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THE UNFORGIVING SPIRIT

How A Church Member Was Brought to Realize How Necessary It Is to Forgive.

(From The Youth's Companion)

"I suppose you thought it strange I wasn't at communion last Sunday." Mrs. Hammond spoke abruptly, and hitched her chair as if she were not quite at her ease. "I wanted to speak to you about it. I was partly ready when I saw the Warrens go past. I can't sit down at the Lord's Table with that woman, and I won't. I'm thankful they don't go very often."

"You should be thankful, too, that God permitted you to see the matter in so clear a light, Mrs. Hammond. In the circumstances, there was no other way."

The minister's keen gray eyes searched her face.

"I'm afraid I don't quite catch your meaning, Mr. Seymour." There was a trace of constraint in the woman's tone. "I try to do what is right, but there's a limit to everything."

"Except the pardoning mercy of God," the minister added. "I reminded Dick Russell of that when he came to me a fortnight ago. We all know Dick's weakness for drink, and one of the elders didn't want to take him into the church a year ago. Dick is in earnest, and I believe he'll win in the end; but his appetite got the better of him recently, and he told me, with tears in his eyes, that he wasn't fit to come to the Lord's Table. I couldn't agree with him. I felt sure that his broken, humbled, contrite spirit would go a long way with the Master of the Feast."

"People have spoken about it," Mrs. Hammond said weakly. "Some think it reflects on the church."

"The church isn't kept up for purposes of exhibition, Mrs. Hammond," the minister replied. "It's a hospital for weak, sick, faltering souls. If Dick was sincerely sorry for his slip into sin, God certainly has forgiven him. But the Lord Jesus has said expressly, 'If ye forgive not men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.' There is hardly another sin put so severely under the ban as the sin of the unforgiving spirit."

"You just said you wouldn't sit down at the Lord's Table with Mrs. Warren. That was well put, for you barred yourself by your unwillingness to forgive. I don't know what your grievances are, but I know they can't be greater than the Master could urge against many of us, if He chose to do so. If some of the men who had a hand in the crucifixion had come to the Holy Supper years after, I'm sure the Lord wouldn't have refused to sit down with them. He wouldn't be Christ if He did."

"And we can't be Christians if we do refuse," Mrs. Hammond added, in a humbled voice. "I think I've felt the force of that reasoning sometimes, — deep down in my heart, — but I've evaded the conclusion."

"There is a beautiful legend that after long wanderings Judas Iscariot came finally to a lighted hall, where the Lord's Supper was spread; the minister went after a pause. The light attracted him. He saw the shadows of the guests moving to and fro, but his sad heart told him that such things were not for him. Then the Master appeared at the open door and beckoned the outcast disciple, and fell a suppliant on his knees. It is only a legend, and yet it is true to the gentle heart of Jesus. There is no barrier beyond which His forgiving spirit may not pass. And for as the inference is too plain to be mistaken."

WHY LUXURIES SELL BEST

Necessity Manufacturers and Dealers Should Adopt Better Methods.

Men engaged in the manufacture and sale of commodities which rank as necessities complain that American people spend all their money for luxuries and that they have nothing left with which to supply their fundamental needs. So much is spent for the movies that drama suffers; the money which should go for groceries is spent for beer and soda; people buy automobiles instead of homes or machines to make farming profitable, are some of the indictments brought against the American people.

There is no question that much of this is deserved. There is a tendency current in the United States to keep up the front at any cost. Styles and pleasures influence us as much as honest want and homely comforts. Americans are so imitative that a few spendthrifts in a community, with a knack for spending artistically, can corrupt all the neighbors by their bad example.

So far as the necessity manufacturers and salesmen are concerned, however, they would do well to imitate the methods of their competitors. Advertisements for cigarettes and chewing gum assail the eye from so many angles that only the most resolute can resist them. Beer and movie ads are only less insidious. Seasonable drink, tobacco, and candy stores are on every corner, so it is next to impossible to miss them, but it often takes quite a bit of searching to find the headquarters of an implement dealer, for instance, and find out what he sells after one gets there.

The people dealing in luxuries have demonstrated an advertising and selling system that will get the people's money. If they can get the money when they have so little to offer in return, dealers in useful and fairly necessary commodities certainly should get the same results by the same system. If America is perverse in its buying, it should be corrected by the producers and distributors of commodities which the people need. — The Harvester World.

NEGRO BABY ABANDONED

Infant Child of Margaret Johnson Left at Mr. E. K. Mitchell's Sunday Night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Mitchell were awakened Sunday night shortly after eleven o'clock by the crying of a baby on their front porch. Upon investigation by Mr. Mitchell it was found that someone had taken the liberty of placing a colored baby about three months old in front of his door. Mr. Mitchell carried the little child to Lawson Meredith's home where it was kept for the night. When Sergeant Weir was informed of the case Monday morning he recalled having seen a colored woman with a baby get off No. 41 Sunday night and drive away with "Josh" Johnson. The baby was turned over to R. L. Burroughs for the time.

Monday afternoon the home of "Josh" was visited and his daughter, Margaret, confessed that the baby was hers, but that "Josh" had placed it upon Mr. Mitchell's steps. The outcome of a trial held on Tuesday afternoon was that Margaret Johnson was sentenced to 30 days in jail, "Josh" 60 days and the baby turned over to the custody of Nellie Johnson, an aunt of the baby's mother.

WEATHER RECORD

Weather report for week ending Wednesday, October 20th: Maximum temperature, 83 on Friday, the 16th; minimum temperature, 50 on Thursday, the 14th. Precipitation for the week: 1.47 inches on 16th, .64 inch on 18th, and .39 inch on 20th, total, .42 inch. — OBSERVER.

A FINE TRIP TO CANADA

Former Manassas Lady Tells of Trip Through New York State and to Toronto, Canada.

EDITOR MANASSAS JOURNAL: — I have recently returned from a trip "Up the Hudson," thence to Albany, on to Buffalo and Niagara Falls, and across to Toronto. Undoubtedly it is a very familiar trip for many of your readers, but not every year would one meet Canadian troops. We saw 10,000 on a practice march and visited with them at their camping ground for the day. They were largely composed of fresh recruits. Many were business men and their employees — a great number of boyish faces, all eager to go forward and see service.

Toronto is an interesting city, a city of churches and institutions of learning second to none. The university buildings and grounds are very beautiful and extensive. In Canada the Roman Catholics have separate schools, which are supported by Catholic taxpayers, each one having power to elect, whether his payment on school rates will go to support a public or separate school. These and public schools receive a grant from the Provincial Government.

I spent sometime in the Provincial Parliament building. This building, one of a group built of an imposing, brown stone, cost a million and a quarter dollars. The legislature of Ontario meets in this building, the sixth most important Parliament in the British Empire. In front of the building stands a monument. I was particularly interested in that of her Majesty, Queen Victoria.

Passing through the town I saw "Headquarters of the W. C. T. U.," so I know there is good work being done and much of Canada is "dry territory." In fact, Canada seemed very much like home, like the United States, and in thinking of their methods of government, they do not constantly have the political upheavals we are subjected to. Hardly does the President take his oath of office before the plans are laid either to oust him or for a second term.

Surely the temperance workers have cause for rejoicing. One of the Carolinas makes the nineteenth prohibition state. And suffrage is coming at the slow pace, when the President and members of the cabinet decide in favor of it. Why not get on the band wagon and be able to say "I told you so."

ESTELLE D. DAY, Relay, Md., Oct. 16, 1915.

RUBY-ADAMSON

Miss Effie J. Adamson Becomes Bride of Prominent Maryland Doctor.

A quiet wedding ceremony was performed Wednesday in Princess Anne, Md., when Miss Effie Jopling Adamson, of Manassas, became the bride of Dr. John Thomas Ruby, a prominent physician of Oriole, Md.

The bride is the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Adamson and is well-known to a host of friends in Manassas. She was graduated a few years ago from the Peninsula General Hospital, Salisbury, Md., and for a time, immediately after her graduation, was head nurse of that institution.

After a wedding trip, Dr. and Mrs. Ruby will be at home to their friends at Oriole, Md.

Rev. Aderholdt Will Resign. Rev. O. W. Aderholdt, pastor of Bethel Lutheran church, Manassas, will resign from the local charge sometime next month. Where he will go or who his successor will be has not yet been announced.

"COUNTRY FAIR" IS COMING

Local High School Now Planning For Big Event on Monday Evening, November 1.

If you are at all inclined to have a good time on Monday evening, November 1, you can find it by dropping in at the M. I. C. building where the students of the Manassas High School will give a "country fair." Of course this fair will be somewhat different from the ordinary fair, just different enough to make it all the more amusing. The gate admission will be only ten cents, which will admit you to the midway and several side attractions. Certainly you will be expected to bring your pocketbook along, for many things will be offered for sale, especially in the way of refreshments. Since the proceeds are to go towards the liquidation of the debts of the athletic association a very liberal patronage is asked.

For those who wish to have their fortunes told there will be two opportunities, at a palmist's booth or at a booth where you can buy a fortune outright. For the boy who wishes to "take a chance" a fish pond will be conveniently at hand and another feature to arouse one's curiosity will be the "World's Greatest Wonder" — a horse's head where his tail ought to be. A beautiful flower booth is also planned.

At the Italian booth there will be on sale pop corn, chestnuts, candy, peanuts, fruit, etc. And there will be plenty of ice cream and cake for sale also. A contest in which there bids to be much rivalry is that for the honor of being the ugliest man in town. To the man who can well establish his claim to this unique distinction, by piling up the greatest number of votes, one of the finest cakes ever baked (of course we can only go by what is promised) will be presented with all due formality.

One of the biggest drawing cards will be a better baby contest in which there will be many entries. Please bear in mind that this will be no ordinary baby contest. No more entries are solicited, for the examining doctors and the weighers especially are already confident that a big task is awaiting them. What will be work for them, however, will be fun for the onlookers. If you miss this feature you surely will regret it.

So all aboard for the big "country fair" to be held in the M. I. C. building on Monday evening, November 1. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Admission 10 cents. If you don't get your money's worth it will not be the fault of the fair officials.

SEE CANNING EXHIBITS

Work of Girls' Canning Clubs of Prince William Can Be Seen at Our Office.

The girls' canning clubs of Prince William deserve great praise. Their exhibit at the state fair this year was a very creditable one and it attracted much attention. At the office of THE JOURNAL this exhibit is now shown and every one will do well to take a look at the fine work the girls of Prince William are doing in the way of canning.

THE JOURNAL is also glad to show the individual exhibit of Miss Marion Lewis, which won first prize in the third-year class at the Virginia State Fair this year. Miss Lewis now has the distinction of winning two first prizes with this exhibit, one at Manassas and the other at Richmond.

Be at Conner's Hall Tonight. Mr. Hamilton, promoter and organizer of a company to manufacture a silo bracing device, has called a meeting of every citizen of the town for this evening at 8 o'clock at Conner's Opera House. Be sure to come out.

WILL, RETURNED MONDAY

Attorney General Pollard Presented It to Fairfax County Clerk Richardson.

Martha Washington's will, which was taken from the courthouse at Fairfax by a Union trooper during one of the battles of Bull Run, and later found its way into the collection of the late J. P. Morgan, was returned to the county archives Monday with elaborate ceremonies.

Recently the State of Virginia sued J. P. Morgan in the Supreme Court of the United States to recover the historic document. Mr. Morgan suggested that it be placed in Mount Vernon, Fairfax county folk, however, claimed it as part of their court records, and Monday it was restored to its place beside the will of George Washington. The suit against Mr. Morgan will be dropped.

The will was returned by Attorney-General John Garland Pollard, of Virginia. The historic document was received by County Clerk F. W. Richardson in behalf of Fairfax county, and Mr. Richardson after exhibiting it to a crowd who had gathered in the little courthouse for the ceremony deposited it in the vault where the records are kept.

The will, written on six pages of foolscap parchment, brown with age, is neatly bound in morocco. The bound copy is kept in a handsome red morocco cover. The cost of the binding and the cover was paid for by Mr. Morgan when he bought the document.

Attorney-General Pollard, speaking of the suit against Mr. Morgan, said that the millions realized, when informed of the complete facts, that the document was a public record and stolen property, and he could not get a title for it, and he consequently surrendered it to the state of Virginia. — Richmond Times-Dispatch.

MISS DEMORY IS MARRIED

Marriage of Rev. R. T. Dodge and Miss Irene Demory Solemnized at Haymarket.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Haymarket Baptist Church yesterday evening, when Rev. Ryland Thomas Dodge, of McKenney, Dinwiddie county, was married to Miss Irene Demory, of Haymarket. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. L. Naff, and the wedding music was played by Mrs. Jan A. Highfish, of Alexandria.

The bride entered the church with her uncle, Mr. Lawrence Highfish, and was attended by her friend Miss Rose Shirley. The groom's attendant was Mr. Wm. Dodge, of Washington, and the ushers were Messrs. Hugh McCormick, of Baltimore, Stuart Tullock, of Washington, R. Briscoe, of Fredericksburg, and Ashby Carter, of Haymarket.

The happy couple left shortly after the marriage for a wedding trip to West Virginia. On their return they will make their home at McKenney where the groom is a prominent Baptist minister. The bride is a niece of Lawrence A. and Miss Ruth Highfish, of Haymarket. She is popular in the community and received many handsome presents. Her many friends wish her a long and happy married life.

Rev. Dodge was for several years a resident of Haymarket, where he is well known. About ten years ago, then a boy of fifteen years of age, Rev. Dodge boarded in Manassas for quite a while. His father, the late H. W. Dodge, moved to Haymarket several years past where he resided until his death a few years ago. Rev. Dodge's father will be remembered kindly by many of the citizens of Manassas and Prince William, by whom he was held in high esteem.

BOARD OFFERS REWARDS

Supervisors at Regular Meeting Vote \$50 to Break Up Poisoning of Cattle of County.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Prince William county, held at the court-house of the said county on Thursday, the 14th day of October, 1915, there were present J. T. Syncox, Chairman; J. P. Manuel, J. F. Gulick, T. M. Russell, J. L. Dawson and O. C. Hutchison.

The following accounts were presented, examined, allowed and ordered to be certified to the County Treasurer for payment:

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| R. T. Crouch, county fund, \$ 3.00 | |
| C. R. C. Johnson, " " " 3.10 | |
| W. R. Free, Jr., & Co., poor claim, county fund, 10.00 | |
| Ashby Yates, poor claim, co. fd., 20.00 | |
| Carrie Bland, " " " 4.00 | |
| W. A. Davis, " " " 20.00 | |
| Mrs. Rufus Davis, poor claim, county fund, 14.00 | |
| J. E. Nelson, registrar, co. fd., 5.00 | |
| W. J. Ashby, lunacy claim, co. fd., 1.00 | |
| T. E. Garnett, " " " 1.00 | |
| R. T. Hodge, " " " 1.00 | |
| Dr. W. A. Newman, lunacy claim, county fund, 2.50 | |
| E. P. Sanborn, J. P., lunacy claim, county fund, 1.00 | |
| Virginia Publishing Company, printing D. list, etc., co. fd., 18.50 | |
| Manassas Journal Publishing Co., printing tax books, etc., co. fd., 40.50 | |
| J. M. Hoos, D. S., serving sub. on Godfrey, county fund, .50 | |
| J. J. Carter, superintendent poor, county fund, 73.33 | |
| Den Randolph, work at jail, county fund, 1.00 | |
| Thos. J. Woolfenden, assessor, county fund, 226.00 | |
| E. P. Davis, assistant assessor, county fund, 42.00 | |
| Geo. C. Round, chairman, committee on cannon, etc., co. fd., 347.47 | |
| W. S. Bessie, extra work on books, county fund, 120.00 | |
| S. T. Cornwell, extra work on books, county fund, 60.00 | |
| L. T. Sullivan, special road fund, 1.70 | |
| I. C. Jacobs, " " " 5.00 | |
| C. H. Emery, " " " 6.33 | |
| E. M. Briggs, " " " 24.40 | |
| E. Wheaton, " " " 5.00 | |
| H. Swart, Manassas " " 10.24 | |
| Geo. F. Robertson, " " " 49.75 | |
| J. F. Bradford, " " " 63.75 | |
| Bladen Robertson, " " " 2.00 | |
| C. A. Robinson, " " " 18.00 | |
| J. L. Linawever, " " " 1.25 | |
| M. Lynch & Co., " " " 9.50 | |
| B. R. Cross, " " " 20.55 | |
| C. R. C. Johnson, " " " 5.30 | |
| Same, Colles " " " 5.05 | |
| E. W. Cornwell, " " " 30.75 | |
| C. R. Earhart, " " " 43.12 | |
| The Texas Co., " " " 10.35 | |
| Same, Occoquan " " " 20.40 | |
| W. V. Turner, " " " 2.04 | |
| L. E. Strother, " " " 6.92 | |
| H. B. Fairfax, " " " 7.50 | |
| John Gough, Brentsville " " " 19.08 | |
| J. I. Deihl, " " " 64.35 | |
| C. S. Smith, " " " 14.10 | |
| U. W. Hedrick, " " " 14.00 | |
| W. E. Free, Jr., " " " 4.25 | |
| Same, Permanent " " " 24.60 | |
| T. J. Caton, Gainesville " " " 10.50 | |
| Palmer Smith, " " " 10.20 | |
| H. W. Gough, " " " 10.72 | |
| L. McIntosh, " " " 10.00 | |
| R. Beaumont, " " " 5.00 | |
| H. Graham, " " " 5.93 | |
| M. Blackwell, " " " 16.50 | |
| E. M. Briggs, Dumfries " " " 31.25 | |
| Chas. Dunn, " " " 21.50 | |
| Texas Oil Co., " " " 9.04 | |
| H. Swart, viewing road, special road fund, 1.00 | |
| S. C. Swart, viewing road, special road fund, 1.00 | |
| A. H. Compton, viewing road, special road fund, 1.00 | |
| J. P. Lischka, freight on engine, special road fund, 79.00 | |
| J. T. Syncox, supervisor, 5.80 | |
| J. P. Manuel, " " " 4.90 | |
| O. C. Hutchison, " " " 5.20 | |
| J. F. Gulick, " " " 4.00 | |
| T. M. Russell, " " " 4.70 | |
| J. L. Dawson, " " " 5.80 | |

ORDERS

Ordered that O. C. Hutchison, J. L. Dawson and J. P. Manuel be appointed a committee to examine treasurer's report. T. M. Russell ordered to purchase two joints of meat to be placed at large branch on Brentsville and independent Mill road. J. L. Dawson, J. P. Manuel, R. H. Davis, J. T. Sullivan and

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BOYS ARE DETERIORATING

Child Experts Claim Old-Time Boys Were Better—Sparing Of Rod Is Deplored.

(The Washington Post)

The boy of to-day is retrograding. He is not the equal of the boy a generation ago.

This is the conclusion reached by a number of leading students in boy problems, men in charge of boys' schools, authorities upon child study, business men, heads of employment departments of large mercantile houses, probation officers, Boy Scout leaders, and summer camp directors. Questions were put to them by H. D. Abells, principal of the Morgan Park Academy, and the information was presented to the North Central Academic Association, which held its annual convention at Chicago in July.

Out of 705 answers received, there were 248 points of improvement, 107 the same as a generation ago, and 350 points for retrogression.

HOW THE BOYS LINE UP

Here is where the boy stands, according to the majority of boy experts answering the individual questions:

- Retrograding—
 - Spelling.
 - Pennmanship.
 - Honesty.
 - Use of tobacco.
 - Habits of industry.
 - Habit of saving.
 - Obedience.
 - Respect for parents.
 - Respect for law.
 - Amusements.
 - Purpose.
 - Religious feeling.
- Progressing—
 - Physique.
 - School attendance.
 - General information.
 - Use of liquors.
 - Initiative.
 - Obscene stories.
 - Personal appearance.
 - Interest in politics.
 - Personal ambition.
 - Interest in art.

LESS RESPECT FOR HIS PARENTS

The answers in regard to "purity of life" were exactly divided for retrogression and improvement.

"Few persons who answered the questions," says Abells, "believe the boy of to-day has the respect for his parents and the law as had the boy of a generation ago. The answers on these topics bring out the following statements: 'Most people feel the present day home is breaking down because of lack of restraint and discipline. The old boy was more obedient. He was more respectful to his elders and to the law. The effects of lessening corporal punishment have been bad.'

"One man said: 'It has never been taught in the home or school. The average boy is not respectful to elders, and, as for respect for law and order, he has none.' Another says: 'Lack of the qualities of obedience and respect for elders and law constitutes a serious menace in our national life. Lessening of corporal punishment has been disastrous.'

DEPLORES SPARING THE ROD

"One answer was: 'The rod ought to be banished from the school. But its banishment from the home is one of the saddest and most serious facts in our modern life.'

"In seeking opinions of these men regarding the attitude of boys toward women, vulgar language, wholesomeness of recreation and purity in morals I received these statements:

"To-day it is the tango, while a dozen years ago it was a kissing game and measuring 6 yards of tape."

"To sit down and play authors would mean to the average young person something like being in prison."

"One man who has 70 boys on his hands Sundays in a home school said that the average boy has no religious experience and that the 'quiet hour' is an intolerable bore to him. One man said that the modern boy reads a great deal, the 'spare' perhaps not so many comic book novels, but that he is absorbed in the problem novel of the day, which is more vicious than the dime novel."

DON'T LICK ENVELOPES

It Is Dangerous and Sometimes Causes Tetanus—Don't Bite Fingernails.

There is hardly any practice indulged in generally by humanity that is more to be deplored and dangerous than that of licking the flaps of letters for sealing them. In the very first place there is great danger of cutting the tongue by drawing the sharp edge across its surface. This has caused a wound which later received the germs of tetanus and more than once have people died from this particular action. If, however, any be so careless as to continue in this practice, the danger of cutting the mouth is much lessened by licking the flap up in several successive short jerks, rather than drawing the edge across the tongue.

GLUE ON FLAP A GERMARIUM

But even this latter is not without danger, for the glue on the flap is peculiarly fitted for the reception of germs and dust. It is on the order of gelatine, the stuff which research men use to breed germs on. Especially is all this true on a damp day when the glue is partly moist and sticky.

There are several small office devices sold generally which wet the flaps almost without trouble, and once persons get in the habit of using them they are as convenient as the old tongue method. In the absence of a regular device, however, a damp sponge reposing in an old ink well will serve well enough. Certain it is that a person with any regard whatsoever for his health should immediately cease from practicing the above habit.

BITING FINGERNAILS DANGEROUS

There is another habit, found chiefly among nervous people, which is even worse than the above. That is the one of biting the fingernails. Now matter how clean they may look they are the repositories of numerous germs of varied character. This is necessarily so, for when the hands are washed no water gets under the fingernails to any extent—for there is a small amount of air enclosed which keeps the water out. But a very thorough washing, or a washing in hot water, will certainly clean them fairly well. But the hands do not many times a week receive such a lavage. Of course, the above is applicable to some fingernail biters more than to others and depends upon the character of work in which the person is engaged.—Washington Post.

THRIFT

Neglect of small matters frequently makes a big matter that cannot be neglected. The thrifty woman is a wonderful blessing to the average man, whose income is not by any means too large to be easily expended. The extravagant, spendthrift woman keeps a wage-earning husband in constant hot water financially.

The saving bank habit is a good habit for any woman to get. If it's only half a dollar a week, or not more than a dime, it is worth saving. Savings have a remarkable fashion of growing. The habit of saving also grows. You may think that you would have difficulty in saving 25 cents a week. But if you begin with 25 cents a week, you will presently find that you can save 50 cents, and then a dollar each week. When you begin to watch the pennies, you will be surprised how many trifling expenses can be done away with, and what a big total you have been spending in small sums, to little purpose, says Mother's Magazine.

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TO the man who works for his living, falling sick with tuberculosis means a very real danger not only to his own life but to the lives of his wife and children as well. His wealthier neighbor may lay aside his routine cares and "take the cure" for tuberculosis without materially affecting his family's health or income. The consumptive workman, on the other hand, must give up his job and with it his only income, and at the same time he is frequently compelled to remain at home, a constant source of danger to his family, unless he is properly instructed. It may save you who read this article considerable money and suffering if you learn from it how to avoid the entrance of tuberculosis into your body.

Tuberculosis is infectious and communicable from one person to another. It differs in some respects from scarlet fever, measles, or smallpox, so-called "contagious" diseases, in that tuberculosis requires repeated exposures and certain special conditions to pass the germs from the sick to the well. It is not inherited, but must be communicated through one of the following sources from one person to another:

(1) The infection is derived in the very large majority of cases from the sputum discharged from "open" or ulcerating tubercles in the lungs.

(2) A certain number of persons, chiefly infants, estimated variously from one to ten per cent. of all cases, receive the infection from the milk of tuberculous cows.

(3) A very few others may possibly obtain the infection from the urine and fecal discharges of consumptives or from the joints or other parts of the body which are the seat of ulcerating tuberculosis.

(4) In a few extremely rare instances the infection is conveyed through the blood of the mother to an unborn child, but the offspring seldom survive long.

(5) No infection can be conveyed from tubercles of the "closed" or non-ulcerated variety, or after ulcerations are completely healed.

With regard to the manner of infection, still bearing in mind that tuberculosis must be communicated from one person to another, we find that by far the most frequent mode of infection is by inhalation; the second is by swallowing, and the least common, by inoculation of a wound or abrasion. Considering each of these modes of infection a little more carefully, we learn that:

(1) The bacilli are inhaled most often in dust. The dust is most often contaminated by careless spitting; but the germs may also be given out in the act of coughing (with the mouth unprotected) or hawking, sneezing, loud talking, singing or laughing. Quiet breathing carries no infection.

(2) The bacilli may be swallowed with food which has been contaminated with infected hands or otherwise, and also with the milk, butter and other dairy products derived from cows suffering from bovine tuberculosis.

(3) Inoculation by the infection of cuts, scratches, or abrasions is not frequently observed.

While no age, race, or class is immune against infection from tuberculosis, children are more susceptible than anyone else. At the age of 15, frequently as high as 75 per cent. of the population may show the presence of the germs, though not that many may be sick with tuberculosis. In view, however, of the fact that these germs may lay quiet in the body of the child for years, until with unfavorable surroundings his resistance is lowered, causing the disease to develop, it is extremely important that fathers and mothers do everything possible to keep their children away from danger of infection in their earlier years.

Everything should be done at home to keep the child rugged and healthy. The father and mother, whether they have tuberculosis or not, should be scrupulously careful in their habits of spitting and personal hygiene. The working father owes it not only to his own health, but to that of his children to avoid tuberculosis in every possible way.

[NOTE—This is the Second of a Series of Five Articles Prepared by The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, New York City.]

A WOMAN'S LOVE

The holiest thing that we have in life
And the only thing that we have
worth while,
Is a woman's love—in the dust and
strife
To cheer us on with its song and
smile.

It is all that man of the temperament
That lives in visions and dwells in
dreams
Can ever have—'tis a blessing sent
To help them to heights of the golden
gleams.

What is a poet without it—ah?
And what is the world in which he
dwells
But a barren desert of dreary day,
Without this love, and its wondrous
spells?

The happiest thought in a real man's
heart

Is the thought of a woman who holds
in trust
His faith and his joy and his worshiped
art
And rings responsive to all things
just.

The loliest thought in the heart of
man

Is the thought of a woman's love that
glows
In every effort and every plan
Of joy and love that his whole life
knows.

It strengthens the weak and lifts the
strong,
And fills each moment with will and
power.
And brings new breath to the breath of
song,
And fills life's way with a fairer
flower.

It touches evil, without or in,
And the love is healed, and there is
no sin;

It touches sorrow and care and fear,
And all the shadows take wings and
fly,
And the troubles cease, and we dry the
tear.

And a sunnier glory attunes the sky,
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ARE YOU GOING TO BE THERE?

Next Friday throughout the state of Virginia there will be a very general observance of Patrons' Day. The observance of Patrons' Day is required by the regulations of the State Board of Education and for the past four years a special day has been set aside for the occasion. Already Patrons' Day has become an institution with the teachers of the state and is heartily entered into by the parents of public school children in many sections of the commonwealth. There are many communities in the state, however, where Patrons' Day is not observed as it should be and in these communities the teachers and patrons can well afford to put forth extra effort in working up a big Patrons' Day.

Prince William has taken great strides forward in the last few years. Active school and civic leagues have sprung up throughout the county and already they have done notably good work. But are the parents generally showing the interest which they should show in the public schools of Prince William? Basing our observations on what we have seen in Manassas District we feel constrained to state that the parents, generally speaking, are not interesting themselves to the extent they should in that priceless institution, the public school. Will as great an effort be made by the parents of the county to visit the schools on Patrons' Day as they make to be present at a first-class circus?

We are spending large sums of money each year to educate the coming men and women of the county. Teachers and officers are giving unstintingly of their time and energy, in value far in excess of the meager salaries paid them. Why is it then that parents are seemingly so little concerned with the manner in which the schools are run, how sanitation is looked after and whether the individual child is getting all that is due him in the way of preparation for after life? One thing is true and that is that only through the active cooperation of parents and teachers will our schools attain anywhere near unto the stature of the ideal. Nothing, if entered into heartily by the parents of Prince William, can be more productive of good to the schools of the county than the observance on Friday next of Patrons' Day.

PROUD OF OUR CANNING CLUBS.

There are some things in life which are pre-eminently worth learning to do. Well up in this list of useful labors is the science of canning. For many years the faithful woman of the home has, during the season of plenty, provided for the season of want. Crude as were the first methods put into practice they served as the beginning of a great science of to-day, the science of preserving for future use the kind fruits of the harvest. At first it was an attempt which was fraught with much uncertainty; to-day it is a science teaching the how and why of every move.

At the present time we are especially proud of the work of the girls' canning clubs of Prince William. Under the able instruction of Miss Emily Johnson, county demonstration agent, they have turned out work which in quantity and quality should bring the commendation of even the most indifferent. To appreciate what has been done by these clubs you must view the actual work and this you can do at the office of THE JOURNAL. At this office is the clubs' exhibit, as was shown at the Virginia State Fair, as well as the individual exhibit of Miss Marion Lewis, which won first prize in the third-year class at the Virginia State Fair this year. If you are interested in what Prince William girls can do you will take a look at these exhibits. If you do you will go away satisfied that after all modern education has its redeeming features.

A COMMERCIAL YIELD OF POTASH

The production of the first commercial mineral potash in the United States has been announced by Secretary Lane, of the Department of the Interior. Are we at last to be freed from our dependence upon Germany for our supply of this valuable mineral? According to the report sent in to Secretary Lane by a special agent of the geological survey, in Utah, we can encouragingly hope for independence in this direction.

Discovery has been made of a vein of the mineral alunite, which, when heated and dissolved in water, yields up potash of fine grade and in paying quantities. Heretofore all discoveries of potash in the United States have proven to be insufficient in quantity or too difficult of extracting the salt to make them practicable. Can we not now look forward to the day when we will be able to supply at least in part our need of potash in the manufacture of explosives as well as in the manufacture of fertilizers? When that day arrives we will have great reason to rejoice.

NATIONAL APPLE DAY OBSERVED

You know it is mighty easy to lose out on a date occasionally. Well, last week we in some manner overlooked the fact that Tuesday of this week was to be observed as National Apple Day. Despite this oversight on our part the day in the larger cities was observed and very fittingly (according to the small boy's notion) by the distribution of free fruit in schools, hospitals, charitable institutions and in many public places. National Apple day is set aside as a day when people both eat and talk of apples. From all accounts the public participated in both of these forms of exercise with much pleasure on Tuesday.

The apple as a fruit is at the head of the list. Taken year in and year out no other fruit stands in so high a favor or has been proven to be so beneficial to man. This applies to apples in general. But when you talk about Virginia apples you immediately deal with the superlative. We Virginians know how to appreciate the finest apple in the world, the apple which is kissed by the mellow sunshine of the Old Dominion, nurtured by the rich soil of the oldest state of the Union and sweetened by the pearly dews and gentle rains of the most favored section of the beloved Southland. No wonder Virginia apples take first prize the world over; they come from a state which knows how to grow fruit that is as good to eat as it is pleasing to look at. When you eat Virginia apples you are eating "sure-enough" apples.

SUFFRAGE LOSES IN NEW JERSEY

When President Wilson made it publicly known some time ago that he would support equal suffrage in New Jersey there was great rejoicing on behalf of leaders of the suffrage movement throughout the country. In New Jersey the enthusiastic and hardworking suffragettes expressed themselves as confident that they would carry the state. Why what man would not vote for woman's suffrage when Woodrow Wilson set such a noble example? This was the way many women figured it out, but when they awoke Wednesday morning, much to their surprise, they found that the President's example has not carried the weight they had expected of it.

Without arguing the issue pro or con we can see in the defeat of this movement in New Jersey that the progress which it is making in the East is very slow at the best. At various public gatherings and in parades the demonstrations which are made in favor of woman suffrage sometimes lead one to believe that equal suffrage has much virility, but are not these manifestations more than likely to be the outpourings of enthusiasm on the part of a few interested, zealous advocates rather than the cry and yearnings of the downtrodden (?) women of the East. New Jersey's decision leads us to believe that the women of the East are not so anxious for suffrage as has been argued, else more men would have voted for the proposed amendment than did. However, the movement is not downed; it is only given a bad set-back from which it will more than likely make a rapid recovery.

Why is it there is so little attention paid to the curfew regulation? If it is a good thing it should be strictly enforced.

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. E. K. Mitchell is ill with acute rheumatism.

—Mr. M. C. Doggett is erecting a dwelling on Maple avenue.

—A wire fence is to be erected between the Milnes property and Grace Methodist Church.

—Mrs. Geo. H. Smith was taken to a Washington hospital the middle of the week for treatment.

—Mr. J. Calvin Goode, jr., left Tuesday morning for Greenville, S. C., where he has obtained employment.

—There will be preaching at Mt. Zion, Nokesville, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at Bethel Lutheran church, Manassas, at 7:30 p. m.

—Mr. J. W. Rowzie and family are going to moved into the Milnes property, next door to that occupied by Mr. Wm. F. Dowell.

—Elder T. S. Dalton will preach at the Primitive Baptist Church, Manassas, on the fifth Sunday in October instead of the fourth Sunday.

—The two dwellings of Mr. G. E. Fisher on East street and the store building occupied by J. L. Bushong are being attractively painted this week.

—The siding recently placed at the local power house by the Southern railway is proving to be a great economizer in the unloading of coal for the town plant.

—Mr. Gordon H. Moran left last night for Welch, W. Va., where he has accepted a position with the Carlin, Clark & Walker Construction Co., of that place.

—Mr. Jos. F. Galick left Tuesday evening for Southampton county, where he will assume the principalship of one of the public schools for the session of 1915-16.

—Mr. N. B. Hensley has purchased from Mr. D. H. Prescott the six-room dwelling on Quarry street which has been occupied for some time past by Mr. Hensley.

—Rev. Alford Kelley and sister, Miss Isabelle, who arrived Tuesday evening, are occupying the western portion of the dwelling of Mrs. Coles and Miss Rixey on Lee avenue.

—Elder J. G. Eubanks, beginning this month, will preach at Bethlehem Meeting House at 11 o'clock each Wednesday and Thursday after the fourth Sunday every month.

—Miss Mary Akers, teacher of Woodbridge school, returned home Sunday on account of diphtheria in the school. It has been closed down for two or three weeks to prevent the spread of the contagious disease.

—Rev. H. L. Swain, pastor of the Baptist Church at Clarendon, is to preach Sunday at the Manassas Baptist Church. Rev. H. L. Quarles, local pastor, who has been quite ill with the grippe, is much improved, but still quite weak.

—Opposition having failed to materialize, State Senator R. Ewell Thornton, of Fairfax, brother of Judge J. B. T. Thornton, of Manassas, was last week declared the nominee of the Democratic party to succeed himself.

—The little folks' sewing club was entertained Tuesday afternoon by Miss Muriel Larkin, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. M. Larkin. The preceding meeting was held at the home of Miss Eloise Giddings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Giddings.

—Rev. Alford Kelley will preach at Clifton Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and at the Manassas Presbyterian church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor will have as his subject both morning and evening the relation of the pastor to the people.

—Mayor W. C. Wagener is in receipt of a letter from Supt. W. C. Hudson in which assurances are made that loafing in and about the Southern station at Manassas and the occasional noise and disorder around passenger trains will be given immediate handling.

—The first meeting of the Northern Virginia Farmers' Institute for the present session is being held at the courthouse today. Among the speakers slated are Prof. T. B. Hutcheson, professor of agronomy, V. P. I., Mr. Geo. A. Scott, Bureau of Animal Industry, and Miss Hunt, Bureau of Foods.

—With an improvised halter and without saddle, a colored man rode a cow through the streets of Manassas Monday morning. The cow was put into a lively trot which it did not seem to mind in the least. Considering the muddy condition of the roads Monday morning the idea was not a bad one.

—Notice was received in Manassas yesterday to be on the lookout for a bay mare and a black horse which were stolen from Alexandria Wednesday night. Both of the animals were about 15 years old, the left hind leg of the mare being swollen while the horse had one white foot and a star in the forehead.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Brandt, who have lived near Manassas for the past two or three years, left Wednesday morning for Ridley Park, Pa., where Mr. Brandt's brother resides. They contemplate making future home in Pennsylvania. They were entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Byrd.

—Don't forget the oyster supper which is to be held at the M. L. C. building this evening, beginning at 5:30 o'clock. Besides the oyster supper there will be for sale ice cream, cake and candy. The supper is given by the Ladies Aid Society of the Grace M. L. Church, South, and should be well patronized by the townspeople generally.

—The L. T. L. will meet this month on the fifth Sunday, October 31st, instead of the fourth Sunday. The meeting will be held in the Asbury M. E. Church. All members of the Legion are asked to meet at the church on Wednesday, October 27th, immediately after school, for a business meeting when the officers for the year will be elected.

—Crandal Mackey, who has been Commonwealth's attorney of Alexandria county for 12 years, and who is well known in this county, announced last Friday that he would not be a candidate for re-election. B. Gordon Finney, Charles T. Jesse and Frank L. Ball are three candidates for Mackey's successor in the election to be held November 2.

—Mrs. J. L. Bushong met with a very painful accident on Monday afternoon. While in the act of forcing a cork into a large glass bottle the neck of the bottle broke off and Mrs. Bushong's left hand was badly lacerated. Medical attention was given the wound but Mrs. Bushong has suffered considerable pain, although she is now improving.

—The students of Eastern College will give a "cream" entitled "Farm Folks," to-morrow evening at the college chapel. The program will begin at 8:15 o'clock and the admission will be 15 and 25 cents. One of the promising features of the evening will be the debut of the newly organized orchestra under the leadership of Mr. Wayne Kramm.

—Mr. Saylor Deihl, of Roanoke, and Miss Vernie Flory, of Nokesville, were married in Washington yesterday. Mr. Deihl, who is a railway mail clerk, formerly lived at Nokesville. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Flory and well-known in the Nokesville neighborhood. The newly married couple will reside at Roanoke.

—Manassas Chapter, U. D. C., will give a "Silver Tea" in the chapter room, M. I. C. building, on Friday evening, October 29th, starting at 8 o'clock. After the rendition of a good program, refreshments will be served. The excellency of the U. D. C. "Silver Teas" of the past should insure a liberal patronage of the one to take place next Friday evening.

—Rev. Churchill Gibson, son of Bishop R. A. Gibson, of the diocese of Virginia, was recently operated upon for appendicitis at St. Luke's hospital, Richmond. He is reported to be improving rapidly. Rev. Gibson is known to many people of this community, having preached at Trinity Episcopal Church, Manassas, this summer. He is rector of Christ Church, Luray.

—One thousand students are registered at the University of Virginia for courses during the academic year. This exceeds last year's total enrollment by 54, and, as it is certain that between now and the end of the session between forty and fifty students will enter, the grand total for this year will probably be one hundred in excess of what it has ever been before.

—Services for the installation of Rev. Alford Kelley at the Presbyterian church, which were to have been held on Wednesday evening past, have been postponed until after the meeting of the presbytery which will take place the first part of next month at Washington, at which time Rev. Kelley's acceptance of the joint charge of the Manassas and Clifton Presbyterian churches will be handed in.

—The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the county of Prince William to be held at Manassas, Nov. 27, to fill the position of motor rural carrier at Gainesville. The salary on motor routes ranges from \$1,500 to \$1,800 a year, the carrier to furnish, maintain and operate a modern motor vehicle with a carrying capacity of not less than 800 pounds and a cubic capacity of not less than 80 feet.

—The second annual Sunday school convention of the Potomac Baptist Association will be held with the Baptist church of Leesburg on Saturday and Sunday, October 30 and 31. An exceptionally large attendance is expected and a fine program has been arranged for the two days. Among those from Manassas expected to be present and who will take part in the program are Dr. H. L. Quarles and Mr. Westwood Hutchison.

—The Dixie Theatre is now running a serial picture, "The Diamond From The Sky," the opening chapter of which was shown Tuesday evening to a crowded house. On Wednesday evening a Paramount picture, "Behind The Scenes," featuring Mary Pickford, was one of the best productions ever shown in Manassas. To-night another Paramount feature, "The Virginian," with Dustin Farnham in the leading role, will be shown. The management, with the Mutual and Paramount service, aims to give Manassas good pictures every weekday evening and at Saturday matinee.

—Feeling sorry for a fellow colored man, by the name of Charles Claggett, who hailed from Arlington, Va., and who is quite a piano player but who happened to be "broke" last Saturday night, Robert Doleman, colored, took him into his home as a guest for the night. On awakening the next morning Robert found that his guest had departed during the night, taking as a memento of his visit \$25.10 which belonged to Doleman. The matter was reported to the town officials, and the town sergeant made a trip to Alexandria in an endeavor to locate the miscreant but was unable to do so.

—A football team made up of local boys gave the Eastern College team a bad shake-up on Tuesday afternoon when they won a victory of 6-0 over the college team. During each of the five-minute quarters Manassas was on the offensive and at no time was the outcome at all uncertain. The star of the game was F. Hunton Cox, a new recruit in football, but one who has made good from the start. His playing as left-half was excellent and it excited much favorable comment. Other local boys who did good playing were Pitts, Haydon and Hynson. The best playing done on Eastern's side was that of Capt. Lynch and Alfred Prescott.

—The Bethlehem Good Housekeepers' Club met at the home of Mrs. D. H. Prescott on Wednesday afternoon. After taking up many important topics during the business session, the guests were invited into the dining room where covers were laid for twelve. A pretty effect was obtained through an artistic use of the club's colors—yellow and white. The place for each guest was spaced off by borders of white and yellow crepe paper which ran parallel across the table in each direction, while a large bowl of white chrysanthemums was in the center. The refreshments consisted of fried oysters, celery, cold slaw, hot rolls, coffee, chocolate cake and sherbet. After voting the occasion a very enjoyable one, the members parted for their respective homes.

—Superintendent Geo. G. Tyler is in receipt of a letter from Congressman C. C. Carlin in which he discusses at some length the conditions to be met in the competition among the white school children of the county for prizes in penmanship. Mr. Carlin sometimes ago offered fifty dollars in gold to the teacher and ten dollars in gold to each of the three pupils of the class of any white school in Prince William who will show the greatest improvement in penmanship during the present scholastic year. Congressman Carlin's idea is that the teachers should enter their penmanship classes in competition, select the three pupils who have made the greatest amount of improvement during the year and forward their papers to a committee for examination. Superintendent Tyler is working on a plan whereby the actual improvement of the pupils can be checked up on with accuracy.

Allen Green's Aunt Dead

Mrs. Ann Amanda Ashton, widow of the late Dr. Lawrence D. Ashton, and aunt of Mr. Allen Green, of Nokesville, died suddenly of heart failure at her home in Dallas, Texas, last Saturday morning, at the age of 70 years.

The deceased was Miss Ann Amanda Green, daughter of the late Duff Green, of Rappahannock county, and later of Farmington, Va. About 35 years ago she married Dr. Lawrence D. Ashton, of King George. After practicing medicine in Virginia for some years, Dr. Ashton went to Dallas, Texas, where he became prominent in his profession. He died several years ago. The only surviving member of Mrs. Ashton's immediate family is Miss Elvira Green, of Fredericksburg.

Last Notice to Taxpayers

Land owners of District No. 2 take notice that the Local Board of Review will sit at the courthouse on Tuesday, October 26th, to review the assessment of land in Coles district, on Wednesday, October 27th, to review the assessment of land in Occoquan district, and on Thursday, October 28th, to review the assessment of land in Dumfries district, and to make final disposition of the fiduciary tax.

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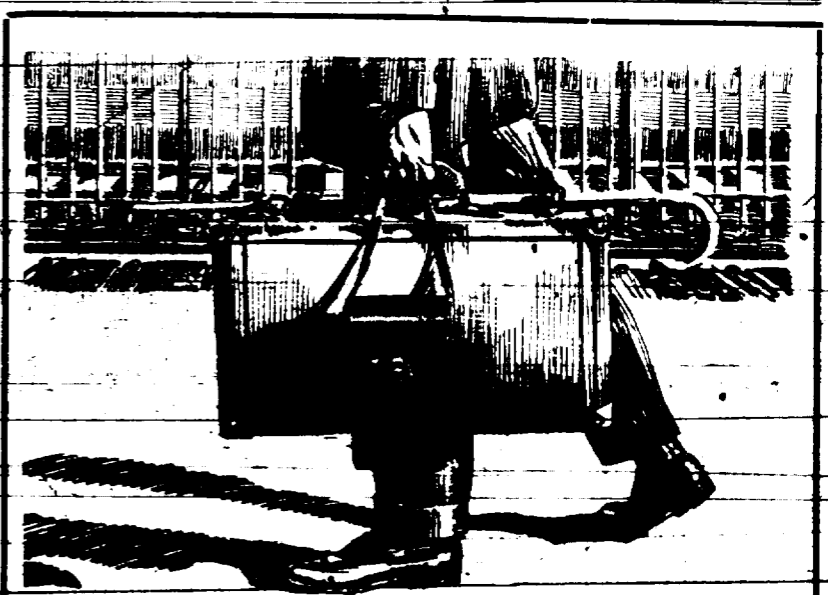
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HAYMARKET HAPPENINGS

Mr. Don Rector made a business trip to Washington the first of the week. The Haymarket library building presents a neat appearance with its new coat of paint.

ITEMS FROM GREENWICH

Miss Mary Thompson, of Washington, spent the week-end with Miss Ella Reid. Prof. E. D. Merrill spent the week-end with his parents at Independent Hill.

CLIFTON DOINGS.

Mr. Charles Adams, sr., and daughter, Miss Effie, were Richmond visitors last week and took in the state fair. Mr. C. L. Fowler, our co-laborer, succeeded in capturing a good number of blue ribbons at the state fair.

Boys' School Suits advertisement featuring an illustration of boys in suits and the text 'HYNNSON'S WE SELL IT CHEAPER'.

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- SOUTHBOUND.**
- No. 9—Daily local, 8:30 a. m. Delivers connection at Orange daily except Sunday and C. & O. for Gordonsville and Richmond.
 - No. 43—Daily through train for Charlotte, 10:03 a. m. will stop at Manassas on flag.
 - No. 17—Except Sunday, local from Washington to Warrenton, 6:22 p. m.
 - No. 15—Daily local for Warrenton, Charlottesville and way stations, 5:35 p. m. Pullman Parlor Car to Warrenton.
 - No. 41—Daily through train, 10:45 p. m. stops to let passengers from Washington and Alexandria and to take on passengers for points at which scheduled to stop.
- NORTHBOUND.**
- No. 18—Except Sunday, local from Warrenton to Washington, 7:00 a. m.
 - No. 16—Daily through train between Charlottesville, Warrenton, Manassas and Washington, 9:05 a. m. Pullman Parlor Car to Washington.
 - No. 14—Daily from Harrisonburg to Washington, 9:47 a. m. Pullman Parlor Car.
 - No. 10—Daily local, 2:10 p. m. Connects at Orange with C. & O. Railway from Richmond and Gordonsville.
 - No. 28—Daily, 7:56 p. m. local train between Harrisonburg, Manassas and Washington.
 - No. 44—Daily through train between Manassas and Washington, 6:25 p. m.
 - No. 36—Daily through train, coaches and sleeping cars for Washington and New York, 10:19 p. m., stops on flag.
- WESTBOUND**
- No. 49—Daily local for Harrisonburg and intermediate points, 9:40 a. m.
 - No. 21—Daily local to Harrisonburg, 9 p. m.
- E. H. COLEMAN, V. P. and Gen. Mgr.
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BOARD OFFERS REWARDS

Supervisors at Regular Meeting Vote \$50 to Break Up Poisoning of Cattle of County.

Continued From First Page

Jas. F. Gulick were appointed viewers to ascertain and report on advisability and probable cost of a bridge over Bull Run at Woodyard's ford, between Prince William and Fairfax counties—these viewers to meet in conjunction with viewers appointed by the board of supervisors of Fairfax, and to report as the law directs.

A reward of fifty dollars is offered for the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons charged or suspected of poisoning live stock of any citizen of Prince William.

A reward of \$10.00 is offered for the conviction of any person who shall mutilate or injure the fence around the courthouse square or any property or ornaments thereon.

Ordered that O. C. Hutchison have the bridge over Bull Run at Buckland painted.

Board made application to State Highway Commissioner for apportionment of fund for permanent road improvement for the road from bridge at Milford Mill to Bristol and for such additional amount as may be hereafter apportioned to the county from any funds that may become available for the year beginning March 1, 1916, the whole amount not to exceed \$4,000, the board to provide an equal amount.

Warrant from State Treasurer for \$1,019.50 in payment of portion of capitation tax was delivered to J. P. Leachman, to be turned over to the county treasury.

Warrant for \$33.33 was ordered drawn in favor of the heirs of M. Davis, deceased, as compensation for land damages in Wood's application to change road.

Chas. R. McDonald directed to have fills made at bridge over Little Bull Run. He was also appointed a commissioner to superintend the erection of said bridge.

Austin Bros., of Atlanta, Ga., having submitted the lowest bid, \$640, for the erection of said bridge, they were given the contract.

Two certificates from the State Highway Commissioner, one for \$743.72, the other for \$418.35, were signed by the chairman and clerk of the board and delivered to J. P. Leachman, county treasurer.

Ordered that the board be adjourned to meet again on Thursday, November 11, 1915.

BUILD A SILO.

Eight Reasons Why the Farmer Should Have a Good Silo on His Place.

- By means of the silo more of the food value of forage can be saved than by any other method of preservation now in use.
- The silo affords the means of keeping, in small compass, a large quantity of forage safe from the weather and in convenient form to feed.
- Forage placed in the silo keeps at a uniform quality; whereas field-cured forage constantly deteriorates.
- Considering the food value saved, the silo affords the cheapest means for forage preservation.
- Because of the palatability and succulence, silage possesses higher feeding value than does the same forage dry-cured. Conservative feeders estimate that the silo doubles the value of the forage crop.
- Silage can be used in summer and fall as a substitute for and to supplement pasture.
- It has been conclusively proven that the silo effect a considerable saving in the cost of production of beef, mutton and milk.
- The silo enables the farmer to keep more livestock, which promotes the rotation of crops and the preservation of the soil fertility.—C. H. Hinman, Colorado Agricultural College.

WHAT BIRDS ACCOMPLISH

Birds are the guardians of the atmosphere. They check the increase of insects that otherwise would overload it. Woodpeckers, creepers and chickadees are the guardians of the trunks of trees. Warblers and fly-catchers protect the foliage. Blackbirds, crows, thrushes and larks protect the surface of the soil. Snip and woodcock protect the soil under the surface.

Each tribe has its respective duties to perform in the economy of nature, and it is an undoubted fact that if they were all swept off the face of the earth man could not live upon it: vegetation would wither and die; insects would become so numerous that no living being could withstand their attacks. The great and inestimable service done to the farmer by the birds is only becoming known by sad experience. Spare the birds and save the fruit; the little corn and fruit taken by them is more than paid for by the quantities of noxious insects they destroy.

Birds are to the farmer in melody what flowers are in fragrance to the home. Is there anything more cheering around the home or farm than the singing of birds? What more entrancing music than that of a choir of song-birds of every description during evenings and early mornings in summer! The protection of birds means the destruction of insects.—Virginia Department of Agriculture.

PRICES OF DRUGS SOAR

Aspirin, Quinine, Glycerin and Bromides Are Very Expensive and Hard to Get.

[From The Baltimore American]

With the market practically cornered in quinine, carbolic acid, aspirin, glycerin, atropine, benzozates, bromides and the usual prices advancing steadily to abnormal figures, sickness now becomes a luxury and can be indulged in only by those with a firm financial backing. The jump in home remedy prices makes it a hazardous as well as a gonersical venture for one of the plebian class to give way to minor ailments.

Local druggists who have been hard pressed grudgingly pay the advanced prices of drugs, and hope that the market will soon regain its normal condition. Aspirin, which is said to be manufactured by a German firm controlled by German capital alone, sole distributors of the drug in this country, is used by many people as a remedy for headache, colds and rheumatism. Fortunately a number of local druggists secured a large supply of this particular drug before the war, and it will take considerable time to exhaust their supplies. Quinine, which comes from Peruvian bark and is a recognized remedy for minor ailments, has jumped from 21 cents an ounce to \$2.25. Salol, formerly sold at 85 cents a pound, is now marketed at \$7. Magnesia, which is being used extensively by foreign countries in the manufacture of high explosives, is exceedingly scarce. Bromide of potash, which before the war sold at 35 cents a pound, is now selling at \$1.75. Antriline and phenacetine, and many other drugs have also taken a jump from their original market prices.

MAN MUST WORK.

Man must work—that is inevitable. He may work grudgingly, or he may work gratefully; he may work as a man or he may work as a slave. He can not always choose his work, but he can go about it in a cheerful, generous temper and with an uplooking heart. There is no work so rude that he may not exalt it; there is no work so dull that he may not enliven it. But—he must work.—Ford Times.

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- \$3.00 Woolnap Plaid Blankets \$2.39**
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GENERAL NEWS NOTES

India in 1913 sent to the United States 162 students and China sent 594.

Nearly one-third of the entire surface of the globe is covered by the Pacific ocean.

Members of Congress from Virginia, will renew in the coming session their fight for the authorization of a big dry dock in the Norfolk navy yard.

Estimates of government expenditures for the next fiscal year totaling about \$1,240,000,000, the largest ever submitted in time of peace, was presented last Friday to the Secretary of the Treasury.

Of the millions of dollars spent daily in this country by the allies for war supplies, not a dollar, it is learned authoritatively, can be spent without first obtaining the official sanction of the British government.

An 8-month-old calf was sold at the Holstein sale at Cortland, N. Y., last week for \$10,300. The calf's sire is King Regis Pontiac Alcartia and his dam Woodcrest Peterje Elma. He was bred at Middletown, N. J.

The German potato crop, estimated at 60,000,000 tons, is said to be the largest in the history of the country. The supply is so abundant that Germany has withdrawn prohibition against exporting potatoes to Switzerland.

Although American manufacturers of musical instruments announce an output of about \$100,000,000 worth a year, only about \$3,000,000 worth of such goods are exported, according to the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce of the Department of Commerce.

An expert fruit packer estimates that the dried fruit yield of California for 1915 will reach a value of \$22,500,000. He estimates that the state will produce 70,000,000 pounds of dried peaches, 40,000,000 pounds of apricots, 130,000,000 pounds of prunes and 30,000,000 pounds of raisins.

Albert C. Woodville, and Harry Hartless, conductors on the Washington Railway and Electric Company, who went to Washington from Virginia, were asphyxiated by illuminating gas Saturday night at the home of Hartless. Hartless came from Lynchburg, and Woodville, from Brandy Station.

The new \$2,000,000 Masonic Temple, headquarters of the Supreme Council of Scottish Rite Freemasonry for the Southern jurisdiction of the United States, which is also called the Mother Council of the World, was dedicated at Washington Monday with elaborate ceremonies and in the presence of a large assemblage of distinguished Masons from many parts of the country.

Southerners honored Oscar W. Underwood, United States Senator from Alabama, named as the most distinguished citizen of his state, Monday at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. The ceremonies arranged for "Oscar W. Underwood Day" included a luncheon at the California building, given by exposition officials. A bronze medal commemorating the event was struck for presentation to Senator Underwood.

Maurice Olgers, of Sutherland, Va., has been officially recognized by the agricultural experts of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition and the Universal Corn Convention as the champion corn grower of this state. Governor Stuart Monday received by mail from the president of the exposition company a communication advising him officially of the distinction conferred upon the Virginia farmer, and a handsome bronze medal, which is to be publicly presented to Farmer Olgers. The presentation will be made at a time and place to be selected later by the Governor.

A bald eagle, measuring 6 feet and 6 inches across the wings, was shot and killed Saturday by John Lewis, a farmer near Winchester, after a hard battle. Lewis came upon the eagle unexpectedly in his cornfield and found the bird endeavoring to get away with a dog that had been shot. The eagle attacked Lewis and a furious fight ensued. Lewis ran to the house for his shotgun and succeeded in killing the big bird before it got away with the dead dog.

If Congress agrees to the building plan of President Wilson, the yearly increase in the United States navy for the first time in history will approximate the annual construction of Great Britain during peace. Congress is to be asked to enter upon a definite policy covering a period of five years. At the end of that period the navy of the United States will be second only to the sea power of Great Britain, unless Germany has made far greater advances during the war than the information in possession of the naval intelligence office indicates.

"WALK, WALK, WALK."

There is a lot of common sense expressed in a bulletin issued by the United States public health service at Washington. In fact, there is a good deal said now by the health officials of states and cities which ought to make of us a stronger and hardier race, but undoubtedly much of the advice falls upon deaf ears. The latest warning from Washington is that the death rate of persons who have passed the age of forty years is increasing in spite of more sanitary modes of living and greater protection which is afforded against communicable diseases. The increased death rate is attributed to diseases of degeneration, which are largely caused by a lack of exercise.

"Walk, walk, walk," is the advice which is given and repeated by the federal health officials. Have a hobby which takes you into the open, recommend the doctors. For young men rowing is one of the best of athletic exercises and for the older men golf serves an excellent purpose. But the bulletin is not altogether of the positive kind. It has its don'ts, and one of them says, "Don't try to be a strong man."

Overtraining has its faults as well as lack of exercise and many an athlete dies young. Gymnastic work which overdevelops the muscles is not encouraged, but exercise of a more normal kind in the open is strongly recommended. Surely it is worth trying.—The Philadelphia Press.

Fire-alarm Bell Erected to Protect "Ironsides."

As a means of helping to safeguard the "Constitution"—"Old Ironsides"—which distinguished itself during the early part of the nineteenth century and especially in the War of 1812, from being destroyed by fire, a large alarm bell has been mounted at the pier where the aged naval relic is moored in the Charleston Navy Yard, says the November Popular Mechanics Magazine in an illustrated article. This is supported by a heavy wooden frame work which stands close to one side of the ship. A cord extends from the bell over the ship's railing in ready reach of the watchman. Hundreds of visitors inspect the vessel daily and for a long time it has been recognized that precautions must be taken to protect it against fire.

A Question of Time.

The New Parson—Well, I'm glad to hear you come to church twice every Sunday.

Tommy—Yes, I'm not old enough to stay away yet.—London Opinion.

His Own Fault.

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COURT PROCEEDINGS

COMMON LAW—THURSDAY
James Wright vs. R. Weir
judgment of attachment.

FRIDAY
Brooks Bros., Inc. vs. E. J. Gray
judgment confirmed—
plaintiff to recover \$65, with interest from April 8, 1913, and costs expended, subject to a credit of \$30 as of September 15, 1915.

B. F. Hedrick vs. Edwin J. Gray—plaintiff to recover \$388.36, with interest from September 1, 1915, and costs expended.

The Caroline County Bank of Bowling vs. A. Nichols—plaintiff to recover \$150, with interest from March 16, 1915, ten per cent. additional fee for collection and costs expended.

W. T. Mayhugh vs. E. J. Gray—plaintiff to recover \$75, with interest from September 1, 1915, and costs expended.

Thos. H. Lion, executor of Isaac P. Baldwin, deceased, vs. J. L. and Olive M. Moser—plaintiff to recover \$385, with interest from September 29, 1910, and costs expended, subject to credits as follows: \$75.28 as of December 30, 1910, \$22.50 as of January 26, 1912, \$76.25 as of March 30, 1914, \$75 as of April 14, 1914, and \$50 as of October 7, 1915.

H. F. Ward vs. D. McMaster—verdict for defendant who is to recover of plaintiff costs expended in case.

SATURDAY

On application of Marion Nimmo Burks, daughter of J. F. and Mrs. B. F. Burks, for guardian, the court appointed Mrs. B. F. Burks as her guardian.

John M. Hooe appointed guardian of Ruth G. Ruffner.

J. E. Herrell vs. Franklin Wise et al—matter continued until maturity of order of publication as required by law.

F. P. Conner vs. Mike Keababa—defendant to be paid residue of \$102.50, after commissions and tax costs have been deducted—the amount received to be credited on debt of \$260 and interest.

Majestic Mfg. Co. vs. James Luck & Son—plaintiff to recover \$265.21, with interest from September 11, 1914, and costs expended.

Bank of Occoquan vs. T. J. Linton and J. A. Morgan—plaintiff to recover \$77.87, with interest from May 5, 1915, ten per cent. additional for collection fee and costs expended.

Alexandria National Bank vs. Utterback Bros.—plaintiff to recover \$95.34, with interest from December 17, 1914, and costs expended.

Economy Silo & Mfg. Co. vs. W. L. Florence—plaintiff to recover \$60, with interest from June 12, 1913, \$38, with interest from February, 1913, and costs expended.

Cuyler and Mohler vs. C. W. Dalton—plaintiff to recover \$318.97, with interest from February 5, 1913.

MONDAY

Hon. Henry W. Holt, judge of the eighteenth judicial circuit, presided at the following session of the court.

Commonwealth vs. G. A. Hutchison—accused pleaded "not guilty"—case continued on Tuesday.

M. M. Russell vs. G. C. Russell, John H. and Belle Davis—plaintiff to recover \$132.50, with interest from April 18, 1914, subject to a credit of \$48 as of October 18, 1914, and costs expended.

S. Kaan Sons & Co. vs. Edwin J. Gray—plaintiff to recover \$192.18, with interest from June 8, 1915, and costs expended.

TUESDAY

Commonwealth vs. G. A. Hutchison—hearing in case continued—verdict of "not guilty"—defendant thereupon acquitted and discharged.

TUESDAY
Treasurer of court ordered to pay Judge Henry W. Holt \$64 for mileage and per diem.

John T. Patton fined five dollars for disorder in court.

Court adjourned until December, 1915, term.

CHANCERY—FRIDAY

Peoples National Bank of Manassas vs. Lynch—case referred to a master commissioner for report.

SATURDAY

F. M. Osborne, guardian, vs. Nannie V. Osborne et al—sale of real estate ordered.

Blackwell, guardian, vs. Blackwell et al and Daniel et al vs. Blackwell et al—cause argued, decreed to be consolidated under the style of Daniel et al vs. Blackwell et al, and ordered to be placed upon suspended chancery docket.

Hedges vs. Hedges—complainant given leave to file her amended bill in this cause.

Hulfish et al vs. Mercer et al—sale of real estate confirmed—cause placed upon suspended chancery docket.

E. R. Conner vs. R. Weir—plaintiff to recover balance of \$2.50, with cost expended—final decree.

B. F. Iden vs. A. Grossman—cause referred to a master commissioner for report.

Brown & Hooff vs. Geo. D. Farquhar, E. D. Morris and Macon Cave—Robert A. Hutchison and Thos. H. Lion appointed trustees to carry out provisions as set forth on July 10, 1914, and further elucidated now, and to sell all other personal property conveyed by deed of June 16, 1914, from Geo. B. Farquhar to E. D. Morris and Macon Cave.

W. B. Sanford vs. Julia Sanford—petition of plaintiff denied and dismissed—costs in case to be paid by plaintiff.

Irva Colvin vs. Leroy Colvin—divorce granted and plaintiff given leave to resume her maiden name.

C. W. Vetter vs. J. C. Recher, in his own right and as trustee, and the Emerson Brantingham Implement Co.—cause referred to C. A. Sinclair, a master commissioner, for report.

MONDAY

Seaton vs. Seaton et al—J. Donald Richards, bonded commissioner, to pay Oliver S. T. Seaton, or his attorney of record, C. A. Sinclair, \$1,331.09; to Eliza Seaton, or her attorney of record, J. Donald Richards, \$929.21—J. Donald Richards is to retain \$1,250, remainder of the commuted value of Eliza Seaton's life interest, until further order of the court, and to retain \$1,331.10, the distributive share of Vicky V. Seaton, minor, until further order of the court.

Ross executor vs. Ross et al—J. Donald Richards and C. A. Sinclair appointed special commissioners to sell real estate.

Notice To Teachers of Brentsville District.

A meeting of the Brentsville District teachers will be held at the Greenwich schoolhouse on Saturday, October 30, beginning at 10 a. m. An interesting and valuable program for both morning and afternoon sessions is being arranged.

In addition to discussions of timely topics by a number of teachers of the district, Mr. Geo. G. Tyler, superintendent of county schools, Prof. B. K. Watson, Director of Manassas Agricultural High School, and Miss Emily Johnson, county demonstrator for girls' canning clubs, will speak. Each teacher in the district is urged to be present and to come prepared to enter into a lively round-table discussion. Any other teachers and friends interested in educational work are cordially invited to be present. EARL D. MERRILL, Vice-president for Brentsville District.

A Bridal Trip to Richmond.

On the 14th of October we took a trip to Richmond, leaving Manassas at the Southern and arriving in Richmond via the R. F. & P. that evening. We spent the night at Murphy's and on the next morning we took an auto trip to the fair which proved to be highly enjoyable. The midway was entrancing and the exhibits were grand. The splendor of the midway and the buzzing of aeroplanes attracted the attention of many. Towards evening, as the sun was setting, we took an auto in from the fair and drove around the city, up and down hill, through park and by the river. Towards dusk we climbed to a great height where we saw the city, grand and bright before us. Can I ever forget that ride? I think not for it was with my sunny Southern bride. E. M. BRIGGS.

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DEATH OF J. NOTA MCGILL

Prominent Attorney of Washington Succumbs Saturday at Asheville, N. C.

The death of J. Nota McGill, of Washington, in Asheville, N. C., on Saturday last was the occasion of profound sorrow to hosts of friends, especially to the residents of Prince William county, among whom his mother's family has resided for the past five years. The old adage "Death loves a shining mark" may well be used in reference to the untimely ending of this young man whose life was replete with the "good deeds that live after," whose gracious and kindly bearing won for him friends in every walk of life and whose mental attainments early acquired the success he obtained in the practice of his profession.

Graduating from the Georgetown School of Law when only nineteen years of age, he was admitted to the bar on his twenty-first birthday. With patent law as his specialty, Mr. McGill rose rapidly to the foremost ranks of his profession.

He was made Register of Wills for the District of Columbia when only twenty-seven years of age—the youngest man in the United States ever appointed to that office.

At the time of his death, he was vice-president of the Patent Law Branch of the American Bar Association, vice-president of the Union Trust Company of Washington, president of the Colored Girls' Industrial School (a post held by him through four administrations), and prominently identified with several other civic and charitable organizations.

He held the chair of professor of patent law in the Georgetown School of Law. As evidence of the esteem entertained for him by the District Bar Association, all the courts of the District were closed on Monday last, and a committee appointed from the District Bar Association to attend the funeral which took place from St. Matthew's church on Tuesday.

Mr. McGill was a member of the Metropolitan, the Cosmos and the Chevy Chase clubs of Washington, and prominently identified with the Reform Club of New York.

He was married in September, 1897, at Larchmont Manor, N. Y., to Frances Maloy, of Morris Plains, N. J. He is survived by his wife and two young daughters, Miriam and Allen. His mother, reside near Haymarket, Va., and his only brother, Grafton L. McGill, is a resident of New York City and is engaged in the practice of patent law.

Profound sympathy is entertained for them in their bereavement.

"Sunday School Day" at Trinity.

Sunday will be "Sunday School Day" at Trinity Episcopal church. At 11 o'clock Sunday morning there will be the regular service with celebration of the Holy Communion for the officers, teachers and scholars who are confirmed members of the church. The sermon will be on "Religious Education." In the afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a special service at which addresses will be made by two laymen who are vestrymen of the church. The vestry will attend both morning and afternoon services in a body.

A special committee has been appointed to invite all parents, members of the church, Sunday School scholars and children of the church who have not been in the habit of attending regularly to both of these services. An offering for religious education will be taken at the afternoon service. Everyone in any way connected with the church is cordially invited and urged to attend both meetings of Sunday. Come out and help make Sunday a banner day for Trinity Episcopal Sunday School.

CORRECTION

THE JOURNAL erred last week in stating that Eastern College was defeated in its first football game of the season by the Warrenton High School team. The error was made in this way: A game had been scheduled between the local high school team (before it disbanded) and the Warrenton High School team. One of the members of the local high school squad informed us that the game which was to have been played on Oct. 1, would be played on October 8, the local team being Eastern College instead of Manassas High School. It turned out however that the team from Warrenton was not a high school team but one composed for the greater part of ex-stars and former college players.

HICKORY GROVE NEWS

Mr. Charles Polen was in Manassas Wednesday on business. Mrs. J. E. Downs spent Tuesday evening with Miss Laura Vermillion.

Misses Sadie and Sallie Cornnell and Agnes Duncan spent Monday with Mrs. John Smith near Sudley.

Mr. James Fewell and children have been boarding with Miss Laura Vermillion for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Downs, Mrs. Rachel Furr and Mr. Will Beaumont spent Sunday with Mr. James Virginia.

Miss Virginia Hunt is teaching school for Miss Jennie Ewell this week.

Mr. Mason Downs spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. C. V. Downes.

CATHARPIN BRIEFS

Chas. Brower (Big Six) has accepted a position with an automobile firm in Washington, D. C. Messrs. Henry Matthew and P. S. Buckley spent a few days in Richmond last week and took in the fair while they were there.

Mrs. R. H. Willis, of Roanoke, Va., is spending her vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Brower.

Miss Tillie Debell, of Centerville, is visiting at the home of Dr. C. F. Brower.

Mr. H. M. Artz is busy picking and shipping apples.

Mr. C. L. Anderson, of Washington, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. I. Anderson.

MILL PARK ACTIVITIES

The first meeting of the Mill Park Junior League for the present session was held last Friday afternoon. A short program of songs and readings was given and a lively interest was shown in the meeting by all the members. With Elmer Pickett again as president, Doyal Herrell as secretary and Philip Herrell as treasurer, it is expected that much real benefit will come from the league this year.

The Patrons' Day exercises will be held on the 29th of this month and every patron is urged and, in fact, expected to visit the school on that day.

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Mr. Charge it, in Sprinkel's grocery store, Oct. 2nd; the remains were taken care of by Mr. Spot Cash. It is the current report that Charge it was not able to stand the sudden shock of the unusually low prices being offered by that fellow Sprinkel. He went in his place of business to make a few purchases, expecting to pay the same old prices as formally, and when sugar was quoted to him at 54 cents, good hard at 11 cents, and the very best at 14 cents (the kind that his old grand-ma used to render), and good fat meat at 11 cents, and streak-of-lean and streak-of-fat (hog fed every other day) at 14 cents, and Arbuckles' coffee at 18 cents, and some that is said to be better at only 14 cents, and the very best whole grain rice at 8 cents, and all kinds of breakfast foods at 9 cents the package, and good assorted cakes, ginger snaps and soda crackers at only 9 cents per pound, 2 loaves of the very best bread for 9 cents, sack of good flour at 38 cents, good high grade for only 42 cents, a peck of meal dashed in at 27 cents, he came to the conclusion that there was certainly a reduction in every thing throughout the store; hence he left us. His last words were: "Owing to Sprinkel's plan of selling things to eat, his prices are bound to be 'always the lowest.'"

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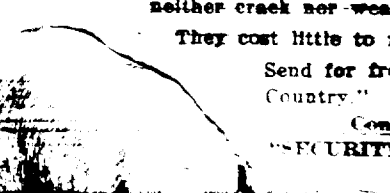
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