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FRUIT GROWERS ARRANGE PROGRAM

Annual Session in Pocomoke Will Be Unusually Profitable And Interesting, January 10th.

The Peninsula Horticultural Society, including in its membership the progressive growers of fourteen counties and three states, and aided by the treasures of those states, has completed the program for its annual convention to be held next month at Pocomoke.

The program summarized, is as follows:

Tuesday afternoon, 2 o'clock—Call to order by President Frank E. Matthews; prayer; address of welcome; response, S. H. Derby, Woodside, Del.; report of secretary, treasurer; annual address of the president, Frank E. Matthews, Pocomoke, Md.; The Peach, George A. Hill, Bridgeville, Del.; Apple Culture on the Peninsula, Walter B. Harris, Worton, Md.; More Publicity For the Eastern Apple, Leigh Mitchell Hodges, Philadelphia, Pa.

Evening session, 7 30 o'clock—Music; address on education, Professor W. R. Silvester, president Maryland Agricultural College; Orchard Products of the Peninsula. Orlando Harrison, Berlin, Md., Control of Fungus Diseases and Insect Pests, Professor J. B. S. Norton and Professor T. B. Symons, College Park, Md.; Recent Work to Secure Perfect Orchard Fruit, lantern slide lecture, Professor W. M. Scott, U. S. Department of Agriculture; Orchard Methods East and West, lantern slide lecture, G. R. Cushman, Baltimore, Md.

Wednesday morning 9 o'clock—Nut Culture, Professor C. P. Close, U. S. Department of Agriculture; Pear Culture, J. T. Shallcross, Jr., Middletown, Del.; Small Fruits, O. A. Newton, Bridgeville, Del.; Report on Market Gardening, E. C. Johnson, Newark, Del. Home Mixing of Fertilizers, H. T. Dumont, Philadelphia, Pa.

Afternoon Session, 2 o'clock—Address Dr. R. S. Hill, Director of Farmers' Institutes of Maryland; Tomatoes for the canning Factory. Professor C. A. McCue, Horticulturist, Delaware Experiment Station; Potatoes as a Truck Crop, Prof. T. C. Johnson, Director Virginia Truck Experiment Station; Report on Sweet Potatoes, W. L. Elzey, Exmore, Va.; Sweet Potatoes as a Commercial Crop, Professor M. B. Waite, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Evening Session, 7.30 o'clock—Music; Trucking in the Norfolk Region, lantern slide lecture, Professor T. C. Johnson; Eastern Horticulture, lantern slide lecture, Professor R. L. Watts, Horticulturist, State College, Pa.; reception and banquet given by Pocomoke City Board of Trade.

Thursday Morning, 9 o'clock—Growing Onions for Market, W. R. Beattie, U. S. Department of Agriculture; Cantaloupes and Cucumbers, W. F. Allen, Salisbury, Md.; Leguminous Crops in Trucking, Professor A. E. Grantham, Agronomist, Delaware Experiment Station; The Work of the Pennsylvania Railroad Demonstration Farm, H. S. Lippincott, Bacon, Del.

Afternoon Session, 2 o'clock—Address, J. W. Kerr, Denton, Md.; Produce Exchanges, addresses by Harry Merrill, Pocomoke, Md., Ebe Walter, Dover, Del; A. J. McMath, Onley, Va.; report of committee on transportation.

TESTIMONIAL TO GEORGE V. MASSEY

George V. Massey, general counsel of the Pennsylvania Railroad has reached the age of 70 years and has been retired. Saturday night the 152 lawyers who are needed to attend the legal affairs of the company assembled from the various states and met at the Bellevue-Stratford, Philadelphia, to do honor to the retiring chief.

Tributes of affection and regard, of appreciation for his services and his ability were voiced by such men as Judge George Gray, of the United States court; Thomas H. Murray, of the force of counsel; John G. Johnson, lawyer of eminence and art connoisseur; James McCrea, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad and others.

It was a dinner given by the solicitors to the "boss." The veteran hero not only of legal battles, but of battles of wit and brain, was acclaimed by eminent men of bench and bar, and all who knew him approved out of every laudatory word that was uttered.

The big officials of the Pennsylvania railroad were there to testify to their approval. It was not by desire that they parted company with George V. Massey, but it was only because it is a law of the company that a man must retire when he reaches a certain age, and the guest of the evening had been sent forth to enjoy the rest of his life without bothering about the world's affairs or the affairs of the railroad with which he had been connected since long before he grew a pair of side whiskers—and that was long ago and almost forgotten.

Stories were told of him, humorous, some with gentle "knocks," some of which might have been true, all of them harmles, but amusing, and yet other stories were told of his humanity and his big-heartedness. There was one which was voiced by Judge Gray of how on one occasion a man had lost his life on the railroad, leaving a widow and children; how Massey had won his case when the company was sued, and how after winning, as it was his duty to do, he had obtained from the company a generous competence for the widow and her brood.

Senator-elect William W. Beck, the attorney for Kent, was present.

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Bed Blankets, in white, plaids and colored, in prices ranging from 48½c pair to $10.00.
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