

MANASSAS HORSE SHOW

July 17 and 18, 1912



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LECTURE AT MANASSAS RAIN STORM LAST SUNDAY BURGLARS AT WORK AGAIN WLL REMAIN ON BENCH GOES FOR THE EXPRESS THE ANNUAL HORSE SHOW

The Southern Railway Sends Forest Expert Here to Lecture on Timber Interests.

The Southern Railway Co. has arranged for a lecture and demonstration tour throughout this section on forest conservation.

The meeting at Manassas will be held July 25. The lecturer will arrive at 10:50 a. m. for a conference with persons interested.

One of the very important questions, which should have our earnest and careful attention, is the timber lot on the small farms, that is the average from fifty to one hundred acres.

The owners of large timber tracts are beginning to realize more clearly the importance of conserving their timber and some of them now employ experienced woodmen to patrol their lands, as a precaution against forest fires, and direct the cutting of such timber only that has reached its prime, and is in the best condition for the lumber market.

It is much more important however, to the farmer with his small timber lot, that he learn how to best conserve and promote the growth of his timber, and make a source of some revenue.

The Southern Railway has been deeply interested in this subject. Last year, the work of organizing a Forestry Club in each of the Forestry Division, of the United States Department of Agriculture, cooperation with Mr. M. V. Richards, of the Land & Industrial Department of the Southern Railway, who with representatives from the Forestry Division, held meetings and formed Forestry Clubs in several of the Virginia counties.

This year the work has been renewed, and an itinerary has been arranged to visit several counties during the summer, for the purpose of organizing clubs in other counties.

An expert from the Forestry Bureau, Mr. Don Carlos Elliot, will deliver lectures on the subject, illustrated with stereoscopic views when a suitable hall can be secured, and will be accompanied by a representative of the Land and Industrial Department of the Southern Railway.

With the importance of this subject there should be a large attendance at these meetings, which will be not only entertaining but instructive. Other States in the South are taking a great interest in this movement. Many clubs have been formed, which are now under the direct supervision of the State Forestry Department, cooperation with the United States Forestry Bureau, which supplies appropriate literature and frequent lectures before the various Forestry Clubs.

When possible, the local clubs will be taken to some timber lot and a practical demonstration in forestry will be given. We would urge our timber owners and all farmers in the county to attend this meeting, and organize a club, selecting the very best and most practical men for the few offices required.

A Rainfall of Fully Two Inches in Two Hours Sunday Evening—Electric Display.

The widespread heat-wave had a two-hour intermission last Sunday evening in a heavy down-pour of rain, accompanied by considerable electric disturbance.

Like the heat-wave the storm, area, with variations spread over nearly all the entire country. We had a fall here of at least two inches. In Washington city and Baltimore it was estimated at two and one-half inches in two hours, which meant an over-taxed sewerage system.

In Denver, Colorado, there was great destruction of property. At that point it was a veritable cloudburst, so called, while in far away Mexico, the floods wrought fearful havoc and the loss of life is estimated at over one thousand persons.

Everywhere in the country there were heavy washouts on both steam and electric lines. In this county, there was little or no damage, either from flood or lightning, and the rain came as a great blessing to the crops and pastures that were beginning to parch under the excessive heat.

While the storm area was a widespread one, or rather it was a time of storms over a large section of the North American continent, there were many rainless sections and some with a slight rainfall. In this county, the fall was light in nearly the whole of Gainesville district.

And again there were areas of hail. In this immediate neighborhood there was quite a fall of hail, but not heavy enough to do any damage.

And contrary to all expectations the torrid wave, with added humidity, continued to oppress suffering man and beast.

While working with a ditching machine on the Southern Railway, near Beverley Mills, last Tuesday, Mr. Edgar R. Thomasson was struck by some of the machinery and very painfully injured.

He was brought here as speedily as possible and taken to his home near town. Dr. E. F. Eden, surgeon for the Southern Railway was at once summoned. He found Mr. Thomasson was very badly hurt on the leg and about the chest, but there were no serious injuries.

Later advices from Mr. Thomasson are that he is doing well but still suffering from the effects of the blow of a swinging arm of the machine.

Thieves Broke into Mr. Beachley's Last Sunday Night—Tried Dr. Johnson's.

Burglars forced an entrance at a side window at Mr. Beachley's confectionery store last Sunday night. The cash drawer was broken open and some change and slot machine checks left in the drawer taken. The slot machine was also raided and the gum taken.

It is likely that more or less fruit and confectionery was stolen but Mr. Beachley is unable to determine the actual loss.

An attempt was also made to break into Dr. Johnson's drug store. The rear window was damaged, but it is evident the thieves were frightened away from their work.

As burglary has also been going on in Alexandria and elsewhere, some concerted action should be taken to break up this business in the state.

Why not all the business houses pay a small tax to bring the offenders to justice?

Mrs. Anna Portner, widow of the late Robert Portner, died at her home, Annsburg, near town, last Friday afternoon, at the age of sixty-four.

Mrs. Portner's death came as the result of an illness extending over several months, and culminating in a stroke of paralysis about ten days ago. From this seizure she failed to rally.

Mrs. Portner was born in Switzerland, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johann Jacob van Vahser, coming to this country when only a child, her home being at Alexandria. In 1872 she was married to Robert Portner, founder of the Portner Brewing Company of Alexandria, and for several years the family resided in the Virginia city, later removing to Washington.

Mrs. Portner was actively interested in various charitable works in Washington, being a member of the boards of governors of George Washington University Hospital, the German Orphan Asylum and the Washington Home for Foundlings, contributing largely to the support of the last two charities. She was also prominent in the social life of the city and for many years was one of Washington's most lavish and hospitable entertainers. Her home at 1346 Vermont avenue was, until two years ago, the center of many of the city's most attractive social events. At that time she leased the residence to the Chilean minister, the house now being used as the legation.

Since surrendering the Vermont avenue house Mr. Portner has occupied the house at 1523 New Hampshire avenue as a winter residence, her summers being spent at Annsburg.

Judge J. B. T. Thornton of this Judicial Circuit Agrees Not to Resign.

The anxiety felt by the attorneys and people generally of this circuit that Judge J. B. T. Thornton's health would compel him to resign as judge of this circuit at an early date, has been relieved by the statement of his physician that his condition is greatly improved, and that he has every reason to believe he will be fully restored to health.

Judge Thornton has therefore yielded to the very earnest and flattering request of the lawyers of his circuit, and announced that he will remain on the bench. Judge Thornton has won for himself an enviable reputation as a jurist in the few years he has been on the bench, and this announcement will be very gratifying to his many friends, not only within the state, who recognize his eminent fitness for the position he adorns and dignifies.

State is Anxious to Attack Every Outbreak of Typhoid at First Appearance.

Richmond, Va., July 17, 1912. (Special) Statistics just compiled at the State Health Department show a considerable decrease in the number of cases of typhoid fever reported in June of this year as compared with June, 1911, and the prospects are bright, according to Health officers, for a favorable season.

While they are not willing to forecast an entire season on the showing for a single month, the officers of the State Health Department are much encouraged at the marked decrease in the number of cases of typhoid reported this season, and are especially pleased to observe that where typhoid worked its worst ravages last year, comparatively few cases have been reported this season.

Experience has shown, however, that July and August are the heavy months of typhoid infection in Virginia. For this reason the State Health Department has mustered the largest force of field experts it has ever gathered to combat the disease, and is prepared to investigate every outbreak.

"The ravages of typhoid," said Health Commissioner Williams yesterday, "have been so harrowing in Virginia that we are using every means at our disposal to check the disease this summer. With at least 10,000 cases of the disease occurring annually, and with perhaps a thousand deaths from typhoid, we feel that the State must bend every energy to combat this scourge."

"June figures are most encouraging and indicate that the extensive campaign of education carried on during previous years is having its effect in the better information of our people. Unless there should occur a number of serious epidemics of whose existence we have no present information, and unless there should be an extremely hot season, there is every reason to believe that Virginia will not suffer this year from typhoid fever. The State is prepared to do its utmost, and its field force with their laboratory equipment, are prepared to investigate all outbreaks. Our success is largely dependent upon the promptness with which epidemics are reported and where there is former pleas that wherever there are signs of an undue prevalence of the disease, the State Board of Health be notified at once. We hope to make this the best season Virginia has ever known in the war against typhoid fever."

Deaths of Mrs. Portner Passed Peacefully Away at her Home, Annsburg, Near Town.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has Gone After Express Companies.

The Interstate Commerce Commission in a decision that has been handed down as the result of its investigations of more than two years into the rules, regulations, and practices of the express companies of the country directs material reductions in rates, modification of regulations and practices, and altogether provides for a complete and comprehensive reform of all express companies.

The decision is a sweeping one, and while the commission does not direct the companies to at once make the reforms, it directs them to show cause on October 9th why the reforms should not be immediately placed in effect.

The decision of the commission will cause a general reduction in the rates on small packages carried by the express companies of about 20 per cent. While the average reduction is 20 per cent, the reductions taken altogether range from 10 to 50 per cent.

In the course of the decision it is said that a reasonable express rate may not be fixed upon the basis of the value of the property owned and used by the express company. As a matter of mathematical calculation, it is shown that at least one of the express companies has received for three years past an average of 597 per cent upon the value of the property which it reports as owned by it, while all of the larger companies show a net revenue per year that is from 17 to 65 per cent profit on the value of their property.

State Chairman Moore Issues Call for Bull-Moose Fowling at Roanoke.

The Roosevelt campaign in Virginia has been formally launched. Thomas Lee Moore, State chairman of the progressives, issued a formal call for a State mass-meeting at Roanoke on July 30 at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of naming delegates to the national convention, which will assemble in Chicago on August 5 to select nominees for President and Vice-President of the United States in pursuance of the national call of progressives issued on July 8, by the national committee.

The call is addressed to the people of Virginia without reference to party differences, and appeals to them in the name of progress to rally to the banner of the new party which believes in "rule by the people instead of by corrupt politicians and political bosses."

It appeals to "those who feel that the time has come for a full expression of the deliberate, calm and well thought-out wish of our whole people for better conditions than now exist, or can exist under the old political parties under present conditions, and to those who believe that the people's will, uncontrolled by political bosses, should be effectual in governmental functions in the nation, State, county and city; and that our public officials, executive, legislative and judicial, are the servants of the people to do justice between man and man."

"In the preamble to the call, little is omitted that might serve to attract a public educated to the prevalent political ills. What

The Big Event at Manassas—Prize Winners—Attendance Large—Automobile Time.

The annual Horse Show at Manassas was held this week, and in attendance, interest and horse exhibit, it was equal to the best ever held here or anywhere in the circuit.

The rains of Sunday evening and Tuesday afternoon kept down the dust, much to the comfort of the thousands who attended. In many respects conditions the first day were almost ideal for mid-summer.

At noon Thursday, however, the rain came—at least a series of rains, that lasted with slight intermissions until the end of the final programme, much to the discomfort of exhibitors and spectators. The spectators began leaving early, and by the close of the exhibition, in rain and mud, only those determined to see the racing remained, and nearly all of those were wet and mud-begoggled and thoroughly tired. So that the splendid show ended in discomfort and disappointment.

Wednesday's attendance was not large, but probably equal to any first day show. On Thursday, however, the crowds came from every direction—by trains, on horseback, on foot, in hand-some equipages and automobiles. It was almost an automobile show. The came from Washington, Fairfax, Loudoun and Fauquier and our own county. The attendance from points outside of the county was never so large. In fact, it was almost a visitors' show. In the exhibition itself the county had a strong representation.

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GRADED SCHOOL SITUATION

Superintendent Tyler Explains the Manassas School Problem—What Was Done.

As there seems to be a great deal of misunderstanding in regard to the organization of the Manassas Graded School for the coming session, it becomes necessary to publish a statement so that the public may understand the reasons for certain changes that have come about.

In the first place, under directions from the Department of Public Instruction, the normal training teacher has to give her whole time to high school work. The school board could not, therefore, offer the normal training class to one who was to have charge of the grades, but has engaged the services of a graduate of the Harrisonburg Normal School, who will give her whole time to high school work, and whose appointment was immediately approved by the State Superintendent.

We were further notified by the Department that other counties were clamorous to have normal classes in their high schools, and that they had presented their cases in such a strong light, that it had been found necessary to open schools for them, which would have to be supported out of the same appropriation, making it necessary to give us in the future, for this purpose, only \$750 instead of the \$1,500 heretofore apportioned.

This, with the further reduction of the local school levy, made it impossible for the board to offer nearly as large a salary for the one position of principal of the grades as it had paid for the double position of normal training teacher and principal of the grades.

Mrs. Moffett was therefore offered the position of principal of the graded school at a salary of \$75.00 per month. She was granted a week to consider the offer, and in the mean time the Division Superintendent, having gotten a letter from the State Superintendent stating that he thought the reduction in Mrs. Moffett's salary was pretty severe, replied that he agreed with him, but that the school board having had its revenues reduced both at Richmond and at home, and being already in debt, having been obliged to overdraw its account for the payment of teachers' salaries, had been compelled to reduce the salaries of several of the teachers, including that of the principal of the high school, but that he would be glad to recommend a higher salary for Mrs. Moffett if the Department could supply some more money, and at the same time suggesting two ways in which he thought this might be done. The State Superintendent acted upon one of these suggestions, and wrote that we might expect \$100 more. The board immediately offered Mrs. Moffett \$100 more for the term, which exceeds the amount that the principal of the high school is to receive. She asked for a week to consider, and at the end of that time wrote a letter to the clerk of the board declining the offer.

We wish to express our earnest appreciation of the good work Mrs. Moffett has done during the six years she has been laboring in Manassas. In addition to her earnest work of teaching and excellent discipline in the school, she has certainly done a great deal through her personal efforts and influence to add to the equipment of the plant.

These things are valued, gratefully acknowledged, and will remain to bless the school, and to be looked upon as monuments to Mrs. Moffett's untiring efforts in behalf of the children of Manassas and the surrounding country.

OUT AMONG THE TREES

The Great Value of Fruit to Man—A Word About Shade And Timber Trees.

By W. H. W. M. Plant a tree. The old man who said the reason why he was planting an orchard so late in life was that he might live to eat the fruit may have been a real philosopher. Many persons have known comparatively old men to plant trees and live to see them bear fruit.

But the man who sets out fruit trees is both a philosopher and a philanthropist. While the young man who acquires a few acres of land becomes not merely a "lord of the manor," but a man after practical results when he begins tree-planting.

The growth of fruit trees, under favorable conditions, is more rapid than the inexperienced would believe. Even the apple, which seems slow of growth, bears in a few years after planting. The writer has a winter-banana brought here ten years ago by mail that promises a yield of one bushel to the single tree. While some trees, like the sour cherry, a most useful culinary fruit, will begin bearing within three years after planting yearling trees.

In this day, when every man is more or less a student of health, fruit is not only an everyday necessity but an every meal necessity. From the apple down to the berry-bearing plant the whole list is useful and really profitable.

Not only should we plant fruit-bearing trees but no field should be without plentiful shade. It is not necessary to plant expensive trees. In fact, if the writer's study of trees has taught him anything it is the value of our native trees.

I know of nothing more beautiful than a grove of our native oaks. The white pine is the equal of the most expensive foreign conifer. Another most valuable tree, and a quick-growing one, is the common yellow poplar or tulip tree (It is really not a poplar at all but a Liriodendron). This and the common black walnut are at home with us and both are handsome trees, when they reach stately proportions. All of these—the oak, white pine, tulip tree and black walnut—are desirable shade and ornamental trees. When a greater variety is needed we can add the American linden or basswood, the holly, the sugar nut or hackberry, and the sweet and sour gums, as we call them. To these you can add for shrubbery the dogwood, redbud, button-bush and our common haw.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

The regular summer examination for public school teachers will be held in the Bennet Building, Manassas, on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, July 26 and August 1 and 2, beginning promptly at 9 a. m. on each day.

Subjects for the first day are geography, spelling, grammar and composition, theory and practice of teaching, civil government. Subjects for the second day are drawing, physiology and hygiene, arithmetic, history of Virginia, and United States history. Subjects for the third day are elementary algebra, science, reading, and English history of general history. Writing will be graded from Form E. No. 2, which will be handed to the applicants at 8:45 a. m. on the first day of the examination, and should be filled out and handed to the Superintendent or his assistant by 9 o'clock. The examination in theory and practice of teaching will be based upon Colgrove's "The Teacher and the School"; in physiology and hygiene upon Ritchie's "Primer of Health and Sanitation"; in reading and drawing the examination will be on both methods and subject matter.

But the mere planting of a tree is not all. It must be planted in a suitable place, in a suitable manner and properly cared for afterwards. In this, as in all other problems before us, we must learn. And the man who wants to know usually finds out. Plant a tree.

Greatly Reduced Round Trip Excursion Fares From Principal Points in Virginia via Southern Railway to Monticello and Shenandoah, Account Annually Opening July 1st—10th, 1912. Midweek only. Week July 14th—20th, 1912, and Sunday School Institute and Music Festival, July 21st—August 30th, 1912. Tickets on sale June 30th, July 3rd, 5th, 22nd, 23rd, 26th, 27th, August 3rd, 14th and 22nd, 1912. Final limit to reach original starting point returning not later than midnight of September 5th, 1912. For detailed schedule information, fares, etc., apply to any agent or write to R. S. Mason, Special Agent, Washington, D. C. Aug 22.

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Should he be elected, Woodrow Wilson will be the eighth President who was born in Virginia, thus maintaining his rank as the "mother of Presidents." Washington and Monroe were born in the small county of Westmoreland. Harrison and Tyler were born in the still smaller county of Charles County. Taylor and Wilson were removed by their parents from Virginia when they were mere infants, and Harrison went West in early life and was a resident of Indiana when elected. Washington, Jefferson, Madison and Monroe were residents of Virginia when elected to the Presidency.

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NEVER mind about Mr. Flood, and what he did and what he did not. He is not running for the presidency. Nor is Mr. Bryan nor is Mr. Ryan. Nobody can charge that there is a machine of the "ins" or a machine of the "outs" doing business at this time. Get down to the real issue.

THE great difficulty in the way of the establishment of the world's peace is the thousands of benighted idlers who would be out of a job. The man on dress parade at good pay does not relish the idea of work and no foolish folk to admire him.

THE laws of hygiene are not technical formulae, but simple common sense applied to our physical conditions. If we only stop and think, it would sometimes save a doctor's bill.

SOUTH CAROLINA has a big scandal growing out of her dispensary system. There is only one way to handle the liquor question, and that is just the way the people of Manassas did.

No matter what our personal habits may be there is no sound reason in the laws of health, nor in the rules of business, nor in the basis of character for the tobacco habit in any form.

MR. ROOSEVELT says he is going to break the solid South. It will certainly be a very interesting performance—quite as interesting as his capture of the Southern delegates at Chicago.

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DEMOCRATIC OPPORTUNITY. When the republican party at Chicago bound Mr. Taft hand and foot and delivered him to the protective tariff, it was a plea to "big business." The republican platform was devised for campaign revenue. Let us hope the democrats will meet this issue squarely and declare for the rights of the consumer. Let us have concrete examples. Point out explicitly how much of the advanced cost of living is a tax for the benefit of a privileged class.

LET teachers, preachers and editors everywhere promulgate the philosophy of good health. A very good text is pure air all the time for everybody, and their cleanliness all the time, everywhere, every way.

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PROGRESSIVES TO CONVENE

State Chairman Moore Issues Call for Bull Moose Power at Roanoke.

Continued From First Page ever one's pet grievance, a remedy is held out in an alliance with the new party. National and State supervision of the forces of production comes in for due notice.

THE call appeals to "those who believe in encouraging honest business, conducted according to law, whether it be large or small, State or inter-state—business conducted in such a manner as will serve the common weal, and not the special few; and, to those who believe in the rights of property, but not in the rights of property above the man; who believe that it is the duty of the national and State governments to so shape the social, industrial and financial forces that they will uphold and not destroy the moral and material welfare of the wage-earner, farmer, business and professional man."

THE convention will designate electors for this State and transact such other business as may properly come before it in connection with the launching of the progressive campaign. Delegates as well as those who expect to attend of their own initiative, are requested where possible to notify the State chairman of their intention.

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BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

Another delightful rain Tuesday afternoon.
Get the health habit, teach it and preach it.
For the first time in several years we had a dustless horse show.
Several carloads of crushed stone are being put on Battle street.
Don't forget about the flies, the rubbish and decaying organic matter.
There are at the Morgan Duck Ranch, Riverton, Va., 16,000 little ducks.
Last Sunday afternoon lightning struck a telegraph pole near the operator's station at this place.
Mr. Aaron Sibley was taken quite ill at his home in town last Friday with an attack of acute indigestion.
The Manassas Motor Car Co. has sold a new Maxwell Mercury to Mr. Chas. A. Goetting, Jr., Middleburg, Va.
Mr. H. P. Davis brought Mr. Jas. R. Dorell's automobile from Washington last Sunday. It is a slightly used Pullman.
Mr. James E. Nelson has bought a new Flinders car from the E. M. F. Co. Mr. Nelson is secretary of the company.
The annual Horse Show German on Wednesday night was quite a success. Fully half of the attendance were visitors.
A little son of Mr. Wallace Chappell, living near Canova, was painfully injured last Monday by a log truck passing over him.
Mr. F. P. Kave of Staunton, who is employed by F. I. Griffith's stove mill at Bristol and who was recently hurt at that place, is able to go to work again.
Mr. D. B. Baker, of Orlando, has a well developed chicken, weighing a little over a pound, with four legs. It uses only two of them, however, in locomotion.
During a severe electrical storm lightning struck Walker's Episcopal Chapel, about one mile from Woodberry Forest School, in Orange county, Thursday, burning it to the ground.
Mr. L. W. Borton, a well-known cattle dealer of Orange, committed suicide Thursday by blowing his head off with a shotgun in a piece of woods near his home. He leaves a wife and one daughter.
Mrs. Mabel Lovess died at her home in Washington last Tuesday of tuberculosis in the 27th year of her age. Her remains were brought here and taken to Brentsville, her former home, for interment.
Mr. Joe Mayhugh, who lives just south of town, cut 25 tons of clover hay from 7 1/2 acres of land. He also has a field of the finest corn in this section of the county but it was badly damaged by the wind Sunday evening and Tuesday afternoon.
A beautiful Lombardy poplar in Mr. Moran's yard, near town, was badly topped by the wind last Tuesday afternoon. A strong whirl or gust seemed to have struck it, and snapped off about two-thirds of it. No other damage was done in the neighborhood.
The ninth annual session of the Virginia State Farmers' Institute will be held in Winchester August 1 and 2. Among the speakers will be Joseph E. Wing on the subject of alfalfa. An entire session will be given to this subject. Crop, rotation, farm management, fertilizers and domestic science, together with stock experience, etc., are features of interest.

The heated wave seems to have temporarily passed. The change to-day in the temperature is most agreeable.
The music at the Horse Show was furnished by the Manassas Dramatic Club Band, a home organization, and was much complimented. The band has accepted an engagement to play at a big tournament and dance at Markham.
Mrs. Julia Kopp, wife of Mr. D. E. Kopp, died at her home, west of town, early this morning from a complication of diseases. Her remains will be taken to the cemetery of the Dunkard church at Valley Pike Sunday for interment. She is survived by her husband and three daughters.
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President Rupp spent last week in parts of Virginia, West Virginia and Pennsylvania in the interest of Eastern College and the early part of this week in Maryland and Delaware. Last Sunday he preached in the M. E. Church, Reid's Grove, Md., in the morning, Rhode Island in the afternoon and Vienna, Md., in the evening.
The Alexandria Gazette says Mr. B. Abramson, who was fined five dollars in the Police Court recently for placing a show case in front of his place of business on King street, has taken an appeal to the Corporation Court. The action of Justice Caton was based upon a commonwealth warrant which charged the defendant with obstructing the sidewalk. Mr. Abramson was formerly in business here.
The Virginia State Bar Association will meet in annual session at the Chamberlin Hotel, Old Point, Va., August 6, 7 and 8. J. F. Bullitt, of Big Stone Gap, the retiring president; Fred Harper, of Lynchburg; James E. Heath, of Norfolk, and E. Hilton Jackson, of Washington, D. C. will speak. Judge Martin A. Knapp, of the United States Commerce Court, will deliver the principal address on the last day of the meeting.
Two thousand people gathered at a picnic and field day under the auspices of the Sunday Schools of Alexandria and Fairfax counties at Falls Church last Thursday, were scattered by a storm while in the midst of an interesting programme of athletics, an old-fashioned picnic dinner, and literary exercises. The picnic was held in the adjacent houses and in the railway station, and finally reached their homes. Several were badly frightened by the lightning, which struck the railway station while it was crowded with refugees from the storm, but no one was hurt.
The litigation over the M. L. Welfley farm near Bristow has ended, with Mr. G. T. Stricker, the recent purchaser, in full title to the property. The consideration named in the deed is \$30,000. The suit brought by the Calpeper National Bank and Mr. C. J. Meetze to set aside the deed to J. Wilmer Welfley, from whom Mr. Stricker purchased the property, was decided against the Bank and Mr. Meetze by the circuit court of the county. An appeal from this decision was granted by the Court of Appeals, but this appeal will be dismissed at once. Mr. J. Wilmer Welfley, who has been in possession of the place for nearly two years, managed by Mr. Hedrick, now will leave in September and Mr. Stricker will take personal charge of the farm. This is one of the fine farms of the county.

Mr. Westwood Hutchison, Rev. Dr. Quarles and Rev. Jos. F. Gulick have returned from the big Baptist encampment at Virginia Beach. It was attended by delegates from Maryland, Virginia, District of Columbia and North Carolina. It was a real Baptist Chataqua, as the time was taken up with discussions of the work of the different organizations under the church. Mr. Westwood Hutchison, of this place, is a member of the executive committee.
Miss Kathleen Leith, daughter of Dr. Leith of Vienna, Va., and Misses Edith and Elva Shaeckelford, of Washington, D. C., are the guests of Mrs. Leonard Hixson, Miss Edith Shaeckelford expects to leave about the first of August for an extended western trip.
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. All persons indebted to the estate of the late D. F. Bowman will please make prompt settlement with the undersigned. Persons to whom the estate is indebted are expected to present properly verified statements of their claims. C. A. SINGLAR, Executor of the estate of D. F. Bowman, dec'd.

GREAT REMOVAL SALE
THE CRIGLER & CAMPER COMPANY announce its Great Removal Sale. On Monday Morning, July 22, 1912, we will offer to the public the greatest opportunity of the season to purchase reasonable goods at a sacrifice. This is not merely an offhand statement, for a careful perusal of the following prices will convince you. "There's a method in our madness." As the papers have heretofore stated, we will, on September 1st, occupy the stores now being enlarged for us by The Peoples National Bank. We must reduce our stock, and realize that the only way to move it quickly is to reduce everything in the store. Listen! The profits on this stupendous stock has been completely eliminated and a lot of bargains are going to be sold below actual cost. There is but one condition--ALL GOODS SOLD ONLY FOR CASH. Be here the first day! Remember everything on sale.
Dress Goods Department: The biggest selection in the county. Make your harvest when the prices are ripe.
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ITEMS FROM GREENWICH: Mr. and Mrs. Homer Vansickler, of near Leesburg, who have been visiting Mrs. A. B. Carrington, spent Friday night at "The Grove." Miss Lena House, of Washington, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. F. S. House. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cockerille and Mrs. Townsend were in Washington visitors the fourth. Messrs. H. M. House and E. W. Reid spent the fourth of July in Washington. Miss Katie Cockerille spent Sunday before last with Miss Lulu Mayhugh. Master Berkeley Ellis, of Warrenton, is visiting his uncles at "The Mill." Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones, of Fairfax, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. House. Miss Irene Ellis, who has been visiting her uncle and aunt here, has returned to her home in Warrenton. Miss Mae House spent Friday night with Miss Mary Cockerille. Rev. J. R. Cooke, who visited his old home last week, has returned to "The Manse." Mr. and Mrs. James Ellis, Mrs. John Mayhugh and Miss Louise Kidwell were Manassas visitors last week. J. M. Grant, of Washington, spent Sunday in our town. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Meckall, of Savannah, Ga., are at "The Lawn" for the summer. Miss Grace Holtzclaw is visiting relatives in Washington. Miss Violet Ross spent Thursday night of last week with Miss Myrtle Holtzclaw. Mrs. G. A. Wood spent one day last week with Mrs. C. B. Holtzclaw. Miss Mary A. Dulin is visiting friends in Orange. Miss Lillian Taylor, of Washington, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. E. C. Taylor. Miss Mary Cockerille spent Sunday night, with Miss Mae House. Miss Gracie May Taylor, daughter of Edward A. and Agnes R. Taylor, eloped with George D. Pickett on Friday night last at 12 o'clock. It is supposed that they hired a carriage and drove to Haymarket from which place they caught the 8 a. m. train Saturday morning and went to Alexandria and then took an electric car to Baltimore, where they were married. Mr. Pickett left a note saying they were going to Rockville, Md. The young bride's father immediately went in search of the missing couple, but was unable to locate them. Miss Annie Taylor, who has been visiting relatives in Washington, returned on Saturday last. Tom and Sam Thornton spent several days this week at Round Hill and Purcellville. Mrs. Fannie Miletad, of Washington, who is visiting Mrs. Thomas Thornton, of New Baltimore, spent several days last week with Mrs. Taylor Thornton. Miss Mary Ritour is visiting her brother, Daniel Ritour, at this place. Miss Helen Thornton, who has been in Washington for the past week, returned last week after a delightful visit. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holliday spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holliday, of Landmark. L. C. Holliday visited his brother, J. W. Holliday, this week. BILLY MURKIN. To Start Work on Highway. The executive committee of the Richmond-Washington highway corporation has decided to levy a 10 per cent assessment against the stockholders of the corporation, payable July 25. Immediately after the money is received the first work on the highway will be started, and it is thought the work will be well under way in August.
HAYMARKET HAPPENINGS: Mrs. Lucie Hutchison is our visit to friends in Washington. Mrs. Blake Chew, of Fredericksburg, is spending July in town. Mrs. Elizabeth Michel, of Strasburg, is visiting her father, Mr. R. H. Bragg. Miss Frances Grinnan will leave on Saturday for a week's stay with friends in Berkeley Springs, W. Va. Mr. William M. Shoemaker was a visitor to Washington this week. Miss Eunice Warner is the guest of Mrs. Delaware Davis. Mrs. Joseph Verden and children, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with Mrs. William Aldrich, and are now the guest of Mrs. Bailey Tyler of "The Shelter," near Woolsey. Mrs. Thomas Robertson, of Raleigh, N. C., is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Clarkson, and other relatives in town. Mrs. M. Magaw entertained at a smart dance for a number of her young friends, on Monday evening. Mrs. Fitzhugh Goldborough and Mrs. Lester Rayle and children, of Baltimore, are at Meadowcroft. The ladies of St. Paul's Guild will hold an entertainment at the home of Mrs. C. D. S. Clarkson on the afternoon and evening of July 25th. There will be music and other entertaining features. Supper for twenty-five cents. Bags, aprons, fans and other fancy articles will be for sale. There will be a special service for Masons at St. Pauls church on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Burkhardt, of Leesburg, will preach at this service and also at 11 o'clock on Sunday morning. M. Seed Corn. Officials of the Bureau of Plant Industry are trying to impress upon farmers the necessity for proper preservation of seed corn and are already laying out plans for spreading the gospel of good seed so that when autumn comes more farmers will become educated in this new idea. Last year extensive tests conducted by the officials of the Bureau with the aid of co-operating farmers, showed that good seed preservation increased production to the extent of five bushels to the acre. The results are similar to those of other seasons in other localities and demonstrate that as a savings-bank the seed corn bank returns a large interest on the investment. Frost Follows Vermont Heat. Montpelier, Vt., July 17. -Following three weeks of intense heat, with the thermometer twice touching 100, the temperature dropped 58 in 24 hours, bringing frost. Much damage was done on truck farms.
RELICS OF OTHER DAYS: EDITOR JOURNAL: -While fishing one day on Occoquan run, about five miles above Occoquan, I found some names on a birch tree, cut there by soldiers in 1863. They were as follows: D. Farnum, Co. C, 14 Vermont, June the 11, 1863, and the initials F. D. K. There were other names but I could not make them out but the name and initials mentioned were plainly visible. Will you kindly print this as some of the parties may be living and would be glad to hear of this. Also a short time ago a friend of mine found in a cornfield in Fairfax county an old knife handle. The handle was copper and the name and date, British Fleet, 1767. The name and date are as plain as if the handle was new. K. G. MAXFIELD, Hoodley, Va.
Two Carloads of Buggies: Prices From \$45.00 to \$100.00. We have just received one carload of Blue Ribbon Buggies, and one carload of the famous Haydocks--each made of the very best material available, bought in the white wood and painted as per our instructions. Also all kinds of FARM IMPLEMENTS, FERTILIZERS, LIME, COW PEAS, GROW SEED. It will be worth your while to inspect our stock. F. A. Cockrell & Co., Manassas, Va.
BUSINESS LOCALS: Want For Sale and miscellaneous advertisements will be published under this heading. These contain a list for publication. Send to the editor of this column for full particulars.
For Sale: -Late Drumhead cabbage plants, 25 cents a hundred. W. H. W. Moran, Manassas, Va.
Million dollar fire insurance companies only, represented by Austin. 6-22-1
Lost between Manassas and Bristow, brown coat with letters on inside pocket with address C. M. Summers, Harrisonburg, Va. Return to C. M. Summers, Catlett, Va., R. 2, Box 62, 7-12-22-23-24.
It costs no more to insure in the large fire insurance companies than in the small ones. See Austin. 6-22-1
Summer hay spreads and horse covers at Austin's Harness Shop.
Big reduction in all kinds of Queensware during the next 30 days. S. T. Hall. 5-17
If your "Strenia" buggy whip is lost, broken, or stolen within six months you get a new one FREE at Austin's Harness Shop.
For Rent: -Desirable house in grove in southeast Manassas. Good garden spot. Apply to Dr. J. M. Lewis. 5-10-17
Purch rockers and ice cream freezers to arrive in a few days, at S. T. Hall's. 5-10-17
For wall-paper and room molding see or write Geo. L. Larsen, P. O. Box 232, Manassas, 5-10-17
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