

Classified Advertisements.

Personals.

Hear Mrs. Armor speak at Baptist church Friday August 8.

Mrs. G. H. Neikirk, left last Friday morning on a visit to relatives at Ashlin, W. Virginia.

Miss Creolia Hall has returned home after spending several months in Bluefield, W. Va.

Miss Janie Anderson, returned to Marion Sunday after spending the past week in Bristol.

Mrs. J. T. Truitt and Mrs. Clatie Cassidy, of Felton, Delaware, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Allen.

Mrs. Walter L. Stern and children, of Harrisburg, Penn., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Weiler, for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, of N. C., spent the week-end in Marion as the guests of Mrs. Robertson's sister, Mrs. B. B. Britton on Pendleton St.

Mrs. L. M. Latane, left Thursday for a visit of two weeks in Indianapolis, as the guest of her aunt and uncle who reside there.

Mrs. B. R. Guest and Miss Margaret Semmes, of Richmond, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Beattie Gwyn. Mrs. Guest is the mother of Mrs. Gwyn.

Mrs. J. A. Peery, her daughter Christine and Miss Booth, returned to Marion Saturday after spending ten days in Tazewell on a visit to relatives and friends.

For the cheapest and safest Burglary Insurance see J. D. Perkins, agent and Attorney for the American Surety Company of New York, Marion, Va. n d July 22 It

Mrs. Crismond Hall and little daughter, of Bluefield, W. Va., has returned home, having spent the past two weeks in Marion as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Waterston.

Mrs. George Thompson, of Great Falls North Carolina, and Dr. J. Tilden Scherer, President of King College, Bristol, Tenn., were called to Marion on account of the illness of their mother, Mrs. Cynthia Brown.

Mr. H. T. Lawford has moved his family from the Eller place near the depot to the Legard bungalow near the Fair grounds. Mrs. Eller is having some repairs made to her home on East Main street.

Misses Cleo Scott and Hallie Pannill, who have been visiting for the past month in Nebraska with relatives, returned to town Friday, accompanied by Mr. Henning, of Norfolk, Nebraska. They made the trip in an automobile, and it took them nine days to drive it.

That was a Bold Robbery of the Piggly Wiggly Store at Marion last Saturday night, wasn't it? Wonder if they carried any Burglary Insurance, or was it a total loss?

Used car dealers must take out second hand-dealers license. Dealers in new and used cars may take out either a second-hand dealers license to avoid registration of titles of cars received in trade, or else operate under their present license by securing title certificates on each used car taken in trade. Cars must not be purchased from anyone unless party disposing of car has secured a title certificate under the new law.

All liens against cars are to be recorded in the office of the state motor vehicle commissioner. Title certificates with liens shown on same will be sent to the holder of the lien. Any false statement on application for title certificate constitutes perjury. Title certificates secured on false or fraudulent statements will be revoked by the state motor vehicle commissioner. A license can be revoked by said commissioner when it is ascertained that the owner is not entitled to same.

Application blanks, copy of law and letter of instruction, together with return envelope, are now being prepared to be mailed to each owner in the state. Owners desiring to dispose of their cars should apply for new title certificates at once, as the law makes it a felony to dispose of a car without a title certificate.

Owners and dealers disposing of cars will be given preference over owners applying for title certificates who are retaining title to cars, says Commissioner Haynes. Title certificates should be secured at the earliest opportunity and the office of the motor vehicle commissioner will employ its best efforts in serving the public and dealers promptly.

No license can be issued unless applicant certifies that poll taxes for the year 1922 have been paid, or that he is not assessable.

Good heavy Overalls and Jackets \$1.50. MAX WEILER CO.

There will be a Sunday School Day Program at the Greenwood church Sunday night July 27, beginning at 8:00 o'clock. The public cordially invited.

Co. Entertains Its Sale Force

RAPID DEVELOPMENT OF THE FACTORIES OF THE VIRGINIA TABLE COMPANY AT MARION AND BRISTOL

Below will be found two extracts taken from Chicago papers in regard to new developments of the Virginia Table Company, whose principal factory and general offices are at Marion. The rapid growth and gigantic development of this company has become the admiration and pride of the furniture world. But a few years ago the works of the Virginia Table Factory was spoken of as the largest in Southwest Virginia, but today tells another story, it now takes the place of the largest in the country. The directing business ability of the Messrs. Lincoln, father and son, is second to none, and have placed this affairs of the company in such a position that it has taken the lead in furniture circles of the entire country.

Each year at the big expositions in the West the lines put out by this Company are the leading ones at the shows. Each year they are reaching out into new fields, and widening the scope of territory that they cover. Not only are they continually adding to the factory capabilities for output, but they are adding to their sales force and going into new territory. As is said by one of their salesmen most forcibly the Lincoln people are putting out a line that sells itself.

We are proud of the fact that the parent of this new country-wide industry is located in Marion, which is adding so much each year to the growth and development of our town. Below is the extracts from the Chicago Trade Journals:

C. C. Lincoln, of the Virginia Table Company, and C. C. Lincoln, Jr., of the Lincoln-Furniture Manufacturing Company, Marion, Va., entertained the entire sales forces of both companies at a banquet, July 9, at the Ambassador Hotel.

The meeting was presided over by C. C. Lincoln, who acted as chairman, and C. C. Lincoln Jr., who was the speaker. Dinner was served in a private dining room, and during the courses the guests were entertained by one of Chicago's best cabaret talents.

Following the dinner a "pep" business meeting was held, and each representative present was given an opportunity to express himself and offer suggestions as to how to make the Virginia and Lincoln lines bigger and greater, than ever. The latest acquisition to the sales force, Lee H. Meyer, caused an uproar by asking the oldest salesman present, Julius Newfield, how to overcome obstacles in selling the lines. Quick as a flash Newfield shot back: "There are no obstacles. The lines sell themselves." The answer caused much hilarity and Meyer—well, we'll say he was left in a much more positive frame of mind as to the lines he is handling.

The meeting was put down as one of the biggest and most successful in the history of both companies—Chicago Journal.

Opens Permanent Chicago Offices. The Lincoln Furniture Manufacturing Company and the Virginia Table Company, Marion, Va., have established permanent offices in their spaces in section 822-35 in the American Furniture Mart. Lee H. Meyer, together with an office staff, will be in charge all the year 'round. Mr. Meyer has established a new territory covering all of Chicago and surrounding towns as far as Milwaukee, Wis., Gary, Ind., and Elgin, Ill.—Chicago Journal.

Straw Hats 1-3 off regular price, MAX WEILER CO.

Young Mens Gabeldine Suits that sold \$20.00 to \$25.00 now \$14.75 most all sizes, MAX WEILER CO.

Mrs. G. A. Snavely returned home Monday from the Hospital in Bristol where she underwent a very serious operation.

One lot of Childrens and Misses White Shoes and Slippers sold up to \$2.00 pair, your choice 50c, MAX WEILER CO.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cappell and daughter Peggy, of Bristol, Tenn., are the guests at the home of Mrs. W. P. Atkins.

Mr. W. R. D. Moncreux and his four children accompanied by Mr. W. L. Allen, left Thursday for a short trip to Richmond.

Mr. Vance Crow, Mr. E. R. Brown wife and little son Jr., motored to Marion Monday and will spend several days visiting Mr. Crow's mother, Mrs. W. H. Wheeler, on Cherry St.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dailey, of Kingwood, West Virginia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Maxwell on Tuesday. Mrs. Dailey was formerly Miss Nancy Pugh.

CARD OF THANKS. The undersigned desire to express their sincere thanks to the many friends and kind neighbors for the acts of kindness shown and sympathy expressed during the sickness and death of our husband and father. We wish to assure one and all that we deeply appreciate their kindness in this sad hour of affliction. Mrs. F. H. FRANCIS, and Family.

The Mexican Bean Beetle.

A NEW AND SERIOUS PEST NOW IN SMYTH COUNTY.

The beetle which is now destroying the beans in many gardens in Smyth County is a new comer in this section of the country. It is supposed to be a native of Mexico or Central America and made its first appearance in this country in sections of the West, spreading from there to Alabama on shipments of hay. At the present time several of the Southern and South Atlantic States have this pest to some extent. While the beetle has not yet become widespread in some of these States it has in some reached such proportions as to be regarded more seriously than any pest yet found in the South, not excepting the boll weevil. This is for the reason that the beetle feeds on a wide range of plants and will probably visit much larger areas.

The legumes are preferred, (particularly varieties of garden beans, velvet, lima and navy bean) by this pest and since these are grown to such a large extent for human consumption and for soil improvement, the seriousness of this pest is very apparent.

At this time our attention should be turned to conservation of garden beans and others grown for home use or for market. This office has not had any complaint as yet, of the pest attacking soybean, alfalfa, sweet clover and several other plants which are subject to attack.

The bean beetle is easily recognized and appears on the plant in four stages: The Egg, Larva, Pupa, and Adult beetle. Masses of light yellow eggs may be found placed on end on the under surface of most plants. From this is hatched the larva, which has the appearance rather of a worm 1-4 to 3-8 of inch in length, of a yellowish color with dark prickly appearing protrusions all over the body. The feeding maturity of the larva is firmly attached to the host where it changes to pupa and remains until the adult beetle emerges. The adult will appear as a yellow or brownish beetle with sixteen black spots, nearly always distinctly outlined. At this time, it is reasonable to expect that any insect feeding on the bean foliage is the bean beetle and control measures should be practiced accordingly. The Tennessee station recommends the following control measures:

HAND PICKING—Keep watch of bean plants, finding a few bean beetles present destroy by hand picking the insects or brushing them.

DUSTING—Finding several plants infested they should be treated by thorough dusting of Under Surface of host plants with 1 part of arsenate and 9 parts of hydrated lime thoroughly mixed, or calcium arsenate 1 part, sulphur 1 part and hydrant lime 4 parts. Never use Acid or ordinary Lead Arsenate or Paris Green. The bean foliage is very susceptible to arsenical injury. Where the infestation is serious only bush varieties of beans should be planted as they can be dusted easier and they mature sooner. Where the infestation is light, however pole beans can be successfully grown with a little care. There are several types of dusters on the market adapted to different conditions. For gardens or small acreages a hand duster is practical. Treated snap beans should be carefully washed before cooking.

DISPOSAL OF CROP REMNANTS—All remains of early and late beans should be plowed under as soon as crop is off. Leave no trash under which adults may pass the winter.

Dusting can best be done with small hand bellows duster, which may be secured locally. Mixing of the material should be strictly in accordance with directions and be thorough. The material for treatment may also be purchased locally and if desired may be secured all ready mixed in the proper proportions.

For treatment of small plots, purchase of the prepared material will doubtless prove practicable and more satisfactory. Mixing, however, may be done at home.

CAUTION—Calcium arsenate is a poison and as in the case of all poisons should be handled with care. Analysis made by the Alabama Station show that there is no danger from this source if care is used, since it will be necessary for a person to consume about 40 pounds of beans after they were dusted before he would get a fatal dose of arsenate. This does not mean that one should deliberately eat calcium arsenate. It is assumed that beans will be thoroughly washed.

Near maturity the pods should not be heavily dusted. In case of beans nearing maturity at this time and which have not been previously treated to control the beetle, dusting is not recommended. Where the beans are dusted from the time they make their early growth it is not necessary to make a heavy application when the pods are maturing.

Early application, followed with a second or third treatment is recommended.

If further information is needed or if I can be of service in this connection do not hesitate to request same.

LEE M. COLE Jr. County Agent.

White Canvas Shoes and Oxfords less than Half Price. MAX WEILER CO.

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THE MARION PIGGLY WIGGLY VISITED BY ROBBERS SUNDAY NIGHT

The quiet Sunday atmosphere of our town was very much disturbed Sunday morning when the news spread that the store room of the Piggly Wiggly, on Main Street, had been burglarized Saturday night, and the safe had been loaded on a Ford truck carried off, and the door of the safe broken open and all the money taken.

The following is the story: Some time between the hours of 2 and 4 A. M. a party, supposed to contain five men, went to the Piggly Wiggly store, and making a hole in the basement door, raised the bar that fastened the door and thus gained entrance to the store proper by means of a trap door in the floor, and opened on side door. The safe was taken from this door down on to the platform, which being several feet below the floor of the store, several bags of sugar were thrown on the platform to deaden the fall of the safe when it was carried out of the store.

From the platform it was loaded on to a Ford truck, that had been stolen from a man at Glade Springs, and carried down the Lee Highway to a road that leads to the Rosebaum home. Here, under a bluff near the river, the thieves went to work on the door of the safe, and by means of chisels cut the rivets of the hinges and got the door off. After gaining entrance the thieves left the safe and the truck where it was, and it is supposed got into a Ford car that they had with them, and vanished.

Of course as there was no eye witnesses of the act much of these operations are suppositions. Mr. Boyd Repass, who is now living at the old T. M. Rosebaum place, is reported as saying that about four o'clock in the morning he heard a big hammering and pounding in the direction of the railroad, but supposed that it was the railway section gang making some repairs to the railway track, so gave it no further attention. In the morning he thought he would go down and see what work had been done during the night and then discovered the safe and truck, and thus it was that the safe and truck was located.

The stolen truck was the property of Mr. Lester of Glade Springs, who says that he brought in his truck late Saturday night loaded with lathes, and being late he did not unload it that night. In the morning he found the lathes strewn about in all direction over the yard but his truck gone. A Mr. Totten who was coming to his home in Marion very late at night is said to have met the truck coming in the direction of Marion.

This robbery is one of the boldest that has taken place in Marion in a very long time, and while the thieves carried off their booty they have left several trails behind them that may eventually lead to their undoing. The officers are using very effort in their power to track the perpetrators of the robbery, and we would not be surprised at any time to learn that the thieves had been landed behind the bars.

Exactly how much booty the robbers got we are not prepared to state; it has been variously estimated from nine hundred to twelve hundred and fifty dollars. Quite a good portion of the value taken from the safe was in checks. We understand that some silverware that was stored in the safe for keeping was not touched, it seeming that the robbers only wanted money or some thing that could be passed for money.

Many of the earmarks attached to this robbery were the same as those attached to the attempted robbery of the safe at the Express office at the Norfolk & Western depot some time ago, and by some it is supposed that this is the work of the same gang. Other robberies in this section of the southwest led to the impression that there is a gang that have been making a circuit of the various towns, and this is the first visit that they have made in Marion.

THE BAPTIST CHURCH

Load up your car Sunday morning and evening and come to the Baptist church. It will help you to go right "The Richest Man In The County," and "Bobb'd Hair and the Devil," are the pastors subjects. The Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. and the Young Peoples meetings at 7:00 P. M. Knock the T out of can't and come.

Ryma Myres, daughter of Mr and Mrs. J. E. Myres of Marion, who left in June for the University Hospital has undergone operations on her feet and is improving nicely. We hope she will soon be able to return home.

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Sunday School Convention.

The St. Clair District Sunday School Convention was held July 19, 1924 at St. James Lutheran church. Although it was a rainy day most all the schools in the district were represented.

Hon. H. L. Bonham made the address of Welcome and by his cheerful, friendly and lovable remarks, some soon made all feel at home, in their beautiful country church. The response of Welcome was made by Mr. James White Sneffey. The program was a good one, and every party who had been assigned a subject to talk about was present, except one, and all made excellent addresses on the various subject pertaining to Sunday School work.

In the morning Mr. Jno. R. Collins W. R. D. Moncreux, and T. E. King, made addresses on the different phases of S. S. Work, which were well received.

The dinner hour having come and the rain had not ceased falling. All were requested to keep their places or seats and soon the baskets, (not collection baskets) were passing and a royal feast of ham, fried chicken and everything good to eat were served.

The afternoon program was equally interesting and instructive. Mrs. J. L. C. Anderson, Jno. R. Dolinger, Rev. E. L. Douglass and Rev. W. N. Britton, had excellent papers and fine talks on our Sunday School problems.

J. L. C. Anderson was re-elected president and Miss Edna Bonham, Secretary. The Convention adjourned to meet at South Fork Baptist church next year.

A report of this convention will be incomplete without special mention of the fine music given by the choirs of St. Clair Bottom and Grasses Creek Sunday School which added much to the enjoyment of the occasion.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas, God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to remove from our midst our beloved member, Queenie Segrid Irene Hanson, we, the Victory Class of Davis Memorial Sunday School, offer the following resolutions of respect to Mr. and Mrs. H. Hanson and son.

Resolved: That we extend to Mr. and Mrs. Hanson and our heartfelt sympathy and pray God's richest blessings to rest upon them in this dark hour of their bereavement. Resolved: "That we so live that, when our summons comes to join that innumerable caravan that moves to that mysterious realm where each shall take His chamber in the silent halls of death, We go, not like the quarry slave at night, Scourged to his dungeon, but sustained and soothed by an unflinching trust; approach our grave Like one who wraps the drapery of his couch About him and lies down to pleasant dreams."

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, a copy be sent to the county papers, and that a copy be placed upon the records of our Sunday School.

ANNA BELLE SNIDER, ANNA SCHROCK, SUB KATE ATKINS, Committee.

Summers To Open Campaign In The Ninth

Headquarters For The Republicans Opened In Abingdon For District COMPLETES SURVEY OF DIST.

Bristol, July 21.—Characterized by his friends as a man who "never feared an enemy or betrayed a friend" Lewis P. Summers, of Abingdon, Va., has formally launched his campaign as the Republican candidate for congress in the Ninth Virginia district—the district so long represented in the lower house by C. Bascom Slemph, now secretary to President Coolidge.

Headquarters for Mr. Summers has been opened in the People's National Bank building in Abingdon. Five rooms will be devoted to affairs pertaining to the candidacy of the Republican nominee. Mr. Summers is planning to begin his speaking campaign within the next few weeks. The intervening time will be given to organization work and preparation for an intensive campaign.

Mr. Summers recently resigned as United States district attorney for the western district of Virginia so that he might be prepared to devote his entire time to the campaign.

The record of the nominee as district attorney is expected to figure prominently in his campaign. Mr. Summers gave no quarter to those charged with violating the prohibition and narcotics law and was warmly commended by his superiors in the department of justice for his activity in the direction of law enforcement.

Mr. Summers is given credit for breaking up the so-called "dope ring" in Bristol, and for sending two physicians to the penitentiary on charges of violating the federal narcotic law. His law enforcement record is expected to influence many women voters.

A survey of the district has just been completed by county chairman of the Republican organization and Mr. Summers in a statement issued today declared his belief that he would carry the district by 3,500 votes. He is opposed by Congressman George C. Perry, Democratic nominee, of Tazewell, Va.

For many years Mr. Summers has practiced law at Abingdon and is regarded as one of the ablest trial attorneys in the state. He is a graduate of Tulane University and the University of Virginia. He is married and has a number of children.

DEATH OF MRS. CYNTHIA SCHERER BROWN

Mrs. Cynthia Scherer Brown, one of Marion's oldest and most highly respected citizen, died July 23, at 4:15 A. M., at her home on Main St., after a lingering illness of a long duration. Mrs. Brown was well known in Marion and Smyth County and was wonderfully respected by all of the citizens, both young and old. Mrs. Brown was 72 years of age, but was full of ambition and remained in public life up until the last few years. She was identified with educational work for several years as a teacher in Marion. After giving up this profession she went into the insurance business and conducted this business for about twenty-five years representing five of the leading insurance companies in Marion. After she grew feeble she sold out this business and has not taken an active part in public affairs for the last few years. Mrs. Brown is survived by two daughters, Miss Edna R. Brown of Marion, and Miss George B. Thompson, of Great Falls, S. C., and two brothers Rev. Tilden Scherer, of Bristol, Tenn., and David M. Scherer, of Lynchburg, Virginia. Funeral services were held in the Royal Oak Presbyterian church, Thursday morning at 10 A. M., presided over by Rev. G. A. Wilson, pastor of the church, of which she was a member most of her life.

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REPUBLICAN NATIONAL TICKET

Election, November 4, 1924.

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CALVIN COOLIDGE
of Massachusetts.

For Vice-President:
CHARLES G. DAWES
of Illinois.

FOR CONGRESS
Ninth Virginia District
L. P. SUMMERS
of Washington County
Election, November 4th 1924.

PAYING THE PENALTY OF THE ONE-PARTY SYSTEM

Southern Democratic leaders pay the penalty for the maintenance of the one party system in the Solid South by exclusion from consideration as presidential candidates men of their own party.

No man has been nominated for President or Vice-President by either of the great political parties, since the birth of the Republican party, who hails from a state in which there is not a vigorous party of opposition. Indeed, every presidential nominee of both the great parties since 1856 has been from a state politically doubtful.

The Solid South presents to the Democratic party, without the necessity of making a contest, more than 500 hundred electoral votes at each national election. It is well known that no matter what the issue or who the candidates the Democratic party can depend upon these votes. Why, then go to one of these states for a presidential candidate? It has not been done in 70 years, and the South will not have a major party presidential candidate until it permits the party of opposition to have at least a Chinaman's chance, until public questions are debated there upon their merits, until election and primary laws intended to make the success of an opposition party impossible regardless of public opinion, are repealed.

In these states taken for granted by the national Democracy the one party system results in factional differences as a substitute for party controversies, of personalities for principles. With no opposition party to hold the dominant party in check, public educational and institutional progress is halted and popular comprehension of public questions is made unnecessary and therefore nonexistent because only one side of any issue at stake is presented.

As a result of this system the several Southern Democrats who were proposed for the Presidency made a negligible showing in the balloting. This condition will continue so long as the one party system continues in the South. Isn't it about time for Southern politicians who have aspirations to national leadership to abandon the injurious policy responsible for this situation?

Davis is being advertised as a West Virginia man, though his palatial home is at Locust Valley, Long Island, and his law office is in the Wall Street district, New York city. He is now a New York voter, no longer considering himself a West Virginian. However, to get away from the New York "curse" it is proposed to have Davis make a trip out to his one-time home in West Virginia for the notification ceremony.

Mayor Hylan, Democratic, of New York city, is undetermined whether he will support the Democratic national ticket though he plans to be a candidate for re-election as mayor. When asked if he would support the Davis-Bryan ticket, the New York mayor said:

"I will watch developments before making a decision I want to know more about Mr. Davis before I form an opinion."

Hylan, it is understood, hesitates about indorsing Davis for fear such indorsement would hurt his own personal political fortunes. His special grudge against Davis is that the Democratic presidential nominee only a few weeks ago helped the New York Telephone company obtain an increase of rates in New York city.

This is what William Jennings Bryan, with the indorsement of his brother, Charley, had to say about John W. Davis just before the Democratic convention selected its presidential nominee:

"Mr. Davis has asserted his right to have rich clients and do legal business for big business.

"When one makes a choice he is supposed to choose the things that go with it, and one of the accessories of intimate association with big corporations is retirement from politics. If J. Pierpont Morgan were suing an average man, no court would permit Mr. Davis to serve on the jury, even though he had withdrawn from his legal connection with the Morgan firm just before the trial began.

"Why should conventions subject the masses to a risk no lawyer would permit his client to take?"

"Mr. Davis is a very fine man, but in the employ of J. Pierpont Morgan."

A dispatch from North Dakota says the Democrats of that state are disappointed with the Democratic nomination. The farmers don't want a man from Wall Street. Neither do they want a La Follette-socialist ticket. President Coolidge, product of a Vermont farm, will get their vote.

R. K. Sanders Dies Suddenly

HEART ATTACK THE CAUSE
Member State Highway Commission
Succumbs Shortly Before Noon

REMAINS TAKEN TO SALTVILLE FOR BURIAL

Was Prominent in Business and Political Life Throughout State

Rufus Kincannon Sanders, prominent business man of Saltville, Smyth County, and a member of the State Highway Commission died suddenly yesterday morning at 11:55 o'clock at a local hospital following a heart attack. He was fifty-eight years of age.

The remains will be taken to Saltville early Friday, accompanied by E. A. Hults, general manager and vice-president of the Mathison Alkali Works, with which company the deceased was connected, Charles E. Wiley, assistant general manager of the Mathison Alkali Works, and Palmer St. Clair of this city.

Funeral on Sunday

The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the residence, just on the outskirts of Saltville, and interment were in the family burial ground.

Rev. Chambley, pastor of the Saltville Presbyterian Church, will officiate assisted by Rev. Biltenger and Rev. Carson, former pastors of the church. The full Masonic burial service were performed at the grave. The deceased is survived by his widow, four daughters, Mrs. Guy Amsler of Little Rock, Ark., Mrs. E. C. Scott of Ashland, Ky., Mrs. Henry Tilman and Miss Susie Sanders of Saltville, and four sons, Hirus Jr., Barnes, James and Frank, all single and living at home in Saltville.

Rushed To Hospital.

Mr. Sanders was stricken in the office of Palmer St. Clair in the First National Bank building where he had stopped shortly after 10 o'clock yesterday morning to pay a social call. A doctor was summoned and he was rushed to the hospital and died there within less than an hour.

Mr. Sanders was in Roanoke to attend the Summer Cerebral of Kazim Temple, Ancient and Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine which was held there.

He had planned to put on a unique stunt during the ceremonial and was going to dress in a clown's costume and sell pencils on the street. The money was to be turned over to an orphan's home in Southwest Virginia and the affair was to attract interest in the work of the home.

Early Friday morning he went to the office of City Manager Hunter to secure a permit to sell the pencils but the city official was not in his office.

He then went to the office of Mayor Blair J. Fishburn on Dondon avenue, N. W. and explained his plans. The Mayor stated that the permit had to be issued by the City Manager and called Mr. Hunter over the phone and made an appointment for Mr. Sanders at 11 o'clock.

Upon leaving the office of the Mayor,

Mr. Sanders went to the office of Mr. St. Clair, where he is in the habit of making his headquarters while in Roanoke, and was there seized with the heart attack.

Reared in Smyth.

Mr. Sanders was born and raised in Smyth County and is well known throughout the State by his business political and fraternal connections.

He was appointed a member of the Virginia Highway Commission during the term of Henry G. Shirley as chairman and was serving his second term.

Politically he was a Democrat and took a very active part in the party affairs both in his district, the Ninth, and in the State.

He was President of the First National Bank of Saltville and for twenty years has been connected with the Mathison Alkali Works of Saltville as Superintendent of the quarry.

In addition to his other business activities he was engaged in farming on a large scale.

He was very prominent in Masonic Circles and was a member of Acca Temple of Richmond, A. A. O. N. M. S. Lynn Commandery, No. 9, Knights Templar of Marion, Marion Royal Arch Chapter of Masons, and William King Blue Lodge of Saltville. He served a term as Past Master of the William King Lodge and as Past Eminent Commander of the Lynn Commandery.

He was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

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NOTICE

Sale of Valuable Property In The Town of Marion, Virginia.

In execution of Decree in Vacation entered in the Chancery Cause pending in the Circuit Court of Smyth County, styled Max Weiler Company et als vs. Ulmer McGinnis, Administrator of W. P. McGinnis and others, I will, at 11 o'clock A. M. on the 30TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1924, at the front door of the Court House in said Town, sell at public outcry to the highest bidder the property described below, being the dwelling and lots owned by the late Dr. W. P. McGinnis at the time of his death.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

A large and well-built dwelling of rooms on a commanding eminence located on East Main Street in a good community and convenient to all public places in Town. This is a rare opportunity to get one of the most desirable properties in Marion. The property will be sold first in two parcels, on one of which will be located all the buildings, on the other no buildings, and then all together as a whole, Commissioner adopting the best total price for the property as the sale.

TERMS OF SALE:

One-third cash in hand on day of Sale, balance on 6, 12 and 18 months time, interest from date with approved security.

J. D. PERKINS,
Special Commissioner.

July 14, 1924.

VIRGINIA—In the office of the Circuit Court of Smyth County, July 10, 1924.

I hereby certify that J. D. Perkins, Special Commissioner, of Sale in the chancery cause of Max Weiler Company et als vs. Ulmer McGinnis, Adm'r et als, has given bond before me as required by decree in said cause.

Given under my hand this 10th day of July, 1924.

H. L. KENT, Clerk.

July 22 n d 4t e

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VIRGINIA:—In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 10th day of July 1924. D. E. Earnest, et al Plaintiff,

against
Clabe Blewins, et al Defendant.

IN CHANCERY

The object of this suit is to partition the lands of the late D. M. Earnest.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they do appear here within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit. And it is further ordered

that a copy hereof be published once a week for four weeks in the Marion News a newspaper published in the County of Smyth, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house of this County, on the 21 day of July, that being the next succeeding rule day after this order was entered.

A copy-Teste:

S. W. KENT, D. Clerk.
Geo. F. Cook p. q.
July 10 4t n

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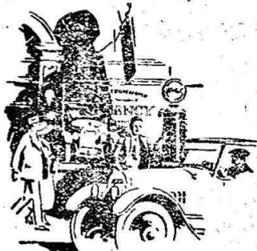
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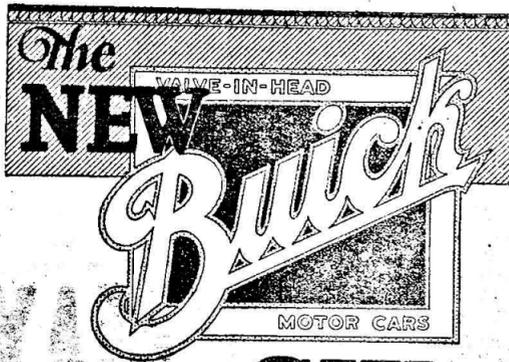
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OBITUARY

On June 20, 1924, the death angel visited the home of Carl P. and Kate Hester and claimed for its victim their only darling son, Carl Preston, Jr., known to all his friends as Jimmie, this being his pet name. He was a bright loving child and was greatly loved and is missed by all who knew him. He was sick only ten days, and all was done for him that loving hands could do, but God in his great wisdom saw best and called him home at the early age of 1 year, 11 months and 26 days. Little Jimmie was one of God's tiny pore buds; the bud did not have time to open in the short summer of earth. But what matters it that it did not open here and unfold its beauty this side the grave; there will be time enough in heavens long summer for that sweet life to put forth all its loveliness.

He leaves to mourn his death a father, mother several relatives and a host of friends. Funeral services were conducted at the home of the parents by Rev. Mr. Edwards, and the little body was laid to rest in the Round Hill cemetery under many beautiful flowers to await the coming of Him, who said, "Let little children come unto me." So weep not dear father and mother, for little Jimmie waits just over the tide and some sweet day there will be a reunion such as earth has never known.

Just a Tender Flower

A gardner came to pluck a rose. To live where holy breezes blow, And it was a trying time indeed it came to us at lightning speed. A gentle flower the winds had swayed, Dancing sunbeams around it played. And sweating heat that bowed its head. And soon the little flower was dead.

The little flower once full of pep, Had anxious heart and willing step. The gardner came and plucked the rose. For every cause ther's no one knows.

And there the secret will unfold. I love to think that some where in the country we call heaven, The land most fair of every where will unto us be given; A land of little faces, very little very fair. And every one shall know her own And cleave unto it there.

"O grant it, loving Father to the broken hearts that plead. Thy way is best, yet O to rest in perfect faith indeed; To know that we shall find them, Even them the wee white dead, At Thy right hand, in Thy bright land by living waters led. A loving friend.

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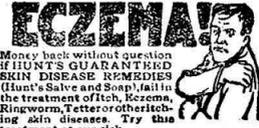
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Marion, Virginia.

Truck Struck By Freight Train.

ONE MAN BADLY HURT AND SEVERAL OTHERS SCRATCHED

What is probably a fatal accident occurred at the crossing of the Lee Highway over the tracks of the Norfolk & Western Railway Monday. A truck, driven by Fred Neikirk, and containing workmen that are employed on the new home of Mr. C. C. Lincoln, Sr., in the Royal Oaks Addition, was hit by a freight train, the body of the truck torn off, the men thrown out, and Mr. Steve Powell had his leg broken and received other injuries, which are expected will result fatally.

The accident occurred about 6:45 o'clock, before the time when the watchman who operates the arms that are lowered during the passage of trains, came on duty. Two men were standing at the crossing, and waved the truck to stop, but as these men were going to the same place to work, the driver doubtless thought that they merely wanted him to stop for them to get on the truck, so did not stop. He was on the track before he saw the train, and while he got most of the truck over the engine hit the rear end. The body was torn off but the front part of the truck was not badly injured.

Mr. Powell was about the only one in the crowd that got badly hurt; he was picked up and taken to the porch of Mrs. Groseclose home and Dr. Sherrill quickly summoned and rendered such medical aid as was possible. In addition to the injury to his leg Mr. Powell was hurt internally, and was taken on No. 11 to the hospital at Abingdon. We have learned since that an X-ray was made after reaching the hospital, and it is feared that the injuries sustained would result fatally.

This is a most distressing accident; Mr. Powell is a highly respected man, well thought of by all, has a young wife and two small children dependent upon him. This crossing seems to be a particularly dangerous one, this having been the third fatal accident that has occurred here since the writer has resided in Marion. It was hoped after the guard arms were established that there would be no further accidents, but they do not seem to be effective. Hundreds of automobiles are going over this crossing daily, cars containing women and children, and the great danger does not seem to have any effect for the use of greater caution. The record of this crossing for the number of fatalities is growing yearly, and it is an unfavorable one.

LATER

Since the above was written Mr. Powell died at the Abingdon hospital, about three o'clock Wednesday morning. The remains were brought to Marion, and interred at the Round Hill cemetery at three o'clock Thursday afternoon.

MATTIE ELIZABETH TIBBS.

Mattie Elizabeth Tibbs was born July 3, 1920, and fell asleep in Jesus in the evening of June 23, 1924. Age 3 years, 11 months, 20 days.

She leaves a father, 4 brothers and 2 sisters and a host of relatives and friends to mourn their loss; her mother had preceded her to the grave only four months before.

Mattie was a loving child and a sweet little sister; she had a sweet smile for everyone; she had stayed with her aunt, Mrs. C. F. Gates, for the past few months, and went home just a short time before she got sick.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Ross, in the presence of a large congregation of relatives and friends who gathered to pay a last tribute of respect to her memory. Her remains were laid to rest in Zion Cemetery.

Her Sister S. J. T.

JUST THE RIGHT KIND OF ANSWER

The editor is very much gratified at the answer that has been made to his appeal for subscribers to pay up their back subscriptions. We knew that we did not make a mistake in our estimate of the good people of Smyth, and that when they found out that we need money that they were coming right along and pay up what was due on their papers; and the result has proved that we were correct. The answer has been fine. There are still a few that are still in arrears, but we know that they are coming and pay up what they owe and make everybody happy. The Smyth County people are a good lot of folks. Thanks.

INTER-DENOMINATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING

An inter-denominational Sunday School Association was held in the Royal Oaks Presbyterian Church, of Marion, Sunday afternoon at 2:00 P. M., when representatives from the Sunday Schools of various denominations were represented. Dr. James N. Hillman, President of Emory and Henry College, gave a very strong speech on the Sunday School and its work and duty, while Rev. Tyler Frazier, of Chilhowie, made a very strong and stirring appeal for more Bible teaching at home. Appropriate music was prepared by Mrs. John P. Buchanan and Miss Margaret Wassum, one of Marion's talented musicians, played a violin solo. This was one of the best and well attended meetings ever held in Marion.

Party at Greer's Tea Room.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy will give a 42 party at Greer's Tea Room Thursday, July 31 beginning at 8:00 o'clock, refreshments and music. Admission 35c.

Match-Gasoline, A Big Fire.

That was the record of a happening that took place at the gasoline tank of the Marion Automobile & Supply Company on Monday morning. A big Hudson Car with a Pennsylvania license tag on it drove up to get a supply of gasoline, the car contained a young lady, a young gent and an elderly man. While the auto man was filling the tank of the car with gas the young gent walked around to the rear putting a cigarette into his mouth as he went; he struck a match on the seat his "unmentionables" and as the match lit the gasoline started on a rampage all of its own. The gas in the tank of the car, and the ground all around the tank, and in fact everything in sight was taking fire all at the same time. With great presence of mind Mr. Richardson clapped his hand over the nozzle of the car reservoir and extinguished the fire in the car tank, while Mr. Malloy rushed out from the garage with several packages of the First Aid Fire Extinguisher which was liberally applied, and the blaze was quickly put out. The Standard Oil Truck was at the time that the fire started just in the act of filling the garage tank; the driver cut off the valve from the truck and without taking time to unscrew the hose started the truck up the street out of the fire district, leaving behind an extended length of unwound hose cable.

Except for the presence of mind of those present there would have been a big fire in town Monday morning, and another fact was fully illustrated it being that this article called First Aid Fire Extinguisher is a mighty good article to put out a gasoline fire. The elderly gentleman of the party satisfied all parties in a financial way, and we are willing to wager that the young gent first mentioned did not smoke another cigarette that day without a nervous shudder.

NOTICE! FIRE!

All members of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Association of Smyth County are requested to attend either in person or proxy the Annual Meeting on August the 18th (being the 3rd Monday) at the Court House Auditorium at 10 o'clock A. M., so as to amend some of the By Laws, Election of Officers and any other business that may come before the meeting. There has been no loss for about eighteen months. Come and do your part to keep things going good.

By order: H. P. COPENHAVER, President.

JAS. A. GROSECLOSE, Secretary.

Marion, Va. July 21, 1924.

July 22 n d 2te

DR. J. A. SOMERS

634 N. Carrollton Avenue, Baltimore, Md., will be at MARION, JULY 21st at Marion Hotel.

RURAL RETREAT JULY 22nd.

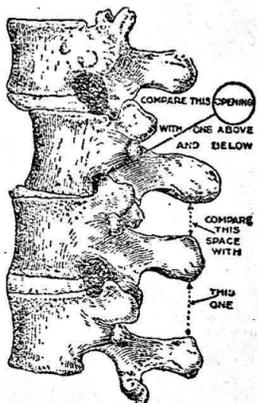
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DR. J. A. SOMERS,

Virginia Certificate No. 129 of Opt.

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Rev. Edgar C. Burnz, Rector of the Marion Episcopal Church, will conduct his last service in Marion Sunday night at 7:30 P. M. This is his last service before entering upon his new work as head of the Near East Relief for the State of North Carolina.

STORE ROOM FOR RENT

After July 15th, the store room on Church Street, Marion, Va., at present occupied by the Johnston Electrical Co., will be for rent. This is one of the best rooms in town.

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75—HATS ASSORTED COLORS—\$1.75 \$5.50 to \$7.50 values.

This sale will only last this week, and this is the last special price we expect to run on Crepe Dresses, so buy this week.

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Saltville are being congratulated

over the arrival of a little daughter

born July 15th at Abingdon Hospital.

Miss Rachella Killinger left Tuesday for Washington where she will

visit relatives.