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FARMERS OUGHT TO CO-OPERATE

Subject Attracting Attention SEVERAL GAMES NOW PENDING President Finley, of the Southern Railway Company, referring last week, to the interest being manifested in co-operation in agricultural communities in the Southeast said:

ATHLETIC ELEVEN GREATLY IMPROVED

After a Number of Changes in Position of Players the First Team Has Been Practically Selected—Game Saturday. With ideal weather conditions prevailing the past week, the Manassas Athletic Club football squad has had several very good work-outs...

KENESAW SIGNAL FLAG—LOS ANGELOS PEACE FLAG



INTERESTING FLAGS MET ON SATURDAY

Two interesting flags met on Saturday, October 4, at the Henry farm. One was the Los Angeles Peace flag, presented by citizens of California to the delegation of the Blue and Gray...

INTERESTING LETTER FROM N. WILSON DAVIS

The following letter was received from N. Wilson Davis of Harrisonburg, the engineer appointed to install the water, light and sewerage system here...

STATE CONVENTION OF W. C. T. U. AT LURAY

Largest and Most Successful Convention Ever Held—Next Meeting Place to be Newport News—Gold Medal Contest. By MRS. A. H. HARRILL. The 31st Annual Convention of the Virginia W. C. T. U. which was held at Luray last week...

REV. W. T. WINE "NOT GUILTY"

On the second day of the October term of the Circuit Court of Prince William county, the trial of DeWitt Herndon against Rev. W. T. Wine, both of Payman, was begun. The proceedings got well under way in the forenoon, and throughout the remainder of the day the testimony of witnesses and the arguments of lawyers were heard...

BRYAN, THE TITAN "When about shall no longer find a purchaser, when slander and libel shall no more be rewarded; when the historian in the end, white unclouded light of fair play shall write the truth as it is, to tell the children yet unborn of the Titan, who in the last two

BELL BROS. BAKERY instead of doing your own baking. You will find it Just as good—Just as cheap, and so much less trouble

W. C. WAGENER Ranges and Heaters for Fall have arrived. Buy early and be prepared far winter. Manassas, Va.

As regards an estimate of the cost of construction, I have carefully gone over the plans you furnished me and according to the price for work that I have paid at other places, I am quite positive that the total cost of construction will not exceed \$70,000. This is as much as I can say until we receive the present price of material and labor. You may expect to see a day or two.

An audience of 200 assembled at the Henry House at high noon on a brief notice, consisting of representatives of the Blue and Gray, the Bull Run Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy, the faculty and pupils of Eastern College and many others. The trial was the result of some trouble which took place between the plaintiff and defendant during the month of August, and the outcome was that Rev. Wine struck Herndon across the head with a cedar stake, inflicting a serious wound, which rendered Herndon unconscious for many hours, and for several days following, his condition was considered serious. From the testimony of the defendants witnesses it seemed that Rev. Wine was in a way acting in self defense, and had much cause to strike Herndon, who had frightened members of the defendants family, using abusive language, which was most unseemly, and on previous occasions had made dire threats to members of the Wine family. The trial created no little interest, which was manifest in the way in which the large crowd attended the court proceedings.

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aged, but in spirit the Great War was being fought out for the preservation of the Union or its disunion.

This reunion-to-day speaks eloquently of the historic meeting of the two armies in peace, for only one day after the field where they first met for war, and where they met in peace 60 years after. Our nation prizes the magnanimity and cherishes the warm recognition given to those who stood face to face in battle and to-day another victory has been won. In brotherhood, love, good will and charity toward each other.

The flag we have just unfurled which I have brought from God's sun-kissed shores of the Pacific, has a historic record. It was unfurled on the great battlefields of Gettysburg, Lookout Mountain, Missionary Ridge, Chickamauga and other sanguinary fields, made immortal by the deeds of the brave true men, North and South, who participated in these memorable engagements.

Comrades, we have now unwavering loyalty to our country both North and South; unceasing fellowship beneath the stars and stripes. Let this be a confirmation of the historic unity of 1861 and the Gettysburg jubilee of 1913 which were rendered for the love and charity then displayed. They have passed into history as places where love and harmony prevailed. Let the same feeling prevail with us to-day, all united citizens of one beloved country.

As we wander over this battle ground it recalls the days when the leaders of bayonets of the boys in Blue and Gray spilled the best blood of this nation, whose people had ostracized into separate folds. Cotton was made king and the Negro was the bone of contention, which threatened the existence of the Union and arrayed citizen against citizen, sneering, battling as they believed for the protection of their personal, social and political rights. To-day those who survived the terrible conflict are joined in one common brotherhood of men.

We reverence our dead comrades who gave their lives on the altar of sacrifice and to demonstrate to the world and posterity their loyalty to the fatherland of God. We bow our heads in sincere love to the sons of the Blue and Gray. We forget not a crucial war that laid waste a land flowing in milk and honey we forget not the great day that mingle with the flowers every memorial day as we place them on the graves of our comrades, who gave to the world a lesson for the instruction of future generations.

in closing and Rev. Burkes of the Episcopal Church pronounced the Apostolic Benediction.

1. The first signal message ever spelled out of a battlefield, from Capt. E. P. Alexander to Gen. Evans at the Stone Bridge July 21, 1861: "Look out for your left; you are turned."

2. The most important message of the war, above referred to, sent by the very flag we have now unfurled: "Hold the Fort. I am coming."

3. The last Signal on the Raleigh State Capitol: "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men."

This ended the providential meeting of the old flag from Pennsylvania and the new banner of Peace from the Pacific Slope.

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ing into the comparative advantages of dealing with different buyers in the same market than can be done by individual producers. Its larger volume of business also tends to increase competition among buyers for its products and enables it, in many instances, to ship in carload quantities.

"A most important matter in connection with the profitable growing of perishable fruits and vegetables is the provision of some effective means to take care of the culls and of all surplus production that the market will not absorb in a fresh state. This may be done by the establishment of canneries, evaporating plants, and plants for the manufacture of cider and vinegar. The co-operative marketing association may very properly interest itself in securing the establishment of plants of this kind to take care of the culls and the surplus production of its members.

"The activities of a co-operative selling agency may also, in some instances, be extended to matters connected with production. It may, for example, undertake the buying of the seeds used by its members, looking into their purity and germative qualities and insuring the production of the same varieties by all members of the organization.

"The management of the Southern Railway Company and its Associated Companies, in maintaining a corps of Market Agents for the purpose of bringing producers in the territory traversed by their lines into relations with buyers, have recognized the value of co-operation. The work done by these agents is, in itself, entirely co-operative. They are familiar with the plans of organization and methods of operation of successful co-operative selling organizations and are ready at all times to give information to producers who may wish to organize co-operative associations for the marketing of agricultural and horticultural products.

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Unappreciated Youth Traveled in Comfort While Smart Tourist Walked

"I suppose if I should try to ride that bicycle I'd break my neck," said a gawky-looking fellow as he looked at the bicycle against the lamp-post.

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