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The book is listed as 1805 to 1955 which would be an impossible task finding all the businesses for such a large period of time. However, I do think the researcher will find this book helpful especially if the index is used to facilitate the search. The book is geared toward the person doing research on a specific town or occupation.

I would like to thank the following for their help:

AG     Alexandria Gazette
BD     Virginia Business Directory
BL     Prince William County Business Licenses
BR     Business Records
BYB    Brentsville Year Books
CB     Charter Books
CO     Certificates of Ownership
IRR    Internal Revenue Records
MD     Manassas Democrat Newspaper
MJ     Manassas Journal Newspaper
MM     Manassas Messenger Newspaper
MWG    Manassas Weekly Gazette Newspaper
PWN    Prince William News Newspaper
QS     Quantico Sentry Newspaper
RP     Record of Partnership
SM     Prince William County Supervisors Minutes
YP     Yellow Pages
7-Eleven Store – 310 Occoquan Road, Woodbridge, owned by Southland Corp. of Texas, 1962 CO

7-Eleven Store – 816 Centreville Road, Manassas, owned by Southland Corp. of Texas, 1962 CO

55 Motel and Restaurant – Gainesville, VA, at the intersection of 55 & 29, the owner in 1960 is given as C. W. Stripe Sr. CO This was also known as The Caverns Motel and Restaurant.

A & B Grill – Dumfries, Va. Route #1, restaurant, Clyde William Burnley owner in 1959 CO

A & D Company – Triangle Va., Heating supplies and plumbing company, V. B. Dannehl, Henry and Shirley Amidon were listed as owners in 1947

A & M Plumbing – 201 S. Grant Avenue, Manassas – A plumbing and heating company owned by James Anderson & Gerald Mullins in 1966 C.O.

A & P Food Stores - Manassas, Va., South Battle Street, - established 1859, in the 1925 business licenses the company was called “The Great A. & P. Tea Company. The food chain ran a large weekly ad with specials, for a sample see 4 Feb 1937 M. J. - location was at 205 Center Street in 1941

A & P Food Stores - Quantico, Va., Shop for these values at the Quantico Store - Iceberg lettuce $.05 a head, Tuna Fish 13 ounce can $0.021, Peas 2 #2 cans $.25, Libby’s Tomato Juice 4 - 14 oz cans for $0.25, Sliced Bacon 1/2 pound for 15 cents. - 15 May 1936 Quantico Sentry.

A & R Bargain Store – Manassas, Va., 531 Centreville Road, clothing and sporting goods, Gilbert A. Ray and Arth W. Sessler were listed as the owners in 1960 TD

A & S Electric Company – Woodbridge, VA, owners in 1966 were Allan Bland and Herbert Strother C.O.

A & T Grill – Dumfries, Va., Route #1 – A restaurant owned by Clyde William Burney in 1959 C.O.

A-1 Fruit Stand – Woodbridge, Va., fresh fruits and vegetables, owners listed in 1960 CO are Ernest Worley and Ashton Shifflett

A-1 Market – Woodbridge, Va., groceries, vegetables, etc., Robert L. Boyles owner 25 June 1958 CO


A No. 1 Cafe - Quantico, Va., 338 Potomac Ave., The most modern Cafe in Quantico. Delicious foods at all times with special reservations for parties. The certificate of ownership dated 30 Jan 1941 list the owners as Michael Pangalis and James Zannis.

A No. 1 Cafe & Hotel - Quantico, Va.,338 Potomac Avenue, Specials - Barbecue Sandwiches, Houses and Apartments for rent, Garages for Rent, phone 359, 12 Jun 1935 Quantico Sentry, owners in September 1959 were George and Carolyn Stanley.

A Z Z Store – Occoquan Va. – second hand furniture, Paul G. Trivett 1960 CO

Abel, R. S General Store - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories as a General Merchant. Abel purchased a merchant and tobacco license from 1910 to 1921. In 1910 the location of the store is listed as Mayville, all the other years it is shown as Dumfries.

Abel, Reubin W. – Potomac / Quantico, Va. started paying for a gitney license in 1921 for two cars. In 1924 he paid twenty-five dollars for five cars.

Abel, Robert A. - Dumfries, Had a merchant and retail tobacco license 1897-1899. BL
Abel, W. P. - Horton’s Store, Va., Listed in the 1884-1885 and 1888-1889 Virginia business directories as a saddle and harness maker and in the 1897-1898 directory as an Orlando, Va. saddle maker.

Abel, W. W. - General Store - Dumfries / Potomac, Va., Hats, Hardware, Medicines, Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries & General Merchandise - W. W. Abel was issued a merchant, cigar, tobacco, and retail liquor license from about 1890 at least 1917. BL, BD, LP

Abel’s Sinclair Service – Independent Hill, Va. – service station and grocery store, owned in 1958 by Randolph Abel CO

Accotink Dry Cleaners - Triangle, Va., The owners on the 13 Sep 1948 certificate of ownership were Milton Wolinetz, Milton Elgort, and Mayer Moses.

Acme Service Garage - Brentsville, Va., at Bradley Forest, business of general garage, automobile repairing and motor rebuilding, Carl T. Dorset and Albert Daniel Bell were the owners 6 Feb 1948 C.O.

Acousti Vision T.V. Service – Woodbridge, Va., Woodbridge Plaza, T. Dean Reynolds 1961 CO

Adams, Charles H. - Jewelry Store - Manassas, Va., Elgin Watches, railroad standard, jewelry, watches, clocks, 5 Jan 1923 M. J. This business started in 1917 and continued past 1927.

Adams Express Company - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1888-1889 Virginia business directory. The company was also known as “The C.C. Adams & Brawner Express Company”.

Adams, G. L. - Bristow, Va., merchant and tobacco license for 1920, sold tobacco products - Browns Mule, Honest Snuff, LaRallo, Garretts Snuff, Old Virginia Cheroots, Red J., Camels, Chesterfields, Piedmont 200s, these items were purchased from Davis Tobacco Company, Baltimore Md. - 13 Aug 1920 invoice. This business appears to have only been in business for the years 1919 through 1921.

Adams Ordinary - Susannah Adams operated the ordinary and paid a business tax from 1909 to at least 1912 in Prince William County.

Adamson, R. J. - Manassas, Va., Was a member of the Manassas town council in 1892. He was also a Manassas confectioner in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Adamson, Mrs. Robert J. - (Annie) Manassas, Va., Ladies furnishing goods, “I give the very closest attention to what is being worn, everything is new, stylish and at the very lowest prices”. 22 Nov 1901 M. J. - Listed in the 1910 – 1927 business licenses for retail merchants and in 1917 Virginia business directory as a millinery shop owner. Her obituary is in the 13 Jun 1947 M.M.

Adamson, W. J. & Company - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories as a general merchant.

Adamson, William J. - Bristow, Va., A cattle dealer at Bristow from about 1918. BR

Adelle Florist Shop – Triangle, Va., Fuller Heights Road, owner in 1962 was Doris A. Seward CO

Akers & Allensworth - Manassas, Va., M. I. C. building, ladies and gents clothing cleaned and pressed. Goods called for and delivered, satisfaction guaranteed. 11 Jan 1912 M. D.

Akers Barber Shop - Manassas Park, Va., 135 Denver Drive, Benjamin A. Akers, prop. 1950

Akers, G. F. - Brentsville, Va., Listed as a general contractor, carpenter, and builder in the 1893-1894, 1897-1898, and 1906 Virginia business directories.
Al and Hitt – Manassas, Va., heating, sheet metal, air-conditioning, Albert Givans and Clarence Hitt 1960 CO

Albis, Joe - Barber Shop - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses as a barber.

Albis, John. - Quantico, Va., merchant licenses 1924 – 1925.

Albrite’s Grocery – Nokesville, Va., general merchandise, W. C. Albrite was owner 1958 CO

Alcott, A. E. – Manassas Va., hauling and firewood, 17 Nov 1920 clerk’s loose papers

Alexander & Lauck Practitioners of Medicine - Manassas, Va., Main Street, also dealers in drugs, chemicals, paints, oils, fancy articles, dye stuffs and etc., terms cash, Lawrence Alexander and Theodore Lauck opened the business late in 1869 and continued into the 1870s. They are also listed in the 1870 Virginia business licenses.

Alexander, D. C. - Minnieville / Neabsco Mills, Va., General Store in 1877 that sold everything from groceries to lumber. Was the owner and operator of a bar room and saw mill in the 1880s. BL, BD - Listed in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories as a millwright and the owner of a saw, corn, and flour mill at Minnieville. The 1893-1894 directory list him as a undertaker. In 1897 he was a Prince William magistrate. In the 1917 Virginia business directory he is listed as a barber.


Alexander, James - Was a peddler in the 1823 and 1824 business licenses.

Alexander, Lawrence - Manassas, Va., Physician starting in 1868 and by 1870 had teamed with Dr. Theodore H. Lauck to start the practice of Alexander & Lauck on Main Street in Manassas.

Alexander, Mattie - General Store, Minnieville, Was a retail merchant with a tobacco license from 1898 to past 1906. BL

Alexander, Robert - Had a retail merchant business license from 1 May 1827 to 22 May 1849. BL

Alexander, T. B. - Dumfries, Va., Was a Dumfries merchant and operated a bar room in the 1890s. BL - In the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898, Virginia business directories he is listed as a general merchant, carpenter and builder at Minnieville.

Alexander, William E. - In the business licenses from 1823 to at least 1826 as a seller of retail merchandise.

Alexander, Willis - Manassas, Va., 422 West Center Street, blacksmith and wheelwright, welding and brazing, 1951 yellow pages.

Alexion, A. K. – Quantico, Va., Operated an eating house in the early 1920s with a licenses to sell tobacco products.

Alice’s Beauty Salon – Manassas, Va., Alice O’Meara owner 28 Aug 1958 CO

All America – Dumfries, Va. – sports equipment – owner in 1963 was John M. Jagoda


Allen and Sweeney - Gainesville, Va., They were listed on 29 Apr 1925 as general retail merchants and paid a license fee of $23.63.
Allen Brothers - Gainesville, Va., county surveyor, civil engineers, George J. Allen & Charles B. Allen will do farm surveying and other branches of civil engineering. - 19 Dec 1919 MJ

Allen, Cornelius Jr. – Thoroughfare, Va., operated a house of private entertainment at Thoroughfare in the year 1921

Allen, George J. – Gainesville, Va., Started a store in Gainesville in the year 1921. This store in 1924 became Allen & Florence and in 1925 Allen & Sweeney. In 1927 Allen sold his part of the business to Partlow and became known as Sweeney & Partlow. Sometime around 1930 the store was known as John R. Sweeney General Merchandise.

Allen’s Ordinary - Nokesville, Va., listed as in Free’s house, Samuel D. Allen, owner. 1899 & 1900 BL

Allen Water Treatment – Lake Jackson, Va., William A. Adair owner 1959 CO

Allensworth Billiards Saloon - Manassas, Va., The first record of the business was a business license dated 15 Oct 1909. The location is not known but must have been a large building because he also paid for a license to have a house of private entertainment with at least 5 beds.

Allison, A. M. - Catharpin, Va., listed in the 1906, 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories as a blacksmith and wheelwright. He is also listed in the 1920 census as a blacksmith with his own shop.

Allison’s Service Station – Gainesville, Va., gasoline, oil, car repairs and small parts, 1931 account statement

Allman, Thomas Lee - Physician - Quantico, Va. had a license to practice medicine 26 Jun 1931.

Alpaugh, Charles W. & Sons - Engineers - Manassas, Va., construction engineers, all classes of construction work including water supply, reservoirs, power plant, dams, mills, and machinery. 28 Jan 1930 M. J.

Alpaugh, Helen R. - Beauty Parlor - Manassas, Va., announcement of opening on Main Street, next door to Prince William Hotel, marcel waving, manicuring, shampooing, hair cutting, graduate of prof. Rohrer’s School of Beauty, phone Manassas 132, Manassas, Va. 11 Oct 1928 M. J.

Allred’s Small Engine Repair – Woodbridge, Va., Route #1 – lawnmower sales and service – owner in 1962 is listed as Horace V. Allred CO

Al’s Garage - Manassas, Va., 109 North Grant Ave., - Now open for business. Let us make your car “Fit as a Fiddle”, body and fender work, parts, accessories, paint job, Alfred S. Milnes owner 3 Jan 1947 M. M.

Alton Hotel - See Hotel Alton

Alvey Store - Catharpin, Va., J. W. Alvey paid $39.09 license fee for the general store 29 Apr 1925. BL. This is the year the store changed from F. H. Sanders & Company to J. W. Alvey Gen. Merchandise.


American Business Company - Manassas, Va., general distribution of selected merchandise. H. B. Ritter was the sole owner and manager on the 1938 ownership certificate.

American Stores Inc. - Manassas, Va., groceries & meats, 427 Mathis Ave., Buren J. Perry was the store manager in 1960

American Telephone Company - Brentsville, Va., in the business of manufacturing telephone and telephone supplies. The company was to construct and maintain telephone and telegraph lines in the county. The
president was listed as Benjamin Butterworth of Cincinnati, Ohio. Charles E. Nicol of Brentsville was on the board of directors. C.B.

**Ames Concrete Vaults** – Manassas, Va., Quarry Street, sale and manufacture of burial vaults, Bernard O. Ames 1960 C.O.

**Ames Funeral Home** – Manassas, Va., 333 Quarry Street, undertakers, Bernard O. Ames owner 1959 C.O.

**Amidon Garage** – Dumfries, Va. – operated by Jay Amidon about 1918 – information from Lee Liming

**Amidon General Store** - Dumfries, Va., James M. Amidon is listed as the owner in the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories.

**Anchor Room** – Quantico, Va., restaurant, George Coutros was the owner 20 Aug 1958 C.O.

**Anderson & Brooks Company** – Manassas, Va., contracting company, Henry M. Anderson & Sam R. Brooks were owners in 1959

**Anderson, Margaret** - paid a $20 fee for a retail merchant’s license 1 May 1839. BL

**Anderson, T. C.** - Bristow, Va., Listed in the 1908 and 1909 business licenses as a common crier.

**Anderson’s Sunoco** – Triangle, Va., service station, James W. Anderson 1959 CO

**Andrews, F. W.** - District #1, paid a tax for a retail merchant and tobacco license in 1894.

**Andrews, J. F. - Shoe Shop** - Manassas, Va., notary public, boot & shoe shop, I am now prepared to make to order newly all kinds of boots & shoes of the greatest quality. I use no inferior leather if I know it. In a new shop opposite Round’s Law office 5 Jun 1869 M.W.G.

**Andy’s Radio & T.V. Service** – Woodbridge, Va., sales and service, owners in 1958 were William A. Andracek and Roy A. Wright C.O. In 1960 the owner is listed as John Robert Sims C.O.

**Andy’s T.V. Sales & Service** – Haymarket, Va., owner Elias G. Anderson 1959 C.O.

**Ann’s Discount Store** – Hoadley, Va., General Merchandise – owner in 1962 was Dorothy Ann Furr CO

**Annis, John A.** - Dumfries, Va., a saddle and harness maker in the 1850s and 1860s.

**Antell, Edward L.** - Manassas, Va., 335 East Center Street, phone 100, contractor and builder, 1951 yellow pages.

**Antique Auction Company** – Ralph W. Orrock, proprietor – We buy, sell and trade and are located behind the bank building on Route #1, Triangle, VA. CO

**Appleton, Samuel** - Brentsville, Va., a cattle dealer in the 1920s.

**Arey, W. Laird** - Manassas, Va. auto tires, guaranteed 10,000 miles against rim cuts and stone bruises, prices right, see me before buying. 2 Apr 1921 P.W.N.

**Arrington and Higgins,** - District #2, paid for a huckster license 9 Sep 1882. BL

**Arrington Dry Cleaners** - Manassas, Va., East Center Street, 24 Hour Special Service - In new location corner of Main & Quarry Street. 3 day free pickup and delivery service on laundry & dry cleaning. 29 Nov 1956 M. J. - John T. Arrington was the owner and operator 11 Dec 1948 CO. On the 24 Apr 1951 certificate of ownership James Harry Gray was the owner and proprietor.
**Arrington, David J. General Store** - Manassas, Va., Operated from 1912 to the late 1940s at North Main Street. This building was known as Hixson Hall and was first used by George Hixson for making and selling retail cabinets and coffins. The following is from a 19 Dec 1919 issue of the Manassas Journal -“groceries, everything good to eat, my line embraces staple and fancy groceries, queens ware, tin, and enamel ware. Come in and be convinced”. The next ad is from a 1921 issue of the Prince William News - “Grocery orders will receive prompt and careful attention when left or telephoned. Salted Meats, Fish and Oysters in season, china, glassware, enamel, and tin ware. Prices are consistent with good goods”. - In the 1920 and 1925 Virginia business licenses David Arrington is listed as a general retail merchant. D. J. Arrington was also a county magistrate in 1893 and served on the town council from 1915 to 1931.

**Arrington, E.** - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a saw mill owner at Hoadley.

**Arrington, E. S.** - Manassas, Va., Is listed as a huckster in Chataigne’s 1880-1881 business directory of Virginia. Had a huckster business license from 1875. BL

**Arrington, J. R. & David** - Had a merchant license 2 May 1841 BL

**Arrington Ordinary** - The ordinary keeper was Thomas T. Arrington from 1821 to at least 1827. BL

**Arrow Realty Company** – Dumfries, VA – Real Estate and Insurance Company owned by Phoebe Arrowsmith in 1962 C.O. - The owner in 1963 is given as Gerald E. Bankenbush C.O.

**Art Decarlo’s Put Par Golf Course** – Triangle, Va. miniature golf, owner was Arthur A. Decarlo 1959 C.O.

**Arthur E. Tress Diner** – Woodbridge, Va., owner in 1958 was Arthur Tress – no other information CO

**Ash, Frank** - Manassas, Va., selling lighting rods in the 1870’s, BL

**Ashby General Store** – Quantico, Va. – Store and Gas Station in 1925 LP

**Ashby R. T. and Son Feed Store** - Quantico, Va., in the 1917 Virginia business directory under Hay, Grain, and Feed Stores.

**Ashby Ordinary** - Gustavus Ashby paid a yearly tax of $18.00 to have an ordinary in Prince William County 1834 - 1840. In 1841 Julia Ashby the widow of Gus paid $20 dollars licenses fee to operate the ordinary. This ordinary was originally owned and operated by John P. Botts and Samuel P. Davis. This information was taken from Court Minutes & Ordinary Listings.

**Ashby Plumbing Service** – Woodbridge, Va., Edward L. Ashby and James R. Ashby were owners 1958 C.O.

**Ashby, H. C.** - Lansdown, Va., A general merchant in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories. H. C. was also a county magistrate from 1887 to at least 1894.

**Ashby, J. B. - Grocery Store** - Waterfall, Va., retail merchant, paid a $10 license fee in 1920 and 29 Apr 1925. J.B. Ashby also owned and operated a distillery in the early part of the 1900s at Waterfall.

**Ashby Jewelers** - Manassas, Va., 211 E. Center Street, The name in 1950 was Ashby Watch Shop owned and operated by Wilton C. Ashby and located at 113 South Battle Street.

**Ashby, W. & Company** - Horton’s Store, Va., Paid a $75.00 tax for a license to operate a bar room 1 May 1896 BL

**Ashford, George S.** - Nokesville, Va., Operated a bar room at the “Bettis House”, in the years 1891-1894. He took over the business from James Bettis. - In the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory he is listed under the heading, saloon owners.
Ashley Plumbing Service – Woodbridge, Va., the owner in 1958 is listed as Edward L. Ashley and James R. Ashley. CO

Ashton Brothers Grocery & Drug Store - Manassas, Va., groceries, tobacco, drugs, etc. - H. D. and William J. Ashton operated this business at Manassas in the 1880s. H. D. Ashton was listed as a druggist in the 1888-1889, and 1890-1891 Prince William business directories. They had a merchant’s business license 1878 through 1892 to operate the store in the county. - In the 1870s William Ashton Jr. operated a general store in Greenwich and is listed in the 1877-1878 Virginia business directory. Horace Ashton was on the Manassas town council 1885-1889.

Asker, D. R. - Manassas, Va., Listed under manufacturers agents in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Athey & Norman - Listed as Prince William County merchant’s on 1843 business license.

Athey, T. H. - Manassas, Va., (West), Choice meats of all kinds delivered to your door on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Give me a trial order I guarantee satisfaction. A long list of pleased customers is my strongest recommendation. 9 Dec 1909 M.J. - T. H. Athey is listed as a butcher in the 1910 business licenses. A business license dated 12 Oct 1926 shows him as a retail merchant.

Athey, W. S. - Manassas, Va., City Transfer - Hauling of all kinds promptly done. Phone orders to residence and Payne and Polen’s Store. 9 Dec 1909 M.J.

Atkinson, George R. - Neabsco Mills, Va. owned a business in the 1890s. Had a merchant, retail tobacco, and liquor license. -Listed as a general merchant in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories.

Atkinson, Richard - Merchants license 1852 - 1854

Atlantic Brownstone Company - Brentsville, Va., Is in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory listed under Stone Quarries.

Atlantic Coast Dry Wall – Manassas, Va., sheet rock applicators and finishers, Revice N. Frederick is listed as the owner in 1962. CO

Austin, E. and C. E. Prentice - District #1, Hucksters 1 Nov 1880. BL

Austin, Henrietta - District #1, had a license to be a book agent in the county 1 Oct 1875. BL

Austin, Karl J. Insurance Corporation - Manassas, Va., Independent broker for casualty, fire, life, and other insurances. The kind of fire insurance that protects. I make a specialty of farm property. 22 Sep 1910 MD - The business is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory. In 1914 the president is listed as Karl J. Austin and the treasurer as G. Raymond Ratcliffe.

Austin Harness Shop - Manassas, Va., W. C. Austin - A Christmas day drive should not be marred by the possibility of an accident. To prevent one come and get a set of our dependable harness. 9 Dec 1909 M.J. - The harness shop is listed in the 1908 & 1910 business licenses. Karl J. Austin is listed as the owner in the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories.

Auto Activity Center – Dumfries, Va., gas station and auto repair, Jobe C. Tickel owner 1959 C.O. In 1963 the owner is listed as James L. DeVault CO

Auto Bumper Exchange – Manassas, Va., 433 W. Center Street, owner in 1961 was Charles Clatterbuck CO

Auto City - Dumfries, Va., Route #1 – owners in 1962 were Raymond M. Schley Jr. and Frances R. Schley CO

Auto Home Supply Company – Occoquan, Va., general hardware store, In 1953 Frank W. Hornbaker was president and treasurer and H. Ashton Powell is listed as vice president and secretary C.O.
Averall Ordinary - John Averall was one of the first ordinary owners in Prince William County. On 4 May 1807 he paid a $12.50 license tax to operate an ordinary for one year.

Ayres, Henry J. - Stone House, Va., - Henry is listed in the 1908-1909 business licenses as a general merchant at the Stone House.

Ayers, J. W, Grocery Store - Manassas, Va., We’ll deserve your trade having purchased the stock and business of Mr. George E. Maddox. I shall be pleased to have you continue your trade with me. I can supply you with the best of everything for the table in groceries, dried and salted meats, canned goods, meal, flour, fruits and vegetables. J. W. Ayers at Old Maddox’s Stand, 7 Sep 1906 M. J. - On 1 May 1908 he paid for a license to operate a house of private entertainment and a second license to sell retail merchandise.

B & B Distributors – Manassas Park, Va., wholesale merchants, the owners in 1966 were William Simpson and Burnal Gulvan

B & B Renovators – Manassas, VA, 366 Lake Drive, Robert Baggette and James Baggette were listed as the owners in 1960 CO

B & B Sales and Service - Quantico, Va., Announcing the opening of the B & B Sales and Service agency for DeSota and Plymouth Cars. The management will appreciate your visit to the Old Post Office Building or call 301-J - 11 Oct 1935 QS

B & B Service – Manassas, VA, office equipment of all kinds, 1960 TD

B & G Contractors – Manassas, VA - construction company, 1966 CO

B & J Hauling - Manassas, Va., Sand, Bank Gravel, Blue Stone, Top Soil, Fill Dirt, night or day, 2 Apr 1955 M. J.

B & K Auto Repair – Brentsville, Va., William J. Bailey and Spicer S. Keys were listed as the owners in 1963

B & K Duraclean Home Service – Woodbridge, VA, “we render a professional cleaning service in the homes to include cleaning of upholstered furniture, rugs, wall to wall carpets and automobile interiors” – the owners in 1959 were Marion G. Kennedy and Joseph Blanchette CO

B & K Electrical Service – Manassas, VA, 300 Bull Run Road, Harold J. Bower and Robert C. King were the owners in 1959 CO

B & R Enterprises – Brentsville, VA, home repair company, George A. Braden and Glen W. Richeson are listed as the owners in 1960 CO

B. J.’s Tavern - Lake Jackson, Va., sandwiches, soft drinks, etc., entirely remodeled, pay us a visit. 22 May 1941 M. J. - The owners listed on the 1941 certificate of ownership were William Evans Clever and John Wolfe both of Arlington, Virginia.

B. S. & T. Company – Quantico, VA, 515 C Street, “Buy Sell & Trade” – In 1960 the owner is listed as Richard A. Rose. But according to Richard Rose it was never in operation. CO

Bacon Garage – Manassas, VA, 1136 Centreville Road, Auto Repair, James M. Bacon is listed as the owner in 1962 CO

Bailey, George N. - Had a business license to operate a house of private entertainment 1 Aug 1898.

Bailey, J. R. - General Store - Neabsco, Va., Evans place, a general merchant in the early 1900s starting in 1907. BL - The store is also listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.
Bailey Realty Company – Manassas Park, VA, 118 Manassas Drive, Abel J. Bailey the owner 1962 CO

Bailey’s Thrift Shop - Manassas, Va., Mrs. Earl Bailey prop., save money the second hand way 27 Nov 1941 M. J.

Baker, Butler - General Store - Haymarket, Va., in business records as a Prince William retail merchant late 1890s. The grocery is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory and the 1920 and 1925 business licenses.

Baker, Mrs. Dennis - Teacher of piano, bachelor of music degree, Summer Classes - Reasonable Charges, 1939 BYB

Baker, George D. - Funeral Home - Manassas, Va., George was on the Manassas town council from 1901 to 1903. He was also an undertaker and licensed embalmer on Lee Avenue near the court house. Prompt attention given all orders. Prices as low as good service and material will justify. Metallic caskets carried in stock. 3 Jan 1919 M. J. - Modern ambulance used only for moving the sick or injured. 9 Mar 1933 M. J. - George D. Baker was born 15 Oct 1869 Berkeley County, West Virginia according to the undertaker’s license dated 31 Dec 1910. - J. Dennis Baker was born 4 Nov 1906 Manassas, VA., and received an embalming license 22 Nov 1926. The business started in 1894 and changed to Baker and Sons Funeral home about 1941 with the location given as 305 W. Lee Street. In 1941 the owners listed on the certificate of ownership were George D. Baker, J. Dennis Baker and J. H. Stauff. This business at some time was known and listed in the records as G. D. Baker and Son Funeral Home.


Baker, R. - Limstrong, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a undertaker.

Baker, W. A. - Manassas, Va., Custom builder - Homes built to your specifications in the finest residential section. 22 Jul 1954 M.J.

Balch, W. C. - paid a $10 tax to practice law in the county 5 May 1873. BL


Ball Realty – Manassas, VA, Real Estate Company, owner in 1965 is listed as Thomas R. Ball CO

Ball’s Ford Furniture Company – Manassas, VA, 414 Mathias Ave, manufacture & sale of wholesale & retail furniture, the owner in 1962 was John L. Breeden CO

Bambi – Lynn Fotos – Woodbridge, Va., Marumsco Plaza, Edward J. Greenburg was owner in 1966 CO

Bamboo Grill – Woodbridge, VA, Occoquan Road, restaurant, the owner in 1960 is listed as Willie B. Maddox Jr. CO

Bank of Haymarket - Haymarket, Va., The Bank of Haymarket is now open for business and both checking and savings accounts are solicited. We pledge at all times courteous treatment and careful conservative handling of any funds entrusted with us. 9 Mar 1923 M. J. - The Bank of Haymarket was incorporated 25 Jan 1922. The president at that time was W. M. Jordan, the vice president was R. A. Rust, and the secretary was given as W. C. Payne, all of Haymarket.

Bank of Nokesville - Nokesville, Va., The Friendly Bank - Whether your business is large or small we invite you to come in and talk over your financing problems with us. 3 Jan 1947 M. M. - The following was in the 1939 Brentsville yearbook, “Your school books will all be laid aside some day, but there is one book you will use throughout your life - A BANK BOOK”. The bank was incorporated in 1909 with W. Allen the president, and listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as one of the three banks in Prince William County.

Bank of Occoquan Inc. - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory. In 1910 G. W. Hunter of Occoquan, Va. was president, W. S. Lynn of Occoquan and D. S. Beach of Fairfax was vice presidents. In 1920 R. A. Jellison was bank president and J. M. Barbee was cashier. An ad in the local paper says “Safe deposit boxes for rent, 3 per cent on money in our savings department”

Barbee & Howison General Store - Orlando, Va., Listed in the 1888-1889 Virginia business directory as a general merchants.

Barbee, John Chancellor - Rose Hill, and Orlando, Va., Coles Dist., business license for a bar room, merchant, and retail tobacco in the 1890s. In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory and the 1907 business license he is listed as living at Orlando and his occupation is general merchant and druggist.

Barbee, James M. - Orlando, Va., Owned and operated an ordinary in the 1850s. In the 1890s business licenses were issued to James Barbee to be a merchant, operate a house of private entertainment and boarding house. Listed in the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories as a general merchant. James was the commissioner of revenue for the county in 1880-1881.

Barbee, James M. - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as operating a house of private entertainment and in the 1920 census as a bank cashier.

Barbee, Mrs. J. M. - Grocery Store - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory under the heading of grocers.

Barbee, Mrs. Mary E. - Orlando, Va., Listed in the 1888-1889 Virginia business directory as a general merchant at Orlando.

Barbee Ordinary - On 6 May 1822 Sampson Barbee paid a $18.00 fee for a license to operate an ordinary.

Barber, John Chancellor - General Store - Bristow, Va., R.F.D. No. #2, Listed in the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories.

Barbour, C. C. - Manassas, Va., Centre Street, Medical doctor offers his professional service to the people of Manassas and surrounding counties. 23 Apr 1878 M.G - Listed as a Manassas physician in the 1880-1881 and 1884-1885 Virginia business directories. In the 1884-1885 business directory he was also a druggist.

Bargain Basement – Manassas, VA, Route #28, used furniture, clothing & household articles, Robert K. Danley was listed as the owner in 1962 CO

Bargain Store - Manassas, Va., Next to Brumback & Ellis store on Centreville Road in Manassas. Men’s work shoes and work clothing, leather & rubber boots, men’s & boys jackets, compare our quality & prices 27 Sep 1955 M. J.

Bargainhaus Stores – Manassas, VA, 338 W. Center Street, retail store, the owner in 1965 is listed as Joseph L. Ettleman CO

Barmore, A. A. - Thoroughfare, Va., in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Barnes C. L. and Sons – Manassas, VA, Centreville Road, owner in 1959 was Cedric L. Barnes CO
Barnes, Thomas - Had a retail merchant and tobacco license 1883-1886.

Barnhard, J. Walter - Manassas, Va., surgeon and dentist, In Manassas every Tuesday and Thursday with the office in the Peoples Bank Building. The Washington office is at 710 14th Street NW 7 May 1914 MD

Barron, Henly - On 05 Aug 1813 Henly paid a $12.50 fee for a license to practice medicine in Prince William County.

Barren, Henry A. - A Prince William merchant from 1826 to 1838. BL

Bartholomew, G. W. & Son - Gainesville, Va., corn, flour, saw, and plaining mill, listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 business directories.

Bates, Flemming - Paid a $15.00 tax in 1808 to sell foreign merchandise. BL

Bates, Jesse - Dumfries, Va., Had a bar room / ordinary in Dumfries during the 1890s. BL

Bates Town Inn – Dumfries, VA, general merchandise, the owner in 1959 was Eddie Stollwith Jr. CO

Bates Town Inn & Grocery Store – Batestown/Dumfries, VA, Old Batestown Road, and the owners in 1960 were Rosevelt Braddy and John Wright. In 1962 the owner was Thomas Bush CO

Battle Street Lunch and Pool Hall - Manassas, Va., 118 South Battle Street, lunch room and beer sales. In 1941 the owners were William L. Compton and Louis Osborne Ellison. Late in 1941 D. E. Davis bought out William Compton to be half owner. In 1949 N.F. Scates was the proprietor - Pay us a visit for amusements, soft drinks, and meals, 1 Sep 1949 M. J.

Battlefield Camp - Youngs Branch, Va., near Stone House, retail merchant and tourist camp. Louis A. Montague was listed as the sole owner on the 1941 certificate of ownership.

Battle View Produce Exchange – Gainesville, VA, buying and selling produce and other items 1959 CO

Baucum Barber Shop - Manassas, Va., Barber Shop - James M. Barcum, proprietor, I’m next door to the Victor Hotel in the Lynch Building. During my sojourn I respectfully solicit your patronage. 29 May 1910 M. J., 5 Aug 1910 M. J. - Listed in the 1906 and 1911 Virginia business directories as a colored barber in Manassas.

Bauserman’s Radio and TV Service – Manassas Park, VA, 311 Manassas Drive, the owner in 1958 is listed as Ralph Bauserman CO

Baxter, C. H. S. - Manassas, Va., Dealer in the best brands of whiskey, wines, brandies, other liquors, cigars and tobacco. 17 Oct 1885 M.G. The bar room operated past the 1890’s. BL - He was also a county magistrate in 1888.


Beach Dairy - Gainesville, Va., P. B. Beach is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as the owner.

Beach, Clifford – Prince William physician starting about 1920

Beach, J. S. & Son - General Store - Woodbridge, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Beach, James B. - Occoquan, Va., Operator of a bar room at Occoquan from about 1894 to past 1900. BL - In 1906 he is listed as the operator of a grocery in Occoquan.
Beach, Silas - Paid a yearly tax of $18.00 to operate an ordinary in Prince William County 1832-1835. There are very few records before and after those dates.

Beach, W. R. - Owned and operated a bar room at Occoquan in the 1890s. BL

Beach, William T. - Thoroughfare, Va., Paid a $51.93 license tax to operate a bar room at Thoroughfare 17 Oct 1881. BL

Beachley, L. E. - Manassas, Va., Retail Confectionery and Soda Fountain, M.I.C. Building. Toys, candies and other remembrance for the little ones has never been more complete. Bring in your Christmas lists and we will fill it to your complete satisfaction for all members of the family. We are also making a specialty of a rapid serve luncheon for people in a hurry. 9 Dec 1909 MJ - In 1941 the store was at 112 S. Battle Street. The business started in Manassas prior to 1897. In 1911 Lester Edward Beachley had a license for private entertainment. In the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories he is listed as a confectioner.

Beagle's Appliance Service – Manassas Park, VA, 104 Colfax Drive, major appliance repair, the owner in 1962 is listed as Charles A. Beagle CO

Beale & Shelhouse - listed as a retail merchant in 1894 business licenses.

Beale, B. A. - Manassas, Va., Mr. Beale was the first jeweler in Manassas. - gallery of Art, pictures taken in every style at Beal’s, also watches, clocks, carefully repaired. B.A. Beal at No.8 North Street, Manassas, Va. 23 Nov 1872 M.G. - B. A. Beale paid $8.34 business tax for a confectionery in Manassas 1 May 1874.

Beale Grocery – Quantico, VA, all the latest produce and our low prices, this grocery in 1919 was owned and operated by William R. Beale (account statement)


Beale Store (J. E.) General Store - Haymarket, Va., Est. 1893, General merchandise, boots, shoes, clothing and furniture at reduced prices. 20 Apr 1911 M D. The first mention of the store in the business records was a 1903 business license. - Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a general store and agricultural implements dealer. The following is from a 13 Dec 1905 bill to F.H. Sanders & Company - “J. E. Beale, dealer in dry goods, notions, groceries, boots, shoes, and tobacco, cigars, and confectionery, highest prices paid for all kinds of produce, either in trade or cash. Special attention to orders. Proprietor of Haymarket Mills - Grain Wanted - Agent for S. M. Hess & Brothers high grade fertilizers, tiger corn planter, Ontario drills, Oliver chilled plows, and Deering harvesting and machinery. The store was situated beside the railroad tracks close to the Haymarket depot.

Beale, Maud L. - The Beale Store - Haymarket, Va., - For sale or rent, adjoining right of way of Southern Railway Company. - Good Terms - 28 Mar 1929 M. J.

Beale, P. B. - General Store - Manassas, Va., on South Grant Street, Look! Eggs Yes Fresh Eggs! 25 cents a dozen, Sugar 100 pounds $5.25, Navy Beans 5 cents a pound, many other items listed in the ad. 14 Dec 1939 M. J. - Feed, groceries and general merchandise, seed, lime, fertilizers, cash buyers of poultry and eggs, 1941 YP

Beale’s Quantico Market - Quantico, Va., Complete line of meats, fruits and vegetables. All orders given prompt attention. Our deliveries are between 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. 8 Nov 1935 Quantico Sentry.

Beamm & Fair Canvassers - Manassas, Va., Paid a business tax to canvass Prince William County 1 May 1874.

Bean General Store - Haymarket, Va., Listed as a general store in the 1906 and 1911 Virginia business directories and owned by S. W. Bean.
Beautorium (The) - Manassas, Va., M. I. C. building over Fisher’s Store, Mrs. Edith Austin and Mrs. Edna Gue 19 Dec 1947 M. M.

Beavers, James - District #2, had a merchant and retail tobacco license from 1892 to 1897. BL

Beavers, Levi L. – In the Prince William 1920 census he is listed as a shoe maker with his own shop

Beavers, Sampson - Independent. Hill, Va., owned and operated a Bar Room in the 1880s. BL

Beavers, Samuel - Orlando, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a corn and flour mill owner at Orlando. He is also listed in the business licenses under merchants and retail tobacco 1897-1900.

Beck and Davis - In the business licenses as a retail merchants 1 May 1839.

Beckers – Manassas, VA, business management and income tax advise, William J. Becker owner 1958 CO

Beckham, J. G. - Nokesville, Va., Listed as a fertilizer agent in the 1888-1889, 1890 - 1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories.

Bel Air Lodge - Woodbridge, Va., route # 1, Lois T. Wertzberger and John W. Wertzberger were the owners in 1948.

Bell & Athey - The Peoples Market, We carry a complete line of meats & groceries, sweet milk & pure cream. 5 Jan 1923 M. J.

Bell Brothers Bakery (J. M. & J.S.) - Manassas, Va., the Christmas feast is now engaging the attention of housewives. It is a comparatively easy matter to prepare the dinner when you engage us to supply the bread, pastry and other good things. We also have pure, wholesome candies for the youngsters. 9 Dec 1909 M.J. - Listed in the 1906 and 1911 Virginia business directories as the only bakery in the county. In other record the business was known as The J. M. Bell Bakery and was operating in the early and mid 1920s.

Bell, George W. - Manassas, Va., Listed as a general merchant, hay, grain, and feed store in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory. Was a retail merchant starting in 1894. The 1906 Virginia business directory list him as a Manassas grocer and feed store. In the 1907 business licenses he is listed as a general merchant at Sinclair Mill.

Bell, H. S. General Store – Thoroughfare, VA, Groceries, Feed, Flour, Dry Goods – (This store may have been run by Stanley Bell) L P

Bell, J. M. - Manassas, Va., was operating a bakery in Manassas in the early to mid 1920s. He also paid a business license to have a house of private entertainment and rent out 3 rooms in 1920. J. M. Bell was on the Manassas town council in 1921. In a 1901 advertisement “Ice Cream supplied to picnics and families” – also flour, feed and groceries.

Belmont TV – Manassas, VA, 1112 Centreville Road, sales and repair of television sets, the owner is listed as A. Garner Rollins n 1959 CO

Ben Franklin 5 & 10 Cent Store - Manassas, Va., 114 East Center Street or at the corner of Main and Center Streets, George Engelhard was owner and operator in 1950.

Bennett & Blume - Manassas, Va., Wood and Coal Yards, The office and yards on West Street opposite Morey’s Mill. Coal and wood in any quantity from 5 cents and up. 15 Dec 1905 M. J. - Wood, anthracite and bituminous coal, fuel delivered in any quantity, settlements made first of each month. Nelson Bennett & C. W. Blume, taken from 3 April 1911 bill to a customer. The business is also shown on the early 1900 business licenses.
Bennett Medicine Company - Paid a license fee to operate the business in Prince William County 1920 BL.

Bennett, Nelson & Sons - Manassas, Va., Coal & Wood, Center Street, We have moved our coal and wood yard next door to Hibbs Blacksmith Shop on Center Street. We are now better prepared than ever to serve our customers with fuel 3 Dec 1914. M.D. - Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a coal and wood dealer.


Berry, C. H. - Listed in business licenses as a retail merchant 1892-1899.

Berry, Carrie S. Mrs. - Manassas, Va., in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a general merchant.

Berry, Henry - District #1, listed in the 1880 business licenses as a huckster.


Bertha Baskerville Market – Hoadley Road Woodbridge, Grocery Store, the owner listed in 1959 was Bertha Baskerville.

Bethnon Realty Company – Woodbridge, Route #1, Frank J. Wetzel owner in 1962.

Bettie Brown Beauty Shop - Quantico, Va., 329 Potomac Ave., Betsy Brown was the owner on the 31 Jan 1938 certificate of ownership.

Betting, J. D. - paid a fee to practice law in the county 7 May 1855.

Bettis House - Nokesville, Va., bar room owned and operated by James Bettis in the 1880’s, operated by John Cornwell and James Keiwit in the 1890’s.

Betty’s Beauty Shop – Woodbridge, VA, the owner in 1960 was Elizabeth M. Ilse.

Beverly Mills - Broad Run, VA. The mill is a five-and-one-half-story stone building, constructed by locally quarried, roughly shaped quartzite and Virginia bluestone. The mill is located on Broad Run at Thoroughfare Gap and is equipped with a twenty-nine-foot-diameter metal mill wheel that is on the west side of the structure. The following is from a 25 Jun 1947 bill to J. S. Lunsford. - “High grade flour and water ground meal. Established in 1760, phone Haymarket 9F3.

Beverly Roller Mills – Thoroughfare Gap VA, incorporated 13 August 1934 and dissolved 30 January 1935, post office Broad Run, Fauquier County; purpose of business --“Conduct a general merchant mill and as such to buy and sell wheat, corn, rye, barley, and other grains to manufacture, and sell flour meal and feed and also to buy and sell fertilizers etc. The officers stated at incorporation were president – T. Otis Latham, vice president – Robert B. Swart, secretary – C. C. Furr.

Beverly Mills Service Station - Broad Run, Va., Goodyear Tires & Tubes in Stock, Texaco Gas & Oil, passenger tires, truck tires, tractor tires 3 Jan 1947 M. M.

Beverly, R. - Thoroughfare, Va., listed in the 1877-1878 business directory as a plasterer and in the 1880-1881 edition as operating a plaster mill.

Beverly Roller Mills - Jordan, W. W. & Son - Broad Run, Va., “Rising Sun” straight fancy flour, reliable extra dolled family meal, white and brown middlings, bran and chop, custom grinding and satisfaction guaranteed, give us a trial, 21 May 1897 M.J.
Bibb, R. O. - Corn & Flour Mill, Brentsville, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory for corn and flour mills.

Big John’s Inn - Independent. Hill, Va., restaurant, John Shutlock owner 11 Feb 1941

Big Oak/The Big Oak – Manassas, VA, frozen custard and snack bar, the owner in 1959 is listed as Michael Martahus of Falls Church  CO

Bill’s Barber Shop – Woodbridge, 408 Occoquan Road, owned in 1958 by William I. Wilfong  CO

Bill’s Inn – Manassas, Va., 923 Centreville Road, restaurant, William M. Daymude the owner 1966  CO

Bill’s Produce – Gainesville, VA, the owner in 1963 was William M. Turner.

Bill’s Service Station - Haymarket, Va., restaurant and filling station, Amoco gas, oil, accessories, road service, groceries, lunch, confectionery, William H. Fletcher proprietor 24 Jul 1952 C.O.

Bill’s 66 Service Center – Manassas, VA, 1095 Centreville Road, gas station and repairs, the owner in 1963 was William S. Riley Jr.  CO

Bill’s Service Center – Woodbridge, VA, 302 Occoquan Road, William A. Splaine owner in 1962  CO

Bill’s Sheet Metal Company – 1 Easy Street one block off Route #1, Heating & Air Conditioning, the owner and proprietor in 1962 & 1963 was William Spears  CO

Bird In Hand – Buckland, VA, Route 29, antiques and used furniture, Marion E. Turner was owner 1960  CO

Birmingham Dairy Products Company – Manassas, VA, Lunch Room and Fountain Service – also known as the “Milk Bar” - In 1946 Claude T. Parcell of Fredericksburg was president, J. Carl Kincheloe was vice president, C. R. Rosebro Jr. was secretary, (same as the entry below)

Birmingham Dairy - J. Carl Kincheloe - Manassas, Va., 510 Centreville Road, Grade A raw or pasteurized milk delivered to your door or distributed by Conner & Kincheloe, Sanitary Grocery or Marvin Simpson. 19 May 1938 M. J. - another ad says “Grade A pasteurized milk, buttermilk, chocolate drink, and cream. Daily delivery to Fairfax, Fauquier and Prince William Counties. Visit our milk bar that is open until midnight.

Birmingham Stock Farm - W. B. Bullock - Manassas, Va., Importer and Breeder of Percheron, Belgian, Shire, Coach and Hackney Stallions. If a good stallion is needed in your vicinity, write to me. The only importer in the south that handles the above five breeds. 3 Dec 1914 M.D.

Black, George H. & Company General Store - Manassas, Va., General merchandise store from about 1883 to at least 1893. The store is listed in the state business licenses and business directory records including the directories 1884-1885, 1888-1889 and 1890-1891. In some of the records George Black is listed as a Tanner and currier as well as being on the Manassas town council from 1882 to 1890.

Blackburn Electric Company – Manassas, VA, 150 Yorkshire Lane, Frank Blackburn owner 1962  CO

Blackburn, C. & Company - District #1, listed in the 1893 business licenses as a Butcher.

Blackwell, William - Bristow Station, Va. was a retail merchant in the 1850s and 1860s.

Blake’s Automotive Services – Gainesville, VA, Rt 29/211, auto repair shop and gas station, Lynn F. Blake is owner in 1962  CO

Bland, Benjamin - Listed as a merchant in a 1843 business license.
Bland General Store - Minnieville, Va., Mrs. Carrie Bland was the proprietor in the 1917 business directory.

Bland, John - Paid $30.00 for a merchant’s business license 4 May 1841.

Blanton – Massey Ford – Route #1 ½ mile South of Quantico, A #1 Used Cars and Trucks

Blevins Plumbing & Heating – Woodbridge, Va., owner in 1966 was Homer Blevins CO

Block Factory - Manassas, Va., The following is from the 31 Mar 1916 Manassas Journal -“Block Factory Burned, A well known and well established local industry destroyed by fire. The building was the property of Abram Conner and the machinery was the property of Edward Alcott of New York. At the time of the fire, Mr. A. L. Bridwell was the on site manager.

Blofeld’s Esso – Woodbridge, VA, Gas Station, 1963 owner listed as John R. Blofeld CO

Blue & Grey Trading Post – Manassas, VA, Route 28, general merchandise, the owner in 1958 is listed as A. Hine CO

Blue & White Inn - Woodbridge, Va., (near) lunch room, Robert Lee Oliver owner 17 Apr 1944

Blue Bird Grill - Triangle, Va., W. C. Purcell was the owner and proprietor 3 Mar 1952 CO.

Blue Heaven Barber Shop - Manassas, Va., with the old Virginia politeness, all styles of hair cutting. Your servant, William L. Meredith, 1933 BYB

Blum’s Fashion Shop - Quantico, Va., 427 Broadway, retail clothing and merchandise, B. Blum owner and operator 6 Feb 1941 CO.

Boat House (The) – Triangle, VA, Weavers Marine Service, sale of boats, motors, trailers, etc., the owner in 1959 was Bennie O. Weaver CO

Bob’s Barber Shop - Manassas, Va., 1134 Centreville Road, Haircuts $1.00, $1.25 on Saturdays, 9 to 8 weekdays, 8 to 6 Saturdays 30 Apr 1959 M. J. - Robert L. Werner was the owner and proprietor 29 Oct 1951 CO.

Bob’s Construction Services – Manassas, VA, 117 Howard Street, Robert O. Wood was the owner In 1962 CO

Bob’s Pastry Shop - Quantico, Va., 329 Potomac Avenue, delivery’s are made twice daily-morning and afternoon, Specials for Saturday - French twist 20 cents each, chocolate marshmallow cream roll 25 cents each, Have you tried our lemon cream pies? 21 Jun 1935 QS

Bob’s Rubber Stamps – Woodbridge, VA, Robert D. Nash the owner in 1961 CO

Bobst H. T. and Company – Gainesville, VA, dealers and manufactures of lumber and railway ties

Bodine, Mrs. Bessie - Bristow, Va., Listed as having a millinery shop in the 1888 - 1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 business directories for Prince William County.


Bodine, E. K. - Mill - Wellington, Is listed under the heading of corn and flour mills in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory. In the 1906 directory he is listed as having a saw mill at Nokesville, Va. Also see W. A. Bodine listed below.
Bodine, J. G. & Company - Bristow, Va., General retail merchant that operated from about 1875 to past 1900, sells everything from tobacco products to fertilizers and wool. Listed in Chataigne’s 1884-1885, 1890-1891, 1893-1894 & 1897-1898 business directories.

Bodine, W. A. - Nokesville, Va., Lumber & Laths, I manufacture both of the above mentioned articles and will be pleased to have orders for same. Why pay for laths that are poorly cut when I can cut them right for a very little difference in price. 25 May 1906 M. J.

Boley’s Mill - Haymarket, Va., in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a Haymarket corn and flour mill under the name of C. B. Boley. (Cyrus Boley in the 1820 Prince William Census is listed as a miller in a flour mill)

Bolognese Tailor Shop - Quantico, Va., Tailor and Haberdasher - In operation from 1918

Bolt Construction Company – Bristow, VA, the owner in 1961 was William K. Bolt

Bonanzavilla Boat Club - Manassas, Va., renting boats, Arthur Angelico was the owner 24 Mar 1954 C. O.

Bond, W. H. - Waverly Mill, Haymarket, Va., manufacturer of “Royal Patent” and “Silver Lake Flour”, mill feed of all kinds, satisfaction guaranteed, T. L. Bruback miller, 28 Sep 1911 M.D.

Boothe Concrete Placing & Finishing – Manassas, VA, Mill Road, Bradley Forest, the owner in 1958 is listed as R. G. Boothe CO


Borrelli’s Restaurant – Triangle, Va., owner in 1965 is Michael Borrelli

Bosognese, Michael - Quantico, Va., a tailor in the 1920s.

Botkin Sign Service – Manassas, VA, 121 South Main Street, sign painting, Gerald W. Botkin owner 1963 CO

Botts & Davis Ordinary - Dumfries, Va., Ordinary operated by John Botts and Samuel J. Davis in the 1830s. This ordinary was sold to Gustavus Ashby and known as the Ashby Ordinary from about 1834.

Bouquet Mart - Manassas, Va., flowers and gifts for all occasions, 222 E. Center Street. G. Keith Lyons was the proprietor, flowers by wire anywhere and everywhere. 1951 YP

Bourne, W. G. - Woodbridge, Va., Paid a license fee for retail merchant 22 Jul 1925 BL

Bowe’s Electric Company – working in Prince William County in 1958 but this company might have been headquartered in Maryland

Bowen, P. B. - Brentsville, Va., Physician, listed in the 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891,1893-1894 and 1897-1898 business directories and physician license book. Purchased a business licenses from 1883 to past 1900 to practice medicine in Prince William County.

Bowling, James A. - General Store Aden, Va., listed as a merchant from 1890 to 1899 in business licenses and the business directory in 1906.

Bowman, L. E. - Nokesville, Va., paid $62.50 for the years 1926, 27, 28, to have a license for medicine vender.
Boyer’s Sales and Service – Manassas route 3, plumbing and heating, refrigeration and air conditioning and electrical contracting sales and service, Earl B. Boyer was owner in 1959 CO

Boyle, David - Paid $15.00 tax to sell foreign merchandise in 1808. BL

Bradfield Blacksmith – Manassas, VA, general blacksmith and machinist, boiler work and saw gumming a specialty. From a 31 August 1912 account statement.

Bradfield, Basil - Water Mill - On the Occoquan River 1868

Bradfield, George A. - Brandsford Branch, Va. paid a business tax to operate a small brandy still in 1896. BL.

Bradfield J. E. - Mill - Manassas, Va., NOTICE - I am prepared to grind table meal, graham flour and feed of all descriptions at the old cider mill stand, one mile SE of Manassas on Saturdays, will also make cider same day. I respectfully ask a share of your patronage. 20 Apr 1911 M. D. - Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a corn and flour mill operated by James E. and George A. Bradfield at Manassas. J. E. Bradfield was also on the Manassas town council from 1927 to 1931.

Bradfield & Hixson - Manassas, Va., undertakers, and manufacturers of light and heavy wagons, and agricultural implements. Funerals attended at the shortest notice. We also keep a full supply of all kinds of yellow pine lumber on hand which we are selling at the lowest prices. 5 Jun 1869 M.W.G.

Bradford, J. F. - Nokesville, Va., in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as operating a saw mill at Nokesville.

Bradley and Simpson - District #1, Listed as hucksters in a business license dated 10 Mar 1878.

Bradley Isaacs Sunoco Service - Manassas, Va., Bradley Isaacs was the owner and proprietor of the filling station 14 Nov 1953 C.O.

Bradley, J. W. - Occoquan, Va., (near), a grocer in the 1877-1894 Virginia business directories.

Bradshaw, John - Had a license for a retail merchant and tobacco sales in 1892 and a license to sell religious books in 1887. He was charged one cent per year to sell the books.

Bradshaw Mill - Hickory Grove, Va., Saw Mill, - Lewis Bradshaw had the mill 1884-1885 BD

Brady, C. E. - Greenwich, Va., Listed in the business license as a common crier in 1908.

Brady, E. T. - District #1, was a retail merchant with a license to sell tobacco in the early 1890s.

Brady, G. G. - Nokesville, Va., in 1911 and Haymarket in 1917, Listed in the Virginia business directories as a painter. This might have been Gilbert Bradley.

Brady Inn - Triangle, Va., route #1, Mrs. Udolene J. Brady was the owner and operator on the certificate of ownership 6 Mar 1941.

Brady Ordinary - District #1, paid a license fee to have an ordinary from 29 Jan 1876 to 30 Apr 1876. BL

Bragg, H. R. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the business licenses as having a livery stable in 1908 and 1909.

Brakefield Service Station - Manassas, Va., service station and grocery store, Walter Brakefield was the owner 14 Jan 1954 C.O.

Brawner and Johnson - Paid $48.00 on 17 Apr 1861 for a retail merchant License. BL
Brawner, Basil - ordinary keeper 1834 and 1835 on business licenses. BL

Brawner C. A. & Brothers General Store - Dumfries, Va., In the 1917 Virginia business directory as a general store and grocer.

Brawner, C. E. - General Store - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories. In the business licenses starting in 1907.

Brawner, Charles E. - Manassas, Va., A well known merchant in Manassas in the 1880's and 1890’s. He operated the “Cannon House” and was a Freight Agent. In Chataigne’s 1884-1885 and 1890-1891 Virginia business directories he is listed as the agent for Virginia Fire & Marine Insurance Company. Charles was also the mayor of Manassas in 1884-1885 and on the town council from 1877 to 1880 and again in 1884.

Brawner Express Company - Manassas, Va., see Adams Express Company.

Brawner, Henry N. - Manassas, Va., Is listed as a Manassas general merchant in the 1880-1881 Virginia business directory.

Brawner, J. E. - Listed as a retail merchant on the license dated 1 May 1882. BL

Brawner, John A. - Bristow, Va., Is listed as an agricultural implements dealer in the 1888-1889 business directory, and an insurance agent in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 business directories. In the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories he is listed as a fertilizer agent at Bristoe.

Brawner, L. E. - Had a license to operate a House of Private Entertainment 1887.

Brawner Ordinary - William Brawner paid a business tax to operate an ordinary in 1845 and again in 1861. He was also listed as a lawyer in the 1861 business licenses.

Brawner’s Tourist Home - Dumfries, Va., route #1, Rowena G. Brawner was the owner 5 Feb 1941 on the certificate of ownership.

Breeden, I. J. - Manassas, Va., Builder, Route #28, Centreville Road, 1951 YP

Breen, G. W. - Gainesville, Va., Plumber, Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Breen, J. T. & Sons - Wellington, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a Wellington saw mill operator.

Breen, William H. - Nokesville, Va., Paid a license tax for a bar room and a tax to sell retail tobacco in 1881.

Brenton, Edgar S. - Manassas, Va., in 1877 and 1878 he paid a $75.00 tax for a business license to operate a bar room and sell retail tobacco in Manassas.

Brenton, Hampton - Manassas, Va., Purchased business licenses for retail tobacco, merchant, retail liquor, ordinary and bar room between 1870 and 1887. He also paid a tax to own a stallion in 1879. He is listed in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 Virginia business directories as a general merchant.

Brentsville, Bristow, and Manassas Telephone Company - Brentsville, Va., Telephone lines between Brentsville, Manassas via Bristoe. The office was at Brentsville. president - Charles E. Nicol of Brentsville, treasurer- John A Brawner of Bristow, secretary - J.B.T. Thornton of Brentsville, superintendent - G. F. Akers of Brentsville. 26 Mar 1885 C.B.

Brentsville Brownstone Company - Brentsville, Va., Listed under stone quarries in the Virginia 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 business directories.
Brentsville & Bristoe Brownstone Company - a stone Quarry in the 1888 - 1889 business directory.

Brentsville Grocery - Brentsville, Va., Turkey Shoot every Friday night at 7.30 P.M. 15 Nov 1956 M. J. - On the certificate of ownership dated 31 Mar 1944 Lillie B. Keys and F. H. May are listed as the owners. On 22 Oct 1946 Mrs. Vera E. Bell of Bristow along with Lillie Keys are the owners.

Brentsville Hotel - Brentsville, Va., Joseph B. Reid prop., listed in the 1888-1889 Prince William County business directory. This is the same building listed as ordinary, house of private entertainment, boarding house, and bar room in different records. This might be the same as the Summit House Hotel although there appears to be different listings.

Brentsville Seminary - Brentsville, Va., E. Bauder, principal, assisted by Mrs. Bauder & daughter, two miles from Bristow Station, established. 1879, full college courses, terms moderate, P.O. Brentsville, Prince William County 17 Oct 1885 M.G.

Bridwell, E. E. - General Store, Orlando, Va. Listed as a general store in the 1906 business directory.

Bridwell, Will - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as owning a boarding house.

Bristoe Brownstone Company - Brentsville, Va., - Listed as a separate company from Brentsville Brownstone Company in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories.

Britton, J. F. - Bristow, Va., - Buckwheat flour is the finest on the market. Get a sample from your merchant. If he does not keep it get him to order it from J. F. Britton of Bristow Va., the agent in this section. It is guaranteed to be free from any adulteration whatever and is so far superior to all other brands that no other will be taken after it is used. 28 Feb 1896 M. G. - J. F. Britton had a business license for a book agent in 1895.

Broadview Dairy Farm - wishes to announce a price reduction in milk, beginning Saturday June 11th., Quarts 10 cents, pints, 6 cents, 2 pints 11 cents, The quality remains absolutely the same, E. P. Hurst, mgr. 9 Jun 1932 M. J.

Broadwater, Charles F. - Manassas, Va., Real Estate and Insurance, Farms both large and small in Prince William County, list yours with us. 28 May 1936 M. J.

Bronaugh, Benjamin - Ordinary - One of the early ordinary keepers in Prince William County. He is on the 1807 list of ordinaries. BL

Bronaugh, John - One of the early physicians in the county, paid for a license 1 Jun 1813 BL

Brooks, Chancy - Paid $11.32 for a peddler license tax 9 May 1821.

Brooks Fix It Shop - Manassas, Va., 121 Main Street, Don’t throw it out, let us fix it. general acetylene, welding and brazing 1950 YB

Brooks, G. W. - Manassas, Va., Expert Auto Repairing, I wish to advise my friends that I am now in business for my self, with the Cornwall Supply Company, 121 Main Street, and that I am fully equipped to give dependable service in all branches of automobile repairing. All work guaranteed, we appreciate your business, free estimates on all our jobs - American Gas and Oils, U. S. Tires and Tubes, Complete Car Lubrication - C. W. Brooks formerly shop foreman of Prince William Motor Company 30 Jun 1938 M. J.

Brooks, Sarah - paid a tax yearly and operated a house of private entertainment from 1827 to at least 1836. BL

Brower, C. F. - Catharpin, Va., Physician, born 14 April 1858 Fairfax County VA, 7 Mar 1913 License, a physician in 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891,1893-1894, 1897-1898,1906, 1911, and 1917 Prince William directories. Paid a physicians business license tax from about 1880 to past 1917 BL
Brown & Hoof - Manassas, Va., Lumber & Building Materials, 226 E. Center Street where city hall parking lot is currently located. - cement, flooring, glass, hardware, insulation, millwork, paint, etc. sycamore pulpwood with bark on WANTED, 19 Dec 1919 M. J. - The business started in 1897 an furnished most of the lumber for the early homes in the county. W. Hill Brown Sr. and Annie Beckham Hooff were married in Charleston WV in 1892. His wife’s brother Allison D. Hooff was a partner. The business was renamed Brown and Hooff in 1897 from the original name of Taylor and Brown. 21 Jan 1976 - The business first appears on the business tax list in 1898. BL. On Jun 22 1914 the business was owned by W. Hill Brown and A. A. Hooff. W. Hill Brown was the mayor of Manassas for part of 1909 and again in 1913 - 1914 and on the town council from 1898 to 1908. In 1944 the owners are listed on the certificate of ownership as Annie B. Brown and A. A. Hooff both of Manassas, Va. On 18 Jan 1945 Annie Beckham Brown and Ruth Round Hooff are listed as the owners.

Brown, Benjamin - Nokesville, Va., Physician, a license dated 1 May 1908 BL - Listed as a physician in the 1911 Virginia business directory.

Brown, C. F. – Dumfries, Va., Paid a license fee to have a house of private entertainment 1 Aug 1926 BL

Brown, F. W. - General Store – Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Brown, J. A. - Pool Room, Quantico, Va., Paid a business license 10 Aug 1926 to have a pool room with 10 tables.

Brown, J. L. - Aden, Va., Listed in the 1906 and 1911 Virginia business directories as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Brown, Joseph - On the 1807 list of ordinary keepers. He paid a $12.50 fee for the year. BL

Brown, T. G. - Buckland, Va., Physician, born 12 Feb 1857 New Windsor, Maryland, 11 Feb 1913 Lic., a physician in 1888-1889,1893-1894,1897-1898,1906,1911, and 1917 Prince William directories. On 1 November 1886 he paid the $10 tax for a physician’s license. This appears to be the first record showing he was a physician at Buckland.

Brown, William Hill Jr.- Manassas, Va., Lawyer, 105 W. Center Street, 1950 YP -In a business license dated 30 Apr 1926 he is listed as an attorney. William Hill Sr. is listed in 1920 as a lumber dealer.

Brown’s (Billy) - Quantico, Va., corner of Potomac Ave. and C Street, shoe dyeing and shoe shining, 12 Jun 1936 QS

Brown’s Quality Shop - Manassas, Va., Center Street, offers ladies shoes at 1/2 price, special prices $1.99 to $4.95. 29 Jul 1954 M.J., The next ad came from 4 Oct 1956 M.J. - It won’t be long now, the event all of Manassas has been waiting for, the Grand Opening of a modern shoe store, Brown’s Quality Shoes.

Browning, W. L. - Manassas, Va., How many eggs did you get in December and January? How many do you want to get next winter, buy eggs from hen’s that averaged 55 per cent yield for Nov., Dec., and Jan, $2.00 per setting of 15 2 Apr 1921 P.W. N.

Brownstone Company - Manassas, Va., Listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 Virginia business directory.

Brumback & Durst - Manassas, Va., Battle Street, Refrigerator Service, prompt, efficient repair of household or commercial units, anywhere, anytime, sales and service. 1 Sep 1949 M. J. - Richard Brumback and Roy O. Durst owners. CO

Brumback & Ellis - Manassas, Va., 531 Centreville Road, Refrigeration Service, appliance and television sales and service, domestic air conditioning and washing machines. C. L. Ellis & Richard Brumback 1951 CO, YP
Bryant, Bernard L. - Manassas, Va., East Center Street, tinner & plumber, roofing a specialty, work guaranteed, when in the need of anything in my line call on me at my residence. 3 Dec 1914 M. D. - Bernard is in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a tin and sheet iron worker.

Bryant, Epps - Manassas, Va., in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a printer.

Bryant, George - Manassas, Va., Is listed as a baker and confectioner in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Bryant, Herbert - Manassas, Va., Herbert Bryant Inc. custom grinding and mixing a complete line of feed ingredients for mixing dairy, poultry and hog feeds. Baked oyster shell lime, we offer this commodity in bulk, delivered to the farm at a special price of $4.50 per ton 30 Jan 1941 M. J., and 2 May 1940 M. J., Reel #7 of the Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps shows the business about 334 West Center Street in 1924.

Bubbs Craten Dairy - Woodbridge, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Buck, R. C. - Bristow, Va., Physician, born 21 May 1851 Front Royal, VA, 11 Mar 1913 BL.


Buckley Fire Escape Company - Brentsville, Va., Manassas, Haymarket, the president was E. E. Meredith, V.P. was Thomas Buckley, Sec. was William Buckley, and the treasurer was Henry F. Lynn 21 Sep 1891

Buckley, N. A. - Gainesville, Va., Sole agent for Northeastern Virginia for Twombly, light under slung car, 40 miles per gallon, cost $395 dollars, 50 miles per hour, the car cost less than one cent per mile for tires and gasoline. So attractive that it is used by Mr. Vincent Astor, the wealthiest young man in America. The Twombly is different from other cars. It has distinction in appearance, originality in design, uniqueness, and exclusive feature. This durable little car with its four cylinder water cooled motor will run summer and winter over all kinds of roads. The car comes with electric lighting if desired. Let us show you the Twombly at your home. 1914 MD.

Buckley, W. A. Realty - Gainesville, Va., Four miles south of Gainesville on the Southern Railroad in Prince William County. I own 3 farms which I will offer for sale, #1 contains 300 acres and has an 8 room dwelling, barns, stables, etc. - #2 contains 150 acres and has a 4 room log house - #3 contains 26 acres and has 6 room dwelling, barn, carriage house, harness room, box stalls, etc. all new. These farms are in a high state of cultivation, well fenced and watered, and are clean and smooth. Each has plenty of timber, schools, churches, and mills, convenient and daily mails. 1 Jan 1914 MD.

Bull Run Kennels - Manassas, Va., listed in the 1906 business directory as a dog kennel. The kennel was in the business of buying, selling and the training of hunting dogs.

Bull Run Land Agency - Manassas, Va., a business license dated 1 May 1908.

Bull Run Manufacturing Company - Manassas, Va., manufacture and sale of windows, frames, sashes, doors, blinds, flooring and other building materials. The president was D. C. Copp of Manassas, vice president was William Smith of Manassas, the secretary was Moses Strither of Haymarket. 28 Oct 1914 C.B.

Bull Run Park - Manassas, Va., I. J. Breeden prop., Every Wednesday and Saturday nights, Centreville Road at Bull Run Bridge, Round and Square dancing. 24 Sep 1931 M. J.
Bull Run Power Company - Manassas, Va., 114 Battle Street, If electricity is made available at reasonable rates I agree to take service and wire my premises and will grant the necessary easement and right of way free of charge. This ad was followed by a place for signature. 27 Jan 1938 and 16 May 1940 M. J.

Bull Run Service Station - New total power Esso Extra Gasoline, Route 29 & 211, W. H. Craven prop. 29 Jul 1954 MJ


Bull Run Trading Post and Service Station - Bull Run, Va., - Welcome to the Stables, Now open Bull Run Trading Post; the “Stables” were built to house the carriages and horses that are in readiness to drive you over the Battlefields. The old Virginia Smokehouse is filled with corn fattened hams, sugar cured, and hickory smoked. Uncle Mose is here to greet you and explain the memories of Bull Run. Aunt Maria and the Pickininnies have for sale real New Orleans Creole Pralines. Our Esso Service Station carries a complete line of accessories and accommodations for the traveling motorist. To the discriminating diners the owners of the Bull Run Trading Post offer you a dinner to savor and delicacy about 1938 M. J.

Bullock, W. B. - Birmingham Stock Farm Manassas, Va., Importer and Breeder of Percheron, Belgian, Shire, Coach and Hackney Stallions. If a good stallion is needed in your vicinity, write to me. The only importer in the south that handles the above five breeds. 3 Dec 1914 M.D. Mr. William Bertie Bullock was born 1878 in England. He came to America with 40 head of show horses that he took to shows all over the United States. He then moved to the Manassas area where he started an importer business selling champion horses. MJ

Bundage, Timothy - paid a $15.00 license fee to sell foreign merchandise in 1808.

Burdett, W. R. - Occoquan, Va., paid a $25.00 license fee to operate a eating house at Occoquan.

Burdge, S. W. - Manassas, Va., Was a Prince William cattle dealer in the 1870s. BL. The last name also spelled Burge. He was the mayor of Manassas in 1888 and on the town council from 1881 to 1886 and 1891 to 1893.

Burke Flower Shop - Manassas, Va., Retail Florist Shop, Flowers for all occasions, 323 Center Street, Manassas, 1943 BYB, John Henry Burke Jr. is listed on the certificate of ownership in 1942.

Burke, John C. - District #1, listed as a huckster in a business license 28 Jun 1879.

Burke, John H. & Company - General Store - Manassas, Va., everything on earth to eat, sugar any quantity 7.5 cents a pound, we want chicken, eggs, butter, furs, of all kinds for spot cash. 5 Jan 1923 MJ. - Listed in the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories as a general store and grocer. John H. Burke is listed as the owner on a 1922 ownership certificate. The business started prior to 1908 and lasted until the building at 343 W. Center Street was razed in June 1969. John H. Burke was on the Manassas town council 1909-1911, 1921-1923 and again 1935-1937.

Burke Saw Mill - Wellington, Va., N. H. Burke, proprietor, around 1910-1914. On May 25, 1914 he sold at a public sale the following - one 14 horse power Osborne-Taylor engine, 1 separator, 1 saw mill, 1 planer, 1 shingle mill, 1 lathe mill, and one bolter.

Burner Hardware Store - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1884-1885 business directory.

Burns, Thomas - Manassas, Va., General Retail Merchant, from about 1885 to beyond 1900. Thomas also operated a bar room in the Nokesville area about 1890 according to business licenses. He is listed in the 1884-1885, 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a general merchant.
Bushey, W. D. General Store - Cherry Hill, Va., Listed as a merchant 1 May 1925. The store paid $39.40 license tax fee on the sale of $11,700.

Bushey, W. G. - Myron, Va., also known as Cherry Hill, in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Bushong Grocery J. L. - Manassas, Va., General Store, delivers the goods at your door, clean groceries at the right prices, phone Manassas. Do not rob your body of good fresh vegetables & Fruits 9 Mar 1923 M. J. - Bushong Grocery opened for business after buying the business of Charles E. Fisher & Son 15 Mar 1915. They moved to the corner of Main and Center Street 7 Sep 1927. They moved next to the 110 N. Main Street building on 1 Jun 1932. The business closed 31 Jul 1942.

Busy Bee Restaurant – Woodbridge, VA, 1210 Jeff Davis Highway, the owner in 1965 is listed as Mary S. Malone CO

Butler, C. H. - Thoroughfare, Va., Listed in the 1884-1885, 1888 -1889, 1890-1891, & 1893-1894 Prince William County business directories as a coach and wagon builder at Thoroughfare. In 1881 & 1882 he had a business license to operate a bar room at Thoroughfare.

Butler, Jim - Quantico, Va., Boats for Hire, Live bait for sale, reasonable prices, on Quantico Creek, 20 Mar 1936 QS

Butler, John H. - Listed as the commissioner of county revenue in the 1877-1878.1880-1881 business directories.

Butler, Lewis B. General Store - Manassas, Va., General Store, Listed in the business directories and business licenses as a general merchant from 1873 to at least 1881.

Butler Ordinary - Nathaniel Butler paid a business tax to operate an ordinary 5 Jun 1826. BL

Butler, S. J. - Retail merchant on business license dated 1 May 1881.

Butler, Silas - Was the county surveyor in the 1880-1881 Virginia business directory

Butler, Wyatt W. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories as a contractor, builder, blacksmith and wheelwright.

Butler’s Garage - Gainesville, Va., W. H. Butler Jr. was the owner listed on the 15 Feb 1947 certificate of ownership.

Byrd Clothing Company - Manassas, Va., -Caters to those men who desire stylish clothing of the best quality and is one of the most up to date stores of it’s kind between Washington and Danville. Now under the management of Robert Leroy Byrd. The saying that clothing does not make the man is true to a certain extent but they at least give an indication as to the man’s character. (full page ad) 12 Jan 1923 M.J. The business started between 1915 and 1920 with a partnership of Mr. Robert L. Byrd and Mr. W. E. Trusler. Mr. Trusler also was a partner in the Newman - Trusler Hardware Company. In the 1920 census Robert L. Byrd is listed as the manager of a grocery store in the town of Manassas.

Byrd, R. L. - Exclusive agent for the “Security” check protection fountain pen, 17 years in perfecting, writes wonderfully, five year written guarantee, perforates the check with acid proof red ink, $3.00 to $5.00 - 23 Apr 1923 M.J.

C. A. B. Construction Company – Woodbridge, VA, the owners in 1966 are given as Ellis C. Campbell and Clyde E. Blankenship CO

Cabin Branch Mining Company - Forestburg, Va., in the business of mining all types of minerals, metals, oil and coal along with the manufacture of fertilizers. In 1907 Peter B. Brafley of Boston Mass. was president,
John W. Detrick of Prince William was the vice president. Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory under coal and iron mines. The business ended 25 Jan 1922.

Cabin Service Station - Haymarket, Va., Charles William Smith Jr. was the owner 13 Mar 1953 C.O.

Cable, G. S. & Company - Bristow, Va., Is listed as a general merchant in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Calvert, G. P. - Hoadley, Va., Listed as a general merchant in the 1907 business licenses

Calvert, George W. - Corn and Flour Mill & Feed Store - Gainesville, Va., R.F.D., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a Corn & Flour Mill and a Feed, Hay and Grain Store owner.

Calvert, M. C. - Buckland, Va., retail merchant license 1920 and 1 May 1925 BL

Calvert Ordinary - John Calvert & Reuben Calvert early ordinary keepers paid a $12.50 yearly license tax to operate an ordinary from about 1800 to at least 1810 in Prince William County.

Calvert Ordinary - Dumfries, Va., Dennis J. Calvert owner, Paid business taxes for merchandise, tobacco and had a liquor license to operate an ordinary / bar room in the 1890s. BL

Calvert, William - Dumfries, Va., was a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1850s and 1860s.

Campbell, John - Was listed in the business license records as paying $12.50 license tax for a physician in the year 1813.

Campbell's Mill - Haymarket, Va., J. W. Campbell, prop., is listed in the 1888-1889 business directory as a corn & flour mill. also listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 business directory.

Camper & Jenkins - Manassas, Va., The Ladies Store, We are showing this season the most up-to-date line of ladies coats and suits we have ever shown. Come in and give us a look before buying elsewhere. We can save you money 3 Jan 1919 M. J. - In the 1917 business directory as a Manassas general store. Listed in the 1920 business licenses under retail merchants.

Camper, John - paid a retail merchant tax from 1848 to 1861.

Candiff & Gaines Ordinary - In operation before the Civil War from the late 1850s

Cannon & Brawner General Store - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1877-1878 Virginia business directory.

Cannon & Crane - Horton’s Store, Va., Listed in the 1888-1889 Virginia business directory as saw mill owners.

Cannon, Bernard - Paid a $12.50 tax 1 Jul 1849 to sell spirits and merchandise in Prince William County. He also paid a $20 merchants tax the same year. BL

Cannon, C. A. - Manassas, Va., Paid a $10.00 tax for a merchant’s license 1 May 1875. BL

Cannon, F. J. - Manassas, Va., Real Estate Agent, Strangers and others visiting Virginia for the purpose of purchasing land will be shown a large number of farms that I am offering for sale. 5 Jun 1869 M.W.G. - In 1880-1881 business directory he is listed under Manassas Hotels and Manassas Saloon.

Cannon, F. J. and W. McLean - District #2, a business license issued in 1870 shows a $55 fee. The type of business was not given but the amount of tax would indicate it was some sort of retail liquor sales.

Cannon, Frank L. - Manassas, Va., painter and paperhanger, listed in the Virginia business directories of 1906, 1911 and 1917.
Cannon, George A. - Had a merchant’s license for the years 1851 and 1852. He also paid $20.00 for a license to sell retail spirits in 1852.

Cannon, I. E. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1906 and 1917 Virginia business directories and the 1920 census as a contractor and builder. He was also on the Manassas town council 1903-1907.

Cannon, John A. - Manassas, Va., Is listed as a Manassas contractor in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 Virginia business directories. He is listed as operator of a planing mill, and a bridge builder in the 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891, and 1893-1894 directories. Listed as a mill owner, bridge builder, carpenter, and builder in the 1897-1898 Prince William County business directory. He is also in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 business directory for a Saw, Plaining, Flour and Corn Mill at Manassas. In the business licenses he is listed with an ordinary in 1874 and 1875, and a lumber agent in 1878.

Cannon, William G. - On May 1, 1853 he was taxed for a merchant’s license, ordinary license, and a retail tobacco license.

Cannon House Hotel - Manassas, Va., Trustee’s sale of Cannon House Hotel in the town of Manassas will take place on Saturday, Feb, 1 1890 at 12 noon. Property situate on Main Street and fronting on the Virginia Midland Railroad in the said town, also one fourth of an acre bounded by Main street on the east, and South street on the south and known as the “Cannon House Stable Lot.” Terms of sale is cash sufficient to pay the expenses in the sum of twenty-six hundred dollars. 19 Jan 1890 M.G. - This Hotel has recently been fitted up in first-class style. It has been thoroughly renovated and refurnished throughout. It has livery stable attachment and is convenient to depot. It is the purpose of its present owner to furnish the best possible accommodations. Your patronage is solicited. Annie Davis proprietor, Manassas VA 28 Feb 1896 M.G. - The largest and finest hotel in Manassas, open to guest permanent and transient on both European and American plans. Rates $1.50 and $2.00 per day 21 May 1896 MJ. - Francis J. Cannon seem to be the original owner of the Cannon House dating back to around 1875. He is listed as the owner of a Manassas hotel in the 1880-1881 Virginia business directory. It is unclear when the Cannon House started because Francis operated an Ordinary and was also a Merchant in the area as early as 1852. There is also record of Bernard L. Cannon selling Spirits and merchandise in the area in 1849. W. S. Pickett was the proprietor from 1883 to about 1886. In the late 1880s and 1890’s Charles Brawner was the operator of Cannon House Hotel and Saloon. C. E. Brawner is listed as the proprietor of the hotel in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory. In the 1898-1899 Virginia business directory William Davis is listed as the owner-operator. The Cannon House Livery Stables is listed in the 1893-1894 business directory. The Cannon House Hotel was renamed “The Maine Hotel” in 1898 and burned before 1900.

Cannon’s Mill - Manassas, Va., operated in Manassas area in the 1880s and early 1900s by J. A. Cannon, BR - in the 1884-1885 business directory as a corn, flour, saw and planing mill.

Calvert, M. C. - Buckland, Va., retail merchant license 1920 and 1 May 1925 BL

Cantrell’s, T. R. Plumbing Company – Manassas – heating & plumbing, owner in 1966 was T. R. Cantrell

Capitol Polish Company - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a Floor Polish Manufacturer.

Carey, James - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the business records in the 1890s for a retail merchant.

Carl’s Garage - Manassas, Va., Grant Ave., official AAA station, 1950s.

Carlin & Hulfish Company - Wholesale Hardware - cutlery, guns, loaded shells, bar iron, nails, Worth Hulfish president, George W. Hulfish secretary, David W. Hulfish asst. secretary, 7 Sep 1906 M. J.

Carney, Lewis B. - Listed as a retail merchant in business license 26 Jun 1849.
Carpenter, Frederick J. - Had a license to practice medicine in Prince William County 13 Jun 1939 BL

Carper, Virginia Speiden - The Music Studio, Manassas, Va., 314 N. Battle Street, Classes and private lessons for pupils of all ages. 5 Sep 1940 M. J.

Carr & Brothers General Store - Bristow, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Carrico, William F. - Listed as a huckster on business license 1 Jan 1877.

Carry House Hotel - Manassas, Va., The owners are listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as Goodwin & Wilcoxen. This is possibly the same as the Goodwin House Hotel listed in later records.

Carry, James - Retail merchant early 1890s.

Carter & Hite - Gainesville, Va., Listed as a general store in the 1874 and 1875 business licenses.

Carter & Pattie - Manassas, Va., Paid for a business license to operate a merry-go-round in the town of Manassas in 1893.

Carter & Swart - Gainesville, Va., Had a canvassing to buy business license 20 Jun 1874.

Carter & Underwood - Occoquan, Va., Undertakers, Paid for a license to be undertakers 2 Apr 1909. The business is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory. J. N. Carter is listed as an undertaker and barber in 1917.

Carter, A. J. - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1906 business directory as a dentist.

Carter, C. A. - District #2, a merchant in 1882 and 1883.

Carter, C. C. and Son - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1908 business license as a merchant with a tobacco license.

Carter, C. S. - District #1, listed in the business license as a butcher in 1897. He also had a license for a standing stallion in 1876.

Carter, Cassius - Brentsville, Va., Listed as a Prince William physician in the 1850s business licenses and the 1852 Virginia directory and business register.

Carter, George R. - Manassas, Va., Interior & Exterior Painting and Paper Hanging, Estimates Free, 31 May 1934 M. J.

Carter, Giles A. - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a grocer.

Carter, H. C. - Occoquan, Va., in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright and in the 1920 census as a superintendent of a brick yard.

Carter, Henry - Independent Hill, Va., was a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1850s and 1860s.

Carter, J. A. - Occoquan, Va., in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a grocer.

Carter, James N. Barber Shop - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a barber and undertaker and the 1920 census as having his own barber shop.

Carter, Lemuel T. - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1906, 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories as a blacksmith and wheelwright and in the 1920 census as a blacksmith.

Carter, Louis - Manassas, Va., Service Station Operator, The Texas Company announces the opening of its modern service station at 134 East Center Street, Saturday March 21, 100% Texaco 19 Mar 1936 M. J.
Carter, S. C. General Store - Manassas, Va., Groceries, Flour and Feed. I sell groceries and provisions of every kind at lowest prices for first class goods, men’s underwear, top shirts, gloves, socks and a general line of notions, ladies hose of every description. I guarantee my prices to be the lowest. I buy chickens, eggs, and butter and pay the highest market prices for same. No Trust - Strictly Cash or No Sale., Grant Avenue near Court House, Manassas, VA 9 Dec 1909 M. J. - He is also listed in the business licenses as a merchant with a license to sell retail tobacco starting in 1908. BL

Carter, S. N. - Occoquan, Va., Listed as a grocer in 1917 business directory.

Carter, S. T. - District #2, had a retail merchant and tobacco license 1879 BL

Carver and Knowles - Paid a $15.00 business license tax to sell foreign goods 2 Feb 1815 BL

Cassaday, Baker & Company - Occoquan, Va., Brick Company, Listed in the 1877-1878 Virginia business directory under the heading of merchants and tradesmen.

Catharpin Farm Products Corporation - Catharpin, Va., Sell farm produce along with milk, cheese, and by-products. F.H. Sanders, president - W. Holmes, vice president - Charles McDonald, secretary. The business lasted from about 1922 to 1926.

Cather & Flaherty Manufactures - Manassas, Va., Wholesale Confectioner located in the old Journal Building. The following is from a 1914 Manassas newspaper - CANDY CANDY the kind that’s pure and wholesome. Butter Puffs are our specialty. The best peanut confection on the market. All kinds of plain goods, stick candy, kisses, drops, sour lemon drops, hosehounds drops, etc. If you want the kind that’s better than the ordinary, ask for Virginia homemade candies. Our goods are handled by all local merchants and merchants throughout the county. All of our candies are guaranteed to be fresh. Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as confectioners.

Cato’s Service Station - Dumfries, Va., Opened in 1930 by the Cato brothers and was between their two houses.

Caton’s Esso Service Center - Manassas, Va., corner of Center and N. Grant Ave., 8 hour tire recapping, guaranteed work done in our own shop, we buy recappable tires, gas - oil - lubrication - washing - polishing, small engine and lawn mower service 1950s. W. Caton Merchant was the owner and proprietor on the certificate of ownership dated 1 Aug 1951.

Caton, W. P. - In 1898-1899 he paid a business tax to practice medicine in Prince William County.

Cave, Macon - General Store - Gainesville, Va., - A letter head from a letter sent 29 Jan 1917 has - Macon Cave, dealer in General Merchandise, Established in 1888, Gainesville, Va., listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories. Macon Cave had a merchant’s license and retail tobacco license from 1890 to at least 1921. BL - He is Listed In the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a fertilizer agent. In 1911 as an agricultural implements dealer. The 1917 directory has him as a general store owner.

Cave Ordinary - There is record of the ordinary starting in 1808 and may have continued to 1818. BL. The ordinary keeper was Mary Ann Cave.

Caverns (The) - Gainesville, Va., restaurant and dance hall located at intersection of US 211 and state route 55. Ben and Pauline Simpson sold the business to Edward Homer Wilson and Annie M. Wilson 20 Oct 1950. This business was then sold to Ashby R. Rosson of Gainesville in 1960 CO later in 1960 it was sold again to C. W. Stripe Jr.

Cedar Inn Service Station - Manassas, Va., Retail merchant and restaurant on route # 28. Manard F. Walters is the owner on the 1941 certificate of ownership. Late in 1941 the business was sold to Ann Frederick. In 1942 Ella Heflin is the owner listed on the certificate of ownership. S. E. Wood took over the business before 15 Nov 1945. CO
Center Barber Shop - Manassas, Va., 419 Mathis Ave., 1950s

Center Market - Yorkshire, Va., Groceries and Meat, 1134 Centreville Road, - Glen N. Myers was the owner and proprietor 5 Apr 1951 C.O.

Centreville Percheron Horse Company - Stone House, Va., at the battlefield, listed in the business licenses 1908 - 1910. BL

Central Garage - Manassas, Va., Ford the universal car, 3 strong reasons to urge you to buy a ford car, First because of it’s record of satisfactory service, second because of the reliability of the company, third because of it’s large radiator and enclosed fan, streamlined hood and crowned fender, 5 Jan 1917 M. J.

Central Lunch - Manassas, Va., Center Street, O. V. Kline prop., Special Sunday Dinners 50 cents, attractive menu, and card service at all times. 9 Mar 1933 M. J.

Central Mutual Telephone Company - Manassas, Va., 328 West Center Street, C. E. Nash, president, Individual line $3.00 per month, 2 party line $2.25 per month, rural party line $1.75 per month, extension in same building $1.00 per month. 11 Apr 1929 MJ In the 1906 directory with William Wheeler as president. - Officers in 1941 were George B. Cocke, president; T. E. Didlake, vice president; Harry P. Davis, secretary.

Chamberlin, T. O. - Minnieville, Va., Listed as a coach and wagon maker in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories.

Chambers Grocery - Thoroughfare, Va., Charles A. Chambers was the owner and proprietor 11 Jan 1952 C.O.

Champ, Arthur - Manassas, Va., butcher in the 1890s. Had a business license from 1891 to around 1900.

Champ, S. E. - Manassas, Va., butcher, Paid a business license to be a butcher 1 May 1897 BL

Chapman Barber Shop, - Manassas, Va., 119 S. Battle Street, John Chapman, colored, has purchased the barber shop owned by John Harper, colored, Chapman formerly owned a barber shop here, Manassas, 10 Dec 1925 MJ. The shop still operating in 1960. In the 1917 Virginia business directory he is listed as one of the eight barbers in the county.

Chapman, J. D. - Manassas, Va., paid for a butcher license 20 Jun 1896. BL

Chapman John - Restaurant, Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Chapman, John Cleaners - Manassas, Va., Crutchfields Cleaners and Dyers of wearing apparel of every description, foreign and domestic rugs, blankets, curtains, portieres. 2 Apr 1921 P.W.N. - John sold the business to Roy Tyndale about 1928 or 1929.

Chapman, William S. - Listed in the 1877-1878 business directory as the county commissioner of revenue.

Charley’s Barber Shop - Manassas, Va., 126 W. Center Street in 1950

Cherry, Homer - Manassas, Va., had a merchant, tobacco and private entertainment license 1908 and 1909.

Chesapeake Creameries - Manassas, Va., opens in Manassas Saturday, July 15 1933, Allen H. Ritter, manager, come and see us in building back of Burke’s Store. 6 Jul 1933 M. J.

Chet’s Sunoco Service Station - Woodbridge, Va., Chester W. Gettys 19 Jun 1953 C.O.

Chew Land Agency, (J. B.) - Haymarket, Va., a land agency listed in the 1908 business licenses.
Chilton, Samuel - Brentsville, Va., Listed in the 1952 Virginia directory and business register as an attorney working for the circuit superior court. The court was held Tuesday after the third Monday in May and October.

Chinn, D. C. - Dumfries, Va., $15.00 physician license 15 Jul 1912 BL

Churchill Photographs - Howard E. Churchill - Manassas, Va., business records for 1947 and 1948 give this listing. In the 1951 yellow pages his ad read - Fine photography, serving you, your family, or your business, one photograph is worth a 1000 words.

Clagett & Groves - On 11 Jun 1855 paid $45.75 business tax for retail merchant.

Clagett & Speak - paid $45.75 tax in 1852 for merchant business license.

Clark, A. B. - Gainesville, Va., Paid a $15 license fee for a livery stable in 1908 and 1909 business licenses. A. B. Clark is also listed in the 1906, 1911, and 1917 Virginia business directories under livery stables. Also see John A. Clark.

Clarke, B. W. - Minnieville, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a lumber dealer.

Clarke, B. W. - Myron, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as having a saw mill at Myron.

Clark Bar Room - Woodbridge, Va., Operated by E. J. Clark in the 1890s. BL

Clarke, Bessie L. Mrs. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as operating a boarding house.

Clark, C. - Minnieville, retail merchant with a tobacco license 1907

Clarke, C. E. General Store and Saw Mill - Minnieville, Va., Listed in the 1906 business directory as a saw mill owner.

Clarke Cab Company - Manassas, Va., Due to the death of John F. Clarke of Gainesville, Va., no business will be conducted until Friday, November 9, 1956. Thank you for your cooperation. 8 Nov 1956 M. J.

Clarke E.C. - General Store - Minnieville, Va., Was a retail merchant in the 1890s BL. - Listed in the 1893-1894,1897-1898, and 1911 Virginia business directories as a retail merchant.

Clark, E. J. - Woodbridge/ Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a general merchant. Was still in business at Woodbridge in 1911 BL, BD. Mrs. Estelle J. Clark is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory and the 1920 census as the owner of a boarding house in Woodbridge, Va.

Clarke, H. D. - Woodbridge, Va., bar owner in 1880s.

Clark, J. E. - Fine shoe repairing, only the best white oak leather used, all work guaranteed, prices the lowest, Florence’s Old Stand, Manassas, VA, 9 Dec 1909 M. J.

Clark, Joe - Merry - Go-Round, - Quantico, Va., Paid for a license to operate a merry-go-round 1 Aug 1926 BL

Clark, John A. - Gainesville, Va., Listed as having a livery stable at Gainesville in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 editions of the State Gazetteer and business directory. Also see A. B. Clark.

Clark, John & Son - Woodbridge, Va., a merchant in the 1880s. BL - In 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891, and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories as a general merchant and retail liquor.

Clarke, L. A. - Occoquan, Va., operated a bar room in Occoquan from 1883 until at least 1888. BL

Clark, R. F. - District #1, listed as a retail merchant in the business licenses 1896 to at least 1900.

Clark, Reuben - Limstrong, Va., Listed as a carpenter and builder in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory.

Clarke, W. D. - Occoquan, Va., operated a bar room in Occoquan from about 1887 until at least 1891. BL

Clark, W. P. - Woodbridge, Va., in the 1917 Virginia business directory as having a livery stable.

Clark, William F. - Dumfries, Va., a retail merchant in the 1850s and 1860s.

Clarke’s Lunch - Gainesville, Va., on Lee Hwy., I John R. Clarke owner of Clarke’s Lunch at Gainesville, Va. wish to advise my fellow dealers of the county that we must get together to contest this would be law to ban the Sunday sale of beer and wine in Prince William County. 28 Mar 1940 M. J., the following is from an ad in the 1941 telephone book - John R. Clarke and Helen B. Clark owners of Clarke’s lunch in Gainesville, VA, We specialize in homemade ice cream also operate a lunch store at the Manassas Livestock Sales.

Clarkson, & Harrell - Haymarket, Va., Charles D. S. Clarkson and Cornelius H. Harrell, Civil Engineers, county surveyors, offices at Haymarket and Manassas, 20 Apr 1911 M. D. - The partners later started Escambia Sand and Gravel Company in 1921.


Clayborn’s Restaurant - Manassas, Va., Near Stone House at the Battlefield. On 1 Nov 1945 the owner and proprietor is listed on the certificate of ownership as Anna May Clayborn.

Clayton, William - Paid business taxes for a tavern in 1822 and an ordinary in 1823. BL

Cleary, Michael - Had a business license from 1826 to 1839. Ordinary license 1826-1828, private entertainment license 1831-1836, retail merchant license 1838-1839. BL

Cline, Dr. D. C. - Dumfries, Va., Physician, Car Dealer, and Insurance Agent, - Chevrolet - The car for the people, fine enough for the rich and cheap enough for the poor man. I have a fine stock on hand. Come and let me show you. 16 Mar 1923 M. J. - He is in the 1907 Prince William business licenses as a physician. And the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories as a physician and Insurance Agent.

Cline Motor Company - Triangle, Va., Announcement, We have secured as our shop foreman the services of James H. Weedon, General Motors expert and Studebaker service school graduate and for the past six years with the Paris Motor Company of Quantico. All work done under personal supervision 1930

Clingempeel, C. L. - Manassas, Va., 214 E. Center Street, antique restoring, upholstering, furniture bought and sold, 9 Mar 1933 M. J.

Clinton, Horace - Coles District. Listed as a canvasser in the 1873 business license. BL

Cloe’s Kitchen - Triangle, Va., Julia Humphrey was the owner and proprietor 21 Sep 1953 C.O.
Clover Hill Farm - Manassas, Va., We are crowded for room and we offer one heifer to freshen in may and four cows in milk from $125 and up. All cows registered with production records. All stock priced for immediate sale by a firm dealing in Prince William County for one hundred and fifty eight years. 28 Feb 1928 M. J.

Cloverdale Hatchery - Nokesville, Va., Lester Huff prop., your patronage appreciated, our aim to serve you better, our motto: Each chick a healthier chick, 1939 BYB

Club Y Knot - Gainesville, Va., dance hall and grill at Gainesville, Raymond R. Waple was the owner and proprietor 6 Feb 1952 C.O.

Clyde’s Mill - on broad run near the residence of John Hall has been rebuilt and set in first class order. It is being operated by Mr. J. A. Rapp, a miller of many years experience. Flour, meal, and mill feed, such as bran and middlings, are manufactured and kept in stock. The flour is straight A grade, made from the very best wheat of rich cast and guaranteed pure and healthy. The meal is ground on four foot new stones of perfect condition and is therefore not injured by heating. Mr. Charles E. Hall is also at the mill and will be glad to extend any courtesies to customers. Phone messages will be received and prompt attention will be given to them. 26 Jan 1912 M. J.

Cocke’s Pharmacy - Manassas, Va., Soda Fountain, George B. Cocke prop.,133 W. Centre Street, corner of Battle, We fill prescriptions, toilet necessities for women & men. Our cold cream lotions should be on your dressing table. 5 Jan 1923 M. J. - Free prescription delivery, have your doctor call us, pharmacists - G. Wallace Hook, Ernest Spiller Jr., George B. Cocke, Sick room supplies, vaccines, biological, Rexall Products, 1960 YP - The store was in operation from early 1919 to 1984. - A Trailways Bus advertisement list 8 departures daily to Washington and 2 to for Fredericksburg and Richmond. Tickets and information available from Cocke’s Pharmacy.

Cockrell and House - Greenwich, Va., Paid a business license fee and in business directories for merchants and retail tobacco 1880 to 1885.

Cockrell, E. L. - Manassas, Va., paid a retail merchant license fee 1 May 1925.

Cockrell, Ferdinand A. - Graham Park Nurseries, Manassas, Va., Healthy vigorous stock, true to name. These are the essential points in all nursery stock. My entire stock of fruit and ornamental trees, evergreens, shrubbery is regularly inspected every season and sent out under state inspection. Also manufacturer of the all purpose harrow and agent for the Derring Harvester and Binder. Repairs carried in stock at the Larkin Hardware Company’s Store in Manassas, Va. 22 Nov 1901 M. J. - Listed as a nursery and agricultural implement dealer in the 1906, 1911 and 1917 business directories. The 1920 business directory of Prince William County has him as a retail merchant.

Cockrell’s Garage - Manassas, Va., The Star Cars have arrived, If you are looking for a real bargain in a car pay us a visit, we can also supply you with second hand cars 5 Jan 1923 M. J.

Cockrell, George - There is record of a him being a merchant from 1838 to 1855.

Cockrell, Samuel - On 6 Jun 1831 Samuel paid $18.00 tax to operate an ordinary.

Cockrell, William - A retail merchant and ordinary keeper in 1861

Coffman, Robert - Limstrong, Va., Listed as a carpenter and builder in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory.

Cogwell, Levi B. - A Tin and Pewter maker in 1815 BL

Cohen Brothers - “The Hub”,The Manassas, Va., Improved Company Building, new store, new fixtures, new people, new goods, The gentlemen’s youths’ and boys’ outfitters from head to foot with an entirely new stock designated and made for us. A line of goods that will surprise the public, come and see our opening
on Saturday Jun 2, 1906, Abe Cohen, prop. 25 May 1906 M. J. - Listed in the 1910 business licenses as selling general merchandise.

**Colbert General Store** - Lake Jackson, Va., route #234, restaurant, ABC licenses, groceries, Shell Gas and Oil, General Merchandise. A. L. Colbert, proprietor. 1950 YP

**Colbert General Store and Gas Station** - Bull Run, Va., on Centreville Road, Esso Gasoline. “You get better products at the ESSO sign, drinks, sandwiches and general merchandise. A. L. Colbert proprietor, 1940s

**Colbert, William H.** - A Manassas area Canvasser and Huckster in the 1870s. BL

**Cole & Lynn** - Paid a $50 merchant business license fee 7 May 1855.BL

**Cole & Milstead Ordinary** - Ordinary 1848-1850 in Prince William County.

**Cole, Basil** - merchant license 4 Dec 1848. BL

**Cole, Boliver** - Independent Hill, Va., Listed as a coach and wagon maker in the 1890-1891 Virginia business directory and a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1906 and 1911 directories.

**Cole, Elizabeth** - Listed as a retail merchant in the 1843 business licenses.

**Cole, Horace** - merchant and ordinary keeper 1859-1861.

**Cole, James** - **General Store**- near Bellfair Mills, Va., General Store, Listed in the 1877-1878 and 1884-1885 Virginia business directories.

**Cole, James B. Funeral Home** - Independent Hill, Va., - Dealer in all kinds of marble, funeral director and licensed embalmer, life like features restored, robes and caskets of all kinds, hearse furnished any reasonable distance, reasonable prices. 19 Dec 1919 M. J. - He is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as an undertaker. In the 1911 Virginia directory he is listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright. The 1920 and 1925 county business licenses also list James as an undertaker but the location was Bristow. According to John Samsky the funeral home at Independent Hill had a sign on the front that said “I’ll be the last one to let you down”.

**Cole, James B. General Store** - Independent Hill, Va. The old store was just north of what is now Samsky’s Market.

**Cole, James L.** - Voy, or Forestburg, Va., A retail merchant in the 1880s BL - Listed in the 1888-1889, and 1890-1891 Virginia business directories as a Forrestburg, Va. coach and wagon maker. In the 1884-1885, 1888-1889 and 1893-1894 directories he is also listed as a coach and wagon builder but his address is listed as Independent Hill. He is in the 1897-1898 directory as a blacksmith, wheelwright and undertaker.

**Cole Ordinary** - Lawrence Cole was the operator in the 1850s BL

**Cole, P.M.** - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

**Cole, S. J. Dr.** - Manassas, Va., Optometrist, National Bank Building, Second Floor, Eyesight Specialist, eyes examined, glasses fitted, 29 Jul 1943 M. J.

**Coleman, Arthur - Pool Room** - Quantico, Va., paid for a license to operate a pool room in Quantico with 3 tables. 1 May 1925 BL

**Coleman, J. M.** - Manassas, Va., Had a business license to operate a house of private entertainment in 1920. He rented out 19 rooms in one dwelling but the records don’t show it listed as a hotel and he only paid the tax for one house.
Colguhoun, James M. - Dumfries, Va., Paid $16.50 license tax to operate an ordinary 7 Jun 1813. BL

Collier, Charles - Bristow Va., Public Performance at Bristow 3 Jul 1926 BL

Collins, Joe - Store - Bristow, Va., The following was a headline in the 23 May 1929 Manassas Journal - Fire Raging in Bristow threatens community, Joe Collins Store and residence burned.

Colonial Small Loan Corp. - Quantico, Va., 234 Potomac Avenue, 12 Jun 1935 Quantico Sentry.

Colvin General Store - Minnieville, Va., Listed in the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directory with Mrs. M. V. Colvin the proprietor.

Community Finance Corp. of Manassas - 240 E. Center Street, across from Safeway Store, Short of cash to pay your state income tax, ends your worries by getting a loan from us which can be repaid in convenient installments.1950s M.J.

Community Grocery Company - Manassas, Va., Center Street, In 1922 I’m going to buy my groceries where I can buy them fresh and clean, get them cheaply, wait upon myself, avoid being sold things I don’t want. This means I’m going to deal with the Community Grocery Company where the self service, cash and carry plan is attracting the attention of all people in Prince William County. 5 Jan 1922 PWN

Connell, J. H. - District #1, listed as a huckster in the 1878 business license.

Connell, S. T. General Store - Agnewville, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory. (This might be S. T. Cornwell?)

Conner & Kincheloe General Store - Manassas, Va., a full line of fresh fancy and staple groceries, dry goods, notions, grapes, oranges, apples, bananas and all kinds of fruit. 10 Dec 1925 M. J., and 4 Feb 1937 M. J. - This business started before 10 Jun 1876 and listed in the 1877-1878 Virginia business directory as a general merchant. It is unknown if it was the same business that was still operating in 1937. The store was on the first floor of Conner’s Opera House in the early 1900s. - Also see Elias E. Conner.

Conner, A. J. - Saw & Planing Mill - Manassas, Va., Wanted to buy good logs, I am also ready to do custom work in sawing and planing, and to manufacture flooring, siding and lumber from logs. West Street near depot, Manassas, VA 9 Dec 1909 M. J. - The business is shown on the 1907 Sanborn Fire Insurance Company Map. The remarks on the map say no watchman, no lights, 30 hp steam engine, logs & lumber scattered throughout the yard.

Conner, E. R. & Co. - Manassas, Va., CASH STORE, It is not our desire to attempt to mislead you or to try to impress it upon you that we have something to offer you which we do not carry in stock. What we do want to remind you of is the fact that we do handle and are prepared to carve on our blocks to suit your fancy, the choices and juiciest meats that can be grown in old Prince William County. It is to your interest to let us serve you, 2 Apr 1921 P. W. N. - On the 1922 ownership certificate E. E. Conner and J. C. Kincheloe are listed as owners. The store dates back at least to 1895. The business licenses and directories have him as a butcher in 1909, a license to show moving pictures in 1911, a cattle dealer, grocer, and meat market in 1906, a grocer, livery stable owner, and live stock dealer in 1911 and 1917. E. R. Conner was also on the Manassas town council 1909-1923 and 1935 - 1937.

Conner, Elias E. General Store and Ordinary - Manassas / Buckhall Va., Started in business about 1852 and continued for many years under the names of E. E. Conner, Elias Conner General Store, Kincheloe & Conner, Conner & French, Conner & Davis and Conner & Company. - Elias sold everything needed for the growing community including whiskey and other spirits, dry goods, corn meal, tobacco, guns, ammo, farm implements, boots, shoes, teas, coffee, county produce taken in exchange for groceries. He was also one of the first people in Prince William County to sell fertilizer. Mr. Conner also bought notes and collected for a fee. He was also a long time constable in the county.
Conner’s Market - Manassas, Va., We carry a full line of groceries and meats. Call and bring your country produce. We will give you trade or pay cash. Conner’s New Store, at 117 Center Street, Manassas, 22 Sep 1910 M.J., in 10 Oct 1940 newspaper ad list the following: Conner Market the home of good things to eat, delivery service, Karo syrup 22 cents for 24 oz jar, green limas 25 cents a can 3 Jan 1919 M. J. - Edgar Ren Conner Jr. is listed as the owner on the 1941 certificate of ownership.

Conner’s Opera House - Manassas, Va., R. Conner, manager, 20 Apr 1911 M. D. The Conner building was a large, two-story, commercial, brick structure constructed to contain as many as three stores on the first floor and a large hall or opera house on the second floor. - source PWC historical commission.

Conrad, J. S. - Neabsco Mills, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a physician.

Conrad, M. J. - Had a business license in 1873 to sell washing machines. BL

Conway Fish Market - Manassas, Va., Operated by Henry C. Conway and listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory under fish and oysters.

Cook, J. W. - Greenwich, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Cook’s Service Center – Manassas, VA, Route2, auto service station, owner Janice Ilene Cook 1965 CO

Cooley’s Boarding House - Manassas, Va., Center Street, South M. E. Church, board by day, week or month, meals at all hours, cuisine unexcelled, modern improvements, lighted by gas, rates $1.00 per day and upwards.


Cooper, Charles S. - Forestburg, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a lumber dealer.

Cooper, Isaac & W.H.W. - Forestburg, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as saw mill owners.

Cooper, J. T. - Aden, Va., listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Cooper, W. H. - Aden, Va., Listed in the 1906 business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Cornwell & Cheshire - Occoquan, Va., Had a merchant’s license from 1896 to past 1900. BL

Cornwell, B. C. - Manassas, Va., Center Street, and Contractor & Builder When planning to build consult B. C. Cornwell contractor and builder. All kinds of stone brick and cement work. Before buying let me give you prices. I can save you money. Lime, calcined plaster, prepared plaster, cement, hair and terra cotta. Office and ware room, Center Street, Manassas, Va. 9 Dec 1909 M. J. Benjamin worked in the construction business in and around Manassas before opening the Cornwell Supply Company. He is also listed in the 1908-1910 business licenses and the 1917 Virginia business directory as a building contractor. In the 1917 Virginia business directory he is listed as a general store owner at Manassas. The 1920 Prince William Census lists him as a hardware merchant. B. C. Cornwell was also on the Manassas town council 1921 - 1923.

Cornwell, Charles - Listed as a huckster in the 1877 business licenses.

Cornwell, E. M. - Manassas, Va., retail business license 1 May 1920 and 1925.

Cornwell, E. W. - Bristow, Va., Route #2 Having bought E. M. Briggs interest in sawmill I would like to hear from parties having timber to sell or cut. 20 Apr 1911 M. D. He was also listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.
Cornwell, Emory - Manassas, Va., Lake Jackson Road, was listed in the 1950 yellow pages as trucking and hauling.

Cornwell Esso Station - Manassas, Va., Emory L. Cornwell, owner, was formerly Manassas Service Station, for national defense save gasoline, save wear and tear on your car, do it the ESSO way. 14 Dec 1941 M. J.

Cornwell Express Company - Manassas, Va., I. C. Cornwell manager, is listed as a teamster in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Cornwell, John L. - Nokesville, Va., operator of the Bettis House in 1898. He was preceded as the operator by Jas Bettis and George Ashford.

Cornwell, Lina B. - District #2, paid a license fee for a merchant and retail tobacco 1882 - 1884. BL

Cornwell, Montraville - Independent Hill, Va., a merchant and ordinary keeper from 1858 to 1874 BL - He was still listed in the 1877-1878 Virginia business directory as a general merchant. Montaville bought most if not all of his provisions including whiskey from E. E. Conner of Manassas on consignment... Mr. Cornwell signed a note for the stock plus agreed to pay Conner 15 percent of his profit.

Cornwell, Nimrod - Forrestburg, Va., a general merchant listed in the 1907 business licenses

Cornwell Ordinary - Independent Hill, Va., Montaville Cornwell paid a license fee for the ordinary from the late 1850s to at least 1881 when he is listed in the 1880-1881 Virginia business directory.

Cornwell, Nimrod General Store - Canova, Va., Was a retail merchant starting about 1897. BL - He is also listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a operating a general store.

Cornwell, Ralph - Manassas, Va., general hauling, sand and gravel, roads graded and graveled. 1950s

Cornwell, S. T. - Maple Valley / Agnewville / Woodbridge, Va., paid a $68.75 tax in 1887 for a bar room at Maple Valley, In 1888 he paid a $75.00 tax for a bar room at Occoquan. Then in 1889 he list the bar room as being at Hoadley where he paid $75.00 tax. BL - S. T. Cornwell shows up again in the business records as a Cherry Hill retail merchant in 1907 - 1910. He was a county commissioner of revenue in 1917. In the 1925 Prince William business licenses he is listed as a vender of medicine and paid a $62.50 yearly tax.

Cornwell, Sam General Store - Minnieville, listed in the 1906 business directory and business licenses as a general merchandiser

Cornwell Service Station - Manassas, Va., service station and grocery store, Walter Brakefield was the owner 8 Jul 1952 C.O. The name changed to Brakefield Service Station in 1954.

Cornwell Shell Service Station - Manassas, Va., One mile south on Route #234, 1950s - Ralph Cornwell is listed as the owner on the 1941 business ownership certificate.

Cornwell Supply Company - Manassas, Va., Main Street, Makes a specialty of farm implements of all kind; the firm has built a reputation of handling only the best in this line. DeLaual Service Day Tuesday April 3 1923, on this date we shall be glad to have any De Lual user bringing his separator to us for a complete and careful inspection. 16 Mar 1923 M. J. The company was owned by Mr. Benjamin Clement Cornwell a native of Prince William County. He moved to Manassas with his parents about 1880.Listed as a agricultural implement dealer and fertilizer dealer in the 1917 business directory. The company is listed in the 1920 and 1925 Manassas business licenses.

Cornwell’s Trading Post - Manassas, Va., Grand Opening, 117 Jefferson Ave., Located just outside Manassas Corporation Limits, Go out Lee Ave. (extended) to Jefferson Ave., see sign pointing to store “We buy and sell everything”, you bring it in we sell it 10 percent commission. 29 Jul 1954 M. J.
Corum, Francis J. - retail merchant and tobacco business license 1880-1884. BL

Cosby, Thomas - retail merchant in the 1895 business license.

Coulter Ordinary - The only mention of the ordinary was on 5 Jun 1837 when John Coulter paid the $18.00 license tax to operate the ordinary until 1 Jun 1938. most of the business records are missing from the late 1830s until after the civil war.

Coverstone, J. B. - Wellington, Va., Listed as a general retail merchant in the 1920 business licenses.


Crane & Breen Saw Mill - Hortons Store, Va., Listed in the 1884-1885 business directory.

Crason, J. B. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Craven Brothers - Manassas, Va., listed as a retail merchant 1 Oct 1908 BL

Cregger Excavating - Manassas, Va., grading, basements, farm ponds, land clearing, 1950s

Crewe, W. G. - District #1, listed as a butcher in the business licenses 1895-1900.

Crew’s Dry Cleaners - Quantico, Va., 333 Potomac Avenue, 24 hour service, Dry Cleaning and Tailoring. 21 Jun 1935 QS

Crigler & Camper General Store - Manassas, Va., Wash goods & white goods, we are showing the finest collection of wash goods, and white goods ever offered in Manassas. Have you seen our mohair luster at 15 cents per yard, looks like the 50 cent kind, also a complete line of white canvas oxfords for women, misses and children. Next door to National Bank, Manassas, Va. 1 Jun 1906 M. J. - Listed in the 1910 business licenses as selling retail merchandise. In the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories it was listed as a dry goods and general store. In 1913 the president was A.M. Crigler, vice president was R. M. Jenkins, secretary was O. D. Waters and treasurer and manager was H. Camper, all of Manassas.

Croft Meade School - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Crosby’s Garage - Manassas, Va., corner of Grant and Center Streets, Jesse Crosby, proprietor 1941 M.T.D. Jesse Crosby is also listed on the 1941 ownership certificate. In the 1950s he ran a taxi cab company out of the garage.

Crosen’s Mill (H. L.) - Catharpin, Va., Saw Mill, in the 1884-1885 and 1888-1889 business directories. Also listed as a saw mill in the 1890-1891 issue of Chataigne’s business directories.

Cross, R. B. - Sudley Mill, Va., - For the years 1877 and 1878 he operated a small retail liquor business. BL

Cross, R. W. - Roger’s Cozy Shop - Manassas, Va., 118 Center Street, ladies coats, plain wool jackets, washable rayon dresses, large ad with many prices 18 Jan 1940 M. J. - On Saturday May 20, 1939 I will open a ladies haberdashery shop in the Cross Building, opposite the Prince William Hotel on Center Street. For the past 15 years I have served the people of Manassas and vicinity and hope you will give me support in my new venture. I will be assisted by Miss Helen Strode formerly of Jenkins and Jenkins who is experienced in this line. I have modernized my store and invite you to pay us a visit.

Cross, William - A western Prince William butcher from about 1876 to at least 1886.

Crossroads Paving Company – Haymarket, VA, Hugh H. Orndoff the owner in 1966
Crow, William - General Store - Joplin, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a general store, grocer real estate agent and a garage owner. He was also a county magistrate from at least 1910-1918.

Crummett’s Store - Nokesville, Va., Addison Crummett, Dry goods and general merchandise, our motto: Full measure, Full weight and honest goods for your money. Our aim is to please you. If we please you tell others if not tell us. All accounts must be paid in full when due. 1938 BYB. - Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a general store. The store location in the 1920 business licenses was Woodlawn.

Crump, W. H. & Company - Manassas, Va., Builders, General Contractors, Contracts for all kinds of buildings and structural work - 1911

Cullen, A. R. - Manassas, Va., National Bank Building, and Real Estate is our full time business. Clients waiting, listings solicited 5 Sep 1947 M. M.

Culpeper Creamery - Manassas, Va., We have opened an up to date cream station in Saunders Meat shop building, across the street from town hall, Manassas, Va., give us a trial, same money and worry over lost cans, etc. 9 May 1929 M. J.


Curtis, Robert - District #2, was a huckster in the 1879 business license and a retail merchant and tobacco license in the 1891-1894 business licenses.

Cushing & Meetze General Store - Bristow, Va., listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Cushing Store - Christopher Cushing paid a $20 license fee for a retail store 1 May 1834. BL

Cycle City – Manassas Park, VA, 919 Centreville Road, Sales & Service, the owners in 1966 are Robert E. Huntley, Ronald D. Buckner & others. CO

D.G.S. Market - Manassas, Va., We are pleased to announce the formal grand opening Thursday Evening July 12th of the Manassas Store, Noah Dove manager, near the Prince William Hotel 5 Jul 1934 M. J.

Daffin, R. E. - Manassas, Va., representing People’s Life Insurance Company, Full Time Life Insurance, 1946 OYB

Daily & Conrad - Paid a $10 license fee to operate a merry-go-round in 1892.

Daily, Charles G. - Paid a $16 business license fee to be a peddler 7 Jun 1824.


Dalton, C. Wade - Manassas, Va., Distributor of Redigas “Natural Gas service for homes beyond gas mains” 31 May 1934 M. J. - He is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as having a plumbing company.

Daniel, H. M. - Well Drilling, work promptly done in a satisfactory manner, pumps of all kinds for sale at reasonable prices, give us a trial, R. L. Johnson, Manassas, H. M. Daniel, Nokesville, 20 Apr 1911 M. D.

Danny’s Grill – Triangle, VA, Route #1, restaurant, the owner in 1966 is listed as James D. Parker CO

Dari-Dell – Manassas, VA, a mobile ice cream business, the owners in 1966 were Frank H. & Alice E. Dell CO

Dave’s Construction Company – Woodbridge, VA, drywall, David S. Sheridan was the owner in 1966 CO

Davenport Radio & TV Repair - , Manassas, Va., 550 Centreville Road, Thomas Davenport proprietor 1950s
Davey, Norman N. - District #2, Listed as a retail merchant 1899-1900 BL

Davies, H. Thornton - Manassas, Va., attorney at law, commonwealth’s attorney, 9 Dec 1909 M.J. - He is also listed in the business licenses and business directories from 1908 to past 1920. In the 1917 business directory he is listed as a agricultural implement dealer and attorney.

Davies, J. J. - Lawyer in the county starting about 1875 and listed in the business licenses and directories until at least 1910.

Davis & Brother - Brentsville, Va., Listed as retail merchants in the 1880-1881, 1884-1885, and 1888-1889 business directories.

Davis and Brothers Ice Company - C. B. Weatherholtz, manager, let the driver call on you each time of delivery. Whether you take ice or not, don’t tell him to come only certain mornings or every other day, but let him be regular. We want you to have service to which you are entitled. 2 Apr 1921 P.W.N. - In the 1917 Virginia business directory as a ice manufacturer.

Davis & Lynn - Lansdown, Va., operating an Ordinary / Bar Room when the first business taxes were paid after the Civil War. In the late 1870s the business was listed in the business directories as a general merchant.

Davis & Slack - Occoquan, Va., had an undertaker’s license from 15 Apr 1907 to at least 1925. - Listed as Undertakers in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Davis & Thornton - Manassas, Va., Attorneys at Law, paid the $25.00 yearly license fee to practice law in the county 1 May 1925 BL

Davis & Wright - Davis store was the location given on the business license in 1896 for the Bar Room. Davis & Wright had been in business from 1883 but always as a retail merchant and not paying a liquor tax until 1896. BL

Davis, A. - Cannon House - Manassas, Va., “This Hotel has recently been fitted up in first-class style. It has been thoroughly renovated and refurnished throughout. It has Livery Stable attachment and is convenient to depot. It is the purpose of its present owner to furnish the best possible accommodations. Your patronage solicited. A. Davis Prop’r.” 28 Feb 1896 M.G.  Mr. Davis later moved his business into Hotel Maine in 1899

Davis, A. B. - Manassas, Va., practical tinner & plumber, The firm of Davis & Brother having been dissolved by mutual consent. I shall continue the business of plumbing, roofing, spouting and guttering and will give prompt attention to all work in these lines. 15 Dec 1905 M. J. - Listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891, 1897-1898, 1906, and 1911 Virginia business directories as worker in Stoves, Tin ware, Sheet Iron.

Davis, A. D. And Company - Occoquan, Va., Electrical Contractors, House Wiring, Crosley Radio, Appliances, Fixtures, and Accessories, Crosley Icy ball Refrigerators, Radio and Refrigeration will be placed in any home on a 5 day trial. 10 Jan 1929 MJ

Davis, A. J. - Lansdown, Va., listed in the 1884-1885 business directory as a distiller.

Davis, A. L. - Manufacture and dealer, Tin, Sheet Iron & Copper Ware, Roofing, Guttering, Spouting, Cooking & Heating Stoves of every variety below city prices. 23 Apr 1878 M.G. Listed as a Tinner in Chataigne’s 1877-1878 & 1880-1881 Virginia business directories. A. L. Davis opened a tin shop in 1868.

Davis, Ada Mrs. - Brentsville, Va., in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a Brentsville general merchant and the 1906 directory as a grocer.

Davis, Albert and Brother - Manassas, Va., The operators of the stage coach line in Manassas in the late 1870s.
Davis Brothers Ice & Fuel Company - Manassas, Va., J. R. B. Davis, manager of Davis Brothers Ice and Fuel Co. was shot and killed by Karl J. Austin, insurance agent, about 9:30 Monday night on Main Street a few feet north of the Farmer’s Exchange. 7 May 1920 M. J.

Davis, Catherine - Paid for a business license to operate a house of private entertainment 4 Jun 1849 BL

Davis, David - Manassas, Va., Listed in the business license 1873 as a canvasser.

Davis Distillery - Lansdown, Va. Is listed in the business records in the late 1880s and early 1890s. A. J. Davis owner. In the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory A. J. Davis is listed under Distillers with the location listed as Voy.

Davis, E. J. - Hoadley, Va., listed in the business licenses as a retail merchant with a license to sell merchandise including tobacco products from 1907-1910.

Davis, Elijah - Ordinary - Hoadley, Va., Paid the $100.00 license fee to operate an ordinary 1 May 1899 BL

Davis, Emma J. - Hoadley, Va., owned and operated an ordinary and bar room at Hoadley in the late 1890s.

Davis, E. P. - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Davis House - Brentsville, Va., A bar room in the 1880’s and 1890’s operated by A. J. Davis and James T. J. Davis, B. L.

Davis, F. C. - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a general retail merchant.

Davis, Florence - Occoquan, Va., paid a license fee of $5.00 to operate a house of private entertainment. The tax was paid on 3 beds.

Davis, French J. and Company General Store - Brentsville, Va., dealer in groceries, dry goods, drugs, boots, shoes, caps, watches and clocks repaired, work guaranteed 17 Oct 1885 M.G. - French Davis is listed in the 1884-1885, 1890-1891, 1893-1894 editions of Chataigne’s business directories as a general merchant. In the 1893-1894 edition he is also listed under the heading of stoves, tin ware, and sheet iron workers. French might have operated a store at one time called the Brentsville Confectionery.

Davis General Store - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory. The proprietor was M. E. Davis.

Davis, George W. - Manassas, Va., Barber - I have just moved my barber shop into the new building on Main Street near the Goodwin House where I would be pleased to wait on those who need any of my services. Main Street, 3 Jul 1896 M.G.

Davis, Harry P. - Manassas, Va., Life Insurance, Accident and health policies, burglary and theft insurance, all damage to premises or contents covered, 19 Dec 1919 M. J. - Harry P. Davis was the mayor of Manassas from 1921 to 1963.

Davis, Hugh - One of the early Prince William ordinary keepers. Listed on the 1807 - 1810 lists of business licenses. BL

Davis, Hugh W. - Had an ordinary in Prince William from 1830 to at least 1842 and maybe longer. BL

Davis, Ira - Occoquan, Va., operated an ordinary in 1874 the only entry. BL - Ira is shown in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories as having a Occoquan grocery store.

Davis, J. T. J. - Brentsville, Va., listed in the 1888 business directory as a general retail merchandiser. He is also listed as a Brentsville general merchant in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 business directories.


Davis, J. Vincent - Manassas, Va., 307 Lee Avenue, Plumbing and Heating Company in the 1950s.

Davis, J.W. - Occoquan, Listed in the 1897-1898 and 1906 Virginia business directories as a saddle and harness maker.

Davis, Jesse W. - Operated an ordinary in Prince William County a minimum of 1831 to 1845. BL

Davis, Julian A. - General Store, Occoquan, Va., listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Davis, L. J. - Enterprise Bakery Manassas, Va., Lee Ave. & West Street, L. J. Davis Prop., if you want good fresh mother’s bread you should eat the Enterprise Bakery bread of Manassas. Ask your family Physician about it. 22 Nov 1901 M. J.

Davis, Lucian A. - Occoquan, Va., in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a grocer and a saloon owner

Davis, M. T. General Store - Hoadley, Va., retail merchant license 18 Dec 1925 BL

Davis, Marion F. - Occoquan, Va., Was an ordinary owner and retail merchant from 1896 to at least 1910 BL

Davis, Marshall - Occoquan, Va., a general merchant in the 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891 Virginia business directories.

Davis, Matthew - Paid a $30 license fee for a retail merchant 1 May 1854 BL

Davis, N. C. General Store - Occoquan, Va., listed in the 1906 business directory.

Davis, Newman - On 7 Jun 1830 Newman paid an $18.00 license fee to operate an ordinary in the county. BL

Davis, O. S. - Hoadley, Va., Paid business taxes and bought licenses to operate a bar room / ordinary, sell retail liquor, cigars and tobacco, and other retail merchandising in Prince William County from 1891 to 1897. BL, BR, Also listed in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories as a general retail merchant. He is in the 1893-1894 directory as a corn and flour mill owner and 1897-1898 as a saw mill owner.

Davis, R. H. General Store - Bristow, Va., “The Poor Man’s Store” - In the 1917 Virginia business directory and the 1920 business licenses.

Davis, R. H., Lumber / Hardware and Machinery Co. - Bristow, Va., General Contractor, Railroad Grades and Masonry, special quick service for public and private roadways, terraces, reservoirs, large cellars, and building lots. Heavy Hauling, estimates furnished, 22 Nov 1901 MJ - Also listed in the business licenses in 1908-1909. In the 1906, 1911 and 1917 business directories under the heading of hardware stores. In the 1906 Virginia directory as a lumber dealer.

Davis, R. H. Motor Company - Manassas, Va., in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a garage owner in Manassas.

Davis, R. Marshall - Hoadley / Maple Valley / Occoquan, Va., Was a retail merchant and bar room owner from about 1876 to about 1900 BL. Listed in the 1890-1891 Virginia business directory as a general merchant.
Davis, Ralph & Sons - Trappers & Hunters we want your furs, top prices paid, hours 7 to 7 weekdays, 7 to 9 Saturday, 9 to 2 Sunday, 4 Jan 1940 M. J.

Davis, Ralph & Sons - Manassas, Va., route #28 at Wellington Road, dealers in scrap iron & metals located at west end filling station, wanted batteries, radiators, scrap iron, metals 16 Feb 1939 M. J. The junk yard was located on route #28 in 1941. CO

Davis, Robert H. - Bristow, Va., Paid a license tax and operated a Bristow bar room in the early 1880s, and might have been longer. BL, BR, BD

Davis, Rufus - General Store, Agnewville, Va., a retail merchant starting about 1890 and continuing until at least 1910. BL - The location at different times was listed as Agnewville, Woodbridge and Occoquan.

Davis, Samuel J. - One of the early Ordinary owners in Prince William County starting before 1807 and still operating about 1840. BR. Is in the 1810 list of Prince William Ordinaries.

Davis, T. Powell General Store - Woodbridge, Va., a general merchandise merchant in the early 1900s business licenses. Also listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a general store.

Davis, Thomas - business records and reports from the commissioner of revenue show that Thomas operated an ordinary from 1810 to 1847. The only break was the year 1843 when he could not sell retail liquor because he only paid a tax for a house of private entertainment.

Davis, Vincent - Manassas, PLUMBING, reasonable rates, 1946 OYB

Davis, W. A. Mrs. - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as having a boarding house.

Davis, Walter A. General Store - Hoadley, Va., In the 1917 list of general stores.

Davis, W. C. - General Store - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Davis, W. L. - Manassas, Va., Listed under the heading of Stoves, Tin ware, and Sheet Iron in Chataigne’s Virginia business directory for 1890-1891.


Davis-Wenrich Motor Company - Bristow and Manassas, Virginia - Investigate the Flanders-20; the E.M.F.-30 and Studebaker-40 before you buy a motor car. All E. M. F. cars are made with the same chassis and power plant, with 108’ wheel-based, differing only in type of bodies; all equipped with Splitdorf magnetos, horn, gas and oil lamps, all ready for the road, and sold for $1000, in any standard type body, for two, four or seven passengers. 1911 Ad.

Davis, William - Manassas, Va., Is listed in the 1898-1899 Virginia business directory as the operator of the Cannon House.

Davis, William W. - Paid a $20 dollar license tax to operate an ordinary 7 May 1849. BL

Dawson, J. L. - Woodbridge, Va., was the chairman of the county board of health and a live stock dealer in the 1917 business directory.

Day’s Barber Shop - Lake Jackson, Va., 1950s

Dean, Charles - District #2, paid a license fee to operate a house of private entertainment 1 May 1894 BL

Dean, William - Retail merchant in the 1826 business license.
Deats, C. S. - Orlando, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

DeBell’s, D. G. S. Market - Stone House, Va., Lee Highway at Stone House, combination sale, 1 pound package of skinless smoke sausages, 16 ounce can Campbell’s Beans both 29 cents, 15 May 1941 M. J.

DeBell, Hawley - Paid a $13 business license tax to be a merchant 5 Sep 1826.

Deitrick, L. F. - Dumfries, Va. - The owner of an iron mine in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Delaney, D. W. - Saw Mill - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory the first entry in the business licenses was 1899.

Delaney, D. W. General Store - Maple Valley, Va., A general merchant in the business licenses starting 1907. BL - In the 1906 Virginia business directory the store is listed as a Hardware Store and in the 1911 it is listed as a grocery store at Hoadley. The store was owned by the estate of D.W.Delaney in the 1917 directory.


Delaplane, Miss Jane A. - Buckland, Va. - Listed in the 1890-1891 Chataigne’s business directory for Prince William County as a mill operator and boarding house. In the business licenses of Prince William County she had a license in 1887 for a boarding house.

Delaplane, J. E. - Buckland, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories as having a corn and flour mill at Buckland.

Dellinger, R. L. - Manassas, Va. - Funeral director and licenses embalmer, best line of caskets and coffins in this section, combined with the best service at reasonable prices. 3 Jun 1926 M. J.

Dellinger & Cross - Manassas phone 1-F-3, Modern ambulance for sick or injured all calls ans. day or night 1 Feb 1934 M.J.

Detrick & Bradley General Store - Dumfries, Va., listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory.


Dewey’s General Store - Agnewville, Va., A general store in the early 1900s with the location listed as Dewey’s Store and Davis Corner in the business licenses. In 1917 the store is listed as Agnewville and owned by E. N. Dewey. The first mention of the store in the business licenses was 1898.


Dickinson, William - Paid a business license fee to operate a house of private entertainment in 1843.

Didlake & Meetze - Manassas, Va., Law Firm, I am using this method for the purpose of advising the public that the dissolution of the law firm of Didlake & Meetze which has most pleasantly existed for more than 4 years was mutual in every way. Signed C. J. Meetze 9 Mar 1923 M. J. - In 1925 T. E. Didlake was on the Manassas town council and practicing law by himself.

Diehl, Charles - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a painter.

Discount Mart – Manassas, VA, Mathias Ave, retail merchandise, the owners listed in 1965 are A. Garner Rollins & Dennis Moyers CO

Dixie Lunch - Manassas, Va., Restaurant - Pool Room at 106 S. Main Street, Manassas. Richard Bruce Hynson is the owner on the 1941 certificate of ownership. I. W. Parsons was the owner 30 Jul 1952 C.O.

Dixie Theater - Manassas, Va., Offers super special western feature, William Desmond & Rosemary Theby in “Fightin Mad”, admission matinee 5 cents, 10 cents, night 10 cents, 22 cents, 5 Jan 1923 M. J. - Paid a license fee 1 May 1925 to operate a theater.

Do - All Decorators - Manassas Park, Va., 307 Manassas Drive, and Interior - Exterior, window cleaning, wall cleaning, floor refinishing, 1950s

Dodds Mill - H. Hagerden - Haymarket, Va., in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 Virginia business directories as a mill owner.

Dodge, A. C. - Haymarket, Va., Had a retail merchant’s license 1 May 1920 BL

Dodge, H. P. - Independent. Mutual Fire Ins. Company - Manassas, Va., Chartered in Jan 1860, A safe home company that has always settled losses equitably and promptly Losses paid in 32 years $118,000.00 for insurance apply to H. P. Dodge, Manassas 22 Nov 1901 M. J.


Dodson, Charles - Hopps, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Dogan, John D. - Operated a house of private entertainment from 1837 to 1845. In 1841 his business is listed as an ordinary. This seems to be the only year he paid the fee to serve liquor. BL

Dogan, Mary Jane - Manassas, Va., operated a store in from 1874 to 1885 B.L.,Is listed in the 1877, 1878, 1880-1881 and 1884-1885, Virginia business directories as a Gainesville general merchant.


Doleman, C. M. - Occoquan, Va., paid a license fee for a house of private entertainment 1 May 1925 BL. The tax was paid for 4 beds.

Donohoe, George O. - District #1, listed as a retail merchant with a license to sell tobacco 1892 - 1895. BL

Donohoe, M. D. - District #1, Listed as a retail merchant with a license to sell tobacco 1896 - 1899 BL

Donohoe, Samuel J. - District #1, listed as a huckster in the 1880 business licenses.

Donohoe, John - A retail merchant in 1838 business licenses.

Dora's Beauty Shoppe - Quantico, Va., The soft deep and natural beauty in a permanent wave can only be accomplished by the artistic and skilled efforts of an expert. Our waves are no more costly than commonplace waves while there loveliness is much more lasting. Please phone for an appointment. 1936 QS

Dorothy Beauty Shoppe - Quantico, Va., 255 Potomac Ave., featuring Kasan facial packs $1.00, scalp treatment with ultra violet ray steamer $1.00, all other beauty items $0.35, 12 Jun 1936 QS
Dorrell Livery Stable - Manassas Va., James Dorrell proprietor, opposite passenger depot. See our second hand buggies and carriages from $10 up, full leather top buggy $55, rubber tire runabout $57, 25 May 1906 M. J. James was still in business, buying a merchant and livery stable license. He is listed in the Virginia business directories of 1906, 1911 and 1917 as having a Manassas Livery Stable. The first mention of the livery stable in the business license was S. E. Dorrell in 1898 and James R. Dorrell in 1899. James R. was also on the Manassas town council in 1925.

Douglas, Robert B. - District #1, paid a business license fee to work as a physician in the county 1875-1877

Dowell Store - William Dowell owned and operated the store in the 1830s.

Dowell’s Pharmacy - Manassas, Va., Soda Fountain, Pure drugs, chemicals, toilet preparations, Kodak films, stationary, candy, cigars. Prescriptions carefully compounded, 20 Apr 1911 M. D. - The Pharmacy was owned and operated by William Fred Dowell who opened the store about 1909 in the center of the business district of Manassas. Mr. Dowell was a native of Hamilton, Virginia and operated a pharmacy there before moving to Manassas. In the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories W. Fred Dowell is listed as a Manassas druggist. In the 1925 business licenses this was one of the five places in the county listed as a soda fountain. The store was also known as the Rexall Drug Store. In 1941 the pharmacy is listed as being at 202 Centre Street at Battle Street.

Downs, C. A. - District #1, had a retail merchant and tobacco license in 1884. BL

Downs, Jerome - Hickory Grove, Va., Retail merchant and tobacco license 1 Sep 1882 and a saddle and harness maker in 1884-1885 BD

Downs Mill - Haymarket, Va., B. F. Downs is listed in the Virginia business directories of 1888-1889, 1890-1891, and 1893-1894 as a Corn and flour mill owner.

Downs, W. B. - Woolsey, Va., in the 1906 and 1911 Virginia business directories as a blacksmith and wheelwright. He is also listed in the business licenses starting in 1899.

Downs, W. H. - Catharpin, Va., in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a boot and shoemaker.

Downs, William - Catharpin, Va., operated a bar room in Catharpin in the 1870’s

Doyle Shoe Shop - Haymarket, Va., Allen Doyle operated the small shop in the 1920s.

Dreifus, P.M. - Quantico, Va., Physician license 20 Jul 1920 BL

Drive in 66 Service - Yorkshire, Va., 1095 Centreville Road, Road service, complete service station, general repairs, motor tune up and overhauls, for that professional touch, Doc Waters, 1950s

Drusilla Hotel - Triangle, Va., 250 yards east of route #1, rooms and apartments, hot and cold water, steam heat, reasonable prices, The business started sometime prior to 1920 and is listed in the Virginia business licenses during the 1920s as a house of private entertainment and boarding house with a tax paid for 10 to 13 beds depending on the year. Mrs. D. M. Souter, proprietor, 1941 yellow pages.

Dudley Martin Chevrolet - 539 Centreville Road, Corvair Automobiles, Sales - Service - Parts, Complete Repairs on all makes. 1950s

Dufault, Leo William - Woodbridge, Va., Physician 23 Jun 1939 license.

Duffie, William - A retail merchant license 7 Apr 1843 BL

Dulaney, Margaret - Had a business license to operate an ordinary from 7 Mar 1840 to 31 May 1941 in Prince William County.
**Dumfries Hotel** - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories. J. R. King was the proprietor in 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891-1892 and 1893-1894, and M.A. Grey in 1897-1898.

**Dunbar, L. Mrs.** - Gainesville, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory for hotels. Also listed in the business licenses as a house of private entertainment in 1896.

**Dunbar, M. E.** - Operated a house of private entertainment in the late 1890s BL

**Duncan, H. M.** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a Manassas physician.

**Duncan, Mary** - Manassas, Va., Upholstering, Slipcovers, Draperies, call for free estimates, 22 Jul 1954 M. J.

**Dunn, Charles General Store** - Forrestburg, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894, 1897-1898, 1890-1891, 1906 and 1911 Virginia business directories as a blacksmith and wheelwright. In 1906, 1911 and 1917 he shows up in the business directory as a general store owner in Forestburg.

**Dunn, W. S. & Company** - Dumfries, Va., Paid a $100.00 dollar license fee to operate a bar room in 1898. BL

**Dunning & Merchant Hardware Store** - Manassas, Va. This was the name used in the 1893-1894 business directory.

**Dunnington, Francis** - Was an ordinary owner in 1813 and paid business taxes to sell foreign merchandise in 1808. BL

**Dunnington Store** - In operation in the 1820s and 1830s.

**Dunnington, William** - One of the early physicians in the county. The only time he is listed in the business licenses was 1815.

**Duvall, Henry A.** - District #2, listed in the business licenses as a butcher and huckster from 1879 to 1883. BL

**Duvall, John** - There is record of business taxes paid from 1811 to 1814 to operate an ordinary. BL

**Dye, George** - was a retail merchant in the 1830s, location not known. BL

**Earhart & King Service Station** - Manassas, Va., Center Street and Lee Ave., C. W. Earhart and J. H. King were the owners on the 10 Jan 1951 C.O.

**Earhart & Rhodes** - Nokesville, Va., Real Estate, Land Agents, town and country farm property, parties having real estate for sale will do well to list with us. 11 Mar 1915 M. D. - They were also listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory and 1920 business licenses - The following is from a 1921 Prince William News - “We wish to announce that we have been appointed agents for Loudoun Mutual Fire Insurance Company. Formerly represented by Mr. R. A. Hutchison. Anyone wanting fire insurance will do well to give us a call.

**Earhart, D. E.** - Manassas, Va., Insurance, if you are looking for cheaper and better production consult me. 4 Feb 1937 M. J

**Eastern College** - Manassas, Va., for young men and women, the Battlefield City. Positions guaranteed students satisfactorily completing the business courses and typewriting. President, Mervin U. Roop, PhD 9 Dec 1909 M.J.

**Eastern Produce Company** - Manassas, Va., Come and see us for your Christmas Produce 16 Dec 1909 M. D.
**Eastern Provision Company** - Manassas, Va., listed in the 1909 business license. Might be the same as the above Eastern Produce Company.

**Echart, Annie** - Manassas, Va., was the operator of the Curry House 1895-1896 BL

**Economy Garage** - Manassas, Va., rear of 216 Centre Street, Auto Repairs, Batteries, Tires, Accessories, Beverly L. Kears prop. 5 Dec 1940 M. J.

**Economy Store** - Manassas, Va., Walter C. Sadd is listed as the owner in the 1931 certificate of ownership...

**Edmunds, D. P.** - Greenwich, Va. In the 1893-1894, 1897-1898, and 1906 Virginia business directories as the operator of a saw mill at Greenwich.

**Edna’s Beauty Shop** - Manassas, Va., Second Floor, National Bank Building, Frederic’s regular $7.50, spiral or croquignole permanent wave $5.00 1 Feb 1940 M. J.

**Efird, J. K.** - Manassas, Va., Listed as a merchant in the 1898 and 1899 business licenses and a printer in the 1911 business directory.

**Eichleberger, A. S.** - Aden, Va., Grocery and Butcher Shop, from 1890 to at least 1910. B.L.

**Elgin, John W.** - District #1, listed in the business licenses as a huckster 1878-1879. BL

**Ellicott, C. B.** - Occoquan, Listed as having a house of private entertainment and paying a license fee of $5 per year for 3 beds 1 May 1925.

**Ellicott, E. B.** - Had a business license to be a book agent 1 Nov 1887 BL.

**Elliott, J. M.** - Orlando, Va., listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

**Elliott, Nathaniel** - Paid a $15.00 business license fee to sell foreign merchandise 30 Apr 1808 BL

**Elliott, W. L.** - Orlando, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories as a coach and wagon builder.

**Ellis Brothers Mill** - Greenwich, Va., Listed as a corn and flour mill in the 1906 Virginia business directory. See the listing below for William Ellis.

**Ellis, C. R.** - Listed as a physician in the 1854-1856 business licenses.

**Ellis, J. B.** - Gainesville, Va., Is listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, business directory under Iron founders and machinists.


**Ellis, William H.** - Greenwich, Va., Listed as a huckster in the 1877-1881 business licenses. And a mill, corn and flour mill proprietor in 1893-1894.

**Engle, W. W.** - District #1, listed as a merchant in the 1894-1896 business licenses.

**English, M. Charles** - Paid a $20 business license fee to sell pewter ware 13 Jan 1814 BL

**Ennis, C. E.** - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a barber.
Ennis, Claud - General Store - Minnieville, Va. - Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as the owner of a general store.

Ennis, Charles - Negley’s - general merchant in the 1907 business licenses,

Ennis, R. C. - Minnieville/ Neabsco, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a barber. In the 1920 business licenses he paid a fee to operate a single hack in the county.

Ennis, Thomas - Orlando, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a dentist.

Enterprise Bakery - Manassas, Va., Lee Ave. & West Street, L. J. Davis Prop., if you want good fresh mother’s bread you should eat the Enterprise Bakery bread of Manassas. Ask your family physician about it. 22 Nov 1901 M. J.

Escambia Sand and Gravel Company - Haymarket, Va., excavate and paving, sand and gravel hauling, construct sewers, etc. Charles D. S. Clarkson of Haymarket was president; Cornelius H. Harrell of Manassas was the vice president. 22 Sep 1921 C.B.

Eureka House - Manassas, Va., B.D. Merchant, proprietor, meals at all hours, 5 Jun 1869 M.W.G. The Eureka House was constructed by Summer Fitts and located on the east side of Main Street next to the railroad tracks. The Cannon House was later built on the same property about 1875.

Evans & Hensley - Buckland, Va., We offer these special bargains, flour $5.15 a bbl., best fat meat 11 cents a pound, Arbuckle coffee 20 cents a pound. A complete line of men’s, women’s and children’s shoes at lowest prices. 20 Apr 1911 M.D.

Evans, A. C. - Gold Mine - Independent Hill, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as the owner of a gold mine.

Evans, D. P. - Saw Mill - Greenwich, Va., Listed as a saw mill owner in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Evans, E. K. - Manassas, Va., Dupont Duco, A factory representative will demonstrate the remarkable qualities and many uses for this wonderful new finish. adapted for brush application in a variety of popular colors and stain. 17 Nov 1927 M. J.

Evans, Elisha - Paid a $15 tax for a license to operate an ordinary 5 Sep 1808. BL

Evans, George W. - District #1, retail merchant 1878-1880 BL

Evans, Inman H. - operated a bar room in Gainesville in the 1870s BL

Evans, J. R. General Store - Buckhall, Va., The very best white oak firewood $2.50 per cord. This is your chance to stock up for the winter. Manager Edward Alcott, 29 Jun 1916 M.D. - Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a Buckhall grocer and general store owner. He was also on the Manassas town council 1907-1909.

Evans, J. S. - Saw Mill - Buckland, Va., Listed as a saw mill owner in the 1906 Virginia business directory. He was also a county magistrate in 1917.

Evans, O. H. and Brothers - Buckhall, Va., was a carpenter and builder in the 1897-1898 and 1906 Virginia business directories.

Evans, Olander H. - Manassas area merchant from 1884 to past 1900. BL, in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a general merchant

Evans, Samuel - Was an ordinary keeper and merchant just before the Civil War but no record afterwards. BL
Evans, W. H. - Buckhall, Va., listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Ewell, Jesse - was a Hickory Grove/ Haymarket, Va., area physician from approx.1850 - 1882 BL

Ewell Ordinary - John Ewell was one of the early Prince William ordinary keepers. He paid $12.50 tax on 6 Feb 1810 BL

Ewell, John - Hickory Grove, Va., Listed in the 1880-1881 business directory as a fertilizer salesman.

Fair, C. W. - Manufacture of Lumber, I would respectfully announce that I am running a steam saw mill on McConville farm on the Occoquan Road about eight miles from Manassas 28 Feb 1896 M.G.

Fair, George B. - District #1, paid a business license tax for a theatrical performer 29 Jan 1876. BL

Fair, John W. - General Store - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Fairfax, Henry - One of the early general merchants in the county. In the business records from 1808 to 1830.

Fairview Dairy Farm - Nokesville, Va., M. J. Shepherd & sons. Milk hauling a specialty. Let us thresh your grain. We make a specialty of hauling all commodities, milk especially, 1933 BYB

Fairview Garage - Manassas, Va., 405 Fairview Ave., General Auto Repairs, 24 hour wrecker service, welding and painting. 1951 YP, William Hensley and Garland Moore are listed as owners on the 30 Mar 1946 certificate of ownership.


Faller’s Feed & Produce Company - Manassas, Va., Announcing the opening May 4, 1935, C. F. Faller, T. L. McCarty proprietors, In the Larkin building on Center Street, We are going to serve you with a complete line of Purina checkerboard chows, fertilizers and grass seed. 25 Apr 1935 M. J.


Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Co. - Hutchison, Wilmer W. - Manassas, Va., 134 E. Center Street, Phone 84, Real Savings for car owners, “You don’t have to trade your insurance when you trade your car.” Because of economical operations the Farm Bureau Automobile Insurance Company is permitted to offer you rates of 25 per cent under established rates for like coverage 14 Mar 1947 M. M.

Farmer, D. F. Mrs. - Occoquan, Va., Listed as a grocer in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Farmers Exchange - Manassas, Va., For general merchandise, farm machinery, union grains, the best dairy ration, poultry feed, fertilizer, lime, hay, 5 Jan 1923 M. J.

Farmers Mutual Telephone Company - manufactures telephone and supplies, operate telephone lines and exchanges, transmit messages. C. F. Brower of Catharpin was president, J. A. Francis of Gainesville was the vice president, W. F. Hite of Gainesville was the secretary. 4 Jun 1902 C.B.

Farmers Union - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses.

Farris General Contracting - Manassas, Va., 310 Maple Street, Asphalt Tile, custom made Venetian blinds, plastic tile, Thomas G. Farris was the owner in 1950.

Farrow, Payne L. - Ordinary - Paid a license tax 6 Nov 1843 BL
Farrow, Thomas - Retail merchant 1 Jan 1841 BL

Fauquier Mutual Fire Insurance - “You better have it and not need it than to need it and not have it”, John M. Kline Manassas Va., W. E. Varner Brentsville Va., A. S Robertson Wellington Va., C. S. Smith Nokesville Va. 5 Jan 1923 M.J.

Fay’s Plumbing and Heating – Manassas Park, VA, plumbing & heating company, the owner listed in 1965 is given as Billy R. Plott Sr. CO

Federal Savings & Loan Association. - Manassas, Va., Hutchison Building, Main Street, for safety of investing, five major points should be considered. 1. Safety of investment 2. Investment accounts insured 3. Good return 4. Local benefit 5. Conservative management 4 Feb 1937 M. J.

Ferr, R. - Limstrong, Va., Listed as a wool dealer in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Fetzer, A. B. and Sons Mill - Sudley, Va., corn and flour mill, listed in the 1893-1894,1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Fetzer’s Sudley Mill - Corn & Flour mill 1888-1889 and 1890-1891 business directories, A. B. Fetzer operated the mill for about 30 years starting in 1874.

Fewell & Farrow - Paid a $20 license fee for merchant 1 May 1839 BL

Fewell, E. N. & Company Grocery Store - Manassas, Va., Battle Street, retail merchant in the early 1900s BL - E. N. Fewell died about 1909 and the business was purchased by A. H. Harrell.

Fewell Ordinary - James Fewell an ordinary owner from the early 1820s to about 1840. There is record of a yearly business tax.

Fewell, William S. - Manassas, Va., successor to L.B. Butler, Will continue the mercantile business at the old stand, corner of Centre & East Street, Country produce of all kinds, 2 May 1878 M.G. - Wm. S. Fewell was a general merchant in the 1878 business license and in the business directory of 1880-1881. An earlier Wm. S. Fewell is listed as a retail merchant in the 1830s. William was the mayor of Manassas 1882-1884 and on the town council in 1873.

Fezedelem, Andrew - Independent Hill, Va., Listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1911 business directory.

Fick, J. R. & Son - Potomac, Va., Had a bar room in the1890s. Some of the records list Potomac as the location whiles other list Quantico. In 1906 J. R. Fick is listed as a lumber dealer and 1911 as excelsior manufacturer and grocer in the business directories.

Fick, Mary - District #2, retail merchant in the 1891 business license.

Field, George - Ordinary - Above the Occoquan, paid a $30 license fee to operate an ordinary 1 May 1853 BL

Fincham Realty - Manassas, Va., 200 Prince William Street, Russell Fincham was the owner 27 Jun 1953 C.O.

Firestone Home and Auto Supply Company - Manassas, Va., W. Caton Merchant prop. at West and Center Streets, Manassas, Complete line of tires and home and auto supplies to serve your needs, Hotpoint Appliances, Motorola Televisions, 1 Sep 1949 M. J., 1951 YP

Firestone Service Station - Manassas, Va., retail merchant, W. Caton is listed as the owner in 1943.
**Fisher, Charles E. General Store** - Manassas, Va., Dealer in groceries, feed and provisions. Fruits, Green Groceries, Flour, Etc., all goods delivered, Center Street, 9 Dec 1909 MJ - Charles Fisher opened his store at Ayres old stand. In 1940 the store was at 106 S. Battle Street. In 1941 the business was called C. E. Fisher & Son with the owners listed as Cleveland C. Fisher & R. Elmer Fisher.

**Fitzgerald, J. B. - Saloon** - Nokesville, Va., operated a bar room in Nokesville in the early 1880s until at least 1892 according to the business licenses and directories.

**Fitzwater’s Amoco Service** - Manassas, Va., 507 Centreville Road, 1950s

**Fitzwater Brothers** - Nokesville, Va., dealer in fresh meats and fish, ice cream in season, strictly choice meats only 19 Apr 1918 M. J.

**Fitzwater, C. W.** - Manassas, Va., Listed as a retail merchant 1 May 1925 BL

**Fitzwater, C. W. Mrs.** - Manassas, Va., Center Street, Is the representative in this area for The Orchid Box of Arlington, Va., She will take orders for all occasions 3 Aug 1944 M.J.

**Fitzwater, Edith - Manassas Beauty Shop** - Manassas, Va., All lines of beauty culture, we specialize in permanents, 1941 M.T.D.

**Fitzwater Garage** - Nokesville, Va., Desoto and Plymouth Sales and Service, Body and Fender Work, phone 35 1 Sep 1949 M. J., Looking for a good Used Car?, we have on hand a 1941 Packard 2 door sedan, and a 1937 Ford 2 door sedan, both in fine shape with tires in good condition. 3 Jan 1947 M.M.

**Fitzwater, S. W.** - Nokesville, Va., Real Estate, If you want your farm sold quickly, list it with us, S. W. Fitzwater, 18 Feb 1910 M. J. - S. W. Fitzwater is listed as a land agent in the business licenses starting in 1908.

**Flaherty & Company** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a Manassas general merchant.

**Flaherty, A. Hardware Store** - Manassas, VA, New hardware store headquarters for shelf and heavy hardware, stoves, tin ware, roofing and everything to be found in an up to date hardware establishment. Give me a call, A. Flaherty, Davis Old Stand, Centre Street, 9 Dec 1909 M. J. - The 1906 Virginia business directory list A. Flaherty as having a Manassas livery stable.

**Flaherty, Amanias** - operated both the Portner House and Curry House in the 1890’s and other bar rooms and saloons before that.

**Flaherty, Miss Edna** - Virginia Candy Kitchen, The home of fresh candies, sandwiches and oysters served in any style, buy your candy where it’s fresh and dandy. 18 Jan 1917 M. J.

**Flaherty, J. B. Pool Hall** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses and paid a $18.75 to operate 2 tables for six months 1 May 1925.

**Flaherty, J. R.** - Manassas, Va., Howard House is now open for the accommodation of guests and the traveling public. The bar is stocked with the finest liquors, wines, cigars, tobacco, bottled & draught beer from wood, 22 Jun 1906 M. J. - J. R. Flaherty is listed in the 1920 business licenses as a retail merchant and pool room owner.

**Flaherty, James L.** - Gainesville, Va., operated a bar room in 1884.

**Flaherty, Levi** - had a house of private entertainment in 1904

**Flaherty, Walter** - Manassas, Va., Painter and Paper Hanger 20 Apr 1911 M. D.
Flash Welding & Repair – Manassas, Route 2, owner in 1966 was Madison L. Smith Sr. CO

Fletcher, Abner - Thoroughfare, Va., operated a bar room in 1887

Fletcher Frank - Thoroughfare, Va., Listed as a undertaker in the 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 business directories of Prince William County.

Fletcher, J. H. - Thoroughfare, Va., retail liquor license 1882-1887.

Fletcher, J. W. - Thoroughfare, Va., operated a bar room for many years in the Thoroughfare area from 1884 to at least the middle 1890’s. BR, Also listed in the business records as having a general merchandise store in 1888-1891 in business directories.

Fletcher, R. H. Bar Room - location listed as at Murry’s, paid a $75.00 business license fee for a bar room 1 Dec 1883. BL

Fletcher, Thomas - District #1, listed in the business licenses as having a retail liquor license 1875-1877. BL

Fletcher, W. And Company - Buckland, Va., listed as a retail merchant with a tobacco license 1876-1878 business licenses and in the 1877-1878 business directory.

Flickinger, S. F. - District #1, listed as a butcher in the business licenses 1895-1897. BL

Florence and Allen - Gainesville, Va., general merchants in 1925 business licenses.

Florence, Albert B. - listed as a retail merchant in the business license 15 Mar 1834. BL

Florence, B. M. - Manassas, Va., operated a confectionery in Manassas, paid for a business license 1875-1877 and is listed as a confectioner in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881,1884-1885, business directories.

Florence Farms - Gainesville, Va. - H. A. Florence of Arlington, Va. was the owner in the 1940s (retail business)

Florence, George - An ordinary owner from 1808 to 1812 in the business licenses.

Florence, George N. - retail merchant. 1891 - 1899 in district #1

Florence House - Manassas area bar room, in the 1890s was operated by A. Flaherty. BL

Florence, J. B. -General Store Agnewville, Va., Listed in the 1911, and 1917, Virginia business directories.

Florence, Jackson - Independent Hill, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a coach and wagon builder.

Florence, James W. - District #1, listed as a huckster 15 Jul 1879 BL

Florence, John A. - District #1, retail merchant and tobacco license 2 May 1898.

Florence, R. H. - Gainesville, Va., a livery stable and private entertainment license 01 Nov 1911 BL - In the 1917 & 1920 Virginia business directories and licenses he is listed with a boarding house and is a live stock dealer.

Florence, W. J. - Manassas, Va., Is a boot and shoemaker in the 1897-1898 and 1906 Virginia business directories. He was on the Manassas town council in 1897 and 1898.

Flory & Hedrick - listed as butchers in the business licenses 2 Oct 1892.
Flory, S. H. - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the business licenses starting in 1891 and continuing to at least 1910. BL

Floyd Garage - Woodbridge, Va., route #1, Floyd C. Held was the owner and operator 15 Feb 1941 on ownership certificate.

Flying Saucer Grocery - Cherry Hill, Va., a small grocery with soft drinks and tobacco, Allen Dent Jr. was the owner 26 Jul 1947 C.O.

Fokes, T. - General Store - Agnewville, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Foley House - Waterfall, Va., Robert E. Foley operated the bar room at Waterfall in the 1870’s, Joseph M. Patton had the bar in the late 1880s and 1990s. BL - The bar room and store were also listed in the 1877-1878, and 1880-1881 business directories.

Foley’s Mill - Waterfall, Va., corn & flour mill, also known as Waterfall Mill was owned in 1877-1878, 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 by Jane C. Foley

Foley Ordinary - Occoquan, Va., Presley Foley was an ordinary owner in the business licenses from 1813 to 1815

Foote, William - General Store - Manassas, Va., General Store - The following is from a newspaper advertisement 15 Dec 1905 M.J. Wall Paper, we have just received our fall stock of paper, we buy our paper direct from the mills, we can sell your paper 10 to 15 per cent cheaper than sample book men and you can return all you don’t use and get your money for it. Foote sold the general store in 1911 and opened a wallpaper store at another location in Manassas. In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory, William is listed as a general merchant, painter and paperhanger. In the 1906 directory the business is listed as a grocery store. William had a retail business licenses from 1890 to at least 1918.

Foote’s Wall Paper House - Manassas, Va., Our new stock has arrived. We still have some of last year’s stock at the old price, come before its sold 16 Feb 1917 M. J.

Ford, E. R. and Company - Manassas, Va, Listed in the business licenses as a retail merchant with a tobacco license 1 May 1884 BL - The business directory of 1884-1885 list this business as Ford & Brother.

Foreign Train Control Corporation - Manassas, Va. In business from 1913 to 1927.

Forget Me Not Shop - Manassas, Va., 466 Grant Ave., a card and gift shop, Anne E. Bowen, owner 19 Oct 1942 C.O


Forgie, Daniel - listed in the business licenses as an ordinary keeper from 1811 to 1814.

Foster, Thomas - Occoquan, Va., General store, merchant and bar owner, location is listed as Occoquan, had a license from 1 May 1830 to 1855. BL

Fountain, B. B. - District #1, listed as a cattle dealer in the business licenses 1 Aug 1876.

Fowke Grocery Store - Fowke’s Corner, Agnewville, Va., A retail merchant starting about 1908 in the business licenses. In the 1911 & 1917 business directories Thad E. Fowke is listed as the owner.

Fowler, Thomas P. - Listed as a retail merchant 1848-1850 BL.

Fox, Susan - listed as a retail merchant in the business records from 1848 until at least 1855.

Francis, E. B. - Paid a license fee of $32.50 to be a retail merchant 1 Apr 1861.
Francis, F. A. - Buckland, Va. - Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a general merchant at Buckland.

Francis, John A. General Store - Gainesville, Va., a retail merchant starting about 1896 and going to at least 1910 BL. He is listed as a general store owner in the 1906 and 1911 Virginia business directories.

Francis, N. B. - Gainesville, Listed as a painter in the 1911 Virginia business directory.

Francis Ordinary - above the Occoquan, J. A. Francis was the proprietor in the 1850s. BL

Frankenburg, Frank H. & Company - Potomac City, Va., Retail liquor license 15 May 1873 in the business licenses. In the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 business directories he is listed as operating a general store.

Franzello's Amoco Service Station - Woodbridge, Va., 22 Jul 1953 C.O.

Fred's Electrical Center - Manassas, Va., appliance repair, Frederick Kitchener was the owner 15 May 1953 C.O.

Free, N. N. & Company - an ad in the 4 Jun 1948 Manassas Messenger with the following message - We wish the 1948 Brentsville graduation class all the success that your splendid record deserves.

Free, W. R. Jr. & Co. - General Merchandise Store, Nokesville, Va., Carload Receipts, one car of fertilizer for corn, oats, and spring crops, one car of Portland cement, one car of barb and woven wire fence and wire nails, all at lowest market prices. 20 Apr 1911 M. D. in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directory the company is selling agricultural implements and were fertilizer agents. The company is also listed as a general merchant and furniture dealer in the 1897-1898 directory. The Free family operated this business from the early 1880s and was still listed in the 1925 business licenses.

Free, W. R. Sr. - Nokesville, Va., Is listed as a Blacksmith, Wheelwright, Carpenter, and Builder in the Virginia 1897-1898 business directory. He was also a county magistrate in the 1906 business directory.

French, C. W. - District #1, paid a $10 business license fee to operate a merry-go-round 1 Jul 1896. BL

French, Daniel - was a fertilizer salesman 1 May 1882 license tax.

French, James C. - Manassas, Va., operated a confectionery in Manassas about 1874 - 1875

French, John R. and Brother - Manassas, Va., Listed as a retail merchant in the business licenses 1 May 1875 BL

French Ordinary - Mason French operated an ordinary and a house of private entertainment in the 1830s. BL

Frost Ford - Manassas, Va., 134 E. Center Street, Texaco Products, Ford Sales and Service, 24 hour wrecker service, Frame straightening, alignment, body & fender work, painting, trouble shooting, etc. 1960 YP - The owners were Tom Frost and Stewart Eustace of Warrenton on 2 Aug 1950 C.O.

Gaines & Kincheloe - above the Occoquan, listed as ordinary owners in the 1850s

Gaines Blacksmith Shop - In Manassas in the late 1880s BR

Gaines, E. P. - Brentsville, Va., Had a merchant, and retail tobacco license in Brentsville from 1874 to 1881.

Gaines, Edwin - listed in the business licenses as a ordinary keeper and owner of a house of private entertainment 1845 - 1861
Gaines, William C. - Manassas, Va., Watch Maker, & Jeweler, Watches & Revolvers, 6 Feb 1875 M.G. - He is listed in the 1880-1881 business directory as a jeweler.

Gainesville Beauty Shop – Gainesville, VA, Linton Hall Road & Route 29, owner Ruby Fields 1962 CO

Gainesville Hotel - Gainesville, Va., For Sale or Rent - This property with or without 40 acres of land in good state of cultivation for sale or rent. A good house in a healthy locality, near the mountains, suitable for boarders, convenient to church and school. Terms reasonable for which apply to Jas. A. Pattie, Gainesville Va. 28 Feb 1896 M. G. - James owned and operated a boarding house and house of private entertainment from 1886 to 1895. The boarding house later became known as “The Gainesville Hotel” and is listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 Virginia business directory.

Gainesville Supply Company - Gainesville, Va., general merchandise, Reva L. Webb of Arlington Va., was the owner and proprietor 29 Jan 1952 C.O. Randolph H. Beach is listed as the sole owner 26 May 1952 C.O.

Gaither Construction Company - Manassas, Va., Private improvements, quarrying stone, crushing stone for rail road beds, R. L. Gaither was president, G. R. Ratcliff was the treasurer, Jas E. Nelson was the secretary, 27 Jan 1908 C.B. The 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories list the business as a general contractor and builder.

Gallaher, Bernard - listed as a retail merchant on the 30 Apr 1808 business license.

Galleher, Thomas R. - General Store - Hickory Grove, Va., In the 1897-1917, Virginia business directories. In 1911 he also sold agricultural implements.

Gallahue S.S. - Manassas, Va., listed as a retail merchant in the 1920 & 1925 business licenses.

Garber & Early - Nokesville, Va., We are selling blue ribbon wagons, harness, corn planters, disc harrow drills, lawn mowers, cream separators, fertilizers, 29 Apr 1910 M. J. - Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a agricultural implements dealer.

Garber, E. T. - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Garde, David Cornelius - Quantico, Va., a physician 20 Jun 1920 BL


Garman Tree Service - Nokesville, scientific pruning, all jobs big and small, call today, J. T. Garman 1937-1938.

Garner, H. - Independent Hill, Va., Listed as a huckster in the 1880-1881 business directory and a general merchant in the 1884-1885 directory.

Garner Ordinary - George W. Garner is listed in the business licenses as a ordinary keeper in the 1850s.

Garrett, Ben C. - Saw Mill - Potomac, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a saw mill owner.

Garrett Brothers Saw Mill - Forestburg, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Garrett, Edward - Forestburg, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a lumber dealer.

Garrison & Company General Store - Waterfall, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Garrison, C. L. - General Store - Thoroughfare, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.
Garrison, James H. Grocery Store - Dumfries, Listed in the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories. He was also a county magistrate in 1888.

Garrison, J. W. - eating house in the 1925 business licenses.

Garrow, T. E. - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Garth & Mayhugh General Store - Haymarket, Va., In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory under general merchants. Thomas Garth paid the business license fee in 1896 and F. L. Mayhugh thereafter.

Garton, Will Melville - Quantico, Va., a physician license 1 Dec 1925 BL

Gaskins, B. L. - Retail merchant with a tobacco license 1 May 1882 BL

Gaskins, Catherine - retail merchant with a tobacco license 3 Jul 1899. BL

Gaskins, Thomas - District #1, listed in the business licenses as a canvasser and huckster 1875 - 1878. BL

Gaskins, Walter - Gainesville, Listed in the 1920 Virginia business licenses as having for hire one automobile. He paid a $5 license fee 1 May 1920.

Gaskins, William - Gainesville, Va., retail merchant with licenses starting 1 May 1909. BL

Gates, E. B. Sumac Factory - Manassas, It is not known where the factory was located but there is record of the name before 1870.


Gene's Lunch Room - Manassas, Va., Enjoy a chicken dinner in the most up to date dining room in Manassas, 35 cents, 18 Jul 1940 M. J.

Gene's Theatre Grille - Manassas, Va., next to Pitts Theatre, Eugene Mooney owner and proprietor 27 Nov 1941 M. J. and C.O.

General Insurance Company - Manassas, Va., Thomas W. Lion, secretary, Grain & Livestock Insurance, let us quote you rates. 15 Nov 1928 M.J. -The following is from a 27 Apr 1923 M.J. newspaper - Look! Mr. Farmer, insure against Hail? For a small cost you can be protected from this hazard. For every chance you may take we issue a policy to protect you.

George, W. - Listed as a retail merchant in business licenses 4 Jun 1849. BL

George's Grocery - Cherry Hill, Va., Halford V. George was the owner on the 27 Aug 1953 C.O.

Gesco Tailors - Quantico, Va., 507 S. Broadway, also known as Rice, S. W. Company uniform tailors, the owners were Simon Goldiner, Ellis Eibender, and Jerome Snyder 20 Apr 1942 C.O.

Getsie’s Lunch and Gas Station - Triangle, Va., Broadway and Fifth Ave, lunchroom and Taxi service, Tires fixed, repairs, and the first owner was P. J. Getsie. In 1941 the owners were Mary Kesock and Ann Milkolich 1 Feb 1945 C.O.

Gheen, J. E. General Store - Stone House, a retail merchant doing business at the Stone House according to a business license 1 Sep 1909. He is also listed as having a general store in the 1911 business directory.

Gheen, J. R. M. - a common crier license 14 Nov 1911 BL
Gibson Farm Service - Manassas, Va., Authorized Dealer of Willys Jeep, Cars and Trucks sales and service, Allis Chalmers tractors and farm machinery, general implements, Harvey hammermills and elevators, Wisconsin and Briggs and Stratton Engines. 22 Jul 1954 M.J. - Raymond A. Gibson was the owner 25 Apr 1950 C.O. - The ownership changed in 1956 to R. W. Parker Sr. and moved to 418 Lee Ave. Manassas.

Gibson, John F. - Brentsville, Va., Attorney, listed in the 1852 Virginia directory and business Register.

Gilbert Store - Thoroughfare, Va., C. M. Gilbert, record from The National Bank of Manassas 16 Aug 1913 - C. M. Gilbert was also listed under Prince William Dairies in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Gillum, Dr. V. V. - Manassas, Va., Dentist - Office in Hibbs & Giddings Building, 19 Dec 1919 M. J. - He is listed in the 1917 business directory and 1925 business licenses.

Glascock, A. A. - Minnieville, Va., Listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1906,1911, and 1917, business directories.

Glascock, Burr - Occoquan, was a Prince William County supervisor from 1867 to 1870.

Glascock, M. I. - Occoquan, was listed as a county commissioner of revenue in 1911 business directory.

Glascock, W. B. - was a district #2 merchant in the 1880s

Glover Meats and Groceries - Occoquan, Va., on 26 Jan 1946 Lynn Glover Jr. is listed as the owner and operator. C.O.

Gnadt, Mrs Irene - Quantico, 238 Third Ave., for Spencer individual design foundations and surgical supports. 1941 YP

Godfrey Ordinary - Manassas, Va., Charles and John Godfrey were the proprietors in the business licenses from 1860 to 1876. In the 1877-1878 Virginia business directory C. L. Godfrey was the owner of a Manassas grocery store.

Goines, Thomas - Manassas, Va., In Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories as a Wheelwright and Blacksmith.

Goldsberry, P. F. - District #1, listed in the business licenses as a retail merchant with a tobacco license starting in 1898.

Good Will Store - Triangle, Va., general merchandise, Leslie Mountjoy of Shacklette, Va. was listed as owner 29 Jan 1941 C.O.

Goode, N. E. - Manassas, Va., billiards saloon license 1 Oct 1908 BL

Goode, W. B. - District #1, had a huckster license in 1887. BL

Goodwin House Hotel - Manassas, Va., J. T. Goodwin, listed as the hotel owner in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory. The Goodwin House was originally called the Manassas Hotel and located by the railroad tracks on the east side of Main Street.

Goodwin & Sinclair Ordinary - Brentsville Va., a business licenses for an Ordinary 1875-1877

Goodwin & Trennis - Brentsville, Va., Had a retail liquor licenses in 1869-1870

Goodwin & Weedon - District #1, William Goodwin and F. Weedon were listed as common criers in the 1870s.

Goodwin & Wilcoxen - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a saloon owners.
Goodwin, E. H. - Manassas, Va., a land agent license 1 May 1909 BL

Goodwin, E. T. - District #1, listed as a book agent in the 1878 business licenses

Goodwin House, Hotel and Saloon - See John T. Goodwin

Goodwin, John T. - Was a Stock Dealer in the 1870s at Brentsville and a butcher in Manassas in the 1880-1881 and 1884-1885, business directories. Listed as a Manassas butcher and cattle dealer in Chataigne’s 1890-1891, 1893-1894, and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories. Had an ordinary license in 1873, stock dealer 1874, canvasser 1875-1876, butcher 1878-1889, common crier 1887-1897, private entertainment 1893-1895, Curry House liquor license 1895 and Jackson House liquor license 1894. Was the proprietor of the Manassas Goodwin House Hotel and saloon in 1897 and 1898.

Goodwin, William - paid a $40 dollar tax for a business license to operate an ordinary 1 Apr 1861


Gordon, John C. - Nokesville, VA, Physician, born 27 May 1871 Albemarle County, VA, 10 Mar 1913 BL, was a doctor in Nokesville in the 1890’s to at least 1917. BD

Gossom Brothers - Haymarket, Va., Nationwide Service, Groceries, Quality Meats, Fruits, & Vegetables, Campbell’s Soup and much more. 19 Apr 1934 M. J. The second ad was in the 16 Apr 1959 Manassas Journal. Houses and Apartments for Rent, Lots for Sale. - In 1941 the owners were George W. Gossom and James R. Gossom. On the 7 Apr 1953 certificate of ownership James R. Gossom is listed as the sole owner.

Gossom, G. A. & F. J. - General Store - Waterfall, Va., a general merchandise store first operated under the name of G.A. Gossom in the early 1900s. Listed in the business licenses from 1904 to at least 1920 under the names of G.A. Gossom & Brother and G. A. & F. J. Gossom.

Gossom, I. E. - Hoadley, Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Gossom, R. B. - Waterfall, listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Gossom’s Suburban Clothing & Shoe Store – Gainesville, VA, Route 29/211, the owners given in 1960 were Allen C. Gossom and Sadie C. Gossom CO

Gossom, Thomas E. - Occoquan, Va., Listed as a general merchant in the 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, business directories.

Gossom W. R. - General Store- Haymarket, Va./ Hickory Grove, paid a $33.29 license tax for a retail merchandise store 1 May 1925.

Gossom, W. T. - Listed in the business licenses starting 2 May 1898 as a retail merchant with tobacco sales. The 1920 census has him as a livestock dealer.

Gothwaite Construction Company - Manassas, Va., 338 Center Street, ad in 14 Feb 1947 M. M., 1949 OYB

Gothwaite Real Estate Company - Manassas, 338 West Center Street, Real Estate, Rentals, E. D. Gothwaite 1951YP

Gough Brothers Real Estate Company - Gainesville, Va., Real Estate - House for sale at Buckland on Lee Highway between Gainesville and New Baltimore 9 Feb 1928 M. J.
Gough, E. L. - Barber Shops - Nokesville and Haymarket in 1933, hair cuts 25 cents, shaves 15 cents, tonic 15 cents, shampoo 25 cents, massage 25 cents, singe 20 cents, 30 Mar 1933 M. J.

Gough Store - Buckland Va., A general merchandise store listed in the 1880-1881, 1884-1885,1888 -1889, 1890-1891 Prince William County business directories. Owner was William Gough. The only license I could find for William Gough was for a huckster in 1878.

Govenidier, Nick - Quantico, Eating House, Paid a $30 license fee and is listed in the 1920 and 1925 business licenses.

Grace’s Tea Room Restaurant - Dumfries, Va., listed as a retail merchant, restaurant, and retail tobacco business, Grace Porter was the owner 4 Jun 1947 C.O.


Graham Ordinary - Operated by Hannah Graham in the 1830s, she purchased an ordinary license 1 May 1834

Graham Park Nurseries - Cockrell, F. A. - Manassas, Va. , Healthy vigorous stock, true to name. These are the essential points in all nursery stock. My entire stock of fruit and ornamental trees, evergreens, shrubbery is regularly inspected every season and sent out under state inspection. Also manufacturer of the all purpose harrow and agent for the Derring Harvester and Binder. Repairs carried in stock at the Larkin Hardware Company’s Store 22 Nov 1901 M. J. -Was still in business 16 June 1910.

Graham, Richard - Groveton, a retail merchant and ordinary keeper from 1842 to at least the start of the Civil War.

Grandma’s Attic - Limstrong, Va., Corner of Route 234 and Brentsville Road. Figurines, Glassware, Pictures, E. S. Shiflett and S. R. Beard, proprietors, 1950s M.J.

Grant, John R. - District #1, was a retail merchant with a tobacco license in 1879

Grant, M. F. - District #2, a retail merchant 30 Apr 1898 BL

Grant, Thomas N. - was a retail merchant in district #1 in the 1870s and 1880s

Gray, John G. - listed as operating an ordinary 1812-1814 on business license

Gray, William - Dumfries, Va., Was the owner of a hotel in the 1890-1891 business directory.

Grayson and Howard - District #2, merchant business license 11 Jan 1882. BL

Grayson, Agnes - District #2, Retail merchant in 1882 business license. BL


Grayson, G. W. & Company - Had a store in the Gainesville area about 1875.BL

Grayson, John B. - Haymarket, Va., was a physician above the Occoquan 1852 -to at least the start of the civil war.


Green, John C. - paid $12.50 for a ordinary license 5 May 1812
Green, J. Willard - Manassas, Va., A lawyer in the business licenses of 1879. He is also listed in the 1880-1881 business directory and on the Manassas town council in 1880.

Green, W. D. - Manassas, Va., Auctioneer - Will serve anywhere in Prince William County. Give me a call at Manassas, Va. 3 Dec 1914 M. D. - Had a common crier license starting in 1908 and continuing to at least 1925

Greenwood Gold Mine - Independent Hill, operated by Austin Greenwood just left of the intersection of Aden and Joplin Road intersection - source John Samsky

Greenwood, Rittie M. Mrs. - General Store - Independent Hill, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Gregory Company - Manassas, Va., The Gregory Company was at the corner of West & Center Streets, outfitters to ladies, misses, children and infant’s dresses, suits, hats, lingerie, shoes, handbags and gloves. Home essentials, fabrics, curtains, sheets, towels, sewing needs, pillow cases. It will pay you to pay us a visit-see what you buy. Shop here for your school dresses and shoes. We have a nice selection at the present time. 1 Sep 1949 M. J. The Company was owned 4 May 1945 by Mary V. Gregory and George R. Lewis. In August of the same year George Lewis is no longer listed as an owner.

Gregory Construction Company - Manassas, Va., 575 Prince William Street, special millwork & cabinet making in our own shop. From your plans or ours, new construction, remodeling, repairs, one contractor - One responsibility 1950s Ad

Gregory’s Esso Service Center - Manassas, Va., 513 Centreville Road, sale prices of tires are plus tax and recappable tire, ad has different size tires and prices, 29 Jul 1954 MJ

Griffith, H. - Manassas, Va., Machinery Supply Company, stationary, portable and traction engines and oilers, gasoline engines of all sizes, saw mills, planing mill machinery, lath and single mills, wood saws, circular saws, feed mills, hay presses, etc. 7 Sep 1906 M. J. - He also had a business license dated 1 May 1908 for a land agency. In the 1911 Virginia business directory he is listed as a real estate salesman.

Griffith, W. R. - Manassas, Va., was a fertilizer agent in the 1897-1898 and 1906 Virginia business directories.

Griffith, W. T. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory under the heading of staves and headings.

Grill (The) - Manassas, Va., Main Street, Now under new management, Arnold and Jane Lynn Service, We will appreciate your continued patronage and welcome new friends. 24 Jan 1947 M. M.

Grim, Norman - Dumfries, Listed in the 1925 business licenses as operating a house of private entertainment and paid a tax for 5 beds.

Grimes, Jas. F. - District #2, listed as operating house of private entertainment in the 1882 business licenses.

Grimes Ordinary - Reynolds Grimes - paid a $18.00 business tax for an ordinary 1 May 1820

Groff, C. - Haymarket, Va., Listed as a live stock dealer in the 1917 business directory.

Groseclose Engine Service - Manassas, Va., A machine shop business on Quarry Road. Paul P. Groseclose was owner and operator 24 Jun 1948 C.O.

Grossman, A. - Manassas, Va., Barber and Hair cutter, Main Street, between Sander & Silling’s Store and the Southern Freight Depot. Give me a call and see if my work is satisfactory. 28 Feb 1896 M. G.
Groveton Service Station & Lunch Room - Gainesville, Va.(near), James W. Jones was the owner 29 Dec 1952 C.O.

Gue Beauty Shop - Manassas, 109 quarry Street, Mrs. Edna Gue, proprietor in 1950.

Gue, Ferris W. - Manassas, 109 E. Quarry Street, Plumbing and heating company, he was on the Manassas City council in 1949.

Gue, Frank & Son - Manassas, Va. , phone # 62-f-13, having severed my connection with the Bull Run Power Company I am now ready to take care of your electric light, power, plumbing and heating work. 4 Jul 1929

Gue & Smith - Manassas Va., Well drilling, we have an experienced operator with 35 years of successful work in all kinds of drilling. 14 Oct 1943 M. J.

Gulick, F. E. - Manassas, Va. - Is listed as the owner of the Prince William Hotel in the 1925 business licenses and paid a business tax to operate 21 rooms for private entertainment. BL,BR.

Gulick Livery Stable - James F. Gulick had the livery stable in the early 1900 and is listed in the business licenses.

Guthrie Grocery Store - Stone House, S. W. Guthrie was the proprietor of the store 1906.

H & R Snack Bar - Manassas, Va., 121 S. Main Street, 1950s

H. R. H. Tile Company – Woodbridge Va., David W. Hughes Sr. owner in 1966

Haines, R. H. - District #2, a retail merchant with a tobacco license 30 Apr 1899.

Haislip Ordinary - Occoquan, Enoch Haislip paid a $30 tax yearly for an ordinary 1852 - 1856. He was also a Prince William constable in the early 1860s.

Haislip General Store - Stone House, in the 1906 Virginia business directory with B. N. Haislip listed as the owner.

Hal’s Tool Rental – 433 W. Center Street, Manassas, small engine repair, Harold L. Sowash owner 1966

Hale, Fannie - Nokesville, Va., Paid a license fee 1 May 1925 to operate a house of private entertainment. The tax was paid for 3 rooms in her house.

Hale, Henry - Haymarket, a retail merchant in the 1850s and 1860s.

Hall & Cross Funeral Home - Manassas, Va., 209 - 211 East Center Street, ambulance service, lady attendant, we are as near as your telephone 25 Feb 1937 M. J. - “Announcing the addition of a new Buick side servicing ambulance to the now modern equipment of our firm. This car provides comfortable seating for two attendants and as an extra feature has controlled hot water heat in both compartments. Special rates on long distance trips. No distance too far. Patients are handled by experienced men and the ambulance driver cautiously at all times. 10 Feb 1938 M.J. - R. W. Hall and R. E. Cross are the owners on the 1941 certificate of ownership. R. E. Cross also had a funeral home at Occoquan called Hall Funeral Home.

Hall & Groff Funeral Home - Occoquan, Va., Announce the opening of a new funeral home at Occoquan, Va. Saturday, September 20, 1930. We cordially invite the public to visit our parlors, special modern ambulance equipment, graduate lady nurse in attendance.

Hall & Hall Funeral Home, Occoquan, Va., The owners listed on the certificate of ownership 4 Feb 1941 were R. S. Hall and R. W. Hall.
Hall, E. E. - Greenwich Va., listed as a merchant in the business licenses from 1874 to 1878. He is also listed in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 business directories as a general merchant.

Hall Funeral Home - Manassas, Va., formerly Hall & Cross, The largest fleet of ambulances in Northern Virginia. 209-211 E. Center Street opposite the Fire Station. 2 Oct 1941 M. J.

Hall, George - Paid a $20 license fee to be a peddler in 1822. BL

Hall Grocery - Manassas, Va., 630 W. Center Street, Lewis Hall prop. 1950s

Hall, J. M. - District #1, a retail merchant with a tobacco license in the business licenses from 1893 to 1896.

Hall, Josh - Woolsey, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Hall, S. T. - Furniture Store - Manassas, Va., The following is from a Manassas Journal dated 9 December 1909. “New Furniture Store - New parlor suites and couches and other modern furniture for the home. I have bought W. J. Shelton’s Furniture store and increased the stock. Any goods not in stock will be ordered and shipped to your station. You are invited to visit the store”. - On 27 Aug 1931 a business public sale under distress warrant was executed by the sheriff. The business was listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a furniture dealer and a merchant in the 1920 business licenses.

Hall, Seth - Paid a $20 license tax in the business licenses to be a peddler 5 Nov 1822 BL

Hallowell Jewelry Store - New Jewelry Store - dealer in Watches, Clocks, and jewelry, special attention paid to repairing. Frank Hallowell, proprietor. 17 Oct 1885 M.G.

Hал’s Texaco – Manassas, VA, 534 W. Center Street, Gas and Service Station, the owner in 1966 is given as Harold L. Sowash CO

Hamburger Shop - owned and operated in 1941 by Pericles B. Petrides

Hamilton, George T. - paid a fee of $ 5 for a license to practice medicine in the county in the 1850s until the start of the Civil War.

Hamilton, Robert - Operated a house of private entertainment from 1823 to 1834.

Hammill House Hotel - Occoquan, Dist. #2, the hotel was a three story brick building at Occoquan. There is some record that the building was constructed about 1804 to 1806 by William Selecman. The historical name now given the structure “Old Hammill Hotel” was selected because of the long association of Edward Hammill. The business licenses show Edward Hammill paid to have a license for a eating house 1894-1895, boarding house 1880-1881, and a house of private entertainment 1882-1899. The 1890-1891,1893-1894,1897-1898, and 1906 Virginia business directories list the hotel. Ed Hammill was a common crier and merchant in the 1907-1909 business licenses. He is also listed in 1911 as a confectioner and a county constable from about 1910 to 1920.

Hammill, B. T. - Manassas, Va., Listed as a vender of medicine in the 1 May 1920 business license.

Hammill, John H. General Store - Occoquan, Va., a retail merchant 1861 to at least 1907 in the business licenses. He is also shown as a general merchant in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1888-1889,1890-1891,1893-1894, 1897-1898, and 1906 business directories.

Hampton, Brenton - Manassas, Va., operated an ordinary from 13 Jan 1875 to at least 30 Apr 1876. BL

Hampton, Thomas - Paid a yearly $18.00 fee for a license to operate an ordinary 1824 - 1829.

Hamsberger, J. S. Brentsville, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894 business directory as an auctioneer.
Hanback I. L. & Son - Furniture and bedding, double dresser & mirror, chest of drawers, nite table, bookcase bed, all for $125.00 7 May 1959 M. J.

Hancock, William G. - listed as a physician in the 1870s business licenses.

Hanna, Francis - was a retail merchant from 1841 to the start of the Civil War. He also had a retail liquor license in 1855.

Harmon & Son Electrical Contractors - Manassas, Va., 138 W. Center Street, Chrysler Airtemp, residential, commercial, electric heating, 1950s

Harmon Studio - Manassas, Va., portraiture, New styles on mountings, new method of lighting whereby you get the most artistic results 3 Dec 1914 M. D. - C. A. Harmon a photographer is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Harness Shop - Manassas, Va., S. S. Gallehue, We do repairing of all kinds. A large stock on hand at all times. 11 Jan 1923 PWN

Harnsburger, J. T. - Brentsville, Va., auctioneer in the 1880s. Listed in Chataigne’s Virginia 1890-1891, 1897-1898 and 1906 business directories. Listed in the business licenses as a common crier 1887 - 1897. and land agent in 1908.

Harper, John D. - 20th Century Barber Shop, for rich or poor, having rented the law office recently occupied by Hon. Thomas Lion, I have employed two excellent barbers to assist me so that our patrons will not have to wait. Ladies hair dressing our specialty. 15 Jun 1906 M. J. - In the county business licenses as a barber 1906 to at least 1917. BL, BD, BR - John Harper was an undertaker in Manassas from at least 1916 to 1925. He is listed in both the business licenses and business directories for that period.

Harrell, A. H. Grocery Store - Manassas, Va., A complete line of Christmas candies, fancy groceries, choice fruits, nuts and everything needed to make the feast complete. 3 Dec 1914 M. D. - The store was also listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory. - The business started in 1909 when Harrell bought the business of E. N. Fewell that was known as A. H. Fewell Grocery.

Harrell Beauty Shop - Manassas, Va., Mabel Harrell, Easter specials price list, effective in April your choice of shampoo, finger wave, hair cut, manicure, eye brows 35 cents or three for one dollar, permanent $3.00 and up. 31 Mar 1938 M.J.

Harrell, J. L. - Manassas, Va., Land Broker, office in M.I.C. building, est. 1890, attractive propositions in Fauquier, Prince William and Fairfax Counties. 2 Apr 1921 P.W.N. - He is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a real estate agent.

Harris & Gray Painters - Manassas, Va., John D. Harris and Douglas L. Gray were the owners 29 Apr 1950 C.O.

Harris and Storke - District #2, had a retail merchant license 16 Aug 1882 BL.

Harris, Sarah Mrs. - Dumfries, Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as having a boarding house.

Harris Store - Occoquan, Va., Ogle Harris opened the store in 1912 and along with his son Arthur was in business for 60 years. The business was listed as a grocery store in early records but later was more like a general store.

Harris School of Penmanship - Bristow, Va., W. E. Harris, president of school, A. complete course in penmanship, a course such as is given by the Harris School, represents an asset which every young man or woman entering upon a business career should possess. I will gladly give information to any who are interested in penmanship 1914 M.D.
Harrison & Company - Manassas Va., Battle Street. New process patented concrete monuments, head stones, building stones, paving blocks, etc. If you are not able to buy marble or granite, mark the graves of your dead with a monument or head stone of patented concrete, a good imitation of granite at one fourth the cost. 22 Nov 1901 M.J.

Harrison, Burr - One of the first attorney’s in the county. He is listed in the 1813 business records.

Harrison, James L. - Gainesville, Va., Listed as a Physician in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directory.

Harrison, William B. - Paid for a business license to be a merchant 23 Aug 1838

Harry’s Place - Triangle, Va., business of a lunch room and pool hall on route #1, owned and operated by Harry Robert Benfield 4 Feb 1941 C.O.

Hart, Mrs. J.T. - Manassas, Va., Elocution, Training of the speaking voice, deep breathing, Lawyers, Ministers, Teachers, all who use the voice to any extent will find great profit in a short course in voice training and deep breathing. Classes of four or more at 15 cents each per lesson. See Mrs Hart in before Sept. 1 as classes will begin that date. 21 May 1897 M.J.

Hartman’s Garage - Woodbridge, Va., filling station and repair garage, Allen S. Hartman, owner and operator 30 Apr 1948 C.O.

Hartman’s Inn - Woodbridge, Va., a restaurant and rental cabins, Mrs. Jane Hartman, owner and operator 2 Jan 1947 C.O.

Harvey & Terrell - Manassas Va., Prince William Pressing Club, Expert Cleaning, scouring, dyeing and pressing, Lynch Building next to Victor Hotel. 11 Jan 1912 MJ

Harvey, Elias - In the business licenses from 1822 to 1826 as a peddler.

Hassler, Hubert - Moving Pictures - In 1925 Hubert paid a license fee to operate a moving picture theatre with 180 seats in Prince William County. The location was not given in the records.

Hawkins Upholstering Service - Manassas, Va., 241 Church Street, 1950s

Hay Market Garage - Haymarket Va., C. B. Roland prop., The Chevrolet is the car for service. Let us demonstrate their good qualities. Our repair department is in charge of expert mechanics 11 Jan 1923 PWN. - In 1939 the garage sold Esso Gasoline. The following is from a 1948 letterhead - Amoco Gas, Ford Service, Batteries, we repair any make of car owners are W. B. Tyler and A. M. Pennington.

Haymarket Grocery Company - Haymarket, Va. In 1919 was owned by W. Atlee Wood. BR.

Haymarket and Hickory Grove Telephone Company - president was G. G. Galleher of Hickory Grove, Secretary was T. O. Taylor, superintendent was Jerome Downs. Charter to organize & maintain a telephone line between Haymarket & Hickory Grove with the privilege of extending to Aldie in the county of Loudoun. 7 Oct 1886 C.B.

Haymarket House Hotel - Haymarket, Va., J. W. Smith prop. This might have been G. W. Smith who was an active merchant in Haymarket having licenses for a boarding house, bar room, bagatelle saloon and others. Haymarket house is also listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891, 1893-1894, Virginia business directory. See the listings for George W. Smith for more information.

Haymarket Mercantile Company - The store was established in 1848 and by the 1920’s was the oldest established business in Prince William County. In 1922 the business was taken over by Mr. R. S. Bowersett a native of
Marshall Va. who had previously been connected with the firm of Reynolds & Company. The second partner in 1922 was Mr. Moffett W. Spillman of Haymarket and a native of Rappahannock County. The main building of the mercantile business had shoes, hats, clothing, dry goods, notions, groceries, canned goods, cakes, candies, toilet articles and other things in this line. In the rear of the main building on the railroad and warehouses is were the heavy goods were kept such as hay, lime, salt, farm machinery, implements, roofing and other things. In the 1925 business licenses the firm paid a tax of $98.89 on 1 May 1925

Haymarket Motor Company - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses.

Haymarket Pharmacy - Haymarket, Va., Soda Fountain, Agent for Millard’s Candies, Nyal’s household remedied, Ansco cameras and film, drugs, stationery, cigars and cigarettes, prescriptions our specialty. 12 Jan 1917 M. J. The Haymarket Pharmacy was a modern drug store that was established in 1914. The soda fountain was the big attraction in the early 1920’s as a place to go. The pharmacy was owned by Doctor W. C. Payne and Mr. Eppa Hunton Hunt. The manager was Mr. Hunt a respected business man in Prince William County that had worked in drug stores for more than 20 years. In the 1925 business licenses the pharmacy paid a fee of $26.25 with an additional $5 fee to operate a soda fountain.

Haynes, Henry R. - Minnieville, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a gold mine owner.

Hays, Albert - Hayfield, Va., listed as the location of business, was a common crier in the 1907 business license. BL

Hayth and Oden - District #1, retail merchant with a tobacco license 1896

Hazell, R. Z. & Brother - Manassas, Va., Architects, contractors, and builders, estimates cheerfully given, call and see us it will not cost you anything and we may be able to save you money. Office on Centre Street between Battle & Main Streets 22 Jun 1906 M. J.

Hazen Millinery Shop - Manassas, Va., operated by Nellie Hazen and her sister from 1875 for at least 20 years. Listed in the 1880-1881,1887-1888, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, business directories as Nellie Hazen & Sister Millinery Shop.

Heath, James E. - The first attorney to be licensed in Prince William County. He paid $10.00 for a business license 5 Oct 1813.

Heck, E. L. Plumbing & Heating Co. - Quantico, Va., Sanitary plumbing and heating, sheet metal work, F.H.A. plan, 1 to 3 years to pay, inquire at A - 1 Cafe, 27 Mar 1936 Quantico Sentry.

Hedding, D. R. - Was a book agent in the county in 1899.

Hedges, A. B. - Cherry Hill, Va., Listed as a general merchant in the 1 May 1925 business license paying a tax of $20 on sales of $1612.00.

Hedman, Lyle Clayton - Manassas, Va., Listed as a physician in the 1938 business licenses. BL

Hedrick, B. F. - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Hedrick, George W. - A retail merchant with a tobacco license 1 May 1897. BL

Hedrick, John - Nokesville, Va., in business licenses listed as a butcher and stallion owner 1890s to at least 1910.

Hedrick, O. W. - Bristow, Va., R.F.D.#2, listed as a painter in the 1911 Virginia business directory.

Hedrick, P. F. - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as an agricultural implements merchant.
Hebron Seminary - Nokesville, Va., College preparatory, English, scientific, commercial, English-Bible, music and short agricultural courses, open for both sexes. 3 Dec 1914 M.D.


Heflin General Store - Gainesville, Va., Homer T. Heflin - We all know that in the last few months merchandise has advanced on an average of 20 per cent. Disregarding this fact, we will offer for sale goods at a cheaper price than has prevailed since the Great Armistice. These goods we are offering are not cheap, shoddy merchandise, but fresh, new goods. Buying right means saving right. We have taken our time and bought at prices that have been seemingly impossible. We now ask you to take note of some of the prices quoted below on groceries, dry goods, notions, shoes, hats, ready made clothing, tires, tubes, rubber shoes, boots, leather harness, Oliver Chill and Lynchburg plows and repairs, Nesco oil stoves in all sizes, seeds, farm and garden tools, paints, glassware, pots, jars, enamelware, aluminum ware, steel ware, floor coverings, flour, meal, feeds, cakes, candies and bread. We have contracted for the Monarch canned goods line; in addition to the regular drug line we carry we are going to have the Black and White line. 1920s ad

Heineken, C. A. - Haymarket, Va., “Odorless slag phosphate”, the richest basic slag phosphate in existence, carloads, minimum 15 tons delivered at station, $16.50 per ton. 22 Sep 1910 MD

Heineken, C. A. Jr. - Haymarket, Va., Garage will open for business near Haymarket Post Office. I will guarantee satisfaction in work and prices. 29 Jun 1916 M.D. He is also listed as a printer in the 1917 business directory.

Heineken Distillery - Haymarket, Va., C. A. Heineken owned and operated a small still close to Haymarket, manufacturing Brandy to sell to bar rooms from the 1880s to about 1900. The Distillery is listed in the 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories.

Helms Insurance & Realty Agency - Triangle, Va., Roy Helms was the owner and proprietor. 28 Aug 1952 C.O.

Henderson, Robert - District #2, retail merchant with a tobacco license in 1891.

Henry, John - Had a license for theatrical amusement 14 Jun 1815. BL.

Henry's Grill - Woodbridge, Va., Henry B. Utz was the owner 9 Nov 1953 C.O.

Henson, Charles - Manassas, Va., Paid a $25.00 tax to be a merchant 1 May 1874 BL.

Henson, N. B. & Wm. H. - Waterfall, Va., owned and operated bar rooms/Ordinaries at Waterfall in the 1870's & 1880's. In the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 business directories N. B. Henson is listed as a general merchandiser.

Herbert & Swan Saw Mill - Kopp, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Hereford, Elizabeth - paid for a license to operate a house of private entertainment 1 May 1834 BL.

Hereford, J. - District #1, Paid for a business license to sell lighting rods in Prince William County 1 Oct 1879 BL.

Hereford, R. E. Insurance Company - Manassas Va., Insurance Company, M.I.C. building, The advertisement tells a story of a Harry Suggett that lost all his savings in a fire that destroyed his home. The question is then asked, have you provided against such misfortune? 2 Apr 1921 P. W. News
Hereford, Thomas - Haymarket, Va., paid a $12.50 tax for a physician in the business license 1 Jun 1813 BL. Thomas also is listed as operating a house of private entertainment from 1834-1836.

Hereford, W. P. - Wellington/Groveton, Va. - Listed in Chataigne’s 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories as a physician. William was in practice from the 1850s to at least 1900.

Herndon, D. T. - Manassas, Va. Drayage, hauling of freight, merchandise, furniture, and other goods, 17 Jan 1929 M. J.

Herndon, F. M. - Horton’s Store, Va., paid a tax for a bar room in the late 1880s.

Herndon, John and Company - District #2, retail store in the 1890s that had licenses to sell merchandise, retail tobacco and medicine.

Herrell, J. E. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a attorney at law. He was also on the Manassas town council in 1900 and 1901.

Herrell Real Estate Company - Manassas, Va., land auctioneer, had a business license 5 Sep 1925

Herring, G. W. - Nokesville, Va., no punctures- no blowouts, these tubes will last the life of your car. Thousands of car owners now using them are free of all tire trouble, these tubes are being sold on positive money back guarantee to do as we say 3 Jun 1926 M. J.

Herring Farm Supply Company - an ad in the 4 Jun 1948 Manassas Messenger, wishing the 1948 Brentsville graduation class all the success that your splendid record deserves.

Hesco Gas Service - Manassas, VA., Your modern L. P. gas range keeps cooking heat inside the stove. It keeps your kitchen comfortable and livable even on the hottest days. Enjoy cooler living this summer. 1 Sep 1949 M. J. This was the same company that is listed as Hynson Electric Company.

Heuser, W. L. - Haymarket, Va., Hickox #10 seed wheat bearded, stiff straw, good grain, price $1.25 to $1.50 per bushel 22 Sep 1910 MD - W. L. Heuser was an insurance agent in the 1917 business directory.

Hewitt, Peter - Woodbridge, Va., listed in the 1880-1881,1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, business directories as a general merchant.

Hewett, Thomas - Dist.#2 - Attorney, paid for a license 5 Oct 1813 BL

Hibb’s Radio Service - Manassas, Va., 226 E. Center Street, Washing Machines, Radios, Refrigerators, Televisions, Home Freezers, Record Players, Stoves, and Water Heaters, 1/4 off any gas radiant heater with a purchase of a new gas range 9 Apr 1936 M. J. In 1940 the store was at 115 North Main Street. In 1941 the sole owner was W. Franklin Hibbs. The owners listed on 1 Oct 1945 certificate of ownership were W. Franklin Hibbs and Mason D. Mayhugh. The certificate of ownership dated 20 Nov 1950 has the owners as Cecil D. Hylton & Arthur L. Carter.

Hibbs & Giddings - Manassas, Va., in a corner of the Blossom building at Center and Battle Streets. The firm had already moved across the street to the Peoples Bank Building when the big fire of 1905 destroyed the Blossom Building. The first business license was issued for the time period 1 Jan 1898 to 1 Apr 1898. In the 1906, 1911 Virginia business directories the store is listed under mens furnishings. In a 1912 newspaper advertisement the business was called “the only exclusive gents outfitters in the county”. - the Men & Boys Clothing, Work Shoes, Dickies work clothes, Samsonite Luggage, Champ hats, Van Heusen Shirts - We have just received a new line of overcoats for young men. 19 Dec 1919 M.J. - On 1 Sep 1922 E. Humphrey Hibbs and Eugene B. Giddings were listed as owners on the certificate of ownership. The business ended with a going out of business sale in 1977.

Hibbs & Spencer - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1911 business licenses as a butcher.
Hibbs, W. F. - Manassas, VA., Center Street, $60 cooking range, second hand extra fine condition $18, heating stoves at cost. 25 Feb 1932 M. J. - W. F. Hibbs is also listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1906, 1911 and 1917, business directories. He is listed as paying a business license tax of $20 on 1 May 1925. The records also show a W. F. Hibbs on the Manassas town council in 1903 and again 1937-1939.

Hibbs, Walter - Manassas, Va., Listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1906 business directory.

Hickey & Evans General Store - Manassas Junction Va., Listed in the records of Harper & Baldwin of Baltimore Md. 26 Jul 1858

Hiester Texaco Service Station - Manassas, VA., 534 W. Center Street, 1950s

High View - Manassas, Va., retail merchant, Daisy K. Mason was the owner 5 May 1952 C.O.

High View Service Station - George Palmer and Miller Palmer were the owners 8 Aug 1953 C.O.

Hill, J. A. - Independent Hill, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory under of staves and headings.

Hill, Milton - Potomac, Va., Listed in the business licenses as operating a house of private entertainment in 1907 BL.

Hill, Scott & Son - Dumfries, Va., Had a house of private entertainment from 1890 to at least 1899.

Hillery, H. L. - Manassas., Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory under Livery Stables. Had a license to operate a livery stable from 1892 to at least 1900.

Hilltop Tavern - Triangle, Va., filling station & restaurant, William A. Eye of Garrisonville was the owner 14 Jan 1946 C.O.

Hilton, J. D. - Manassas, Va., operated a ordinary out of the “Wagner House” in Manassas in the 1890’s BL.

Hinegardner & Herring Company - Nokesville, Va., This Company is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as selling building materials.

Hinegardner, S. H. & Co. - Nokesville, Va., we are adding an immense stock for the holidays 15 Dec 1905 M. J., also the following ad from 10 Sep 1907 M. J. - We want to buy 50 thousand bushels of wheat in the next sixty days, loaded at any station, we will pay the highest cash price. The first business license was issued 1 May 1885 for a merchant and retail tobacco. In 1910 business licenses also show the business as retail merchant with tobacco sales. In the 1897-1911 Virginia business directories as a general merchant. In 1911 they were also selling agricultural implements.

Hiner, G. D. - Route #1 Manassas, Va., Registered Poland China Hogs, Shoats and Pigs for sale, Utterback Place, 20 Apr 1911 M. D.

Hines, Dr. O. W. - Hines Eye Service, Manassas, Va., Optometrist, Office in the Prince William Hotel. You may not be aware of your eye deficiencies. If you do know then you need no urging to get people glasses immediately. 5 Jan 1923 M. J., also check 4 Feb 1937 M.J.

Hinton & Beard Home Bakery - Manassas, Va., 132 - 134 Battle Street, Bread, pastries, cakes, pies, of better kind, delicious birthday and wedding cakes. 1939 BYB

Hinton's Cafe - Manassas, Va., When you shop, Eat & Rest at Hinton’s Cafe, 134 Battle Street 19 Nov 1936 M. J.

Hinton’s Inn - Manassas, Va. formerly called Hinton’s Cafe, and Hinton’s Inn and Bakery in 1938 - Lunch Room at 134 Battle Street. The owner in 1941 was William C. Hinton on the certificate of ownership.
Hinton, H. M. - Minnieville, Va., listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a general store owner.

Hinton, Joe L. - Minnieville, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses as a common crier and in 1920 and 1925 as an undertaker.

Hinton’s Restaurant - Dumfries, Va., W. C. Hinton was owner & operator 5 Apr 1947 C.O.

Hite, Lewis F. - District #1, had a business license to be a non religious book agent in the county for the year 1884.

Hite, William F. - Gainesville, a retail merchant from 1876 to 1883 in the business licenses. He is also listed in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 Virginia business directories.

Hixson & Brawner - This Manassas business is listed as general merchandise in the 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1888-1889 and 1890-1891 business directories. The business was later owned by only George W. Hixson.

Hixson, C. E. - Manassas, Va., Stonewall Road, Tire Repairing. Prompt service and first class work is what you will receive. Now is the time to have your tires repaired. Bring your casings and tubes or mail them to the undersigned for examination, no tire will be repaired that will not give enough service to warrant the cost of repair. 2 Apr 1921 P.W. News

Hixson, Claude E. - Real Estate Company - Manassas, Va., Real Estate Broker, at People’s National Bank Building, phone 74, Real Estate, Investments, To buy or sell see the old established firm of Claude E. Hixson, 2 Jan 1948 M. M., In 1950 the business location was given as 104 N. Battle Street but by1960 it had moved to 120 N. Battle at corner of Church Street.

Hixson, George W. - Manassas, Va., Was a merchant from about 1875 to past 1900. He is listed as a undertaker and a coach and wagon maker at Manassas in the 1888-1889, 1890-1891, 1893-1894, 1897-1898, 1906 and 1911 Prince William County business directories. Listed as a blacksmith & wheelwright in the 1897-1898, 1906 and 1911 Virginia business directories. In the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 directories he had a lumber store. George W. Hixson is listed in the business licenses as a merchant from 1875 at least 1910, lumber merchant 1874 to 1878, private entertainment 1893 to at least 1912, retail tobacco 1892 and undertaker 1906-1910. George was one of the original Manassas town council members 1873-1888.

Hixson, George W. Mrs. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a boarding house owner.

Hixson, R. W. - Manassas, Va., Listed as a carpenter & builder in the 1897-1898 and 1906 Virginia business directories.

Hobart, H. C. - Manassas, Va., The Columbian Woodmen Insurance Company, The Columbian gives you the best and cheapest insurance of any kind that your money entitles you to, including death, accident, total disability and at the age of 70, just when you need it most it will mature and pay the full amount of your policy in ten equal installments. 1910

Hobbs, G. T. - Manassas, Va., in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith & wheelwright.

Hockman, E. E. - Manassas, Va., Next door to Wier’s on Center Street, sanitary plumbing & hot water heating - gasoline engine repair, pump and boiler work, all work promptly attended to and guaranteed, my prices reasonable. 11 Mar 1915 M. D.

Hodge, B. L. - Manassas, Va., Listed as an attorney in the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories.

Hodkin, Jas. B. - Manassas, Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a dentist.
Hoffman’s General Store and Saw Mill - Lansdown general merchant and saw mill operator in the 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 business directories. John Hoffman is listed as the owner.

Hoffman & Kline Hatchery - Custom hatching, chicks from pullorum tested flocks, 1943 BYB

Hollowell, T. F. - Manassas, VA, Jeweler & Watchmaker in 1888-1889 business directory.- Had a business license from 1885 to 1889. He is listed as Holloway in the business directory.

Holmes & Storke - Independent Hill, Va., a bar room listed in the business licenses 1896-1898.

Holmes, John H. - Listed in business records as having a store in the late 1830s. and early 1840s.

Holmes, M. C. - Voy, Va. (near) - had a license to be a merchant, operate a bar room or saloon, and ordinary in the 1890s.

Holmes, Thomas H. - Independent Hill, Va., Owner and operator of a bar room in the late 1890s. In 1898 he paid $100 license fee.

Holsinger, E. R. - Valley Roller Mills - Brentsville, Va., Our peerless flour is a peerless flour. It is warranted absolutely. No better flour can be made out of wheat grown in this section. No mills has any better machinery, there is none better made. We buy the best wheat and use every care to make Peerless flour what our customers say it is The Best Made. Our Corn Meal is the finest made because we buy the best corn obtainable and keep our meal clean. Highest Market Prices Paid for Grain 22 Nov 1901 M. J. - The 1906 Virginia business directory list the owner as J. S. Holsinger of Brentsville.

Holsinger, J. S. - Manassas, Va., in the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, Virginia business directories as a Land Agent. He is listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as the owner of a corn and flour mill at Brentsville.

Holsinger, R. W. - District #1, listed in the business license in the county as being a photographer in 1891.

Home Bakery - Manassas, Va., 134 S. Battle Street, Pies, Cakes, Bread, Special Orders for Birthday and Wedding Cakes. 19 May 1938 M. J.

Home Town Food Store - Manassas, Va., phone 165, Cash Trade, seed potatoes $1.15 bushel, ice cream - bricks, cones, plates, bulk, popsicles, coffee 21 cents a pound 9 Jun 1932 M. J.

Hooe, D. P. - Nokesville, Va., listed in the business licenses in 1908 as a butcher.

Hopkins Candy Company or The Hopkins Company- Manassas, Va., C. A. S. Hopkins, an Ohio native, began making soft candies in 1900 in a frame building on West Street. In 1909 the operation moved to a new three story brick building, designed by Albert Speiden. The company manufactured many kinds of confectionery, toys, cereal products, extracts, cakes, crackers and candy. C. A. S. Hopkins was president and C. M. Hopkins was secretary-treasurer, G. Raymond Ratcliff and Thomas Lion were directors 24 Jun 1907. - The following is from the Manassas Democrat 16 Dec 1909 - Wish to purchase the very nicest package of candy ever put on sale in the town of Manassas call at the Prince William Pharmacy and look over the line of Hopkins’ fine Xmas boxes and baskets of fine chocolates - also See the Sanborn Fire Insurance Company Maps for the location. The business licenses, show the company under the name of The Hopkins Company, operated from 1900 to at least 1915. They apparently sold out in 1916 to the Manassas Feed and Milling Company. The 1911 Virginia business directory list the business as a confectionery manufacturer. C. A. S. Hopkins was on the Manassas town council in 1890 and 1891.

Hornbaker and Ledman - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the business licenses 1907-1910 as a general merchant with a license to sell retail tobacco. Listed in the 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories as a druggist.

Hornbaker & Snook Saw Mill - Bristow, Listed as a saw and planing mill in the 1917 Virginia business directory.
Hornbaker Drug (J. W.) - Manassas Va., Dentist, wishes to inform the public that he is giving special attention to the preservation of the natural teeth, 5 Jun 1869 Manassas Weekly Gazette. - J. W. Hornbaker also operated a drug store and listed as a druggist in the business licenses from 1874 to 1879 and business directory 1877-1878 and 1880-1881.

Hornbaker, E. L. - a District #1 retail merchant in the 1890s.

Hornbaker, F. W. - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the business licenses and directories 1901-1917 as a physician,

Hornbaker, F. W. - Moving Pictures- Occoquan, in the 1920 and 1925 business records F. W. Hornbaker was operating and paid taxes on a movie theatre with 100 seats.

Hornbaker, John R. & Son - Manassas area general retail merchant and feed store 1885-1895 in business licenses. There is a J.R. Hornbaker listed in the 1888-1889 & 1897-1898 business directories as having a corn, flour, and saw mill at Bristow, Va. In 1906 he is no longer listed as operated the saw mill. Also listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, Virginia business directories as Hay, Grain, and Feed Merchant.

Hornbaker, G. B. - District #2, listed in the business licenses as a daguerrean artist 14 Aug 1882 BL

Horn, Heflin - Gainesville, Va., Listed in the Prince William business licenses as a merchant 1 May 1925.

Horn, William G. - Woodbridge, Va., Horton’s Store, C Leary’s Lot, Occoquan, location is listed as all four in the yearly business licenses. He paid taxes for a bar room and from 1884 to 1896 and had a retail merchant and tobacco license 1884.

Horseshoe Restaurant - Manassas, VA., 134 S. Battle Street, Every dish prepared and served to perfection. Every Friday night all you can eat shrimp feast $1.25. 1950s

Horton, C. M. - General Store - Bristow, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Horton, M. W. - Horton’s Store, Coles Township, Listed as having a ordinary in the 1873 and 1874 business licenses. In the 1877-1878, 1880-1881 and 1884-1885 business directories he was listed as a general merchant. and in the 1888-1889 and 1890-1891 business licenses as having a distillery.

Hoskins Furniture Store - Gainesville, Va. - second hand furniture business, Rex F. Hoskins the owner 19 Oct 1949 C.O.

Hoss Television Service - Manassas, Va., 105 N. Grant Ave. No better service at any price, one day service, shop hours 8 A.M. to 12 noon, work fully guaranteed, 13 Sep 1956 M. J., Frank A. Hoss was the owner 8 Sep 1950 C.O. In 1850 the business was at 111 South Main Street and by1960 had moved to 413 Prince William Street, Manassas

Hotchkiss, Isaac N. - Dumfries, Va., had a license to sell retail tin and pewter 11 Nov 1815 BL

Hotel Alton - Occoquan, Va., “Just the place to spend a summer’s outing.” Beautiful scenery and bass fishing at the Falls. Passengers sent to or met at any point on short notice. L. Ledman, Jr. the manager - source 1905 letterhead

Hotel Drusilla - Triangle, Va., 250 yards east of route#1, rooms and apartments, hot and cold water, steam heat, reasonable prices, - Mrs. D. M. Soutter, proprietor, 1941

Hotel Maine - Manassas, Va., Annie Davis operated the Bar room at the hotel in 1899

Hotel Victor - Manassas, Va., W. S. Allensworth, prop., rates $2.00 per day, sample room for commercial men, near southern depot, 9 Dec 1909 M. J.
Hottenstein, D. J. - Was shown in the business licenses of 1899 as a retail merchant.

Hottel, William - General Store, Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Hottle & Kline - Manassas, Va., Marble Memorials, Monuments, mark every grave 21 Mar 1940 M. J. - Orrin M. Kline purchased half interest in the business in January 1939. The owners were M. J. Hottle and O. M. Kline in 1941. On the new certificate of ownership 22 Sep 1947 the sole owner was Orrin M. Kline.

Hottle, M. J. - Manassas, Va., for marble, granite and all kinds of cemetery work call M. J. Hottle of 09 Dec 1909 M.J. - Listed as a marble worker in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Houchens, L. R. & Co. - Manassas, VA, Main Street, Stoves! Stoves! All Sizes and Styles, Stoves, Ranges & Furnaces for wood or coal. We respectfully invite all persons desiring to purchase in our line of business to give us a call and save themselves the trouble and expense of going to the city. We have a large stock on hand. 17 Oct 1885 M. G., Alonzo Houchins and L. R. & Company are both listed under the heading of Stoves, Tin ware, and Sheet Iron Workers in Chataigne’s Virginia business directory. Listed in the business licenses from 1881 to 1885 as a retail merchant. In 1886 he was operating a boarding house in Manassas.


Hough, Dr. L. F. - Manassas, Va., Dentist - office in M. I. C. building, , Anesthetics administered for painless extraction of teeth, 5 Jan 1917 M. J. - He is listed in the Virginia business licenses until at least 1 May 1925

House, F. S. & Company - see House & Company


House & Company General Store - Greenwich, Va., Daniel W. House proprietor, general merchandise store in the 1888-1889, 1897-1898 and 1906 business directories. He is also listed in the business licenses as a merchant from 1884 to at least 1899. In 1908 the store is listed as F.S. House and Company at Greenwich.

Howard House Hotel - Manassas, Va., In the 1906 Virginia business directory it is known as The Howard House Hotel and the proprietor as J. R. Morris. The following is from the Manassas Journal - J. R. Flaherty proprietor is now open for the accommodation of guests and the traveling public. The bar is stocked with the finest liquors, wines, cigars, tobacco, bottled & draught beer from wood, 22 Jun 1906 M. J.

Howard’s Place - Triangle, Va., pool room & restaurant on route #1, W. H. Mountjoy was the owner and operator 24 Feb 1941 C.O.

Howe, Edward D. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses as having one automobile for hire.

Howell, John C. General Store - Thoroughfare, Va., operator of a corn, flour, saw and planing mill in the 1888-1889, 1890-1891,1893-1894 business directories. Listed in the county business licenses as a general store with a tobacco license 1907-1911.

Howell, S. B. - Independent Hill, Va., Listed as a saddler in the 1880-1881 and a general merchant in the 1884-1885 business directories. The 1906 Virginia business directory has him as a Manassas insurance agent.

Hubbard & Swan - Independent Hill, Va., - Lumber dealers in the 1906 business directory.
Huber, Joseph - Paid a $15 business license fee to sell foreign merchandise 30 Apr 1808 BL

Huber Ordinary - On list of county ordinaries in 1810. George Huber is listed in the business licenses from 1807 to 1810 as having an ordinary license and selling foreign merchandise.

Huffman’s Hatchery - Manassas, Va., Nokesville Road, get your baby chicks here, baby chicks from blood tested flocks 1951 YP

Hughes, B. F. Meat Market - Manassas, Va., Was a butcher in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory. In the business licenses from 1891 to at least 1907. Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory.


Hulfish & Clarkson General Store - Haymarket Va. - Selected Teas & Coffee for your own daily use or for special occasions, Telephone orders given prompt attention 18 Jan 1917 M. J. The business started about 1890 and ended around April 1921.

Hulfish & Clarkson Mill - Haymarket, Va., Listed as a corn and flour mill in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Hulfish & Smith - Gainesville, Va., merchants and ordinary owners from about 1874 to about 1880

Hulfish Brothers General Store - Gainesville R.F.D., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Hulfish, George A. - Haymarket, VA., Merchant from about 1870 to past 1900. In the 1870’s he operated a Bar Room in Haymarket. I find no mention of the bar after 1880 even though he is listed as a merchant he no longer purchased a liquor license. In the late 1880s he was listed as a druggist in the business records as well as having a license to sell tobacco products. He is listed as a Haymarket hotel owner, general merchant, and retail liquor business in the 1877-1878, and 1880-1881,1884,1885 Virginia business directories. He is only listed as a general merchant in the 1890-1891,1893-1894, directory in 1897-1898 he was a general merchant and wool dealer at Haymarket. The 1893-1894 business directory list him as a fertilizer manufacturer or agent. George was an agent for New Home Sewing Machine Company of Orange Mass. and is listed in volume #1 of Sewing Machine Companies of 1884-1891.

Hulfish, Lawrence - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a livery stable operator.

Hulfish, Mary V. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the business licenses as the operator of a house of private entertainment. 1908-1910.

Hulfish, Ruth Miss - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as operating a boarding house and hotel. In the 1920 business licenses she is listed as operating a house of private entertainment with 5 rooms.

Hungry Cafe - Quantico, Va., 324 Potomac Ave., Fred E. Ramsey was the owner 31 Jan 1941 C.O.

Hunter, G. W. General Store - Occoquan, Va., in business licenses and business directories as a merchant from 1891 to at least 1917 BL, BD

Hunton & Company - Gainesville, Va., A retail merchants in the 1870’s

Hunton, Charles H. - Listed in the business licenses records as a retail merchant from 1838 to 1861, the owner of a house of private entertainment in 1834 and a ordinary owner 1861. BL

Hunton, Charles L. And Company - Manassas, Va., had a retail merchant and tobacco license 1875-1899. He also had a stallion license.
Hunton, Eppa - Brentsville, Va., Attorney. Listed in the 1852 Virginia directory and business Register. He paid a license tax to be a lawyer in Prince William County from 1852 until the start of the Civil War. BL. He is also listed in 1852 as the Circuit Court attorney with the court being held the first Monday of each month with quarterly terms in March, June, August, and November.

Hunton, George - a physician in the business records from 1856 to at least 1882. BL, BR,

Hunton, James W. - Buckland, Va., general retail merchant in 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, business directories. Listed in the business licenses from 1886 to 1893.

Hunton Ordinary - In the 1810 list of ordinaries. A license for an ordinary 5 Sep 1808 for James Hunton & Son.

Hunton, J. T. - District #1, Lawyer in the 1896 business licenses.

Hunton, M. G. - Haymarket, Va. paid a merchant business tax of $21.79 on 1 May 1925 BL

Hunton, O. C. & Sons Livery Stable - Haymarket, Va., Listed as a live stock dealer in the 1917 Virginia business directory. O. C. Hutchison was the successor to A. B. Janney & Company at Waverly Mills.

Hunton, R. H. - District #1, had a retail merchant license 1852 and 1853.

Hunton, T. And Company - Gainesville, Va., Listed as a retail merchant in 1875.

Hunton, Tiffany - Manassas, Va., 106 N. Main Street, phone 398, INSURANCE, 1951YP

Hurst’s Broadview Farm Dairy - Manassas, Va., on the 1941 certificate of ownership Truman R. Hurst, Elmer P. Hurst and Earl W. Hurst are listed as the owners and the business of a dairy farm selling dairy products at wholesale and retail at Manassas. The following is from a 11 Apr 1947 M. M. advertisement - Milk, Cream, Eggs, Cottage Cheese, - All Cows TB and Bangs tested.

Hutchison and Gallaher - District #1, a retail merchant with a tobacco license from 1894 to 1897. BL

Hutchison and Sanders - Listed as retail merchants in the 1895 business licenses

Hutchison, A. J. - Listed as a fertilizer agent in the 1882 business licenses.

Hutchison, J. T. - District #1, Lawyer in the 1896 business licenses.

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Hutchison, Robert A. - Manassas, Va., Attorney At Law and Notary Public - Main Street, 9 Dec 1909 M. J., Mr. Hutchison was also an agent for Mutual Fire Insurance Company, see 2 Apr 1921 Prince William News. He is listed in the business licenses and directories from 1897 to at least 1925 as a lawyer. BR, BD, BL

Hutchison, Wilmer W. Insurance Agency - Manassas, Va., 134 E. Center Street, Phone 84, Real Savings for car owners, “You don’t have to trade your insurance when you trade your car.” Because of economical operations the Farm Bureau Automobile Insurance Company is permitted to offer you rates of 25 per cent under established rates for like coverage 14 Mar 1947 M. M. The business location in 1951 was at 134 E. Center Street and in 1960 at 216 E. Center Street

Hynson & Company - Manassas VA, General Mercantile business., W. L. Douglas is the best $3.00 dollar shoe fit for a king. $5 cordovan,$3.50 fine calf and kangaroo, $2.50 workingmen’s, extra fine boys school shoes $1.75, over one million people wear the W. L. Douglas $3 & $4 shoes. 28 Feb 1896 M.G. , The Company is listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a coach and wagon builder. On the certificate of ownership in 1941 R. S. Hynson is listed as owner. The ownership transferred on 25 Sep 1945 to Estelle G. Hynson.

Hynson & Bradford Radio Store - Manassas Va. - We have a nice line of the famous Crosley outfits. One tube outfit $14.50, two tube outfit $18.50, four tube outfit $55.00, don’t wait order now, 18 Sep 1924 M. J. Listed in the 1925 business licenses and paying a tax of $53.40. In 1941 the owners are listed as F. R. Hynson & J. E. Bradford. C.O.

Hynson, C. L. & Company General Store - Manassas, Va., corner of Main and Centre Streets, dealer in general merchandise, Muzzle Loading Shot Guns. We also have extensive collection of Buggies and Carriages at Poplar Prices. 17 Oct 1885 M.G. C. L. Hynson was listed as a coach and wagon maker in the 1888-1889, 1893-1894, Prince William business directory, and a general merchant in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1890-1891, 1893-1894, 1897-1898 directories. Charles L. Hynson started his general merchandise business in 1866 and was still listed in the records in 1910. Charles was also on the Manassas town council from 1874 to 1883.

Hynson Department Store - Manassas, Va., The same store as the above C. L. Hynson & Co. was established in 1866 by Charles Lemuel Hynson who was a native of Richmond County Va. Charles Hynson came to Manassas just after the Civil War to start the business. He owned and operated the store until his death when the business was passed down to his son Richard Stewart Hynson. The two story brick building had a complete line of Ladies and Gentlemen’s ready to wear clothes. The following is from a 1909 newspaper. “The quality shop Manassas, Virginia. Men’s neckties 25 cents, the equal to 50 cent ties found in any other store in the county. 15 cent ladies’ handkerchiefs or 3 for 25 cents. There are 100 dozen in the lot and while we say 15 cent handkerchiefs, more than half of them are worth 25 cents each. 09 Dec 1909 M. J.” The store in the 1920’s employed five people besides Mr. Hynson and was at 102 Centre Street, Manassas. On the 1 Mar 1949 certificate of ownership John L. Hynson is listed as the sole owner.

Hynson Electric & Supply Company - Manassas, Va., 120 Battle Street. Water Systems and Pumps, Frigidaire, bottled gas, gas ranges, heating systems, gas heaters, radios, water heaters, washers, plumbing fixtures. Now low prices on deep well pumping outfit. Plumbing and heating at reasonable rates. 21 Apr 1938 M. J. - F. R. Hynson, J. E. Bradford and A. B. Compton were the owners in 1941. The building was also known as HESCO

Hynson, F. R. - Plaza Garage - Manassas, Va., Corner of Center & West Streets, when better automobiles are built Buick will build them. 5 Jan 1923 M. J.

Hynson, F. W. - a retail merchant from 1892 to 1896 and on the Manassas town council from 1885 to 1893.

Hynson, R. S. & Company - Manassas, Listed in the 1920 business licenses. Was on the Manassas town council in 1902 and 1903. He was also listed as a co-owner of Hynson and Company in 1906 along with C. L. Hynson.

Hynson, W. H. - operated a ordinary in the Gainesville area in the 1870’s. BL

Iden & Ashton - Manassas, Va., - Druggists - Complete stock of drugs, paints, oils, dyes, fancy and toilet articles, sponges, brushes and perfumery, orders filled with care and dispatch. H. Iden & Horace Ashton, Centre Street, 17 Oct 1885 M.G. - The company paid a business licenses and is listed in volume #1 of sewing machine companies 1884-1891, as an agent of the Davis Sewing Machine Company of Watertown NY 13 May 1886.

Iden, B. F. - Was a Manassas physician from about 1874 to past 1913, he also took over the drug store of Iden & Ashton and owned it until the mid. 1890’s. He was born 24 Oct 1844 Warren County VA. BL, Listed as

Iden, John - Manassas, Physician, office was on the old Buckhall road in 1950.

Idylwilde Seminary - Gainesville, Va., Academy or school, was listed in the 1888-1889 Prince William directory.

Idylwild Tourist Home - Dumfries, Va., The owners and operators were Vanetta M. Cato 3 Feb 1941 C.O.

Indestructible Car Company - Brentsville, Va., A company to build and sell railway cars, machinery, and implements. Charles E. Nicol one of the owners and a director.

Ish, John A. - Paid a $10.00 fee for a physician license 27 Jun 1874. BL

Ish, Milton A. - Neabsco Mills, Va., a Prince William County physician from 1870 to 1884 in the business licenses and listed in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1888-1889, and 1890-1891, business directories.

J & J Garage - Woodbridge, Va., a gas station & garage, John E. Alvey was the owner 25 Apr 1949 C.O. On 8 Feb 1952 Thomas W. Alvey is listed as an owner with John E. Alvey.

Jack’s Restaurant - Quantico, Va., 305 Potomac Ave., restaurant and retail merchant, Kloman J. Garrison was the owner 28 Apr 1947 C.O.

Jack’s Garage - Dumfries, Va., at Porters Inn, George E. Jackson was the owner and operator 27 Sep 1946 C.O.

Jackson, George - Hickory Grove, Va., In Chataigne’s 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories under Iron Founders and Machinists.

Jackson Ordinary - John Jackson paid for a license to operate an ordinary 1806, 1808, 1809, 1810 and 1811. In 1807 George Jackson paid the tax. The business is on the list of 1810 ordinaries.

Jake’s Place - Dumfries, Va., general merchandise, J. W. Merchant, owner and operator 11 Jan 1947 C.O.

Jamison, George M. - The folks at home would appreciate your photograph as a Christmas remembrance. No gift could be more appropriate. Our work is of the highest type of art in photography. We also do portraits, views, and do amateur finishing. 9 Dec 1909 M. J. - Listed as a photographer in the 1911 Virginia business directory.

Jamison, William Lipscomb - Physician, Manassas, Va., born 21 Dec 191_ Washington DC, 31 Dec 1943 BL

Janney & Son Store - Occoquan, Va., Had a business license starting in 1894 and continuing past 1900. In the early 1900s Tyson Janney had a retail merchandise license at Occoquan. BL, BD

Janney, Edith Mrs. - Hoadley, Va., Listed as a retail merchant 1883-1892 in the business licenses and listed under the heading, fertilizer manufacturers and agents in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 business directory.


Janney, Joseph T. - Occoquan, Va., was listed a general merchant in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 business directories.

Janney, Samuel - a merchant’s license in 1838 and 1839
Janney’s Mill - Occoquan, Listed in the 1877-1878 and 1890-1891 Virginia business directories. S. J. Janney was the owner in 1877-1878 business directory and Mrs. J. H. Janney in 1890-1891 and 1893-1894. Tyson Janney was given as the owner in the 1906 directory and 1905 letterhead.

Janney, Tyson - General Store & Mill - Occoquan, Va., Tyson Janney was the successor to Janney & brother. Dealer in all kinds of Mill Feed, Corn Meal, Hay, Fertilizers, Farming Implements and General Merchandise. Perfection, satisfaction and other brands of Choice Roller Flour. Listed in the 1906, 1911 & 1917 Virginia business directory as the owner of a corn and flour mill and retail merchant.

Jardine, B. H. - District #1, retail liquor license 1 Nov 1875 BL

Jardine, Edward - Haymarket, Va., A retail merchant in the 1870s and 1880s in the business licenses. He is listed as a general merchant in the 1877-1878 business directory.

Jardine, Jane Mrs. - Occoquan, Va., Is listed as a general merchant in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1888-1889 and 1890-1891 business directories.

Jasper, Daniel - Brentsville, Va., in the 1852 Virginia directory and business Register as a Brentsville attorney. Paid a business license tax for a lawyer 3 Jun 1852. This seems to be the only year the tax was paid.

Javins & Company - district #1 butcher license in 1898

Javins, Sarah A. - Cabin Branch, selling general merchandise in 1907

Jeffries, Benjamin T. General Store - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1908-1910s business licenses as a merchant with a license to sell tobacco,. In the 1911 business directory as the owner of a general store.

Jelleffs - Quantico, Va., Apartment one of the Paris building. Colors Gay as a Charleston Garden, Gold Stripe Silk Stockings and Barbizon Slips, Tailored Blouses for the spring suit you’re sure to have! Convertible V-neck styles- all short sleeved. 1936 QS

Jenkins & Jenkins Ladies Store - Manassas Va., The Ladies Store, Fur trimmed coats, pretty dresses, materials for blouses, dresses and coats, underthings for fastidious women 20 Nov 1924 M. J. Jenkins and Jenkins was one of the best known and finest stores in Manassas carrying the most complete line of ladies clothes in the area. The Jenkins brothers were both born in Virginia, perhaps Madison County. Mr. Reuben Milton Jenkins opened and started the store before the arrival of his brother A. H. Jenkins who in 1922 also owned a shoe store in Newport News, Virginia. They apparently became partners 4 Sep 1922 when the certificate of ownership was signed by both. A sheriff’s sale was held May 12 -16, 1939 to sell the entire stock.

Jerry’s Inn - Triangle, Va., Route #1, owned and operated by Landon Tuell of Cherry Hill, Va. - When they applied for a beer license in 1939 the owner was Gladys M. Porter.

Jim & Pete’s Sales & Service - Manassas, Va., 214 E. Center Street, Television, Automatic Washers, Refrigerators, for these repairs you can’t beat us. EM8-6488 uses it for fast efficient repair service. 4 Apr 1959 M. J. James E. McCormack and Melvin Slucher were listed as the owners 28 Sep 1953 C.O.

Jim’s Service Station - Woodbridge, Va., James E. Burbage was the owner 25 Jan 1954 C.O.

Jimmy’s Diner - Triangle, Va., James M. Williams was the owner and proprietor 17 Nov 1951 C.O.

Jo - Del Grill - Manassas, Va., 134 So. Battle Street, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Booth announce the opening of Jo Del Grill, Full Courses and Plate Dinning, Italian Spaghetti & French Fries, Southern Fried Chicken 1947 M. M., the second ad is from 24 Feb 1948 M. M. - Enjoy Television Programs, Music, News, Sports, Current Events, every afternoon and evening on our big picture. United States Television Screen. Watch while you
lunch, dine or partake of other refreshments. The Grill was sold to A. R. Cullen about a year after the opening. On 6 Nov 1948 he is listed on the cert. of ownership.

**Joe’s Barber Shop** - Manassas Va., Barber Shop opposite Pitts Theatre, for ladies and gentlemen specializing in hair cutting, 50 cents, skin treatment for blackheads, pimples, and open pores. 8 Apr 1943 M. J.

**Joe’s Motor Company** - Manassas, Va., Used Cars, 930 Centreville Road, 1950s

**Joe’s Town & Country Barber Shop** - Manassas, Va., 117 S. Main Street, 1950s

**John Marshall Pharmacy** - Haymarket, Va., Edward P. Beverly Jr. is listed as the owner on the 1941 certificate of ownership.

**John’s Shoe Store** - Manassas, Va., 332 Center Street, Expert Shoe Repair, “You can’t learn with wet feet, protect your children” 28 Dec 1948 M. M.

**Johnson, A. H.** - Gainesville District, was a Prince William County supervisor in 1870 and 1871.

**Johnson, Buck** - had an ordinary license 5 Sep 1808. BL

**Johnson, C. R. C. - Piedmont Farm Seed Co.** - Manassas, Va./Gainesville, clover and grass seed, we are prepared to offer the farmers of Prince William County red clover. We guarantee to give you the best seed at the lowest price. 11 Mar 1915 M.D. - C. R. C. Johnson is listed as a druggist in the 1917 Virginia business directory and a retail merchant 1 May 1925 in the business licenses.

**Johnson, David** - had a business license to operate an ordinary 1822-1825.

**Johnson, Dr. R. T.** - Manassas, VA, Dentist, office at Battle and Quarry Street,

**Johnson, E. E.** - District #1, had a business license for a boarding house 1886.

**Johnson, John** - District #1, a butcher in the business licenses 1898-1899.

**Johnson, John Shoe Shop** - Manassas, VA. Boots and Shoes made to order, first class repairing, prices reasonable, Center Street, 9 Dec 1909 M. J., Kangaroo & Dongola Kid Boots and Shoes made to order and repair work done at popular prices. 22 Sep 1910 MD - Listed in the 1906, 1911 Virginia business directories as a shoemaker.

**Johnson, John F.** - above the Occoquan, paid a tax for an ordinary 1855.

**Johnson, Martha Miss Millinery Shop** - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

**Johnson, Mary** - paid a tax for an ordinary from 1806 to 1811.

**Johnson, N. C.** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1909 county business license as a druggist with a tobacco license.


**Johnson Studios** - Manassas, Va., 332 Center Street, Photo’s while you wait, next to John’s Shoe Store, 12 Nov 1948 M. M.

**Johnson’s Saw Mill** - Limstrong, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a saw mill.

**Jonas Bar Room** - Nokesville, Va., H. J. Jonas operated the bar room in from about 1885 - 1890.
Jonas Millinery - Nokesville, Va., operated by Mrs. H. J. Jonas, in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894, and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories. Bettie Jonas had a millinery license from 1887 to past 1900.

Jones, Alex - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as operating a house of private entertainment with 4 beds.

Jones, Dr. Benjamin O. - Manassas, Va., Dentist, 15 Dec 1905 M. J.

Jones, G. A. - Dumfries, Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Jones, George B. - District #1, listed as a book agent in the 1876 business license. BL.

Jones, J. W. General Store and Livery Stable - Limstrong, Va., retail merchant starting in 1891 and was still paying for a business license in 1917. J. W. Jones had a livery stable at Limstrong in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Jones Motors Company - Manassas, Va., 338 Center Street, Auto Sales & Service, Chrysler and Plymouth general repairs, Goodyear tires, gas, oil and Delco batteries, expert service, Hurnell Riggins Jones, owner, 1941 M.T.D. and C.O. - An ad in the 15 Dec 1938 Manassas Journal list the following used cars for sale - Chrysler and Plymouth Cars and International Trucks, 1936 Chevrolet Sedan, 1936 Chevrolet Coupe, 1937 Ford Coupe, and a 1933 Ford Coupe, other used cars at give a way prices.

Jones’ Saw Mill - Limstrong, Va., Listed as a 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a saw mill owner.

Jordan and Dunbar Millinery Shop - District #1, the millinery shop is listed in the business licenses dated 2 May 1898 and Virginia directories.

Jordan & Jordan General Store - Haymarket Va., A general merchandise business selling grain, hay, and provisions of all kinds of farming implements, fertilizers, etc. - “You will find a full stock of dry goods, notions, millinery, hardware, shoes and clothing. Our new stock of millinery has just arrived and is now on display. A good assortment of Hats and Trimmings at moderate prices. Other spring goods are arriving daily, such as gingham, percales, white goods, etc.” 18 Mar 1906 M. J. - The store opened before 1900 and was in operation in 1920. The owners in 1912 were C. E. Jordan, R. H. Jordan, and W. M. Jordan.

Jordan & Thomas Restaurant - Manassas, Va., Main Street, Restaurant, meals at all hours, short orders, soda water, cigars and tobacco 20 Apr 1911 M. D. - The business is first listed in the 1909 business license.

Jordan, Benoni H. - Gainesville, Va., merchant in the 1870s, Listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 Virginia business directory as a millwright.

Jordan, Charles E. & Company - Haymarket, Va., Is listed as a general merchant and wool dealer in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory and a fertilizer agent in the 1893-1894 directory. Had a retail merchant’s license from 1874 to 1900. The business also listed as C. E. Jordan, C. E. Jordan and Brother, C. E. Jordan & Company, and Jordan & Jordan.

Jordan, James W. - retail merchant from 1849 to 1861. In 1861 the business was called James W. Jordan and Son.

Jordan, Mary A. & Son - Haymarket, Va., millinery business license from about 1884 to the 1890s. - In the 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, business directory Mary is listed as a general merchant at Independent Hill.

Jordan, Thomas - Manassas, VA, 301 South Main Street, Farmers Exchange Building, Let us do your cleaning, pressing, repairing, dyeing, satisfaction guaranteed. 25 Oct 1928 MJ., the next ad is from 19 Mar 1948 M. M. - Hats cleaned and blocked, first class work at South Main and South Streets, one block across the railroad tracks at Manassas.

Jordan, W. W. & Son - Beverly Roller Mills - Broad Run, Va., “Rising Sun” Straight Fancy Flour, Reliable extra dolted family meal, white and brown middlings, bran and chop, custom grinding and satisfaction guaranteed, give us a trial, 21 May 1897 M.J., W. W. Jordan is listed as a millwright in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Judik, J. O. Livery Stable - Manassas, Livery Stables, Horses, Carriages, Harness, Wagons, Etc., Livery sales and exchange stables, newly equipped throughout, personal attention paid to all orders, Heavy hauling a specialty, boarding by day or week or month 1914 M.D.

Jules Grill - Quantico, Va., 209 Potomac Ave., Julia I. Humphrey the owner and operator 18 Aug 1949 C. O.

June’s Beauty Shop - Manassas, Va., 307 W. Church Street, 1950s

Justice Furniture Shop - Thomas Justice was the owner 13 Oct 1953 C.O.

Justice, Margaret L. - Insurance - Manassas, Va., 114 N. Battle Street, All kinds of insurance including Residential, Commercial and Industrial, 1950s

Justice, Thomas L. - Real Estate - Manassas, Va., 122 N. Grant Ave., we specialize in Homes, Farms, Acreage, Commercial, Industrial development. 1950s

Kahanty Brother Pool Hall - Quantico, Va. Listed in the 1925 business licenses paying $68.75 fee to operate 10 tables.

Kankey Ordinary - Zebulon Kankey had a business license for an ordinary starting in 1813 and operating until 1825 when the business turned into a house of private entertainment. In 1843 Zebulon again purchased an ordinary license for one year. This is the last record of the ordinary or house of private entertainment. In 1861 Zebulon opened a retail store.

Katcham, Jason - Was a Manassas cattle dealer in the 1870s

Kats Friendly Restaurant - Yorkshire, Va., 1240 Centreville Road, 1950s

Kearnes & Son Gulf Service - 601 Centreville Road, Manassas, 1950s

Kearnes Brothers Auto Repair - Nokesville, Va., Also known as the Nokesville Motor Company. On 4 Oct 1945 Beverly L. Kearnes and Hasel Kearnes obtained a certificate of ownership for Nokesville Motors. The following is from the 3 Jan 1947 M. M. – Kearnes Brothers general auto repair, body and fender work repairs and painting at Nokesville Va.

Keeney, George - Woodbridge, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses, paying a $25.00 fee for an eating house.


Kelley, E. T. & Sons - Quantico, Va., retail coal dealer, Roy Morgan Kelley and Ernest Tyrus Kelley were the owners 6 Feb 1941 C.O.

Kelly & Moore Construction Company - General Contractors, specified block laying and painting 21 Feb 1947 M. M.

Kelly, C. R. - Manassas Va., The store you will eventually like. Come in and be convinced. Raisins 12 cents a box, loose coffee 17 cents, large jar peanut butter 25 cents 18 Jan 1917 M. J.
Kendall, John - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as operating a house of private entertainment with 3 beds.

Kerfoot, H. D. - Buckland, Va., physician license in the 1870s business licenses and 1877-1878 business directory.

Kerlin, John P. - Nokesville, Va., Auctioneer, offering his services to the people of Prince William County and Fauquier, send me a copy of your sale bill with my name on same as auctioneer. If you desire my services I will provide prompt on hand service. 26 Dec 1910 M. J. - He is first listed in the business licenses of 1909 and was still paying license fees in the 1920s.

Kerlin, J. P. and W. O. Estes - Manassas, Va., and Nokesville Va., Auctioneers and Criers, If you are contemplating a sale of any sort, you would do well to consult them concerning Prince William County. See us for speed, efficiency, and high class returns. 10 Sep 1936 M. J.

Kerlin, J. P. and W. B. - Auctioneers and Criers - Nokesville, Va., They had a business license dated 18 Jul 1925.

Kerlin, William B. - Tinsmith - Nokesville, Va., Tinning & General Repair Work, Galvanized Roofing a specialty, 1933 BYB, 1951 YP


Keyes, John F. - Dumfries, Va., had a bar room license 1 Dec 1885 paying $32.50 license tax for the year.

Keyes, William H. - had a ordinary license in 1849.

Keys, A. J. - Listed as a retail merchant in the 1849 business licenses.


Keys, Charles E. - District #1, listed as a merchant 1855-1870

Keys, E. R. - a district #1 photographer 1896-1899.

Keys, F. L. - Nokesville, Va., was running an ordinary at the Bettis House in 1899

Keys, Henry A. - Independent Hill, Va., A canvasser in the 1873 business license and a general merchant with a liquor license in the 1880-1881 business directory. This was probably an ordinary but not listed in the records.

Keys, Isaiah - Manassas, operated a confectionery in Manassas from 1874-1877, a bar room/ordinary and boarding house from 1874 - 1884 in the business licenses. In the 1877-1878 business directory he was a confectioner. The directory in 1880-1881 lists the business as a boarding house and saloon.

Keyse, J. M. - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a coach and wagon builder.

Keys, J. M. Jr. Grocery and Service Station - Manassas, Va., I have leased the new filling station from Mr. E. G. Parrish, one and a half miles south of Manassas on route 234, and will be open for business Saturday June 24, I will handle Cities Service Gas and a complete line of Cities service oils, Kool motor a perfect Pennsylvania oil, 30 cents a quart, Cities service oil 20 cents a quart, Blue Club Oil 10 cents a quart,
Kerosene 11 cents a gallon. I will also handle a good line of groceries at reasonable prices 22 Jun 1939 M.J.

**Keys, John L. Distillery** - Independent Hill, Va., John Keys was listed as a distiller in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directory. He also had a business license for a small brandy still in 1890s and early 1900s.

**Keys, L. R. General Store** - Token, Va., and Listed in the business licenses as a general merchant with a tobacco license 1907. In the 1911 business directory the location is given as Canova, Va.

**Keys, M. J.** - Dumfries, Va. Listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1906, 1911 and 1917, business directories.

**Keys, Minnie Miss** - Myron, Va. (Cherry Hill) Listed as a school and music teacher in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

**Keys New Hotel** - Manassas, Va., I take this opportunity to inform my patrons and the public that having just completed a new and commodious hotel, 2 May 1878 MJ

**Keys, R. H. General Store** - Brentsville, Va. operated a bar room in Brentsville called the Keys House in the 1890s BL. He also had a merchant’s business license in the county until at least 1925 BL, BR, BD

**Keys Tourist Home** - Dumfries, Va., route #1, Myrtle Virginia Keys was the owner and operator 31 Jan 1941 C.O.

**Keys, Walter** - listed as a merchant and ordinary owner from 1839 to 1855.

**Keys, William H.** - Dumfries, Va., listed as a merchant, ordinary owner and owner of a house of private entertainment, from 1839 until the start of the Civil War. BL, BR, BD

**Keziah’s Barber Shop** - Manassas, Va., “Stop look and listen you are next at Keziah’s Barber Shop, 1946 OYB

**Kibler, F. J.** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a general merchant.

**Kibler, J. Luther** - Manassas, Va., Life Insurance, Appalachian Life Insurance Company, Liberal premium and cash dividend. 28 Sep 1911 M. D. - A James Kibler is listed in the business license in 1911 as a land agent.

**Kidwell, John W.** - Greenwich, Va., Listed in the 1906, 1911 and 1917, Virginia business directories as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

**Kidwell, W. A.** - Hoadley, Va., Listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1906 business directory.

**Kiewit Distillery** - Independent Hill, went out of business because of prohibition, the two story building was across from what is now Samsky’s Market and burned in the early 1990s. source, John Samsky

**Kiewit, James** - Nokesville Distillery - For the next thirty days I will sell 100 proof pure and over six months old whiskey at $1.50 per gallon. No discounts on larger quantities; no fractions of gals. sold at this price. To those who want to know the why and wherefore I want to tell in confidence I need the cash. 28 Feb 1896 M.G.

**Kiewit, James - Nokesville Saloon** - Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory. - operated the Bettis House that was listed as a bar room or ordinary in the 1890s.

**Kinchenloe & Conner** - Operated a Ordinary in Manassas 1874 - 1876 B. L.

**Kinchenloe & Davis** - had a retail merchant business license in 1878. BL
Kincheloe & Gaines - operated an ordinary above the Occoquan in the 1850s.

Kincheloe & Lynn - Coles District, had an ordinary license 1873 and 1874.

Kincheloe, D. E. General Store - Buckhall, Va., listed in the 1908-1910 county business licenses as a general merchant with a license to sell retail tobacco. He is also listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright and the 1920 business licenses as an owner of a general store.

Kincheloe, J. Carl - Birmingham Dairy Grade a raw or pasteurized milk delivered to your door or distributed by Conner & Kincheloe, Sanitary Grocery or Marvin Simpson. 19 May 1938 M. J.

Kincheloe General Store - Myron, Va./ Cherry Hill, Va., Listed in the 1911 and 1917 business directories. J. E. Kincheloe 1911 and G. R. Kincheloe 1917 were listed as owners.

Kincheloe, Ralph - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a contractor and builder.

Kincheloe, V. F. - Cherry Hill, Va., Listed as a Cherry Hill retail merchant in the business licenses for 1907

Kincheloe, W. B. And Fannie - Manassas, Va., Drug Store, Mrs. W. B. Kincheloe (Fannie) has determined to continue the drug business at her store on Centre Street, Manassas. Drugs, Medicine, Chemicals, oils, and paints, Fancy and toilet articles 23 Apr 1878 M.G., store was open and operated by her husband in 1875, Mrs Kincheloe was operating the store and listed as a druggist in the 1884-1888 business directories. William B. and Fannie both are listed as buying a merchant and druggist license. William bought the license from 1875 to 1877 including a license to sell sewing machines in 1874. Fannie is listed in the business licenses from 1878 to 1882.

Kincheloe, W. W. - Brentsville, Va., Bar Room owner from 1872 -1886 BL., Is listed as a general merchant in the 1880-1881,1884-1885, 1890-1891,1893-1894, and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories. In the late 1870s he had a general retail business in both Manassas and Brentsville at the same time.

King & Bailey - Potomac City, Va., Listed in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 Virginia business directories as general merchants.

King and Clark - District #1, Listed in the business licenses 1 May 1870. The nature of the business was not given. BL.

King & Lynn - operator’s of an ordinary at the start of the Civil War.

King, C. S. Ordinary - had an Ordinary at Gainesville 1873 - 1876

King, G. W. - Horton’s Store, Va., Coach & Wagon Maker in the 1884-1885 business directory. Is also listed as an undertaker in the 1888-1889 directory.

King, George - Stafford Store, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as an undertaker.

King Grocery and Service Station - Manassas, Va., on Nokesville Road, Meats, Groceries, Fruits, Sinclair Gas and Oil, 1951YP

King, James R. General Store and Livery Stable - Potomac City, Dumfries In the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 business directories as a general merchant. James operated an ordinary in the late 1890s but there are no records of retail liquor after 1900. He is listed in the business records as operating a house of private entertainment in the early 1900s and a general merchant in the 1907 business licenses. The 1906 Virginia business directory list J. R. King as an operator of a Livery stable.
King, John A. - **Ordinary**, Had an ordinary from about 1853 to the start of the Civil War. Had a license called *ardent spirits* 5 Jun 1855. BL

King, John L. - Potomac City, Va., retail merchant and bar room operator 1880 to 1891. John L. also ran a boarding house in 1880 and 1881. Mrs. J. L. King is listed as the proprietor of a hotel in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 business directories and retail merchant in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 directories.

King, M. R. & Company - Potomac, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898, Virginia business directory as a retail merchant.

King’s Mill - see James R. King and Robert King.

King, Richard - Horton’s Store, Va., Listed in the 1884-1885, 1888-1889 and 1890-1891, Virginia business directories as a coach and wagon maker.

King, Robert - Dumfries, Va., a retail merchant with a tobacco license in 1897. BL- The 1906 Virginia business directory list Robert as the operator of a corn and flour mill at Forestburg.

King, Thomas F. - Manassas Va. - I will pay highest cash price for good butter delivered at my house on Main Street any time during week. 22 Jul 1910 M.J.

King, W. - Horton’s Store, Va., Listed as a coach and wagon builder in the 1888-1889 and 1890-1891, business directories.

King, William H. - Listed as a retail merchant in the 1854 business licenses.

King, Zack - Stafford Store, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as an undertaker.

King’s Place Hotel - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as one of the six hotels in the county.

King’s Service Station - Buckland, Va., Gainesville District, on the owners certificate the owner is listed as Gilbert Lee King at Route 211 in Buckland.

King’s Sinclair Service Station - Manassas, Va., 900 Centreville Road, G. L. King proprietor. 1950s

Kinsley Mill / Delaplane Mill - Buckland, Va., Daniel Delaplane was the owner in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, and 1888-1889 business directories.

Kirby Jewelry Store - Quantico, Va., See us for the smart new Waltham Watch with leather attachments, handsomely engraved, and offered at a low price for such quality. Arthur R. Kirby - Proprietor and owner 1935 QS

Kirby, Thomas L. - District #1, Listed as a canvasser in the 1891 business license.

Kitchener Appliances - Manassas, Va., 230 E. Center Street, and the owner was Fred Kitchner in 1950.

Kitter, N. P. - District #1, Was a land agent in the 1891 business license.

Kline, J. C. - Forestburg, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a physician.

Kline, J. M. **Auctioneer and Insurance** - Manassas, Va., I offer my services to the public as a licensed auctioneer, satisfaction guaranteed with reasonable prices. 22 Feb 1944 M. J. - Fauquier Mutual Fire Insurance Company, reasonable rates 2 Apr 1921 P.W. News
**Kline Trucking** – Manassas – trucking company, John D. Kline Jr., owner in 1966

**Knight, Lucien** - Retail merchant in the 1854 business licenses.

**Knight, William - Ordinary** - Had a business license to operate an ordinary from 1834 to 1838.

**Koons Pontiac Inc.** - Manassas, Va., 535 Centreville Road, Authorized dealer for Pontiac, Vauxhall, GMC Trucks, auto repairs for all makes, motor tune up’s, electrical service, body and fender work, painting, 1950s YP

**Lake Forest Inn** - Manassas, Va., at Ravenswood, a retail merchant and restaurant close to Manassas, Ellis Crouch was the owner 21 Jun 1947 C. O.

**Lake Jackson Garden Home & Sports Shoppe** - Just arrived from Holland, tulips, eight solid colors 79 cent per package, A listing of different bulbs for sale 1950s

**Lake Jackson Hills Inc.** - Route 234, Lake Jackson Road, south of Manassas, northern Virginia’s popular summer colony 1950

**Lake Jackson Lodge** - Dining and Dancing, Swimming, Enjoy the out-of-doors, John & James Gregory 4 Apr 1947 M. M., second ad 29 Aug 1947 M. M. Dine at Lake Jackson Lodge, under new management, Mr. & Mrs. F. S. Fritts, prop. “known to their friends as Fritts & Betty”, 3 miles south of Manassas

**Lake Jackson Motor Service** - Lake Jackson, Va., Ramon F. Collado was the owner 7 Jul 1947 C.O.

**Lake Jackson Restaurant and Service Station** - Route 234, Lake Jackson, Groceries, Shell Gas and Oil, General Merchandise, ABC License, A. L. Colbert proprietor, Late 1840s and early 1950s.

**Lambert, C. H.** - Occoquan, Va., Physician, had a license in the 1890s starting in1894. Listed in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898, business directories. The census records show him as a physician from 1860 to past 1900. He might have lived at Groveton in his early practice.

**Lambert Photo Service** - Quantico, Va., 242 Potomac Ave. You’ll like the service we offer. If you expect careful photo finishing, promptly done, leave your films with us. We’re specialist in making clear, sharp prints filled with rich detail. For enlargements of the better sort, bring us your favorite snapshots. We’ll gladly give you an estimate and show you samples. special 8 x 10 enlargement and frame only 98 cents, If made from photo $1.48,1936 QS and 20 Jan 1938 MJ

**Lamp & Bristow Granite Quarry** - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

**Lane, John D.** - Gainesville, Va. Listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in 1906 and a contractor and builder in the 1917 business directories.

**Langdon, Perry** - paid a $14.62 license fee to be a tin trader 17 Oct 1815.

**Langford, Walter** - Manassas, Va., Paper Hanger, decorate now it is unnecessary to have ugly walls in your home when attractive new wall papers, and moderately priced, can be found in the 1923 sample books, a postal card will bring these books in your home., 9 Mar 1923 M. J.

**Langford & Carter** - Manassas, Va., painting - decorating - paperhanging, near the court house in 3 Jun 1926 M. J.


**Langyher’s Wellington Mill** - Wellington Va., Listed in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898
Virginia business directories as a saw, planing, flour, and corn mill at Wellington. W. S. Langyher - owner


Langyher Ordinary - Manassas, Va., operated by John Langyher in the 1870s, BL. He also had a license to have a standing stallion in 1874 & 1875.

Lansdown Ordinary - On the list of 1810 ordinaries, John Lansdown was the owner and keeper starting in 1807.

Larkin & Athey Company - Manassas Va., fresh meats, fancy and staple groceries, A discount of five per cent on meats and canned goods and two per cent on groceries will be allowed on purchases for cash. 17 Dec 1925 MJ. In 1924 the owners are listed as C. M. Larkin and T. H. Athey on the certificate of ownership.

Larkin & Dorrell Company Feed Store - Manassas, Va., General Feed Store, Palmo Middlings, Horse Feeds, Poultry Feeds, Thornhill Farm Wagons, Emerson Buggies, 5 Jan 1923 M. J. - Owners were P. H. Lynch, James Dorrell, Michael Lynch and J. R. Larkin. The company was in business from about 1915 to 29 Mar 1929.

Larkin, C. M. & Company Feed Store - Manassas, Va., Wholesale and Retail Feed and Grain Dealers. Pay no attention to the malignant or ignorant assertions of dealers in inferior grades of dairy feeds. Their statements concerning the value or lack of value of protein, fat, fiber and carbohydrates are either based upon ignorance or are an insult to your understanding. Buy your Seed Oats from us. 22 Sep 1910 M.J., also see 9 Sep 1909 M. J. The Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps list the business as a dealer in flour, feed and produce situated on Center street with no watchman, lights, and powered by a gasoline engine. Listed in the business licenses and directories 1908-1920. C. M. Larkin was on the Manassas town council 1915-1925.

Larkin, George W. - Attorney at Law, practices in courts of Prince William, Fairfax, and Fauquier Counties, office at my residence near Manassas, Va. 7 Jan 1870 M. W. G. - He was a lawyer before the Civil War in the Manassas Area and practiced until at least 1875.

Larkin Hardware Company - Manassas, Va. Stoves, Airtight Heaters $1.75 and upwards. Give us a call and look them over. 22 Nov 1901 M.J.

Larkin, Henry D. - Bristow Station, Va., was a physician in the 1860 census.

Larkin, L. A. Jr. - Manassas Va., Attorney at Law - Will practice law in the courts of Prince William County, 28 Feb 1896 M. G., In 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a Limstrong Attorney. The first year he had a license in the county was 1896. Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a Manassas attorney.

Larkin, R. B. - A physician starting 1898.

Larkin, R. D. Ordinary - Thoroughfare, Va., operated an ordinary in Gainesville during the 1870s according to the business licenses. He is also listed in the 1877-1878 business directory.

Larry’s Snack Bar – Fuller Hts. Road, Triangle, Va., carry out food, Robert L. Wohlfarth owner in 1966.

Larsen, George L. - Manassas, Va., artistic paper hanger, grainer & painter, give my work a trial, 28 Sep 1911 M.D., Correct and artistic decoration at moderate cost, Henry Bosch Company’s wall papers, for the season of 1911 represents the best the world affords 20 Apr 1911 M.D.

Latham, T. Otis - Near Haymarket, Va., Hat a merchant license 9 Nov 1926 BL.
Latimer, Edwin W. - Had a physician license in the county 22 Apr 1861 BL.

Lattimore, Samuel - was a retail merchant in the 1820s.

Lauck, Theodore H. - Manassas, Va., started a medical practice in Manassas 1868 and by late 1869 he and Dr. Alexander formed the practice of Alexander and Lauck. They also were the proprietors of a drug store. Listed in the 1870 Virginia business licenses.

Laverne's Cash Market - Dumfries, Va., Laverne Mathews was the owner 2 Apr 1954 C.O.

Lawler & Ashby - Thoroughfare, Va., Paid a $20.99 license fee for a merchant’s license 1 May 1825.

Lawler & Baker - Thoroughfare, Va., Q. F. Lawler and W. A. Baker are listed as owners on the certificate of ownership.

Laws & Bryant - Manassas, Va., Milk Transportation and General Hauling, phone 104, 1947 BYB

Laws & Holsinger - paid a license tax for butchers in the 1890s.

Laws Custard Stand - Manassas, Va., E. Center Street, Frozen Custard is now on sale at Laws Custard Stand. 1 Sep 1949 M. J.

Laws Market - Manassas, Va., 117 Center Street, H. Layton Laws, proprietor, phone 104, “we know our groceries”, 3 Jan 1947 M. M. The first certificate of ownership was issued on 10 May 1945.

Laws, S. B. - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1920 county business licenses as merchants.

Laws, Thomas S. - Physician - The only year he had a license to practice in the county was 1881.

Leach, J. Willett M.D. - Brentsville, Va., Physician & Surgeon, disease of the chest a specialty, office at Brentsville, Va. 6 Feb 1875 M. G. - He paid for a yearly business license to practice in the county from 1874 to 1894.

Leach, James - Independent Hill, Va., Listed in the 1907 Virginia business Licenses as a agricultural implements dealer.

Leachman & Fewell - Had a retail merchants license 1 May 1839 BL.

Leachman, C. C. & Brother General Store - Wellington, Va., Listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, Virginia business directories as general merchants, lumber, shingles and wood dealers. In the 1897-1898 business directory he is only listed as a general merchant. C.C. Leachman also had a yearly business license to sell merchandise including tobacco from 1890 to at least 1912.

Leachman, John T. - Above the Occoquan, had a merchant’s license 12 May 1855 and a common criers license 1 Sep 1878 and was a county magistrate in 1888.

Leary, C. G. & Brother General Store - Myron / Potomac, Va., Listed in the 1911 and 1917 business directories.

Leary, H. G. - Wagener House, Leary operated the Wagener Ordinary in the late 1890’s, he previously rented and operated a Bar Room listed as being at Potomac in 1892 and 1893.

Leary, J. L. - General Store - Thoroughfare, Va., Listed as a general merchant in the 1890-1891 Virginia business directory.
Leary, J. T. - Had a license to sell retail merchandise including tobacco 1 May 1887

Leary, John - General Mercantile Store - Occoquan, Va., John Leary is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as the owner of a general store and a lumber dealer.

Leary, W. S. - Missouri Mills, Va., listed as a physician in the 1880-1881 Virginia business directory.

Leary, William B. Dr. - Brentsville, Va., proprietor Washington Hotel. being in a healthy locality this house offers special inducement to persons seeking a summer resort. Terms Very Moderate 5 Jun 1869 M.W.G. - Dr. Leary practiced medicine in Brentsville from before the Civil War until around 1885. BL - He is listed as a Forestburg dentist and physician in the 1890-1891 business directory.

Leary Lumber Company - Occoquan, Va., Lumber & Millwork, and S. Gordon Leary was the owner 17 May 1946 C.O. Katherine Leary was added to the certificate of ownership 4 Feb 1947

Ledman & Davis Funeral Home - District #2, had a undertaker’s license 25 Nov 1896.

Ledman & Kidwell - Store in District #2, had a license 1 May 1891. BL

Ledman Bar Room & Ordinary - Occoquan, Va., L. Ledman and or Lycurgus Ledman had a bar room, ordinary, general store, retail liquor, retail tobacco, cigars, tobacco, and merchants licenses to operate and sell in Prince William County from 1874 to at least 1900. BL - There is also a L. Ledman in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1888-1889,1890-1891,1893-1894 and 1897-1898, business directories as a grocer and merchant. In 1906 an L. Ledman is listed as a county magistrate.

Ledman, Mrs. L. C. - 2nd District, She is listed in the 1909 Virginia business licenses as operating a house of private entertainment.

Ledman’s Hotel Alton - Occoquan, Va. - In business in the early 1900s with L. Ledman Jr. listed as the owner in 1905.

Lee & Donohoe - Had a retail merchant and tobacco license 1 Nov 1886.

Lee, George W. -Thorofare, Va., Had a retail merchant and tobacco license 1 May 1887. In the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, Virginia business directories as a merchant.

Lee, Jim - Manassas, Va., Chinese Laundry at Conner’s old stand, Centre Street, high class work on short notice, 13 May 1910 M. J.

Lee, John - Paid $4.50 for a license to have a house of private entertainment 4 Aug 1828 BL

Lee Ordinary - Matthew Lee paid a $7.50 fee for a license to operate an ordinary in the county 5 Sept 1808 BL

Lee’s Grill - Manassas, Va., “is now Air Conditioned” 17 Aug 1948 M. M.

Lee High Market - Gainesville, Va., general store, Joseph T. Fletcher was the owner 20 Mar 1953 C.O.

Lee’s Service Station - Woodbridge, Va., route #1, Robert E. Lee was the owner 31 Jan 1941 C. O.

Leedy, John W. - Manassas, Va., Contractor & Builder, Builder of Copp Chapel in Rappahannock County and now has under course of erection at Kensington Md. a fine dwelling for M. M. and B. G. Bushong, 20 Apr 1911 M. D. Mr. Leedy was also an Elder in the church and was the secretary of the Southern Real Estate Exchange and Insurance Company of Manassas. In the 1920’s he was also a pulpwood dealer in the area. also see J. W. Leidy & son below.
Leeth, G. W. - Manassas, Va., Center Street, “NO mistake in your meat bill”, We have just installed the McCaskey Register. The new market in the Masonic Temple, All kinds of fresh and salted meats. Good beef and pork wanted, but no old cows need apply. 29 Mar 1907 M. J.

Leever, W. E. - Buckland, Va., Listed in the 1925 county business licenses as a general merchant.

Leidy, J. W. and Son - Manassas, Va., In the 1897-1898 business directory he is listed as a hay, grain, and feed store owner. See John Leedy above.

Leith, George W. Furniture Store - Manassas, Va., furniture dealer in 1906 business directory – Singer sewing machines on easy payments, sewing machines repaired, all accessories kept on hand, ask about them, 3 Dec 1914 M. D. - In 1910 he was the agent for and selling Singer, Wheeler and Wilson brand sewing machines.

Lenton, William A. - One of the early lawyers in the county. Paid a $10.00 fee to have an attorney license 5 Oct 1813

Levy, Harris - Was a retail merchant with a license to sell tobacco products 1892 - 1894. Joseph below had a license 1895 and 1896.

Levy, Jos. & Co. - Greenwich, Va., We are going out of business and must sell out our entire stock of clothes, dry goods, shoes, straw and fur hats, shirts, in fact everything in the store at below cost. We are going out of the clothing business. 3 Jul 1896 M.G. - Listed in the 1893-1894 business directory as a general merchant. They apparently did go out of business no license was purchased after 1896.

Lewis & Brown’s Blacksmith Shop - Manassas, Va., mentioned in an ad by N. Polsky a junk dealer, 18 Jan 1918 M. J.

Lewis & Deitrick - Cabin Branch, Va., Listed as selling general merchandise 17 Apr 1907 in the business license.

Lewis, Francis M. - Manassas, Va., one of the original Prince William County supervisors. He served from 1867 to 1874.

Lewis Hall - Colored Picture Show, Motion Picture Exhibition for Colored People in Lewis Hall, Saturday at 5.30 P.M., admission 10 cents 20 Apr 1911 M. D.

Lewis, Hattie B. Mrs. - Manassas, Va., Millinery - Full line of new millinery and notions at Mrs. H. B. Lewis’ Manassas, Va., among which can be found dress linings, whalebone, hooks, and children corsets, vests, embroidery silk, veiling, lace, velvet facing, kid silk and cotton gloves, and braids and silks for dress trimmings. 28 Feb 1896 M. G. Listed in the Virginia 1897-1898 business directory and business licenses from 1891 to 1898.

Lewis, Henry - Paid a $20.00 license tax to operate as a retail merchant 1 May 1827.

Lewis, J. Mayre - Manassas, Va., Physician, born 3 Jun 1881 Manassas, 26 Jul 1905 BL- He was also listed in the 1910 business licenses and the 1911 & 1917 business directories as a member of the county board of health.

Lewis, John - Manassas, Va., Listed as a merchant in the 1909 business license.

Lewis, Joseph F. - Manassas, Va., was a cattle dealer in 1906 and a county commissioner of revenue in the 1911 business directory.

Lewis, Maggie - Manassas, Va., Listed in the business licenses from 1907 to at least 1912 as having a house of private entertainment. In the 1911 and 1917 business directories she has a boarding house.
Lewis Players (The) - Manassas, Va. Paid $6.00 for a business license 12 Jul 1925.

Lewis, R. C. Blacksmith Shop - Manassas, Va., Blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1906 business directory. He is also listed as a blacksmith 20 Apr 1911 M.J. The shop might have been at 403 Centre Street.

Lewis, R. C. Service Station - Manassas, Va., Fast service, any car, any model, any year, 14 Sep 1923 M.J. - In the business licenses starting before 1920.

Lewis, Dr. S. J. - Manassas, Va., office was at 405 Centre Street,

Lewis Supply Company - Manassas, Va., Farm Equipment Sales and Service - Allis-Chalmers Farm Machinery and Service, Crosley Radio’s and refrigerators, Apex Ironers, Washers, Vacuum Cleaners, 3 Jan 1947 MM. The owners in 1941 were Percival Ashby Lewis and Robert Lee Lewis Jr. Owners in 1942 were Lawrence G. Lewis and Ambrose B. Lewis. The lone owner 3 Apr 1946 was P. A. Lewis.

Libeau Brothers - Limstrong, Va., Brick! Brick! We have just burned a kiln of 100,000 brick at our yard near Limstrong. These are the finest we have yet made and we will dispose of them for $6.00 per thousand at the kiln. Corn taken in exchange, Limstrong, VA 28 Feb 1896 M.G.

Libeau, Donation - Bricks For Sale, $6 per thousand at kiln at my place 3 miles from town, Fairview Avenue and Blandsford Road 29 Jun 1916 M.D.

Liberty Motor Company - Manassas, Va., Nash sales and service, Visit our used car lot 535 Centreville Road at the northeast edge of Manassas. Cars bought and sold, see us for that better used car. 12 Dec 1947 M. M. - John O. Gregory and Gilbert A. Ray were the owners 7 Nov 1947 C.O. - Frank J. Thompson & Jacob K. Conner were the owners 22 Mar 1951 C.O.

Lickle, Ida M. Millinery Shop - Manassas, Va., Advertised in 1910 as the finest up-to-date millinery shop ever in Manassas. - owing to my failure to close out my millinery business, I have concluded to continue the same at Mrs. Merchant’s old stand, corner of Main and Church Streets, where I shall be glad to welcome my old friends and patrons and serve them to the best of my ability, 7 Sep 1906 M. J. - She is listed in the business licenses from 1806 to at least 1910.

Light & Milstead - District #2 retail merchant 2 May 1892 BL

Lightner’s Garage - Gainesville, Va., Wrecker Service, Desoto - Plymouth, 11 May 1948 M. M.

Lil’s Music Center - Manassas, Va., 110 N. Main Street, sale of records, radios and etc. Lillian McDermott was the sole owner 9 Jun 1953 C.O.

Lilly, George - Paid the $10.00 license fee to practice medicine in the county 1 May 1891 BL

Liming, A. F. - Joplin, Va., Listed in the 1917 business directory as lumber dealer.

Liming, B. F. - Forestburg, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Liming, E. L. - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.


Liming, John W. General Store - Joplin, Va., Listed in the 1911 & 1917 business licenses.
Liming, Louis - Forestburg, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories as a millwright.

Liming’s Department Store - Quantico, Va., 319 Potomac Ave. general merchant, The business opened in 1927 and Ruby A. Liming was the owner 1 Jan 1945 C.O.

Limstrong Grocery Company - Limstrong, Va., Listed in the county business licenses as a merchant with a license to sell retail tobacco.

Lindall, Albin Loth. - Quantico, Va., Had a physician license to practice in the county 12 Dec 1930 BL.

Lindsay, William - Paid a one year fee of $18.00 to operate a ordinary in the county 1 May 1820. BL.

Linton, Charles B. - Manassas, Va., complete construction service, you can now repair, modernize, or enclose your home and pay on small monthly payments. no down payment and less than 6 per cent interest. Make your house a home and enjoy it as you pay. 1 Sep 1938 M.J.

Lion, Thomas H. - Manassas, Va., Attorney At Law - M. I C. Building, 9 Dec 1909 M. J., Mayor of Manassas 1889-1893, Purchased a business license to practice law from about 1894 to at least 1925 BL, BD, BR. - The following is from a 6 Apr 1939 issue of the Manassas Journal - The estate of Thomas H. Lion has an administrator’s sale, Saturday, April 8 1939 of his law library, furniture, equipment, general library and jewelry. A listing of the other items are also listed.

Lion, Thomas W. - Manassas, Va., General Insurance Company, Grain & Livestock Insurance, Let us quote you rates, Insurance of any kind. 15 Nov 1928 M. J.

Lipscomb & Brasfield House - A house of private entertainment in the 1830s. There is only record of three years of operation.


Lipscomb, Ann - Above the Occoquan, retail merchant in the 1850s in Prince William County. She died before 8 May 1855. BL.

Lipscomb, Mary A. - Paid a $20.00 license tax to be a retail merchant in the county 2 Apr 1861.

Lipscomb, W. N. - Manassas, Va., was on the Manassas town council 1894-1898 and again 1905-1907. Insurance Agency Inc., - When fire has devastated your home or place of business when life looks blackest, when the savings of years have gone up in smoke then you appreciate the value of an insurance policy in a good reliable company. 3 Jan 1919 M. J., - W. N. Lipscomb owned and operated a store in the Manassas area starting around 1885 and continuing past 1910. The business was known after 1900 as W. N. Lipscomb & Company. In the 1893-1894, 1897-1898, 1911 and 1917, Virginia business directories he is listed as the agent for Virginia Fire and Marine Insurance Company.

Lipscomb, W. N. & Company General Store - Manassas, Va., William E. was the 5th mayor of Manassas serving in 1881 and 1882. He was on the town council 1879-1883 and again 1905 1907. Listed in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories as a general merchant. He is also listed in the Virginia business licenses from 1886 to at least 1910 as a retail merchandise store with a license to sell tobacco products.

Lipscomb, William E. & Company - Manassas, Va., was a general retail merchant from about 1878 to at least 1889. BR,BL, BD., - Listed in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1890-1891, 1893-1894, 1906, 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories as a Lawyer.
**Little Dutch Pastry Shop** - Quantico, Va., 329 Potomac Ave., retail bakery and other merchandise, David Ansel Corbett was the owner 11 Feb 1941 C.O.

**Little Grill** - Triangle, Va., W. E. Hicks was owner and operator 15 Jan 1946 C.O.

**Little, Robert H.** - Paid a $12.50 fee for a physician license 4 Jun 1813 BL

**Lloyd and Company** - The location is listed as being at Carey’s. It is listed in the 1907 and 1908 as a general merchandise store with a tobacco license. BL

**Lloyd, A. V. and Company General Store.** - Forestburg, Va., Listed in the 1911 - 1917 business licenses.

**Lloyd, J. H.** - Manassas, Va., General contractor & builder, Manassas, VA. Plans and estimates, all work promptly executed at prices to suit the times. Satisfaction Guaranteed 3 Jul 1896 M.J. Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

**Lloyd, Rupert A.** - Manassas, Va., Was a Manassas area physician and is listed in the 1907-1910 business licenses.

**Locker, Alfred** - house of private entertainment 1 May 1884 BL

**Lohse Confectionery** - Manassas, Va., in the 1880s, George Lohse, prop. BD, He is Listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 business directory as a baker and confectioner

**Lomax, Daniel** - Manassas, Va., general retail merchant from about 1884 to 1894. Daniel Lomax before 1884 had a bar room license.

**Longview Park Speedway** - Manassas, Va., Lake Jackson Road, Auto Races every Saturday night, Time trials start at 8.30 PM, another performance by the Penn-Jersey Auto Racing Club, 100 lap title race, 1 Sep 1949 M. J. - Auto racing, carnivals, fairs and other types of amusements, Downing Beatty of Marshall, Va. were the owner 11 Jun 1952 C.O. The 1951 yellow pages say “spectacular shows and auto races with John D. Counts the manager.

**Longwell, W. M.** - Manassas, Va., Listed under Hardware business in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories. In the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 directories he is listed under the heading - stove, tin ware and sheet iron workers. He was also on the town council 1891-1893.

**Louis’s Place** - Triangle, Va., Louis Vincent Demarco was the owner and proprietor 6 May 1942

**Love Ordinary** - Henry Love operated a house of private entertainment in 1843, 1844, 1845, then was an ordinary keeper until the middle of the 1850s.

**Lowe, G. B. General Store** - Independent Hill, Va., The store is listed in the 1906 business directory but by 1911 he is listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

**Lucas, Edmund D.** - Had a license for tin and pewter 24 Oct 1815.


**Luck & Morath** - Voy, Va., Listed as a saw mill owner in the 1897-1898 business directory.

**Luck, James & Son General Store** - Independent Hill and Kopp Va. Listed as a general store and seller
of agricultural implements in the 1906, 1911 & 1917 Virginia business directories. This business had warehouses at Kopp and Occoquan Stations. A 1910 advertisement list some of the items for sale as harvesting machines, agricultural implements, grain drills, and corn planters.

**Luck’s Mill** - Independent Hill. Listed as a corn, flour and saw mill in the 1888-1893, 1897-1898 Virginia business directories with the owner given in the 1893-1894 directory as James Luck. The owner in 1897-1898 was A.R. Luck.

**Lyles Barber Shop** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory with T. S. Lyles listed as the owner. BD

**Lyles Florist Shop** - Manassas, Va., Grand opening Saturday, March 26, 1938 in the Prince William Hotel, Manassas, VA. This will be a branch of Lyles of Alexandria, specializing in floral designs, wedding bouquets, corsages, cut flowers and potted plants. 24 Mar 1938 M.J.

**Lynch Bowling Saloon** - Manassas, Va., They were open a few years in the early 1900s and was also known as M. Lynch and Company.

**Lynch, M. & Company** - Manassas, Va., Dealer in all high grade Liquors, Wines, brandies, cigars and tobacco. One door east of Howard House, Manassas, VA. 15 Dec 1905 M. J. - This business was also known as the Lynch Bowling Saloon and had a business license under that name in 1909-1910.

**Lynch, M. & Son.** - Manassas, Va., 500,000 gross ties wanted, we pay the highest cash price for white, red, and mixed oak, beech, ash, and maple cross ties. inspection made from wagon 3 Dec 1914 M.D. Known as M. Lynch and Son in 1909-1910.

**Lynch, Margaret Speciality Shop** - Manassas, Va., Margaret Elizabeth Lynch owner, Moving Picture Building, The very latest in fall suits by Margaret Lynch as advertised in Vogue 1 Sep 1949 MJ. - In 1940 store was at 111 Main Street.

**Lynn & Ayres General Store** - Stone House, Va., listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

**Lynn & Hammill** - Occoquan, Va., Had a license for common crier 1 Aug 1879. BL - They are listed in the 1880-1881, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, business directories as auctioneers

**Lynn & Norman Store** - Operated in the 1840s and 1850s.

**Lynn, A. L. General Store** - 1850s business licenses

**Lynn, A. P.** - Manassas, Va., Had a license to be a common crier from 1874 to 1885. BL

**Lynn, Arnold & Jane - The Grill** - Manassas, Va., Main Street, Now under new management, we will appreciate your continued patronage and welcome new friends. 24 Jan 1947 M. M

**Lynn, Benjamin** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a coach and wagon maker.

**Lynn, H. F.** - Catharpin, Va., Listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories as a cattle dealer.

**Lynn Investment Corp** – Gainesville, Va. – 1951 – Irving D. Berger vice president, C.O.

**Lynn, J. B.** - Independent Hill, Va., wheelwright & blacksmith, I have opened a wheelwright & blacksmith
shop near my father’s residence at the old Norman Place about 2 miles from Independent Hill where I can always be found. 23 Apr 1878 M.G. , Wheelwright and General Repairing - Centre Street, near Catholic Church, Manassas, VA 9 Dec 1909 M. J. , buggies painted $5.00, nice satisfactory work, second hand buggies and wagons, wheelwright and general repairing. 22 Sep 1910 MD - Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a coach and wagon builder and the 1906, 1911 & 1917 directories as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Lynn, L. K.  General Store  - Woolsey, Va., listed in the 1906 business directory.

Lynn, M. N. - Independent Hill, Va., Had licenses from 1885 to 1899 for a bar room, cigars and tobacco, merchant, retail liquor, and retail tobacco. He is also listed as a Prince William County Supervisor in the 1880-1881 and 1893-1894 business directories. In 1898 the business was listed as M.N. Lynn & son.

Lynn, Nelson - Manassas, Va. - Warning! You may see the other car to late, why run the risk of a cost law suit. State Farm Insurance agency, policy tailor made to your pocketbook, will protect you and your family. 25 Dec 1941 M. J.

Lynn Ordinary - Occoquan, Va., A. Lynn is listed in the business licenses as operating an ordinary. BL 27 Jun 1874

Lynn, Simon - Gainesville, Va., Had a license “canvassing to buy” 20 Jun 1874

Lynn, T. W. General Store - Voy, / Kopp, Va., Listed in the Virginia business licenses as a general merchandise store with a tobacco license from 26 Apr 1907 to at least 1917. BL, BD

Lynn, W. S. General Store - Occoquan, Va., Listed as a merchant from 1904 to at least 1917 in the business licenses and directories. “Will furnish on short notice lumber, rail road ties, cedar posts, hoops, oak & pine pilings”

Lynn, W. S. & Sons Inc. – Occoquan Va. 1932 – General Store with all kinds of merchandise. William S. Lynn president, Wallace S. Lynn vice president, Fred M. Lynn secretary treasurer

Lynn, William M. - General Store, was a retail merchant in the 1860s and 1870s. He was also one of the original Prince William County supervisors serving from 1867 to at least 1873.

Lynwood Gulf Station – Woodbridge, Va. – filling station, James E. Leviner and M. I. Creel are listed as co-owners in 1958

Lynwood Gulf Station – Woodbridge, Va. – service station, Edward Mercer owner 1965

Lynnwood Barber Shop – U.S.#1 in the Lynnwood Shopping Center, Woodbridge, Va. The owners listed in 1960 were H. H. Lilly and O. E. Nash

Lyon Poultry Farms - Manassas, Va., Have you tried Lyon’s custom hatching, no bother, no bad hatches, Bring us your hatching eggs, any quality, and we will get the strong chicks for you. Prices Reasonable 16 Mar 1917 M. J.

Lyon, J. P. - Stone House, Va., - The New Stone House Inn Opening Saturday May 21, 1938 under the personal direction of Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Lyon, Lee Highway (U.S. Route 211) Manassas Battlefields specializing in chicken and Virginia ham dinners, reservations may be made for bridge luncheons, May 1938 M. J.

Lyon’s Bouquet Mart - Manassas, Va., Florists, 222 E. Center Street, opp. Safeway Supermarket, operated by G. Keith Lyon - Nancy W. Lyons, Flowers for all occasions. 1950s
Lywood, L. W. - A district #1 butcher 1 Jun 1878 BL

M & M Contractors – 66 Occoquan Road, Woodbridge Va. – General home repairs – Harold S. Mercer and Donald R. Mercer co-owners in 1960

M. & T. Texaco Service Station - Manassas, Va., 900 Centreville Road, 1950s. The owner in 1960 was Melvin D. Sutphin

Mac’s Department Store - Manassas, Va., West Center Street, 4 ways to shop - budget, layaway, cash, and charge, 16 Apr 1959 M. J.

Mac’s Variety Store - Manassas, Va., store and filling station, Robert McGlothlin was the owner and proprietor 4 Apr 1953 C.O.

MacMillan, A. G. - Manassas, Va., second hand store and upholsterer, wash boilers from $1.00 up, brown metal bedsteads, bed springs, kitchen chairs, ice boxes, buffets, wash stands, etc. 4 Jul 1929 M. J. - Location in the 1950s was 339 W. Center Street. An ad in a 1930 newspaper had the following for sale: awnings, tents, horse covers, tarpaulins, wagon covers, auto tops made to order, new and used furniture.


Macrae, James W. F. - Buckland, Va. Physician, Listed in the 1852 Virginia directory and business register. He also paid a fee for a physician license 27 Jun 1852 BL. He practiced in the county until at least the start of the Civil War.

Maddox and Byrd’s General Store - Manassas, Va., NEW FIRM - Having purchased the stock of Payne & Polen we will continue the grocery and meat market business 8 Dec 1910 MD, - A full line of staple and fancy groceries, see us before you buy, - fresh oysters daily at Maddox & Byrd’s Manassas 3 Dec 1914 M.D.

Maddox, George E. - Neabsco Mills, Va., Listed in the 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories as a coach and wagon builder. George is listed in the 1906 business directory as operating a general store in Manassas and being on the town council 1897-1901.

Maddox, J. E. - Manassas, Va., In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Maddox, James - General Store - Neabsco, Va., listed in the 1906 business directory.

Maddox Ordinary - On the 1810 list of ordinaries. Thomas Maddox operated the ordinary from the early 1800s and paid a license fee in 1808, John Maddox paid a yearly fee for an ordinary license from 1809 to 1825.

Maddox, R. A. - Potomac, Va., had a bar room in the 1890s.

Madeline’s Motor Court & Picnic Area – Woodbridge Va. – owner in 1958 was Madeline Harper Boyd.

Mahoney, L. & Brother - Greenwich, Va., coach and wagon builder at Greenwich in Chataigne’s Virginia Business Directory. 1890s

Maine Hotel & Restaurant - Manassas, Va., Carl C. Treager Prop., Maine Hotel Building on Railroad Ave., Up to date lunches, hot or cold served at any hour of day, Oysters, Soft Drinks, Home Made Pies, 20 Apr 1911 M. D., The Hotel was operated in 1899 by Annie Davis who previously operated the Cannon House.
Makely Brothers - Independent Hill, Va., C. W. Makely & C. E. Makely successors to F. J. Sullivan of Independent Hill, Va., dealers in high class general merchandise at low prices. Give us a trial 11 Jan 1912 M. D.

Malcolm, A. F. - Occoquan, Va., Listed as a veterinary surgeon in the 1917 business directory.

Mallard Construction Company - Manassas, Va., general contracting, John K. Mallard was the owner 23 Feb 1952 C.O.

Maloney L. & Brother - Greenwich, Va., Listed as a wagon maker in the 1888-1889 and 1890-1891 Virginia business directories.

Maloy, Robert - Bijo Hat Cleaning Establishment - old hats made as good as new, give me a trial order, leave orders at Bijo Barber Shop, over Conner’s Market, 9 Dec 1909 M. J.

Maloy, Robert - Bijo Barber Shop, Turner’s Old Stand, Upstairs, Your patronage respectfully solicited. You are assured first class service and courteous treatment. For five years I was in the navy service with Sampson’s Fleet, 9 Dec 1909 M. J.


Manassas Auto and Brake Service - Manassas, Va., located in the Jess Crosby building at the corner of N. Center and Grant Ave. Owned and operated by Forrest Michael and Gordon Davis. Announcing the opening, we are glad to announce that we are now open and ready for business, equipped complete with brake machine and brake drum lathe. 28 Mar 1947 M. M.

Manassas Auto Laundry - Manassas, Va., Let us wash your auto the new way, just drive your car to the door or phone us and we will send for it. We specialize on oiling and greasing 6 Feb 1930 M. J.

Manassas Auto Radiator Shop - Manassas, Va., near town water tank, repairing and cleaning - auto, truck and tractor radiators, soldering - work cans, milk coolers, etc. 16 Mar 1933 M. J.

Manassas Automatic Welding - Manassas, Va., 1200 Centreville Road, We rebuild rollers & idlers, hand welding. 30 Apr 1959 M. J.

Manassas Automotive & Auto Body - Manassas, Va., 302 South Grant Avenue, expert body and fender work, welding, brazing, painting, wrecks repaired, George P. Golden was the owner 16 Jan 1950 C.O.

Manassas Bakery - Manassas, Va., 529 Centreville Road, Birthday cakes made to order, also cakes for weddings, anniversaries and all special occasions, fine pastries, fresh bread, pies, cookies, Open Sunday-Closed Monday, 1950s MJ

Manassas Beauty Shop - Manassas, Va., at Center Street, In 1941 the owner was Edith M. Fitzwater. The location in 1950 was given as 101 West Church Street.
Manassas Cafe - Manassas, Va., Mrs. M. L. Sisson Prop., Meals and short orders, cigars, tobacco, confectionery, oysters prepared in any style and delivered. Conner Block, 126 Center Street, Manassas, 20 Apr 1911 MD. In 1941 the owner is listed as William C. Hinton.

Manassas Canning Company - Manassas, Va., D. J. Arrington was the president and part owner in 1900.

Manassas Cigar Company - Manassas, Va. Listed as a cigar manufacturer in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Manassas Coffee Shop - Manassas, Va., 113 N. Main Street, “Serving Fine foods at reasonable prices.” Alton D. Cooper was the owner 7 Apr 1950 C.O. - On 2 May 1951 Willard W. Shaw is listed as the owner. C.O. - This business was formerly known as “The Grill.”


Manassas Decorators - Manassas, Va., 218 E. Center Street, We have a complete line of fishing tackle and sporting goods. Our facilities enable us to do your job promptly and with a minimum of interruption to your normal routine. 1950s

Manassas Democrat Newspaper - Manassas, Va., 1909 - 1921 The first issue was dated 12 December 1909 published by the Virginia Publishing Company with Frank E. Garrison and Louis E. Slingerland as editors and managers. The newspaper lasted for about 12 years into the year 1921.

Manassas Dry Cleaners & Dye Works - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a cleaner and presser.

Manassas Esso Service Center - Manassas, Va., 513 Centreville Road, 1950s

Manassas Farm Service - Manassas, Va., 418 Lee Ave., R. W. Parker. prop., Announcement as of October 1, 1956 the former Gibson Farm Service, Allis Chalmers dealer changed hands and management. We are now Manassas Farm Service ready to serve you with Allis Chalmers Tractors & Parts, 1950s

Manassas Feed & Milling Company - Manassas, Va., In business from 1915 to 1943. - B. Lynn Robertson, proprietor, White Rose Flour, Corn Meal, Grains, Feeds, “The Equal of any, lower priced than most. 21 Apr 1921 PWN - Listed as a feed store in the 1926 county business licenses. This is the same company as the one listed below -The Manassas Feed, Supply, and Implement Company.

Manassas Feed, Supply, and Implement Company - Manassas, Va., The following is from the Manassas Journal 7 Jul 1916,The Manassas Feed, Supply, and Implement Company to operator a 40 barrel a day plant. In the line of a helpful industry Manassas will very shortly have a flour mill in full operation. Last week the company placed an order for about two carloads of special machinery which will convert the major portion of the main building, the old Hopkins candy factory, into a flour mill. It is expected that the machinery will arrive within the next ten days or two weeks and it will be installed at once. B. Lynn Robertson, president of the company, in an interview said that the new mill will have a capacity of 40 barrels a day. In addition to the machinery for the manufacture of flour, new meal-grinding machinery has been ordered. Mr. Robertson is confident that the local mixing of dairy and horse feeds will result in a material reduction in the prices for these feeds. Prepatory to the installlation of the flour-making machinery, all the old machinery for candy has been sold and shipped away. As an accommodation to the country trade, the company will cut a large doorway in the north side of its Battle Street building so that it will not be necessary for farmers to go around by the freight depot in order to load. When the flour mill begins operation the old Larkin building on Center Street will be used as a store room only. In the
operation of the flour mill and feed mixing machinery, Mr. Robertson says that the company contemplates using town power, provided satisfactory rate can be obtained. Otherwise the mill will be operated by a large Kerosene engine of a late improved design. In a 3 Jan 1919 Manassas Journal Ad the company was advertising White Rose Flour, The Flower of Flours, with the owners listed as B. Lynn Robertson and C. M. Larkin.

Manassas Flying School - George W. King Sales & Service, Nick Latsios Flying Instructor, Take advantage of the G. I. Bill of Rights, You can get private, commercial and instructor’s ratings at the Manassas Flying School at the Manassas airport. We will be glad to explain how you can learn to fly in your spare time at no cost to you. 3 Jan 1947 M. J.

Manassas Footware Corp. - Manassas, Va., Come see our large selection 1947 M.M.

Manassas Frozen Foods - Manassas, Va., Main Street, Get acquainted with our complete line of meats & frozen foods specials. String beans 19 cents, Orange Juice 19 cents, 17 Jan 1947 M. M. On the 26 Feb 1946 certificate of ownership of Frank J. Parrish, E. G. Parish and H. J. Parrish it states that the purpose of the business is to rent cold storage lockers and to do processing that goes with the locker business. We shall also buy and sell meats and frozen foods.

Manassas Fuel & Ice Company - Manassas, Va., 232 E. Center Street, Atlantic Heating Oils, automatic delivery service, metered printed ticket, oil burner service, radio dispatched service, 1950s

Manassas Fur Company - Manassas, Va., Attention Hunters and Trappers, the season for hunting and trapping is almost here, get your supplies ready for the big season at Grant Ave. near Center Street at the location of the former Hottle’s Old Tombstone Shop 14 Nov 1929 M. J.

Manassas Furniture Company - A MYSTERY, how can the Manassas furniture company sell their immense line of fine glassware, such as pitchers, large fruit stands, decorated vases, and when you want furniture, mattresses, carpets, we can satisfy you quality and price. 15 Dec 1905 M. J.

Manassas Gazette Newspaper - Manassas Va., weekly democratic, 1869-1896, The Gazette started 3 Apr 1869 and was the first newspaper in Manassas D. W. Whiting and Robert M. Waters were the editors and publishers. Other editors and publishers were L. A. Larkin Jr., Archibald P. Maddox, W. W. Thornton, R. E. Thornton, and George J. Lion. - W. W. Thornton, editor and prop. in the 1888-1889 Prince William business directory.

Manassas Giant Food Center - Save on Quality merchandise, Fresh vegetables that are fresh, large ad of food prices, 21 Apr 1938 M. J. F. R. Saunders was listed as the sole owner on the 1937 certificate of ownership.

Manassas Grill - Manassas, Va., 113 North Main Street, Restaurant owned by Allan Jay Perkins 3 Jan 1945 C.O. - The Grill was changed to “The Manassas Coffee Shop about 1950.

Manassas Hardware Company - Manassas, Va., R. H. Seeley & Brother, John Deere Farm Machinery, DeLaval Cream Separators and Milkers, Hardware, Paints, Glass, Fence Wire, Nails, Stoves, Ranges, Harness, Spray Materials, Guns, Ammunition, and Goodyear Tires. - “Said the Little Red Hen in the green garden patch, If you want any dinner you must Scratch, Scratch, Scratch”. We do not only have the tools for you to scratch that garden but we are stocking a full line of garden seeds. 22 Mar 1928 M. J. - The store was located at 125 Center Street in 1941. In 1947 Conway Seeley is listed as owner on the certificate of ownership.

Manassas Henneries - J. H. Dodge - proprietor, - S.C. White Leghorns, R. C. Rhode Island Reds, Barred Plymouth Rocks, Indian Runner Ducks, Some choice mating fowls now for sale. 11 Mar 1915 M.D.

Manassas Horse and Tack - Gainesville / Manassas, Va., Listed in the Virginia business licenses 1908-
1910. In 1908 the business had a Jack Ass license and  in 1909 a standing stallion license. The location was given as both Gainesville and Manassas. It might have been at Stone House.

**Manassas Hotel** - Manassas, Va., on the eastside of Main Street, H. B. Varnes, Manassas Hotel proprietor, board by day, week, or month, passengers stopping overnight for the Manassas train can be accommodated with comfortable lodging and meals. 23 Nov 1872 M.W.G. - This hotel later became known as the Goodwin House Hotel.

**Manassas Ice Company** - HYGIENIC ICE - We can furnish hygienic ice in any quantity, place your order and it will be delivered promptly. 10 Sep 1907 M. J. - The company was owned and operated in the early 1900 by Eppa Cornwell and Ed Smith.

**Manassas Ice and Fuel Company** - Manassas, Va., 232 E. Centre Street, Lawrence W. Walton, manager, Having taken over the Davis Ice and Fuel Company I will continue to furnish the town and county, when possible, with ice as needed, also fuel when available. The present prices will continue on account of the high cost of operation. With your co-operation I expect to build up a business that will be beneficial to the community. 19 Dec 1919 M.J. In 1923 the owners were Edgar G. Parrish and Truman R. Hurst on the certificate of ownership. In 1924 the Sanborn Fire Insurance Company lists the company as Manassas Ice & Coal Company with Ice Factory. In 1941 the sole owner of the company is listed as Edgar Goodloe Parrish.

**Manassas Improvement Company** - Manassas, Va., Southwest corner of Battle and Center Street, The business started about 1906 but the duration is unknown. Mining and Building Company, some of the owners were Robert Portner, J.S.B. Thompson, Thomas Lion, C.A.S. Hopkins, C. E. Nicol and W.W. Moffitt. The general manager was C.A.S. Hopkins.

**Manassas Inn** - Manassas, Va., Corner of Center & Main Street, On the Sanborn Fire Insurance Company Map of 1907.

**Manassas Iron & Steel Company** - Manassas, Va., Quarry Street and Southern Railroad, fabricators & erectors of steel & iron work, 1950s

**Manassas Journal Publishing Company** - Manassas, Va., Manassas Journal invites you to join it’s growing family of readers and advertisers. It has been dominant in both fields since 1868. It is the market place for merchants. The following is from a company letter head 28 Jun 1909 - Book and Color work a specialty. Fine commercial printing, All advertising bills payable quarterly. If for less than quarter payable in advance. “Job work strictly Cash” Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory with W. H. W. Moran & Co. as editors. In 1923 the sole owner is listed as D. R. Lewis on the certificate of ownership.

**Manassas Junk Shop** - Manassas, Va., Best prices paid for second hand machinery and automobiles, scrap iron, metal, cotton, wool, waste ragging, and burlap. second hand belting a specialty. 18 Sep 1930 M. J.

**Manassas Light & Power Company** - Manassas, Va., 302 Church Street, On the 1907 Sanborn Fire Insurance Company map.

**Manassas Livestock Market Inc.** - Manassas, Va., Centerville Road, sales every Tuesday for livestock, farm products, 1951 YP

**Manassas Livestock Sales Inc.** - Manassas, Va., A sale of all the tangible assets will take place 16 Jan 1943 J. M.

**Manassas Lumber Company** - Manassas, Va.,Lumber, Millwork, Wallboard, Tile Board, Nails, Hardware, Insulation, Brick, Cinder Blocks, Cement, The better your home the better your living. 7 Mar 1947 M. M. - The location was 506 Centreville Road in the 1951 Yellow pages advertisement.
Manassas Market - Manassas, Va., Grocery business, formerly D.G.S. - for quick-efficient courteous service - a complete line of fresh fruits & vegetables daily. 25 Feb 1937 M. J. In 1941 the owner is listed as Mabel Brown Sadd. The owner in 1943 was Nathan F. Wells. On 12 Apr 1946 Nathan F. Wells and Wilbur F. Wells are shown on the owner’s certificate. In the 1951 yellow pages the location was 309 E. Center Street, Manassas.

Manassas Messenger - Manassas, Va., 421 Lee Avenue, Courthouse Square, and Mr. Merchant it will pay you to use the advertising columns of the Manassas Messenger - Largest news coverage, more classified advertising than any other newspaper in Prince William and Fairfax Counties. Twice a week for the same subscription price, 1950 newspaper ad.

Manassas Milling Company - Manassas, Va., Use Bull Run self rising flour. It is healthful, appetizing and easy to use requires no soda, salt or baking powder, always the same, White Rose Line 25 Oct 1928 MJ. - Manassas Milling Company is one of the most progressive flour and feed manufacturers in Northern Virginia. The Manassas Corporation is located in Manassas and is the outstanding industry of the town. The business was founded 14 years ago in 1916 by B. Lynn Robertson. The management recently took over Riverton Mills located at Riverton Va. Their flour known as “The White Rose Brand is well known in the entire state. Mr. Robertson’s motto always has been “That if higher quality were possible it would be made in the plants of the Manassas Milling Corporation.” The other officers in 1930 were Hunton Tiffany-treasurer, Thomas Lion-secretary, the directors were B. Lynn Robertson, Thomas H. Lion, E. R. Conner, M. J. O’Connell, P. W. Robertson, A. F. Stoger and W. Holmes Robertson. 23 Jan 1930 MJ - In 1937 the owner is listed as The Fauquier National Bank with P. G. Marsteller as president.

Manassas Mobile Home Sales - Manassas, Va., 556 Centreville Road, 1950s

Manassas Motor Company - Manassas, Va., Cheapest transportation in the world, the ford truck, ruckstell equipped gives 4 speeds and makes low cost hauling lower 17 Dec 1925 M. J. - Thomas H. Lion - president, W. E. McCoy - vice president, A. S. Boatwright - secretary, Manassas Motors was in business from 4 Jun 1921 to 14 Aug 1940 - The following is from 14 Jul 1938 Manassas Journal - “Manassas Motors is now open in our new location at the corner of Center and West Street. After seventeen years of service to an ever widening circle of satisfied customers we have moved to enlarge frontage in our own building where we are better equipped than ever to meet your requirements in a automobile repairing. C. E. Russell, proprietor; M. Irma Ball, secretary; Joseph W. King, manager; H. R. Jones, Sales Manager; Esso Gasoline, Motor Oils, Plymouth and Chrysler Automobiles, The new building was designed and the construction supervised by Charles B. Linton. 14 Jul 1938 M.J.

Manassas Oil Company - Manassas, Va., drilling for oil and gas, mining for coal, and construct pipe lines, tanks or tipples. - Thomas H. Lion of Manassas and M. C. Hazen of Nokesville were two of the owners in 1920

Manassas Pharmacy - Manassas, Va., 102 S. Battle Street, at the corner of Center Street. “A complete drug store”, prescriptions, cosmetics, sundries, toiletries, fountain lunch, photo supplies, free delivery in Manassas Area. 1950s Ad. W. Fred Dowell and Lelia D. Ringler were the owners. 28 Apr 1952 C.O. In 1953 W. Fred Dowell Jr. was the sole owner

Manassas Press - Manassas Va.,In the Messenger Building. For wedding invitations and announcements 3 Jan 1947 M. M.

Manassas Produce Company - Manassas, Va. - Highest price paid for turkeys & guineas, sell your guineas now while they are in season and while the price is high. We are in the market for all country produce. See us before you sell. 19 Dec 1919 M.J. - In later years the business was in the Larkin Feed Building and was run by F. B. Price. The business was also known as Manassas Produce Exchange.

Manassas Radiator & Welding - Manassas, Va., Auto, Truck, and Tractor Radiators repaired 15 Feb 1934 M. J.
Manassas Radio & TV - Located at Odd Furniture Shop on Route 28 North, 30 Apr 1950s

Manassas Roofing Company - Yorkshire, Va., 1132 Centreville Road, All types of roofing, flat roofs, shingle, slate, tile, asbestos siding, tar and gravel, reroofing and repairs. 1950s

Manassas Seminary School - Manassas, Va. Misses Osbourne, In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Manassas Service Station - Manassas, Va., Centre and West Street, Esso and Esso Extra Gasoline, 1939 - Joe King prop., Atlas tires, tubes and accessories 12 Dec 1940 M.J. - In 1941 the owner is listed as Joseph Wilson King.

Manassas Supply Company - Manassas, Va., 338 Center Street, E. D. Gothwaite was listed as the owner of both National Heating Company and Manassas Supply Company in 1941.

Manassas Tailoring and Cleaning Shop - Manassas, Va., Repairing, scouring, and altering of ladies and gentlemen’s garments. Ladies work a specialty. Dry cleaning and pressing, gloves and feathers cleaned, work called for and delivered. A trial will convince you that we know our business. W. J. Shirkey, proprietor. The business was in operation around 1915-1920.

Manassas Taxi Company - Manassas, Va., 121 S. Main Street, Prompt courteous service, radio dispatched, 24 hour service any time anywhere. 1951YP

Manassas Theater Grille - Manassas, Va., next to theater. Having purchased the business formerly operated as Gene’s Theater Grill we wish to extend our thanks to the people of Manassas for their patronage 14 Dec 1941 M.J. Another ad is in the 3 Jan 1942 M.J stating that the business was under new management of Mrs. Thelma Wilson.

Manassas Venture – Manassas Real Estate Company, Robert Swann & others listed as owners in 1966

Manning C. W. & Cooper Saw Mill - Orlando, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Manuel, J. P. - Nokesville, Va., chairman of the county board of health in 1911.

Marbaker, Edward - Voy, Va., retail merchant in the 1891 business licenses, In the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 business directories as a merchant and listed in the 1897-1898 directory as the owner of a corn and flour mill. BD

Margaret Lynch Specialty Shop - Manassas, Va., Summer Frocks $2.95, The shop is fortunate in securing the better summer frocks carried by the large Washington stores. 19 Mar 1938 M.J.

Marine Beauty Shop (The) - Quantico, Va., 309 Potomac Ave., expert operators, all lines of beauty culture, Our 35 cent specials include shampoo, ginger wave, hair cutting, manicure, Vivian Salter- manager 12 Jun 1936 QS - Margaret Keys is listed as the owner in the 1941 certificate of ownership.

Marine Pharmacy - Quantico, Va., Listed in the business licenses for soda fountains 5 Jul 1927 BL

Marine Sunday Shop - Quantico, Va., 307 Potomac Ave., drug sundries, patent medicines, fountain service, homemade sandwiches. - Ralph Leo Carden was the owner 30 Jan 1941 C.O.

Marker, C. F. - Occoquan, Va., Listed as a physician in the 1911 business directory.

Mar-Lan’s Used Furniture - Centreville Road, Used furniture, quality items, 1950s

Marshall & Finch - Paid a $15.00 fee for a merchant’s license 15 Mar 1849.
Marshall, W. H. - Beulah/Independent Hill, Va., was a general merchant in the 1880-1881 and 1884-1885 business directories.

Marsteller & Cockrell - Paid a $10 fee for a butcher license 1 Oct 1875 BL

Marsteller, Cyrus C. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1852 Virginia directory and business register as a physician. He also paid a business license tax to practice medicine in the county from 1852 to the start of the Civil War in 1861. Cyrus graduated from medical school about 1819-1820 and practiced medicine for about 50 years.

Marsteller, E. E. - Paid a $15 fee to practice law in the county 1 May 1882 BL

Marsteller, E. H. - Manassas, Va., Physician, a corner of Church and Battle Streets in 1950.

Marsteller, L. A. - Nokesville Va., I am handling the Osborne machines, The Superior disc drills and harrows, I will be glad to furnish any one in need of them and guarantee satisfaction. 25 May 1906 M. J., L. A. Marsteller had a store in Nokesville dating back to at least mid 1880s B.L. In the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1890-1891, 1893-1894, and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories he is listed as a general merchant and also selling fertilizers.

Marsteller, R. H. and Company - a general merchant in the 1840s.

Mart (The) - Quantico, Va., retail merchant, Julius W. Gnadt was the owner and operator 2 Jan 1946 C.O.

Martin, Charles Beasley - Nokesville Va., Physician, a business licenses 17 Jun 1927 list his birth as 11 Sep 1899. Charles was still practicing in 1950 with the office listed as corner of Church and West Streets.

Martin, Dudley J. Chevrolet Sales - Triangle, Va., route #1, auto sales and service, Formerly known as Mooney Chevrolet . New Name, New Management, but the same dependable line of cars - Chevrolet and Oldsmobile. We will be glad to call for and deliver any make of car in Quantico and vicinity for service. We have a nice assortment of OK used cars on hand. 26 Mar 1937 Quantico Sentry - Dudley Jackson Martin was the owner listed on the 29 Jan 1941 certificate of ownership.

Martin, W. H. - Hickory Grove, Listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1911 business directory

Martha Shop (The) - Infants and children’s wear, Martha Lilly and Cornelia Presnikoff were the owners 7 Mar 1950 C.O. and 1951 YP

Marty’s Iron & Metal Company - Manassas, Va., Route #28, Scrap Iron $1.15 per hundred, cast Iron $1.30 per hundred, highest prices paid for copper, batteries, brass, newspapers, magazines, scrap cars wanted - we will pick up now. 1950s

Mason, Eva M. - District #1, boarding house, license 1 Aug 1890 BL

Master Electric Service – Woodbridge, Va. General contractor, Jerry M. Parsons owner in 1966

Masters, John W. - Neabsco Mills, Va., a retail merchant 1882-1885 and 1888-1889, business licenses and directories.

Mathew, Carson Grocery - Sudley Springs, Va., Retail merchant from about 1870 to 1880 in the business licenses and a grocer in the 1877-1878 business directory.

Mattingly Ordinary- On the list of 1810 ordinaries. John Mattingly Paid a tax to sell foreign merchandise 30 Apr 1808. Had an ordinary license from 4 Sep 1809 until at least 30 Apr 1812. BL
May Brownstone Company - Manassas, Va., In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a stone quarry.

May, G. H. - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as operator of a house of private entertainment.

May, James B. General Store - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the Virginia business licenses as a general merchant with a tobacco license in 1907.

Mayfield Brownstone Company - Manassas, Va., Quarrying stone slate and all minerals from the land and transporting materials to the cheapest market. Land is 50 acres adjacent to the Orange and Alexandria R.R. near Manassas Junction on the Mayfield estate owned by John Hooe. President was John Hooe of Washington DC, 13 Apr 1868 C.B. - Listed as a Manassas Stone Quarry in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881 and 1888-1889 and 1890-1891, business directories.

Mayhugh & Watts - Manassas, Va., 115 N. Main Street, Maytag is the finest you can buy. Mayhugh & Watts is the place to buy your Maytag. We service everything we sell. Ask us about a free home demonstration for our big color television. 22 Jul 1954 MJ - Richard E. Watts & Mason D. Mayhugh were the owners 14 Sep 1951 C.O.

Mayhugh Brothers - Greenwich, Va., Listed as undertakers in the 1920-1925 business licenses.

Mayhugh, Edgar - Gainesville, Va., listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Mayhugh, F. L. General Store - Greenwich, Va. Listed as a retail merchant in the late 1890s to at least the 1920s. Mrs. F. L. Mayhugh is listed in the 1917 business licenses as operating a boarding house.

Mayhugh General Store - Greenwich, Va., general merchandise, Gordon F. Mayhugh was the owner and proprietor 1 Jan 1954 C.O.

Mayhugh, George - Greenwich, Va., George Mayhugh was a carpenter and builder in the 1893-1894,1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Mayhugh, J. L. - Nokesville R.F.D. #2, Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a contractor and builder.

Mayhugh, L. - Nokesville R.F.D. #2, Listed as a blacksmith, wheelwright and coach and wagon maker in the 1906 and 1911 Virginia business directories.

Mayhugh, Lewis - Greenwich Va., Funeral director, licensed embalmer, metallic caskets and all styles of coffins and caskets, furnished and always on hand. Burial robes and everything in the undertaking business, handsome church truck for delivering casket to church. 21 Sep 1906 M. J., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a coach and wagon builder. In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory he is listed as a Greenwich funeral director. In the business licenses 1906 to 1910 he is listed as a undertaker.

Mayhugh, P. B. & W. T. - Nokesville, R.F.D. #2, Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a undertaker.

Mayhugh TV and Appliances - Manassas, Va., 115 N. Main Street, 1950s

Mayhugh, William H. A. - paid a license tax of $18.00 for an ordinary 4 Jun 1837.

Mayhugh, W. T. - Nokesville, Va., Listed as a painter in the 1911 Virginia business directory and a undertaker in the 1917 directory.
McBryde, Stewart - Manassas, Va., 301 N. Main Street - Physician, 1950 YP

McCormick House - Haymarket, Va., In 1893 George W. Smith operated a bar room at a place he called the McCormick House. BL

McCoy, W. E. - Central Garage, The ford car your necessity, Runabout is $390, Touring Car $440, Coupelet $590, Town Car $640, Sedan $740, 29 Jun 1916 M.D. - The garage was listed in the 1920 business licenses.

McCoy Transportation Company - Manassas, Va., Auction Receiver’s Sale of Property including trucks, vans, trailers, truck parts, truck bodies, truck tires, automobile parts and accessories garage equipment, a milk route Manassas to Washington. 20 Apr 1933 M. J.

McCrae, James W. F. - Physician, Paid a license fee to practice medicine in the county 9 Jun 1854. BL

McCuin, E. General Store - Gainesville, Va., The following is from an ad in the 1938 Journal Messenger - “Thrifty Big Box of Lux 22 cents, Lifeboy Health Soap 3 for 19 cents, Spry Vegetable Shortning 3 lbs. can 55 cents.

McDonal General Store - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a general store with the owner listed as James M. McDonald.

McDonald Grocery Store - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1925 county business licenses as a grocery operated by G. B. McDonald. His wife was operating the store in the mid 1930s. - fine fresh groceries, 12 Apr 1934 M. J., notions - groceries - school supplies, 1933 BYB

McDonough, James - Haymarket, Va., Listed as a coach & wagon maker and undertaker in the 1888-1889, 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories. On 31 May 1869 James billed Prince William County for 2 coffins, one for Elizabeth Jeffries the other for Charles Dawson.

McGlothlin Electrical Shop - Manassas, Va., 334 Center Street, Mr. & Mrs. Robert McGlothlin started the business the last part of 1946 or the first of 1947. In the 1 Oct 1949 issue of the Manassas Journal they were auctioning off the store and their residence.

McInteer & Keys - Retail Merchants in the 1880s

McInteer, A. L. & Company - Nokesville, Va., In the 1877-1878, 1884-1885,1888-1889 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories as a general merchant and seller of agricultural implements.

McInteer, A. Lee & Company - Dumfries, Va., In the business licenses, taxes were paid from 1882 until at least 1900 for retail merchant and retail tobacco. The 1880-1881,1884-1885, 1888-1889,1890-1891,1893-1894 and 1897-1898 business directories has the business as a general merchant with liquor. In the 1897-1898 business directory as a seller of agricultural implements.

McInteer, F. A. & Brothers - ordinary keepers in 1873 and general retail merchant in 1884. BL

McInteer, J. C. - Dumfries, Va. Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

McInteer, J. M. - District #2, retail merchant with a tobacco license 1894-1895

McInteer’s Mill - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1888-1889 Virginia business directory as a corn and flour mill.

McInteer, Robert - Quantico, Va., Paid $100.00 yearly license fee to operate a bar room 2 May 1898. BL
McInteer, Stuart - Dumfries, Va., A retail merchant with a license to sell tobacco products in the 1890s.

McIntosh, J. W. - Gainesville, Va., R.F.D., Listed as a painter in the 1911 Virginia business directory.

McIntosh, William - Paid a $6.25 license tax for selling foreign merchandise 1 Dec 1807 BL.

McLean, Wilmer - Manassas, Va. - farms, mills, houses and lots, mineral and timberland for sale 5 Jun 1869 M. W. G.

McMahan, J. R. - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1925 county business licenses as operating a house of private entertainment. (2 beds)

McMichael & Payne - Nokesville, Va., Stuart A. McMichael and J. Howard Payne were the owners 9 Feb 1948 C.O.

McMichael, S. A. - Nokesville, Va., general merchandise, He bought the stock of Trenis & Company who was going out of business in 1941, He owned the business for a couple of months before trying to sell the business at auction because he was inducted in the army. 1941

McMichael Service Center - Nokesville Va., McCormick Deering Farm Machinery, Kaiser & Frazier Autos, general hardware, plumbing and heating supplies. General machinery and auto repair 1 Sep 1949 M. J., In 1960 yellow pages he was the authorized sales and service for Dodge, Dart, Chrysler, Plymouth, Valiant, Simca, and International Harvester on Main Street in Nokesville. The certificate of ownership was dated 24 Mar 1947.

McNair, Pat - Manassas, Va., Nokesville Road, decorating, interior and exterior, all work guaranteed.

Meade, R. A. - Haymarket, Va., Flour, grain, feed, & hay, low prices, prompt service. 11 Jan 1923 PWN – Listed as a general merchant and feed store in the 1927 business licenses.

Meetze, C. J. & Co. - Manassas / Bristow / Milford Mills, Va., Real Estate & Insurance, having determined to devote my whole time to real estate and insurance business I hereby solicit all property for sale, M. I. C. Building, Manassas, Va. 3 Dec 1914 M. D. - Listed in the business licenses starting in 1908 as a merchant at Milford Mills and a standing stallion license at Bristow. In July 1909 the Manassas Journal said he was selling his dairy farm because he had just purchased Millford Mills. The 1926 Virginia business licenses list him as a attorney. In the 1917 Virginia business directory he is listed as commissioner in chancery and a real estate company.

Meetze General Store - Limstrong, Va., Lizzie R. Meetze, selling retail merchandise and tobacco products from at least 1907 to 1917. BL, BR, BD,


Mel - Al Restaurant - Manassas, Va., 106 S. Main Street, 1950s

Mel s Bamboo Grill - Occoquan, Va., M. F. Luttrell was the owner and proprietor 4 Jun 1954 C.O.

Melton, M. S. - General Store - Haymarket Va., Fine Groceries, 24 Mar 1934 M. J., Over stocked sale, Owing to such an unusually mild season we have over bought on merchandise. Inventory time is near and we have decided to make it out at sacrifice prices. Overcoats, Mens Suede Jackets, Groceries, Stoves, Auto Tires, Etc., Strictly Cash and no goods taken back or exchanged. Those with established charges account at regular prices. 1 Dec 1938 M. J. - General Merchandise - Feeds, Seeds, Fertilizers, best prices for produce, 1949 OYB

Merchant & Amidon - District #2, merchant license 14 Aug 1882 BL
Merchant & Clagett - Were Prince William merchants at the start of the Civil War.

Merchant, B. D. - Eureka House, Manassas Virginia, B.D. Merchant proprietor, meals at all hours, 5 Jun 1869 M.W.G.

Merchant, B. D. - Whittington & Company - Dealer in Hardware, We carry in stock a full line of building hardware, blacksmith’s supplies, Oliver chilled plows and repairs, feed cutters, corn shellers, hay forks, carriers and pulleys, carpenter’s tools and pocket cutlery, the celebrated clauss scissors and shears. Our prices are the very lowest, Mr. B. D. Merchant under whose direction the business is conducted will take pleasure at all times in showing goods. Manassas, VA 28 Feb 1896 M. G.-The 1880-1881 business directory has B.D. Merchant as a Prince William Supervisor.

Merchant, Catherine - a merchant and ordinary owner from 1830 to 1844. BL

Merchant’s Firestone - Manassas, Va., 112 S. West Street, 8 hour tire recapping, service on passenger cars, trucks, buses, and farm equipment, radio - television - home appliances, 1950s

Merchant, J. W. - Dumfries, Va., Listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1911 Virginia business directory.

Merchant, John - paid a license fee to operator an ordinary 1826-1829.

Merchant, L. E. - Dumfries, Va., Listed as a retail merchant in the business licenses of 1892-1900 - and the 1897-1898 business directory. He was a county magistrate about 1915-1917.

Merchant, N. F. - Dumfries, Va., Paid a $10.00 physician license fee 20 Apr 1897.

Merchant, Robert W and Company - Manassas, Va., General merchandise and millinery company, from about 1875 to about 1894, BL, BD, BR

Merchant, W. Caton Jr. - Manassas, Va., started in business in 9 Dec 1943 with a small Esso service station and Firestone Store with four employees at the corner of West and Center Streets. A second Esso station was added in 1947 on route 29-211 at Centerville. In 1949 he opened a Firestone Store in Quantico supplying tires to many service stations.

Merchant, William C. & B. D. - Manassas, Va., merchants from about 1852 to at least 1876.

Merchant, William E. - Dumfries, Va., Was listed as a general merchant in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 business directories.

Merchant, William F. - Physician, Manassas, Va., born 10 Mar 1868 Manassas, 20 Sep 1897 BL - In the business license records starting 1897 and continuing until at least 1917. In some records his name appears as F. W. Merchant.

Merchant, William - Paid a license tax fee for an ordinary 7 Jun 1813 BL

Merchant, William H. A. - Had an ordinary in Prince William county from 1837 to at least the start of the Civil War. BL

Meredith & Powell - Manassas, Va., Barber Shop now ready for business, next door to McDonald Store. 15 Jan 1930 M. J.

Meredith & Thornton - Attorneys At Law - E. E. Meredith and J. B. T. Thornton, We will practice in the courts of Prince William and adjoining counties, and the United States Courts. Invariable rule of remitting on day of collection. Manassas, VA 28 Feb 1896 M. G. Both listed in the 1890-1891, 1893-
1894, 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as attorneys. E. E. Meredith was a Brentsville lawyer from the early 1870’s until after 1906.

**Meredith, J. Cabell** - Physician, Manassas, Va., born 27 Jan 1861 Nokesville, Va., Had a physician business license from 12 Sep 1885 to at least 1918. BL, BD - He was also the county coroner in the 1911 and 1917 business directories.

**Meredith, J. M.** - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 Virginia business directory as a saw and planing mill.

**Meredith, R. W.** - Nokesville, Va., a dentist in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories. He is listed in Brentsville in 1874 and Manassas in 1875 business licenses.

**Meredith, T. S.** - Gainesville, Va., Had a standing stallion license in 1909. He is listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as the owner of a dairy.

**Merritt & Company Land Agency** - Paid business license fees in the 1890s for a land agent.

**Merritt, Catherine** - was a retail merchant 1898.


**Merritt, O. P.** Manassas, Va., A land agent in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories.

**Metherall, J. W.** - Hoadley, Va., was a Prince William County magistrate from 1905 to at least 1912

**Metz & Davis** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1920 - 1925 county merchants licenses as a eating house with an additional license for a soda fountain

**Metz and Weir Company** - Manassas, Va., In 1922 the owners were H. Elmer Metz and R. M. Weir.

**Metz, Alonzo** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as operating a nursery.

**Metz, H. Elmer & Co.** - Manassas, Va., Santa’s pack never held a finer gift than a Standard Radio. We offer you a liberal credit plan or a rock bottom price for cash. 17 Dec 1925 M. J., -Maytag washing machines, let me acquaint you with this labor saving line of appliances for the home. 28 Jan 1932 M. J.

**Metz, T. M.** - Manassas, Va., In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a carpenter & builder.

**Metz, W. G. & Brother** - Manassas, Va., In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory they were listed as nurseymen.

**Metz's Inn** - Manassas, Va., A good place to eat and drink, served in the various styles with pleasant surroundings and cleanliness, 10 Dec 1925 M. J.

**Metzger, H. C.** - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as the operator of a house of private entertainment with taxes paid for two beds.

**Metzger, William** - District #2, retail merchant license 4 May 1882, he also had a stallion license 1883, 1888, 1903 and 1909.

**Midway (The)** - Hoadley, Va., A grocery and beer store at Hoadley. Herbert J. Franzello was the owner 3 Jan 1951 C.O.
Midway Barber Shop - Manassas, Va., 114 W. Center Street, 1950s

Midway Restaurant - Gainesville, Va., Robert E. Thorn was the owner and proprietor 1 Sep 1948 C.O.

Mighty Midget - Manassas, Va., Center Street, Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Perkins, Hamburgers, Hot dogs, Milk, Coffee, “m-mmm these are extra good” 27 Jan 1947 M. M.

Miles, John - Manassas Had a blacksmith shop in the 1860s.

Milford Mill - Bristow, Va.- Blachford’s Calf Meal, Seed Oats, Beet Pulp, Cotton Seed Meal, Corn Meal ground by water power, Buckwheat flour, Bran, Brawn, and White Middlings, Cracked Corn and Mixed Feed on hand. 9 Dec 1909 M.J. - Listed in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881 and 1890-1891 Virginia business directories as a Prince William County Mill owned and operated by J. R. Hornbaker. The owner in 1909 was C. J. Meetze

Millam, Abraham - Paid a license fee to operate an ordinary 1825 to at least 1830.

Miller, G. W. - Buckland, Va., Listed as a Carpenter and Builder in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, business directories.

Miller, John H. - District #1, was a butcher in the 1870s.

Miller, John W. - Manassas, Va., was a butcher in the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories.

Miller, Thomas - District #1, paid a $7.00 license fee to sell fertilizer 1 Aug 1886.

Milligan & Longwell - Manassas Va. hardware store in the 1888-1889 Prince William business directory. Paid a license tax to sell fertilizers in the late 1880s. Also listed in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 Virginia business directory.

Milligan, Abraham - Paid an $18.00 license fee to operate an ordinary 4 Jun 1823.

Milligan, R. - Manassas, Virginia, New Hardware Store - near the Post Office, hardware, paints & oils, wooden and willowware, “Arlington” cook stoves 17 Oct 1885 M. G. Mr. Milligan was one half of the partnership of Milligan & Longwell hardware merchants. The only record of the store in the business licenses were for the years 1885-1888.

Mill Park Mill - Haymarket, Va., C. A. Heineken is listed as the owner of the mill in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 business directories.

Mill Park Wine Company - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 in the Virginia business directories as a distiller

Mills, B. T. - Transfer and hauling, hauling of all kinds at reasonable prices, car lots a specialty, see me or phone freight depot, 2 Apr 1921 P.W. N.

Mills, W. F. - Occoquan, Va., had a bar room and retail liquor license from 1887 to 1896. BL.

Milnes Garage see Al’s Garage

Milstead, Col. V. - paid a fee for an ordinary license 4 Dec 1848

Milstead, Coleman - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898, business directories as a blacksmith and wheelwright.
Milstead, Frank - Hoadley, Va., in the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia business directories as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Milstead, Isaac - paid a fee for an ordinary license 3 May 1852

Milstead, John - paid a fee for an ordinary license 4 Mar 1811

Milstead, Lewis - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Milstead, Noah - paid $20.00 for a medicine license 1 May 1884.

Milstead, W. B. General Store - Neabsco, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Milton, Wesley A. - Ordinary owner from 1843 to 1853. BL

Miner, Gilbert S. - Dumfries, Va. - Listed as an attorney in the 1852 Virginia directory and business Register.

Minnick & Stone Construction - A. R. Stone was the sole owner 12 Nov 1953 CO

Minnieville Mill - Minnieville, Va., a saw and planing mill operated by D. C. Alexander in the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Virginia directories.

Minute Service Station - Manassas, Va., Center Street and Grant Ave., Shell high test at the price of regular gas, full line of Mansfield & Goodrich Tires, Greasing, Washing, and Simonizing. 1 Feb 1934 M. J.

Missouri Mill - Location given as Missouri Mills in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 business directories. The mill at that time was owned by William B. Leary.

Mitchell Auto Parts - new and used auto parts, W. C. Mitchell, 1950s

Mitchell Brothers - Manassas, Va., butchers listed in the 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 Prince William business directories. The business was also known as H. F. Mitchell & Brother who had business licenses from about 1880 to at least 1893.

Mitchell Mill - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1888-1889 Virginia business directory as a corn and flour mill.

Mitchell Ordinary - On the 1810 list of ordinaries. James Mitchell was the owner and keeper from 1808 to 1826.

Mitchell’s Restaurant - Triangle, Va., route #1, Mitchell C. Brooke was the owner 31 Jan 1941 C.O.

Mitchell, Robert - Langyher Mill / Bristow, Va., Operated a bar room at Langyher’s Mill from 1875 to 1883 In the business licenses. He is also in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 business directories as a general merchant.

Mitchell, T. B. & Company - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 Virginia business directory as a general merchant.

Molair, H. & Son, Ordinary - above the Occoquan, paid a $30.00 license fee for an ordinary 7 May 1855.

Molair, Roy General Store - Limstrong, Va., A Limstrong merchant with a merchandise and tobacco license 1907-1926 BL. BD, BR,
Moncure, R. T. - Triangle, Va., Listed as a common crier in the 1927 business licenses.

Moncure Motor Company - Quantico, Va., Dodge and Plymouth Sales and Service, James Hunt
Moncure and John Moncure were the owners 5 Feb 1941 C.O.

Monday, Thomas - District #1, retail merchants license 1 May 1884. BL

Monroe, S. M. Miss - Wellington, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a florist.

Monroe, W. T. - Wellington, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a coach and wagon builder and a carpenter and builder.

Montaque, L. Grant - District #2, retail merchant license 26 Nov 1898. BL

Monticello Beauty Shop - Manassas, Va., 337 Prescott Ave, 1950s

Mooney Chevrolet - Triangle, Va., Chevrolet and Oldsmobile Sales and Service, “A Stich in time saves nine” and we take all the stitches necessary to make a used car run like new. Buy one of our guaranteed OK used cars and spend your time driving instead of spending your money fixing. 1935 Chevrolet $439, 1934 Chevrolet master sedan $433. 1932 Chevrolet coach $249, 1932 Chevrolet coupe $249, 1931 Chevrolet sport coupe $185 - Backed by the guaranteed OK that counts. 15 May 1936 QS

Moor, W. - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Moore & Davis - Paid $20.00 license fee to be a retail merchant 3 May 1852

Moore & Heath - Paid a $24.00 license tax to be a retail merchant 1 May 1854

Moore Bicycle Repair - Manassas Va., Horace Moore will make repairs to any make of bicycle, Reasonable rates 15 May 1941 M. J.

Moore, Ed H. - Had a retail merchant and butcher’s license from 1892 to at least 1899.

Moore, J. B. - Greenwich, Va., Listed in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 Virginia business directories as a Blacksmith.


Morgan, F. B. - Occoquan, Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as the operator of a livery stable.

Morgan, J. A. Livery Stable - Manassas, Va., livery stable, Main Street and Rail Road, good teams, good vehicles and up to date livery, heavy hauling, single & double harness saddles, bridles, all kinds of vehicles at low prices. 15 Dec 1905 M. J., 20 Apr 1911 M. D. - J. A. Morgan purchased a merchant and livery stable license from 1905 to at least 1912. In 1911 he had a license to sell agricultural implements.

Morgan, J. E. - Cherry Hill, Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as operating a boarding house.

Moromsco Land Improvement Manufacturing Company - Occoquan, Va., manufacturing fertilizers for use on lands, sawing lumber, raising livestock. John Nagles and Charles Dalmas both of Occoquan Twp. were the owners 28 Jun 1883 C.B.

Mory Saw, Feed & Planing Mill - Manassas, Va., Corner of Center & West Streets, in 1907. The Sanborn Fire Insurance Company map says no lights, no watchman, the power was steam fuel. In the 1897-1898 business directory as a saw mill operated by M. Mory.

Moser, J. L. & Brother General Store - Manassas, Va., Main Street just below Lipscomb’s and next door to the post office. We are paying 14 cents for eggs and 20 cents for butter this week, bring us your produce of all kinds, we take almost anything in exchange for our new stock of goods. 25 May 1906. M. J. - The business was operating in 1910 with a license to sell retail merchandise including tobacco.

Moss Brothers Mill - Sudley, Va., I have purchased the grist mill near Sudley formerly operated by the Moss Brothers. I have overhauled same throughout and am now prepared to furnish the public with choice meal, crackers, corn, feed, etc, at moderate prices. A splendid crushing machine of modern make and large capacity enables me to do crushing at short notice. Signed E. N. Pattie, 11 Mar 1910. M. J.

Moss, L. Q. & Company General Store - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a general merchant and barber.

Mosser’s Repair - Hoadley, Va., auto repair garage, Frank Mosser the owner 22 Jul 1947. C.O.

Mother Gratz Ben Franklin Store - Quantico, Va., Buy your presents early and Mother Gratz will wrap them for you. 29 Nov 1935. Quantico Sentry.

Mount, James W. - Gainesville, Va., Had a retail merchant license in 1875

Mount, W. H. - Thoroughfare, Va., Listed as a carpenter and builder in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory. He also had a general store in the 1906 business directory.

Mountjoy, Frank - Forestburg, Va., Merchant with a merchandise and retail tobacco license in 1907.

Mountjoy, W. E. General Store - Woolsey, Va., was a retail merchant with a tobacco license from 1892 to at least 1912.

Moxley, B. G. H. - On 3 Jun 1852 he paid for a dentist license.

Moxley, Louisa - Paid a license tax in 1899 to operate a boarding house.

Muddiman, George - Manassas, Va., All kinds of concrete work and masonry, prices reasonable as consistent with first class work, office at residence, North Center Street, 9 Dec 1909. M. J.

Muddiman, R. A. - Manassas, Va., 429 N. Grant Ave., interior & exterior decorating, we can furnish all necessary paints and materials. Also wallpaper in the latest colors and designs. All work guaranteed, done by first class experienced workman 7 Mar 1947. M. M.

Mulholland, Patrick General Store - Manassas, Va., Purchased a retail liquor license for a bar room from about 1886 to around 1900. He also had a merchant and retail tobacco license from 1891 to at least 1912. BL

Mulholland, William - Manassas, Va., Retail merchant in the 1888-1889, 1890-1891, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 business directories.

Mullin, J. H. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as a common crier.

Murdie, W. M. - Gainesville, Va., R.F.D., Was listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a live stock dealer.
Murdock Ordinary - The business licenses have the owner in 1830 as Rhody Murdock. From 1831 to 1844 Phebe Murdock is listed as the owner.

Murley Radio & TV Repair - 146 Manassas Drive, 1950s

Murphy, J. J. - District #2, retail merchant in the 1880s.

Murphy, J. L. - Woodbridge, Masonry and Brick Work Done, Contractor in brick, cement, and cinder block 1938 M.J.

Murry, A.S.P. - Woolsey, Va., Listed 1911 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Murray, Dallas - Waterfall, Va., Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Muschett, Alexander - One of the early physicians in the county. He paid for a license 1 May 1814.

Muschett, James M. A. - Brentsville, Va., Physician, Listed in the 1852 Virginia directory and business Register. He also paid business license taxes in the 1850s.

Muschett, James C. - Dumfries, Va., Paid a license tax to be a retail merchant from 1880 to at least 1900. in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881 and 1897-1898, business directories as a general merchant.

Music & Hobby Center - 138 Center Street, Manassas, 3 speed record player, Idea for Christmas giving, $21.95, also see our large selection of albums and single records. 1950s

Music Studio - Manassas, Va., 114 N. Battle Street, Virginia Speiden Carper, Fall Term begins Monday, Sept 26 1949 - 1 Sep 1949 M. J.

Myers, B.F.A. - Manassas, Va., Listed as selling general merchandise in the 1908 business licenses.

Myers, Susan F. - Occoquan, Va., was a ordinary keeper in the 1870s.

Myers, T. F. - Listed in the business records a running a boarding house in the 1880s.

Myers, W. R. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a cigar manufacturer.

N. and S. Grill - Gainesville, Va. 1949 OYB

Nalls, B. B. - Greenwich, Va., In the 1893-1894, 1897-1898, 1906, 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories as a carpenter & builder.

Nalls, C. E. - Greenwich, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a contractor and builder.

Nalls, C. M. - Buckland, Va., merchant, paid a license fee 1 Feb 1880 in the business licenses. Also Listed in the 1880-1881 and 1884-1885 business directories as a general merchant

Nalls, Enoch - above the Occoquan, a retail merchant and liquor license from 1855 to the beginning of the Civil War.

Nalls, William M. - Had a license to sell merchandise and retail spirits in 1849.

Nan’s Amoco & Lunch - Haymarket, Va., service station and lunch room, 8 Dec 1953 C.O.

Nanzetta, J. H. - Manassas, Va., in 1908 he had a license for a public performance and a vender of medicine.
Nash, C. E. & Co Hardware Store - Manassas, Va., - Farmers, builders, housekeepers, we are better prepared than ever before to supply your wants in the hardware line. Bigger stock, bought closes, sold closer, 15 Dec 1905 M. J. - The only dealers strictly in Staple and Fancy Hardware in the County. We are the sole agents for the celebrated “Oliver Chilled Plows” and Stag Brand Paints. We are the headquarters for grass seed, barb wire and Pittsburgh Perfect Field Fence. In 1922 C. Emery Nash and C. E. Fisher are listed as owners on the Certificate of ownership. - The company is listed in the business licenses and business directories from 1898 to at least 1926.

Nash, C. E. - Manassas, Va., President of Central Mutual Telephone Company. Individual lines $3.00 per month, 2 party line $2.50 per month, rural party line $1.75 per month, 11 Apr 1929 M. J.


Nash, James V. - Potomac, Va., Listed as a Prince William County Supervisor in the 1880-1881 business directory.

National American Refrigerating and Construction Company- Brentsville, Va., manufacturing machinery for refrigeration purposes and to make artificial ice. The principal office to be at Brentsville, Va., 30 Mar 1871 C.B.

National Bank of Manassas - Manassas, Va., was the first bank to be established in Prince William County. The first meeting of stockholders was held in the office of judge C. E. Nicols on 27 Jul 1895. H. F. Lynn was elected president and R. H. Lynn was elected vice president. The first cashier at the bank was Westwood Hutchison with a salary of $950 per year. T. H. Lion was hired as the first teller at $35.00 per month. - Resolve to deposit your money in a strong bank, not necessarily strong because of vault equipment only, but because of able and experienced officers and a host of depositors and patrons. The New Year holds to you a golden opportunity for future success if you will save your earnings by depositing them with us. 3 Jan 1919 M. J. - In operation from 1896 to 1956. The location was at 9406 Main Street from 1866 to 1912. Located second at the corner of Main and Center Streets 1912-1956. In 1956 the bank became First Virginia Bank.

National Heating Company - Manassas, Va., 338 Center Street, Heating Contractor, E. D. Gothwaite of Clifton Va. was the owner in 1941.

National Variety Store - Manassas, Va., Closing out our Manassas stock at 134 Center Street, shirts, hose, sweaters, blankets, dresses and many more things. 29 Dec 1932 M.J.

Nation-Wide Service Grocery - Quantico, Va., grocery store on Potomac Ave., delivery hours leaving store 10.30 A.M. and 4:30 P.M., accounts payable 1st and 15th of month. Make your orders justify the delivering. E. L. Perry proprietor 21 Jun 1935 QS, - W. S. Bourne was the owner and proprietor 5 Feb 1941 C.O.

Neabsco Mill - Neabsco Mills, Va., was the location given in the 1877-1878 Virginia business directory. The owner at that time was R. Atkinson.

Neabsco Slate Quarry - Minnieville, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 Virginia business directory with the owner listed as R. F. Stonnell.

Nectar Bottling Company - Manassas, Va., Sell soft drinks, by wholesale or retail. servicing retail soda fountains. C. A. Sinclair and H. Elmer Metz 1921

Nelson, Jas. E. - Manassas, Va., Fire Insurance - Fire! Fire! is alarming, Have you a policy?, Best Companies Represented, write for rates, Jas. E. Nelson, Manassas, VA 9 Dec 1909 M. J. - James is also listed from 1909 to at least 1917 in the Virginia business licenses and directories as an insurance agent and the owner of a pool hall in 1917.

Nelson, Thomas - Paid a license tax to operate a house of private entertainment 1 May 1834.

Nelson’s Mill - near Bellfair Mills, Va., The owner in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 business directories is listed as E. McWing.

New Century Manufacturing Company - Paid $30.00 in 1899 for a merchant license.

New Hotel Restaurant - The restaurant at the hotel announces that it will be open Tuesday, March 14 at 11 A. M... Free on opening day Sandwiches & Coffee, choice of Roast Beef or Ham, R. B. Hynson, proprietor, 7 Sep 1933 M. J. - another ad 17 Jun 1934 M. J. list the following prices for beer by the case at the restaurant - Heurich $2.25, Arrow $2.25, Tru Blu $2.25, Maerzen $2.65, Schlitz $3.00, Blue Ribbon $3.00, Budweiser $3.00

Newman & Cornwell - District #2, merchant license 1896.

Newman & Trusler Hardware Co. - Manassas, Va., established in 1913. The hardware and furniture store was in the heart of the Manassas business district and contained 3000 square feet of floor space. Mr. O. E. Newman was a native of East Greenville, Pennsylvania but moved to Virginia when he was 12 years old. He was a member of the town council and a director of the National Bank of Manassas. Mr. W. E. Trusler was born in Virginia and at one time was the chairman of the county Republican committee. “We have just received a car load of wire fencing, our prices are right, give us a call, 3 Dec 1914 M. D. - The company is listed in the 1927 business licenses.

Newman, A. Mrs. Millinery Shop - What the ladies want in Manassas. Mrs. A. Newman has opened a millinery establishment in the Manassas Hotel and keeps on hand a fine assortment of ladies and children’s hats and bonnets, veils, ribbons, and flowers. We alter at very low prices. 5 Jun 1869 M.W.G.


Newman Ordinary - Above the Occoquan, Was in business from the late 1820s until at least 1838. The first keeper was Albert Newman. In 1835 Horace Newman began paying the yearly license fee.

Newman, T. H. - Manassas, Va. picture framing, 9 Feb 1933 M. J.

Newman, Walter A. - Manassas, Va., Physician, born 3 Oct 1853 Orange County, Va., 6 Feb 1913 BL. The first business license for W. A. Newman in the county records is for the year 1887. He was listed in the business directory of 1917 as a Manassas physician.

New Method Cleaners & Dyers Inc. - Manassas, Va., 122 S. Battle Street, phone 282, Quick, Quality Cleaning, pressing while you wait, Dry Cleaning that can be depended upon 3 Jan 1947 M. M. Bernard W. Sheppard is listed as the sole owner on 21 Mar 1945 C.O.

New Prince William Garage - Manassas, Va., “The Home of Overland and Willis Knight”. We are glad to announce to our friends and patrons that our up to date garage is now open for service, not the ordinary service that the average country garage affords, but expert service with the reputation of an expert mechanic back of it. Real service cannot be appreciated until received on your individual car. Hence in order to be convinced give us a trial. 20 Apr 1923 M.J.

New Prince William Hotel - Manassas, Va., The hotel was listed in the 1917 business directory with this name.
New Stone House Inn - Lyon, J. P. - Stone House, Va., - Opening Saturday May 21, 1938 under the personal direction of Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Lyon, Lee Highway (U.S. Route 211) Manassas Battlefields specializing in chicken and Virginia ham dinners, reservations may be made for bridge luncheons, May 1938 M. J.

New Way Garage - Woodbridge, Va., J. C. Hayes was the owner 14 May 1952 C.O.

New Way Grill - Quantico, Va., corner of Potomac and C Street, Michael Angell and Ruby Angell were owners 27 Apr 1946 C.O.

New Way Lunch - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1925 county business licenses as a eating house. The following is from a 1936 Quantico Sentry newspaper- Known throughout the Marine Post and Quantico for the finest hot cakes and country sausage. Breakfasts 30 and 35 cents, lunches 30 and 35 cents, come in after the movies for a toasted sandwich. We are open from 6 A.M. to Midnight.

New York Delicatessen - Quantico, Va., Jean Fisher was the owner and proprietor 20 Jul 1942 C.O.

Newton Laundry - Quantico, Va., 240 Potomac Ave., Quality Cleaning and Tailoring, We call for and deliver, M. O. Newton - proprietor 25 Sep 1936 Quantico Sentry

Nichols, A. & Company - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory under the heading staves & headings.

Nicol & Ransdell - Manassas, Va., Real Estate Bargains, M.I.C. Building, If you are planning to buy realty, you can save money by first inspecting our list of town and farm property. We have a most attractive and desirable list of farms and town lots, and can supply any demand in city property.1904 M. J., Listed as a land agent in the 1893-1894, 1897-1898 Virginia business directory. John Nicol started the business in 1887 five years before the name of Ransdell was added. Some years the business license was issued to John Nicol while others were listed as Nicol and Ransdell.

Nicol, Aylett - Brentsville, Va., Had a law practice in Prince William County from about 1860 to 1877. BL - Listed in the 1877-1878 business directory as a lawyer.

Nicol, Charles E. - Manassas, Va., Attorney At Law - Office near Southern Depot, 9 Dec 1909 M. J., 17 Oct 1885 M.G. also had a office at Brentsville in 1888. Charles was listed in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1890-1891,1893-1894,1897-1898 and 1906, Virginia business directories as a attorney. He is listed yearly from 1875 to at least 1910 in the county business licenses.

Nicol, E. G. - Grocery Store - Greenwich / Bristow, Va., Listed in the business licenses and directories 1908-1912 as a merchant with a merchandise and retail tobacco license.

Nicol, John A. - Manassas, Va., Farms Wanted, I have a number of application for farms, some large and some small. So I have concluded to get up a list that will suit all comers and send it far and wide. 25 May 1906 M. J. - John is listed in the business licenses until at least 1909.

Nokesville Co-Op Union - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as a retail merchant.

Nokesville Coal and Lumber Company - Nokesville, Va., on the 23 Mar 1946 owner’s certificate Harold F. Smith and Ferris W. Gue are listed as owners.

Nokesville Distillery - Nokesville, Va., James Kiewit, prop., in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Nokesville Flying Club - Nokesville, Va., On 25 May 1947 the following Nokesville residents were listed as owners, Ray A. Diehl, Cleveland H. Flory, Lawrence P. Coverstone, and Harry A. Fitzwater.

Nokesville, Greenwich and Buckland Telephone Company - Manufacture telephone and supplies to construct and maintain lines. J. E. Brown of Buckland, president, - D. P. Edmonds of Greenwich, vice president - W. W. Wood of Greenwich, treasurer. 16 Jun 1902 C.B.

Nokesville Motor Company - Nokesville, Va., The owner in 1941 was E. C. Spitler. On 4 Oct 1945 Beverly L. Kearnes and Hasel Kearnes obtained a certificate of ownership. The following is from the 3 Jan 1947 M. M. - Kearnes Brothers general auto repair, body and fender work repair, painting.

Nokesville Produce Company - Nokesville, Va., J. G. White, proprietor, Poultry, Eggs, Produce, info. from Bank of Nokesville account. and the 1920 business licenses.


Nokesville Supply Company - Nokesville, Va., We will not knowingly be undersold. We will meet any price in the country on identical merchandise. Salmon 15 cents a can, Santos Coffee 22 cents a pound, rice 5 pounds 25 cents, sugar 10 pounds 47 cents, shoes $2.98 a pair, mayonnaise 1 pint 29 cents, 30 Oct 1931 MJ - John Deere Quality Implements and Service, It's here a new John Deere Model G Tractor. It has the time-tried, field proven advantage of the famous John Deere Model “A” tractors, plus the extra power, bigger daily work output. 9 Jun 1938 M.J.


Nook Lunch - Triangle, Va., route #1, restaurant & retail merchant, Open Day and Night, Hamburgers, Bar B Q’s, Baked Ham, Just name your sandwich we have it. Beer and soft drinks, Ice Child Glasses, Air conditioned. 1936 QS - Herbert Thornton Mooney was the owner 30 Jan 1941 C.O.

Norman & Athey Store - In operation from 1838 to 1856 and maybe longer. Charles Norman was the Proprietor in the 1850s.


Norman Realty - Manassas, Va., 118 E. Center Street, Real Estate Sales Specialists in Homes, Acreage, Farms. 1950s

Norman's Grocery - Indept. Hill, Va., (called Abb Norman’s store) grocery and tobacco products, Albert Washington Norman was the owner and proprietor 28 May 1941 C.O.

Norman, (J.B.) Brandy Still - Voy, Va., Had a license for a small still 2 May 1895. He also was a retail merchant who had a license to sell tobacco products.

North and South Grill - Gainesville, Va., retail merchant and restraint. In 1941 the owner is listed as Wilbur Addison Winters.

Northern Virginia Nursery - Nokesville, Va., Call us for plans and prices on your landscape needs. We
are now offering Japanese Hollies, Chinese Hollies, Boxwoods, White Pines, Shade trees and many other plants. A service founded on integrity (Located near Greenwich) 13 Sep 1956 M. J. - Charles H. Kennedy and Maizie Kennedy were the owners 5 Jan 1953 C.O.

**Norvill Ordinary** - Peyton Norvill was a very early merchant and ordinary owner in Prince William County. In 1807 he had a license to sell foreign merchandise. In 1820 Peyton Norvill started paying a yearly license tax to operate an ordinary. He continued to operate the ordinary until 1850 when Lucien Norvill began to run the business. In the late 1850s Lucien turned the ordinary into a house of private entertainment. The business was active until the start of the Civil War but in 1870 when the business license began again there is no mention of any Norvill.

**Nutt, George W.** - District #1, paid a license tax to be a fertilizer agent 1 Sep 1886. BL

**Oak Grove Kennels and Game Club** - Manassas, Va., R.F.D., Veterinary Services. Dogs boarded and trained, we buy and sell hunting dogs. 250 acre estate open for inspection, one half mile south at Lake Jackson, Bill Carrick, manager, 7 Jul 1938 M.J.

**Oak Park Motel & Restaurant** - Gainesville, Va., Route 29, We welcome private parties, clubs, etc., dine and dance, assorted wines and champagne, complete dinners, 17 heated units, fee television, 1950s

**Occoquan and Woodbridge Telephone Company** - 21 Jan 1895 C.B.

**Occoquan Horse Company** - 2nd District, Had a standing stallion license 2 Apr 1909 BL

**Occoquan Lunch** - Occoquan, Va., R. S. Hall was the owner and proprietor 4 Feb 1941 C.O.

**Occoquan Market** - Occoquan, Va., In Hammill Hotel for your fresh and cured meats, groceries, canned goods, fruits and vegetables. We handle only western dressed beef etc. Give me a call, if you have not done so already. I guarantee satisfaction. Frank Hereford, proprietor. 1910-1911

**Occoquan Mill** - Occoquan, Va., S. J. Janney was listed as the owner in the 1877-1878 and Joseph Janney in the 1880-1881 business directory.

**Occoquan Pharmacy** - Occoquan, Va., retail and drug business at Mill Street, Herman Floyd Jennings 29 Jan 1941 C.O. - Listed in the 1925 Prince William business directory.

**Odd Furniture Shop** - Manassas, Va., Located on Route 28 North, 1950s.

**Oertley, L. B.** - Cherry Hill, Va., in the early 1900s he had a business license for a retail merchant and a house of private entertainment at Cherry Hill.

**Ogle Harris & Sons** - Occoquan, Va., owners were ogle Harris, Arthur Harris, Norman Harris, and Saluka Toliver 28 Jan 1948 O. C.

**Old Dominion Speedway** - Manassas, Va., speedway and amusement park, Arthur L. Gore was the owner 21 Apr 1954 C.O.

**Omear, V. C.** - District #1, listed as a huckster in the business license 1 Oct 1878.

**O'Neil’s Beauty Shop** - Yorkshire, Va., Edna O’neil, 1949 BYB

**Original Robert E. Lee Motor Court** - Woodbridge, Va., George R. Leyda was the owner 12 Aug 1953 C.O.

**Osborn, Fred D.** - Dumfries, Va., 12 Aug 1907 he had a business license to be a commercial photographer. He was listed as a photographer in 1911 BD
Osborn, Eugenia - Manassas, Va., educator, 1867-1951, co-founder of a private seminary in the Baldwin House, the former home of Isaac Baldwin. In the early 1890s the school moved to East Center Street, and then later to Grant Avenue at Portner Ave. Sometime around 1900 the school changed its name to The Manassas Institute.

Osmun, C. J. - District #1, a physician in the 1870s. In Prince William County until at least 1880. BL

Osmun, L. C. - Bristow Station, Va., Was a physician in the county from about 1850 to at least 1870

Osmun, L. C. Jr. - Bristow Station, Va., Was a physician in the 1850s and 1860s

Owens, Stanley A. - Manassas, Va., Lawyer, 121 N. Grant Ave, corner of West and Battle Streets in 1950

Pack and Atwood - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1909 business licenses as an operator of a merry-go-round in Manassas.

Page's Mill - Catharpin, Va., Area, on the old Pageland Plantation, built by Gwyn age sometime around 1800.

Palace Pool Parlor - Manassas, Va., in the 1925 business licenses as a Manassas Pool Hall and paid a tax to operate with 4 tables. In 1960 the business was located at 113 S. Battle Street.

Palmer, M. F. General Store - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Pandjedes, Peter - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1920-1925 county business licenses as the operator of a 10 bed house of private entertainment and eating house.

Paolo Stock Farm - Nokesville, Va., Dealer and breeder specializes in boarding horses. Saddle horses and hunters. E. E. Hale prop. 1953 BYB

Papa, Mike - Barber Shop, Manassas Va., North and Church Street, 27 Nov 1941 M. J., 1960 at 119 S. Battle Street

Paris Auto Service - Quantico, Va., 1936 Chryslers -Paris Auto Service has them, Agent for Studebaker-Plymouth- Chrysler-Austin , Let us care for all your automobile needs, we have been in business here since 1922, prepare for trouble free driving “Winter-ize” your car in November. Get a thorough inspection of all vital parts free. Our prompt service is in a clean up to date location that saves you time. Leave your car on your way to work. Half a day is enough for ordinary operations. Service on all makes of cars. For your cars sake change motor oil, transmission and differential lubricants. For your sake - Heaters, Radiator’s Covers, and Chains. Don’t neglect these important items, bring in your car today at the corner of Broadway and 5th Ave. 3 Nov 1936 QS

Park Bakery - Manassas, Va., 114 S. Battle Street, Grand Opening Monday November 19, 1956, Hours Monday through Thursday 8 A.M. - 8 P.M., Friday & Saturday 7 A.M. to 9 P.M., Sunday 8 A.M. to Noon 15 Nov 1956 M. J.

Parker House Motel - Triangle, Va., tourist home, Louis H. Parker was the owner 30 Jul 1953 C.O. Originally the name was just The Parker House.

Parsons, Lester L. - Nokesville, Va., Excavating and grading, hauling, gravel, crushed stone, sand, asphalt, shale, building materials, 1950s

Parsons, Samuel B. - Dumfries, Va., Had a license to have public shows 3 May 1813.
Partlow & Pearson - Gainesville, Va., Listed as a merchant in the 1925 business licenses.


Partlow, W. - Horton’s Store, Va., Listed as a cattle dealer in the 1890-1891 business directory.

Partlow, W. H. General Store - Fayman, Va., Merchant with a general merchandise and retail tobacco license in 1907 BL and the 1911 business directory.

Patrick, L. E. - Manassas, Va., Car Painting at Pence Motors, Give your car a “Spring Dress” of lustrous color, your friends won’t recognize the “Ole boat” after we’ve shot our paints, spray over it., 31 May 1934 M. J.

Pattie Auto Service - Quantico, Va., 5th Ave. and Broadway, automobile dealer and garage repair shop, Cokin George Paris 31 Jan 1941 C.O. In 1950 Nick Katsarelis was also listed as an owner.

Pattie, Benjamin F. - District. #1. Had a common crier license in the 1880s.

Pattie, E. N. General Store - Catharpin Va., NEW MILL, I have moved my mill into my building at Catharpin and added to the machinery a new pair of meal burrs of the latest patent, with fan and sifter attached and now prepared to furnish you with best meal, cracked corn, feed, etc. 20 May 1910 M. J. - E. N. Pattie continued to purchase a business license until at least 1926.

Pattie, James A. - Gainesville, Va., retail merchant from 1879 to 1894 James owned and operated a boarding house and house of private entertainment from 1886 to 1895. The boarding house later became known as “The Gainesville Hotel” and is listed in Chataigne’s 1884-1885, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, Virginia business directories. James Pattie is listed as the proprietor.

Pattie, L. B. - Catharpin, Va., Listed in the business licenses during the early 1900s to at least 1927 as a common crier.

Pattie’s Grocery - Triangle, Va., L. Edward Pattie was the owner 22 Nov 1941 C.O.

Pattie, W. C. - Gainesville, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a physician.

Patton, G. J. - Nokesville, Va., A watchmaker and jeweler in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Patton, Joseph M. - Waterfall, Va., Operated a Bar Room at the Foley House from about 1889 to about 1900. BL, in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a Waterfall, Va. Saloon Keeper.

Pauline’s Sandwich Shop - Triangle Va., Pauline Grayson was the owner 28 Apr 1954 C.O.

Payne & Evans - Buckland, Va. In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as saw mill operators at Buckland.

Payne & Farrow - The only mention of this business was the license for an ordinary dated 1 May 1843.

Payne & Keys - Canvassers and hucksters from 1870 to 1880 in the Coles District of Prince William County. Jackson Payne started the business and is listed as the sole owner until 1874.

Payne & Meredith - Brentsville, Va., Attorneys at Law, 23 Nov 1872 M.W.G.

Payne & Polen - Manassas, VA, Newman Building opposite old stand, Juicy tender meats, choice groceries and fresh vegetables. We handle the famous Purity and family flour and the best corn meal in town; we are in the market to buy fat cattle, calves, lambs and hogs. 9 Dec 1909 M. J. - Payne & Polen
sold out to Maddox & Byrd in 1910. - Listed as butchers with merchandise and a retail tobacco license in the 1909 business licenses.

Payne & Wine - Manassas, Va., Stuart E. Payne and Robert R. Wine were the owners 5 Dec 1952 C.O.

Payne Grocery, G. W. - Groceries & Provisions, we are now fully stocked with fresh fancy and staple groceries as well as fine line of provisions, no old goods, everything fresh, bought right and sold right, 15 Dec 1905 M. J. CLOSING OUT SALE, In order to close out our grocery, provision, canned goods and notion business we have made sweeping reductions, positively everything must go. 18 Jan 1907 M.J.

Payne, J. R. - Buckland, Va., A carpenter and builder in the 1890-1891 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Payne, John D. - A Prince William physician in the 1870s. BL

Payne, John M. - Dumfries, Va., Listed as a saddle and harness maker and county magistrate in the 1888-1889 business directory.

Payne Ordinary - On the 1810 list of ordinaries. William Payne paid the ordinary tax from 1808 to 1812.

Payne, R. B. - Independent Hill, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Payne, S. A. - Manassas, Va., a merchant with a merchandise and retail tobacco license 1 May 1908. BL

Payne Service Station - Gainesville, Va., Service Station & Lunch Counter, Francis Harvey Payne was the owner in 1944.

Payne, Varnell - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1920 county business licenses for retail merchants.

Payne, Wade C. - Gainesville, Va., Physician, born 31 May 1885 Culpeper County, VA, 6 Jan 1909 BL. He was on the county board of health in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Payne W. W. General Store - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory.

Peace, S. A. - Manassas Va., I buy and sell horses, let me know what you have or want and I will call to see you. 25 May 1906 M. J. He is also listed in as a cattle dealer in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Peake Ordinary - Operated by William Peake in the 1830s.

Pearce, Hubbell - paid a $10.00 pedlar license fee 4 Nov 1823 BL.

Pearl, C. H. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as a retail merchant.

Pearson & Elgin Produce - “near Glen Eyrie”, in 1910 the business was changed to Elgin Produce because Pearson sold his interest. (Court Records)

Pearson, R. A. - Gainesville, Va., Listed in the 1906, 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Pearson Grocery Store - Manassas, Va., located in the Sprinkel Building, Whole milk American cheese 30 cents a pound, eggs 22 cents a dozen, 3 pack of corn flakes 25 cents, Quaker oats large pkg. 25 cents, CASH TALKS. Trade with R. L. Pearson and bank the difference, quality, low prices unequalled 9 Feb 1928 M. J. and 22 Mar 1928 M.J.

Pearson’s Garage - Gainesville, Va., in 1941 the owner is listed as Alma Brady Pearson on the
• certificate of ownership.

Pease, H. R. - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1920 county business licenses as a pool room with two tables.

Peebles - Manassas, Va., Most for your money, GEMCO SNARK, “55” 20 inch lawn mower, 3 ways to buy - Cash, Charge, Lay-a way, 1950s MJ

Pence, G. H. - Manassas, Va., Time to paint at the high price of lumber and other building materials you cannot afford to neglect your buildings by failing to keep them protected with paint. estimates furnished on all contracts, water colors a specialty. 2 Apr 1921 P.W.N.

Pence Motor Company - Manassas, Va., Esso gas service, a car dealer at Main & Quarry Streets in Manassas. The owner on the 1941 certificate of ownership was Arthur L. Pence

Pence & Sharrett - Manassas, Va., An old friend in a new dress, improved of course but no change in design. The same good chassis with Duco Satin finish, cowl lights, and a higher hood. OLDSMOBILE SIX a product of General Motors. 11 Sep 1924 M. J. - The company was listed in the business licenses in 1925 and 1926.

Pendleton, C. - Gainesville, Va., R.F.D. , Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Pendleton, William M. - Neabsco, Va., Paid for retail merchant, and retail tobacco license fee from 1894 to at least 1908 BL

Penn, Charles R. - Had a house of private entertainment from 1887 to 1892, BL

Penn, Robert - District #1 merchant, 1980s

Penn-Vir Coal, Oil & Gas Co. -What it is doing in promoting development in Virginia. The oil of Bremen, Ohio, is a grade bringing $1.53 per barrel. The product indicated in our field is of the same Quality. The company will within a week begin a derrick at Nokesville, Va., preliminary to drilling. Home Office: Manassas, Virginia, 9 Dec 1909 M.J.

Peoples Barber Shop - , Manassas, Va., 126 W. Center Street 1950s

People’s Garage - Manassas, Va., Jesse Crosby prop. , The new Nash 400 leads the world in motor car valvue.28 Mar 1929 M. J., In a yellow pages ad in 1960 list the following - Oldsmobile Sales and Service, 242 E. Center Street, Ellis M. Cornwell, Howard R. Cornwell, Radio Dispatched, 24 hour wrecker service loaded or empty anytime-anywhere. In 1922 Jesse Crosby and W. W. T. Merchant were listed as owners on the certificate of ownership. In 1941 the garage was a authorized Dodge and Plymouth dealer with Montraville Cornwell listed as the owner.

People’s Market - Manassas, Va., Bell & Athey Props., We carry a complete line of meats and groceries, sweet milk and pure cream every day. 5 Jan 1923 M.J.

Peoples National Bank of Manassas - The Peoples National Bank was organized in 1903. It was a very Progressive bank with resources of more than a half million dollars in the early 1920’s. The following is an advertisement in the Manassas Journal, “Once each week we pay for this space for the privilege of inviting you to become a depositor of our bank. The person who reads about us fifty-two times a year ought to know us at least fifty-two times better than if he had read of us but once. The better he knows us the more likely he is to like us and our business methods. 9 Dec 1909 M. J. (bank was at Centre and Battle street in 1940, in 1960 C. A. Sinclair was president, R. C. Powell V.P., A. D. Scott cashier, Gene Conner assistant cashier, in 1919 William H. Brown was president, A. W. Sinclair was Vice President, G. Raymond Ratcliffe was Cashier, N. Battle, corner of Church)

Perry, E. L. General Store - Potomac, Va., Listed in the 1911 & 1917 Virginia business directories.

Person’s Virginia Market - Manassas, Va., 301 Main Street, (formerly Arrington’s), Fresh Vegetables, Meats, Groceries, Fruit, 27 Jan 1947 M. M.

Peters & Hutchison - Haymarket, Va., We have just received a car load of southwestern stock ewes. call on us for prices. 1910

Peters, Franz - Mill Park & Haymarket, Va., Was listed as a brandy manufacturer in the 1890s business licenses.

Peterson Jewelry - Manassas, Va., 118 W. Center Street, South Battle Street, Watch & clock repair, above the A & P store, no job to small nor too complicated to receive prompt attention here 4 Feb 1937 M. J. The store operated by J. C. Peterson in the 1930s before A. J. Peterson joined the business and it became Peterson & Son.

Peterson & Son - Manassas, Va., National Bank Building. We are closing out our entire stock of watches, new and used in order to devote all our time to the repair business 3 Jan 1947 M. M.

Peyton, William W. - Paid a $20.00 license fee to be a merchant 1 May 1838

Phillips & Cole - District #1 Photograph Artist, license fee 24 Jun 1893.

Phillips & Company - Manassas, Va., Main Street near National Bank Building, Rite-Way cleaning and Pressing, hats and gloves cleaned, phone us, all work guaranteed 17 Nov 1927 M. J.

Phillips, John A. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1908-1911 Virginia business licenses as a dentist.

Phillips, R. T. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a shoemaker.

Phillips, Richard H. - Paid a $20.00 license fee for a merchant’s license 1 May 1827 BL

Pic’s Flower and Gift Shop - Manassas, Va., 305 West Church Street, opposite post office, CANDLES – Hurricane candles (burn 8 hours) $1.00 a dozen, mosquito lites (burn 50 hours $1.00) House & Garden lights $2.50 dozen. 29 Jul 1954 M. J. - Catherine Pickeral, Paul Wilkins, Franelle Polen, June Wilkins, and Russell Polen were the owners 1 May 1954 C.O.

Pickeral, Dr. H. E. - Manassas, Va., Veterinarian, phone my residence or Cocke Pharmacy, day or night service. 22 Mar 1928 M. J., 23 Jul 1931 M. J.

Pickett, D. W. - Listed as a huckster 1 Jan 1877 BL

Pickett, E. E. General Store - Antioch / Waterfall, Va., merchant with a merchandise and retail tobacco license in the 1905-1911 business licenses.

Pickett, W. S. - Haymarket, Va., Operated a bar room, billiards saloon, boarding house and livery stables at Manassas between 1885 -1890. In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory he is listed as having a hotel in Haymarket.

Pickrell, Hillery - One of the early merchants in the county. Paid a license fee of $15.00 to sell foreign merchandise 30 Apr 1808 BL

Piedmont Farm - Land Company - Manassas, Va., P.O. Box 104, Dealers in Farm, Timber and Fruit
Lands along the Piedmont belt of Virginia. Quite a number of the properties are close into Manassas where we have fine churches and school advantages. 28 Sep 1911 M. D.

**Piedmont Farm Seed Co., Johnson, C. R. C.** - Manassas, Va., clover and grass seed, we are prepared to offer the farmers of Prince William County red clover. we guarantee to give you the best seed at the lowest price. 11 Mar 1915 M.D.

**Piedmont Federal Savings & Loan Assoc.** - Manassas, Va., 125 N. Grant Ave. corner of Lee Ave, Margaret Adams, secretary - treasurer, list of assets & liabilities in ad. 27 Jan 1947 M. M.


**Piercy, T. M.** - Gainesville, Va., Paid a $10 fee for a merchant’s license 1 May 1925.

**Pierson’s Guernsey Dairy Inc.** - distributor of pasteurized dairy products. Ask for a sample of our drinking custard to be used as a drink, a sauce, base for frozen desserts and etc. 1935 Quantico Sentry.

**Pine, A. J.** - Had a license in the 1890s to have a house of private entertainment.

**Pinn, H. E. Grocery Store** - Manassas, Va., grocery and provision store,- Dealer in all kinds of family groceries, provisions, flour, meal, bacon, fish, tobacco, sugars, and confectioneries 27 Jan 1870 M.G.

**Pitkins, George** - A district #1 merchant in the 1880s.

**Pittard Brothers Gulf** - Yorkshire, Va., 1285 Centreville Road, Radiators repaired & re-cored by experts, tires, batteries, accessories, brakes relined, ignition work. 1950s MJ

**Pitts Drive Inn Theater** - Yorkshire, Va., 1110 Centreville Road, 1955 YP

**Pitts Theater** - Manassas, Va., 119 N. Main Street, New Modern and Air Conditioned - Feudin! Fussin! and a Fightin!, starring Donald O’Conner, admission 10 cents and 35 cents plus tax 1 Sep 1949 M. J.

**Planet Dry Cleaners** - Triangle, Va., David C. Cline was the owner and proprietor 2 Sep 1953 C.O.

**Plaza Garage** - Manassas, Va., Corner Center & West Streets, when better automobiles are built Buick will build them, F. R. Hynson, Salesman, 5 Jan 1923 M. J. The company was listed in the business licenses in 1925 and 1926.

**Pleasant Level Tourist Home** - Dumfries, Va., route #1, Katie E. Keys was the owner 31 Jan 1941 C.O.

**Pleasantview Farms** - Nokesville, Va., J. F. Hale & son, dealer and breeder of quality dairy cattle 1943 BYB

**Polsky, N.** - Manassas, Va., Junk Dealer, N. Polsky proprietor, daily market cash prices paid for scrap iron, rubber, rags, paper and magazines, all kinds metals, also raw hides and furs a specialty, ship us your hides, we assure you best treatment 3 Jan 1919 M. J.

**Poffer, Tony** - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1925 county business licenses as an eating house.

**Porter Brothers Garage** - Dumfries, Va., Wilmer Porter and Daniel Porter were the owners 24 May 1946 C.O. In July 1946 Wilmer was the sole owner.

**Porter, Charles** - Cherry Hill, Va., Listed in the 1907 business license as operating a house of private
entertainment and the 1917 directory as a boarding house.

**Porter, Charles** - Cherry Hill, Va., - operated a house of private entertainment at Cherry Hill in the early 1900s. BL

**Porter’s Inn** - Dumfries, Va., route #1, Mildred Porter was the owner 14 Feb 1941.

**Portner Brownstone Company** - Manassas, Va., mine & quarry stone, Alvin D. Portner of Manassas Was president, John H. Nelson of Wash. DC was secretary; George F. Akers of Manassas was the general manager. 12 Apr 1900 C.B.

**Portner Brewing Company** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1907 Virginia business licenses.

**Posey, Ashel** - Token, Va., Star Hill, Bar Room, Listed in the business licenses from 1893 to 1899. BL

**Posey, Edward** - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891, 1897-1898, 1906, and 1917 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

**Posey, James** - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

**Posey, Joseph** - Hoadley, Va., listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a contractor and builder.

**Posey, William** - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

**Posey, William General Store** - Minnieville, Va., merchant in the 1907 county business licenses and the 1911-1917 business directories.

**Posey’s Esso Service Station** - Canova, Va., Two great gasoline’s, Esso and Esso Extra, groceries, drinks, tobacco, and small repairs, 1939 J. C. Posey, proprietor.

**Possum Point Grocery Store** - Dumfries, Va., Jessie W. Mountjoy was the owner and proprietor 26 Feb 1952 C.O.

**Post News Stand** - Quantico, Va., Greyhound & Great Eastern Bus Lines, Agent for Farmers Creamery, marine barracks, David Shapiro & Son-owners 25 Sep 1936 QS

**Potomac Cafe** - Triangle, Va., Preston Dent, and Helen Dent were owners 1 Jun 1943 C.O.

**Potomac Farm Motel** - Dumfries, Va., route #1, tourist home and restaurant, J. Kennedy Sills & Cecil Sills were the owners 30 Oct 1953 C.O.

**Potomac Farms** - Woodbridge, Va., route #1, Louis Mussler and Edith Mussler were owners 12 Apr 1948 C.O.

**Potomac Jewelry Shop** - Quantico, Va., agent for Remington typewriters, watch repair, coins and stamps, 12 Jun 1936 QS

**Potomac Lunch** - Quantico, Va., 313 Potomac Ave., Bernard Tierney and Emanuel Kaila were owners and operators 30 Oct 1946 C.O.

**Potomac Mining Company** - Manassas, Va., mining minerals of every kind to prepare for market. 11 Jul 1898 C.B.

**Potomac Motor & Hardware Company** - Quantico, Va., 319 Potomac Ave., John William Liming was
Potomac Slate and Mining Company - Neabsco Mills, Va., Mining of slate and other materials in Prince William County. The mine and office was near Neabsco Mills. President Stephen D. Castleman was the president; Samuel A. Pugh was the treasurer 18 Apr 1868 C.B.

Potomac View Lunch Room - Woodbridge, Va., filling station & lunch room at route #1, E. W. Dawson were the owner and operator 10 Feb 1941 C.O.

Potter, Grace Mrs. - Bristow, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a grocer.

Powell, C. H. - District #1, a retail merchant in the 1890s.

Powell, F. H. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1925 business directory as operating a house of private entertainment with 2 rooms to let.

Powell, John S. & Company - Occoquan, Va, A physician and retail merchant from 1860 to at least 1899 in the business licenses. He is also in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1889-1890, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 business directories as a physician and druggist. John was also one of the early Prince William County Supervisors.

Powell, John T. - A Prince William physician at the beginning of the Civil War.

Powell, T. J. - Brentsville, Va., Lawyer, listed in the 1880-1881 business directory.

Pratt, S. C. & Co. - Manassas, Va., Office in Peoples Bank Building, Manassas, Va., Electricians, our prices and work both right, estimates gratis 3 Dec 1914 M.D.

Prescott, J. W. & Company - Manassas, Va., Spoke Factory at Maple & Quarry Streets, The 1907 Sanborn Fire Insurance Company list the following - 3 turning lathes, 3 saw benches, 1 polisher. Listed in the 1897-1898, and 1906 Virginia business directories as a spoke manufacture.

Preston, F. A. - General Store, Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Price & Collier - Manassas, Va., Lawyer, 204 of Piedmont Federal Bldg., 125 N. Grant Ave, 1950s

Pridmore, B. L. - District #1, A canvassing to buy license in 1873, huckster license 1876-1880, a merchant 1878-1883 BL

Pridmore Ordinary - James B. Pridmore paid a $40.00 license fee to operate an ordinary 1 Apr 1861 BL

Prim, George - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Prim & Stokes Blacksmith Shop - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, Prince William County business directories.

Primas, Lewis W. General Store - Thoroughfare, Va., retail merchant with a merchandise and tobacco license from about 1908 to at least 1921. A black owned and operated business in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Prince William Bakery & Restaurant - Manassas, Va., 115 Battle Street, Decorated Cakes a specialty, pastries, bread, rolls, fancy cookies, doughnuts - We have completely revolutionized our plant and are turning out an entire new line of sweet goods, rolls, etc. 22 May 1930 M. J., 30 Nov 1939 M. J. - J. W. Smith is listed as the owner in 1922 on the on the certificate of ownership. In 1943 and 1952 the bakery was owned and operated by Maurice Smith. C.O.
Prince William County Miniature Golf Course - Manassas, Va., It is not known when the business started but the advertising started in August 1930.

Prince William County National Farm Loan Association - Manassas, Va., advertising a meeting at the court house 3 Feb 1939 at 10 AM. It’s your meeting but the generosity of the following merchants and cooperation of the Manassas Journal we can offer 41 door prizes. They have such faith in your organization that they will pay you to attend your own meeting. Can you afford to stay home. J. J. Conner, president; M. B. Whitmore, secretary-treasurer.

Prince William Electric Cooperative - Manassas, Va., a locally owned, locally operated, tax paying business, route 28 Centreville Road, 1951 yellow pages.

Prince William Enterprises Inc. - Manassas, Va., Dry Cleaning, Laundry - W. Hill Brown Jr., president; Bruce W. Mackenzie, Vice President; A new Deal for Manassas - announcing the opening of its cleaning, pressing, and shoe repair divisions on Tuesday, March 22, 1938. Why send your money out of the county, keep it here and watch Prince William grow. We call for and deliver both clothing and shoes 17 Mar 1938 MJ

Prince William Farmers Service - Manassas, Va., Talk over your seed and feed needs with us. Now is the time to order. 15 Feb 1934 MJ. Walter Sadd is the owner on the 1931 certificate of ownership. He also was the owner of the Economy Store.

Prince William Hotel - Manassas, Va., The first Prince William Hotel opened for business on the Southside of railroad between Grant and West Streets in March 1904 but was destroyed by fire. The second Prince William Hotel opened 15 Oct 1910 at the corner of Main and Center Streets under the direction of Mr. W. R. Lewis who has been so successful operating the Earren Green Hotel in Warrenton, Va. - The owner on the certificate of ownership in 1941 was Richard Bruce Hynson. The next ad is from 15 Apr 1943 Journal Messenger - Main and Centre Streets, Under New Management, The hotel is now being renovated from top to bottom. The main dining hall will open Sunday April 18, 1943. Special dinners such as chickens, steaks and hams. Earl B. Wolverton, prop. 15 Apr 1943 M. J. The 1907 Sanborn Fire Insurance Company map shows only a foundation left for ruins of the Prince William Hotel. On the Fire Insurance maps in 1924 the hotel is at corner of Center & Main Streets. The 1925 business records list F.E. Gulick as the owner and paid a license tax to operate 21 rooms for private entertainment.

Prince William Hotel & Curb Service - Manassas, Va., hotel food service, Walter C. Sadd was owner 10 Sep 1948 C.O.

Prince William Laundry - Manassas Va., 30 pieces for only $1.00, 15 small pieces and 15 large pieces, sheets 7 cents, shirts 12 cents, visit your modern plant. 4 Dec 1941 M. J.

Prince William Laundry and Dry Cleaning Agency - Manassas, Va., Now open in the Prince William Hotel, 3 day service on laundry and dry cleaning, Earl Brown Wolverton-owner, men’s suits 75cents and up, over coats 75 cents and up, dresses 75 cents and up, shirts 15 cents each 3 Mar 1945 MJ

Prince William Miniature Golf - Manassas, Va., Play golf, 28 Aug 1930 M. J.

Prince William Motors - Manassas, Va., 134 Centre Street, Automobile Sales and Service. The owner in 1941 was Walter C. Sadd.

Prince William Normal School - Brentsville, Va., I. H. Beahm, principal, For Ladies and gentleman, full courses of instruction prepares for teaching, practical life, or a broad and liberal education, lively and thorough, education, homelike, best methods, careful discipline, beautiful and healthful, well equipped building, good society, terms low 22 Oct 1897 M. J.

Prince William Pharmacy - Manassas, Va., 118 Center Street, Retail Drugs, Home Remedies, Poultry
And Live Stock Remedies, Stationery, and Professional Prescriptions Services. - Gift dressings such as holly boxes, holly paper, seals, holly napkins, etc. to add the finishing touch to the Christmas presents, will be found in variety at Prince William Pharmacy 9 Dec 1909 M.J. - The Pharmacy was under the management of R. M. Callis starting in 1935. R. M. Callis a registered pharmacist will compound your prescriptions with the purest and freshest drugs and chemicals as written by your physician. We are agents for Yardley Toiletries, Parker Fountain Pens, Ferris Garden Seeds, Whitman Candies, Southern Dairies Ice Cream, and a complete line of school supplies. - In 1941 the owner is listed as George B. Cocke on owners certificate.

Prince William Pressing Club - Manassas, Va., Lynch building next to Victor Hotel, Expert cleaning, scouring, dyeing and pressing, altering and repairing neatly done. Ladies work a specialty, fancy evening dresses cleaned, Harvey & Terrell proprietors. 11 Jan 1912 M. D.

Prince William Produce Company - Manassas, Va., Paid a $10 fee for a merchants license 1 May 1925.

Prince William Publishing Company - Manassas, Va., semi weekly newspaper, The Prince William Times. The first issue was printed 10 Jun 1904. The first editors James B. Hodgkin and R. W. Merchant. - Robert H. Davis of Bristow - president, Robert Merchant of Manassas was treasurer. 21 Apr 1904 C. B.

Prince William Restaurant - Manassas, Va., Miss Irene Isenburg prop., We are now open Sundays from 12 noon to midnight, Steaks and Fried Chicken A La Carte, 24 Jan 1947 M. M.

Prince William Sundry Shop - Manassas, Va., Center Street, Pause and refresh at Manassas newest fountain. sign and present this certificate at our fountain for a free 10 cent drink of your choice. 29 Jul 1954 M. J.

Proffitt Insurance Agency - Manassas, Va., North Battle Street, Causality, Fire, and Marine Insurance, 19 Mar 1936 M. J., Located in the National Bank Building in 1951, - Mrs. Viola D. Proffitt is representing the largest standard companies writing Insurance of all kinds anywhere. 1951 yellow pages.

Progressive House of Printing - Manassas, Va., 417 Sudley Road, Job Printing, large and small, see us for quality work, 1950

Pugh, William L. - Physician, Paid a license fee to practice medicine in the county 22 Apr 1861 BL.

Purcell, James - Had a house of private entertainment and general store in the 1830s, an ordinary in the 1840s and early 1850s.

Purcell, William R. - Gainesville, Va., Cattle dealer, 1870s.

Purcell, William F. - paid a license fee 2 Oct 1843 to operate a house of private entertainment.

Putnam, Thomas B. - Catharpin, Va., Listed as a cattle dealer in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 Virginia business directory. In the business licenses 1870 - 1877 Thomas was a huckster, canvasser and cattle dealer.

Pyrites Mining and Chemicals Company of Virginia - source was a court case about 1920, file #74 ended causes.


Quality Radio & T.V. – Sales & Service 1966
Quantico Bank - Quantico, Va., The bank founded in 1923 with G. Raymond Ratcliffe of Dumfries and later Manassas was chosen chairman and A. E. McInteer was appointed secretary. The officers elected at the November 15, 1923 were C. G. Herring, president; C. C. Cloe, vice president; and H. Ewing Wall, cashier.

Quantico Candy Kitchen - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1925 county business licenses.

Quantico Company (The) - Quantico, Va., Real Estate Sales, - source was the court case of M. H. Omohundro vs The Quantico Company 25 Mar 1918

Quantico Dry Cleaners - Quantico, Va., 24 hour service at the rear of Moncure’s Garage, Al Presti, proprietor, Light summer clothes soil easily but we will clean them thoroughly without shrinkage or fading. Experienced spotter formerly with Footers Dye Works at Cumberland Md., Ladies dresses cleaned and pressed 75 cents, hats cleaned and blocked 50 cents, Men’s suits cleaned and pressed 75 cents. All work called for and delivered. We will call in morning for garments and return them in the evening. 1936 QS

Quantico Exclusive Gifts - Quantico, Va., 242 Potomac Ave., Betty Boyd and Marguerite Mills were the owners 21 Oct 1952 C.O.

Quantico Haberdasher - Quantico, Va., Lewis S. Thomas owner 8 Oct 1942 C.O.

Quantico Ice Company - Quantico, Va., retail merchant and Ice company, M. N. Kincheloe was the owner 4 Feb 1941 C.O.

Quantico Light & Electrical Power Company - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Quantico Market - Quantico, Va., Complete line of fresh meats and vegetables. Orders are given prompt attention. Deliveries between 8 A.M. and 5 P.M.

Quantico Mill - Dumfries, Va., Corn and flour mill, The 1877-1878 Virginia business directory has the owner as Wheat & Dunnington. The 1880-1881 directory list the owner as F. H. Frankenburg of Dumfries. In the 1888-1889 directory without an owner listed. The owner in the 1897-1898 business directory is listed as D. J. Calvert.

Quantico Motor Company - Triangle, Va., A. L. Blanton was the owner 11 Dec 1940 C.O. - On 13 Nov 1942 the owners were Inez C. M. Blanton, C. Rosser Massey, Lucille I. Massey, Mary M. Hammond. The business is listed in the 1925 county business licenses.

Quantico Pharmacy - Quantico, Va., On these hot summer days visit the Quantico pharmacy for cooling, refreshing and invigorating beverages. We welcome the patronage of the marines and our complete line of stock caters to the most exacting demand. 12 Jun 1936 QS - Julius Ferlazzo and Anthony Ferlazzo were the owners 11 Feb 1941 C.O.

Quantico Pool Room & Sandwich Shop - Quantico, Va., 335 Potomac Ave., sandwiches of all kinds, Beer & Wine on and off sale, Pool Tables. John Demokis was the owner and operator 11 Feb 1941 C.O.

Quantico Sentry - Quantico, Va., Office on the first floor of the Bank Building on Potomac Ave. “The newspaper that keeps you posted on what you want to know.” - Local Happenings, service news, sport programs, social events, A weekly review for military and civilian residents; a weekly publication that keeps you in touch with Quantico wherever you may be. Subscribe now and let the news follow you, subscriptions are $1.25 a year and $.75 for 6 months. Daphne Lowell Dailey and Clara Margaret Payne both of Bowling Green, Va., were the owners 1 Dec 1936 C.O.

Quantico Supply Company - Quantico, Va., Wholesale and Retail Sales, E. L. Robey the owner 14 Feb
Quickway Laundry - Manassas, Va., 106 W. Main Street. Self Service Laundry, 8 lb wash 35 cents, fluff dry 25 cents, closed at noon December 24th, 13 Dec 1955 M. J.

Ralls, J. S. General Store - Orlando, VA, merchant in 1895 - 1897 business licenses and the 1906 and 1911 Virginia business directories.

Ralph’s Coffee Shop - Triangle, Va., Ralph B. Berry was owner 14 Apr 1949 C.O.

Ramey, A. J. - Manassas, Va., Merchant in the county business licenses from around 1910 to at least 1926.

Ramey, E. J. - Bristow, Va., Paid a $23.82 business tax in the 1925 business licenses for merchants.

Ramsey, B. - Paid a $100.00 business license fee to be a lumber merchant 1 May 1886 BL.

Randall, Esther J. Bell - Manassas, Va., telephone operator in 1904. The switchboard was on the second floor over Bell’s Shoe Store near the corner of Center and West Streets.

Randall, J. A. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as an auto dealer.

Randall, J. I. - Manassas Va., blacksmith and machinist, horseshoeing and general repair work, saw gumming and hammering, disc sharpening, 9 Dec 1909 M.J - J. I is also listed as a blacksmith in the 1906, 1911 and 1917 Virginia business directories.

Randall, J. J. - New Prince William Garage, Welcome everyone, record breaking sales mark the wide spread endorsement of the new Willys-Knight, seven beautiful new models, each powered with the marvelous Willys-Knight, sleeve valve engine that improves with us. 16 Mar 1923 M. J.

Randall, Mary - Paid a $10.50 business license fee to operate an ordinary in Prince William County 7 Nov 1836 BL.

Randolph, John - Haymarket, Va., Physician, Paid the $10.00 business license tax to practice medicine in the county 1 May 1879 BL. He is also in the 1877-1878 Virginia business directory as a Haymarket physician.

Randy’s Steaks - Manassas, Va., 215 Peabody Street, Wholesale Steaks and other choice meats, Stonewall Acres, Lon C. Warner & Wayne Reeves were the owners 28 May 1951 C.O.

Ransdell & Nicol Real Estate - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory.

Ransdell, F. E. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1908 Virginia business licenses as a land agent and in the 1917 business directory as a real estate agent.

Ratcliffe & Sinclair Mill - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a corn and flour mill.

Ratcliffe, Elizabeth - Paid a license tax to operate an ordinary from 1 May 1820 until 6 Sep 1825. BL.

Ratcliffe, George - General Store Dumfries, Va., A retail merchant from 1881 to at least 1917 in the county business licenses. He also had a license for cigars and other tobacco products. Was listed as a Dumfries undertaker in the 1884-1885, 1888-1889,1890-1891,1893-1894,1897-1898 and 1917 directories and a furniture dealer in 1911 business directory.
Ratcliffe, James - paid a business license tax to be a merchant in 1838 and 1839.

Ratcliffe, Quinton - Had a license to sell foreign merchandise 30 Apr 1808 BL.

Ratcliffe, R. Jackson - Manassas Va., Insurance for all your needs, Surveying. 110 N. Battle Street, Residence 413 N. Grant Ave. 1949 OYB.

Ravenwood Inn - Manassas, Va., retail merchant, tobacco and restaurant at Ford Bridge Run, Buckhall Road. The owner in 1942 was G. S. Gladney of Buckhall, Va. In 1945 the owner is listed as George J. Sachs.

Ravenwood Store - Manassas, Va. mercantile business, In 1944 the owner on the certificate of ownership was E. H. Burns.

Read, James - Paid a $15.00 business license tax to sell foreign merchandise 30 Apr 1808.

Reading, J. C. & Sons Inc. - Yorkshire, Va., 1239 Centreville Road, building materials & supplies, 1950s

Reading, M. - Paid a license tax to be a physician in the county 1 May 1881 BL.

Record Shop - Manassas, Va., 114 S. Battle Street, S. Eugene Worley and Maurice Smith were the owners 10 Apr 1954 C.O.

Rector & Butler - Haymarket, Va., listed as undertakers in the 1908 - 1917 Virginia business licenses and directories. They were also listed as blacksmiths and wheelwrights in the 1911 directory.

Rector & Company - Haymarket Va., Undertakers, prompt and satisfactory service, hearse furnished for any reasonable distance. 19 Dec 1919 M. J.

Rector & Hunt Grocery Store - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Rector, C. L. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the business licenses as having one auto for hire 1 May 1920.

Rector, Charles - Haymarket, Va., listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Rector, E. B. - Waterfall, Va., Listed as a grocer in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory. Had a business license from 1 May 1894 to at least 30 Apr 1900 - He might also have operated a general store at Bristow about 1920.

Rector, N. B. or N.S. - Haymarket, Va., Listed as a butcher in the business licenses from 2 May 1898 to at least 30 Apr 1910.

Rector, R. L. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the business licenses as an undertaker 1 May 1925 BL

Rector, W. A. - Manassas, Va., Listed as a plumber in the 1911 Virginia business directory.

Rector, W. L. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories under the heading of stoves, tin ware and sheet iron workers.

Rector’s Market - Woodbridge, Va., a grocery store and retail market, E. R. Rector was owner 4 Feb 1941 C.O.

Red White and Blue Grocery Store - Manassas, Va., Best groceries and Finest meats, phone #176 12 Apr 1934 M. J.
Redi Gas Service - Manassas, Va., city gas convenience at homes not served with a gas main.  1941 M.T.D.

Reed & Alexander Store - Paid a license fee for a retail store 1 May 1834.

Reed, I. C. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as the restaurant owner.

Reeder & Wine - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as plumbers.

Reedy, W. F. - Manassas, 109 Zebedee Street, was listed as a Tinsmith in the 1950 yellow pages.

Rees, A. F. Inc. - Call Rees to remove that old, sick, or dead animal, also to buy hides, tallow, grease, crackling, bones, etc. We are equipped to give you prompt and courteous service day or night  1 Sep 1949 M. J.

Reeves Ordinary - Courtney Reeves started with a house of private entertainment about 1840 and by 1844 had converted to a ordinary. The business possibly continued until the start of the Civil War and might have been called Turner & Reeves Ordinary in 1860.

Reid, Bill - Manassas, Va., Electrical Contractor, service - repair, G.E. Appliances,  23 May 1947 M. M.

Reid, Daniel General Store - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory. He is also listed as selling wholesale soft drinks.

Reid, David S. General Store - Thoroughfare, Va., Listed in the 1917 business directory.

Reid, Ernest - Minnieville, Va., Listed as a lumber dealer in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Reid, H. W. - operated an Ordinary in Manassas in 1899 at the “Brent Building”.

Reid, Henry - District #2 retail merchant in the 1890s

Reid, J. B. Saw Mill - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Reid, J. C. & Wife - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1909 Virginia business licenses as a house of private entertainment.

Reid, Joseph B. - Brentsville, Va., merchant from at least 1873 until 1898. He operated at different times an ordinary, a house of private entertainment, a bar room, a bowling saloon, a boarding house, had a merchants license, some or all of the business might have been in the same place. The license for the bar room was issued for the Summit House in 1892 B.L. In the 1877-1878, 1880-1881 and 1884-1885, business directories he is listed as operating a hotel and saloon at Brentsville. The 1897-1898 Virginia business directory has him selling lumber and shingles at Brentsville. Joseph was one of the original Prince William County supervisors from Brentsville 1867-1873.

Reid, Lula B. - Manassas, Va., In the business licenses as a house of private entertainment from 1908 to at least 1926 (5 rooms)

Reid, Mary - paid a $20 license tax to operate a store 1 May 1834

Reid, R. A. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 business directory as a restaurant owner.

Reid, Sophia A. - Listed as a milliner on the business licenses 1834-1838 BL

Reid, W. Halsey - Hoadley, Va., operator of a bar room in the 1890s.
Rendezvous (The) - Triangle, Va., restaurant, Howard M. Day was the owner 12 Jul 1947 C.O.

Renoe, William - District #1, A butcher in the 1876 business license.


Rhodes Drug Company - Haymarket, Va., We wish to announce the opening of the Rhodes Drug Company at Haymarket. We are prepared to refill all old prescriptions originally filled by the Haymarket Drug Store. All prescriptions carefully compounded by a registered pharmacists. We will be open week days from 8 A.M. to 9 P.M. and on Sundays 9 to 6. Out of hours we will take care of all emergency orders. Our complete fountain service will be in charge of Miss Eleanor Compton, formerly with Rhodes Drug Store in Warrenton. J. R. Rhodes, proprietor and Edward P. Beverly, manager. 24 Mar 1938 M.J.

Rice and Bushong - District #1, retail merchant 1 May 1894.

Rice, J. Calvin - Aden, Va., Listed as a retail merchant in the 1920 business licenses.

Rice, J. E. - Western Auto Store - Manassas, Va., was located at the corner of East and Center Streets before moving into the Manassas Shop in 1958. - Electric toasters, irons, sandwich grills, tru-tone radio, car chains, anti-freeze 17 Dec 1936 M. J.

Rice, J. L. - paid a retail merchant license tax 23 Feb 1883

Rice, S. W. Company - Quantico, Va., 507 S. Broadway, also known as Gesco Company, uniform tailors, The owners were Simon Goldiner, Ellis Eibender, and Jerome Snyder 20 Apr 1942 C.O.

Rice, W. M. - Manassas Va., To Horsemen a fine stock of lap robes, horse blankets, collars, all sizes, riding and driving whips, Saddle and Harness Repairing a Specialty, Agent for Excelsior Marble Works for Tombstones, Mantels, lowest prices, we guaranteed as represented. 22 Nov 1901 M.J. , Is listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a saddle and harness maker. Paid a license tax starting 1 May 1896.

Ricketts, Elijah - operated a ordinary in the county starting 1836 and continued until he is listed as having a house of private entertainment 2 Aug 1841.

Riddle, Charles - Gainesville, Va., merchant in the 1870’s. This might have been a millinery shop because his wife Sarah purchased a milliner license in 1876-1879. B.L.

Riden, C. F. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a plumber and tinner.

Riley, James W.- Brentsville, Va., merchant in the 1870s, purchased a merchant and retail tobacco license for the years 1874-1876

Riley, P. G. - The National Sewing Machine $20 $20 $20, only $20 complete. The simplest and most complete sewing machine now in use. Haymarket, Gainesville or Manassas, 7 Jan 1870 Man. Weekly Gaz.


River View Lunch - Quantico, Va., 101 Potomac Ave, Chicken Dinner Specials, Ice Cold Beer, Delicious Sandwiches, Louis Poulieris, 9 Aug 1935 QS - Anastasia L. Poulieris was the owner and proprietor 4 Feb 1941 C.O.

Roane, W. - Woodbridge, Va., Listed as a tobacco dealer in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Robbins, M. C. - Yorkshire, Va., 111 Yorkshire Lane, listed as a Veterinarian in the 1950 yellow pages.
Roberson Grocery - Independent Hill, Va., Grocery Store and Filling Station, Mary J. Roberson was the owner 7 Jan 1954 C.O.

Robert E. Lee Motor Court - Woodbridge, Va., Robert E. Lee & Leona F. Lee were the owners 26 Jan 1951 C. O.

Roberts Electronics Engineering - Manassas, Va., 133 E. Portner Ave., Paul H. Roberts was the owner 8 Jul 1952 C.O.

Robertson General Store - Bristow, Va., B. S. Robertson, Merchant, 1909 BR, Bristow Merchant 1909 BR, In the 1884-1917 Virginia business licenses and directories he is listed as a Bristow general merchant.

Robertson, George - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1925 business directory as a house of private entertainment with 3 rooms.

Robertson, H. F. General Store - Aden, Va.,1906 business directory.

Robertson House - Bristow, Va., A ordinary and bar room from at least 1875-1892 in the business licenses, Basil Robertson was the operator for many years. In the 1884-1885 business directory it is also listed as a hotel.

Robertson, William - Bristow Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894 business directories as a physician.

Robertson, William - Bristow Va., Listed as a house and sign painter in the 1888-1889 business directory.

Robinson Beauty Shop - Manassas, Va., 403 Douglas Street, Gladys Robinson, 1950s

Robinson, Charles F. - Manassas, Va., southwest corner of Center & West Street, oysters shucked daily, fresh fish cleaned, all orders delivered, oysters on half shell, salt fish 3 Dec 1914 M. D.

Robinson, Edward - Operated an ordinary for one year starting 5 Dec 1831. In 1833 he starting paying for a license to operate a house of private entertainment which continued until 30 Apr 1846. BL

Robinson, E. E. - Limstrong, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses as a retail merchant.

Robinson, J. P. - District #1, retail merchants license 2 May 1898. BL

Robinson Ordinary - On the 1810 list of ordinaries, William Robinson paid a $10 fee for an ordinary license 5 Sep 1808.

Robinson, Thomas - Paid the $10.00 license tax to be a merchant in the county 20 Feb 1843

Robinson, Walter W. - Manassas, Va., Carpentry and painting, all work guaranteed and prices reasonable 14 Jun 1918 M. J.

Robinson, William - Had a retail merchant license 1 Oct 1881

Roger’s Cozy Shop - Manassas, Va., 118 Centre Street, Clothing Store Roger William Cross, owner and proprietor, ladies coats, plain wool jackets, washable rayon dresses, large ad with many prices 18 Jan 1940 M. J., Roger’s had a going out of business sale Friday, March, 13, 1942

Rogers and Camper General Store - Manassas, A. V. Rogers and H. Camper, A Manassas General
Store with a large line of dry goods. The store was in business from about 1904 to at least 1908 and may have later changed to Camper and Jenkins.

**Rohr, E. E.** - Manassas, Va., 225 W. Centre Street. Where your dollar buys the most (large ad.) 1 Sep 1949 M. J.

**Roland House** - Haymarket, Va., In the 1925 business licenses C. B. Roland is listed as the owner.

**Roland Saw Mill** - Wellington, Va., I have the best wood-sawing outfit in the county and can guarantee work satisfactory and on time. No delay as my machinery is up to date in every respect. No danger of fire as gasolene is used for motive power, combining safety with efficiency. The price is 60 cents an hour for five hours and 50 cents an hour for time over five hours, one man to be furnished. We will be pleased to get any orders we can. Full measure and satisfaction guaranteed. I want your patronage and will treat you right. We have wood at $4.50 a cord. Place your orders now while the roads are in good condition. When the roads get bad delivery is handicapped if not almost impossible. 1910 advertisement.

**Roland Transfer Company** - Haymarket Va., C. B. Roland - When in doubt about moving see Roland, we move anything - anytime - anywhere, Long distance a specialty 30 Apr 1936 M. J. (The business started in 1920)

**Rollins, George W.** - District #1, A huckster, paid a license fee 15 Jan 1880 BL

**Rollins, J. F.** - Bristow Va., Dealer in general merchandise, coal, fertilizer, seeds and feeds, 1939 BYB (was son of J. L.)

**Rollins, J. L. General Store** - Bristow Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as a retail merchant. A small advertisement in newspaper was for fine fresh vegetables, 24 Mar 1934 M. J., also see 2 Mar 1939 M.J.

**Rolls, Crawford** - The operator of the Rolls Ordinary in the late 1820s

**Rorabaugh, F. C.** - Manassas, Va., Listed as a common crier in the 1908-1910 business licenses.

**Rose Ordinary** - On the list of 1810 ordinaries, Started paying the license fee for an ordinary in 1806 and continuing until at least 1811

**Rose, W. B.** - Waterfall, Va., A physician at Waterfall in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

**Roseberg and Sepero** - District #1 merchants in the 1890s.

**Roseberry, A. H.** - Manassas, Va., was a retail merchant, butcher and operated a house of private entertainment in the 1880s. Is listed as a butcher in Chataigne’s 1890-1891,1893-1894, Virginia business directory.

**Roseberry & Wolverton** - Manassas, Va., Listed as a produce dealer in the 1884-1885 Virginia business directory.

**Rosenberger & Windle** - Manassas, Va., an electrical supply store in Manassas about 1919.

**Rosenberger, G. L.** - Manassas, Va. - Anything you want in the way of electrical equipment, motors, fans, toasters, irons and the most up to date lighting fixtures. Our wiring and installations of fixtures is approved by the board of underwriters and you don’t have to pay a big price for our good work. 19 Dec 1919 M. J.

**Rosenberger, I.** - Thoroughfare, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a general merchant.
Rosson, W. B. Jr. - Myron, Va., Listed as a grocer in 1911 business directory.

Rothwell, Jane - Triangle, Va., Listed in the 1925 business directory as operating a eating house.

Round, George C. - Manassas, Va., Real Estate Office - directly opposite depot, for rent, houses and rooms in Manassas Village, for sale 100 Virginia homes with lots from one to 1500 acres. 3 Jul 1896 M.G. George Round had a law office in Manassas starting about 1872. Listed in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1890-1891, 1893-1894 & 1897-1898 Virginia business directories. The Prince William business license show him as a lawyer and land agent from 1874 to at least 1898 in Manassas. In 1899 the land agent business license shows the business name as Round & Ransdell Company.

Rowe, William - Gainesville, Va., paid a $10 for a canvassing to buy license.

Roy, Adolphus - Manassas, Va., “Shoes mended while you wait”, boots and shoe repairing of all kinds, Center Street, second door west, Peoples National Bank, Manassas, VA 9 Dec 1909 M. J. - He was in business in Manassas from 1909 to at least 1925.

Roy’s Cleaners, Adolphus Jr. - Manassas, Va., 219 Center Street, Cleaning and Pressing, suits cleaned and pressing 75 cents. 1933 BYB, 1950YP

Roy’s Esso Station - Woodbridge, Va., A filling station and light lunch room. Roy Russell Petty was the owner and proprietor 20 Jun 1941 C.O.

Ruby’s Beauty Saloon - Manassas, Va., brings you the new oil machine less wave, come in for consultant, 1941 M.T.D.

Ruby’s Lunch - Manassas, Va., 118 S. Battle Street, 1950s

Rufner School - Manassas, Va., D. Wheeler, In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Runaldue, W. S. - Manassas, Va., was the county commissioner of revenue in the 1917 business directory.

Rural Oil Burner Service - Manassas, Va., John M. Shay was the owner 21 Dec 1948 C.O.

Rush, R. H. - District #1, license for common crier 6 Dec 1892 BL

Russell Brothers Grocery Store - Canova, Va., Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory.

Russell, G. C. - Hoadley, Va., was a county magistrate in the 1917 business directory.

Russell, Monroe - Bristow Va., A blacksmith, wheelwright, and coach & wagon builder from about 1895 to at least 1917.

Russell, R. E. - Manassas, Va., phone 155, Wood For Sale, let me supply you with wood, any amount, prompt service, immediate delivery, lowest prices. 15 Jan 1930 M. J.

Russell, Thomas M. - General Store, Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory.

Russell Transfer (R. E.) - If you’re moving and want sympathy you’ll get it from your friends but come to us for the kind of co-operation that quickly dispels the blues. 28 May 1931 M. J.

Russell, W. T. Grocery - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1907 - 1917 Virginia business licenses and directories as a general merchandise and retail tobacco.
Rust & Gilliss - Haymarket Va., Real Estate and Insurance Company, 5 Jan 1923 M. J.

Rust, A. B. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses as operating one auto for a fee.

Ryckman, The Tailor - Manassas, Va., We take off our hat to no one in the tailoring of good clothes. Stop in and see the natty, exclusive fabric we are making into suits and overcoats for men who are known as good dressers. Better leave your measure too while here. You will if you want to make good your claim to be as good a dresser as any man. 22 Sep 1910 M. J. - H. C. Ryckman was in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a tailor.

Safeway Grocery Store - Manassas, Va., 1941 store at Centre and Main Street or 223 Center Street. The location moved from there to Church Street and later to Georgetown Square before closing.

Sam’s Scrap metal - Gainesville, Va., on Lee Highway, Used Car & Truck Parts, 9 Apr 1959 M.J.

Samsky’s Market - Independent Hill, Va., The store opened about 1847 and is still in operation in 1999. Standard Oil dealer until 1992 when they changed to Citco. In the 1940s Mr. Samsky bought most of his stock from the Janney-Marshall Company and the Herndon Company, both of Fredericksburg, Va. One of the big sellers in the 1940s was a loaf of bread called the “dandee loaf” that sold for 5 cents and was made by the snider company. The owners were Joseph G. Samsky, John A. Samsky Jr. and Andrew E. Samsky 30 Dec 1947 C.O.

Sanborn, E. Z. - Occoquan, Va., was a county magistrate from about 1910 to at least 1918.

Sandaal, Louisa L. - Bridge Road, retail merchant from 1893 to at least 1909 in the business licenses.

Sander Furniture and Upholstering - Manassas, Va., Lee Avenue opposite the courthouse. Now is the time to get your parlor sets and odd pieces re-upholstered as the cost of materials has decreased. I am prepared to upholster a five piece set in tapestry or leather from $28 dollars and up according to the size of the frames and quality of the goods. 12 May 1921 PWN

Sanders & Jacobs - Manassas Va., Nicol Building, dry goods, ladies goods, cents’ supplies, fineshoes, groceries. We will be pleased to have the ladies of the county call at our store. We only want our stock shown. 10 Jul 1896 M.G. - In the business licenses from 1896 to at least 1899

Sanders & Silling - We carry a large assortment of crockery ware, tinware, and a splendid line of confectionery, call and give us a trial. 28 Feb 1896 M. G. They are listed as general merchants in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Sanders, F. E. - Listed in the 1911 business licenses in the as a barber. His last name was given as Sanders but might be Saunders.

Sanders, F. H. & Company - General Store, Catharpin Va., CLOSING OUT SALE after 50 years of business success, Closing out stock at remarkable values. Boots, Artics, Rubbers, Leather Shoes, Underwear, Dry Goods, Groceries, Queens ware, Ready Made Clothes. 19 Jan 1922 M. J. operated a ordinary in the Catharpin area 1870-1876. He is also listed as a wool and wood dealer in the 1888-1889, 1890-1891, and 1893-1894 business directories and a general merchant and wool dealer in the 1884-1885 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories. Listed in the Virginia business licenses from 1870 to at least 1910 for many different yearly licenses. The 1906 business directory list general merchant and seller of agricultural implements.

Sanders, F. W. - Catharpin, Listed as a general merchant in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 Virginia business directories.

Sanders, Leslie R. - Gainesville, R.F.D., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a contractor and builder.
Sanders Mill - Catharpin, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a corn and flour mill, operated by F. H. Sanders. The following is from a 1910-1911 ad - “The Old Reliable Mill at Catharpin, VA., formerly operated by F. H. Sanders & Company, and now owned and operated by F. H. Sanders, is prepared to do all custom work promptly and reasonably. Meal, Cracked Corn, Cob Meal and Bran always on hand at lowest prices.

Sanders Ordinary - Gainesville, Va., 1874-1877 in the business licenses. The owner was George W. Sanders.

Sanders Ordinary - In 1813 Robert Sanders paid $16.75 for an Ordinary license. He also paid a license tax in 1808 to sell foreign merchandise.

Sanders, R. R. - Buckland, Va., A retail merchant from 1877 to at least 1882 in the business licenses. Listed as a general merchant in the 1877-1878 and 1880-1881 business directories.

Sanders, W. W. General Store - Buckland, Va., In the Virginia business licenses as a merchant with a merchandise and tobacco license 1908-1911

Sandwich Shop - Quantico, Va., 308-310 Potomac Ave., Anne Moncure Wall and Virgil Shaffer Abel were the owners 11 Jul 1941 C.O.

Sandy’s Produce – Route #1, Woodbridge Va. – vegetable stand – owner C. E. Patterson 1962 C.O.

Sanford, W. B. - Woodbridge, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses to operate a house of private entertainment.

Sanitary Barber Shop - Quantico, Va., Modern and sanitary, courteous service, located on Potomac Ave. Quantico Va. 21 Jun 1935 QS

Sanitary Grocery Company Inc. - Manassas, Va., prices quoted are effective in Manassas Va. and vicinity until close of business Feb 13, 1937, large ad. 4 Feb 1937 M. J. The main office was at 1845 Fourth Street N.E., Washington DC in 1941. - The following is from the 25 May 1939 issue of the Journal Messenger - “The Sanitary opened a new ultra modern store at Main and Center Streets directly across the street from the Prince William Hotel. The size, the arrangements, the complete stocks, will appeal to you”

Sanitary Grocery Company Inc. - Quantico, Va. The following is from an ad in the 26 Feb 1937 issue of the Quantico Sentry. Sugar 10 cents lb., Corn Flakes 13 oz pkg. 10 cents, Fresh Ground Beef 15 cents lb., Oscar Mayer’s Hams 25 cents lb., Jumbo Bread 1 pound loaf 7 cents, Airway Coffee 19 cents lb., Cigarettes 2 pkgs. 25 cents and $1.20 a carton.

Sanitary Lunch - Manassas, Va., down by the old depot, As three perfect angles constitute a complete triangle, so have we built our business on these three attributes. The science of cooking to make that which you eat palatable, the courteous service that makes you feel at home and absolute cleanliness in both kitchen and table. It has been our constant aim in serving you within the past two years. 19 Dec 1919 M. J. - The following is from a 21 Apr 1921 newspaper - service, sanitation, satisfaction, opposite Southern passenger station. Let us show you what a dime will do, and how foolish two bits will act when you spend them here. The next time you feel that you haven’t either the time or the appetite to do justice to your dinner at home, why not lunch at the “Sanitary”.

Sanitary Market - Manassas, Va., The Sanitary Grocery chain stores evidently fearing the completion of an established business built up by a local man by fair dealing has protested against the use of the name “Sanitary Market”, by which my store has been known as I feel that my business must rest upon satisfactory relation to my customers and not merely - upon any name, my store will hereafter be conducted
under the name of B. O. Wood under which name I shall endeavor to meet all completion. B. S. Wood, 5 May 1932 M.J. The market opened in Manassas Friday April 22 at 126 West Street 21 Apr 1932 M. J.

**Sapero & Company** - Thoroughfare, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a general merchant.

**Sauls, T. E. & Company** - Hickory Grove, Va., In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a blacksmith & wheelwright.

**Saunders and Anderson** - Had a retail license for a merchant and to sell ardent spirits in the 1850s.

**Saunders and Ford** - A retail merchants in the 1840s. BL

**Saunders and Lynn** - retail merchants and private entertainment in the 1850s

**Saunders Ordinary** - On the list of 1810 ordinaries. James Saunders paid the license tax to operate the ordinary from 1807 until at least 1811.

**Saunders and Son Jewelers** - Manassas, Va., 433 Mathis Ave.

**Saunders, F. E.** - Manassas, Va., Antiseptic Shaving Parlor - Children’s hair cutting, correct styles. “Teddy Bear” hair cuts for men, Arabian egg shampoo, Battle Street near Centre next door to Post Office, Manassas, VA, 10 Dec 1909 M.J. - The business was also known as Lyles and Saunders Barber Shop. The first mention of the shop appears to be in the 1907 business licenses. The last mention is in the 1911 Virginia business directory.

**Saunders Meat Market (Frank R.)** - Manassas, VA., Center Street, - phone orders promptly filled. The most modern meat market in this part of Virginia. We handle only the best in the line and Mr. Saunders does all of his own cutting. Tender steaks, juicy roasts, the very choicest the market affords are always supplied our customers. Our selection is complete, just what you expect to find in a first class market. Deliveries made Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays 10 Dec 1909 M. J., also check 4 Feb 1937 M. J. Mr. Saunders was a native of Richmond County, Virginia. He came to Manassas about 1908 at the age of 26 and within a year opened his own store. In the 1911 Virginia business directory Frank is listed as a cattle dealer and in the 1917 directory as a butcher & meat market.

**Savage, Z. M.** - District #1, retail merchant 1 May 1891 BL

**Scelzi Restaurant** - Quantico, Va., Ice Cream and Restaurant, listed in a 1919 court case - Christo Mfg. Company vs Joe Scelzi.

**Schaarman, E. C.** - Manassas Va., New Drug Store - Mrs. Kincheloe’s Old Stand, Having bought out Dr. C. C. Barbour and added a complete stock of Drugs & Chemicals, Toilet Articles, Cigars & Tobacco, Prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours Day or Night by a competent Druggist. 17 Oct 1885 M.G.

**School of Commerce** - Manassas, Va., Eastern College, - Thorough courses in shorthand, typewriting and bookkeeping. Tuition rates reasonable. Write or call for further particulars, J. H. Dodge, Master accounts, director 10 Dec 1909 M.J.

**Schooley, Nettie** - Manassas, Va., Listed as a merchant in the 1925 business licenses.

**Schwab, M. D.** - District #1, retail merchant 1898

**Scott, Jesse** - Paid a $15.00 license fee to sell foreign merchandise 30 Apr 1808

**Scott, Levi** - Paid a $15.00 license fee to sell foreign merchandise 30 Apr 1808
Seeley, C. H. - Manassas, Va., well drilling & plumbing, pumps, pipes, etc., pumps installed 31 May 1934 M. J.

Seeley, R. H. & Brother - Manassas, Va., Manassas Hardware Co., Said the little red hen in the green garden patch. If you want any dinner you must scratch, scratch, scratch, We do not only have the tools for you to scratch that garden but we are stocking garden seeds. 22 Mar 1928 M. J.

Selecman - Lynn & Company - Occoquan, Va., paid for business license to be a retail merchant and sell tobacco products from 1891 to at least 1900.

Selecman, B. W. - Occoquan, Va., a retail merchant from 1897 to at least 1899.

Selecman, George - Paid a license tax to operate an ordinary in 1807 - 1810

Selecman, H. F. - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as contractor and builder.

Selecman, Harry & Brother - House of private entertainment with a tobacco license in 1907.

Selecman, James A. General Store - Occoquan, Va., listed in business records in the early 1900s.

Selecman, John T. - In the business licenses during the 1840s as an ordinary owner.

Selecman, Maria - Paid a $20 fee to operate an ordinary 4 Jun 1849. In 1854 the business changed to a house of private entertainment.

Selecman Store - William Selecman paid a business license to sell retail merchandise in the 1850s.

Selecman, William R. - Occoquan, Va., Was a retail merchant with a separate license to sell tobacco products from 1874 to at least 1884 in the business licenses. He is also listed in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881,1884-1885 and 1888-1889, Virginia business directories as a general merchant.

Selis’ Store - Manassas, Va., In Conner Block, Where you can find a well selected line of shoes & gents’ furnishings. 22 Sep 1910 MD - Bankrupt Sale 3 Feb 1911 for the Leopold Selis Store. All goods sold including clothing, shoes, gents furnishings, hats, candies, fixtures, etc. situated in the store room in the town of Manassas.

Senger, L. R. - District #1, Had a merchants license from 1897 to at least 1899. BL

Service Cafe - Quantico, Va., 324 Potomac Ave., Bernard Edward Sisson was the owner 3 May 1941 C.O.

Service Garage - Woodbridge, Va., Walter Davis, owner 3 Feb 1941 C.O.

Service Grocery - Announcing the opening - H. Y Meetze - A. S. Wilfong in the Saunders building, in the present well known location 1 Jun 1932 M. J.

Servis Motor Company - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses.

Setliff Permanent Wave Shop - Manassas, Va., 210 Center Street next to Fire Station, less than half price one week only 4 Dec 1941 M. J.

Sexsmith, Miles - Paid a $18.75 license fee to be a retail merchant 1 Aug 1851.

Shacklett, Robert - Paid the $18 Ordinary license fee 7 Jul 1834.
Shady Side Camp - Woodbridge, Va., retail merchant and tourist cabins on route #1, Willis Leffingwell was the owner and proprietor 6 Feb 1941 C.O.

Shaffer Cash Shop - Aden / Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1920-1925 business licenses as a merchant.

Shaffer, H. J. - Bristow, Va., listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Shamrock Cafe & Barbecue, Manassas, Va., Good Food, Good Service, Reasonable Prices, try our regular dinner 35 cents, Nicol’s building at southern railway depot. 21 Jan 1932

Shank, T. I. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory with the heading of staves & headings.

Shannon, E. C. - A retail merchant and druggist 1885-1887.

Shannon, Walter - Manassas, Va., A druggist in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory. Had a druggist business license from 1896 to at least 1910. BL

Shannon, Walter - Manassas, Va., Druggist and dealer of pure drugs and patent medicines, paints, oils, varnish, stationery, and fine cigars & tobacco. Having purchased business of Dr. S. S. Simpson, his drug store and fixtures, I am prepared to furnish such articles as are usually kept in a first-class drug store. Newspaper ad with date unknown. The following is from a letterhead 11 April 1910, Walter Shannon, Dr., W. Fred Dowell, Pharmacist, pure drugs, chemicals, toiletry preparations, fine candies, stationery, cigars, etc., prescriptions carefully compounded.


Sharrett, W. D. - Bristow, Va. - Farm Tractors, power speed economy service 30 Apr 1936 M. J.

Shaw & Myers Grocery Store, Manassas, Va., 117 Center Street, phone 104, fruits and vegetables, fancy groceries, frozen foods, fresh meats. Your independent grocers featuring low prices and standard brands. 1 Dec 1949 M.J.

Shaw Ordinary - Thomas Shaw had a license to operate an ordinary from 1835 to 1842 BL

Shaw Ordinary - William Shaw had a license to operate this ordinary from 7 Oct 1811 to 30 Apr 1812

Shelhorse, L. W. - Haymarket, Va., A general merchant in the Virginia 1897-1898 business directory. Had a business license from 1895 to at least 1899.

Shelton’s Furniture Store - Manassas, Va., W. J. Shelton, owner. Why not buy at Shelton’s where we have furniture of all kinds and bargains always await you. We have bedroom & parlor suits, China and Japan Mattings, couches and bed lounges. Our ten cent counter every Friday and Saturday will have many articles on it worth 25 cents but you will get them for a dime. 1909 advertizement. W. L. Shelton also had a business license to operate a house of private entertainment in 1909.

Shepard, E. H. Feed Store - Agnewville, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a hay, grain, and feed store.

Shepherd, Fred T. - Nokesville Va., Refrigerated Milk Transportation, Ice - General Hauling, 1939 BYB

Shepherd, M. J. & Sons - Nokesville, Va., Pure Bred Percheron horses and Holstein Cows. We will buy any kind of livestock. We specialize in horses. We do general hauling, threshing or any desirable pursuits to improve our community. “Make the best better” our motto 1938 BYB

Shipe, C. A. - Catharpin, Va., listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in the 1906 Virginia business
Shireman, John - Manassas, Va., Real Estate, 10 Nov 1949 MJ

Shirley, G. W. - Hickory Grove, Va., Was a carpenter and builder in the 1897-1898 and 1906 Virginia business directories.

Shirley, James - Bristow, Va., A saddle & harness maker in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Shirley, M. M. - Nokesville, Va., Listed as a retail merchant in the 1908 Virginia business licenses. BL

Shirley Ordinary - Above the Occoquan, Richard O. Shirley operated the ordinary from 3 May 1852 until at least 30 Apr 1856. After the death of Richard Shirley his wife Susan took over the operation of the tavern.

Shirley, Thomas S. - Haymarket, Va., was a saddle and harness maker in the 1850s and 1860s.

Shoe Center (The) - Manassas, Va., expert shoe repairing while you wait at reasonable prices, shoes for men & boys. 1950s

Shoemakers Garage - Manassas, Va. - The owner listed on the owners certificate 3 Jun 1946 was James Shoemaker.

Shumate, John T. - District #1, Lawyer, listed in the business licenses 1 Oct 1875.

Shamrock Cafe & Barbecue, Manassas, Va., good food, good service, reasonable prices, try our regular dinner 35 cents, Nicol’s building at southern railway depot. 21 Jan 1932

Shelton & Truslow - Quantico, Va., odorless dry cleaning, hats cleaned & blocked, phone 7, The store was in Fredericksburg but did a pick up and delivery business in Quantico during the 1930s and 1940s.

Silco Cut Rate Stores - Manassas, Va., 203 W. Center Street, general merchandise,1950s

Silliman, Thomas - a district #1 canvasser in the 1875 business licenses.

Silling, A. J. - A retail merchant from 1897 to at least 1899 in district #1.

Silver Tower Filling Station - Gainesville, Va., A lunch room and filling station on Lee Hwy. John Fred Payne is the owner in 1941.

Simpson General Store - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a general store operated by Anna C. Simpson.

Simpson, Phillip A. - District #2, had a retail merchant and tobacco license from 1 Dec 1896 to at least 1900. BL

Simpson, Dr. S. S. - Manassas, Va., New Drug Store, We purchased the stock etc. of the Manassas pharmacy and placed on our shelves a new and complete line of drugs. 22 Nov 1901 M. J. A Manassas physician in the 1893-1894,1897-1898 Virginia business directory. Was listed as a druggist, merchant and physician in the business licenses from 1891 to at least 1910.

Simpson’s Soda Fountain - Manassas, Va., pure ice, pure syrups, pure jersey ice cream, all flavors. You will find fancy glassware, soaps, perfumery, leather goods, cigars, stationery, drugs and patent medicines, paint and oils at lowest prices. 1 Jun 1906 M. J.

Simpson’s Filling Station & Grocery - Manassas, Va., Sinclair Gasoline - In every one of more than
500 competitive road test Sinclair H. C. gasoline has given more miles per gallon than the other gasoline’s tested - one to three more miles per gallon. - M. C. Simpson prop., Russell’s Ice Cream in Bulk and brick sizes, Old Mammy 5 cent bread, groceries and soft drinks. 4 Mar 1937 M. J. - In 1943 the owner of the filling station and grocery is listed as Mrs. Fleta Simpson.

Simpson’s Transfer Company - Manassas, Va., Hauling done on short notice and charges reasonable. Baggage to and from train a specialty. If not to be found in town, phone us at Kincheloe’s Store.  L. H. Simpson, 22 Sep 1910 MD

Sinclair & Lion - Manassas, Va., Attorneys at Law - A. W. Sinclair, T. H. Lion, Will practice in the courts of Prince William County and adjoining counties. Special attention given to collection of claims. 28 Feb 1896 M.G., A. W. Sinclair is listed as a Attorney in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 & 1897-1898 Virginia business directories.

Sinclair & Mayhugh - Waterfall, Va., Listed in the 1 May 1909 business license as butchers.


Sinclair, Archibald - Had a house of private entertainment in the 1834 business records. He also had a retail merchants license from 1838 to 1844

Sinclair, A. W. - Brentsville, Va., Listed in the business licenses as having a boarding house in 1879, operating a ordinary from 1875 to 1879, a lawyer from 1881 to at least 1917. In the 1911 directory he is listed as a commissioner in chancery.

Sinclair, C. A. - Manassas, Va., Lawyer, Listed in the 1908-1925 business licenses. In 1909 he was with his father in the firm of A. W. Sinclair and Son. He was the mayor of Manassas from 1905 to 1909 and again in 1927.

Sinclair, C. F. - Gainesville, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a contractor and builder.

Sinclair, Charles E. - Brentsville, Va., Attorney at Law - Will practice in the State and United States Courts of Virginia 17 Oct 1885 M.G. - Listed in the 1852, 1877-1878, 1880-1881 and 1884-1885, Virginia directories and business registers a Brentsville Attorney. He was also in the business licenses from 1852 until 1885.

Sinclair, John L. - Occoquan, Va., Listed as a general merchant in the 1880-1881 business directory and a county magistrate in 1888.

Sinclair, Mordiah B. - Brentsville, Va., Listed in the 1852 Virginia directory and business Register as a Brentsville attorney.

Sinclair Mill - Limstrong / Brentsville, Va., A corn and flour mill in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directories with the owner in 1877 -1885 listed as J. M. or J. W. Sinclair.

Sinclair Ordinary - Above the Occoquan, Operated by James M. and John L. Sinclair from about 1840 to at least 1854.

Sinclair, R. A. - Brentsville, Va., The Southern Mutual Insurance Company insures property for five years against loss or damage by fire at rates more reasonable than any company now operating. Call For Rates, R.A.Sinclair solicitor, 27 Jan 1870 M.W.G. - R. A. Sinclair is also listed as a lawyer in 1880-1881 and 1884-1885 business directories.
Sinclair, R. W. - District #1, listed as a lawyer on business license 1 May 1876.

Sinclair Service Station - Triangle, Va., Robert Wesley Brewer was the owner and proprietor 21 May 1942 C.O.

Sinclair Super Service Station - Triangle, Va., route #1, retail gasoline, oils, and merchandise, Paul Kirchheter was the owner and proprietor 4 Feb 1941 C.O.

Sinclair, W. W. - Listed as a district #1 lawyer 1 May 1891.

Singer Sewing Center - Manassas, Va. Listed in the 1911 business directory and was still in business in 1956.

Singleton Ordinary - Benjamin Singleton paid for a business license to operate an ordinary in the 1820s.

Sisk Taxi Service - Quantico, Va., Anywhere, Anytime, See me at the Star Cafe, George (Red) Sisk, 20 Mar 1936 QS

Sisson Beer Parlor and Pool Hall - Quantico, Va., B. L. Sisson Listed in the 1925 business licenses as the operator of a pool hall in Quantico with 10 tables. A 1936 ad said “South American Jumbo Popcorn, curb service, open evenings until midnight”

Sisson Cafe - Manassas Va, Mrs. M. L. Sisson, meals and short orders, cigars, tobacco, oysters prepared in any style and delivered. Conner Block, Center Street, Manassas, 20 Apr 1911 M. D. Had a retail business licenses starting in 1899.

Sisson Motors - Manassas, Va., Located at Centre and West Street, is now open and solicit your patronage. Dealer in Chrysler and Plymouth Cars, General Auto Repairing and Service. John C. Sisson proprietor, 14 Aug 1941 M. J.

Sisson Pool Hall - Quantico, Va., Stella G. Sisson - Listed as a Quantico pool room with 9 tables in the 1925 business licenses.

Sisson, Samuel - Dist. #2 retail merchants license 1 Nov 1898 BL

Sisson’s Blue Goose Lunch - Quantico, Va., 334 Potomac Ave, restaurant and beer and wine, Bernard Edward Sisson was the owner 30 Jan 1941 C.O.

Skillman, D. S. - District #1, Had a business license to be a huckster 5 Jun 1878

Slack & Davis Undertakers - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1917 business licenses.

Slack, H. F. - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a contractor and builder.

Slack, H. F. Mrs. Dry Goods Store - Occoquan, Va., Retail merchant in the business licenses 1897 to at least 1917. In the business directories as a dry goods store.

Slack, M. A. - Occoquan, Va., listed as a merchant 2 Apr 1909.

Slate Run Stock Farm - Nokesville, Va., Breeders of quality Aberdeen Angus. See Jack Corder or Francis Joyce 1942 BYB

Slater, Ernest - Quantico, Va., In the 1924 Virginia business licenses as a physician.

Slingerland, John - Voy, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a
carpenter and builder.

**Slis Radio and Television Service** - Triangle, Va., On Fuller Heights Road, Anthony P. Slis was the owner 29 May 1953 C.O.

**Smallwood, John T & Son General Store** - Thorofare, Va., listed as a general retail merchant in 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1893-1894, 1897-1898, 1906 and 1917 business directories. Had a retail merchant and tobacco license from 1881 to at least 1898. In 1899 it appears the license was issued to M. F. Smallwood.

**Smith & Gough** - Nokesville, Va., Listed as a merchant in the 1926 business licenses.

**Smith, E. A. Mrs. - Grocery Store**, Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1917 business directory.

**Smith, Ernest** - Manassas, Va., Listed as a general merchant in the 1925 business licenses.

**Smith, F. L.** - Bristow Va., Physician, born 12 Jan 1879 Chesterfield County, VA, 26 Jul 1905 BL

**Smith, F. M. Jr.** - Manassas Va., Peoples Bank Building, Real Estate for Sale -Farms, dairy, orchards, cut over lands, timber, City property for Farms, 21 May 1920 M. J.

**Smith, Francis - Ordinary** - Francis Smith paid for a business license from 1811 to 1815 to operate an ordinary in Prince William County.

**Smith H.C. & R. M. Weir** - Manassas, Va., Purchased a business license to be butchers in 1 May 1875

**Smith, George W.** - paid a $15.00 license fee to sell foreign merchandise 30 Apr 1808. BL

**Smith, George W. - Hotel & Boarding House** - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1917 - 1920 BL, BD

**Smith, George W. - Bar Room** - Haymarket, Va. These licenses were marked George W. without the Sr. or Jr. given. - bar room at Haymarket 1887 to 1891

**Smith, George W. - Curry House** - Manassas, Va., Paid a $100.00 license tax for the “Curry House Ordinary” 1 May 1897

**Smith, George W. - McCormick House** - Haymarket, Va., Had a bar room license to operate the bar at the McCormick House 1 May 1893

**Smith, George W. - Smith House** - Haymarket, Va., In 1892 George Smith purchased a liquor license to operated a bar at the “Smith House”.

**Smith George W. Jr. - Bar Room** - Haymarket/Waterfall, Va., The following is from the business licenses. Had a bagatelle saloon in 1881 and 1882 BL, A bar room in Haymarket from 1881 to 1896, merchants license from 1878 to 1884, Liquor license from 1882 to 1890, retail tobacco license from 1879 to 1885, and a boarding house license 1 Nov 1886. BL

**Smith, George W. Sr. - Bar Room** - Locust Grove, Log Mills, Hickory Grove, Va., The following is from the business licenses, operated a bar room and had a liquor license for 1876 and 1882, Had a merchants license from 1876 to 1887, a tobacco license from 1878 to 1887. He is listed in the Virginia business directory 1877-1878 & 1880-1881 as a grocer with a liquor establishment.

**Smith, J. B.** - District #1, In the business licenses as a druggist 1895 and 1896.

**Smith, J. P. - Ordinary** - Waterfall, Va., Listed in the business licenses as a ordinary 1873 - 1876 and a Waterfall bar room 1877-1878. He is also in the 1877-1878 business directory as a general merchant.
Smith, J. T. - Aden, Va., In the business licenses as a merchant with a retail tobacco license in 1909.

Smith, J. W. - Manassas, Va., Corner Center and West Streets, 5,10 & 25 cent Store and Groceries. Just received fresh supply of XMAS candies, nuts, raisins, dates, figs, peaches, prunes, currants, prices always the lowest consistent with quality 18 Jan 1917 M. J. - Listed in the 1925 business licenses where he paid $55.01 retail merchant fee and $16 to operate a house of private entertainment with 2 rooms.

Smith, James P. - Ordinary - Gainesville, Va., - Operated an Ordinary at Gainesville from about 1872-1875. In 1876 and 1877 he lists Waterfall as the place he is operating a bar room.

Smith, John A. - Quantico, Va., Tailoring, Cleaning, Laundry, Dressmaking, All work fully guaranteed, delivery service phone 29, 12 Jun 1936 QS

Smith, John T. - operated a house of private entertainment 1852-1855. BL

Smith, John W. - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1880-1881 Virginia business directory as a saloon keeper.


Smith, L.J. Mrs. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as a retail merchant.

Smith, P.R.A. - The People’s Barber Shop - I have opened a new barber shop in a part of the room occupied by the bowling alley and guarantee my work to be strictly first class. I solicit a share of your patronage. 9 Dec 1909 M.J.

Smith Realty - Manassas, Va., Corner of Center & Battle Street, 9 Apr 1950s

Smith Realty - Lake Jackson, Va., Maurice Smith was the owner 7 Jul 1953 C.O.

Smith Sunoco Station - Woodbridge Va., C.W. Smith was the owner 21 Sep 1953 C.O.

Smith, Thomas - Manassas, Va., Listed in the business licenses as a general merchant from 1881 to 1893, In the 1884-1889 Virginia business directories as a merchant.

Smith, Thomas A. - Ordinary - above the Occoquan, Had a license to operate an ordinary from 1849 until the start of the Civil War.

Smith, William L. General Store - Manassas, Va., Center Street between West and Battle - Grocery Store, My stock of groceries, dry goods, shoes and furnishings is complete and quality is warranted to be the best. Give me a Call, W. L. Smith, Center Street, 9 Dec 1909 M. J. - The first listing in the business licenses was 1 May 1908. William and his wife ran the grocery store until they sold the business in 1917.

Smith, W. S. General Store – Occoquan, Va. Had a retail merchant and cigar and tobacco licenses from 1894 to the early 1900s. The business is listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Smith, William - District #1, purchased three separate licenses in 1884, merchant license, retail tobacco, and a stallion license.

Smoot, H. - Horton’s Store, Va., Listed in the 1884-1885,1888-1889 and 1890-1891 Virginia business directories as a physician.

Smoot, Phoebe - Ordinary - Paid $18.00 for a license to operate an ordinary 6 Jun 1831 BL

Smoot, Thomas J. - Had a merchants license 25 Mar 1837. BL
Smoot, W. S. - General Store - Occoquan, Va., A merchant with a merchandise and tobacco license starting in the early 1900s and was listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a general store.

Smoot, William H. - General Store - Occoquan, Va., A general retail merchant from 1852 to 1894. There is a possibility that before the Civil War the business might have been an ordinary/tavern at some point. In the 1877-1878, 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, business directories he is listed as a general merchant.

Snack Bar - Manassas, Va., 327 West Center Street, phone 118, hot dogs, hamburgers, coffee, soft drinks, popcorn, “Ours are delicious”. 1950s

Snelling’s Grocery & Meat - Occoquan, Va., Catherine H. Snelling was the owner 16 Jun 1946 C.O.

Snook, G. E. - Bristow, Va., A carpenter & builder in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Snowball, C. A. - Manassas, Va., Purchased a merchant and book agent business license 1874-1876

Sonafrank, E. A. - Manassas, Va., 113 Battle Street, Television & Radio Repairs & Installation, phone 401 1 Sep 1949 M. J.

Sorg, C. F. - Buckhall, Va., A veterinary surgeon in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Souter, M. L. - Bristow, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as a vender of medicine.

Souther Real Estate Company - Manassas, Va., Listed as a land agent 1 May 1925 in the business licenses where he paid a $11.38 license tax.

Southern Barbeque - Quantico, Va., Marquis Gilman Boswell was the owner and proprietor 12 Feb 1941 C.O.

Southern Distributors and Wholesalers - Quantico, Va., At the north end of C Street at the sight of the old power house. Oscar L. Mitchell, Newton F. Bourne and F. Kenneth Kerr were the owners 6 Mar 1945 C.O.

Southern Furniture & Casket Company - Manassas, Va., Manufacture and sale of furniture and caskets, D. E. Copp the owner 15 May 1916 C.B.

Southern Mutual Insurance Company - Brentsville, Va., insures property for five years against loss or damage by fire at rates more reasonable than any company now operating. Call For Rates, R.A.Sinclair solicitor, Brentsville, Va. 27 Jan 1870 M.W.G.

Southern Real Estate Exchange & Insurance Co. - Manassas, Va., Office over Peoples National Bank in Manassas Va. For your protection in the buying and selling of real estate. You are entitled to the service and advise of reliable brokers, those who will look after your interest. 11 Jan 1923 PWN

Southern States Diner - Dumfries, Va.,(near), restaurant and lunch room, Edward W. Sprague was the owner and proprietor. 16 Jun 1941 C.O. - On the 12 Jun 1944 certificate of ownership Minnie E. Leathers is listed as the sole owner. Ownership transferred to Irene Virginia Cox 1 Apr 1946.

Southern States Manassas - Manassas, Va., 123 Battle Street, Shrubs, Fertilizer, Tools, Plants, Roses, Seeds, Lawn Mowers, about 1950

Southern States Nokesville, Va., Feed and Ensilage $75.00 a Truck, 1 Sep 1949 M. J. (Ernest Goff was the manager in 1943)
Soutter & Bushey General Store - Cherry Hill / Myron Va., In the 1907, 1911 and 1917, business license as a merchant with a merchandise and tobacco license. In the 1930s the business was called W. O. Bushey Grocery and was still in business in the early part of the 1950s.

Soutter, G. E. - Cherry Hill, Va., Listed as a Insurance agent in the 1917 Virginia business directory and a house of private entertainment with 13 beds in the 1925 directory. - see Drusilla Hotel

Soutter, M. L. - Bristow, Va., Listed as a vendedor of medicine in the 1925 business licenses.

Speak General Store - In the Prince William business records during the 1850s. Thomas H. Speak was the owner.

Speaks & Bodine - Were merchants in the 1911 business licenses.

Spencer, John - One of the early Prince William physicians. Listed in the business licenses as a physician 1813-1815.

Spieden, Albert - Manassas, Va., Listed as an architect in the 1911 business directory and was on the Manassas town council from 1909 to 1917.

Spindle, M. E. - Nokesville, Va., listed as a saddle and harness maker in the 1893-1894 business directory.

Spindle, S. C. - Nokesville, Greenwich, Va., Was listed as a saddle and harness maker in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881,1884-1885, and 1888-1889 business directories.

Spittle, Ernest - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses as a retail merchant.

Spittle, E. C. - Nokesville, Va,. Listed as a merchant in the 1925 business licenses.

Spittle, Thomas - Manassas, Va., Had a license to canvass 1 May 1874. BL

Spittle, William E. - Manassas, Va., 629 N. West Street, Painting and Decorating, Refinishing Floors, Free Estimates, All work Guaranteed - 1951 yellow pages

Spittle, William F. - Was a canvasser and huckster from 1876 to 1880 BL

Sprinkle and Shelton - Manassas, Va., Listed in the Virginia business licenses as a merchant in 1908.

Sprinkel, R. B. General Store - Manassas, Va., Why keep your hands in your pockets, when you can step in at Sprinkel’s and get anything you want in the glove line from 25 cents up, and good old yarn ones at that. Just put your hand in one of my special priced yard gloves at 38 cents. - Listed in the business licenses from 1894 to at least 1917. BL

Spittle, Raymond - Nokesville, Va., drain field and septic tank installation, water & sewer lines, excavating & grading farm ponds, 1950s

Sportsmans - Quantico, Va., 313 Potomac Ave, Bernary A. Tierney and E. Kaila were listed as owners 29 Jun 1949 C.O.

St. Ann’s Catholic Institute - Wellington Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Stage Coach Inn - Dumfries, Va., route #1, business of lodging house, Harold M. Vandehove was the owner and proprietor 1 Feb 1941 C.O.

Standard Oil Company - Manassas, Nokesville, Va., The 1925 business licenses show a $35.19 license
fee for Nokesville and $66.97 for the license fee at Manassas.

**Stanley, Horace** - Paid a $13.50 license fee for Tin and Pewter 18 May 1815 BL

**Starke & Tubbs** - Voy, Va., Listed as Musician’s employment bureau in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

**Star Cafe** - Quantico, Va., listed in an ad 20 Mar 1936 in the Quantico Sentry. This might be the same business as the Star Lunch.

**Star Lunch** - Quantico, Va., 402 Potomac Ave, Peter Raftelis was the owner in 1940s

**Stark, G. W.** - Independent Hill, Va., Listed as a barber in the business directory of 1911.

**Stark, R. F.** - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a boarding house.

**Starkweather, Carlton Lee** - Occoquan, Va., Physician, Had a business license starting in 1899 and continuing until at least 1918.

**State Farm Insurance Company** - Manassas, Va., Auto - Life - Fire - Announce the appointment of Milford W. Secord our local agent. 19 Dec 1947 M. M.


**Steed’s Inn** - Dumfries Va., The owners on the 14 Jan 1948 C.O. were John H. Steed and Dewitt T. Matthews.

**Steele, J. H. & Company General Store** - Manassas, Va., Dry Goods, Millinery, Groceries at the corner of Center and West Streets. - Here is a message we would like to write across the sky in letters so big that everybody within 50 miles could see and realize the truth of it. This is a store of low prices and this means low prices on merchandise of the most desirable quality. You don’t have to send out of town to get low prices, they are here. 9 Feb 1928 M. J. - The department store opened about 1919 or 1920 in Manassas with the owners being Mr. Jacob Harvey Steele who was in charge of the grocery department of the store. His wife Elizabeth Barrett Steele who worked in the dry goods portion of the store and Mr. Thomas Howard who was also a dry goods salesman at the store. On the certificate of ownership in 1922 the owners are listed as J. H. Steele and Minnie Lee Steele Howard. Listed in the 1925 business licenses.

**Steimer’s Sea Food Company** - Manassas, Va., 563 Centreville Road, fish & sea food dealer, wholesale, 1960 YP - Lon Warner, Carl Pace, and Wayne Reeves were the owners listed 15 Mar 1954 C.O.

**Stevens, J. H.** - Livery Stable - Featherstone, Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a boarding house and Livery Stable. The 1925 business licenses show him as a land auctioneer.

**Stickley, Charles** - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a physician.

**Stoddard, Samuel** - Listed in the business licenses as a ordinary keeper 20 Aug 1852. He also paid a license fee to have a standing stallion. BL

**Stoddard, W. P.** - Manassas, Va., Dentist - All work guaranteed and at moderate prices. Graduate of Baltimore Dental College, eighteen years experience, office at residence. Manassas, VA 28 Feb 1896 M.G. Is listed in Chataigne’s 1884-1885, 1890-1891, 1893-1894, & 1897-1898 Virginia business directories. The business licenses have him as paying the yearly fee from 1891 to at least 1900.

**Stokes, Joseph** - Manassas, Va., area blacksmith in the 1880s, Listed as a blacksmith and wheelwright in Chataigne’s 1884-1885, 1890-1891,1893-1894 & 1897-1898 Virginia business directories.
under the personal direction of Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Lyon, Lee Highway /U.S. Route 211 at Manassas
Battlefields specializing in Chicken and Virginia Ham Dinners. Reservations may be made for Bridge
Luncheons, 15 May 1938 M. J. - Reopening of famous Stone House Inn at Manassas Battlefields, under
new management, specializing in Southern Fried Chicken, catering to parties and clubs. Your Host, LEE
and MICKEY GRAY, 1947-1948 MM - In an ad in March 1948 Lee Gray is listed as the Manager and
Mrs. J. P. Lyon as Hostess. On the 1941 certificate of ownership the business is listed as retail merchant,
restaurant and cottages at route US211 with J.P. and May Lyon the owners. The ownership cert. 19
May 1947 has the sole owner as Lee Gray.

Stone General Store - Peter Stone had a business license and is listed in the records 1 May 1834 BL

Stonewall Jackson Hotel - Manassas, Va., 101 N. Main Street, the following ad from 22 Dec 1949 J.M.
- Relieve her, dine out during the holidays. For breakfast, lunch or dinner or that in between snack plan to
meet your friends here. Stonewall’s Kitchen - Good Food - Moderately Priced, The owner 7 Oct 1949 was
listed as Walter C. Sadd. The hotel was also listed in the 1951 Manassas yellow pages.

Stonewall Red & Brown Sandstone Quarry – Manassas, Va., Dimension stone of all sizes for house work – cut or
rough for all classes of railroad work – John R. Tillet joint owner and lessee.

Stonewall Real Estate Company - Manassas, Va., 105 E. Center Street, Charlie Caviness, president –
Buddy Moore sec. 1950s.

Stonnell, Sherwood B. General Store - Occoquan, Va., Had a business licenses for a lumber dealer,
merchandise, cigars and tobacco from 1894 to at least 1918 BL, BD,

Stork Shop - Quantico, Va., 513 Broadway, Frederick Kitchener and Bernice Kitchener were owners 2
Aug 1945 C.O.

Storke and Russell General Store - Kopp, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Storke, B. W. - Independent Hill, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a carpenter
and builder.

Storke, L. M. General Store - Voy / Independent Hill, Va., Had a retail merchant business license from
1893 to at least 1908. In 1895 the business was listed as L. M. Storke and Abel General Store. BL

Stover, Jeremiah - Manassas, Va., Listed under Mills-Saw & Planing in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 Virginia
business directory.

Strobert, W. P. or W. L. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894, Virginia business
directory as a coach and wagon builder

Stuart, Mary Lunch Room - Triangle Va., Route #1, Beverly F. Warren was the owner 29 Jan 1941
C.O. - Greyhound Bus Terminal, Magazines, Good Food and Drinks of all kinds.

Suburban Propane Gas Corporation - Gainesville, Va., The gas company beyond the gas mains.
Complete line of modern gas appliances. Ranges, Water Heaters, Space Heaters, Refrigerators, 30 Apr
1959 M.J.

Sudley Mill - Manassas, Va., (1877) Location is listed between the battlefield and Sudley Church. The
mill was owned from 1846 to 1856 by R. C. Mackell, Robert F. Carter until 1859, Robert Carter Weir
until 1865, William Sullivan until 1869, Charles Thomas until 1875, Charles Fetzer owned the mill past
1900. In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory the location is listed as Wellington. The 1893-1894 the
location is listed as Catharpin. The 1877-1878 & 1880-1881 business directories has the owner as A. B.
Fetzer.
Sullivan, Fred T.  **General Store** - Independent Hill, Va., Listed in the 1911 business directory.

Sullivan, J. R. - **General Store**, Canova, Va., Listed in the 1906 and 1911 business directories.

Sullivan, Louisiana Mrs. **General Store** - Independent Hill, Va., listed as a retail merchant in the 1907 business license and the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Sullivan, Thomas I. - Independent Hill, Va., Paid the fee for a business license from 1887 to at least 1895 to operate a bar room and saloon. He had a license to be a huckster and canvasser from 1874 to 1881 and a general merchant from 1882 to 1898 BD

Sullivan Store - Canova, Va., James Sullivan is listed in the Virginia business licenses as a retail merchant with a tobacco license from about 1906 BL

Sullivan's Store - Buckhall Va. 1949 OYB


Sunny Brook Tourist Home - Manassas, Va., Sudley Road / Route 234, Marie Wolfe Barrett was the owner in 1941.

Sunshine Inn - Thoroughfare, Va., A retail store and restaurant on route 55, Thoroughfare. In 1941 Moses Mayland Robinson is listed as the owner on the certificate of ownership.

Sunshine Tavern - Woodbridge, Va., route #1, restaurant and filling station. Frederick L. Scheck was the owner and proprietor 4 Feb 1941 C.O. In 1947 the ownership changed to Foster P. Juniper.

Surplus Salvage Company - Manassas, Va., Kitchenware, Hardware, Clothing, Gov. Surplus, 20 Apr 1948 M. M.

Surplus Store (The) - Manassas, Route #28, Nokesville Road, Apparel for men, women, and children. 1951 YP

Suthard, William - Coles Twp., Had a license to be a common crier 1874.

Swank, W. H. - Nokesville, Va., In the 1908-1910 business licenses as a land agent.

Swann, Julia F. - District #2, The only mention in the business licenses is a retail merchant license in 1899

Swann, Luther E. **General Store** - Woodbridge, Va., Retail merchant from 1884 to at least 1920. Mrs. L. E. Swan began purchasing the licenses about 1908.

Swann, Julia F. - Occoquan or Woodbridge, Va., license for general merchandise and retail tobacco 1907-1910 BL

Swanson’s Garfield Flying “A” Service - Filling Station and auto products, Route#1 Woodbridge, Va.-owner in 1961 listed as Harry Swanson

Swanson’s Triangle Flying “A” Service - Filling Station and auto products, Route#1 Woodbridge, Va.-owner in 1963 listed as Harry Swanson

Swart, F. W. - Brentsville, Va., Eggs for hatching from thoroughbred Buff Orpingtons and White Indian Games, Setting 75 cents for 15 at the yards, Express $1.25, 12 Apr 1907 M. J.
Swart, M. H. - A retail merchant license 1891 and 1892.

Swart, R. G. and Brother General Store - Had a retail merchant license 28 Oct 1895. The general store was also listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory.

Swart, S. C. - Catharpin, Va., In the 1906 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Swart, S. W. - Stone House, Va., Listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Swavelly School Inc – Manassas Va. – Non sectarian institution of learning. Part if the charter says “No student of African descent shall be admitted to and instructed in said institution.” Eli Swavelly president, Charles Maurice Hopkins secretary & treasurer.

Swazes, W. S. - Listed as a district #1 cattle dealer in the 1876 business licenses.

Sweeney & Partlow – Gainesville Va. – General Merchandise and Filling Station – “Groceries to his Majesty the Public” – taken from an account balance of John Thornton 1929

Sweet Briar Motor Court - Woodbridge, Va., Jerry Niehaus and Margaret C. Niehaus were the owners 10 Apr 1954. The business was sold to Federico Cruz and Virginia Cruz who are listed 22 Apr 1954 on the C.O.

Sylvio, Neri - Manassas, Va., Someone interested to see me going away from Manassas has taken the job of a newspaper man by going around and telling my friends that I am about to leave Manassas. But it is not so, I am here to remain, and my new spring line is on display. New suits and overcoats for the spring and summer at very low prices. 19 Jan 1924 M. J.

T & S Grill – Dumfries Va. Restaurant – Mario Silvetti was the owner in 1959 C.O.

T & S. Grill – Dumfries Va. A restaurant on US #1 – owner in 1958 was Robert Lee Dunphy C.O.

T & S. Grill – Dumfries Va. A restaurant on US #1 – owner in 1960 was Monroe Davis C.O.

Tabb, E. M. - Bristow, Va., Shoes, Rubbers, dry goods, work shirts, overalls, underwear, ladies and children’s hose, men’s gloves, sweaters 30 Apr 1931 MJ

Tackett, Senate - Ordinary - Paid the $18.00 license fee to operate an ordinary 1 May 1827. BL

Taffer, William - Ordinary - Paid a $12.00 license fee to operate an ordinary 7 Sep 1819 BL

Takes, Harris - Quantico, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses as operating a 13 table pool hall.

Talkin, Dr. M. Milton - Manassas, Va., Specialist in eye refraction, Prince William Hotel, He has helped thousands and he can help you. 25 Apr 1940 M. J.

Talley, W. E. General Store - Hicks Store, Listed in the 1917 business directory.

Tansill & Goodwin - Common Criers from 1879 to 1883.

Tansill & Harshbarger - Common Criers from 1883 to 1885

Tansill, George W. - Hoadley, Va., retail merchant from 1882-1884 in the business licenses. George was listed as the sheriff in the 1880-1881 business directory.
Tansill, John - **Ordinary & Store**, Deep Hole / Occoquan, Va. Had a business license to operate an ordinary from 1834 to 1846. In 1833 the business was listed as a tavern and store.

Tansill, Samuel - **Ordinary**, location not given, Samuel had a license to operate an ordinary from 1831 to 1838. He also had a store license dated 1 May 1834.

Tapscott, J. E. - Kepharts Mill, Va., In the 1907 Virginia business licenses as a merchant with a tobacco license.

**Tastee Freeze** - Manassas, Va., 1093 Centreville Road, Ice Cream, Frozen Desserts, 1950s

**Tavener Grocery Store** - Occoquan, Va., The proprietor in 1894 and 1895 was James Tavener. Darthula Tavener was listed in the county business licenses as a retail merchant with a license to sell merchandise and tobacco products from 1896 to at least 1912. BL. The building is now known as the “Back Stage Dance Studio”.

Taylor & Brown Lim’t’d - Manassas, Va., Lumber Company, We keep on hand lumber, lime, cement, lath, brick, doors, oils, varnish, hinges, screws, and all kinds of builders hardware. We guarantee prices to be as low as any in all cases. T.O. Taylor, W. Hill Brown 28 Feb 1896 M.G. In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory the business is listed as a lumber and shingles company. Had a business license from 1 May 1894 to 30 Apr 1898.

Taylor, Ansel - One of the early peddlers in the county. He paid a $20 license fee 5 Nov 1822. BL


Taylor, George G. - retail merchants license 8 Aug 1855 BL

Taylor, Lewis H. - a physician in Prince William County, 1903 business license.

Taylor’s Mill - Buckland, Va., was put up for sale at public auction on 20 Nov 1906 with no bidders, on 3 Dec 1906 G. Raymond Ratcliffe bought the Mill for the sum of $1075. The mill was on Broad Run and was also known as Bodine’s Mill, PSN


Taylor’s Store - Hickory Grove, Va., drug store, tobacco and notions, etc. 1888-1889 business directory, Thomas O. Taylor the owner is listed as a general merchant and druggist in other directories. Listed in the business licenses from 1875 to at least 1888 as a merchant with a license to sell tobacco products. Thomas was the mayor of Manassas from 1893 to 1900 and on the town council in 1901.

Taylor, W. A. - Wellington, Va., Listed as a merchant in the 1925 business licenses.


Teasdale, S. F. - Beulah, Va., Was a retail merchant in the business license dated 1 May 1874. He is also in the 1877-1878 business directory.

Tebbs, Thomas F. - Gainesville, An area physician from about 1852-1882 in the business licenses. He is also listed in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881 and 1884-1885 business directories.

**Ted’s Esso** - Woodbridge, Va., service station, T. H. Blofeld was the owner and operator 18 Aug 1947 C.O.
Teel, H. C. - Haymarket, Va., A barber from about 1910 to at least 1918.

Tel Mont TV Service - Yorkshire, Va., 1112 Centreville Road. 1950s

Temple School - Manassas, Va., 314 North Grant Street, Day pupils from nursery school through third grade. Were boarding ages five to nine. This was from a letterhead dated about 1950.

Temple School of Music - Manassas Va., Opens Sept. 1st in modern method of voice culture classes in piano, harmony, ear training, history of music 3 Dec 1914 M.D.

Tennison and Edmonds Ordinary - licenses dated 4 Aug 1808.

Terry & Smallwood - Manassas, Va., General Contractors, C. F. Terry, C. A. Smallwood, 623 Taylor Street, Building and remodeling of all kinds, First Class Workmanship, all work guaranteed, 22 Jul 1954 M. J.

Thacklett Ordinary - Robert Thacklett paid for a license to operate an ordinary 4 Aug 1834 BL

Tharp, Thomas L. Company - District #1, general merchant with a business license 1 May 1884 BL

The Post Griff – 304 Potomac Avenue, Quantico Va. – restaurant owned by George Coutros 1962 C.O.

The Sectarian – Occoquan Va. – A monthly magazine – of anti-means old school, Predestinarian or Bible Baptist Book, Pamphlet, Job Printing, ans Book Binding – W. M. Smoot, proprietor

Thompson, Corbin - Woodbridge, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a dairy.

Thompson, G. F. - Manassas, Va., Was a merchant in the 1908-1910 business licenses.
Thompson Ordinary - Bailey Thompson paid a $18.00 license fee to operate an ordinary 1 May 1834 BL

Thornton and Company - Voy, Va., Listed in the Virginia business licenses for general merchandise and tobacco 1907

Thornton & Davies - Manassas, Va., Attorneys at Law - J. B. Thornton & H. Thornton Davies will practice in the courts of Prince William and adjoining counties and the U. S. Courts, Invariable rule of remitting on day of collection 15 Dec 1905 M. J.

Thornton, H. G. - Thoroughfare, Va., Listed in Chataigne’s business directories in 1877-1878 & 1880-1881 as a general merchant and the 1884-1885, 1890-1891 directory as a Druggist. In the Virginia business licenses from 1876 to 1882 as a retail merchant with a license to also sell tobacco products.

Thornton, J. B. T. - Brentsville, Va., Listed as a physician in the 1852 Virginia directory and business Register. In the business licenses as a physician from 1852 -1856. (This J. B. T. Thornton died in 1857)

Thornton, J.B.T. - Brentsville / Manassas, Va. Prince William County lawyer from 1 May 1879 to past 1917 and was on the Manassas Town council in 1894 and 1895.

Thornton, R. E. - Attorney at Law - I will practice in the Courts of Prince William County and adjoining counties. 28 Feb 1896 M. G.

Thornton Store - Thoroughfare, Va., from about 1875 to 1890 as an all purpose store, sometimes listed as a drug store with H. G. Thornton being the druggist.


Thorpe, Thomas L. and Company - Gainesville, Va., retail merchant with a license to sell retail tobacco from 1880 to 1885. Bl

Thorpe’s Mill - Gainesville, Va., Listed in the 1877-1878, 1880-1881 and 1884-1885, Virginia business directories with Thomas L. Thorpe the owner.

Three Corners Garage - Dumfries, Va., Robert Douglas Davis was the owner 23 Apr 1952 C.O.

Thrift House (The) - Dumfries, Va., Louise F. Shoemaker was the owner 20 Jul 1949 C.O.

Thrift Shop - Manassas, Va., 310 N. Main Street, (rear) Bargains Galore - don’t throw them away, turn your wearable’s and other odds and ends to cash at the Thrift Store. 1950

Tigner’s Sinclair Service Station - Manassas, Va., E.E. Tigner was the owner and proprietor 3 Jan 1947 C.O.

Tilford, F. V. - Listed as a common crier in the 1899 business licenses.

Tillett, John R. Company - Manassas, Va. bridge builder in 1884-1885, 1888-1889, 1890-1891,1893-1894, 1897-1898, 1906 and 1917 Virginia business directories. Listed as a merchant in the 1897-1917 business licenses. The following is from a 10 Dec 1892 bill to the Southern Methodist Church building committee. - ‘John R. Tillett Company, Iron Bridges and heavy masonry a specialty, iron fences and jail cells. Stonewall Red and Brown Sandstone Quarry, Manassas, Va. - Dimension Stone of all sizes for house work. Cut on rough dimensions stone for all classes of railroad work or other heavy masonry. The location of the quarry is on the R. & D. Railroad at Manassas, Va. with a good plant and one thousand feet of side track.

Time Shop (The) - Dumfries Va., clock and watch repair shop, Leroy W. Hohensheld was the owner 2 Jan 1948 C.O.
Timmons, L. W.  **General Store**  - Floyd / Forestburg  Listed in the 1911 - 1917 business directory.

Timmons, Wallace - paid a license tax  16 Aug 1898 to operate a house of private entertainment. BL

Tiny’s  **Corner Delicatessen**  - Triangle, Va., Herbert M. Curtis was the owner 3 Sep 1953 C.O.

**Tip Top Tavern**  - Woodbridge, Va., route #1, retail merchant and lunch room, Daisy Belle Irby was the owner and operator 5 Feb 1941 C.O.

**Toasty Shop**  - Quantico, Va., 308 Potomac Ave., lunchroom, beer and wine, Alvin William James was the owner 5 Feb 1941 C.O.

Tohse, George - District #1, Listed as a confectioner with a retail tobacco license 1 May 1887

Tolson, John C. - Horton’s Store, Va., Listed as a tanner in the 1884-1885, 1890-1891 business directory.


Tolson, J. W. - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, Virginia business directories as a auctioneer.

Townshend, Truman - Listed as a retail merchant on a business license dated 1 May 1826. BL

Trading Post (The) - Manassas, Va., R.F.D. - General Merchandise, M. W. Farnor was the owner 30 Jan 1953 C.O.

**Traeger, Carl C.**  - Manassas, Va., Maine Hotel & Restaurant, Maine Hotel building on Railroad Ave., Up to date lunches, hot or cold served at any hour of day, oysters, soft drinks, homemade pies, 20 Apr 1911 M. D.

**Trailway Bus Company**  - Manassas, Va., Center Street, Ticket office at Cocke’s Pharmacy, 4 Apr 1947 M. M.

Treacy, Charles J. - Manassas, Va., INCOME TAX, For help with your income tax returns call me for an appointment. 22 Dec 1949 M. J.

Tredick, John - District #1, Had a license to sell fertilizer 1 Oct 1878. BL


**Trenis Dept. Store**  - Nokesville, Va., Everything in used furniture, piano, and upright pianos, victrolas-standard makes, Ice boxes - all sizes, In fact something for every room, Inspection invited, buy here and save the difference, 3 Jun 1926 M. J.


**Trenis Supply Company**  - Manassas, Va., 214 Center Street, come and see our 1941 G.E. Refrigerator, more people prefer G.E. than any other brand. 27 Mar 1941 M. J. - Edwin M. Trenis of Catlett was the owner.
**Trenis Store** - Listed in the business licenses in 1855 as being a store with a merchant and liquor license.

**Triangle Auto Company** - Triangle, Va., Listed in the 1 May 1925 as paying $196.52 tax.

**Triangle Bottling Company** - Triangle, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as a wholesale bottling company. The company was operated by George Oleyar Sr. from about August 1920 to around 1928 or 1929. They made and bottled Root Beer, Ginger Ale, and other Soft Drinks.

**Triangle Engine Tuning** - Triangle, Va., Russell Castle and Harold Fitter were owners 25 Aug 1947 C.O.

**Triangle Filling Station** - Dumfries, Va., route #1, Charles O. Cloe Jr., the owner and operator was 4 Feb 1941 C.O.

**Triangle Grocery** - Triangle Va., Aubrey Kincheloe was the owner and proprietor 14 Aug 1950 C.O.

**Triangle Market** - Triangle, Va., Otto W. Liming was the owner and proprietor 24 May 1946 C.O.

**Triangle Motor Company** - Triangle, Va., Ford Sales and Service, C. C. Cloe was the proprietor 4 Sep 1935 QS

**Triangle Paint Company** - Triangle, Va., Richard Cornwell and Earl Fayard were the owners 1 Jan 1954 C.O.

**Triangle Plumbing & Heating Company** - Triangle, Va., business of installing, service, repair and sale of plumbing and heating products. Ralph W. Orrock and Robert L. Tucker were the owners listed 17 Apr 1953 C.O.

**Triangle Radio & Hardware Store** - Triangle, Va., route #1, Robert Claude Ennis, was the owner and operator 17 Feb 1941 C.O.

**Triangle Service Center** - Dumfries, Va., A filling station and restaurant. John E. Gum was the owner and operator 18 Jun 1946 C.O.

**Triangle Transportation Company and Bus Company** - Triangle, Va., T. M. Milligan, C. C. Cloe Jr. and W. H. Mountjoy were owners 12 Mar 1946. On 26 Aug 1946 T. M. Milligan is listed as the sole owner.

**Trickett’s Service Station** - Manassas, Va., On 8 Feb 1946 the owner is listed as Richard F. Trickett.


**Triplett Ordinary - Haywood F.** - Gainesville, Va., Ordinary Keeper, Saloon Keeper, and Bar Room Keeper from about 1873 to at least 1883 in the business licenses. Haywood is also listed as a general merchant in the 1877-1878, 1884-1885, business directory.

**Tubbs, E. W.** - District #2, had a merchant and retail tobacco license dated 2 May 1898. BL

**Tulloss, J. C.** - Manassas, Va., Agent for Western Electric Power and Light, Automatic regulator type makes the battery last longer. Because the charging process is regulated and fully controlled by the automatic regulator. It is simple, is reliable and can be depended upon to run at all times. 19 Dec 1919 M. J.

**Tulloss, W. R.** - Haymarket, Va., Physician, born 13 April 1859 Bristersburg, Fauquier County, VA, 1 Mar
1913 BL. He started the practice in Haymarket in 1891. In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory he is listed as a Hickory Grove physician and druggist. Had a physician license from 2 May 1892 to at least 1 Mar 1918. BL. - In the 1909 business licenses he is also listed as a land agent.

**Turner and Reeves Ordinary** - The only mention of the ordinary appears to be a license dated 15 Aug 1860. BL

**Turner’s Furniture** - Quantico, Va., 227 Potomac Ave., retail furniture store, Arthur Turner was the owner and proprietor 19 Oct 1950 C.O.

**Tussing, William D. - General Store,** Aden, Va., Listed in the 1917 business directory.

**Twombly, S. P. -** Buckland, Va., A general merchant in the 1893-1894, 1897-1898 Virginia business directory. He is first mentioned in the 1891 business licenses and was continued to have a merchants license past 1900.

**Tyler, Alfred** - Paid a $20.00 license fee to operate a house of private entertainment 1 May 1834. BL

**Tyler, Edward Jr. -** Manassas, Va., Jewelry Store, Blossom’s building. - I would like to respectfully call attention to the fact that I will open a Jewelry store in Manassas, Va. I will handle a first class stock of Jewelry and will be prepared to do clock and watch repair and plating. My motto will be Satisfaction given or money refunded. 28 Feb 1896 M. G. The only year Edward Tyler purchased a business license appears to be 1896.

**Tyler, George G.** - Ordinary, Had an ordinary license 1 May 1827. BL and a retail liquor license in the early 1850s.

**Tyler, George G. and Company** - Listed as a retail merchant in 1827 BL

**Tyler, George H.** - Haymarket, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as a insurance agent.

**Tyler, James M.** - was a merchant, ordinary keeper and operated a house of private entertainment in the 1830s

**Tyler, John** - Above the Occoquan general merchant from 1 May 1853 until the start of the Civil War. BL

**Tyler, Joseph** - Bristow, Va., Listed as a painter in the 1911 business directory.

**Tyler, Joseph W.** - District #1 retail merchant in 1894. BL

**Tyler Mill** - Buckland, Va., J. O. Tyler, Listed as woolen mill in the 1888-1889 and 1890-1891, 1893-1894, business directories.

**Tyler, Thomas Q.** - retail merchant license dated 1 May 1881. BL

**Tyndale, Maria** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses as operating a soda fountain and eating house.

**Tyndale, Roy Cleaners** - Manassas, Va., Centre Street. Steam Cleaning and pressing the Hoffman Way. If you live out of town send work by parcel post. I handle all kinds of ladies fancy work, such as gowns, waists and sweaters. When you have your work done by steam it raises the nap and leaves the cloth in a sanitary condition and there is no slick or shine left. We also do dyeing and repairing. I have recently bought John Chapman’s Pressing club, and with years of experience in the cleaning business, I can handle your work without fear. Give me a trial. My motto is Politeness and Service.” 1928-1929 MJ

**Tyrrell & Davis** - Woodbridge, Va., conducting the business of raising and marketing livestock at
Woodbridge. Barkley Horner Davis and Robert Harry Tyrrell were the owners 31 Dec 1951 C.O. - solely owned by Robert Tyrrell 20 Feb 1953 C.O.

**Tyson, C. S.** - Manassas Va., The Manassas Steam Mill Is prepared to grind corn and rye for meals and feed. Corn taken on the cob and shelled without charge. Corn meal and horse feed for sale at market prices. 7 Jan 1870 M.W.G.

**Uhler, Bedford B. Jr.** - Manassas, Va., Lawyer, 105 Center Street, in the National Bank Building, 1951 yellow pages.

**Underwood and Carter - Undertakers**, Occoquan, Va., In the business licenses from 1891 to at least 1908.

**Underwood, Ann** - Paid a $20 merchant license fee 1 May 1839.

**Underwood Ordinary and Store**- John Underwood paid a license fee for an ordinary starting in 1828 and going to at least 1831. He then had a store from the early 1830s until 1839 when it appears Ann Underwood took over the store.

**Underwood, Powhaton** - District #2, Had a retail store 1881 to 1886 with a merchant and tobacco license. BL

**Updike's Grocery Inc.** - Manassas, Va., free delivery, courteous service, “Attention farmers, we buy eggs and chickens.” - Round Steak 23 cents lbs., Chuck Roast 15 cents lbs., cheese 19 cents a lbs, Norwood Coffee 22 cents a lbs., Fresh Vegetables on Friday and Saturday, All vegetables in season you will find in our store 20 Jan 1938 M.J.

**Valley Motor Clinic** - Woodbridge, Va., Samuel Greenburg was the owner of the business of garage, automobile repairing and motor rebuilding on route #1 four miles south of Woodbridge. 19 Jul 1947 C.O.

**Valley Roller Mills - E. R. Holsinger** - Brentsville, Va., Our peerless flour is a peerless flour. It is warranted absolutely. No better flour can be made out of wheat grown in this section. No mills has any better machinery, there is none better made. We buy the best wheat and use every care to make Peerless flour what our customers say it is The Best Made. Our Corn Meal is the finest made because we buy the best corn obtainable and keep our meal clean. Highest Market Prices Paid for Grain 22 Nov 1901 M.J.

**Valley Tourist Camp** - retail business and lunch room, Miss Patsy was the owner and operator 6 Feb 1941 C.O.

**Van Fleet and Hughs Ordinary** - Paid for an ordinary and retail spirits license in 1852.

**Variety Delicatessen** - Quantico, Va., Silvio Tucci was the owner and operator 1 Mar 1945 C.O.

**Variety Store** - 334 W. Center Street, Manassas, 1960 YP

**Varner Beauty Shop** - Wellington Va., Edna Varner owner 1941 M.T.D.

**Varnes, H. B.** - Manassas, Va., Hotel proprietor, board by day, week, or month, passengers stopping overnight for the Manassas train can be accommodated with comfortable lodging and meals. 23 Nov 1872 M.W.G. - Harvey B. Varnes appears to have tried a little of everything including the following taken from business licenses and other papers 1870 to 1877 , Ordinary licenses, retail tobacco license, standing stallion license, merchant license, lawyer license, land agent license, bowling saloon license, retail spirits license, and operated a house of private entertainment. All of this was in a seven year period.

**Vere, Pack & Company** - Manassas, Va., area wool dealer from about 1885 - 1900, Listed as
Gainesville, Va. in Chataigne’s 1890-1891 Virginia business directory and in the 1885 - 1888 business licenses.

Vermillion, G. T. - paid the license fee to be a butcher 1 May 1897. BL.

Vessels, Lewis - Wellington, Va., Listed as a carpenter and builder in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory.

Veteran’s Garage - Woodbridge, Va., service station and repair garage. Steve Carl Mayors was the owner and operator 2 Jan 1947 C.O. - On 6 Jan 1948 Allen Stuart Hartman is listed as co-owner.

Vetter & Harley Amoco Station - Manassas, Va. General Hauling and service station, Amoco Gas and Oil, phone 191, 12 Dec 1940 M. J.

Vetter Hauling (R. L.) - Manassas, Va., Specializing in local drayage, see us for prices by contract or by the hour. satisfaction guaranteed by R. L. Vetter 9 Nov 1933 M. J.

Viades Manufacturing Company - Woodbridge, Va. manufacturing and selling of route indicators or road maps for automobiles. president - George A. Deardorff of Occoquan, vice president - R.C. Hammill of Woodbridge, treasurer - J. M. Barber of Occoquan, secretary- Jo Rice of Occoquan. 4 Jan 1916 C.B.

Victor Music & Appliance Company - Quantico, Va., Victor E. Ferlazzo was the owner and proprietor 30 Aug 1946 C.O.

Victory Cafe - Quantico, Va., 333 Potomac Ave., Tony Katsarelis was the owner 30 Jan 1941 C.O.

Village Motor Court - Woodbridge, Va., on route #1, business of renting rooms to tourist, Stephanie Rader, William S.Rader and Tadeus Czech were listed as owners 30 Aug 1950 C.O. - W. I. Stemwell and Lucille E. Stemwell were the owners 31 Oct 1953 C.O. - On the 15 Jan 1954 C.O. Earl Hogan and Onita Hogan were listed as owners.

Virginia Ann’s Beauty Saloon - Manassas, Va., 342 W. Center Street, 1950s

Virginia Brownstone Company - Brentsville, Va., mining and transporting stone. The business started in June 1890. Listed as a stone quarry in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Virginia Candy Kitchen - Miss Edna Flaherty proprietor, The home of fresh candies, sandwiches and oysters served in any style, buy your candy where it’s fresh and dandy. 18 Jan 1917 M. J.


Virginia Gas Distribution Corporation - Manassas, Va., 339 N. Battle Street, automatic gas cooking, automatic gas refrigeration, gas hot water service, part of Columbia Gas System. 1950

Virginia Market - Manassas, Va., groceries and general merchandise, I. W. Parsons was the owner 14 Jan 1947 C.O.

Virginia Milk Transportation Company - Operated in Prince William County in 1929 hauling milk to Washington DC

Virginia Public Service Company - Manassas, Va. Office at Peoples Bank Building, What mother really wants, an automatic Hotpoint Electric Range, modern means of cooking far superior to any known cooking device. 29 Nov 1928 M. J.

Vose’s Mill - Buckland, Va., AKA Buckland Mill, AKA Calvert Mill, deed book 78 page 309, The land was
conveyed to George A. Vose by G. W. Calvert by deed 21 Mar 1923 including all machinery in the mill.

Voy, Henry - Voy, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 Virginia business directory as a general merchant.


Wagener & Cornwell - Build against Fire, Cement Blocks, cheaper than brick - Do not buy your building material or finish your building plans until you know what cement blocks are, 15 Dec 1905 M. J.

Wagener House - Manassas, Va., owned and operated by the Wagener Family as an Ordinary from the 1880’s to the mid 1890’s. Sometime around 1896 J. D. Hilton took over running the Ordinary when the Wagener’s opened another business in Manassas, H. G. Leary paid a fee for an Ordinary at the Wagener House in 1898 and 1899.

Wagener Ordinary - On 2 May 1836 Margaret Wagener purchased an ordinary license to operate in the county.

Wagener, W. C. - Manassas, Va., We have a fine line of chinaware, pictures, and novelties. Our stock of furniture is modern and complete, offering splendid suggestions for the Christmas gift. Wagener Block Company, Manassas Va. 9 Dec 1909 M. J. the 1897-1898 business directory he is listed as the owner of a Manassas Saloon. This is possibly the Wagner House that was operated by H. G. Leary. The business licenses have W. C. Wagener as the owner/operator of the Wagener House, from 1888 to 1896 and a merchant to at least 1910. He was listed in the merchants business licenses in 1925.In the business licenses from 1886 to 1925 he is listed as operating or selling the following things: a saloon 1897-1898, Wagener House 1888-1896, merchant 1888-1925, hardware store 1913-1917, grocer around 1910, stoves and tin ware about 1910, furniture dealer 1905-1920.

Waites Grocery - Cherry Hill, Va., Louise L. Waite the owner 5 Aug 1950 C.O.

Walbert Auto Electric – 2813 Jeff Davis Hwy. – rebuilding auto parts, Robert L. Swingle owner 1966

Walker, A. D. - Manassas, Va., Painting and Paperhanging, I have located at Manassas and am prepared to do house painting and grasing in all its variety, also paperhanging done in the very best manner. All orders left at Manassas Hotel will be promptly attended to. 7 Jan 1870 Man. Weekly Gaz.

Walker Brothers Tent Theatre - Nokesville, Va., operating in 1925 BL

Walker, Cyrus - Paid a $14.50 license fee for tin and pewter 20 Oct 1815.

Wall Krafters Dry Wall – Manassas Park, drywall construction, owner in 1966 was Joseph W. Horton C.O.

Waller Ordinary - Listed in the 1849 business licenses. William Waller was the keeper.

Walter and Dearing - District #2, retail merchant in 1894.BL

Walter, E. E. - Thoroughfare, Va., a carpenter and builder in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.
Walters, C. H. - Nokesville, Va., 1917 contractor and builder.

Walters, M. C. - Nokesville, Va., Listed as a tinner in the 1917 business directory.

Walton, Lawrence W. - Manassas Ice and Fuel Company - Having taken over the Davis Ice and Fuel Company I will continue to furnish the town and county, when possible, with ice as needed, also fuel when available. The present prices will continue on account of the high cost of operation. With your co-operation I expect to build up a business that will be beneficial to the community. 19 Dec 1919 M.J.

Walt’s Service Station - Manassas, Va., Ready to serve the citizens of west Manassas with groceries, meats, auto parts, gasoline and auto repair. 9 Nov 1948 M. M.

Ward, Anna - Was the operator of a house of private entertainment from 1823 to 1838. BL - see Ward House listed below.

Ward House and Ordinary - On the list of 1810 Prince William County Ordinaries. On 6 Feb 1809 the first tax was paid on the ordinary. Zachariah Ward operated the ordinary from 1809 to 30 April 1823 when it became a house of private entertainment operated by Anna Ward until at least 1838.

Warden, James - retail merchant license 19 Jul 1852.

Warder, James - Orlando, Va., Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder.

Warren, George T. - Woodbridge, Va., Listed as a land auctioneer in the 1925 business licenses.

Warring, Thomas G. - A retail merchant from 1840 to 1850.

Warwick, H. D. - Manassas, Va., He is listed as a Watchmaker & Jeweler in Chataigne’s 1890-1891, 1893-1894, Virginia business directory.

Washington Fertilizer Company - Myron Va., Listed in the business licenses from 1910 to 1918 and in the business directories of 1906 and 1911.

Washington, John - District #1, was the operator of a house of private entertainment 1 May 1899 BL

Washington, M. B. - Greenwich Va., I am agent for the F. S. Royster fertilizers, the best in the state. Table rock and fine ground stone lime for sale.3 Dec 1914 M.D, Listed in the 1884-1885, 1890-1891, 1893-1894, & 1897-1898 Virginia business directories as a wool dealer. In the 1882-1885 business licenses as having a standing stallion.

Washington, W. R. - Greenwich, Va., Listed in the 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a watchmaker and jeweler.

Washington Hotel - Brentsville, Va., Dr. W. B. Leary proprietor, being in a healthy locality this house offers special inducement to persons seeking a summer resort. Terms Very Moderate 5 Jun 1869 M.W.G.

Waterfall Mill - Waterfall, Va., also known as Foley’s Mill, is listed in the 1877-1878 & 1880-1881 Virginia business directory as being owned by Jane C. Foley of Waterfall, Va.

Waters & Chamberlin - District #2, retail merchants 1 May 1891. BL

Waters, Wright & Hickey, Manassas, Va., Listed in the business records of 1910 as a dry goods store.

Waters, Ella C. Mrs. General Store - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1908-1917 business licenses.
Waters, John D. - Old Lake Jackson Road, listed as a veterinarian in the 1950 yellow pages.

Waters, Miss T. P. - Manassas, Va., Conner building. Millinery opening on Wednesday and Thursday March 21st and 22nd we will hold our former opening of spring millinery. Latest artistic designs in spring hats directed from Philadelphia and New York 16 Mar 1917 M. J.

Waters Ordinary - Listed in the 1808 and 1809 business licenses but not listed in the 1810 ordinaries.

Waters, Wright & Hickey - Manassas Va., People’s Cash Store - Anything that anyone would want can be bought here and brought right. It is right and if it isn’t right it’s not right that you should take it. 22 Sep 1910 M. J. - This business first appears in 1909 list of merchants. BL


Watson & Loyd - Limstrong, Va., a carpenter and builder company listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Watson, A. L. General Store - Dumfries, Va., Listed in the 1917 business records.

Waverly Mills - Haymarket, Va., Flour, Meal, and Feed. On the north bank of the Catharpin Run about 3 miles north of Haymarket. The mill was owned by O. C. Hutchison in 1906 and was the successor to A. B. Janney & Company. - W. H. Bond proprietor, Manufacturer of “Royal Patent” and “Silver Lake Flour”, Mill feed of all kinds, satisfaction guaranteed, T. L. Brubaker - Miller 28 Sep 1911, M. D.

Wayland and Knight Incorporated - Manassas, Va., Centreville Road, Manassas, Merry Tiller Sales & Service, Power Tillers, Garden Tractors, 28 May 1959 M. J.

Wayland Motor Company (R. J.) - Manassas, Va., 219 Center Street, McCormick Deering Farm Machinery, International Trucks, Chrysler and Plymouth Sales and Service, 1 Sep 1949 M. J., Our Thorough overhauling plus genuine IH parts will put your tractor in tip-top shape for work next season. But please don’t wait until the last minute. 3 Jan 1947 M. M. -

Wayland, R. J. - International Harvester, Farm Implements, Truck Sales and Tractor Service, Route 28 beside Drive - in - Theatre, moved to new location, we are now in a larger more modern building, located near the Drive - in - Theatre, come and see us, 22 Jul 1954 M.J.

Wayman, Margaret - Ordinary licenses 1 May 1836 Bl, name may have been Wayner?

Weatherhalty, Townes - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 Virginia business directory as the owner of a livery stable.

Weaver, E. J. & Son General Store - Listed in the 1911 business directory.

Weaver, W. M. - Nokesville, Va., Listed as a painter in the 1911 business directory.

Weber Grocery Store - Route 234, in the 1920s - proprietor was Max Weber.

Weber, Max - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses as operating one auto for hire.


Weedon and Goodwin - Manassas, Va., Purchased a common crier license 1 May 1874. Ferdinand
Weedon & William Goodwin were listed as auctioneers in the business directories.

**Weedon & Tansill** - Manassas, Va., Listed as an auctioneer in the 1880-1881 business directory.

**Weedon and Williams** - Paid the $20 merchant fee for a license 1 May 1839. BL

**Weedon, F. A.** - District #1, Common Crier license 1 Dec 1882. BL

**Weedon, G. M. and Company** - Horton’s Store, Va., Had a retail merchant and tobacco license 1882 – 1886 1888-1889 Bl 1884-1885 BD

**Weedon, Marshall** - Listed as a physician in the 1861 business licenses and a dentist in the 1860 license.

**Weedon, Peter** - Brentsville, Va., Listed as a Prince William County Supervisor in the 1880-1881, 1884-1885, business directory.

**Weeks, F. P. and Company** - Bristow, Va., Merchants and Bar Room owners at Bristow in the 1880’s. B.R.

**Weems, John C.** - Manassas, Va., operated law office in Manassas 1888-1889 BD, also in the 1884-1885,1890-1891 business directory. Listed in the business licenses starting in 1880.

**Weems, S. W.** - Listed as a retail merchant 1 May 1886 BL

**Weir & Birkett Garage** - Manassas Va., Honeycomb radiators guaranteed against bursting from freezing weather, Lee puncture proff, Diamond and Goodyear tires, inner tubes, Silvertown Cords and other accessories. The New Garage, expert automotive repairing, we are prepared to do all kinds of auto repair work, motor work a specialty, all work guaranteed and promptly attended to. 2 Apr 1921 P.W. News

**Weir & Brother** - Manassas, Va., Full line of groceries, always the best of everything for the least money, corner of Centre & West Streets, dress linings of all kinds, velveteen and silks for trimming. 22 Nov 1901 M. J. There is record of the business in 1885 in business licenses. Is also listed in the 1884-1885, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

**Weir & Company** - Manassas, Va., Corner of Center & West Streets, Our January sale creates the best buying opportunities of the year. One third off all ladies furs, one fourth off ladies top skirts, one third off all ladies fall and winter hats. 25 Jan 1907 M. J.

**Weir, A. M.** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 business directory as the owner of a livery stable.

**Weir, C. D. and Brother** - Manassas, Va., listed in the 1911 business licenses as a merchant.


**Weir, Robert Carter - General Store** - District #1, retail merchant and tobacco license 1875 & 1876. BL – He was the first mayor of Manassas in 1873 but resigned in 1874 because he moved out of the town of Manassas and opened the general store.

**Weir Reed & Company** - Manassas, Va., Listed as a general merchant in the 1877-1878 business directory.

**Weir, R. M.** - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses as operating a livery stable in Manassas.

**Weir, Richard M.** - Manassas, Va., Fertilizer & Plaster, Farmers new method, I am prepared to supply
farmers with the above fertilizers. 23 Nov 1872 M.W.G. - listed in the business licenses 1 Jul 1873. BL

Weir, Robert M. - Had a retail merchant license 6 May 1843. BL

Weir, Robert E. - Physician, Manassas, Va., born 27 Jun 1876 Shenandoah County, Virginia, 20 Dec 1899 BL

Weir, S. T. - Manassas, Va., West Center Street, Best goods, Best prices, Best service, A full line of notions and groceries, we have the exclusive agency for the Bower and Bartlett celebrated coffees, our 60 cent tea is the best, try it, special brands of syrup and molasses, come and see us or phone, orders called for and delivered, 1 Jun 1906 M. J. - In the business licenses from 1906 to at least 1910.

Weir, W. J. - Manassas, Va., a general merchant in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Weir, Walter - Brentsville Va., I will practice in the courts of Prince William, Loudoun and Fairfax counties. 2 May 1866 Alexandria Gazette - Attorney at Law - Manassas, Va. 27 Jan 1870 Man. Weekly Gazette

Weir, William J. - Listed as a merchant in the business licenses from 1 Apr 1826 to 30 Apr 1840 BL

Weis, E. Wood Mrs. - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1917 business directory as a boarding house.

Welch, C. D. and Brother - Manassas, Va., West and Center Street, NEW GROCERY OPENS, C. D. Welch occupies new building erected by A. Conner. The finest groceries and choicest meats. 28 Sep 1911 M. D. The first mention of this company is in the 1911 business licenses.

Welcome Inn - Triangle, Va., Alice R. Pomeroy and Grace C. Corbin were the owners 18 Jul 1952 C.O.

Wells & Barbour - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1925 business licenses as a retail merchant.

Wells, Earle - Woodbridge, Va., Listed in the 1917 business directory as a blacksmith and wheelwright.

Wells Market - Quality Meats & Groceries, Just received a supply of candied fruit for baking fruit cakes. Also Nuts and Christmas Candies. 1 Dec 1949 M. J.

Wells, Omeio General Store - Wellington, Va., Listed in the 1908-1920 business licenses as a merchant with a merchandise and tobacco license.

Welsh, Robert - Paid a business tax for a license to sell foreign merchandise 30 Apr 1808 BL

Wenrich, H. D. & Company - Manassas, Va. - New Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, and Eye Glasses. clock repairing and cleaning, Centre Street, 28 Feb 1896 M.G. Wenrich Jewelry Store opened in Manassas early in the year of 1888 and from the beginning carried a wide selection of quality jewelry. The store carried everything from diamonds to Victrolas and sporting goods. Mr. H. D. Wenrich opened the store in May 1888 and after his death his son Wilson continued the business. In 1920 the owners were C. C. Wenrich, Adah C. Wenrich and W. N. Wenrich. Listed In the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a watchmaker and jeweler and the 1906 directory as a bicycle store. In the 1960 yellow pages the address was 222 W. Center Street. In the 1908-1910 business licenses he is listed as a photographer. The first mention of W. D. Wenrich appears to be in the 1909 merchants licenses.

West Mill - Forrestburg, Va., B. S. West was listed as the owner in 1884-1885 business directory.

West End Service Station - Manassas, Va., (near) Retail Merchant and restaurant at Route #28. In 1941 the owner was Emory Lee Cornwell. He apparently owned the business one year because in 1942 the station was owned and operated by G. D. Baker.
Western Auto Associate Store - Manassas, Va., J. E. Rice, proprietor, Electric Toasters, Irons, Sandwich Grills, Trutone Radios, Car Chains, Anti Freeze 17 Dec 1936 M. J.

Wey, Agnes Mrs. - Manassas, Va., New Confectionery near Hynson’s store, Main Street, Manassas, Having just opened I am prepared to sell at greatly reduced prices all kinds of Ice Cream, French and other candies, cakes of every variety, fresh oranges, lemons, and loaf bread, 18 May 1878 M.G. - Listed in the 1880-1881, 1884-1885, 1890-1891 and 1893-1894, Virginia business directories and the business licenses from 1878 to 1888.

Weyburn, Horace - Paid a business license for a retail store 1 May 1833 BL

Whalen Ordinary - Wesley Whalen is listed in the business licenses as operating an ordinary 1 May 1836 BL

Wharton, W. T. - Haymarket, Va., in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory he is listed as a Haymarket attorney. In the same directory he is also listed as a saddle and harness maker. In 1911 he is listed as operating a grocery in the Gainesville district. W. H. Wharton was a county magistrate from at least 1892 to about 1920.

Wheat Chevrolet - Manassas, Va., automobile dealer, Chevrolet Sales and Service, New and Used Cars, 302 West Center Street, C. L. Wheat were the owner 12 May 1950 C.O.

Wheat, Richard W. - Dumfries, Va., Physician, Listed in the 1852 Virginia directory and business Register. He is listed in the business licenses until the start of the Civil War.

Whedbee, George W. - Manassas, Va., was a retail merchant in the business license dated 1 May 1894 BL - He was also listed as a general merchant in the 1893-1894 business directory and on the Manassas town council in 1890.

Whedbee, T. B. General Store - Bristow / Manassas, Va., a merchandise license from 1908 to at least 1917 BL, BD,


Wheeler, William B. - Manassas, Va., Had a merchant license in 1852 and a standing stallion license in 1874.

Wheeler, William L. B. - Had a merchant and private entertainment license from 1843 to 1850

Wheeler, William M. - Wellington / Manassas, Va., Retail merchant in the business licenses from 1894 To at least 1917. The 1906, 1911, and 1917 Virginia business directories list him as a seller of agricultural implements and fertilizer dealer.

Whetzel's Nokesville Grocery - Nokesville, Va., a small ad in 1948 wishing the graduation class of Brentsville “all the success they deserve” 1948 BYB, also a ad in the 1938 BYB General Merchandise and Emerson Radios

Whetzel's Aden Grocery - Aden, Va., S.G. Whetzel, a small ad in 1948 wishing the graduation class of Brentsville “all the success they deserve” 1948 BYB -The grocery was listed in the 1925 business licenses where they paid a $24.02 tax.

White Haven Tourist Home - Dumfries, Va., Horace and Agnes (Schoren) Cato opened the boarding house 15 May 1934 when he was working on the railroad as an engineer. They rented out rooms in the one story bungalow and lived in the upstairs dormer while they added rooms on the back and added another
floor. Agnes said they only rented to servicemen during WW2 and they ranged from corporals to majors. At one time there were 8 lieut.s living there with their wives. Horace died in 1980 but Agnes kept the boarding house going and in 1999 at 89 years old was still operating White Haven. Source Agnes Cato 29 Aug 1999

**White, Robert L.** - A retail merchant 1839 to 1844. BL

**White Spot Diner** - Woodbridge, Va., route #1, restaurant and gas station, Walter Steimer was the owner 3 Feb 1941. - Shellie Steimer was the owner and operator. 6 Jan 1942 C.O.

**White Spot Gas Station** - Woodbridge, Va., A gas station and general merchandise store. Chester H. Bailey is listed as the owner and operator on the 29 Jan 1946 C.O.

**Whittington, Charles** - Manassas, Va., Operated a boarding house in the early 1900s. He is listed in the business licenses and the 1906 Virginia business directory.

**Whitman, W. L.** - District #1, a butcher in the 1876 business license.

**Whitmer Brothers Contractors** - Buckhall, Va., Charles Franklin Suffary Whitmer and his brother William Whitmer operated a contracting company. They owned a threshing machine, portable saw mill and well drilling machine. They were all powered by a steam traction engine. The Whitmer brothers also ran a cider mill on their property at Buckhall that later became the Wilmer Kline Farm. They operated from about 1888 to the 1900s.

**Whitmer, J. C.** - Manassas, Va., I wish to announce to the public that I have purchased the meat business of T. H. Athey and I am now prepared to serve you with the best fresh and salt meats 11 Mar 1915 M. D. - Listed in the 1917 business directory as a butcher and meat market.

**Whitmore, & Hixson Real Estate** - Manassas, Va., phone #74, Real Estate Brokers, List your property With us. Sales - Management - Rentals - small ad in the paper, 25 Dec 1941 M. J. - M. Bruce Whitmore and C. E. Hixson are the owners. C.O.

**Whittington & Company** - Manassas, Va., Dealer in Hardware, We carry in stock a full line of building hardware, blacksmith’s supplies, Oliver chilled plows and repairs, feed cutters, corn shellers, hay forks, carriers and pulleys, carpenter’s tools and pocket cutlery, the celebrated clauss scissors and shears. Our prices are the very lowest, Mr. B. D. Merchant under whose direction the business is conducted will take pleasure at all times in showing goods. Manassas, VA 28 Feb 1896 M. G. Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory under hardware stores, and fertilizers manufacture and agents. Had a merchant and retail tobacco license from 1894 to 1899. BL

**Wickleffe, Andrew J.** - Above the Occoquan, merchant license in 1855. BL

**Wienekis Snack Bar** - Manassas, Va., 372 W. Center Street, 1950s

**Wigging, Crissie** - District #2, License for private entertainment 2 May 1883 BL

**Wigglesworth, P. C. Mrs.** - Woodbridge, Va., merchant in the 1917 directory

**Wilkins Real Estate Company** - Nokesville, Va., if it’s farm & Homes you are looking for see A. R. Wilkins, Sunday after 2 o’clock P.M. 9 Apr 1959 M. J. - A. R. Wilkins is listed as a Nokesville merchant in the 1908 business licenses.

**Williams, A. F. General Store, Myron** - Va., Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory. There also was an A. F. Williams listed in the 1906 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder at Minnieville.
Williams, Abraham - A tavern owner 7 Jan 1823 in the business licenses.

Williams, Catherine - Ordinary, Had a business license to operate an ordinary from 1826 to 1828 BL

Williams Colonial Furniture House - Triangle, Va., George Purvis and Frank M. Williams were the owners 19 May 1952 C.O.

Williams Food Market - Quantico, Va., grocery and soft drinks, Willie Williams was the owner 13 Aug 1947 C.O.

Williams, George - Ordinary, Had a business license to operate an ordinary from 1807 to 1827.BL

Williams, George F. - District #2, had a merchant and retail tobacco license from 1881 to 1884. BL

Williams, Jane - Brentsville, Va. - paid a $18.00 yearly license tax to operate an Ordinary in Brentsville, Va., 1824 to 1832 BL

Williams, Jennie - District #2, had a retail merchant and tobacco license 1892.

Williams, Jesse - District #2, Had a retail merchant and tobacco license 1891.

Williams, John D. - Manassas, Va., Physician, born 24 Jun 1886 Manassas, Va., Had a physician’s license 15 Jan 1916 BL and continuing until the 1950s at 406 W. Center Street.

Williams, John W. - Ordinary and house of private entertainment, had an ordinary license from 1826 to 1833, private entertainment license from 1834 to 1835. BL

Williams, L. A. - Dumfries, Listed in the 1911 Virginia business directory as a carpenter.

Williams, M. F. - Forestburg, Va., Retail merchant and tobacco license 1895 to at least 1900 BL - Listed in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory as a retail merchant selling agricultural implements.

Williams Ordinary - Robert Williams operated the ordinary in 1834 when he transferred the business to James Fewell. Robert opened a house of private entertainment in 1837.

Williams, Paul S. - Manassas, Va., Lawyer, 104 N. Battle Street, 1951 YP

Williams Sandwich Shop - Triangle, Va., restaurant, Lewis C. Williams was the owner and proprietor 2 Aug 1947 C.O.

Williams, William C. General Store - Forestburg, Va., was a merchant in the business licenses and directories from 1883 to at least 1911.

Williams, W. Edward - Manassas, Va., Nicol Building, listed in the 1925 business licenses as a merchant.

Wilson, C. B. - Haymarket, Va., Friends this is my first season among you as a merchant, and I wish to make it plain to everyone that I will let no one under sell me. I purpose to carry a full line of good goods and respectfully ask you to give me a trial. 22 Oct 1897 M. J. - Listed in the business licenses from 1898 to at least 1900.

Wilson, Grover - Quantico, Va., Listed as a physician in the 1928 business licenses.

Wilson’s Service Station & Garage - Haymarket Va., oil and gasoline and general auto repair, Francis C. Wilson, William B. Tyler, both of Haymarket were the owners 17 Apr 1942 C.O.
Windsor Ordinary - Bertrand Windsor operated the ordinary in the 1830s.

Wine & Windle - Manassas, Va., Listed as a retail merchant in the 1920 business licenses.

Wine, C. H. Heating Company - Manassas, Va., Heating - Steam, Hot Water, and Vapor Heating Plants. It may be you have no cellar but you can put our heaters in any room you like, Manassas, Va. 5 Jan 1923 M. J., also check ad in 14 Mar 1947 M.M.

Wine, Pack - Had a retail merchant licenses in 1886.

Wine, Robert E. - Brentsville, Va., and Manassas, Va., Physician from the late 1890s to at least 1917 BL, BD.

Wine, W. T. - Horton’s Store, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891 Virginia business directory as a general merchant.

Wing, Charles - Manassas, Va., Listed as a laundry in the 1917 business directory.

Wise, C. H. - Manassas, Va., Was listed as a land agent in the 1909 business licenses.

Wise, C. O. - Nokesville, Va., had licenses for a house of private entertainment, boarding house, and hotel and livery stable from 1909 to at least 1917.

Wise General Store - District #1, The business started in the late 1890s by M. A. Wise and continued into the 1900 by E. N. Wise.

Wise, Henry - Independent Hill, Va., in the 1907 business licenses as a merchant.

Wolf’s Den (The) - Lake Jackson, Va., restaurant, John Wolfe the owner 6 Apr 1942 C.O.

Wolfe, Dr. Thurston - Manassas, Va., Dentist, 15 Dec 1905 M. J. - In the 1897-1898 and 1906 Virginia business directories as a Manassas dentist. Listed in the business licenses starting 1 May 1894 and continuing to at least 1912.

Wolfender, Walter - Manassas, Va., Listed in the 1920 business licenses as operating one car for hire.

Wolverton and Roseberry - District #1, in the business licenses as a retail merchant from 1 May 1881 until 30 Apr 1887. BL.

Wolverton, Samuel - Manassas, VA, Samuel was a cattle dealer from 1872 - 1874, he was a butcher from 1875 to 1880, 1884-1885, he then went in business with Roseberry to form Wolverton & Roseberry. They were in business until 1886 when the Roseberry name was dropped. BL, BR, BD.

Woman’s Rest Room - Manassas, Va., Listed as a restaurant in the 1917 directory.

Wood Bros. & Co. - Gainesville, Va., Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Rubbers, Hats, Caps, and Ready Made Clothing, Thanking you for past favors and hoping to receive liberal share of your future patronage, we are yours to serve. 23 Feb 1917 M. J.

Wood, C. E. - District. #1, paid a $100.00 license fee for a sample merchant in the 1876 business licenses.

Wood, W. & Son General Store - Greenwich, Va., Listed as a merchant with a tobacco license from 1909 to at least 1917.

Wood, W. Atlee Grocery Store- Manassas, Va., The store opened in Manassas February 8, 1929 and
sold the following - Macaroni 5 cents a box, ginger snaps 2 lb 25 cents, peanut butter 1 lb. 19 cents, fair sex soap 2 cakes 11 cents, fancy rice 4 lbs 25 cents, loose coffee 3 lbs. 50 cents, Hotess Cake 49 cents, Sugar 5 cents a pound, flour 24 pounds for 83 cents, matches, soaps, etc.

Wood, William G. - District #2, retail merchant 1 May 1894 BL


Woodbridge Clay Products Company - Manassas, Va., Shale Brick, Face or Common, 16 Apr 1959 M.J.


Woodbridge Florist – 617 Jeff Davis Hwy. Woodbridge, Va., Harvey & Yvonne Hawley were the owners in 1966 C.O.

Woodbridge Grocery and General store - Woodbridge, Va., Robert J. Wayland was the owner 22 Jan 1941 C.O. - on 22 Sep 1943 Dewey C. West and Fred E. Switzer were the owners.

Woodbridge Motor Court - Woodbridge, Va., tourist home, Dewey C. West was the owner and proprietor 21 Oct 1952 C.O.

Woodbridge Packing Company - Woodbridge, Va., manufacturing adhesives, David H. Olson and Jack W. Nix were the owners 13 Mar 1953 C.O.

Woodbridge Shell Station - Woodbridge, Va., route #1, gasoline service station, Charles Geraci was the owner 29 Apr 1941 C.O.

Woodbridge Teen Center – Woodbridge, Va. – printing & rubber stamps – Guy Thrift owner 1966

Woodyard, D. E. - Manassas Va., North Main Street, WATCHMAKER, notice special for 30 days, any watch, Swiss or American, overhauled and repaired, guaranteed for $2.00 13 Nov 1924 M.J.

Woodyard, J. W. - Hoadley, Va., Listed in the 1890-1891, 1893-1894 Virginia business directory as a carpenter and builder and operating a house of private entertainment in the 5 May 1891 business license.

Woodyard Livery Stable - Manassas, Va., The livery stable and blacksmith shop was operated by James Woodyard in the late 1860s.

Woodyard, Lewis - District #1, had a huckster license 2 Oct 1876.

Woodyard, Newton - Operated a Ordinary starting about 1860 and continuing until the start of the Civil War.

Woodyard Ordinary - Presley Woodyard operated the ordinary from 1812 to 1814

Woodyard, R. H. - Occoquan, Va., Listed in the business records of 1917 as the operator of a boarding house, a hotel, a general store and a grocery.

Woodyard, W. E. - Manassas, Va., Listed as a shoemaker in the 1917 business directory.

Wooley, William - Manassas Va., West Street, Piano Tuning $3.50, repairs and player adjustment, phone #107, 18 Apr 1929 M.J.

Woolworth, F. W. & Company - 425 Mathias, Manassas, Va., 1950s
Wooster Ordinary - Operated by Francis Wooster 7 Jun 1854 BL.

Wrenn, and Hutchison - District #1, was a retail merchant from 1881 to 1885.

Wrenn, J. O. & L. W. - District #1, retail merchants 1884-1886.

Wright, A. S. - Nokesville, Va., Listed in the 1917 business directory as a dairy.

Wright, D. L. - Bar Room - Rose Hill, Va., license starting and ending in 1894.

Wright, J. T. - Manassas, Va., Had a license for a merry-go-round in 1909

Wroe, Walter H. - Paid the $20.00 license fee to operate a retail store 1 May 1839 because of the tax amount this might have been an ordinary.

Wrought Iron Range Company - Had a license to sell implements 1 May 1887 to at least 1897.


Yeatman, J. E. - Waterfall, Va., a carpenter and builder in the 1897-1898 Virginia business directory.

Yeatman, W. H. - District #1, Huckster license 1 Jul 1876 BL

Yellow Lantern Tea Room and Tourist Home - Woodbridge, Va., Specialties - baked Virginia ham, French fried chicken, pies, waffles, Yum Yim Cake, Beer on Draught, 21 Jun 1935 QS - Elsie Bayliss and Joseph E. Bayliss were the owners 24 Mar 1941 C.O. - William R. Tyrell was the owner and operator 23 Nov 1946 C.O., John H. Sandaal was the owner 1 Aug 1947 C.O., In 1949 the ownership changed to Cecil S. Maurice. On the 24 Feb 1951 cert. of ownership Ralph H. Ford and Helen Aldridge are the owners.

Yochum, J. M. - Quantico, Va., Listed as a restaurant in the 1917 business directory.

Young Mens Shop - Manassas, Va., This company was listed in the 1925 business licenses where they paid a $48.44 tax.

Yorkshire Electric Service - Manassas, Va., 1334 Centreville Road, Free wiring check up from horsepower contractor. Call us today about a check-up 30 Apr 1959 M. J.

Yorkshire Grocery - Yorkshire, Va., Route 28, north of Manassas operated by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Garrison. Meats, General Groceries, Candy - home delivery 13 Jul 1948 M. M.

Yorkshire Market - Yorkshire, Va., 1301 Centreville Road, Groceries & Meats, 1960 YP - Charles Buhl, William Buhl and Mervill Buhl were the owners listed 6 Feb 1954 C.O.

Young Men’s Shop - Manassas, Va., corner of Center and Battle Street, Conducting the business of gents furnishings, scarfs, ties, dress gloves, suit coats, and traveling bags, shirts, hats, caps, socks, etc. 20 Dec 1928 M. J. - In 1941 the store location is listed as 134 Centre Street. - The owner 4 Feb 1949 was Eugene Davis on the certificate of ownership.

Young, W. J. & Son - Manassas Va., Auction Company, For sale Oakenshaw Farm, containing thirty three acres one mile south of Manassas, horses, cattle & farm implements, (a large adv. with many things listed) 16 Mar 1923 M. J.
Zordic Dry Cleaning - Manassas, Va., 115 East Street, phone 361w for pickup and delivery. 2 Jan 1948
M. M.