L. Reading be recommended to the Commissioner of Game and Inland Fisheries for appointment as game warden in the room and stead of Hunter Allen, resigned.

Dr. D. C. Cline appointed physician to the poor's house.

Ordered that a warrant be drawn for the sum of \$99.00, in payment for 14 copies of unannotated and one copy of annotated code of Virginia of 1919, for use of the court and justices thereof.

Warrant ordered in the sum of \$600 on county fund in favor of Occoquan school fund and treasurer to credit said fund and pay same out upon the warrants of said district school board for maintenance of schools in said district.

Ordered that J. L. Dawson be appointed and instructed to have repairs made to floor of R. R. Highway bridge at Woodbridge upon condition that county of Fairfax pay one-half of same.

Ordered that sum of \$20.00 be paid to the following pensioners of the county, residents thereof, as follows:

- Mary J. Abel, Sarah W. Bridwell, J. C. Dove, Addison S. Fairfax, J. M. Fairfax, C. Fitzwater, M. C. Holmes, H. A. Herring, Laura V. Free, S. M. Haiship, R. P. Ludwig, John L. Meetze, Robert H. Pearson, H. C. Pearson, W. H. Ralls, James H. Reid, Laura V. Shirley, Susan F. Taylor, Mrs. C. E. Bridwell, Louise G. Nicol, Mrs. Emmet Brawner, Annie E. Corpwell, Emma L. Ellicott, T. M. Fox, Hester Foley, J. J. Gough, Mary F. Gossom, W. L. Holliday, Audonia Crouch, Jane S. Herrell, A. A. Lynn, James W. Nalls, Sarah J. Pettit, Hugh G. Payne, Chas. H. Randall, George Selecman, Mary Jane Telson, Mary E. Wilkins, Joseph M. Mayhugh, John W. Davis, which shall be paid as of February 22, 1921, and for which clerk shall draw warrants in favor of said several pensioners, on special pension fund.

Inquest over colored man at Quantico with verdict of jury, ordered certified to court.

Adjourned to Tuesday, February 22, 1921.

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# We Will Sell for Cash Only--- And Sell For Less

¶ In order to conduct our business at a minimum of expense, thus permitting us to sell at even lower prices than we have been able to do under the old cash and credit system, beginning February 1, 1921, we will sell for cash only.

¶ Our entire stock is now being marked down to conform to this new selling plan, and on all goods you will find prices materially lowered. Special reductions for the month of February are being made on some of our goods—creating values that we fear we will not be able to duplicate for many months to come. These exceptional bargains throughout the store will be designated by big red price tags.

¶ Contrary to the expectations of the average person, the wholesale prices on only a few items in our lines have been reduced, and on these few the reductions have been but slight. At this time in particular, then, you will appreciate the saving effected by dealing where the prices named are for cash only.

¶ As in the past, so now and in the future, we will give particular attention to the handling of quality goods; being convinced that the public demands good goods at a minimum retailing expense, rather than cheap, inferior goods no matter how low the price.

¶ While this new selling plan may at first prove slightly inconvenient to a number of our regular and valued charge customers, we are sure they will be glad to learn of its adoption, because of the assurance that from now on we will be able to sell at an even closer margin of profit than in the past. And who is it nowadays that does not count a saving in money—other things being equal—worth while?

¶ If you need anything in hardware, furniture or home furnishings—no matter what it is—it will be to your advantage to see what a saving can be effected by shopping at the place where your cash money pays simply for the goods you buy and not also a part of the expense incident to the extending of credit to numerous fellow customers.

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**WHY NOT A HOSPITAL**

Several weeks ago, there appeared in The Journal, an article under the caption, "An Appeal for a Hospital," by the Rev. T. D. D. Clark, to which the attention of the public was called in this column.

The Journal has deferred reference to the plan of the proposed hospital only so long as it was required to make certain investigations, in order to place before its readers some concrete facts which may, in a measure, serve to show the necessity for an institution of the kind under discussion.

Hear what Dr. W. F. Merchant of Manassas, has to say:

"A hospital for Prince William, a large part of Fairfax and practically all of Fauquier counties, is one of our most imperative needs, not only from a humanitarian point of view, but from an economic one as well.

"A canvass of six physicians, all of them from above the run in Prince William county, revealed the astonishing fact that two hundred patients are annually sent to hospitals from Prince William county alone, most of them to Washington, D. C.

"The prices charged in Washington hospitals at present are, for ward beds, \$15.75 per week and for private rooms, \$25.00 and up.

"If one hundred of these patients occupy ward beds and one hundred occupy private rooms, at an average of three weeks each in a hospital, the cost to Prince William county alone is more than \$12,000 annually, which is utterly lost to our county. In addition, there is the cost of drugs and many extras for which the patient has to pay.

"The advantages of having a nearby hospital are many, not only to the patients themselves, who bear transportation badly, but to their families and friends, who can not only reach them quickly but save all the expense incident to travel."

Those who have been fortunate or unfortunate enough to have had to pay surgeon's fees in recent years, know full well that it is a very ordinary operation, the fee for which is not one hundred dollars or more. Now suppose that one hundred of the two hundred patients who are sent away annually from this county, pay one hundred dollars each for surgeon's fees, this would mean ten thousand dollars in addition to the amounts enumerated by Dr. Merchant; and so we might go on adding to the amount of money lost to the county and community which, in the majority of cases might well have remained in this and adjacent counties.

We do not mean that there would be no expense to the patient treated in a hospital established here, but we do mean to say that the expense would probably be much less and that the skill and care used in administering to the patients would be equal at least, and that large sums of money would be conserved to the interests of the community.

As to plans to be put under way for the achievement of the purpose in view, some suggestions have been made and one which seems at least feasible is the acquisition of the Eastern College property and the conversion of one of the large dormitories into a hospital, using the other buildings as apartment houses, the rentals from which could be applied to an interest fund. However, it is not the plan of The Journal to go into an elaborate discussion of ways and means for the establishment of the much needed institution, but its plan is

rather to place the project in a clear light before our people and to let wiser heads take care of the business of the proposition. Finally, it may be well to note that some years ago when the establishment of a hospital here was under discussion, several of the councils and lodges of the various secret and charitable organizations offered to furnish wards in the proposed institution and doubtless they and others would be glad of an opportunity to render such assistance as may lie within their power in the interest of charity—"Faith, hope, charity—the greatest of these is charity."

**LAUGH AND LIVE**

Jokes and Witty Sayings From The Liveliest Publications of the Country

**The Middlesex Regiment.**

In France some American Negroes were sitting beside the road, away behind the battle lines, watching troops moving forward to the front. The Negroes were commenting on the names of the regiments which marched by. (Many of the regiments raised in England were named for the counties in which they were recruited, as "Kentish Rifles," "Northumberland Lancers," "Third Yorkshire Infantry," and so forth.) As these British troops marched by, one of the Negroes took delight in calling out the name or number of the regiment. Suddenly down the road came a regiment of Highlanders in kilts. The Negroes had never before seen a "kiltie" regiment, and one of them cried: "My! My! Look dere, Sam, what am dat? Dey is too big for women and dey cain't be men 'cause dey is wearing skirts; what do you-all s'pose dey is?"

"Why," said Sam, "dey is dat Middlesex regiment."

**Wrong Sign.**

A farmer hitched his team to a telephone-pole. "Here," exclaimed a policeman, "you can't hitch there!" "Can't hitch!" shouted the irate farmer. "Well, why does the sign say, 'Fine for Hitching'?"—Catholic News.

**Slight Correction.**

"No, sir," cried the irate parent, "my daughter can never be yours." "I don't want her to be my daughter," interrupted the young man, "I want her to be my wife."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

**It Was a "Pusher."**

"Yes, mum," sniveled the Panhandler, "there was a time when I rode in my own carriage." "My, what a come down!" sympathized the kind-hearted woman. "And how long has it been since you rode in your own carriage?"

"Just forty-five years, mum," replied the Panhandler, as he pocketed the proffered dime. "I was a baby then."—The Catholic News.

**"Oughta Been Zaggin'."**

A medical corps officer chanced upon a negro acquaintance of civil life one day in France. "How do you like the army, Mose?" he asked.

"S'all right so far, cap'n," replied the negro, "but Ah don't know how I'm going to like it when dem Germans shoot at me."

"Don't worry about that," replied the officer. "All you have to do is zig-zag." And he demonstrated.

The next time the two met, the negro was in a hospital.

"What's the matter with you, Mose?" asked the officer.

"Ah ain't sure, cap'n, but Ah think I must have been ziggin' 'bout the time Ah oughta been raggin'."—American Legion.

**Where Is Business Gone?**

Joseph and Isaac went to hear Billy Sunday preach, and after services, as they were going home Joseph said:

"Well, Isaac, vat you t'ink of him?"

"I didn't like him," said Isaac. "Too much hell. It was hell, hell, hell all the time. And I don't believe there is any hell, Joseph."

"No hell?" asked Joseph, in amazement.

"No," answered his friend.

"Vell, then, Isaac," said Joseph, "if there is no hell, where is bizness gone?"

**Absent-Mindedness.**

A minister had a habit of forgetting something he had to say in the pulpit. Then, after sitting down, he would arise and begin his supplementary remarks with, "By the way."

Recently he finished his prayer, hesitated, forgot what he was about and sat down abruptly without closing. In a moment, however, he arose, pointed his finger at his amazed congregation, and exclaimed:

"Oh, by the way—Amen!"

**Extravagance**

Two oysters were in a big pot full of milk, getting ready for stew. Said one oyster to the other:

"Where are we?"

"At a church supper," was the reply. Whereupon the little oyster said:

"What on earth do they want of both of us?"

**The Truth About It.**

Inquiring Son—"Papa, what is reason?"

Fond Parent—"Reason, my boy, is that which enables a man to determine what is right."

Inquiring Son—"And what is instinct?"

Fond Parent—"Instinct is that which tells a woman she is right whether she is or not."—From the Edinburgh Scotsman.

**Found in His Car.**

"Every day I find something new about my car."

"So do I. This morning I found three hairpins and a powder puff."—Florida Times-Union.

**New View.**

Mrs. Grimm—"And so you are going to be my son-in-law?"

He—"By Jove! I hadn't thought of that!"—Tit-Bits.

**Was in a Hurry.**

"You seem very attentive to that soap box orator."

"Yes," replied the man who worries about fuel. "He is standing on the makings of a fine bunch of kindling wood."—Washington Star.

**Just a Street-Car Drizzle.**

She (getting ready for theatre)—"Is it raining?" He—"Not a tad rain."—New Haven Register.

**Not Experienced.**

Bride—"Is there any age at which children cease to be a care?"

Nonagenarian—"I can't say. My oldest is only 70."—Kansas City Star.

**Still Doing Business.**

Mrs. Trotter—"Yes, we'er just back from Colorado. We've been up to the top of Pike's Peak."

Mrs. Homebody—"Dear me! I've heard my father speak of going up Pike's Peak when he was a boy. I had no idea they still had it out there."—Boston Post.

**The Lucky Fifth.**

"Nice children you have. What is this?"

"The fifth."

He seems to be the healthiest-looking of the lot."

"Yes, by the time he came along his mother had run out of theories."—Boston Transcript.

**HAYMARKET GARAGE**

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 Very truly yours,  
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Manassas, Va., December 3, 1920.

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 I met Mr. C. B. Roland soon after coming to the county and he has done quite a bit of work for me, which has always been perfectly satisfactory, and his charges have been less than any I have found in the county. Anyone having any work in Mr. Roland's line will make no mistake, I am sure, in going to him.  
 Very respectfully,  
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**Our 1921 Message**

We believe in our country and its limitless resources, in the sweat, common sense and poise of the majority of our one hundred and ten million people, and in the business which their needs create.

We believe in the sagacity of banker and merchant alike and in the co-operative working out of present-day problems.

We know that just at this time, business is sensitive, goes only where it is invited and stays only where it is well treated. We also realize there is no sudden cure-all for the present merchandising situation.

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**BRIEF LOCAL NEWS**

—Mr. B. Lynn Robertson was in Roanoke this week.

—Mrs. R. B. Larkin was a Washington visitor Monday.

—Mrs. R. Anderson and son, Lester, were visitors here Saturday.

—Rev. A. Stuart Gibson was a Washington visitor during the week.

—Mrs. C. R. C. Johnson entertained a bridge party Thursday afternoon.

—Mrs. Weatherall and children spent the week-end in Washington.

—Mrs. Albert Lawrence was taken to Sibley Hospital, Washington, Tuesday.

—Miss Willie Burnett, of Culpeper, is a guest at the home of Mrs. R. B. Sprinkel.

—Miss Amelia Brown is visiting at the home of her uncle in Charles Town, W. V.

—Mr. Eppa L. Cornwell, of Washington, was a visitor in Manassas for the week-end.

Miss Elizabeth Larrick was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Bruce Whitmore.

—Mrs. G. W. Goods and sister, of Alexandria, were guests of Mrs. S. T. Weir on Wednesday.

—Miss Mary Larkin, of Washington, will arrive this evening for a visit to her aunt, Mrs. C. M. Larkin.

—Mr. John Broadus, of the National Bank of Manassas, who has been ill for the past week, is improving.

—Mrs. Ada Davis and Miss Dinah Davis are guests of Mrs. Davis' daughter, Mrs. Proffitt, in Washington.

—Miss Eloise Giddings left today for a week-end visit to her cousin, Miss Susan Giddings, in Washington.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gales Hutchison, of Aldie, were recent guests of Mrs. T. R. Galleher, Mrs. Hutchison's sister.

—Miss Margaret Temple Hopkins and Master Charles Webster Hopkins were week-end visitors in Washington.

—The Good Housekeepers' Club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. L. Harrell on Tuesday, February 5, instead of February 9.

—The regular meeting of Manassas Chapter, U. D. C., will be held at the home of Mrs. R. L. Byrd at 3 p. m., Wednesday, February 2.

—The many friends of Mrs. Sallie Richards, who has been suffering from a severe cold, will be glad to hear that she is improving.

—A Better Sunday School and Church Day program will be held at Hayfield school house on Sunday, January 30, at half past two. Everybody is invited to come.

—The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist Church will be held at the home of Mrs. R. B. Sprinkel, Tuesday, Feb. 1, at 2:30 o'clock.

—The many friends of Mrs. Annie Adamson will learn with regret of her serious illness. Mrs. Adamson was taken to Sibley Hospital, Washington, Wednesday.

—Special revival services will begin at the Methodist Church Sunday night. C. G. Chappell, D. D., pastor of the representative church, Washington, will preach Tuesday and Wednesday night. These services will continue two weeks. J. H. Wells, D. D. presiding elder of the Washington district and John Paul Tyler ex-chaplain of U. S. Army, are also expected to preach.

—Rev. and Mrs. Barnett Grimsley will spend Sunday in Savage, Md. Mr. Grimsley has been invited there to preach in the Baptist Church on Sunday.

—Mrs. William M. Longwell, of Gassoway, W. Va., arrived Saturday to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. O. D. Waters. Mrs. Longwell left Monday for a short visit to relatives of Mr. Longwell in Pennsylvania, returning here Thursday.

—A very enjoyable "taffy pull" was given to the members of Mrs. Westwood Hutchison's Sunday School class and to the girls' auxiliary by Mrs. Hutchison, Miss Isabelle Hutchison and Miss Susan Ish Harrison on Saturday afternoon.

—The ladies of Trinity Church Guild are meeting weekly at the home of Mrs. C. M. Larkin, planning work for the Lenten season. All members of the guild as well as the other ladies of the church are requested to attend these Tuesday afternoon meetings.

—On Tuesday last, the Junior Basketball team of Manassas journeyed to Alexandria where they were defeated in a game by a score of 16 to 15. Miss Marion Lewis and Miss Louise Maloney, teachers in the graded schools, accompanied the team on the trip.

—The firm of Wine & Pence are installing an Alamo lighting plant and a National non-storage water system on the farm of L. C. Jacobs on the Centreville road.

—License tags bearing the date 1921 must be displayed on all automobiles operating in Manassas after February 1. The sergeant has been instructed to enforce the law rigidly after that date.

—The plan for furnishing soup to the children of the graded school, formulated by the Good Housekeepers' Club, was put into operation Tuesday. The hot soup, as an addition to the cold lunches of the children, rendered the mid-day repast much more enjoyable to them.

—Telegraphic news reached here today through Rev. Westwood Hutchison, of the death, in a hospital in Washington this morning at 9 o'clock, of Miss Mamie Gulick, daughter of Mr. James F. Gulick, a former resident of Manassas. The burial will take place here Sunday.

Easy to Do.  
Maggie—"What, you back here? I thought you had fallen into a fortune!"  
Henry—"I did—and went right through it!"—Cartoons Magazine.

Try our business locals, if you want to get results.

**DIXIE THEATRE**

Monday, January 31

Charles Ray in "The Deserter"

It is a grand picture, with lots of excitement. See his shy way of leaving the U. S. service. This is one of Charles Ray's best features—something that you will surely enjoy. Two Episodes of "The Mystery of 13." Admission, 11c-17c.

Tuesday, February 1

Edythe Sterling in "One Way Trail"

"One Way Trail" is a wonderful production, full of life and action. It is a regular "westerner," with plenty of good riding and excellent gun play—a picture with lots of shooting and killing. Admission, 11c-17c.

Thursday, February 3

Grace Davidson and Montague Love in "Man's Plaything"

It's a fascinating photo-drama picturized in an interesting, compelling manner; with an unique plot, a splendid cast of players and beautiful settings—something worth while. See this one. Admission, 11c-17c.

Friday, February 4

William Russell in "The Man Who Dared"

This is a Fox photoplay. "The Man Who Dared" is a stirring romance of the California Redwoods. See his wonderful fight for love against such large odds. A picture of real excitement. Admission, 11c-17c.

Saturday, February 5

"Daughter of Devil Dan"

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GOV. DAVIS' MOTHER DEAD

Succumbs at Laurel, Md.; Funeral Held at Leesburg, Va.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 27.—Mrs. Annie Lewis (Morris) Davis, mother of Gov. Westmoreland Davis, of Virginia, died Tuesday night at Laurel, Md., after an illness of several days.

Mrs. Davis was the only surviving daughter of Christopher S. Morris and Mrs. Fannie Brown (Thurston) Morris, of Gloucester county. Her grandfather, Robert Thurston lived at "Lansdowne," famous colonial home-stead in Gloucester county.

BUSINESS LOCALS

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Reduced prices on motor robes at Wagener's.

Ear Corn—car to arrive in a few days. We are taking orders. How much do you want? Manassas Feed and Milling Co. 36

Any type of heater bought at our present reduced prices will be a splendid investment for years to come. W. C. Wagener. 36-1

For Sale—Reasonable price—dairy equipment in good condition; boiler and Star milk cooler. Twenty-five 10-gallon milk cans, N. Y. patterns. Waverley Farms, Haymarket, Va. 36-2

Genuine American Field Fence is not the cheapest in price but the cheapest in years of service rendered. To build a fence costs time and money. Why not use the best fence while at it? W. C. Wagener.

For Sale—Seven-room house and 6 1/2 acres of land, 1/2 mile of corporation; good water and plenty of fruit. Apply to M. W. Maupin, Manassas, Va., R1.35-3\*

Cowpeas, Whippoorwills \$2.65 bus., Mixed \$2.50; Mammoth Yellow Soy Beans \$1.90, in 25 bus. lots \$1.85. Mail check to Catawba Seed Store, Hickory, N. C. 35-4\*

Apartment for Rent with five large, sunny rooms and bath; no small children. Apply at this office. 35-3

For Sale—Good paying restaurant property in Culpeper, Va. Address communications care The Star Publishing Co., Inc., Culpeper, Va. 35-2

For Sale, Very Cheap—1 2 1/2 h. p. International "Mogul" gasoline engine; 1 1 1/2 h. p. International "Mogul" gasoline engine. The latter has seen little service and both are in good condition. James Birkett, Annaburg Farm, Manassas, Va. 35-4\*

FOR SALE—The shop at Haymarket which has been occupied by the undersigned for the past five years having been sold, I have for sale the following personal property, viz.: One lever printing press in good condition except rollers which need filing; four cases job type comprising fonts which with some additions would be sufficient for small job business; a cook stove, newly repaired; coal stove; one ladies' size violin and case with new bow, cost \$30.00, will sell for \$20.00; L. C. Smith typewriter, \$35, and a large cupboard 5x9 feet. I will be at my present place of business until January 24 on Mondays, Fridays and Saturdays, when I shall be glad to receive money due me. On other week days and after January 24 those desiring to settle their accounts will please leave the amounts with Mr. T. H. Garrett. A. C. DOYLE, Haymarket, Va. 35-2\*

Lost—Pair Tortoiseshell rim glasses; suitable reward if returned to Elvare Conner, North Main Street. 35-2

Wanted—50,000 white oak cross ties. See us and get prices. M. Lynch & Co. 23-11

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FEDERAL ECONOMY WILL NOT STOP VA. ROAD PLAN

Va. Good Roads Association Says Go Ahead—Virginians Will Have Good Roads.

Every Virginian is at heart a good roads advocate. He may differ with his neighbor over ways and means to secure them, but if he can be convinced that they are procurable without undue burden his answer will be "Go ahead." It is the purpose of the Virginia Good Roads Association to spread such convincing argument for better highways into every nook and corner of the state, and to that end it is sending out its trucks, its movies and its literature. To make this campaign of education as complete as possible, every Virginian who does not now belong should feel it incumbent upon him to demonstrate his interest by becoming a member. The drive for membership has been extended, and all one needs is a dollar and a desire to see Virginia lift itself out of the mud.

Virginia, with its constitutional restrictions removed by the votes of the people, is at the beginning of a great road-building era, which in the next ten years should metamorphose the state, whose name is anathema to tourists into one that will be the Mecca for travelers from all over America, drawn by its splendid highways leading to its thousands of points of historic interest. Such a metamorphosis can be brought about if the people will it so.

There has been fear on the part of some that under the changed administration and the cry for national economy the Federal road aid might be discontinued, to the serious disruption of Virginia's road-building program. Such a contingency is not probable, although it is likely a change will be made in the method of expending the Federal funds. Such funds, it is generally conceded, should be confined to the great cross-country roads, north and south, east and west, constituting Federal highways connecting every state, and with which the state network of highways would be joined. It would mean an end to haphazard, piecemeal road building, and the construction of a durable system of hard-surfaced highways for the entire country. Such a determination on the part of the Federal government would have the hearty sanction of Virginia. —Richmond Times-Dispatch.

BASKETBALL GAMES

Local Quints Lose Both Games to Fast Warrenton Players.

The local high school teams dropped two fast basketball games to the Warrenton teams last Friday night in the Eastern gymnasium, before the largest and most enthusiastic crowd of rooters seen here at a game for several years.

The girls' game, played first, was fast but the superior passing of Warrenton was the deciding factor of the game. The score, 9-17.

The boys' game was unusually rough, but the players of both sides came up with a smile after a spill. The Warrenton passing also featured in this game, or perhaps the lack of it in the case of the local team was the outstanding feature. The score, 9-16.

Both teams will line up against the strong Alexandria teams tonight. The girls' game will be called first at 7:30, to be followed at 8:30 by the boys' game.

The line up for the teams against Warrenton were:

Boys.—Hooff, l. f.; Gue, r. f.; J. Lewis, c.; Brown, r. g.; Larson, captain, l. g.

Girls.—Sanders and Lunsford, forwards; Covington, Hyde, Selecman, Raxrode, centers; Utterback and Ayres, captain, guards.

J. L. CORNWELL DEAD

Brother to Commissioner of Revenue Passes Away.

John L. Cornwell, fifty-five years old, died Saturday at his home 1215 Prince street, Alexandria. Besides his widow he leaves three brothers, Frank L. Cornwell of this city, George H. Cornwell of Washington and Samuel T. Cornwell of Prince William county, and a sister, Mrs. Ella J. Bremer of Prince William. He was a carpenter and a member of Alexandria Council, No. 5, Order Fraternal Americans. His funeral took place at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon from his residence. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. E. B. Jackson, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Burial was made in Bethel cemetery.—Washington Star.

MINISTERS ORGANIZE

Meeting of Clergymen Results Formation of Association.

A meeting of the ministers of the various churches in Manassas and vicinity was held Thursday, January 27, in the directors' room of the National Bank of Manassas, for the purpose of forming an association. Those present were the Rev. Messrs. Westwood Hutchison, Wm. Stevens, T. D. D. Clark, Barnett Grimsley, Jacob Halpenny, E. E. Blough and A. Stuart Gibson.

Rev. Mr. Hutchison was elected temporary chairman and Rev. Mr. Gibson temporary secretary. Informal discussion of the scope and purpose of the organization was held and Rev. Westwood Hutchison was appointed to draw up a constitution and by-laws to be acted on at the next meeting. Permanent organization was then perfected, Rev. A. Stuart Gibson being elected president and Rev. Edgar Z. Pence secretary.

DOLLAR BUYS A THIRD AS MUCH FOOD AS IN 1901

The man getting \$1,200 a year last October was receiving the purchasing power of only 400 of the dollars that prevailed in 1901, based on retail food prices, according to Dr. Frank A. Wolf, physicist of the Bureau of Standards, who addressed the City Club at the New Willard Hotel last night on "A Scientific Analysis of Federal Expenditures."

"In other words," he said, "the 1920 equivalent of a salary of \$1,200 in 1901 was \$3,600."

Dr. Wolf revealed that the revenues derived each year from cigars and tobacco, from luxury taxes, or from taxes on public utilities would alone more than pay for the entire civil expenses of the Federal government.—Washington Times.

MICKIE SAYS

OH, LOOKIT! A LETTER 'T' 'T' BOSS—"DEAR FORTY—DA TACKS A TIP FROM THAT MICKIE KID AND HIS CONKAL LINE OF CHATTER. ENCLOSED FIND TWO YEARS' SUBSCRIPTION. NOW I WANT SOME 'T' BOTHER WITH IT AGAIN FOR A WEEK O' SUNSHINE. GOOD IDEA!"



The Journal, \$1.50 a year.

HALF A BILLION DUE U. S. IN BACK TAXES

Auditors Uncover New Revenue Source Expected to Offset Excess Profits Slump.

Half a billion dollars in revenues from back taxes probably will be paid into the Treasury this year, officials said today. This unexpected revenue source, made possible by new audits of the returns for preceding years, showing under-payments largely as a result of taxpayers not knowing their full liability, is expected partly to offset the loss expected in the slump in excess profits taxes.

Some officials estimate that the excess profits taxes fall off \$1,000,000,000, due to the drop in war business, and the depression which set in during the closing months of 1920, wiping out profits made during the earlier and more prosperous months.

Some experts are hopeful that the back tax payments, which are now collectable in all contested returns for three years beginning with 1917, may run higher than \$500,000,000. The estimate is increased as the audit now under way proceeds farther into the 1918 returns, now being canvassed.

Revised figures today showed that back taxes paid in last year reach the sum of \$407,000,000. Back taxes now coming into the Treasury from collectors of internal revenue at the rate of \$35,000,000 a month probably will attain an average of \$50,000,000 a month, as a result of disclosures expected by the later audits.—Washington Times.

FORD CUTS PRICE OF THE FARM TRACTOR

Reduced to \$625.00—Figure May Rise Again if Expected Sales Fail.

Detroit, Jan. 27.—A reduction of \$165 in the price of Fordson tractors, effective immediately, was announced by Edsel B. Ford, president of the Ford Motor Company. The tractor formerly sold for \$790 and has been listed under the order at \$625.

"This price change has been made possible through lower costs of materials and the fact that we are now located in our new tractor plant with greatly increased economic manufacturing facilities in immediate connection with our foundry and machine shops and large blast furnaces," Mr. Ford said.

"There is no change in present Ford car and truck prices, which are already at the lowest possible figure, and now, with rock bottom reached in the tractor price a further reduction in price of either the car truck or tractor is out of the question. In fact, the big price cuts have been made in anticipation of continuous maximum production, and increases may be necessary before long if a large volume of new business not obtained. Therefore present prices of Ford products cannot be guaranteed against possible increases."

Advertisement for Hammermill Bond Letterheads, featuring an illustration of a man writing and the text "Come to Us for PRINTING".

Advertisement for Klenzo Dental Creme, featuring a large illustration of the product tube and the text "DENTAL CREME" and "25c".

Advertisement for J. H. Burke & Company, featuring the slogan "WE LEAD—OTHERS FOLLOW" and a list of Saturday Specials for Cash, including Sugar, White Loaf Flour, Oysters, Oranges, and Corn Meal.

Advertisement for C. E. Hixson Tire Repairing, featuring the text "Tire Repairing" and "Tires repaired as good as new. Tubes fixed on short notice. Retreading of highest quality."

Advertisement for The Ideal Laundry, featuring the text "Something New for Manassas!" and "Messrs. Wine and Pence have secured the agency for The Ideal Laundry, Culpeper, Va."

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**CHURCH SERVICES**

**PRESBYTERIAN**

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

**LUTHERAN**

Bethel Lutheran Church, Rev. Edgar Z. Pence, pastor.  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m.  
Sermon by Rev. M. L. Pence, of Orkney Springs, Va.

**CATHOLIC**

All Saints' Catholic Church, Manassas, Father William Gill, pastor.  
Mass at 7:30 a. m., first, third and fifth Sundays. Second and fourth Sundays at 10:30 a. m., followed by benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. On the first Sunday of every month special devotion in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

**METHODIST**

M. E. Church, South, Rev. William Stevens, pastor.  
Manassas—Sunday School at 9:45. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.  
Preaching first and third Sundays at Bradley at 3 p. m.  
Preaching at Buckhall second and fourth Sundays at 3 p. m.  
Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.  
Sudley Charge.

The appointments of Rev. Homer Welch follow:  
Sudley—First, second and fourth Sundays, 11 a. m.  
Gainesville—First Sunday, 3 p. m. Third Sunday, 11 a. m.  
Fairview—Second and fourth Sundays, 3 p. m.  
Woodlawn—Third Sunday, 3 p. m.

**EPISCOPAL**

Trinity Episcopal Church, Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, Rector.  
Sunday School at 10 o'clock a. m.  
Service first, second and fourth Sunday at 11 a. m.; every Sunday at 7:30 p. m.  
St. Ann's Memorial Chapel, Nokesville. Service first Sunday at 3 p. m.; third Sunday at 11 a. m.

**BAPTIST**

Manassas Baptist Church, Rev. T. D. Clark, pastor.  
Sunday—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning service, 11 o'clock; B. Y. P. U., 6:45; evening service at 7:30.  
Wednesday—Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m.  
Rev. Barnett Grimsley's Appointments  
Hatcher's Memorial, second Sunday, 3 p. m.; fourth Sunday, 8 p. m.  
Broad Run, second and fourth Sunday, 11 a. m.  
Mt. Holly, third Sunday, 11 a. m., and Saturday preceding.  
Summerduck, first Sunday, 11 a. m., and Saturday preceding.

Rev. J. A. Gollibew's Appointments  
Preaching services at the Woodbine and associated Baptist Churches, Rev. J. A. Gollibew, pastor:  
Woodbine—Every second Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 10 a. m. Young People's meeting every Sunday at 7:30 p. m. except on preaching day. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.  
New Hope—Every third Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Oak Dale—First Sunday at 7:30 p. m.; third Sunday at 11 a. m.  
Auburn—First Sunday at 11 a. m.; third Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

**CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**  
Rev. E. E. Blough, pastor; Rev. J. M. Kline, assistant.  
Cannon Branch—Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Preaching first and third Sundays at 11 a. m.  
Christian Workers at 8 p. m.  
Bradley—Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching second and fourth Sundays at 11 a. m.

**PRIMITIVE BAPTIST**  
Primitive Baptist Church, Elder T. S. Dalton, pastor.  
Services every third Sunday at 11 a. m. and the Saturday preceding at 2:30 p. m.

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Buggies, Furniture and all kinds of merchandise or other commodities promptly transferred or delivered.

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**NEABSCO**

Following an illness of some weeks, Mrs. Sarah Loveless died at the home of her son, Mr. John Loveless, Wednesday, January 12th. She had reached the great age of eighty-six years. The funeral services were held at Emory Chapel.

Mrs. Octavia Mathias and little daughter, Jessie, were the guests of Mrs. John Raine, at Quantico, Monday.

Miss Gertrude Hedges formerly a Bethel student, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hedges, for a few hours last evening. Miss Hedges is a trained nurse and for the past two years has been a student at the George Washington University in bacteriology. Miss Hedges has recently taken charge of the laboratory at the Emergency Hospital, Washington.

A large crowd attended Sunday School and services at Emory Chapel last Sunday.

The stolen car that was run over an embankment near Neabasco, has been claimed by the owner and taken back to Washington.

**BRENTSVILLE**

Rev. Barnett Grimsley filled his appointment here at Hatcher's Memorial Church last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. L. A. Jamison and little son, Allen, returned from Washington Saturday. They left Mrs. Jamison improving and the baby girl fairly well.

We are sorry to learn of the serious illness of Dr. Wm. J. Bell at the home of his niece, Mr. Hugh Bell, of Washington, is at his father's bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Breeden, of Manassas, visited Mr. Daniel Breeden, Sunday.

Mr. Walter Shipp, of Washington, and Miss Daisy McKay visited Miss Florence Owens on Sunday.

Mrs. Harvey Hensley, who suffered a stroke of paralysis about three months ago, is little improved, she is in bed the greater part of the time.

Miss Viola Holsinger is spending a few days in Washington.

**SMITHFIELD**

Our school has closed until further notice.

Misses Annie and Belle Kincheloe, of Quantico, are spending a few days at their home here.

Several nice porkers were butchered in our neighborhood during the past week. One butchered by Mr. A. J. Kincheloe about eight months old weighed 222 pounds.

Miss Mae Keys, of Washington, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Keys.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sides spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lunsford.

Mr. J. H. Holmes, of Fredericksburg, spent the week-end with his family here.

Mr. J. S. Lunsford spent Wednesday in Manassas.

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**DUMFRIES**

The presiding elder held services in the Methodist Church Saturday and Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fick and little daughter, Doris, spent Sunday evening with friends in Dumfries.

Mr. and Mrs. Warfield Brawner and daughter, Elizabeth, and Mrs. T. J. Merchant visited Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Brawner Sunday.

Little Hilda Elizabeth Cline celebrated her fourth birthday, Thursday, January 20, by entertaining a number of her little friends; the little ones enjoyed the games, especially when trying to give the donkey a tail and sitting with the King and Queen. Refreshments were then served.

Mr. E. F. Keys was a visitor in town this week.

Mrs. Wilson Kincheloe, of Mt. Holly, called on her sister, Mrs. D. C. Cline, Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Raney and Mrs. D. C. Cline and children called on Mrs. W. W. Sisson Friday.

Mrs. T. J. Merchant called to see Mr. George Sisson Friday last. Mr. Sisson continues very ill, unable to be up. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Jessie Raney and wife are planning to move in their new home, which they have recently furnished. Good luck to the beginners.

We are glad to see Dr. D. C. Cline home and out again, after being under treatment in a hospital a week from a very bad eye.

The rose bushes and lilacs would make one think spring is here, if the calendar didn't point "beware."

Mrs. Maria Wheat called on friends in Dumfries last week.

We are glad to see Miss Violet Merchant out again.

Statement of the Financial Condition of Bank of Quantico, Incorporated, located at Quantico, in the county of Prince William, State of Virginia, at the close of business December 29, 1924, made to the State Corporation Commission.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts	\$53,912.88
Overdrafts, unsecured	15.50
Bonds, securities, etc., owned including premium on same	7,784.00
Banking house and lot	9,415.28
Furniture and fixtures	2,576.50
Other cash items	377.58
Cash and due from banks	15,929.20
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$89,960.94</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital stock paid in	\$20,000.00
Surplus fund	2,000.00
Undivided profits, less amount paid for interest, expenses and taxes	2,272.82
Individual deposits, subject to check	55,965.45
Time certificates of deposit	6,292.78
Certified checks	192.82
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,465.97
Due to State Banks, Private Bankers and Trust Companies	5,000.00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit representing money borrowed	5,000.00
Reserved for accrued interest on deposits	50.00
Reserved for accrued interest on certificates of deposit	300.00
Reserved for accrued taxes	50.00
Payment by subscribers on Liberty Bonds	261.00
All other items of liability, viz: Interest collected but not earned	500.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$89,960.94</b>

I, R. F. PERSONS, cashier, do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of Bank of Quantico, Incorporated, located at Quantico, in the County of Prince William, State of Virginia, at the close of business on the 29th day of December, 1924, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. F. PERSONS, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest:  
WILLIS E. COLLINS,  
R. L. FERRY,  
R. C. JONES, Directors.

State of Virginia,  
County of Prince William.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me by R. F. PERSONS, cashier, this 29th day of January, 1925.

JOSEPH C. ANDERSON,  
Notary Public.  
My commission expires March 17, 1924.

**MRS. HODGE**  
has a few vacancies for students in piano, voice and expression. Mrs. Hodge has specialized in these subjects both at home and abroad. Mrs. Hodge will be found at her apartment at Miss Ouborn's on West street, Manassas, Va.

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—\$15.00 PART WOOL BLANKETS, 72x84 in. All handsome plaids, made of selected materials, closely woven, with a soft and downy finish. Rich colorings, at a pair... \$12.50

—\$12 and \$15 PART WOOL BLANKETS, double bed size, in white and gray, with pink and blue borders, in a soft beautiful finish. At a pair..... \$10.00

—ALL WOOL BLANKETS, full bed size, made by the North Star Woolen Mills, which is a guarantee of quality; in beautiful plaid patterns. Also white with pink and blue borders. At a pair..... \$20.00

—\$7.50 WOOLNAP BLANKETS, 72x84 in., an extra large size, Nashua brand, in white, gray, and tan, with colored border, and bound with white mohair braid, a pair..... \$5.95

—FANCY WOOL NAVAJO BLANKETS, in striking Indian designs, suitable for couch covers, den carpets or hangings, as well as for blankets. Pure wool with a cotton warp for added strength. Size 69x50 in. Three qualities at..... \$10, \$12.50 and \$15

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# Manassas---The Logical Business Center of Prince William County

¶ In a typically agricultural county like Prince William, where there are no cities and where the population is fairly evenly distributed throughout the whole area, there is generally some one point that is best qualified to be the chief business center of the county. Manassas, we feel, can, without fear of rivalry, lay claim to this distinction.

¶ First, Manassas is very nearly at the exact geographical center of Prince William. From the town, roads radiate to every section of the county, to even the most remote. Were a centralized location the principal requirement of the leading business town in a county such as Prince William—and it certainly is one of the most important requirements—Bristow, just a village, alone would be in competition with Manassas. But there are other factors of great importance.

¶ Regardless of how central the location, no town that has anything short of the best railroad facilities in the county could well hope to gain recognition as the one business center, for the rapid handling of in-coming and out-going commodities requires every advantage railroads can afford. Manassas, a water and coaling station on the main line of the Southern Railway Company, and the junction point of the Washington-Manassas-Harrisonburg division of this transportation company, is signally blessed in railroad facilities—in excess of any other town of Prince William.

¶ Then, too, the leading business town in a county should be easily accessible throughout the year. While Manassas has nothing to brag on in this particular it is undoubtedly more accessible than any other place in

Prince William where quite a number of roads center. And, in this connection, let it be understood that we, the business establishments of Manassas, recognize that the paramount need of the county today is a network of improved roads, reaching from the county seat to every section of the county; we will not be content until this need is an established fact.

¶ With Manassas' natural and acquired advantages designating it as the one logical business center of Prince William, recent comers to our county may be surprised to learn that Manassas has not always been the county seat, but they will readily appreciate why, in the early '90s, the transfer was made from Brentsville to our town. For the same reasons and because of its being the county seat, Manassas can always be expected to be the headquarters of all activities of county-wide interest.

¶ And to cap off all the qualifications that Manassas possesses to make it the one business center of Prince William is the fact that the town has the business places and the business places have the goods that can be found in few towns the size of Manassas, and in few counties of the population of Prince William.

¶ The wide variety of businesses engaged in at Manassas—as will be noted by a careful reading of our firm signatures below—speaks well for the county-wide recognition of Manassas as the leading business town of Prince William, and will warrant, we are confident, your close attention to the talks that follow.

**C. H. Adams**  
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**Mrs. R. J. Adamson**  
Millinery and Notions

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Groceries—Glass and Enamelled Ware

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Mrs. Belle Russell, of Washington, and two children, Mary and Randolph, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Russell.

Mr. J. C. Posey is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Miss Lillian V. Gilbert was a recent visitor at Woodbine school, and gave a lesson to her club.

Misses Daisy Petty and Mary Carter and Mr. Walter Woolfenden spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Russell.

Mr. Max Weber was a guest at the home of Miss Pearl Russell Sunday.

The league meeting at Woodbine school, Saturday evening was quite a success. Everyone enjoyed the music given by the "colored band," and we sincerely hope that Joshua Johnson, Rastus Johnson, Oscar Wilde and Abraham Lincoln (Black) will be with us at our next meeting, Saturday evening, February 19.

Mr. Bryan Norman recently called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Russell, where his sister is boarding, and also at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cornwell.

Mr. Austin Greenwood passed through here Monday en route to his home at "The Hill."

Mr. T. M. Russell, our supervisor, attended the regular meeting of the board in Manassas Tuesday.

At present, road conditions are very good, owing to the freeze, but during the recent thaw, were any roads in good condition? We would like to know how our supervisor can prevent roads from being muddy. He would gladly travel over good roads, if he could, and we feel sure he does his very best toward the maintenance of our roads.

Mrs. Wallace Wheaton and Miss Pearl Russell spent Friday in Manassas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Payne are the happy parents of a son.

Mr. Herman Breeden spent several days last week at his home near here.

Little Doris Virginia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Russell, is much better, after being ill for several weeks.

Mr. Ira C. Reid, who has been visiting friends at Kopp, passed through here Tuesday, going back to Manassas. He called on friends here, who are always glad to see him.

Mr. Muirhead, who is employed in Baltimore, is spending the week at his home here. Mrs. Muirhead has been indisposed for several days, suffering from rheumatism.

#### THOROUGHFARE

Mrs. R. C. Rambo nee Garrison, of Alexandria, is ill in the Alexandria hospital.

Miss Nora Mayhugh, of Waterford, was a recent guest of Miss Florence Jacobs.

Mr. W. B. Trundle, of Poolesville, Md., visited in this neighborhood last week.

Messrs. I. C. Jacobs and C. H. Keyser motored to Leesburg on Friday.

Mrs. C. L. Garrison was an Alexandria visitor the past week.

Miss Lillian Bell and Mr. Stanley Bell, of Waterford, were guests on Sunday at "Foster Hall."

Thoroughfare folks! don't forget that the Waterfall Community League will hold its regular monthly meeting at the school house on Friday night January 28.

Mr. I. C. Jacobs spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Gardner, of Hickory Grove.

Mr. Lee Mayhugh, of Camp Humphreys, was a neighborhood visitor this week.

Try our business locals, if you want to get results.

## EXTENSION WORK

Farmers Told of Importance of Having Thoroughly Trained County Agent.

There is hardly a man, woman or child, in the rural sections of Virginia who has not been affected in some way by the work of the extension division. The extension service was created to serve the people and it is only when the people understand the nature and purpose of the work and co-operate in an endeavor to help them work out their own problems that it becomes of the greatest service to them.

Extension work in Virginia, as well as in other states, is carried on primarily through county, farm and home demonstration agents. The branch of extension work which developed most rapidly is the county agent work.

It may be said in general terms that the work of the county agents is, to demonstrate and give suggestions as to better and more efficient methods of production and marketing of agricultural products. As the efficient production of farm products should necessarily be followed by efficient methods of distribution, a great deal of attention has been paid to the development of this latter phase of the agricultural program.

The distribution or marketing problem is now engaging the attention of the farmers to the exclusion of almost everything else, and the only counties where there has been any real progress in the solution of this problem are those where county agents are employed; yet there is a disposition in a few counties to get along in 1921 without a county agent, or with a less efficient one. Clarence Poe, editor of the Progressive Farmer, in a recent issue of his paper makes this the subject of a leading editorial, and also greatly stresses the good that an agent can do in the county. Speaking of this disposition to get along without a county agent, Mr. Poe says:

"Such a policy is like dropping the pilot just as the ship enters the most dangerous seas. It is like shutting up the lighthouse just as the storm comes on. The farmers of the south will need the help of the county agent more in 1921 than ever before. And they will use him more than ever before.

"In the first place, they need his help about production. How much the cotton acreage will be cut is problematical, but it is certainly going to be cut. Farmers are going to grow a diversity of crops, and they are going to need guidance in new fields of effort. They are also going to grow more livestock, and here especially they will need the help of a thoroughly equipped county agent.

"No less urgently—in fact, even more urgently—farmers will need the help of the county agent in problems of marketing. Big and promising plans for reformed cotton marketing (as well as tobacco marketing and peanut marketing in sections growing these crops) are already under way. The county agent is the man who must do more than anyone else in bringing success to these plans for scientific and profitable marketing. Then, too, in growing corn, hay, hogs and cattle, farmers will find their diversification program of small profit unless plans for co-operative shipping and selling are worked out. They naturally look to the county agent for leadership in these matters.

"For all these reasons the best investment your county can make is to pay enough to get a superbly qualified man to lead your farming forces as county agent in 1921.

"Don't be content with a cheap

can give them real help in all the intricate and interesting problems of soils, fertilizers, crops, livestock, livestock diseases—a man who has enough ability not only (1) to help farmers diversify wisely; but also (2) to help them market tobacco and other 'money crops' more wisely; and (3) who will help farmers in co-operative shipping and selling of the corn, hay, hogs and cattle they are going to raise.

"We shall indeed need county agents—and the very best county agents we can get—more next year than ever before."

#### AGRICULTURAL WRITER GIVES SOUND ADVICE

Young Farmer Should Take a Short Course at a Good Agricultural College.

(Clarence Poe in Progressive Farmer.)

In their "winter short courses" the agricultural colleges of today are offering a wonderful opportunity to the ambitious young farmer or farm boy. We say this not because we think it is true, but because we know it is true from actual observation.

We recently visited a neighborhood from which a young man attended one of these short courses at his state agricultural college several years ago. The farm on which the young man lived was then a poor, one-mule farm—a farm that was actually growing poorer every year. How the young man got the money for this short course no one ever knew, and most of the neighbors thought it a foolish thing for him to spend it "takin' a farmin' course."

He spent a month at the college and returned home at the end of that time wearing the same suit of clothes, the same hat, the same shoes, and even the same tie. But there was a change—a change as great as would result from the evolution of Edwin Markham's "Man With the Hoe" into a twentieth century farmer. You could see the change in the boy's step, his eyes, his talk, and could feel it in the clasp of his hand. His whole outlook on life was changed.

It has been only a few years since the boy with the "short course" training came home and took charge of that one-mule farm. But already there has been a wonderful change. The one-horse farm has become a four-horse farm, and in the new and up-to-date barn we saw a nice herd of cattle. There were also a new house, better outbuildings, fences, and an automobile. We called a neighbor by his telephone, and as we talked we looked through the window at fields green with oats, rye and clover—fields which a few years ago were dead and lifeless from frost till spring.

Neighbors have given up hope of ever being able to jeer at this young man's "book farmin'," and many have copied his methods. To this son of the "short course" opened up a new world. It gave him a new understanding of his opportunities.

No young man, or old man for that matter, can spend a month's time and a little money to better advantage this winter than by attending one of the short courses at his state agricultural college. The course will lift the man or boy embracing it above the common lot. It made the young farmer we have just mentioned the best farmer in his neighborhood. It may do the same thing for you if you will give it a chance.

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Two Cakes Arrow Borax Soap	9c
Two Cans Blue Ridge Corn	25c
Two Cans Best Tomatoes	25c
Two Boxes of Corn Flakes	25c
Stank, per pound	25c
Good Beans, per pound	25c to 30c
Boiling Beef, per pound	15c to 20c
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### FROM THE FOREST

On Thursday of last week Robert Tilman Kohn was buried in the family plot on his farm in Cole's district. He died on January 18th, after a week's illness of pneumonia, which followed a longer siege of malaria. Elder Smoot preached the funeral sermon in which he set forth the faith held by the deceased as some years acquaintance justified him in saying. He dwelt upon the supreme importance of faith in the work of God in the salvation of man, and the futility of man's efforts and of the work of the church.

Mr. Kohn's surviving sisters, Mrs. H. M. Fair and Mrs. George Beavers, with their families, his nephew, Morris Kohn and family were present of the family; and Mr. and Mrs. Halsey Reed Sheriff Barbee and many friends of the Purcell school and adjoining districts attended and neighbors buried him. A sister, Mrs. John Q. Pettit, died last fall.

Mr. Kohn was unmarried and made his home with his niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Cornwell, who live in a house built by Mr. Kohn. The log cabin where his father and mother lived for many years is still standing. His parents were Albert and Lucinda Kohn, the latter a daughter of John Thurman who purchased the farm from the heirs of William Brown. R. T. Kohn, had bought the interest of others in the farm and has left it by a will made some years ago to his nephew, Morris Kohn and his sister, Mrs. H. M. Fair.

In addition to the education received at the neighborhood schools, Mr. Kohn had attended school in Baltimore for a short time and had made great use of his opportunity in that city and ever afterwards took an interest in the country at large. He was a reader of newspapers and books and a good talker, being popular and entertaining. He was ready to help neighbors not as well informed, helped open the roads and was an expert with the axe and saw.

He was once a member of the firm of Fair & Kohn in milling, and was at work in his woods until within a few weeks of his death, which occurred a month and a day before his sixty-third birthday. Few men were better known or will be more missed in the community.

Charles Ludwig has gone back to work in the mill at Martinsburg.

A golden wedding in the Forest—A. L. Cornwell and his wife are the happy couple.

Archie Beavers has returned from a visit to Providence Hospital, where his brother, Clarence, is receiving treatment for his wounds in the war. Clarence was in the regular army at the outbreak of the war and went over with his regiment.

### CANOVA

Misses Mary Carter and Pearl Russell and Mr. Walter Woolfenden, attended moving pictures in Manassas Saturday afternoon.

Messrs. Harry Holmes, Herman Breeden and Bennie Bell, called Sunday at the home of T. M. Russell.

Messrs. George Beavers and W. H. Cornwell, made a business trip to Manassas Friday.

Mrs. Arthur Woodyard, of Independent Hill called at Canova last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. T. M. Russell and Miss Daisy Petty visited at the home of the former's uncle, Mr. L. T. Sullivan, on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. G. Sullivan has been on the sick list, but is improving.

There was a good program given by the committee Saturday night at Woodbine school league. It was one of the best programs that we have had for some time. As the same committee is on the next program, we are going to look for one just as good or better Saturday, February 19th.

### COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a decree of the circuit court of Prince William county, entered at the December, 1920, term of the said court, in the pending chancery cause of Carrico vs. Mandley et als., the undersigned commissioner of sale shall offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the Peoples National Bank, in the town of Manassas, Va., on

Saturday, January 29, 1921 at 11 o'clock a. m., that certain lot, tract or parcel of land lying and being situate on the public road leading from Manassas to Gainesville, in Gainesville magisterial district, Prince William county, said lot of land being situate about one mile east from the village of Gainesville and containing about FIFTEEN AND ONE-FOURTH ACRES, and being the same land of which the late Harrison Carrico died seized and possessed.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-half cash, and the balance upon a credit of twelve months, the purchaser to execute his interest-bearing note for the deferred payment and title to the real estate to be retained until the purchase price is paid in full.

C. A. SINCLAIR, Commissioner of Sale. I, Geo. G. Tyler, clerk of the circuit court for the county aforesaid, do certify that the bond required by the decree above referred to has been executed by C. A. Sinclair.

Given under my hand this 5th day of January, 1921.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.

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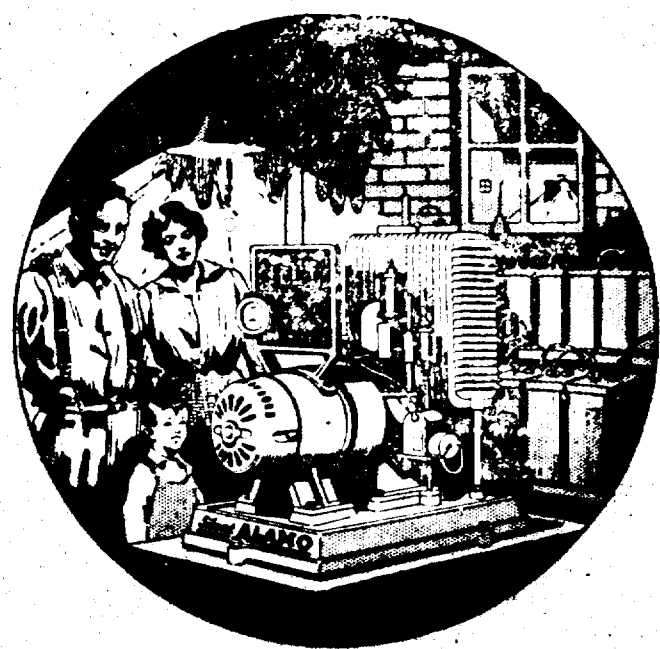
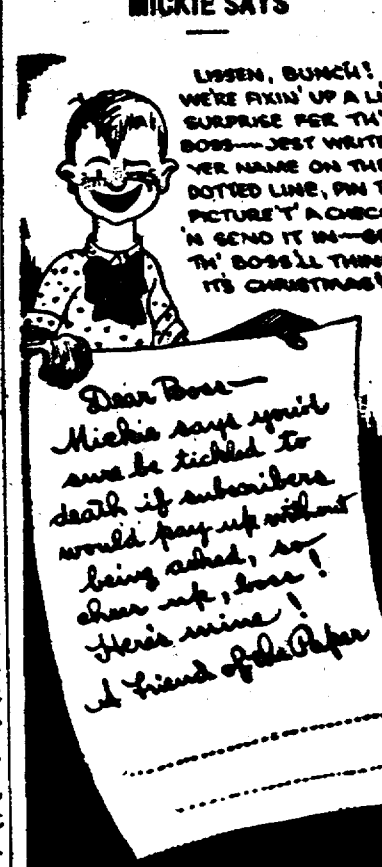
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### WINTER COURSER AT V. P. INSTITUTE

Lectures on Beekeeping Will Be Featured in Short Series at Blacksburg Institute.

One of the new features of the farmers' winter short course at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, February 1-16, will be a series of lectures on bee keeping. These lectures will be given during the week of Feb 9-16, by the State Entomologist, Dr. W. J. Schoene, assisted by H. W. Brandt, of Lawyers, Va. While this course will be given for two weeks only, it will be a part of the regular winter short course and open to all students.

These lectures will include discussions of the following subjects: Opportunities in beekeeping, modern hives, advantage and disadvantage of the several types of hives, and management of bees in the spring, with special emphasis on the control of swarming and the best methods to employ for the production of comb and extracted honey. Wintering of bees and bee diseases will also be dealt with. Considerable time will be devoted to some of the practical phases of the beekeepers' work, particularly the making of honey.

The purpose of this course is to give persons who are interested in bee keeping, or who intend to take it up, information about the up-to-date methods in the business. At this season of the year it will not be possible to handle bees, but a number of types of hives and other beekeeping equipment will be available. Lantern slides illustrating some of the best bee yards in the country will be shown.

It is expected that some boys' and girls' beekeeping clubs will be established in Virginia short-

ly and prizes will be offered to the contestants. Opportunities in beekeeping in this state seem to be unusually good and this is a very desirable occupation for the young person who wishes to make a little money during the summer season.

The annual short course will be held at the State Agricultural College, Blacksburg, February 1-16. This announcement should interest a large number of those who are planning to come to the college this winter for the two weeks course. All those who have taken a similar course at the agricultural college in the past unite in saying they have been well repaid for the time spent. There are no entrance requirements, no tuition fees, and the only cost to the student, other than a matriculation fee of \$2.00, is for actual living expenses while at the college.

A circular has been issued for general distribution giving detailed information with reference to the course. Copies of this circular, and any other information desired, may be obtained by writing to H. L. Price, dean of agriculture, Blacksburg, Va.

#### SCHOOL SHOWS RESULTS

Improved Conditions Follow Increased Effort at Industrial.

The present management at the Manassas Industrial School is beginning to show results of effort. The same is evident in its student body, with an enrollment of 137 and an actual daily attendance of 132. This date a year ago there were 146 enrolled with 126 in actual attendance.

Their dairy herd was never in better condition, a few of the cows making exceptional milking records. During the past week, three of these cows gave 1,625 pounds of milk, or an average of over 77 pounds daily.

#### TO USE ARMY TRACTORS ON STATE HIGHWAYS

BILL in Congress Authorizing Their Employment by States On Highways.

Millions of dollars' worth of caterpillar tractors, trucks, mobile shop units and other road building machinery held by the War Department will be put to use in building highways in the forty-eight states of the union if Congress passes a bill introduced in the House by Congressman C. Frank Reavis, of Nebraska.

Declaring this machinery is "now going to rot," Mr. Reavis' bill directs that the useless war material be turned over to the Department of Agriculture and distributed to state road building officials. "Much of this equipment is in open storage," he said, "and the states are held up in their road-building programs for lack of this equipment."

Passage of the bill would mean the distribution of 1,000 five-ton caterpillar tractors, 500 ten-ton tractors, 200 mobile machine shop units, shop machinery and machine tools in great numbers for rebuilding shops for motor vehicles.

"No one knows the number of trucks, tractors and other units, valuable for road building, which the army has," said Mr. Reavis. "The War Department has no use for this material, which for the most part is going to ruin. On the other hand, every state has urgent use for it, and highway commissioners have been compelled to search high and low for machines, which they were not able to procure."

"I know of no reason why the Secretary of War should insist on keeping this road-building machinery. I understand that the contract with one of the manufacturers provides that the War Department before reselling the

equipment manufactured by this concern must first offer it for sale to the maker. Such contract is contrary to public policy and in my opinion should not be enforced."

Congressman Reavis' bill is similar to one which he put through Congress last session, but which received a "pocket veto." He intends to press this bill through the present session, so that the states need suffer no further delay in the development of their highways.—Washington Times.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our friends for their help and sympathy during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Hannah L. Johnson. The Family.

#### Furniture Upholstering

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