

PARTIAL REPORT MADE ON HENRICO

County Presents Great Opportunity for Enlargement of Farming.

WELL ADAPTED TOTRUCK CROPS

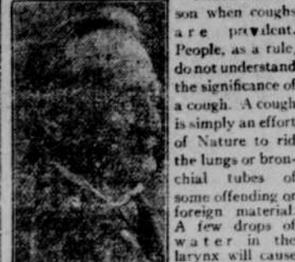
Bureau of Soils, of Department of Agriculture, Which Is Making Survey, Finds It Can Be Made to Supply Produce Consumed by Richmond.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, January 11.—W. E. Hearn, who was recently in charge of the party from the Bureau of Soils, United States Department of Agriculture, which was making a soil survey of Henrico County, Va., has made a preliminary chart of the conditions of the soils encountered by the experts, and their relation to agriculture. It is most important from every standpoint. The county contains 174,720 acres and embraces a portion of both the Piedmont plateau and the coastal plain sections. The surface features of the former consist of rolling to hilly upland areas, while those of the latter section consist of level to gently rolling surfaces. "Poultry raising and dairying can be extended on a commercial scale. Truck farming, fruit and berry growing could be profitably produced," states the report. "In fact, there is no reason why all the vegetables, fruit, poultry and dairy products could not be supplied for the Richmond market. The severe winter weather interrupted the work of the experts, but the bureau will resume operations in the county as soon as weather conditions will permit. The report continues in part:

Adapted to Truck Crops. "Lying to the east of Richmond the sandy loam soil with gray surface and yellow to red friable subsoils are especially adapted to truck crops, although general farming can also be profitably conducted. Along the James River occur some very productive soils which are splendidly suited to the growing of corn, oats, grasses and watermelons. There are large areas of the various classes of sandy loams in close proximity to the City of Richmond, which are capable of producing a wide variety of truck and garden crops. Considerable areas are now being devoted to these crops, and the industry will of necessity increase in order to supply the demand of the rapidly growing city.

Henrico County is traversed by a system of good macadam or sandal roads, lines of telephone and rural delivery of mail. Many large and well appointed farmhouses were observed in the county, particularly near Richmond, and on the bluffs along the James River. Quite a few prominent business men of Richmond own

WHAT IS A COUGH?



This is the season when coughs are prevalent. People, as a rule, do not understand the significance of a cough. A cough is simply an effort of Nature to rid the lungs or bronchial tubes of some offending or foreign material. A few drops of water in the larynx will cause any one to cough the same as a catarrhal effusion or an accumulation of mucus. Cough is a wholesome effort to protect the lungs from intrusion from harmful materials. A cough should not be regarded as a foe, but as a friend.

Pe-ru-na Removes the Cause of Cough. Pe-ru-na is a cough medicine in the strict sense of the word. It assists Nature in getting rid of the accumulated mucus in the bronchial tubes. It assists, first, by strengthening the nerves that control the act of coughing. And, second, by its expectorant effect the mucus discharges are slightly thinned, making them easier to expectorate. In other words, Pe-ru-na acts with Nature.

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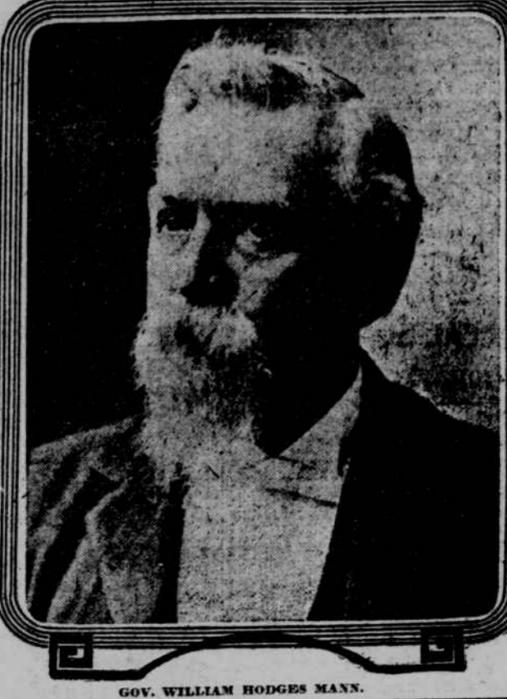
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beautiful farms and houses in the county, and are having the farms operated. One of the valuable farms in the eastern part of the county contains nearly 6,000 acres, and is estimated to be worth near one-half million dollars. "It is the object of the soil survey to show on a map the various grades or types of soils and the extent of each, and also to make a special study of the adaptation of the soil to the crop to which it is especially or best suited."

Handsome Returns Offered. "Good crops of clover and cowpeas may be produced, and these are needed to supply the great demand. Poultry raising and dairying can be extended on a commercial scale. Truck farming, fruit and berry growing offer handsome returns for the capital and labor expended. "Henrico County is very favorably located as regards transportation by both rail and water, as several railroads traverse the area and the James River is navigable to the east of Richmond. Two interurban lines lead out across the county to Ashland and Seven Pines."

That the banking and currency investigations now being carried on are soon to bring about results, and the lines which they are likely to follow when ended and the recommendations filed with the House, may be seen in the following bill which has just been

WILL SPEAK TO-DAY AT Y. M. C. A. MEETING



GOV. WILLIAM HODGES MANN.

Introduced by Congressman Glass: "That no officer or director of a national bank shall receive or be beneficiary, either directly or indirectly, of any fee, brokerage, commission, gift or other consideration for or on account of any loan, purchase, sale, payment, exchange or transaction made by or on behalf of a national bank of which he is such officer or director. Any person violating any provision of this act shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding \$5,000 or by a term in the penitentiary not exceeding three years, or both such fine and imprisonment."

His Office Moved. Congressman Flood, who has just been made chairman of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs to succeed former Congressman Sulzer, of New York, to-day moved his offices from the House office building to the Capitol. He is now elegantly fixed up in every way, and hereafter visitors coming to Washington to see him will find him just across the lobby from the House chamber. The Post-office Department announced to-day that for the first week of its existence Richmond had handled a total of 16,000 parcel post packages. P. H. McG.

Sunday Services In City Churches

Unless otherwise noted in this column, usual services will be conducted at customary hours by regular pastors of local churches.

The speaker at the new meeting in the Central Young Men's Christian Association auditorium this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock will be Governor William Hodges Mann. The subject of his address will be "Thou Shalt Have No Other Gods," and during the course of his talk he is expected to deal with many problems of modern life. The association thinks itself especially fortunate in securing Governor Mann for a meeting, and one of the largest crowds will begin at 10 o'clock.

The Railroad Young Men's Christian Association will be addressed this afternoon by Newton W. Preston, congressional secretary from Nebraska. His subject will be "Buried Treasure." The meeting will be held at 4 o'clock. The Baptist Sunday School Association will hold its regular monthly and quarterly meeting this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Calvary Baptist Church. "A Rationing Worth Having" will be the topic on which Rev. Alexander T. Bowser, pastor of the First Unitarian Church, will have his sermon this morning. The service will begin at 10 o'clock.

Rev. George W. Kemper will preach this morning at 10 o'clock in the Hanover Avenue Christian Church on the subject, "The Christian's Responsibility." The subject of the evening will be "Five Reasons Why I Am a Christian." The annual business meeting of the Seventh Street Christian Church will be held this afternoon in the new assembly room at 12:30 o'clock. Rev. H. D. Macauley, the pastor, will preach this morning at 10 o'clock.

Rev. T. H. Haden, a returned missionary from Japan, will occupy the pulpit of Centenary Methodist Church this morning. He will speak on "The Christian's Responsibility." The pastor, Rev. W. J. Young, D. D., the pastor, will preach a sequel to the sermon he delivered last Sunday evening. The subject will be "Making the Best of a Good Job."

Rev. D. W. Jackson, pastor of Epworth Methodist Church, will preach this morning at 10 o'clock in the Methodist Church. Rev. E. V. Aaron, the pastor, will preach in the evening on the subject, "Bearing with the Other's Burden."

There will be no services to-night at the Second Presbyterian Church, the congregation having decided to unite with St. Paul's Church in the interest of the Episcopal Society. Rev. Samuel Reed, D. D., the pastor, will preach this morning. The service to-night at St. Paul's church will be addressed by Rev. W. C. Hommel, D. D., of Elizabeth, N. J.

R. L. Smith will address the members of the International Bible Students at their regular meeting this afternoon at 8 o'clock in Southside Hall. His subject will be "The Keys of Death and Hell."

H. O. Williams, of New York, international secretary of the Railroad Y. M. C. A., will speak to men this afternoon in the Colored Young Men's Christian Association. His subject will be "The Nineteenth Century Call." There will be special music.

HUMAN INTEREST SERMONS

Sermons that a Richmond pastor has booked for a few Sunday nights. Dr. Thomas Skinner, the pastor of the Second Baptist Church, of this city, is a believer in the right kind of advertising. He is a man who has a good message to deliver, and he wants the world to know about that message. To that end he has issued a little booklet announcing that beginning to-night he will preach at his church at the corner of Adams and Franklin Streets a series of sermons of human interest. Dr. Skinner, as usual, with the men of his cloth, is raising this little pamphlet only among the members of his congregation. The pamphlet announces a series of Sunday night sermons on "Applied Christianity." His subject will be "The Individual Life" (man and God); January 19—"The Related Life" (man and man); January 20—"The Marital Life" (husband and wife); February 2—"The Parental Life" (parenthood and childhood); February 9—"The Commercial Life" (the Christian and business); February 16—"The Political Life" (the Christian and State); February 23—"The Entertained Life" (the Christian and amusements).

OPENING OF NEW SCHOOL

Largely Attended Exercises Held at Eion College. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Eion College, N. C., January 11.—A memorable event in the town and surrounding community was the formal opening of the new \$500 brick graded school building this week. Present were the County Board of Education, County Superintendent Robertson, Dean A. Skinner, editor of the Christian Sun, Rev. I. I. Cox, chairman of the school district board, and Professor W. M. Lawrence, who is chairman of the building committee. All of these made appropriate speeches, the exercises being largely attended.

Dr. Sumner, president of Palmer Institute-Spartan Seminary, one of the few remaining high grade, old-time preparatory schools of New England, and of the Francis Taylor Board, who dispenses large sums of money to religious education.

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- One-Piece Dresses in serges, superbly trimmed and finished; values worth \$15.00; special for... **\$5.98**
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Women's and Misses' Coats

- Chinchillas and novelty fabrics; a beautiful assortment to select from:
- Coats that are worth \$18.00 and \$20.00 are now... **\$6.98**
- Coats that are worth \$25.00 and \$27.50 are now... **\$9.98**

Ladies' Waists and Silk Petticoats

- Beautiful Lingerie Waists, worth \$1.50, are now... **89c**
- The most exquisite Lingerie Waists, worth \$2.50, are now... **\$1.25**
- Ladies' Silk Waists, in assorted colors, all shades; \$3.00 values for... **\$1.98**
- Ladies' Silk Waists, in blue, white and black, \$5.00 values for... **\$2.48**
- Silk Petticoats, all shades, \$3.00 quality for... **\$1.98**
- Silk Petticoats, all shades; \$5.00 quality for... **\$2.48**

Boys' Overcoats and Reefers

- Full Length Coats for older boys and Russian styles and Reefers for the youngsters—all go at cost price
- \$7.48 Overcoats and Reefers now... **\$7.48**
- \$8.50 Overcoats and Reefers now... **\$6.48**
- \$7.50 Overcoats and Reefers now... **\$5.48**
- \$6.00 Overcoats and Reefers now... **\$4.48**
- \$5.00 Overcoats and Reefers now... **\$3.48**
- \$3.50 Overcoats and Reefers now... **\$2.48**
- Boys' Tan, Patent Leather and Gunmetal Shoes, worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, now on sale at... **\$1.95**
- Boys' Heavy Ribbed School Hose, very elastic and fast color, 25c value... **17c**
- Boys' \$2.00 All Wool Coat Sweaters, assorted colors, special... **\$1.69**
- Boys' \$1.50 All Wool Coat Sweaters, as sorted colors, special... **\$1.29**
- Boys' Ribbed and Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, 25c grade; sale price... **21c**

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants

- 75c quality; Knickerbocker Pants now... **49c**
- \$1.00 quality Knickerbocker Pants now... **89c**
- \$1.50 quality Knickerbocker Pants now... **\$1.29**
- \$2.00 quality Knickerbocker Pants now... **\$1.69**
- Boys' Tan Light Weight Rubber Rain-coats, \$4.00 quality... **\$3.00**

SALE OF Boys' Norfolk Suits

- All Wool Norfolk Suits, in fancy patterns, \$5.00 quality... **\$3.98**
- All Wool Norfolk Suits, in fancy patterns, \$6.00 quality... **\$4.48**
- All Wool Blue Serge Norfolk Suits, \$6.50 quality; sale... **\$4.98**
- All Wool Blue Serge Norfolk Suits, \$7.50 quality; sale... **\$5.98**
- Boys' Russian and Sailor Suits, in blue serges and novelty mixtures—
- \$8.50 quality... **\$6.48**
- \$7.50 quality... **\$5.48**
- \$6.00 quality... **\$4.48**
- \$5.00 quality... **\$3.48**
- 50 dozen Boys' Bell Blouse Shirtwaists, collars attached, fancy percales and madras; regular 50c quality; special... **39c**



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AGED ENGINEER MEETS HIS DEATH

Mangled Body of N. & W. Trainman Found Lying by Railroad Tracks. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Roanoke, Va., January 11.—Thomas G. Newman, aged seventy-one years, said to be the oldest engineer in the employ of the Norfolk and Western Railroad, and one of the oldest in the country, was killed this morning near the roundhouse at West End, while on his way to take out his engine. There were no witnesses to the accident. The mangled body lying on the tracks just west of the roundhouse. Life was not yet extinct, and the company's ambulance was hastened to the scene and the unfortunate man taken up for a quick trip to the hospital. Both legs and the right arm were badly crushed, and the body was otherwise bruised and cut.

An investigation was started, and blood was found on the pony truck of Engine 452, which had passed over the track a few minutes before the body was found. Mr. Newman had pulled a local freight between this city and Crewe for many years. He was born June 12, 1842, and entered the railway service in May, 1861, as an engine watchman. The following year he was made fireman, and in 1864 engineer, which position he held filled continuously up to the time of his death. His wife died four or five years ago, and a son, Walter Newman, who was an engineer on the Norfolk division, died about ten years ago.

FUNERAL BY PARCELS POST.

Ashes Sent From Crematory to Graveyard by Mail. St. Louis, January 11.—Human ashes were mailed by parcels post at the St. Louis post-office to Edwarsville, Ill., where they will be buried in the grave that was dug for Frederick Naumann. Naumann died on Saturday at Edwarsville, and preparations for the funeral had been made and the grave dug when it was learned that Naumann's will directed that the body be cremated. The body then was brought to the St. Louis crematory.

SHOOTS HIMSELF THROUGH TEMPLE

Dickens Jones, Prominent Danville Citizen, Commits Suicide. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Danville, Va., January 11.—Dickens Jones, aged thirty years, a member of a prominent family and a thoroughly popular man, committed suicide here at 8:30 o'clock this morning, by shooting himself through the right temple with a .32-calibre revolver, in the basement of the Parley Plumbing Company's establishment on Union Street, of which he was part owner. The body was found half an hour after the shooting by a negro wagon driver, who, in searching for material in the cellar, stumbled over the prostrate form of his dead employer. Coroner Kennedy and Dr. Julian Robinson viewed the remains a short while after the police had been notified, and deemed it a clear case of suicide. The revolver was found in the man's right hand with one of the five chambers exploded.

Jones had been in bad health for the past few weeks, and his queer actions were noticed by his many friends. He admitted several days ago to one of his closest friends that he feared that he was becoming mentally unbalanced, and this is thought to have driven the man to his act. No communication of any kind was discovered on the body, and he left home this morning stating that he would be back to dinner. Jones is survived by two brothers, Harry, of Richmond, and Gestave, of North Carolina, one sister, Mrs. James White, of Statesville, N. C., E. K. Jones, a prominent local tobacco man, is an uncle, as is also William Henry Jones, a well known county man. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of John James, a relative, and will be conducted by the Rev. J. Cleveland Hall.

SUCCESSFUL RAID.

Five Men at Work Captured and Two Stills Destroyed. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Roanoke, Va., January 11.—Considering the number of officers involved, the number of men captured and amount of property destroyed, a two days' raid in Franklin County by Deputy Collector H. C. Henry and his companion, D. A. Kanipe, was the most successful effort against illicit distilleries in that section for years. Thursday and Friday the two men uncovered and destroyed two complete outfits, including copper stills and nearly 1,000 gallons of beer, and captured five men at work in the plants.

Placed in Hands of Trustees.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Bristol, Va., January 11.—Brown Brothers, the oldest carriage manufacturers here, to-day placed their business in the hands of trustees to be liquidated. Their liabilities are \$1,000, while their assets, including buildings, are scheduled at \$21,000.

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