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NOKESVILLE POST-MASTER NAMED

D. E. Earhart Retires from the Board of Supervisors to Accept Position.

On Friday last, D. E. Earhart, business man of Brentsville district and for many years chairman and member of the Board of Supervisors of Prince William County, accepted appointment as postmaster for the office at Nokesville for a four-year term.

Mr. Earhart, who is chairman of the Democratic Committee in Prince William County, has long been identified with the business and farming interests of the county. He has been a staunch advocate of a low tax doctrine in his public affairs and has progressed in his own business by the practice of industry and thrift.

As an individual he is a fearless voter and has been consistent in his policies.

It is needless to say that in his many years of service he has become very much of an idol in Brentsville district and his retirement has been a source of regret to friends who have kept him in office so long.

MRS. CHARLES COMPTON ENTERTAINS THE U. D. C.

The Manassas Chapter, U. D. C., met Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 6, with Mrs. Charles Compton. Mrs. Lonas, president of the chapter, presided.

Quite a lot of business was on hand, the most important of which was information about the Manassas Battlefield, brought to the attention of the chapter by Mr. W. F. Cocks. Mr. Cocks told of a plan backed by Senator Byrd and Congressman Howard Smith, Mr. C. A. Sinclair and Mr. Rust, and Mr. Wilbur Hall of Leesburg, chairman of the new Conservation committee, for the battlefield to be taken over by the State, to be marked, preserved and made available to the general public as a monument to Stonewall Jackson. The chapter decided to endorse the resolution offered to that effect, and thanked Mr. Cocks for presenting it.

The following books have been purchased by the chapter in 1933 and 1934, and placed in the high school library: Seventeen volumes of Southern Literature, Statesmen of the Old South, Southern Prose and Poetry, Light Horse Harry Lee's Biography by Capt. Thomson, Ham. Chamberlin, So Red the Rose, Miss Delaney Allen.

Two names were presented for membership. One charter member, Miss Lou Moxley, was ninety-four years old today. The chapter sent greetings to her.

Miss Elizabeth Davies, president of the Children of the Confederacy Chapter, read an excellent paper on Maury, in the historical hour, after which Dixie was sung, Mrs. Newman, historian, at the piano.

The social hour was much enjoyed and a delicious salad course was served by our hospitable hostess.

ROOM PROJECTS WILL BE DISCUSSED

Nokesville women will study the Selection and Arrangement of Furniture at the regular meeting of the Nokesville Home Demonstration group which will be held on Wednesday, February 13. This is the second of the series of studies that are being made on the Living-Dining-Room project in which Mrs. E. E. Hale and Mrs. Ernest Spitzer are serving as leaders.

The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. E. Hale beginning at 1:30 o'clock. All women interested in the work under consideration are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

WOULD SAVE CHURCH

Members of the Presbytery in northern Virginia will be interested to know that the Western Presbyterian Church in Georgetown is in the last ditch to save it from being sold over their heads if they cannot raise a considerable portion of the bonded indebtedness which amounts to \$50,000. Contributions for this worthy cause should be sent to Miss Minnie Furr, 1109 24th Street, Washington, not later than February 12.

MARRIAGE RECORD

Feb. 6: Alphonso Jackson, of Washington, and Marion C. Russell, of Catlett.

SOLICIT FUNDS FROM FAIRFAX BOARD

A delegation composed of Town Manager Cocks, Councilmen E. R. Conner and E. G. Parrish, and Dan Hollenga, secretary Alexandria Chamber of Commerce, appeared before the Fairfax Board of Supervisors yesterday relative to securing aid for the Dairy Festival this year.

Mr. Hollenga made his usual flowery address to the Board and the others present also made brief addresses. Mr. Conner particularly stressed the value of the cattle shipped from the north Virginia area and cited C. T. Rice, cattleman, at Oakton, as his authority for the statistics he gave. The Fairfax Board evinced considerable interest and asked Mr. Conner several questions.

Mr. Ellmore, member of the Board, is one of the vice-presidents of the Dairy Festival Association, and it is thought that he will use his influence to give the project some assistance from Fairfax County.

NORTHERN VA. LEAGUE FORMED

Five Teams Represented at Meeting in Manassas Monday.

At a meeting held at the Town Hall in Manassas on Monday, there were representatives from Manassas, Falls Church, Oakton, Aldie and McLean assembling to organize a Northern Virginia Basketball League.

There was a preliminary meeting at Falls Church the preceding Friday but last Monday final arrangements were made as to the schedule, referees, etc. The idea of the league was initiated by Mr. R. C. L. Moncure, of Falls Church, an ardent supporter of basketball in that town.

The officers of the league were elected as follows: President, R. G. L. Moncure, Falls Church; vice-president, J. J. Davies, Manassas; secretary, C. A. Clarke, McLean.

The first league game of Manassas was with Falls Church here last night, and an account of it is given in another column of this issue. Manassas' schedule for the league is as follows: Monday, Feb. 11, Oakton (there); Thursday, Feb. 14, McLean (there); Saturday, Feb. 16, Oakton (here); Wednesday, Feb. 20, Aldie (here); Thursday, Feb. 21, Falls Church (there); Monday, Feb. 25, McLean (here); Wednesday, Feb. 27, Aldie (there). All these games will be featured by doubleheaders, the Manassas girls having organized for the purpose.

Games not in the league are also listed as follows: Saturday, Feb. 9, Marvin Methodist (here); Sunday, the 10th, Hyattsville "Comp. F" (there); Friday, the 22nd, Gallaudet (there). Games with Warrenton and Hyattsville and probably Rockville A. C. are being scheduled to be played here.

It is hoped that the new league will create more interest among the people of the town and will attract better crowds.

KIWANIS CLUB SPONSORS CHILD BENEFIT

The ladies of the Episcopal Church were hostesses to the Kiwanis Club Friday evening when the regular meeting of the club adjourned to the Parish Hall. Accompanied by their ladies, the gentlemen enjoyed a turkey dinner to the fullest. After the dinner, Hunton called on Bob Hutchinson to say a few words of appreciation which Bob did very efficiently.

It was a pleasure to see O. D. back in harness and this gentleman made a very delightful speech. Walter Covington was also with us again but Win Althey was still on the sick list much to the regret of all his friends.

Bill Lloyd made another section of his 1934 report of club activities which he has accumulated with great and arduous labor and is still optimistic about getting it all in before the year is over.

Attention was also called to the Kiwanis benefit on Wednesday of next week at which time the underprivileged child committee hopes to have a prosperous evening.

The subject will be "Mark Twain," and the speaker who knew Mark Twain very intimately should be able to give a good talk. The price of admission will be very low.

REGIONAL FERA OFFICE AT MANASSAS

Unconstitutional Delegation of Legislative Functions by Congress in Work-Relief Bill

SPEECH OF HON. HOWARD W. SMITH of Virginia

in the House of Representatives January 23, 1935

Mr. Smith of Virginia. Mr. Chairman, it was with grave reluctance that I felt impelled to oppose in the Rules Committee the granting of the "gag rule" for the passage of this bill, appropriating as it does in a lump sum, \$4,000,000,000, without any specific provisions as to how any part of it is to be expended and with only the most vague specification of the general policy for which it is intended.

It is with equal reluctance that I must oppose the bill coming to us as it does with administration approval. I have heretofore consistently supported the measures proposed by this administration and I would support this measure if I did not feel that under my oath to support the Constitution of the United States that there are certain legislative functions which the Congress itself must perform, and in the performance of which it cannot abdicate in favor of the President of the United States or anyone else.

I take this position reluctantly, because I have every confidence in the President. I know that this Republic has rarely been blessed with an Executive so earnest and so sincere in his purposes and in his efforts to relieve the suffering, heal the hardships, and adjust the wrongs of the great masses of our people. But, after all, this is still a Republic. We are living under the Constitution that has happily survived up to this moment economic storms, foreign invasions, and civil strife. If it is to continue to survive, it must have the respect and support of the elected Representatives of the people, who are sworn to uphold its provisions.

The provisions of this bill are a clear and complete abdication by the Congress of the United States of its functions and a delegation by the Congress to the President, or whomsoever he may select, of the legislative duties imposed upon this body.

Let us briefly analyze this bill. The first section appropriates a lump sum of four thousand millions of dollars. Under the law we are required to appropriate money for specific purposes. But the only information that the House is given by this bill of the purpose for which this huge sum is to be expended is of the most general nature.

These terms are so broad and general as to make them meaningless. They may mean the expenditure of public funds on almost any conceivable project that the ingenious minds entrusted with the ultimate expenditure of the funds might devise.

M. A. C. WINS 5th STRAIGHT GAME

Beats Falls Church in First Game of New League.

In the first game of the newly-organized Northern Virginia Basketball League Wednesday, the Manassas A. C. was host to Falls Church in a doubleheader.

The Manassas girls, playing together for the first time this season, gave a good account of themselves although losing to Falls Church by a close score, 19 to 14. At a time Manassas had a good lead but lost it through close guarding of Falls Church in the second half.

The boy's game was closely contested from the start to the finish except the last few minutes when the Macs rallied to put the game on the ice. The score at the intermission was 12 to 11 in favor of Falls Church. The Macs were decidedly off in their shooting; however, they managed to forge ahead in the fourth period. The final score was 33 to 25.

The Macs journeyed to Lee-Jackson, minus the services of their coach-player, Lynn, to play their alumni. This was another close game in which Lee-Jackson was ahead by 4 points in the 4th quarter. Here the Manassas rallied and was a point ahead a few seconds before the finish when one of the Lee-Jackson players was fouled and made good his try for goal. For the second time this season the Macs had

able project that the ingenious minds entrusted with the ultimate expenditure of the funds might devise.

No limitations or specification upon the kinds of work or the class of projects is provided. No allocations or limitations of any character are imposed upon any part of the fund, even in general terms. The legislative body utterly fails in this provision to prescribe even a general policy of what, if anything, the legislative mind had in view when the legislation was passed.

The fourth section of the act authorizes the Executive not only to coordinate and consolidate any and all Government agencies but authorizes him by Executive order to continue the life of any existing governmental agency even though its life may be definitely limited by a previous act of Congress, and confers the further power to delegate to him by the Congress under the provisions of this act.

The fifth section authorizes the President "to guarantee loans to, or payments of, needy individuals." To make grants and loans and to acquire by the power of eminent domain real and personal property of unlimited kind and character, for unlimited purposes, and to improve, develop, maintain, grant, sell, or lease the same.

The sixth section authorizes the President to prescribe rules and regulations, having the force and effect of criminal laws, the purport and extent of which we are unable to hazard a guess and by virtue of which a citizen may be fined as much as \$5,000 and imprisoned for not exceeding 2 years, or both.

After diligent inquiry from authoritative sources I have been unable to obtain any information as to why the great necessity for the immediate passage of the whole of this enormous appropriation before any plans or policies are formulated for the expenditure of the same. This Congress will doubtless be in session for the next 5 months. Surely in that time the Congress could be informed of the plan and the purpose and the policy for the expenditure of these sums, so that we might legislate intelligently and with a due sense of the deep responsibility owed to our constituents, who must ultimately pay the debt. I am not concerned with any particular projects or any particular class of work relief, and I am sure that I could subscribe to the President's plan when it is formulated, but I am impressed with the profound conviction that I (Please turn to page 2)

LUCINDA THOMAS

Lucinda Thomas, an aged and highly respected colored woman, died suddenly Saturday evening, Feb. 2, at her home near Waterfall.

Aunt Sindy, as she was generally called, was born eighty-nine years ago, a slave, in the family of Cassius Foley of Waterfall. She was one of those rare types seldom seen, a genuine product of the Old South, loyal to her white folks all through the years whom she respected and loved devotedly. She was a widow for many years, and most of her large family had passed away, yet time dealt kindly with her, retaining all of her faculties until the end. It was indeed a treat to visit her neat little cottage for a chat with "Aunt Sindy" and one came away seeming in some way glorified. We grieve that she is no more.

WILL REORGANIZE HOME GROUP

A meeting will be held at the Town Hall, Haymarket, on Tuesday, February 12, for the purpose of reorganizing a Haymarket Home Demonstration group. The young women of Haymarket and surrounding community are urged to attend.

The meeting is being called for 1:30 o'clock.

LEE-JACKSON AND LANIER PROGRAM

The postponed exercises of the Lee-Jackson anniversary celebration were held in the high school auditorium Feb. 4, Miss Mary Patten presiding.

This date was the anniversary of the birth of Sidney Lanier, famous Southern poet. The invocation was given by the Rev. T. D. D. Clark, who referred to Lee as "Soldier of Christ" and "Soldier of the Commonwealth."

Mrs. Lonas, president of the Manassas Chapter, U. D. C., in an introductory speech, expressed her thanks, and those of the chapter, to the pupils who took part, and those in attendance, for their co-operation in this tribute to these beloved illustrious men. She also thanked Miss Osbourn and Mrs. Grace Hite for their co-operation and assistance and the Children of the Confederacy Chapter, for their part on the program.

"America" was sung by the school, Miss Virginia Speiden at the piano. Miss Lucy Gibson read extracts from Dr. Freeman's "Life of Lee," at the close of which "How Firm a Foundation" was sung. Other features on the program were a poem, "The Sword of Lee," read by Miss Elizabeth Davies; reading, "Lee's Character," by Sinclair Boatwright; solo, "Rest Under the Trees," by Mrs. Hatcher; reading, "Our Own Beloved Jackson," by Nancy Leachman; Lanier's poem, "Song of the Chattahoochee," by Miss Esther Akers; benediction, Rev. Stuart Gibson.

HUFF APPOINTED AS SUPERVISOR

Will Fill out Term of D. E. Earhart.

On Tuesday Judge Walter T. McCarthy, after being petitioned by voters in Brentsville district, appointed Lester Willard Huff, twenty-nine-year-old dairy farmer of Nokesville to serve out the unexpired term of D. E. Earhart who resigned Friday to accept appointment as postmaster at Nokesville.

Mr. Huff qualified at once and today sat for the first time as a member of the Board. Although he has never held public office before, the keen attention which he paid to his duties at the Board session and the quickness with which he was able to assume these functions, have entirely justified his appointment.

Except for a few years which he spent as a boy in Orange County, Mr. Huff, who was born near Bristol, has been a life-long resident of the county. In December, 1933, he married Miss Kate May, daughter of Phoenix May, and member of a family long identified with the history of this section.

Incidentally, Mr. Huff is one of the youngest, if not the youngest, men ever to take office as a supervisor of Prince William County.

The Journal extends to the new supervisor congratulations and wishes him well in his official career.

PROJECT LEADERS WILL DISCUSS TOPIC

Leaders for the House Furnishings project will meet on Thursday, February 14, to make plans for work with their respective groups during the months of March and April. The meeting will be held in the Assembly Room, Post Office building, beginning at 10 o'clock.

Topics for consideration at this meeting are Table Linens, and Aids to Meal Service. The larger part of the day's work will be given to construction of articles which may be used in the community study groups.

The following women who have been chosen by their groups as leaders for the Living-Dining-Room unit of the house furnishings project will represent their respective groups at this meeting:

Mrs. A. Armstrong, Mrs. E. E. Hale, Nokesville; Mrs. Mabel Schwab, Mrs. Dewey Schaeffer, Bethel; Mrs. Robert Mooney, Mrs. R. F. Persons, Dumfries; Mrs. John Ellis, Mrs. Raymond Ellis, Greenwich; Mrs. Amos Corder, Miss Frances Hummer, Aden; Mrs. Robert George; Mrs. Walter Gardner, Hickory Grove. Haymarket leaders have not yet been chosen.

Four Counties of Northern Virginia Consolidated for Relief Work.

From Richmond comes the announcement that a District Office of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration will be established at Manassas to consolidate the previous County FERA Offices of Prince William, Fauquier, Fairfax and Loudoun Counties and Alexandria City.

Mrs. Ruth Thompson of Fauquier County is to be placed in charge of the new Regional Office which, it is believed, will employ about ten to a dozen workers who will be selected from those now at work in the various county FERA offices.

Instead of furnishing supplies from one or two depots, the new plan will include the maintenance of a supply depot at each of these regional offices.

Under the plan now being put into effect to harmonize with the President's requirements, it is believed that all those who are physically able to work will have an opportunity to do so.

In many instances the present county relief work will be in charge of the county subdivision of the new regional office at Manassas.

Statistics released from the State FERA headquarters for the month of December for the areas now consolidated with headquarters at Manassas are as follows:

Prince William—Active cases, 117; total work and direct relief given, \$947; average relief per acre, \$8.10; total of all expenditures, \$2,248; per cent of administrative cost, \$20.76.

Fairfax—Active cases, 100; total work and direct relief given, \$1,188; average relief per case, \$11.58; total of all expenses, \$2,962; per cent of administrative cost, \$25.07.

Fauquier—Active cases, 248; total work and direct relief given, \$3,077; average relief per case, \$12.41; total of all expenses, \$4,445; per cent of administrative costs, \$8.59.

Loudoun—Active cases, 90; total work and direct relief, \$1,447; average relief per case, \$16.09; total expenses, \$2,480; per cent of administrative cost, \$24.89.

Alexandria City—Active cases 306; total work and direct relief, \$3,984; average relief per case, \$13.02; total expenses, \$6,426; per cent of administrative costs, \$11.90.

CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS

P. L. Trenis, J. R. Jones and T. B. Flickinger, trustees, Modern Woodmen of America, authorized to sell lot and building at Nokesville to J. W. Newland.

In the matter of Alonzo and Joseph Grayson, Aaron Butler and Lewis Johnson who were captured according to account in last week's Journal, both were given two years in the penitentiary. Aaron Butler and Lewis Johnson apprehended at the same time plead "not guilty" and will be tried on February 19.

Edwin Segar will be tried February 20 for assault on Lincoln Williams.

James Bridget will be tried Feb. 20 for shooting Thomas Stokes.

The following cases were dismissed: Commonwealth vs Deimar Bates; John Gorman vs Ben Pefferman; the National Bank of Manassas vs W. R. Myers; Anna Burr vs Randolph Doyle.

Criminal jury for February term: John M. Kline, M. B. Leach, P. C. Wigglesworth, C. C. Fisher, C. S. Pierce, H. Ewing Wall, W. S. Brawner, George H. Michael, Norvel Larkin, sr., W. P. Wilson, S. H. Seelman, James E. Nelson, E. M. Rood, J. T. Young, J. A. Amphlett, E. E. Blough, R. C. Linton, W. Holmes Robertson, L. L. Lynn, E. M. Briggs, N. S. Lambert, Carroll W. Crouch, T. N. Berryman, W. A. Kidwell, C. F. Sinclair, L. E. Beschley, Elmer Hurst, R. E. Bryant, W. O. Bushey W. M. Arnold.

Cases set for next week: Monday, Olaf Pearson (murder); Tuesday, Willie Corbin and Sherman Dowell; Wednesday, Mrs. Giavino; Thursday, H. A. Murray and Harold McInteer; Friday, Elmer Neff and Frances Ellis against United Fidelity and Guaranty Company.

HIGH SCHOOL BAZAAR

The Manassas High School Student Cooperative League will hold a community bazaar at the high school on February 22. Watch for particulars in next week's issue.

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION
An interdenominational body co-operating with all churches meets on call of secretary.
R. L. Sadd, Manassas, president.
Mrs. L. J. Bowman, Nokesville, Sec.

CHURCH NOTICES

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
REV. A. S. GIBSON, Pastor
Morning Prayer and Sermon by the Rector at 11 a.m., Church School, Mr. O. D. Waters, Supt., at 9:45 a.m.
St. John's Diocesan Mission Centreville
Regular services 2nd and 4th Sundays at 8:15.
Sunday School every Sunday at 2:15 p.m., Mrs. R. J. Hurdle, Supt.

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH
Manassas, Va.
REV. JOHN C. RYAN, Pastor
Catechism every Saturday at 2 p.m.
Sunday masses, Manassas, first, second and fourth Sundays at 8 a.m.; third and fifth Sundays at 10:30 a.m.
Minnieville—Masses on first, second and fourth Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH
REV. A. H. SHUMATE, Pastor
Dumfries—First and third Sunday, 7:30 p.m.
Bethel—First and third Sunday, 11 a.m.
Forest Hill—Second and fourth Sunday, 8 p.m.
Fifth Sunday—Quantico, 7:30 p.m.

BETHEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Manassas, Va.
REV. LUTHER F. MILLER, Pastor
Sunday School, Mr. J. H. Rexrode, Supt., 10 a.m.
Luther League, 11 a.m.
Divine Worship and Sermon, 2:30 p.m.

MT. ZION EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Nokesville, Va.
Sunday School, Mr. C. O. Bittle, Supt., 10 a.m.
Divine Worship and Sermon, 11:00 a.m.

UNITED BRETHREN
O. R. Kesner, Pastor
Manassas—First and third Sundays, 11 a.m.
Buckhall—Services first, second and fourth Sundays at 7:30 p.m.
Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p.m.
Aden—Second and fourth Sundays at 11 a.m., third Sunday at 7:30 p.m.
Christian Endeavor, first and third Sundays at 7 p.m.
Sunday School at each appointment at 10 a.m.
We invite YOU to all services.
Communion Service
Calvary, Sunday, 11 a.m.
Buckhall, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

MANASSAS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. John M. DeChant, Pastor
Manassas
Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.
Worship, 10:00 a.m.
Junior C. E., 8:00 p.m.
Senior C. E., 7:00 p.m.
Clifton
Sunday School, 10:20 a.m.
Worship, 11:30 a.m.
C. E., 8:00 a.m.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH
Rev. W. M. Compton, Pastor
Worship Service every Sunday, 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
9:45 a.m. Sunday School, R. H. Blakemore, Supt.
6:45 p. m. Senior League.
Burke, 2nd and 4th Sunday, 3:00 p. m.
Buckhall, 1st and 3rd Sunday, 3:00

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN (Bradley)
Worship Service 11 a.m. as follows:
Eld. J. M. Kline, 2nd Sunday.
Eld. E. E. Blough, 4th Sunday.
Sunday School each Sunday, 10 a.m.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Haymarket. Rev. W. F. Carpenter, rector. Sunday School at 10 a.m.; morning prayer with sermon at 11:10 a.m.

WOODBINE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. V. A. Council, Pastor
Preaching services—
First and fifth Sunday, 11 a.m.
Third Sunday, 2:30 p.m.
B.Y.P.U. each Sunday night at 7:30 p.m.

GREENWOOD PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
at Minnieville
Elder C. W. Miller
Services the second Sunday in each month at 11 a.m. Saturday before at 2:30 p.m.

MANASSAS BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. C. B. Jones, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m., Mr. L. Ledman, Supt.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock.
B.Y.P.U., 6:30. Evening service, 7:30. Sermon subject, The Tragedy of a Misspent Life." All are welcome. You will find a cordial welcome in our midweek prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30.

PURCELL SCHOOL HOUSE
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10:30, except first Sunday. On first Sunday at 1:30 p.m.
Preaching first Sunday at 2:30.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN (Cannon Branch)
Eld. E. E. Blough, 2nd & 5th Sunday.
Eld. J. M. Kline, 4th Sunday.
Rev. O. K. Herseh, 1st & 3rd Sunday.
Sunday School at 10 a.m.
Worship Service 11 a.m. every Sunday.
Dec. 23, 7:30 p.m., Play, "The Bethlehem Way," by Cannon Branch B.Y.P.U.

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. V. H. Council, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 a.m.
Preaching at 11 a.m. on 2nd Sunday and at 3 p.m. on 4th Sunday.

NEW HOPE CHURCH
Rev. Murray Taylor will preach every first Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

INDEPENDENT HILL, O.F.A. HALL
Rev. J. Murray Taylor will preach on first Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

CHERRY HILL CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Sunday School, 3:30 p.m.
Young People's Service, 7:00 p.m.
Evening Sermon, 8:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD AT BRADLEY
Rev. T. M. Bowie, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 a.m.
Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
ELDER R. H. PITTMAN, Pastor
Services 11 a.m., 4th Sunday.
Saturday preceding at 2:30 p.m.

SUDLEY M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH
Rev. A. B. Sapp, Pastor
Sudley—1st, 2nd and 4th Sundays, at 11 a.m.
Gainesville—1st Sunday at 2:30 p.m. 3rd Sunday at 11 p.m.

FRATERNAL NOTICES
Wimodaus Chapter, O. E. S. No. 106, meets in the Masonic Temple on Third Tuesday evening at 8 p.m.
MRS. N. WADE-DALTON, Worthy Matron.

Manassas Lodge No. 182, A. F. & A. M., meets in the Masonic Temple on First Friday evening of each month at 8 p.m.
FRED R. HYNSON, Worshipful Master.

Dumfries Council, No. 37, Jr. O.U.A.M., meets every second and fourth Saturday.
M. L. KEYS, Rec. Sec'y.

Prince William Post 158, American Legion, second and fourth Thursdays, Manassas Town Hall, 8 p.m.
HOWARD W. JAMISON, Commander.

Prince William Encampment, Dumfries, Va., No. 10, meets each first and third Thursday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall.
A. H. Shumate, Scribe

Bull Run Council No. 15, O. F. A., meets in the council rooms every second and fourth Tuesday at 8 p.m.
J. H. BOLEY, President.

Ades Council No. 30 meets first and third Thursdays.
N. F. WELLS, President.

Greenwich Council meets second and fourth Saturdays.
Modern Woodmen of America, Nokesville Camp, 16582, meets every first and third Monday night at 8:30 at the Hall.
E. C. SPITLER, Councillor

Highland Lodge No. 252, I. O. O. F., second and fourth Wednesdays at 8 C. B. LINTON, Secretary.

Troop 1, Boy Scouts of Manassas, meet in the school gymnasium every Friday evening at 7 p.m.
R. O. BIBB, Scoutmaster.

R. E. Lee Lodge, No. 221, I.O.O.F., meets every second and fourth Thursday at 7:30 p.m.
G. F. WATERS, Secretary.

Prince William Council, D. of A., No. 45, meets every second and fourth Monday in the Junior Hall.
MRS. GEO. W. CRABTREE, Councillor.

Independent Hill Council No. 34, O. F. A., meets every second and fourth Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock.
J. M. WINE, Councillor.

INDEPENDENT HILL—In Odd Fellows Hall. Rev. J. Murray Taylor will preach on Second Sundays at 11:00 a.m. and on Fourth Sundays at 7:30 p.m.

CATHARPIN

On the editorial page of The Manassas Journal last week was a clipping from the Christian Science Monitor entitled "Something to Remember," which everyone should read. It had to do with the cost of the World War to the United States and what that money could have done had it been applied, for instance, to the educational system of our country. If you have not read it, hunt it up. It will show how our "Billions" are oft times wasted.
A recent letter from Mr. C. E. Jordan, a former resident and merchant of Haymarket, Va., but now wintering in the supposed "sunny climes" deep down on the Atlantic coast of the Florida peninsula, states "I am colder down here than I ever was in Virginia, and as soon as this freeze is over, I'm coming back." Now mind you; away down there near Daytona Beach, where the "Mermaids" are dancing on the rippling waves to entice the Northerner to join the "nudest colonies" where chills and shivers are supposed to be unknown. Well, anyway, misery loves company and we would be glad if he were here right now to help us shiver and to absorb some of the surplus temperature with which we are so bountifully supplied.
Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Caldwell of Six Acres were Oakwood dinner guests on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lynn and daughter, Elizabeth, were guests of Mrs. Lynn's mother in Manassas on Sunday.
Mrs. L. J. Pattie of Belle Farm spent last week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Mary Pattie Briggs, in Washington.
Very encouraging reports are received from Mrs. Frank Lee Hoffman who recently had an operation performed at Sibley Hospital for stomach trouble. Her condition is excellent and all are encouraged and recovery seems assured.
Miss Ann Robertson of Lawn Vale and Miss Harriet Pattie of Belle Farm were confined to their rooms last week suffering from flu.
Master Robert Alvey, young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alvey of Catharpin, and two children of Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, were on the sick list and detained from school last week.
Catharpin and vicinity are beginning to waken up again after the snows and freezes of the past fortnight and were ready to welcome the relief accorded them over last week-end. Six or seven times during the last "spell of weather" the thermometer dropped to or below zero. This seems to be the record since the usual practice has been to accord us one zero with its "fore" and "aft" accompaniments. It has often been prophesied that this would be a long, cold winter. To date we agree that the Weather Man has delivered the whole order. The next question is: What is the old groundhog going to do? This old chap has various and sundry believers who swear by his shadow, or the lack of it, and are firmly convinced that he is the true prophet. If he is, look out for your coal bins and wood sheds.
The attendance upon school sessions has been very much interrupted on account of weather conditions and drifted roads for one thing and that innate right of children to coast and play in the snow has resulted, no doubt, in many colds and sore throats. You know children can not play without vocalizing, and they can not vocalize with their mouths shut; hence the sore throats.

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SPEECH OF JUDGE SMITH

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have no right under my oath and in conformity with my duty to my constituents to vote away such a huge sum of money until I can obtain intelligent information as to the purpose for which it is designed. All I ask is intelligent information as to the plan and specific provisions and limitations in the bill itself that will make its conform to the existing law and the clear purpose of the Constitution.

The Budget and Accounting Act of 1921, section 204 B, expressly prohibits the passage of any lump-sum appropriation such as here contemplated. It provides as follows:

"Sec. B. Estimates for lump-sum appropriations contained in the Budget or transmitted under section 203 shall be accompanied by statements showing, in such detail and form, as may be necessary to inform Congress, the manner of expenditures of such appropriations and of the corresponding appropriations for the fiscal year in progress and the last completed fiscal year."

As to constitutional precedents, we have the decision of the Supreme Court in the "hot oil" cases, so recent that the ink has hardly dried on the opinion of the Court. That opinion contains a stern and mandatory admonition to this Congress against the delegation of its constitutional duties. In that case the Supreme Court has laid down a chart for this Congress, and has done so in the last 2 weeks. Will the Congress not pause to even read these words of warning and admonition? The Supreme Court there tells us what is a proper delegation and what is an unconstitutional delegation of our legislative authority. Will you not pause long enough in your haste to peruse and ponder upon a few brief extracts from the chart thus given you?

In referring to Section 9 (c) of the Recovery Act, the Court says on page 9:

"So far as this section is concerned, it gives to the President an unlimited authority to determine the policy and to lay down the prohibition, or not lay it down, as he sees fit."

Again, on page 12:

"The question whether such a delegation of legislative power is permitted by the Constitution is not answered by the argument that it should be assumed that the President has acted, and will act, for what he believes to be the public good. The point is not one of motives but of constitutional authority, for which the best of motives is not a substitute."

And again, on page 20:

"If section 9 (c) were held valid, it would be idle to pretend that anything would be left of limitations upon the power of the Congress to delegate its lawmaking function. The reasoning of the many decisions we have viewed would be made vacuous and their distinctions nugatory. Instead of performing its lawmaking functions, the Congress could at will and as to such subjects as it chooses transfer that function to the President or other officer or to an administrative body. The question is not of the intrinsic importance of the particular statute before us, but of the constitutional processes of legislation, which are an essential part of our system of government."


Is it not clear to everyone from this opinion of the Supreme Court that Congress cannot delegate to any other person or body its constitutional duty to lay down the legislative policies of the Government in specific terms and that that policy must be contained in the act itself?

I shall have nothing to say relative to the remaining clauses in the bill, because with respect to those sections containing improper delegations of authority the advocates of the bill have finally and reluctantly accorded to the House the right to amend or eliminate the objectionable features.

The mere fact that this concession has been made at the insistence of the minority on the Democratic side of the aisle is a striking indictment of the hasty preparation of so important a measure and the speed with which it has been attempted to expedite its passage. If in the hasty preparation of this bill such grave errors have been made in 4 of its 7 paragraphs as to impel the advocates of the measure to confess error on the floor of the House, is it not probable that equally grave errors lurk within the provisions of the remaining paragraphs which we are prohibited by the "gag rule" from amending or correcting in any particular. (Applause.)

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Peaches 2 lge cans 35c

SANICO MAYONNAISE pt jar 17c
SANICO MAYONNAISE qt jar 29c
VAN CAMP'S BEANS 3 cans 25c

PINK
Salmon cans 10c

THE NEW NUCOA lb 23c
CALUMET BAKING POWDER 1-lb can 29c
BAKER'S COCOA 1/2-lb can 12c

PHILLIPS PORK &
BEANS 6 1-lb cans 25c

JUMBO BREAD 1-lb loaf 7c
GREEN BAG COFFEE lb 25c
SANICO OATS 2 small pkgs 15c

OUR FAMOUS LAUNDRY
SOAP 4 bars 15c

HILLCREST PEACHES lge can 15c
SALAD BOWL DRESSING pt jar 15c
SALAD BOWL DRESSING qt jar 25c

OLYMPIA SOAKED
Peas or Limas 3 can 20c

WHITE STAR TUNA FISH 2 cans 29c
SANICO JELLY 3 glasses 25c
WING CIGARETTES pkg 10c

Kale 2 lbs 15c
Spinach 2 lbs 19c
Beets 2 bchs 15c
Carrots 2 bchs 15c
New Cabbage lb 5c
Sweet Potatoes .3 lbs 13c

Oranges 15 for 25c
Grapefruit 2 for 15c
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OCCOQUAN

Mr. Bobby McCullum is quite ill in the Alexandria Hospital following an operation for appendicitis.

Dr. and Mrs. Siglar of New York, who have spent the past month with Mr. and Mrs. John Leary, left on Saturday for Florida where they will remain for some time. They were accompanied by Miss Virginia Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Allison have moved into the new home of Mr. Southworth in Woodbridge.

Miss Wilda Bourne of Woodbridge and Mr. George Sampson of Alexandria were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bourne on Sunday, Jan. 27. The young couple will make their home in Alexandria.

Mr. Harvey Janney, who has been confined to his home with the flu, is able to be out again.

Mr. Fred Woodyard has accepted a position at the D. C. Penal Institution at Lorton.

Miss Margaret Bryant has returned home after spending several weeks in Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Mooney had as their guest over the week-end Miss Lillian Mooney of Washington.

DUMFRIES

Mr. John Brawner of Dumfries has been ill several days. Although not well, he still builds fires at the school house.

Mr. Pearson of Quantico died at his home Sunday night. He leaves a widow and ten children to mourn his death.

Funeral services will be held for four wood stoves in the vicinity of Dumfries. Date: soon as the furnace is installed.

Mrs. Keys, a citizen of Quantico, died at her home last week. She was infinite Saturday. Many people attended the services as she was known by all.

Mr. Haydon decided to let the unemployed of Dumfries dig a basement in preparation for the installation for the heating plant. "Mr. Haydon, we thank you!"

The teachers and leaders of the community league wish to thank the patrons of Dumfries School for their loyal support in making the hundred per cent dental correction throughout the school.

CLIFTON

Mrs. W. H. Mathers is quite sick at her home here with the gripe.

Miss Rosamond Burke, who is employed in Richmond, was a Clifton visitor for several days last week.

Miss Gertrude Johnson gave a party last week in honor of her cousin, Miss Tommie Kincheloe, who is moving to Clarendon, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Watts and Miss Inez Prince were dinner guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moore.

Mrs. T. R. Bywaters of Manassas, Va., was a Clifton visitor on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Purvis of Alexandria, Va., were guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Pitkins.

Mrs. J. C. Koontz, Miss Lucille Johnson and Miss Louise Koontz were Washington shoppers on Monday.

4-H CLUB NOTES

A Junior 4-H club has been organized in Hayfield community in which there are seven members enrolled for work with gardens, pigs, and poultry. Helen Gaba who has completed four years of club work in the Hayfield Club, and Helen Czapp who is a charter member of the Hayfield 4-H Club which was organized five years ago are serving as club leaders. Officers for the year are: Walthon Weber, president; Maxine Weber, vice-president; Carl Oleyar, secretary; Emma Coppage, treasurer; Ida Keys, song leader. Meetings are being held the first Wednesday morning of each month at 11:15 o'clock.

Occoquan 4-H Club will meet Monday, February 11, at 12:15 o'clock. A special feature of that meeting will be the installation of officers.

Manassas 4-H Club will meet Monday, February 11, at 2:15 o'clock, at the high school building.

Buckhall 4-H Club will meet Saturday, February 16, at 2:00 o'clock, at the school building. All members are urged to be present.

Have you read the Clark and Arrington History of Prince William County? Every citizen who takes pride in local institutions should possess a copy of this charming book, which is on sale for 40 cents at the office of the Prince William County School Board, Manassas, Va., or will be sent postpaid for 50 cents.

NEW BUCK JONES THRILLER FILLS ACTION-DRAMA NEED

Audiences want action, action and more action, theatre managers everywhere say. Which is probably why Buck Jones, the Western star, has flashed into new prominence. Nobody is more experienced than Jones at setting jaded nerves quivering with excitement. The smiling, handsome cowboy actor and his famous horse are known all over the world. He can be depended on, with his natural nerve and daring feats of horsemanship to set hearts pounding and hands clutching the sides of seats from the first flash of the picture to the last.

Film-goers will find that he has exceeded himself to meet a great new demand for thrills in his latest Columbia feature, "Shadow Ranch," which comes to the Dixie Theatre in Manassas tomorrow. Expert riding, gun-fights, hand-to-hand combats and spectacular stunts fill this outdoor drama, with an unusual love story and a liberal sprinkling of hilarious comedy. Buck is surrounded by a well-known cast of players including Marguerite De La Motte, Kate Price and Frank Rice.

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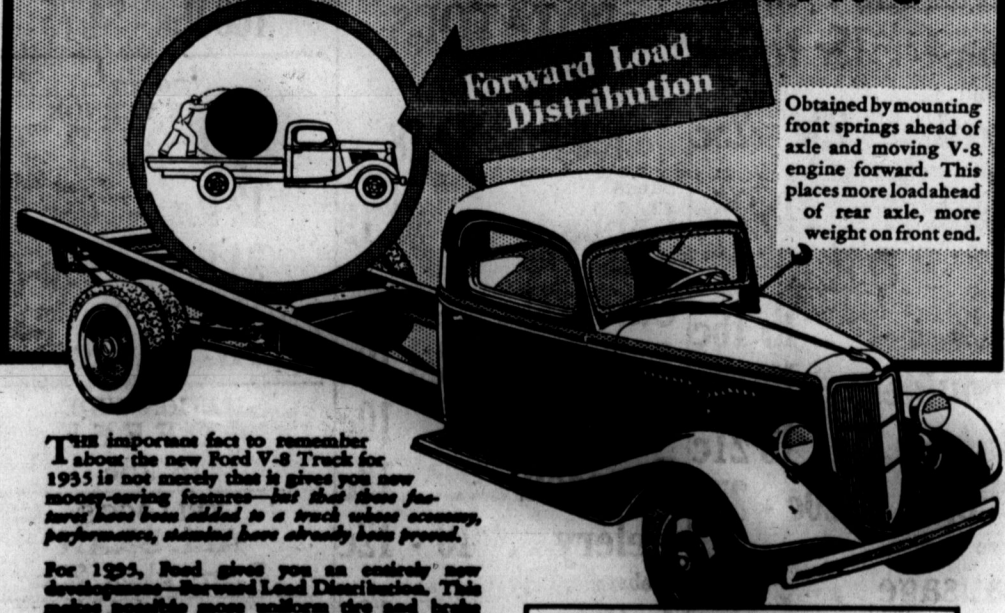
White Rose Flour is just as much a favorite as it ever was. In these days of exchange of farmer's own wheat for flour, White Rose Flour is almost always asked for.

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ANN PAGE CHILI SAUCE 12-oz bot	15c
QUAKER MAID APPLE SAUCE med can	9c
QUAKER MAID COCOA 2 1/2-lb cans	15c
Q. M. KETCHUP 2 8-oz bots 15c	14-oz bot 12c
Encore Prep. SPAGHETTI 3 15 1/2-oz tins 19c	2 16-oz glasses 19c

A&P Coffee Trio	Del Monte
8 O'clock . . lb 19c	Red Salmon tall can 19c
Red Circle . . lb 23c	Peaches 2 lge cans 35c
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SPARKLE GELATIN or CHOCOLATE PUDDING 4 pkgs	17c
ENCORE MACARONI SPAGHETTI or NOODLES	pkg 6c
SUNNYFIELD OATS small pkg 7c	lge pkg 15c
IONA COCOA 1-lb can 10c	2-lb can 19c
NUCOA 2 1-lb pkgs 41c	COCONOG can 15c
Rajah Maple Blended SYRUP qt jug 21c	Sultana Mint JELLY glass 10c
Heinz Cream of TOMATO SOUP 2 cns 15c	Pabst-ett CHEESE 6 1/2-oz pkg 17c

CRISCO 1-lb can 20c	1 1/2-lb can 29c	3-lb can 57c
PINK SALMON tall can	10c	

Seminole Toilet TISSUE 4 rolls	25c	BRILLO 3 pkgs	20c
LUX TOILET SOAP	3 cakes	19c	
LUX FLAKES 2 small pkgs	19c	lge pkg	23c

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ICEBERG LETTUCE	2 hds	19c-25c
CAULIFLOWER	hd	19c
CRISP CELERY	bch	12c
FRESH PEAS	2 lbs	25c
NEW CABBAGE	lb	5c
JUICY LEMONS	5 for 10c, doz	24c
BANANAS	doz	21c or 25c

Fancy GRAPEFRUIT 3 for 13c	3 for 17c	Stayman APPLES 4 lbs	19c
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GOLD RIDGE

Mr. Aubrey Breeden, a member of the C.C.C. Camp at Roosevelt Island, near Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Breeden.

Mr. J. W. Riley of the Fauquier Springs is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Cornwell.

The community was shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mr. George Ennis. We wish to express our sympathy to the members of his bereaved family.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Mr. Lena Cornwell and his wife. May they have a speedy recovery.

Miss Roxie Ennis, of Washington, D. C., was home for a few days to attend the funeral of her uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cornwell and son, Frank of Manassas, attended the funeral of their uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Cornwell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cornwell and family called to see Mr. and Mrs. Lena Cornwell Sunday.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Marshall P. Pearson of Quantico, being a resident here for years before moving to Quantico. We wish to express our sympathy to the family, Mrs. Pearson being formerly Miss Rosie Beavers, oldest daughter of James Beavers of the community.

Mr. Groundhog came out Saturday and seeing his shadow went back for forty days. More bad weather.

We are glad to hear Mr. J. F. Nally is able to be out again.

We are glad to say at this writing that Mr. Odie Cornwell, the son of Irvin Cornwell, is able to be out again after a long illness.

Mr. C. P. Ennis and son, Pat, made a business trip to Manassas Tuesday.

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CHRIST FOR ALL—ALL FOR CHRIST
The Manassas Journal
 BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER
 If parents will have their children memorize the daily Bible selections, it will prove a precious heritage to them in after years.

GOD FORGIVES AND HEALS: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits; who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases; who redeemeth thy life from destruction.—Psalm 103: 2-4.

REBELS AGAINST WHOM?—A GLASS DEFENSE

A member of congress has a perfect right to approve any and all legislation proposed by the chief executive, if his judgment tells him that legislation is good. He has a right to approve all such legislation even if he is doubtful about some of it on the theory that the best general results can be obtained by "backing the president" consistently. He has a right even to surrender his own judgment to that of the president on the theory that he lacks the ability to decide such questions for himself.

Nevertheless and notwithstanding, his allegiance is not to the President primarily. He does not swear to uphold the President; he swears to uphold the constitution and promises his constituents to represent them in Congress. His allegiance is to the constitution, his constituents and his conscience.

What can be the meaning, then, of those who denounced as "revolvers" those who do not always vote for the measures recommended by the President? How can they revolt against one to whom they do not owe allegiance? They are revolvers only if they violate their own promises and the promises of the party platform on which they sought office. They may or may not do that when they decline to follow the President. They may or may not do that when they follow the President.

To call them rebels when they fail to support some or any Presidential policy is to assume that they were sent to Congress to represent the President rather than the people of their districts. — Lynchburg News.

QUICK WORK

The location of the new FERA office at Manassas is a tribute to the generosity and foresightedness of local officials, particularly the supervisor of Manassas district, Mr. C. C. Lynn, with whom Mrs. Thompson, the new regional director, conferred Saturday in fixing the location of her office which will be on North Main street.

All of the relief work will be administered from this office and Mr. Petersilia, project engineer, will also operate from this base.



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CO-OPERATION AS A PROTECTION
 (Contributed)

Never before 1932 did we look out upon a world so complex and so confusing as that we have faced in the years 1932 to 35—the old order has changed—changed so rapidly and in so many ways that he is either extremely wise or extremely rash, who can, and will, predict the future.

In a short span of years businesses have been shaken and disintegrated, and we are each and everyone subjected to many changes in our economic place in life. This is a fleeting glimpse of conditions that prevail in the democracy for which we offered our lives in 1917 and 1918—A gloomy picture? At some angles, yes.

We of the American Legion are in the prime of life. We are equipped for the service the age demands. We of the Legion will not, must not, be afraid of change. But, to help in overcoming the economic depression for each and every one of us, we first must get ourselves organized. Are we going to give ourselves the protection for the future, we gave the flag in 1917? If we are to have this individual protection we must stand as a body of able people and fight our problems now as before.

The American Legion members of the State of Virginia are very low in number—and to bring this up to a better average, we must sign up with the boys at our post. In other states it is considered, politically, each Legion member is worth five votes—and taking the eligible list of members in the State of Virginia, we have 90,000 members—what a drawing power this would be if we were one hundred per cent strong! As it is, we only have a small per cent of this—and cannot hope to have a better average until there is more of a Legionnaire spirit in each county.

We have in Prince William County 300 eligible members—which could make a big post if the American Legion spirit would prevail more throughout the county. We will never get the bonus—or pensions, until the membership is enlarged. We are not getting any younger, so join the Prince William Post 158 of our county, and help us fight our way to better conditions for each and every member of the World War.

A GOOD WORK

Dear Mr. Editor:

I am sure all of your Journal readers will be glad to hear about the excellent work being carried on by Mrs. Susan R. Morton who is conducting adult education at Haymarket and Waterfall under the FERA. At Waterfall the teaching is home economics with special emphasis on sewing. This policy seemed advisable because so many children needed clothing and the results have abundantly justified that decision. In all 28 children have been provided for and nine adults (mostly old people) have been aided in this way. Some new material has been supplied through Mrs. M. Lewis, relief superintendent, and also by Mrs. F. Lewis, adult education superintendent for this county. Considerable old material has been donated by friends of the work and made over for the children, and yet there is need of much more.

If the need were more fully known I am sure more would be glad to make contributions of clothing. Food for young children would also be helpful.

Mrs. Morton will gladly receive such donations or they may be sent to the undersigned.

Gratefully yours,
 W. F. CARPENTER,
 Haymarket, Va.

HOMES BETTERMENT CAMPAIGN INSTITUTED

The county-wide Better Sanitation Campaign which is being sponsored by the Home Demonstration organization is being launched in the schools of the county this month. Children in some of the schools are now busy working out health and sanitation projects.

The Better Sanitation Campaign has been planned in keeping with the nation-wide better housing campaign and is under the supervision of the State Health Department, the Relief Administration, and V. P. I. Extension Division. Through this campaign special emphasis will be given to complete screening against flies and mosquitoes, sanitary toilets, and installation of kitchen sinks.

All organizations of the county are asked to co-operate to get a sink in every kitchen, a screen at every window, and satisfactory waste disposal for every home.

WILL MARRY GEORGIA GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hogsed, of Gainesville, Ga., announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathryn, to Mr. Paul Allison, of Manassas, the wedding to take place Feb. 16 at Gainesville.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Dr. and Mrs. McBryde will leave for a month's stay in Florida in a few days. During Dr. McBryde's absence from Manassas Dr. Henry L. Bastien of Clarendon will keep office hours here daily in order to take care of Dr. McBryde's practice.

Mr. E. R. Conner and Mr. T. O. Latham were in Jackson County, N. C., last week inspecting cattle in that area.

Mr. J. H. Flory of Nokesville was in town yesterday. He was a welcome caller at the Journal office.

Mrs. E. H. Hibbs, accompanied by her brother, Mr. Hawes Davies, spent last Sunday in Culpeper with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davies.

The February meeting of the Woman's Club will be held in the high school dining room next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. L. J. Giles, State president, will be present and all members are urged to be present. The hostesses will include Mrs. F. R. Hynson, Mrs. R. S. Hynson, Mrs. John Hynson, Mrs. Marshall Haydon, Mrs. R. C. Haydon and Mrs. Thomas Howard.

The executive board of the Woman's Club will meet on Monday night at the home of Mrs. Paul Cooksey.

Mrs. R. F. Logan and her daughter, little Madge Mitchell Logan, left Manassas Wednesday to join Mr. Logan in Columbia, S. C., where they have an apartment at 2228 Lee street. Mr. Logan is associated with the Southern Railway System there as assistant trainmaster.

Miss Virginia N. Speiden spent last week-end in Leesburg as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Louis T. Titus.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Lutheran Church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. F. Hibbs on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 12, at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Norvella Beasley, of Clifton, was a Manassas visitor this morning.

Charley Griffin, of Wellington, was a visitor at the Journal office on Saturday.

MRS. GILLIE F. HATCHER

Mrs. Gillie Frances Hatcher, one of the oldest and best loved residents of Orange and member of a widely-connected family, died at her home near town, Tuesday, Jan. 29, at 4:15 p.m.

Had Mrs. Hatcher lived until April she would have been 96 years old, having been born at Charlottesville, April 7, 1839, the daughter of the late Dr. James Lawrence Jones, of Charlottesville, and Martha Porter Jones, of Orange County.

Both parents were members of families widely related in this section of the state. Up until her death she was the oldest living descendant of Chief Justice John Marshall, being his great-great-granddaughter.

Although Mrs. Hatcher was not a native of this county, she spent her entire life here, moving to "Beaumont," present home of Capt. P. H. Scott, between Gordonsville and Somerset, when she was one month old. There she spent her early youth often visiting "Greenfields," the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scott.

At the age of 15 she entered the old Richmond Female Institute which recently celebrated the 80th anniversary of its organization in Richmond and Mrs. Hatcher at that time was its oldest living alumna.

In 1866 she married Rev. Hillary Eugene Hatcher, of Bedford County, who served as chaplain of Mahone's brigade during the War Between the States. Mr. Hatcher was a Baptist minister and served as pastor of the Orange Baptist Church from 1869 to 1875. He was also pastor of Antioch Baptist Church in this county for several years. Mr. Hatcher has been dead for more than 40 years.

—Orange Observer, Feb. 1.
 She left several descendants. Mrs. Robert Saunders, of Manassas, is one of her grandchildren.

JOHN R. WELLS

The many friends of John R. Wells, for many years postmaster at Bull Run and whose entire life was passed in that immediate community, were surprised and grieved to learn of his sudden death early Tuesday morning.

Mr. Wells was born on August 12, 1870, and went into the general merchandise business with his father at an early age, the latter having opened a store in 1878.

He married Miss Daisy Byrne by whom there were four children; two daughters, Mrs. Christine Weatherholtz and Lola, and two sons, Malcolm, who runs the store for his father, and Grafton, all three of whom are at home.

Besides his immediate family he leaves three sisters, Mrs. P. W. Croson of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Mrs. E. A. Jones of Falls Church, and Mrs. E. P. Kirby, wife of Sheriff Kirby of Fairfax, and two brothers, Omeo Wells of Wellington and Frank Wells of Gainesville.

The funeral took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home with interment at old Sudley Church in Prince William, the services having been conducted by Rev. Homer Welch

of Fairfax, former pastor at Sudley. Mr. Wells was, in every sense of the word, an ideal gentleman in all his conduct of business and in his relationship to his neighbors, none of whom have ever had ill to say of him. He has been a good citizen whose loss to the community is one of those sudden shocks that are always felt with keen regret.

TEA FOR MRS. LOGAN

On Tuesday afternoon the Music-Literature Section of the Woman's Club gave a beautifully appointed tea at the home of Mrs. V. V. Gillum in honor of Mrs. R. F. Logan.

During the afternoon Miss Miriam Blough rendered several delightful piano selections. Mrs. Ayleene Guthrie very charmingly presided at the tea table.

Mrs. Eli Swavely, in a few well-chosen remarks, presented Mrs. Logan with an exquisite piece of pottery as a gift from the club, and all present wished her much happiness in her new home at Columbia, S. C.

Those present were Mesdames G. Raymond Ratcliffe, T. E. Didiak, Ayleene Guthrie, A. S. Gibson, Harry Love, Margaret Lewis, Higgs Lewis, Joe Lyon, C. W. Dalton, Ella Denton, T. J. Broadbudd, W. F. Coker, Paul Cooksey, V. V. Gillum, Noel Gill, S. Marsteller, E. H. Merchant, I. Mylander, F. R. Hynson, Eli Swavely, M. B. Whitmore.

LISKEY-WRIGHT

Miss Nellie Virginia Wright and Roy Lee Liskey, both of Harrisonburg, were united in marriage December 27 at Rockville, Md., at the Presbyterian Manse, the Rev. H. A. Parsons officiating.

Mrs. Liskey, daughter of Mrs. Mary J. Wright, of Nokesville, is a graduate of Shenandoah College at Dayton. The groom, son of Mrs. Celia Liskey, formerly of Ohio, is employed in Harrisonburg where the popular young couple are making their home. Their many friends in both Prince William and Rockingham counties wish them well.

MARRIED

Saturday, Feb. 2, in the home of Rev. C. B. Jones, Charlie Haley and Miss Mary Furr, both of Clifton Station.

MR. HYNSON ATTENDS FRIGIDAIRE PRESHOWING

Fred R. Hynson, dealer here for Frigidaire Corporation, subsidiary of General Motors, returned this week from a confidential preshowing of 1935 models at Richmond and reported that prospects for the refrigeration business this year are so bright all previous records probably will be shattered by unprecedented sales volume.

"Frigidaire is starting its activity this year earlier than ever before and is backing it up with the largest newspaper and magazine advertising schedule since pre-depression days," Mr. Hynson said. "Display models

of the 1935 line have been shipped to me from the Dayton, Ohio, plants of Frigidaire and will be arriving here any day.

"Our organization looks upon this year as holding so much promise that it retooled its Dayton plants at a cost of \$1,600,000 and purchased millions of dollars worth of raw materials and fabricated parts in order to manufacture during the winter months sufficient stocks of 1935 models for immediate delivery to purchasers."

Attend the Ellsworth Lecture on Mark Twain, High School Auditorium, February 13. Benefit of Kiwanis Child Fund.

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19c GIGANTIC SALE 19c

You can't afford to miss any one of these specials — stock up your pantry shelves today and save money.

<p>"Choice Meats"</p> <p>BEEF</p> <p>Fresh Rib . lb 12c</p> <p>Roast . 15c to 18c</p> <p>Round</p> <p>Steak . 23c - 25c</p> <p>Loin</p> <p>Steak . . . lb 25c</p> <p>PORK</p> <p>Side . . . lb 16c</p> <p>Shoulders . lb 17c</p> <p>Hams . . . lb 21c</p> <p>Chops . 20c - 25c</p> <p>Pure Pork</p> <p>Sausage . . 23c</p> <p>Scrapple . lb 15c</p> <p>Bologna . . lb 18c</p> <p>Large</p> <p>Franks . . lb 18c</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NATION-WIDE BAKING POWDER 1-lb can 21c</p> <p>Libby's Vienna Style POTTED MEAT 3 cans 25c</p>	<p>FRUITS & VEGETABLES</p> <p>100-lb sks</p> <p>POTATOES.</p> <p>10 lbs - 14c</p> <p>100 lbs - \$1.18</p> <p>Sacks</p> <p>Cabbage . . \$1.19</p> <p>Tender</p> <p>Carrots . . lb 5c</p> <p>Spinach . 2 lbs 19c</p> <p>Salisfy . . . 10c</p> <p>Broccoli . . . 19c</p> <p>Celery . 10 - 12c</p> <p>Iceberg</p> <p>Lettue . . . 10c</p> <p>YORK, ROME BEAUTY 4 lbs</p> <p>APPLES . . . 19c</p> <p>FANCY CALIFORNIA</p> <p>ORANGES dz 29c</p> <p>FLORIDA JUICY</p> <p>ORANGES</p> <p>doz 19c - 29c</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NATION-WIDE</p> <p>2 - No. 2 cans - 29c</p>	<p>GRANULATED SUGAR</p> <p>10 lbs - 49c</p> <p>100 lbs - \$4.75</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Special</p> <p>MOUNT VERNON FLOUR</p> <p>12 lbs - 45c</p> <p>24 lbs - 89c</p> <p>WATERGROUND MEAL . 10 lbs 28c</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NATION-WIDE</p> <p>COFFEE</p> <p>lb 25c</p> <p>KELLOGG'S ALL BRAN</p> <p>2 sm pkgs 25c</p> <p>OVALTINE</p> <p>sm can 33c</p> <p>RED SEAL LYE</p> <p>can 13c</p> <p>Wax Lunch Rolls</p> <p>4 rolls 10c</p> <p>QUAKER OATS</p> <p>pkg 10c</p> <p>WHEATENA</p> <p>pkg 23c</p> <p>BABO . 2 cans 23c</p>
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IN MEMORIAM

In memory of my dear husband, John C. Bell, who died one year ago, today, February 3, 1934.

Surrounded by friends I am lonesome,
While they are happy, I am blue,
Behind my smiles there are heart-
aches,
For I am always thinking of you.

I'm always thinking of days gone by,
When we were both together,
And oh, how changed it is now,
Since you are gone forever.

A lonely wife, a lonely home,
A silent voice, a vacant chair,
But you will live forever
In my heart, my dear.

Until I am with you,
In our heavenly home,
I do not forget you,
Nor do I intend,
I think of you always,
And will to the end.

You are always my darling husband
in my memory.
By his loving wife and children,
Susie Sanford Bell.

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PICTURES AND FEATURES

Two big Sunday attractions go together with The Washington Star—pictures and features—in the rotogravure and magazine sections. The finest photographs, including wire-photos, are gathered from all over the civilized world—and the magazine features are written by the Nation's leading authors. Order your copy of next Sunday's Washington Star from your newsdealer today.

Attend the Ellsworth Lecture on Mark Twain, High School Auditorium, February 13. Benefit of Kiwanis Child Fund.

HOADLY

Mr. and Mrs. Dolby and friends from Spring City, Pa., were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hampton.

Mrs. Henry Purcell, who has been confined to her home with a severe cold, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Babe Metherell has been ill at her home here.

Mrs. Arsel Posey, of Washington, D.C., is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mrs. William Cronkite and granddaughter, Barbara, and Miss Della Fairfax were visitors at the home of Mrs. Lewis Milstead Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hampton and Mr. Henry Metherell were Alexandria visitors Saturday.

Bobbie Coddington, who has been ill with pneumonia, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Alton Stanley, who has been very ill at her parents' home, Mr. and Mrs. Chapura, is improving in health very much.

The community was shocked Sunday morning to hear of the death of Mrs. Myrtle Kincheloe, wife of Mr. Ernest Kincheloe. We extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved husband and daughter, mother and father.

Mr. Robert Smith, who has been sick, has gone to Washington for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel attended the funeral of Mrs. Abel's brother, Mr. Beavers, in Quantico.

WANTED — White woman, for general housework, part time Monday through Friday. State experience and wages expected. Vicinity of Lake Jackson. Write Post Office Box 272, Manassas or phone Manassas 15. 39-c

UNUSUAL ACCIDENT AT WOODBRIDGE

State Deputy James W. Clark, who has been investigating improper licenses during the past month, had just checked a New York car at 726 S. Fairfax street, Alexandria, about 6:30 p.m. Tuesday night and sensing something was wrong, left instructions for the operator, Julian Wood, to report to the police headquarters in Alexandria on the following morning.

It appears that very shortly after Mr. Clark's visit, Mr. Wood started down the Richmond Highway. While passing over the high bridge over Occoquan Run, he collided with a New Jersey truck going north. He careened away from the truck and struck the concrete railing, shattering two sections.

After hitting the left rail and getting out on the right side, he was seen to make his way across the bridge, climb the west rail and disappear into the darkness. The drop at that point is, according to Mr. Clark, about seventy feet.

Mr. A. S. Lynn, who lives at Accotink, was informed of the accident and at once called Mr. Clark at Alexandria.

It was thought at the time that Mr. Wood was eluding pursuit when he struck the bridge.

Mr. Clark found the body and thinks that death was instant, as Mr. Wood does not appear to have moved. No reason whatever can be assigned to the queer action of the deceased.

Mr. Clark reports that the floor of the bridge was not slippery and that the truck with which Mr. Wood collided was the last of a long trail of cars.

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY, FEB. 8-9

WED. & THURS. FEB. 13-14

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BUCK JONES in Shadow Ranch

ADDED — Comedy "Speaking of Relations," Novelty & "Return of Chandu" No. 8

MONDAY & TUESDAY, FEB. 11-12

HER DUTY DEMANDED SHE TAKE A MAN'S LIFE WHILE HER HEAVY DEMAND ED HIS LIPS HIS LOVE

FRANCIS HOWARD BRITISH AGENT

ADDED — News and Comedy

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, FEB. 15-16

Tom TYLER in a Thrilled - Packed Western Drama "TRACY RIDES"

ADDED — Comedy, Novelty & "Return of Chandu" No. 9



FOR SALE

FOR SALE — Over 20 tons of very good grade clover hay at \$20.00 ton at barn. Address Box 518, Somerset, Va. 39-3-c

FOR SALE — House and lot, furnished if desired. Thos. H. Cobb Church and Battle streets. 46-tf-c

FOR SALE — 205 1-4 acre farm of the late I. A. Miller. Good 9-room house and outbuildings, 98-foot well of good water, also running water. Two miles north of Nokesville, within easy reach of church and school. \$16,000.00. Viola R. Miller, Administratrix, Nokesville, Va. 16-3 MOS-c

FOR SALE — Hot water tank, 30-gal., like new, with gas heater. Can be seen at Wine's Plumbing Shop, Manassas. 34-tf-c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT — Upstairs Apt. Located on S. Main St. Apply Mrs. Giddings. 31-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

PAPER HANGING The 1935 wall paper books have arrived. We have beautiful new patterns to suit your pocketbooks. Now is the time to have your rooms remodeled. G. H. Pence, Interior Decorating and Painting. 36-4*

TRAIL'S END SUPERIOR Quality Bred Chicks

Bloodtested for B. W. D. Agglutination Method. From Wormed Breeders Only. Leghorns, Rocks, Reds and broiler chicks. Please write for free interesting information and low prices. Trail's End Poultry Farm, Gordonsville, Va. 35-5*

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Will start setting eggs Feb. 4. Will do custom hatching. Bring us your hen eggs and turkey eggs. We can furnish you Barred Rocks and R. I. Reds and White Leghorn Chicks of good breeding. Manassas Hatchery. 37-5*

TUNE IN:

"Check" Clarke, "The Singing Virginian," is on the air, each Wednesday at 1:15 p.m. at W.J.E.J. in Hagerstown, Md., in a program that you do not want to miss. When you hear the strains of "Carry Me Back To Old Virginia" you will know that "The Singing Virginian," your gospel-hymn singer, is on the air. To anyone who reads this ad in The Journal and will drop a card or a

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6 for - 25c	Loosens Dirt.	Makes Clothes Snow-White	5-lb box - 32c
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6 for - 25c	sm size - 9c	bottle - 9c	
	qt size - 23c		

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Fancy Fla. Oranges . . . doz 25c	Cal. Spinach . . . 2 No. 2 cans - 25c
Grapefruit . . . each 5c	Turnip Greens . . . can 15c
Bananas . . . doz 21c - 25c	Lima Beans . . . 2 cans - 20c
Tangerines . . . doz - 15c	Sweet Potatoes . . . can - 10c
Lemons . . . doz - 30c	Tomatoes . . . 2 lg cans - 25c
Carrots . . . 2 bchs - 15c	Swan Peas . . . can - 10c
Fancy Tomatoes . . . lb - 19c	Salmon . . . 2 cans - 25c
Lettuce . . . 10c & 12c	Apple Butter . . . 28-oz jar - 15c
Celery . . . bch - 12c	Pork & Beans . . . lb can - 5c
Spinach . . . 2 lbs - 19c	Mackerel . . . can - 10c
Kale . . . 2 lbs - 15c	Corn . . . 2 cans - 19c
New Cabbage . . . lb - 5c	Confectioners Sugar, 2 bxs - 15c
	Cocoa . . . 2-lb box - 25c
	Cocomalt . . . 41c & 21c

LARGE STANDARD OYSTERS pt 20c, qt 40c, gal \$1.50

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Sirloin Steak . . . lb 25c	Bologna . . . lb 18c
Good Liver . . . 15c, 2 lbs 25c	Boiling Beef . . . lb 12c
Veal Chops . . . 25c	Prime Rib Roast . . . lb 22c
Good Veal Roast . . . 22c-25c	Chuck Roast . . . lb 15c & 18c

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LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Prince William January 22, 1935.
HELEN D. SPENCER, Complainant,
vs.
ROY SPENCER, Defendant.

The objects of this suit are to obtain for the Complainant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the Defendant the ground of desertion; for the right for the complainant to resume her former name, and for general relief.

An affidavit having been filed by the complainant, Helen D. Spencer, that the defendant, Roy Spencer, is not a resident of the State of Virginia and that his last-known post office address or place of abode was, to the best of her knowledge and belief, 1439 T Street N. W., Washington, D. C., and also care of Mr. Henry Spencer, Takoma Park, Maryland. And an application having been duly made for this order of publication it is ordered that the said defendant do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in The Manassas Journal, a newspaper published and circulated in Prince William County; a copy sent by the Clerk of this Court to the said defendant addressed to 1439 T Street N. W., Washington, D. C.; another copy addressed to the said defendant care of Mr. Henry Spencer, Takoma Park, Maryland, and a copy posted at the front door of the Court House of the said County on or before the First Rule day after this order is entered.

GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
A True Copy:
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
Richard B. Washington, p.q.
37-4

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust, dated September 18, 1928, duly recorded in the clerk's office of Prince William County in deed book 85, page 450, and executed by Henry B. Godfrey and wife, the undersigned trustee therein named, having been so directed by the beneficiary therein mentioned for default by the said grantors in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, will proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1935, at eleven o'clock a.m. in front of the Court House in the Town of Manassas, aforesaid County, all that certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being situate on the Gainesville-Catharpin road in Gainesville District, aforesaid County, and adjoining the said road and the lands of Winter Owens, Holmes Robertson, Gaines, etc., containing, more or less,

230 acres.
This property has upon it a nice dwelling, an up-to-date dairy barn, outbuildings, etc. Electric lights in the buildings. Any one interested should inspect this property before day of sale. This property will be sold subject to a first lien in favor of the Federal Land Bank of Baltimore (Deed Book 85, pp. 446-7-8), the amount of which will be announced at the time of the sale.
H. THORNTON DAVIES,
Trustee.

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New size, tablets 50 cts., liquid \$1.00. Large size, tabs. or liquid, \$1.35. All druggists.

VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Prince William County.

W. A. Cowne, T. W. Armstrong, E. C. Lomax, Annie B. Beane, Agnes L. Payne, Helen C. White, The Fauquier National Bank of Warrenton, Warrenton, Virginia, Thomas H. Lion, Trustee, and J. Donald Richards, Trustee,
Complainants.

Emily W. Hunter, Julia K. Chancellor, C. Ullman, Lena C. Payne, Roberta H. Owen, Addie L. Peters, Kitty B. Morecock, R. H. Carter, Frances C. Johnston, Anne W. Payne, B. C. Bennett, Estelle H. Christian, Lizzie Shumate, Mrs. G. L. Fletcher, R. H. Montgomery, R. D. Cockrill, Ollie Skinner, Josephine L. Robbins, E. J. Sudduth, Elizabeth R. Daniel, Nettie L. Ramey, Lavinia B. Turner, E. O. Ward, J. C. Cropp, Annie E. Russell, M. W. S. Keith, Trustee, Mrs. W. G. Bowen, C. L. Delaplaine, Executor, Dr. Richard Mason, Olive M. Hooker, Manassas Milling Corporation, W. Holmes Robertson, Peoples National Bank of Leesburg, Leesburg, Va., B. Lynn Robertson, Margaret L. C. Robertson, Executrix of P. W. Robertson, A. F. Stoeger, Thomas R. Keith, R. Walton Moore, M. J. O'Connell, E. F. Kincheloe, Dr. J. E. Knight, W. W. Drake, and E. L. Childs,
Defendants.

In Chancery
The general object of the above styled suit is to appoint a permanent receiver, or receivers, of the said Manassas Milling Corporation; that said receiver, or receivers, when so appointed shall be permitted to borrow such sum, or sums, as may be necessary for the operation of said Mill; that the sum, or sums, so borrowed shall be a prior lien to any and all creditors and for such other further or general relief as to equity may seem meet and proper.

And, it appearing by affidavit filed according to law that of the above named defendants, to-wit, M. J. O'Connell, B. Lynn Robertson, A. F. Stoeger and Emily W. Hunter are not residents of this State; it is therefore ordered that the said M. J. O'Connell, B. Lynn Robertson, A. F. Stoeger and Emily W. Hunter do appear before the Judge of our Circuit Court on the 15th day of February, 1935, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Court House of said county, to answer said bill of complaint filed in the above styled cause, as provided by chapter 384 of the Acts of 1934, and do what is necessary to protect their interests. And it is further ordered that this order be published once a week for two successive weeks in The Manassas Journal, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county of Prince William, Virginia, and elsewhere.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Court House of Prince William County forthwith, and another copy of this order be mailed by Prepaid United States Registered Mail to each of said non-resident defendants at the address given in the affidavit this day filed.
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
By his deputy,
L. LEDMAN.
A True Copy:
GEO. G. TYLER, Clerk.
By his deputy:
L. LEDMAN.
Richards and Lion, p.q.
38-2

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust, executed as of June 17, 1931, and found recorded in Deed Book 89 at folio 325 of the County Clerk's Office for Prince William County, Virginia, the undersigned surviving trustee therein named, will offer for sale, at public auction, at about noon on,
SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 1935,
in the town of Occoquan, in front of the Bank of Occoquan, county and State aforesaid, all that certain parcel of land lying and being situate on the old highway leading from Dumfries to Quantico, containing about five acres, with the improvements thereon and being particularly described by bounds in a certain deed from Myrtle O. Able, and husband and being a part of the Park Gate Farm.

This sale will be made by reason of default having been made in said trust and at the request of the beneficiary thereunder.

Terms of Sale: Cash, sufficient to pay the balance due under said trust of \$682.13, with interest thereon from January 4, 1935, the cost of sale including cost of conveying the said property to the purchaser, and as to the residue upon a credit of one year, with interest from date of sale, unless the one executing said trust, or his assigns, shall otherwise direct and be announced at the time and place of sale.

B. W. BRUNT,
Surviving Trustee.

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"MRS. WIGGS" FAVORITE PLAY FOR 30 YEARS

Although it first made its debut on Broadway in 1904, the play version of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," which Paramount has just made into a film, coming to the Dixie Theatre in Manassas next Monday, remains consistently popular throughout the United States.

Stock company presentations of the play are given throughout the country four or five times a year, and just a year ago a troupe played "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" through the mining camps of northern California.

It was seen a few months ago in Kentucky, which was natural, for Alice Hegan Rice, the author of the story, is a native of Louisville, and got her material from Louisville's stam colony down by the railroad tracks.

The play made its debut on the New York stage just thirty years ago, and ran steadily for eighteen months. Mabel Taliaferro, as a child actress, gained her initial fame in it, playing the role of Lovey Mary, before she went on to success in "Polly of the Circus."

The "Cabbage Patch" drama was extremely popular in England and Great Britain. A company played it in India, and another played it in Korea—where Mrs. Wiggs became well known, though the audiences were a bit puzzled as to what "Cabbage" was, because that vegetable did not grow in Korea, at the time.

Featuring Pauline Lord, noted stage actress, who makes her film debut in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," in the title role, the film presents W. C. Fields, ZaSu Pitts, Evelyn Venable, Kent Taylor and five of Hollywood's puerile stars in the supporting roles. Norman Taurog directed.

JAMES BENNETT DAVIS

Residents of Fairfax and Prince William Counties were greatly shocked to learn, in the past few days, of the sudden death of James B. Davis at his home at Burke Station late Friday.

Mr. Davis was perhaps best known for his activities in the lumber business, having milled over many places in northern Virginia. Born in Lee district, practically his entire life was spent there.

He passed his 69th birthday on November 25 and was apparently in the best of health when overtaken by sudden illness which lasted only a few minutes. When Mr. Davis came into the home on Friday he had just been working on his automobile when he was suddenly stricken. Being in the best of health, the blow was a keen one indeed.

He was married on February 15, 1893, to Edna Force who survives him. In 1891 and 1892 he attended the Valentine School of Telegraphy of Janesville, Wis. After that time he was employed as telegraph operator at Lorton after which he associated himself with the firm of Carter and Clark, now known as L. A. Clarke and Son, the present head of which is Aubrey L. Clarke.

During his early life he lived for brief periods in Maryland and Virginia but always kept his vote in Lee district. In 1908 he constructed a home about half way between Fairfax Station and Lorton where he farmed as well as attended to milling work. In 1918 he moved from there to Burke Station where he constructed the present family home in 1920.

A devoted worker in the Southern Methodist Church, Mr. Davis was one of the most energetic members of the Fairfax County Religious Council and his death has removed a worker whose services will be sadly missed.

Together with his wife and daughter, and a few other workers, a religious unit was built up years ago at Burke Station which gradually became one of the best organized Sunday schools and missions in the county.

Although not a politician in the ordinary sense of the word, Jim Davis took a keen interest in all civic and political affairs of the county and State, and his vote at the polls always meant something.

He was also a faithful member of the Occoquan Lodge of Odd Fellows, members of which organization attended.

The funeral, which took place at his residence Sunday afternoon, was attended by hundreds of sorrowful friends, despite the slippery roads and rather inclement weather. The funeral services were preached by Rev. W. M. Compton of Manassas who has been serving the Burke Mission for the past two years. The burial followed at the Pohick Church cemetery on the Jefferson Davis Highway.

Jim Davis was a member of a family long known in the annals of Fairfax County. A member of his immediate family was one of the first to suffer death in the cause of the Confederacy when hostilities began in 1861.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Edna Force Davis, he is survived by one daughter, Miss Hazel Davis; a son, Cagl Bennett Davis, of Newport News; one brother, T. J. Davis, of Rosemont, and two sisters, Mrs. Harriet Garner of Alexandria, and Mrs. Janie Force of Arlington.

The pallbearers were his nephews as follows: Harold W. Davis, Elmer L. Davis and Edmond E. Davis of Alexandria, Kenneth I. Davis of Woodbridge, G. Hollis Davis of Washington, and Myron S. Force, Hyattsville, Md.

GEORGE T. ENNIS

George T. Ennis, eldest son of the late Rev. T. E. and Lucy Randall Ennis, passed away unexpectedly at his home near Catlett, Va., January 29.

He was born in Stafford County July 27, 1856, later moving to Fauquier County where he resided until coming to Prince William about 40 years ago. He resided here until a few years ago where he moved back to Fauquier where he spent his last days.

He united with the Orlean Baptist Church at the early age of twenty but after coming to Prince William he united with the Woodbine Baptist Church where he was a member at the time of his death.

He married at the age of 20 Roxie Randall of Fauquier County. To their happy union was born two sons and one daughter. His former wife passed away about 22 years ago.

He later married Miss Brent, formerly of Page County. He leaves his wife and eight children, a number of grandchildren and two great-grandchildren, also two sisters and one brother.

The funeral service was conducted at the home of his brothers, C. P. Ennis, by the Rev. J. Murray Taylor. He was laid to rest Friday afternoon in the family burying ground on his brother place near Orlando.

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VIRGINIA LAUNCHES EXTENSIVE CONSERVATION PROGRAM

New Era Begins With Chairmanship of Hon. Wilbur C. Hall

By William Harrison Lamb

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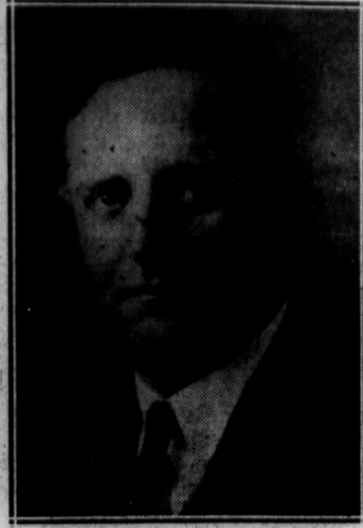
One hundred million dollars from Public Works is Virginia's answer to President Roosevelt's message to the Congress on January 24, asking for the appropriation of four billion dollars for public works. Within a few days after taking office as Chairman of the Virginia Commission on Conservation and Development, Hon. Wilbur C. Hall submitted to Federal P. W. A. officials a comprehensive conservation program, commensurate with the needs of the Old Dominion.

For several years the forces in Virginia which have matured this great project have been coming to a focus. Fruits ripen after a definite and prolonged series of biological circumstances, often initiating at a remote time and coming to perfection in a series of orderly processes. In a similar manner Virginia Conservation now begins to bud. The circumstances which have occurred during the past few years in conservation matters in the State, viewed individually, present a more or less confused aspect, but when considered as an evolutionary process, evidence an orderly progression to the accomplishment of a definite goal.

Virginia has had a state department of forestry for many years and the subject of forestry is taught in a desultory fashion at the University of Virginia, but no substantial effort has been made to train Virginians in the science of forestry. The profession of forestry employs something like four thousand trained foresters. In addition to the huge Washington forestry service, forty-two states have forestry departments and many cities employ foresters. Four-fifths of the standing timber of the country is said to be in private ownership requiring expert care. Yet during the past quarter of a century Virginia has offered to its youth no adequate training in this professional field.

During the Chairmanship of Hon. W. E. Carson, who received no salary for his splendid work, the public park aspect of conservation was brought to successful realization. Bringing to his office the dynamic force and executive ability needed to organize Virginia's extensive program of conservation and development to fruition, the services of Chairman Carson will always be recalled with gratitude. Not only did he consummate the difficult Shenandoah National Park project, but he perfected the Colonial Monument, linking the shrines of Jamestown, Yorktown, and Williamsburg, and his energy in marking the historic places in Virginia has brought, and will continue to bring, millions of dollars into the state.

While the national park and historical aspects of our State conservation work was much in the public eye, plans were being formulated toward realization of a comprehensive reforestation project. In 1932, before President Roosevelt launched his nation-wide reclamation and conservation program, the Virginia Commission on Conservation and Development gave thought to the great need for



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extensive and effective conservation of our national resources. At that time funds were sought from the Public Works Administration for purposes of reforestation. The difficulty of organizing the project along the required "self-liquidating" lines and the conviction within the Commission that the State Forester lacked the "necessary executive energy and ability" threw the proposal into the background. Instead of launching a comprehensive conservation program and in view of the apparent disorganization and confusion existing in the state forestry department, the 1934 General Assembly began at the beginning and enacted legislation creating a full-time, salaried Chairman for the Commission.

So as the year 1935 came into being, conservation in Virginia found its far-flung activities in the hands of a full-time, adequately paid Chairman, vested with the requisite authority and possessing unusual qualifications for the office. Only one member of the House of Delegates has served longer than Hon. Wilbur C. Hall and his services there have not only demonstrated his capabilities as an organizer but they have placed him in a particularly adequate position to know the needs of the State. That he is able to meet any emergency is evidenced by the celerity with which he has presented a comprehensive conservation program before the completion of a month of service. All of the divisions of his commission are represented in the program.

As would be expected the largest items of proposed expenditure relate to the division of Water Resources and Power. Around sixty million dollars are sought by this division for hydro-electric plants, one on the James River and one on the Roanoke River, the study of rural electrification, investigation of water resources, inventory of resources, water supply studies and extension of the Skyline Drive.

From the Parks and Landscape Engineering division are substantial estimates for sewage systems, road relocation, improved water supply, and a regional survey of the recreational areas in the State.

The State Geological Survey, another of the important divisions to be directed by Chairman Hall, offers an attractive and greatly needed program of topographic and raw material surveys in many counties. No comprehensive effort toward effective State Planning can be realized without reference to these necessary base maps.

The State Forest Service offers a program of fire control extension to many counties not now properly protected from forest fires. Forest fire protection is highly important. The annual losses from this cause are very great and these preventable and controllable holocausts greatly retard forest regeneration or the natural restoration of cut-over forest lands. To date, Virginia has done little or nothing to acquaint its citizens with the character and extent of its natural forests. The Federal forest service has been quite as negligent along these lines. The need for an adequate dendrological or botanical survey of our native trees is increasing with the impetus which is being given to marginal land classification. The federal government, with its chief foresters imbued with the Continental system of artificial regeneration of forests, has rarely gone out-

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side of the well-stocked National Forests to apply its theories. Virginians, however, who know their outdoors, recognize that our forests are not going to be restocked by artificial plantings. In this climate the vigor of vegetative growth necessitates restocking of the forests through recognition of the native requirements of species, suppressing the undesirable and encouraging the natural growth preferred. Thousands of Conservation Corps men are today "improving" the forests without any adequate knowledge of forest-botany. Other thousands of land owners would effectively apply scientific methods of tree selection if they had the necessary information.

The laws of forest geography are practically unknown so far as Virginia is concerned. The occurrence of species in the forest is in accordance with natural laws and proper recognition of these forces is necessary to their natural propagation and preservation. An adequate survey of the forest flora of Virginia is contemplated in the proposed program.

The Division of History and Archaeology has been recognized by Chairman Hall in a splendid program which includes the examination and photographing of all battlefields. Probably aerial surveys will be made of the more important battlefields. Historical sites will be listed, including noted houses and the sites of historic buildings no longer standing. Another important item included is the surveying of the military earthworks which still exist in evidence of historic battles. At the present time, certainly in northern Virginia, there exist many earthworks which are known individually, but not as a part of an extensive fortification. Many are now completely covered by forest growth and all but forgotten.

Virginia is fortunate in having so many of the activities involved in conservation grouped in one Commission. Other states may be less fortunate, and the Federal Government is most unfortunate of all in this particular. The worst situation in the federal conservation program is found in the dislocation of the United States Forest Service. For reasons of self-desired administrative independence it is located in the Department of Agriculture when it belongs in the Department of Interior. Secretary of Interior Ickes touched upon this disorganization a few days ago in a speech before the National Wild Life Conference in New York. But anyone who mentions this subject immediately discovers that he has stepped on the toes, as it were, of Gifford Pinchot, Governor of Pennsylvania, and the actual Chief Forester of the United States. It is true that he does not actually occupy the latter office but the manner in which he has held the loyalty and esteem of the forestry profession since his dismissal as Chief Forester by President Taft is one of the most remarkable circumstances connected with conservation in America. What he says goes, from the top of the Atlantic Building in Washington to the least forestry employee in State pay.

Associated Press reports from Richmond indicate that there is some overlapping of projects in Virginia. This is difficult to avoid, even in a state so well organized as ours. For example, Department of Agricultural Engineering of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute announces an extensive program of soil erosion control through funds allocated by the rural rehabilitation division of the FERA. Three counties are said to have been organized and it is stated ten more will shortly undertake these terracing operations.

In extreme southwest Virginia there will be finally an overlapping with erosion control projects of the Tennessee Valley Authority. Commissioner of Agriculture, Hon. George W. Koiner, also has announced an extensive conservation program which apparently includes a number of items covered by the program of the Commission on Conservation and Development. Outstanding overlappings, as indicated in Associated Press dispatches, may be more apparent than real, but they seemingly involve reforestation of marginal lands, establishment of county recreational centers with facilities for swimming and other sports, and extension of rural electric power.

Virginia has a man for this big conservation program and the man has a big job. The time is particularly appropriate. Our Conservation Commission has gone through a formative period and is ready. The attitude of the Federal Government is friendly. President Roosevelt has announced that a giant public work and social insurance program must succeed the previous dole system. Federal loans to States for public works will therefore be fashionable for some time.

Of course there are some very difficult problems to be solved. According to President Roosevelt's message to Congress on January 24, the proper procedure is to have a permanent national resource board which would annually recommend the priority of public works projects in the national plan and the Congress should have the final determination of the projects and the amount of the federal aid. It is difficult to ascertain whether the federal aid for public works will be apportioned to states or earmarked for projects. Congressional hearings seem to indicate that the appropriation, while very flexible, will be considered in terms of such enterprises as reforestation, rural housing, grade crossings, national highways, rural electrification, soil erosion, community sanitation, rivers and harbors, stream pollution, etc., but the President insists that "a segregation of items is clearly impossible at the moment."

It is problematical how large Virginia may appear in the federal public works program. Politics could conceivably be a factor in the distribution of these funds. It is safe to say that there never has been a nation-wide broadcast of money from Washington in which politics has not played a more or less important part. Iron-clad Democratic states might not fare quite as well as their "doubtful" sisters. Then again we are confronted with some regrettable population statistics. The large population centers contain the greatest unemployment. Our natural resources lie away from these population centers. If conservation is to benefit by really large public work expenditures some of the money must relieve unemployment in these cities. Approximately half of the unemployed heads of families are over 45 years of age and such are disinclined to move with their families to new localities. And too many of them are of an unfortunate type that we would hesitate to urge into our citizenship. Then, too, we must consider the fact that the greatest natural resource development projects lie in the West and the Middle West. From the oil fields of Oklahoma to the upper reaches of the Missouri the government has so much to do that Virginia may not get as much federal aid as our natural wealth and population would suggest.

However, under the able leadership of Chairman Wilbur C. Hall, Virginia should fare well in the conservation program of the nation. Four billion dollars is a large sum but our proposed ten million is only approximately one-four hundred and eightieth of the amount asked for public works by the President.

PRINCE WM. REPRESENT-ED AT STATE SEED SHOW

Third place in the large-eared yellow corn class was won by John W. Ellis, Greenwich, and fourth place in the large eared white corn class by John M. Kline, Manassas, at the State Seed Show at Hopewell, January 24 and 25. Mr. Ellis exhibited Reid's yellow dent and Mr. Kline had Boone County white corn.

The Virginia Crop Improvement Association, which sponsored the show, had its beginning as the Virginia Corn Growers Association and was organized at Blacksburg in 1909. This association held a show every winter until 1921 when the present Crop Improvement Association was organized. The goals set up by the old corn growers association and included among those of the present association were the establishing of improved types and breeds of corn to better meet the needs of Virginia farmers, the promotion of the growing of purebred corn throughout the state, the recognition of good native varieties of corn as purebred, the holding of an annual state show, the furthering of the corn growing interests of the state and the establishing of a score card or standard of perfection for corn.

The high point of the Hopewell show in January was the winning of first place in the interstate corn class by John S. Ward of Loudoun County. Mr. Ward won this honor in competition with corn from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Tennessee, North Carolina, and Maryland. Many of his competitors had won prizes at the International Grain Show at Chicago before entering our show. Mr. Ward exhibited Reid's yellow dent corn. In all, there were 563 entries in the show. One very striking feature of these State shows is the gradual improvement to be seen from year to year in the quality of exhibits.

In spite of adverse weather conditions, more than 500 growers attended the show. At the annual banquet medals were presented to the winners of the adult judging contest and watches presented to county 4-H club champions. A silver pitcher was awarded to John Ward as winner of the sweepstakes on corn.

One hundred and thirty F.F.A.'s and 4-H club members entered the junior judging contest. At the business meeting John S. Ward was elected president and W. P. Buchanan, vice-president of the association for Byrne.

RECITAL MAKES BIG HIT

A brilliant dance group under the direction of Eloise Compton Trimmer displayed a spectacular recital before an appreciative audience last Wednesday night at the high school auditorium.

In the opening number "Santa Claus Has Come To Town," Lou Mylander and Betty Blakemore made a big hit in a skit of song and dance. This was followed by specially arranged dances by the junior and senior groups. Harry Blakemore and Caton Merchant drew much applause in their dances. June Pickeral was an added attraction in a solo tap number in which she was adorably costumed. June Williams and Mary Mason Davis were unusually supple in the stretching exhibition. Betty and Nancy Parrish made a remarkable song and dance duo with Fanelle Pickeral, appropriately named as a little Southern lassie, received a big hand singing "Shortnin' Bread" and "Is I Got to Go to School."

The largest feature of the evening was put on by the senior group consisting of Althea Hooff, Margaret Blakemore, Lucille Herndon, Edla Blakemore, Shirley Hynson and Mildred Parrish. Each of these girls had composed an original tap dance in which a prize had been offered for the best dance, the audience being the judges. It was difficult to reach a decision as each was excellent but the greatest applause went to Miss Shirley Hynson. Public opinion went for Miss Edla Blakemore; consequently both girls received a prize.

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