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GIRLS ARE FINE FARMERS

They Started With Tomatoes And They Raise all Varieties of Vegetables and Fruits.

Girls have more sense than boys, anyhow. That is one of the reasons that the Department of Agriculture advances for the success of the girls' farm club that is just finishing its second year of crop growing.

About two years ago the late Dr. S. A. Knapp, of the Department of Agriculture, conceived the idea of organizing girls' tomato clubs in the southern states, something on the order of the boys' corn clubs which had been run in previous years.

Unfortunately Dr. Knapp died before this work was ready for its public demonstration, but the idea took hold among the farm girls of the southern states and the results obtained this year are considered by the Department of Agriculture officials as most remarkable.

The work started out with the idea of having girls raise tomatoes and possibly can a few of them. It has developed, however, into the girls going in for tomatoes, poultry and eggs and canning not only tomatoes, but all sorts of fruit and vegetables, so that in the state of Oklahoma alone the girls this year have canned ninety varieties of fruit and vegetables, making the famous pickle factory look like a back number.

ABOUT 25,000 GIRLS ENROLLED. There are about 25,000 girls now enrolled in twelve of the southern states, and work could be greatly extended if more money were available for instruction. It is estimated by business men and the department that the girls' club work has been worth just about \$1,000,000 to the state of Oklahoma this year.

Business and War. [From The New York Evening Sun.] The old idea that war in one part of the world helped business in other parts cannot stand on tightened examination. Was it waste, both of life and wealth?

BIG FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Continued From First Page CLASS 4—TOMATO CLUB PRIZES. Best composition—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2.

Best recipe book—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2. Best tomato story—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2. Largest yield—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2. Best single glass can—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2.

CLASS 5—DOMESTIC SCIENCE PRIZES. Open to all girls in Prince William county schools.

Best loaf bread—1st, \$1 cash; 2nd, 75 cents in merchandise; 3rd, 50 cents in merchandise. Baking powder biscuit—1st, \$1 cash; 2nd, 75 cents in merchandise; 3rd, 50 cents in merchandise.

CLASS 6—HOUSEKEEPER CLUB. Women's domestic science—open to all women.

Best cake—1st, blue ribbon; 2nd, red ribbon. Best bread—1st, blue ribbon; 2nd, red ribbon. Best biscuit—1st, blue ribbon; 2nd, red ribbon.

Best piece of needlework—1st, blue ribbon; 2nd, red ribbon. Best exhibit of canned goods—1st, blue ribbon; 2nd, red ribbon. Best exhibit of jellies—1st, blue ribbon; 2nd, red ribbon.

CLASS 7—WOMAN'S TOMATO CLUB. Best recipe book—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2.

Best written experience—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2. Best magazine article—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2. Best clear profit—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2.

Best yield—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2. Best glass can—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2. Best story—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$2.

These prizes for woman's tomato clubs are to be given out at the December meeting.

PUBLIC SALE

Under and with virtue of a deed of trust executed by J. C. and Mary H. Kinchloe on the 1st day of May, 1906, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of Prince William county, in D. C. No. 223, to secure a note for \$1,450.00, on which interest is now due from May 1, 1912, in the payment of which the said default has been made, and at the request of the holder of said note, the undersigned trustee, issued in said trust, will offer for sale at public sale on

MONDAY, DEC. 2, 1912, that being the 1st day of the December term of the Circuit Court, at 12 o'clock, m., in front of the Court House, in the Town of Manassas, Prince William county, Virginia, all that certain lot or parcel of land, with dwelling and buildings thereon, lying and being situated in the Town of Manassas, County and State of Virginia, on the West side of Fairfax Avenue, adjoining the lands of Dixon and Lynch and the Smith and DeFoe lands, and containing 2.75 acres, more or less, as shown on a plat of the same, and with said acreage 73 feet and three inches (73'3") by 174 feet and three inches (174'3").

TERMS—CASH. H. THORNTON DAVISON, Trustee. F. C. ROBERTSON, Auctioneer. 11-8-12

BIDS VNTED The undersigned Special Commissioner will receive sealed bids at the court house, Manassas, Va., on the 1st day of November, 1912, up to 12 o'clock, for an iron bridge over Kettle Run, one and one-half miles north of Manassas, Va., the bridge to be forty-eight feet long with twelve-foot road way and of standard strength and quality. Also at same time and place bids for the abutments for same, to be of concrete, one part cement, two parts sand and three parts stone, crushed stone, the dimensions to be two and a half feet thick at bottom, two feet at top, length eighteen feet and four feet at top, and at top with wing walls five feet long at bottom and two feet high, then taper to top and put down on solid foundation.

The wing walls to be two feet at bottom and one foot at top, the abutments to be eight and a half feet above the water, and to reserve the right to reject any or all bids. J. P. MANUEL, Special Commissioner. R. F. D. No. 1, Box 21, Nokesville, Va. 11-1-12

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WILL CREAMERIES PAY? \$337,000,000 FOR WAR

The State Board of Agriculture Says They Are Already Paying in Virginia.

The Dairy and Food Division of the State Agricultural Department has issued Bulletin No. 27, which deals entirely with the progress and prospects of dairying in Virginia.

On the last page of the bulletin is a list of the creameries in the State and they number 25. A large majority of them are of small capacity. It may be said that all of them are making money and all have a greater demand for creamery products than they can meet, for but few of them ship to large markets, but cater only to local and nearby trade.

There ought to be ten times as many creameries in Virginia as there are and every one of them ought to be on the large order and these would be the facts if the farmers would give more attention to the raising of dairy cattle and thus furnish the creameries with the raw material.

The appropriation bills will be larger this session despite the utmost endeavors of economists within and without the Capitol.

President Taft will take up the estimates with the members of his Cabinet shortly after election.

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THE TALK OF THE TOWN TO ENFORCE SANITATION

Radical changes in the sanitary equipment of trains are to be ordered by the United States Public Health Service just as soon as practical remedies can be devised, according to officials of the service.

Under the law public health surgeons are empowered to inspect all trains and report on the conditions they find. Latest reports, the contents of which have been learned, show that filthy conditions prevail in a large number of passenger cars and stations.

Public health officials say that lack of sanitary devices on trains makes it possible for a single victim of a contagious disease in a journey from New York to San Francisco to pollute all the watersheds in the country.

The public health service is empowered to make regulations regulating toilet facilities and as soon as a satisfactory sanitary method of disposing of refuse from trains is devised railroads will be ordered to change the equipment of their trains.

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MARAUDING GYPSIES HERE

A band of gypsies, five wagons and about twenty men, women and children, arrived in Manassas about three o'clock last Tuesday afternoon and proceeded to tell fortunes, flimflam people on change and to deliberately search the clothing of any person they could get their hands on and very soon several missed their cash.

One gentleman discovered that he had been held up for \$30.00. He immediately summoned Sergeant Weir and had the gang arrested. They were carried before Mayor Chapman. They vigorously denied the charge and swore they had no money at all.

Mr. Hazen's guests on the trip were Capt. Mark Brooks, assistant to the Engineer Commission; John Beale, Thomas J. Fisher, Henry P. West, Charles E. West, Thomas Bones and Dr. E. M. Colvin, of Washington, and J. E. Ballenger, of Jacksonville, Fla.

The possums were captured Saturday night, electric flashlights being used to locate them in the tree tops, from where it was easy to drive them to the ground. The use of the pocket electric lights was a source of wonder to the colored men accompanying the party, and the demand for the lamps among the Afro-American population of that part of Virginia situated about Nokesville is far in excess of the supply.

A fox hunt in which the party engaged Saturday afternoon was unsuccessful, not a single fox being even seen during the afternoon.

MISS JOHNSTON'S NOVEL \$50,000,000 MERGER

The Long Roll" and "Cease Firing" Compel Comparison With Hugo and Tolstoy.

The Journal has just received a copy of "Cease Firing," the latest novel of the pen of Miss Mary Johnston, our well-known Virginia writer. It is undoubtedly a great book, and, viewed as a story of love or war, we have nothing but praise to offer.

The descriptions are wonders of art, given with astonishing brevity, with force, and with fidelity to history. To the old soldier, each incident recalls with vivid strength his own personal experiences. To the women of the war-time, it brings sad and tender memories of their suffering and their struggle.

The story begins where "The Long Roll" closed, completing Miss Johnston's comprehensive Civil War history in the two volumes. General Joseph E. Johnston, one of the ablest of Southern leaders, is a central figure.

"Cease Firing" will be published November 16th, by Houghton Mifflin Company, of Boston. The price of the volume is one dollar and forty cents net.

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THE NEW MERGER OF WASHINGTON AND NORTHERN VIRGINIA ELECTRIC LINES SUCCEEDING

Immediate improvement of the property of the Washington-Virginia Railway Company, including the double-tracking of a considerable portion of the company's lines and construction of new stations, is to follow the decision reached by the directors to have the railway concern amalgamate with the Washington Utilities Company. This statement has been officially announced.

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JOKES



Worse Than Free Silver.

[From Everybody's.] Gen. St. Clair Mulholland, veteran and historian of the Civil War, tells an incident showing the utter worthlessness of Confederate paper money at the close of the war.

MOLDY FORAGE POISONS HORSES

During the last five months numerous reports have been received by the United States bureau of animal industry relative to the existence of forage poisoning in various sections of the United States, particularly in Louisiana, West Virginia, Kansas and Nebraska.

The so-called cerebral meningitis of horses is an entirely different disease from that which occurs in man, the symptoms as well as the cause are distinctly different.

The first principle in the treatment of this disease consists in a total change of feed and forage. Horses kept in the stable should be fed with sound forage and grain from an uncontaminated source.

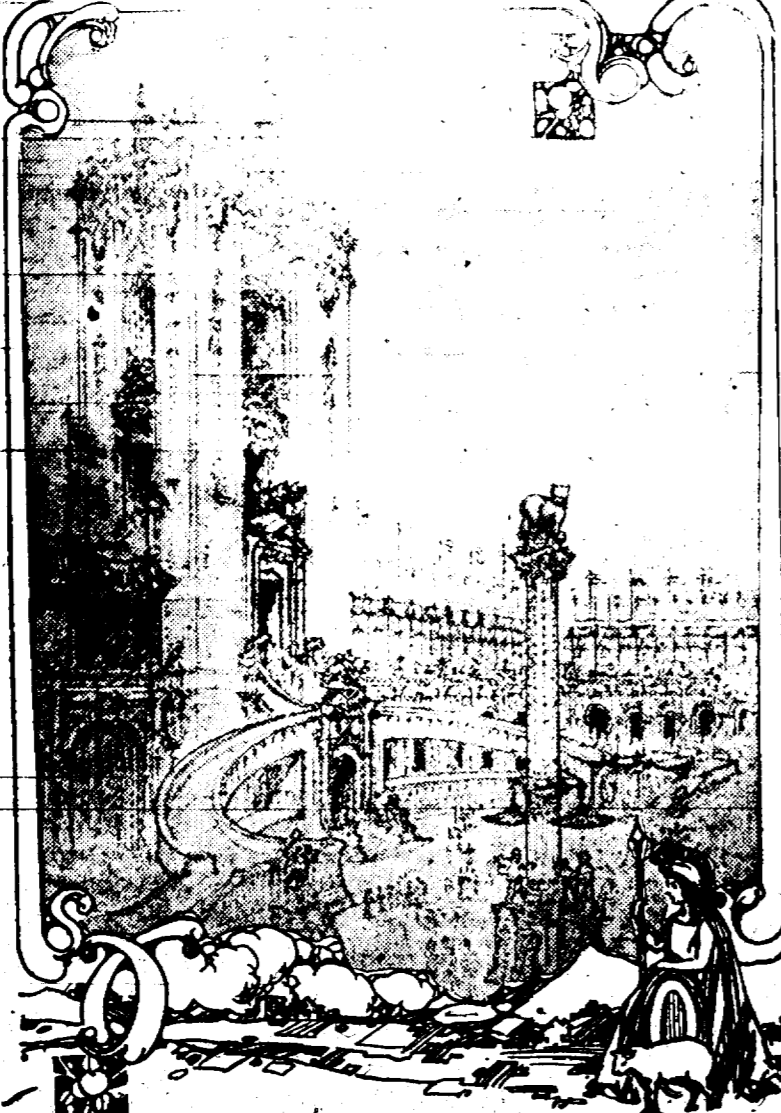
At present the preventive treatment is the only satisfactory method known for checking the disease, as all medical remedies used have been unavailing.

[From The Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.] The young undergraduate was haled before his tutor. He had exceeded his leave by no less than two days.

"I'm awfully sorry," replied the undergraduate. "I really couldn't get back before. I was detained by most important business."

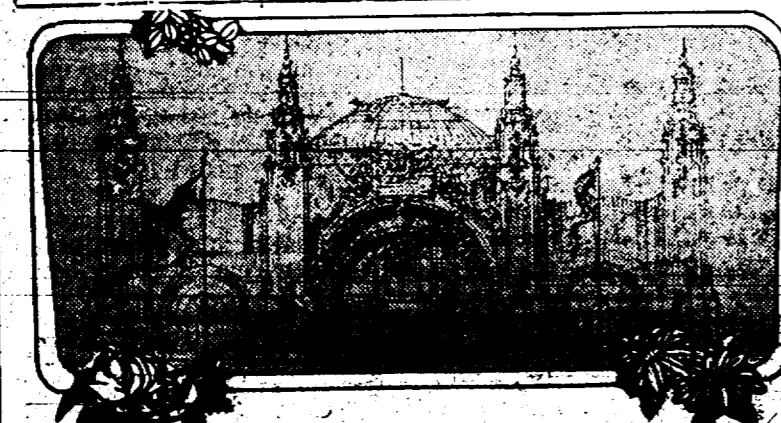
"Captain," the steamship is a day late. "Fogs will delay any ship, my good man."

"Will you kindly furnish me with a certificate that effect to hand to my wife?"



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JAPAN was first of the foreign nations to select a site at America's great Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco in 1915. The extensive area which has been dedicated to the Japanese government display, five acres, will permit the adornment of the grounds surrounding the Palace of Exhibits with wonderful Japanese trees and shrubs.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1912.

TO THE FARMERS' INSTITUTION.

While your organization is not political the affairs of the government are of very great concern to you, and we want to call your attention to some matters of grave importance.

The next Congress will be asked to appropriate \$200,000,000 for war, \$130,000,000 for the navy and \$81,000,000 for agriculture!

What war? What country is even making faces at us?

If it costs that much to be at peace, what country could afford to go to war?

Why all this annual waste of money any way, when we have every reason to believe all the first class powers are ready for arbitration treaties to cover all questions?

There is but one answer! Some of the big interests would lose business and several thousand dress parade idlers would be out of a job.

But that is not all of this absurdity of waste. Let us look again—\$30,000,000 for war and \$31,000,000 for agriculture—the very life of the country!

The big interests are in politics. Their lobbyists are always on the alert. They elect Congressmen and Senators. The army and navy are always clamoring for more, more. And they get it. It is all cold blooded business. Worse, it is plain graft.

And you, you farmers, what are you doing?

Footed the bills. Is it not time that you had something to say to your Congressman and your Senators?

Speak as a unit, as a determined organization.

Demand that every effort be made to secure the enactment of arbitration treaties with all the leading powers to cover all questions.

Demand that the proposed appropriations for war and navy be cut in half, and further reduced from year to year to a police basis agreed upon by general arbitration with other powers.

Demand that the appropriation for the agricultural department be increased to \$100,000,000.

Demand appropriations for interstate highways.

Demand better appropriations for the health service and the investigation of diseases.

Demand better appropriation for all scientific departments under the government.

Moreover, see that other farmers organizations in the State are awake to the situation. Call on your local and State lecturers to promulgate the doctrine of peace, progress and plenty.

You are not getting your share and you never will get your share until you demand it with the power of votes behind you.

And then demand that our immigration laws be made so strict and scrutinizing that this country will no longer be the dumping ground for the world's surplus.

THOUSANDS TO LOSE JOBS

Victory of Wilson Means Overturning of Government Employee.

Thirty thousand persons, men and women, have their names on the government's pay roll in Washington. Twenty thousand of these, it is estimated, watched the election returns or got close to private wires as returns from the forty-eight states came in, many shaking in their boots at the thought that in the election of Wilson their long tenure of office must end.

Would the election of Wilson and Marshall, with a consequent overturning of the government service, mean the loss of their jobs, some of which have been held for forty years? With straining eyes they scanned returns from Maine and Massachusetts, from South Carolina and South Dakota, from Vermont and Virginia—in fact from the four points of this big country of more than 90,000,000 souls. The result meant everything to them.

Although these 30,000 persons whose names are on the government pay rolls are, mainly, protected by the civil service, that is no absolute guarantee that their tenure of office will longer hold good. Even though the civil service is a cloak that is supposed to protect good employees—and which, in a way, does so, it is not invulnerable.

How will these 30,000 men and women be relieved of their places to make room for democrats—that is with regard to such of these 30,000 as may be of the republican faith? It is comparatively an easy matter. It is only necessary to lodge charges against an employe charging him or her with inefficiency or neglect of duty. There is no opportunity for reply, and the thing is done.

Aside from the civil service places which will come to the democrats, the old theory that "to the victors belong the spoils" there will, it is estimated, be not less than 10,000 places to be distributed at the hands of Woodrow Wilson. As an instance to this, there are something like 100,000 postoffices in the United States which must, from time to time, be filled. There are collectorships, consularships, special commissionerships of different kinds and a thousand and one other kind of jobs which the new president must fill.

It is true that there will be considerable red-tape surrounding such appointments, much wire pulling here and there, and possibly a few examinations to test the appointee's eligibility, but, after all, they will come direct from the hands of Woodrow Wilson.

It has been a long time since Grover Cleveland was in the White House—so long, in fact, that the retrospect seems hazy, and even longer since the democrats have had a taste of that delicious Federal pie. Waiting has wearied their appetites.

"Way down South in Dixie land," where the people have been fighting like tigers for the success of Wilson and Marshall, and to keep the Bull Moose from their doors, the approaching feast looks most appetizing. Only to the Congressmen and Senators, who see loads of work piled up ahead and constant visits to the White House for their constituents, is the sight not the most alluring. True, they will pull off many a good job here and there for the people at home, but it means much work for them. Eating at second table for nearly twenty years has not been to the liking of the democrats, but now they may eat to perfection. It's hard luck to the 30,000 army, but it's the spoils of war.

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BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. R. J. Adamson is adding a new addition to her residence on Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Larkin have moved into the third Lybeau brick on Portner avenue.

Don't forget that there will be a good Western Reel at the moving picture show tomorrow night.

Mr. E. H. Hibbs has rented the property on Fairview avenue to Mr. George W. Brown, of Sanford, N. C.

Mr. H. T. Davies has moved into the property recently occupied by Mr. A. B. Davis on West street.

Mr. J. L. Linawever, who lives near town, left at this office, two turkeys, weighing 3 and 3 1/2 pounds respectively.

There will be preaching in the Lutheran Church, Sunday morning, November 17, at 10:30 o'clock by Rev. D. L. Miller.

Word was received yesterday that J. P. Leachman, Jr., has accepted a position with the Geological Survey in Arizona.

Mrs. J. L. Rollins, living near the Catholic Institute, was taken to Georgetown Hospital on Tuesday to undergo an operation.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington on Tuesday to Mr. Howard Triplett and Miss Ruth S. Pearson, both of this county.

The Manassas Industrial School was defeated by the M. Street High School on the former's grounds by a score of 20 to 0 on Monday last.

Messrs. I. O. Kibler, Richard Kelly, Gordon Moran, W. W. Garrison and E. Thornhill attended the dance given at Clifton last Friday night.

The first quarterly "exams" were held in Bennett Building last week. The children "passed" in most instances, and their progress is very encouraging.

Mr. B. C. Cornwell is laying a concrete walk on West street from the corner of Hibbs & Giddings building to the railroad, which will greatly improve the street.

The General Baptist Association of Virginia will hold its annual meeting in Petersburg, beginning Thursday and continuing until Tuesday of next week.

Edward Knight said to have been from Winchester, who was badly injured by a shifting C. & O. engine here, and who was sent to an Alexandria Hospital, has recovered from his terrible experience, but both feet had to be amputated.

A number of Manassas people became alarmed about eight o'clock Wednesday evening by a very bright glow in the western sky. Fire, and a big fire, was the general thought, but telephone connection with the vicinity disclosed the fact that it was only brush near Greenwiche.

Mr. Alfred M. Strother, age 67 years, one of Mosby's men and an old resident of Fauquier county died very suddenly on October 25, at his home near Paris. He was survived by wife and three children, E. L. Strother, of Occoquan, Casper Strother, of Paris, and Mrs. C. C. Furr, of Washington.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Manassas Baptist Church expect to hold their usual annual Thanksgiving Bazaar, serving both dinner and supper as heretofore. Thanking the public for their former generous patronage, they respectfully bespeak a repetition of the same. The place will be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Briggs have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Anna Mabelle, to John Lewis McGeechie, at 12 o'clock, noon, Thursday, November 23, 1912, at Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Briggs were formerly of Bristol, Va., moving to Oklahoma in November, 1904.

Patron's Day will be observed in the Manassas schools this afternoon, after having been postponed several times on account of the weather. A very interesting program has been arranged, and a number of local speakers will be on hand. The parade of the four hundred school children will be a special feature.

Invitations have been sent out announcing the marriage of Miss Minnie Rosamund Higginbotham to Mr. Royston St. Noble, on Monday, November 25, at the Church of Epiphany, Washington, D. C.

There will be a song and dramatic recital, including "The Great White Ship" by Mr. Edward Brigham at Eastern College Friday evening, Nov. 22. It will be a rare treat.

Dr. H. I. Quarles officiated Monday at the marriage of Mr. James H. Randall and Mrs. Roberta Proctor, both of Prince William county, and both declared widowed under the license.

The JOURNAL was in error last week in stating that Mr. Patrick Mulholland was born in Manassas. Mr. Mulholland was born in New York in 1859 and came here with his parents in 1841.

Dr. H. L. Quarles and Mr. Westwood Hutchison left yesterday to attend the Virginia Baptist General Association which convenes this week in Petersburg. They will return Saturday evening.

Quite a number of new Agricultural books have been added to the library at Ruffner school building, which will be a great benefit to the farmers. The library is open on Thursdays from 3 to 5 o'clock.

"Polly in Politics" will be presented in Conner's Opera House on Saturday night, November 23, by the Senior Class of the Culpeper High School. Tickets will be on sale at Duwett's Drug Store. Admission 35 and 50 cents.

The Manassas German Club has issued invitations for the Thanksgiving German to be held in Conner's Hall Wednesday evening, November 27. This is the first masquerade given by the Club and will probably be one of the largest affairs of the season. It is expected that about one hundred couples will be in attendance. The music will be furnished by the Pistorio Orchestra of Washington.

Mrs. Arthur W. Sinclair suffered a painful accident last week when a long splinter became deeply imbedded in the first finger of her right hand, necessitating a physician's aid in cutting it out. The wound was carefully dressed and antitoxin administered. Mrs. Sinclair was confined to her room several days but is now much improved.

A most enjoyable social evening was given at the parsonage last Friday by the Young Woman's Auxiliary of Manassas Baptist Church. The rooms were tastefully decorated with hearts and cut flowers, and the tables were very attractive with the heart shaped tally cards for progressive hearts. Dainty refreshments were served and the evening was a decided success.

Four prisoners at the workhouse of the District of Columbia, at Occoquan, two white men and two negroes, escaped soon after 5 o'clock Tuesday evening. The men were at work and quietly walked away while the guards were not looking. A reward of \$10 each was offered by Superintendent Whitaker for their detection. Three of them were subsequently found in the woods, near the workhouse, and were returned to custody.

In the Alexandria Corporation Court Tuesday morning, Judge J. B. T. Thornton acting in place of Judge Barley, who is out of the city, heard the arguments of Jno. L. Jeffries, of Norfolk, counsel for Lewis Hooff for his motion for a jury from outside of Alexandria in Mr. Hooff's second trial. The motion was opposed by Commonwealth Attorney Brent. Judge Thornton rendered his decision that a jury be secured from Frederick county. The trial was postponed until January 14th.

Virginia gave to Woodrow Wilson the largest vote that has ever been accorded a democratic candidate for any office in the state under the present constitution. The total vote for him was 90,338-7,372 more votes than Mr. Bryan received in 1908.

The combined vote for Mr. Taft and Mr. Roosevelt was 7,559 less than the total cast for Mr. Taft in 1908. The result in Virginia is typical of the South, for in 1908 Mr. Taft polled 504,000 votes in the Southern states—30,000 more than he and Mr. Roosevelt together polled last Tuesday.

As delegates from Manassas Chapter, Mrs. W. A. Newman, Miss Lillian Hixson, and Miss Isabelle Hutchison attended the national convention of the United Daughters of the Convention, which convened this week in Washington. Miss Hixson, alternate took the place of Mrs. Arthur W. Sinclair, delegate, who was unable to leave on account of her recent illness.

Among others in attendance were: Miss Myra B. Payne, Miss Sarah Johnson, Miss Annie Johnson, Mrs. J. B. Johnson, Mrs. Margaret Barbour, Mrs. R. S. Hyson, Mrs. John A. Nicol, Mrs. Robert A. Hutchison, Miss Susan Hutchison, Mrs. J. E. Herrell, Mrs. Albert Spiden, Mrs. H. L. Willis, Mrs. J. B. T. Thornton, and Mrs. E. H. Hibbs.

Little Miss Rose Silling Ratcliffe was baptized in Trinity Episcopal church last Sunday morning by Rev. P. A. Arthur, assisted by Rev. Dr. John McGill of the Plains. Mr. Chas. E. Ruffner, of Washington, D. C., Mrs. James R. Dorrell, of Manassas, and Mrs. H. Clay Speake, of Dumfries, Va., stood as sponsors.

J. H. Burke & Co., are in advance of other Manassas merchants, having already begun preparations for the Christmas display. Toys and gifts of every description are being arranged in artistic array in the adjoining store-room recently occupied by Young & Henaley. It really reminds us that the holiday season is only six weeks off.

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From a reliable source it is learned that President-elect Wilson has decided that upon his entry into the White House on March 4th the appointment of all postmasters, with the exception of those under civil service rules, shall be left to the members of the House exclusively. In the selection of such officials, the wishes of the respective House members will be rigidly regarded. Further than this it could not be ascertained from this authority toward filling other positions, such as collectors of port, district attorneys and marshals, but it is understood that these larger appointments will be left to the dictation of the Senators.

OFFICIAL COUNTY VOTE

Table with columns: Precincts, Wilson, Taft, Roosevelt, Cumulative. Rows include Aden, Brentsville, Nokesville, Greenwiche, Manassas, Wellington, Occoquan, Dumfries, Joplin, Potomac, and Totals.

Evans for Congress received 5 votes; Pless for Congress received 8 votes; Debs for President received 5 votes; Chaffin for President received 6 votes.

Important Notice for Daughters of the Confederacy

The following is the program for the U. D. C. Convention in Washington next week. Monday, 8 to 10 p. m.—Reception to all Daughters at Congressional Library by Southern Relief Society.

Tuesday, 2 p. m.—Laying of cornerstone at Arlington, William Jennings Bryan speaker. 8 p. m.—Opening meeting at D. A. R. Hall. No cards. All are welcome.

Wednesday, 10 a. m.—Convention opens at New Willard. 8 p. m.—Formal reception at New Willard to officers, delegates and alternates.

Thursday, 10 a. m.—Convention meets at New Willard. Thursday, 8 p. m.—Historical meeting open to all, New Willard.

Friday, 10 a. m.—Trip by electric cars to Annapolis. Return at 4 or 5 p. m. 8 p. m.—Reception to all D. C. by veterans at Veterans' Hall, 1322 Vermont avenue.

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MONDAY, DEC. 2, 1912. That being the first day of the following described real estate, to wit: The undivided one-sixth interest of the defendant, E. B. Kinchloe, in that certain lot of land lying near the coal bin on the Southern Railway, in Manassas Magisterial District, Prince William county, containing about

19 Acres. which said lot of land was allotted to W. W. Kinchloe in a deed of partition with J. B. Reid dated January 22, 1906, and recorded in Liber 63, page 331, of the land records of said county, dividing the land purchased by W. W. Kinchloe and J. B. Reid from C. C. Nicol, Commissioner in the suit of Dowling vs. Reid, and being a portion of the land of which W. W. Kinchloe was seized and possessed at the time of his death.

MONDAY, DEC. 2, 1912. That being the first day of the December term of the Circuit Court, at 12 o'clock, p. m., in front of the Court House, in the Town of Manassas, Prince William county, Virginia, all that certain lot or parcel of land, with dwelling and buildings thereon, being situated in the Town of Manassas, County and State aforesaid, on the West side of Fairview Avenue, adjoining the lands of Bixson and Lynch and the land of DeWitt Cattermire Morris, and near said street 73.5 feet and thence 126.5 feet 114-224 1/2 feet.

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ITEMS FROM GREENWICH. Miss Lucie Taylor is spending this week with her brother, Mr. Gordon Taylor, of Washington. Miss Mae House, of Eastern College, spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Fannie House.

HAYMARKET HAPPENINGS. Miss Ethel Clark, of Washington, is the guest this week of the Misses Tulloss. Mr. Sasser Davis is spending some weeks at his old home, "Woodlawn."

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at the Maryland Avenue Baptist church, Washington. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Paul B. Wallington. Mr. and Mrs. Carter are spending this week with the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bragg, of this village. They have the congratulations and best wishes of their many friends in this vicinity.

Spelling Bee at Woodbine. The spelling bee, held at Woodbine school house last Saturday night, proved quite a success. Mr. W. F. Elliott, of Orlando, won first prize and Mrs. Clifford Lowe the booby prize.

There will be a Poverty Social and another spelling match at the school house on November 22. A silver medal will be awarded the best speller. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the W. & T. U.

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Advice Given by the New Hampshire Agricultural Experiment Station.
Feeds for laying hens in the fall should be of such a nature as to promote and aid molting and bring the molt to a speedy and complete conclusion.

A DOG'S REVENGE
By EDWIN C. MOORE
There is a ring on my telephone. I go to the receiver and take down the receiver. I hear sounds as of a scuffle and words distinct from the instrument "Oh my God!" the growl of a dog, then its bark.

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GILAGE
At a Farmers' Institute not long ago the question was asked: How many housewives have also? You can very easily guess the nature of the replies to this question, for none of the replies present had much of an idea what silage really is. After a short explanation it was agreed that nearly every one present in reality had a silo of some kind, some of these were used in raising stock and others for preserving cabbage for future use.

GUMBO SOILS
O. J. Berger, of Eudora, Kansas, writes: "I am on gumbo land, and it is not very well drained. I am told this land would improve if properly drained and some say it can't be tiled, for a paste forms around the tile and the water can't get through it. How would concrete tile do? Can you give me any information on this subject?"

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