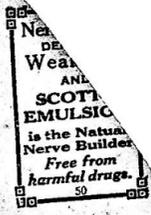




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The Mexican Army.

Washington, April 20.—Estimates at the War Department today put the armed forces of the Huerta government in Mexico at 40,000, scattered throughout the country. According to the department's figures, there are 6,000 troops in Mexico City; 6,000 around Saltillo, south of Torreon; 2,500 in the State of Sonora; 2,000 in Sinaloa; 800 in Tepec; 6,000 in Jalisco, 1,100 in Colima, 4,500 in Zacatecas, 1,250 in Guerrero, and scattering bands in other southern provinces.

On the east coast there are said to be about 1,500 in Nuevo Laredo, about 2,500 in San Luis Potosi, 4,100 in Vera Cruz, 1,000 in Puebla, and 800 in Morelos.

Parcel Post Church.

Washington, April 16.—A parcel post church will soon be erected in Weona, Md., if Representative David J. Lewis has his way.

The church will be built of bricks contributed by mail by interested persons. President Wilson will be requested to mail a brick or two for the church. No effort will be made to have all the bricks of uniform size, shape, weight or color. Any old brick will do.

Ending of a Long Life.

Granville Hayes, of near town, died Friday evening after an illness of pneumonia. He was about 95 years old. He came to this county from North Carolina, but had lived several years in this county. He served valiantly through the Civil War as a Confederate Soldier. He is the father of fourteen children, ten of whom are living, his eldest living son being 70 years old. His grandchildren are numbered by the scores. Services were conducted at the home by R. C. Spence and Bradley T. Sells. Interment was at Konnarock.—Troutdale News.

Badly Injured by Saw.

George W. Bowman, who recently returned from the U. S. Army, was seriously injured while operating a sawmill on the farm of Mrs. M. A. Anderson in Mitchell valley last Thursday. It seems that the saw was not running true and he placed his left hand against the side of the saw to see if it had become heated. In some way his hand was caught between the saw and the frame. A ring on his finger prevented him removing his hand. In his struggles to release himself he threw his right arm in front of the saw which cut a deep gash on the fleshy part of his arm, severing the muscle. Dr. S. W. Dickinson was hastily called on and rendered the necessary medical treatment.

Death of Mrs. George D. Short.

Mrs. Margaret N. Short, wife of Mr. Geo. D. Short, died at her home here at 1 o'clock last Saturday. Her death was rather sudden as she had not been seriously ill but a few days. The deceased was born May 14, 1858, and was nearly 56 years old. She was married to Geo. D. Short April 5, 1877, who with one son, Mr. Arthur T. Short, and two daughters, Mrs. C. B. McCrady and Mrs. H. R. Braddock, survive. Her son Roy preceded her to the grave about three years ago. She was a good Christian, having become a member of the Baptist church in 1888.

The funeral service was conducted from the home by Pastor E. M. Harris at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, where a large company of friends assembled to pay their last tribute of respect. The remains were laid to rest in Round Hill cemetery.

The pall bearers were Messrs. R. L. Williams, John L. Lindsey, T. M. Ewald, C. P. Jones, R. H. Falker and Chas. R. Prater.

A Cure for Sour Stomach.

Mrs. Wm. M. Thompson, of Battle Creek, Mich., writes: "I have been troubled with indigestion, sour stomach and bad breath. After taking two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets I am well. These tablets are splendid—none better for sale."—all dealers.

Mexico Invaded by the United States in 1846.

The last time the American army invaded Mexican territory was during the war of 1846-48. The American troops engaged in this war numbered 21,509 regulars and 22,027 volunteers. The total number of Americans killed and wounded was estimated at 5,500. War was formally declared on May 13, 1846 and the treaty of peace was signed on February 2, 1848 at Guadalupe Hidalgo.

This war was the result of a series of outrages upon American citizens following the recognition of the independence of Texas by the United States in 1837, and the latter annexation of Texas to the United States in the face of bitter opposition on the part of Mexico. The latter country was herself torn at this time by factional dissensions and revolutions. The trouble between the two countries finally culminated in the dispute over the boundary line of Texas. The United States claimed the Rio Grande as the boundary while Mexico held that Texas did not extend further south than the Nueces.

About half of the regular army of the United States was assembled at Corpus Christi during the fall of 1845 under General Zachary Taylor. Under orders from the government, General Taylor on March 12, 1848, advanced into the disputed territory reaching the Rio Grande river after a march of 16 days.

The Mexican army at this time numbered at least 50,000, while the strength of the total American army in the fall of 1845 was 7,883. The United States forces consisted of two regiments of dragoons, four of artillery and eight of infantry.

When General Taylor arrived at the Rio Grande opposite the Mexican town of Matamoros, on March 28th 1846, his command comprised about 3,000 men. He immediately fortified his position and established a base of supply at Point Isabel. The American naval force was small but effective. Several boats had accompanied the troops to the Rio Grande and maintained a blockade of the mouth of that river. Mexico had no sea force whatever.

Mr. P. B. Hebriz, aged 86 years, of Wytheville, while sitting on his bed at home fell off and broke his leg at a point between the knee and thigh last Saturday from which he died Saturday night from a nervous shock. The remains were taken to Lebanon, Russell county, for burial. He leaves three children, Mrs. G. S. Bruce, of Wytheville; Jas. T. Hebriz, of Texas, and Mrs. W. W. Bays, of Charlottesville.

There was a double marriage in the Presbyterian church at Rural Retreat last Wednesday. The contracting parties being Mr. Basil Miller with Miss Ella Catron and Mr. Joseph Staley with Miss Mattie Jones, all of that town. Rev. Sannel Gammon, pastor of the church, was the officiating minister and Messrs. Stuart Catron and Emory Hankle were the ushers. Mr. Hampton Neff was best man for Mr. Miller while Mr. Joseph Buck was best man for Mr. Staley. Miss Anna Repass, of New Market, Tenn., was maid of honor for Miss Catron and Miss May Catron acted for Miss Jones. Mr. C. C. Catron, father and uncle of the brides gave them away. After the ceremony the couples left for Washington and other points east.

Strengthens Weak and Tired Women.

"I was under a great strain nursing a relative through three months' sickness," writes Mrs. J. C. Van De Saude, of Kirkland, Ill., and "Electric Bitters kept me from breaking down. I will never be without it." Do you feel tired and worn out? It isn't the spring weather. You need Electric Bitters. Start a month's treatment to-day; nothing better for stomach, liver and kidneys. The great spring tonic. Relief or money back. 50c. and \$1.00, at your Druggist.

Chas. W. Rudolph has been appointed postmaster at Independence and Robert F. Young at Troutdale, Va. Walter V. Craig has been continued at Fairwood, and Mrs. Callie C. Perkins at Kindrick. All the above officers are in Grayson county.

Mr. J. W. Leonard, aged 56 years, died at his home at Groseclose last Thursday night after a lingering illness. The burial took place at the Pleasant Hill cemetery at Groseclose on Friday evening. The deceased leaves a wife and nine children. He was a merchant and Justice of the Peace and was well and favorably known in the east end of the county.

Mr. Jesse Bourne and Miss Rosa V. Patterson eloped to North Carolina Saturday night and were married. Miss Patterson is from Bedford City, and has had charge of the seventh and eighth grades in the Independence High School the past season, while Mr. Bourne is the son of J. S. Bourne, Esq., of this place. We join with their friends in extending hearty congratulations.—Grayson Journal.

The Republican National Committee has announced its plan of reapportionment of delegates to the national convention by which the representation of the Southern States is heavily cut. Virginia Republicans will lose 8 delegates to the convention, Georgia 11, Texas 16, and nearly all other Southern States proportionately heavy losses. The plan must be ratified by the requisite number of State conventions before it is effective.

Mrs. Stephen L. Cornett, of Flat Ridge, this county, died Sunday afternoon at the home of her son, J. W. Cornett, at Lindsay, Albemarle county, Va. Mrs. Cornett and her husband had gone to visit their children and while on the visit became very ill and died before she could return home. The body was brought back to Grayson for interment.—Grayson Gazette.

Arrow Brand Shirts and Collars for sale by the Marion Clothing Co.

The 24th Annual Reunion of Confederate Veterans will meet at Jacksonville, Fla., May 6th to 8th. The N & W is offering special rates by two routes: by way of Bristol, returning by Winston Salem or vice versa, by way of Winston Salem and return same way.

Check Your April Cough

Thawing frost and April rains chill you to the very marrow, you catch cold—Head and lings stuffed—you are feverish—Cough continually and feel miserable—you need Dr. King's New Discovery. It soothes and inflamed and irritated throat, and lungs, stops cough, your head clears up, fever leaves, and you feel fine. Mr. J. T. Davis, of Sticksy Corner, Me., "was cured of a dreadful cough after doctor's treatment and all other remedies failed. Relief or money back. Pleasant—Children like it. Get a bottle to-day, 50c. and \$1.00, at your Druggist. Bucklen's Arnica Salve for All Sores.

A magnificent line of Neckwear from 25 to 50 cents. We will also have this week the new Tango Scarf in Dark Red, Navy, Alice Gray and King's Blue at 50 cents. Marion Clothing Company

Farm for Sale!

85 1-4 acres, near Adwolve, Va., on McAdamized road, five miles from Marion. Has six-room residence, one tenant house, good barn and all other necessary buildings, three good springs, one cistern and a fine well. The land is in a good state of cultivation, well grassed, fine orchard, good fences, etc. Terms of sale—One third cash, balance one and two years. This land will be sold to the highest bidder on May 16. Sale to take place on farm. For particulars write W. H. WOLFE, Lucy, Tenn.

House Approves War Move Against Mexico.

Washington, April 20.—After a spirited debate of more than two hours the house Monday night passed the administration resolution approving President Wilson's purpose to use the armed forces of the nation to obtain from General Huerta the fullest recognition of the honor and dignity of the United States. The vote was 337 to 37.

The resolution was passed at 9:35 and went to the senate. Warm debate began as soon as the resolution was reported by the foreign affairs committee. When Representative Flood asked unanimous consent that the resolution and the report be read, Republican Leader Mann reserved the right to object to the present consideration of the resolution and demanded a hearing.

Earl Townsend, showman with the Kit Carson circus, who was severely injured in a fight at Bristol some days since, died in a hospital at Roanoke last week. His home was at Tacoma, Washington. He was buried in Roanoke.

Mrs. Sallie Higgins, widow of the late ex-Sheriff Jackson Higgins, died at her home on Meadow Creek a few days ago of paralysis. She was about 81 years old. She is survived by nine children.—Grayson Gazette.

The Bank of Mendota, which was recently organized at Mendota, Va., with a capital stock of \$15,000, will soon open for business, the stock having all been subscribed. J. S. Doriot, a well known farmer of that section, has been chosen as president of the organization.

Mrs. Annie Kate York, wife of Mr. J. E. York, and daughter of Mr. C. Morris, died here Saturday. The funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church by Rev. E. M. Harris, assisted by Rev. Frank Jackson. Mrs. York's little baby also died on Saturday, and was placed in the same coffin. Mrs. York is survived by her husband and one child five years of age. Mrs. York was only twenty years old.

CLEAN-UP DAY

Please clean up your premises thoroughly, burning all combustible matter, by Monday evening, April 27th, and deposit all garbage, etc., which cannot be burned, in his easy reach of Town Wagon which will stop to collect it on April 28th, but nothing which you can burn will be removed. You want to live in a clean town—everybody wants a clean town—and only by every citizen co-operating can we have this condition. Make your premises both in the rear and in front thoroughly clean and inviting, paint and whitewash everything that needs it and thereby prevent criticism, flies and sickness. R. T. GREER, Mayor.

The tariff has reduced some things at least. For instance, federal revenue, confidence in the Democratic party, industrial activity, but not the cost of living, as promised.—Waterloo (Ill.) Republican.

The Druggist Refunds Your Money With a Smile

Leading Drug Store Will Give Money Back Should There Ever be a Case Where Dodson's Liver Tonic Fails to Satisfy.

Dodson's Liver Tonic is a mild vegetable Liver Tonic which operates so successfully in cases of constipation, torpid liver or biliousness that it has practically taken the place of calomel—the drug which is so often dangerous. D. M. Smith Drug Co. who sells Dodson's Liver Tonic guarantee it to be a sure reliever of constipation, sour stomach, biliousness and sluggish liver. Dodson's Liver Tonic works so gently and surely and harmlessly that this guarantee seems unnecessary, but if a bottle should ever fail to do all that is claimed for it, D. M. Smith Drug Co. will refund the price paid without question. The price of Dodson's Liver Tonic is 50 cts. per bottle. Be sure you get Dodson's Liver Tonic and not some medicine put up in imitation that is not backed up by a guarantee and that may contain harmful drugs.

Mr. Martin Moore, one of the oldest citizens of the Cripple Creek community, died there last Saturday aged 89 years. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. Jas. Fry, at Graham, and Messrs. Sidney S., J. Stuart, John H. and Geo. F. Moore, of Wytheville.

Norman Gaynor, of New York, son of the late Mayor Gaynor, and Miss Beasy Page, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Frank Page, of Fairfax, Va., were married last Thursday night in the historic parsonage of Zion Episcopal church of which the bride's father is rector. The couple will make their home in New York after a trip to Europe.

In order to be a qualified voter at the coming November election it will be necessary to pay all poll taxes that are due on or before May 2nd. This does not apply to the election that will be held in September on the question of state wide prohibition. Those qualified to vote in that election are those who were qualified to vote in the election of last November and those who are qualified to vote in the town elections in June.

One of the biggest conventions in the State of Virginia will take place in Lynchburg on the 11, 12 and 13th of May during the Grand Lodge Encampment, Patriarchs Militant and Rebekah Assembly of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. In connection with the encampment there will be laying of the cornerstone and dedication of the chapel combined with a gymnasium which was recently built by the order at an expense of \$18,000.

Miss Rosa Hersh died of general debility at the home of Jas. Poe, near Long's Gap, Saturday night. She was 84 years old. A cousin, Miss Mary Jane Hersh, died at the home of Buden Hersh near Fox, Sunday night of paralysis. She was 66 years old. The funerals were conducted Monday and Tuesday and interment was made at Hill cemetery.—Grayson Gazette.

One's Union Suits for \$1.00 at the Marion Clothing Co's store.

All Rural Route patrons are required by the postal laws to mark contents on the wrapper of all parcel post packages. Some Rural route carriers in this county state that as a rule this is not done by their patrons and it causes the carriers a great amount of trouble.

Spring Blood and System Cleanser.

During the winter months impurities accumulate, your blood becomes impure and thick, your kidneys, liver and bowels fail to work, causing so-called "Spring Fever." You feel tired, weak and lazy. Electric Bitters—the spring tonic and system cleanser—is what you need; they stimulate the kidneys, liver and bowels to healthy action, expel blood impurities and restore your health, strength and ambition. Electric Bitters makes you feel like a new man. Start a four weeks' treatment—it will put you in fine shape for your spring work. Guaranteed. All Druggists. 50c. and \$1.00. H. E. Pucklen & Co. Phila. or St. Louis.

Talmage Osborne, aged 22 years, whose home is at Independence, was killed last week at Elk Horn, W. Va. by falling backward from an engine on which he was riding and was caught by the wheels and instantly killed.

Grain Privileges.

MONEY IN WHEAT. Puts and calls are the safest and surest method of trading in wheat corn or oats. Because your loss is absolutely limited to the amount bought. No further risk. Positively the most profitable way of trading. Open an account. You can buy 10 puts or 10 calls on 10,000 bushels grain for \$10, or you can buy both for \$20, or as many more as you wish. An advance or decline of 1 cent gives you the chance to take \$100 profit. A movement of 5 cents \$500 profit. Write for full particulars and bank references. R. W. NEUMANN, New 1st National Bank Building, COLUMBUS, OHIO. Address all mail to Lock Box 142.

Race Problem a Live Issue in the U. S. Senate.

Washington, April 20.—The race problem, even in these days of the vexing Mexican question and the free tolls muddle, is one that is taking its fair share of the capital spot-light. The appointment by President Wilson of Robert H. Terrell, a negro, to judge of the district municipal court, which southern senators are opposing, served to accentuate the stir in congress over the bill introduced in the house by Representative Aswell of Louisiana, providing for the segregation of white and black governmental clerks under the civil service.

There are today 22,540 negroes in the employ of the United States government, who draw down a total of \$12,456,760 a year. Of these negroes 4,226 are in the army; 1529 are in the navy, and 2,140 in the various navy yards and stations. Of the rest, 6,347 with an annual payroll of \$3,099,176 are employed in Washington and the remainder work in government buildings throughout the United States. Twenty-seven negroes are employed in the White House; 26 in the state department; 926 in the treasury, 17 in the war department; 174 in the navy department, 593 in the postoffice department, 587 in the interior department, 43 in the department of justice, 164 in the department of agriculture; 239 in the government printing office; 41 in the interstate commerce commission; 115 in the senate office building; 45 in the congressional library; 171 in the Washington post office; 2,413 in the District of Columbia local government.

In the department service outside of Washington 16 negroes are employed in the diplomatic and consular service; 1,082 in the treasury branches; 2,342 in the war department; 3,599 in the postoffice department; 31 in the interior department; 162 in the department of agriculture, and 775 miscellaneous.

There are 635 negroes employed by the government in New York; 670 in Chicago; 195 in St. Louis, from 40 to 90 in the other large cities of the country, and 14,130 in miscellaneous towns.

The appointment by the president of Terrell to be a municipal judge promises to bring on as warm a little fight as the date has seen for some time. Senators John Sharp Williams and James K. Vardaman of Mississippi, Hoke Smith, of Georgia, and Edson, of South Carolina, have boasted that the senate will never confirm Terrell.

Chilhowie press correspondent to Vidette says: "Mr. J. Baker Saunders who has served the National Bank here as bookkeeper has tendered his resignation as such and accepted a position as store bookkeeper for the M. A. Co. at Saltville, Va. Mr. Saunders has good and substantial reasons for this change otherwise he would remain where he is. Of course, we all wish him and his family every success possible in their new home."

Two million pounds of beef were imported from Argentine last week, but the consumers got no benefit because it was transported by Chicago packers who are getting control of the Argentine market and keep up the price here. The government is out the tariff it would have received from this week, and so no one appears to be benefited but the packers. The Chinese ben is landing here from Chicago and other cities free of duty, and if the price continues to fall eggs will soon be selling at the old free-trade price of six cents a dozen. Progressive Republican candidates for Congress are helped to bring about this Democratic tariff should rise and expand.—Shayton Gazette.

Clears Complexion—Removes Skin Blemishes. Why go through life embarrassed and disgraced with pimples, eruptions, black-heads, red rough skin, or suffering the tortures of Eczema, itch, tetter, salt rheum. Just ask your druggist for Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Follow the simple suggestions and your skin will be clear and soft. It soothes, cures, and protects. It stops chapping, dandruff, tender skin, stops chapping. Always helps. Relief or money back. 50c. at your Druggist.

Must Pay License Tax.

Richmond, April 17.—Physicians and surgeons will be required to take out State licenses this year, as heretofore, the act of the General Assembly which exempts physicians not being in effect until after the license period has passed. State Auditor of Public Accounts C. Lee Moore issued a printed circular of instructions to commissioners of the revenue giving a schedule of the cost of the various State licenses and summarizing the various statutes on the subject of license taxes. The ruling will mean a saving of about \$45,000 to the State, as that is the amount the State will lose annually under the operations of the new act.

Hooper Re-Nominated.

Nashville, Tenn., April 20.—Governor B. W. Hooper was unanimously re-nominated for a third term as governor of Tennessee by the State Republican convention last Wednesday and Judge Sam C. Williams, an independent, was nominated for the supreme court. The convention ratified the action of the national Republican committee in its plan to re-appoint the South's representation in the national Republican convention.

Petition Signing Week

June 22nd to 27th, inclusive, will be used to secure signatures to petitions calling for the State wide election. These petitions will be circulated in every city, town and magisterial district by men especially selected for the work. The petitions are legal documents requiring the affidavit of the person circulating the same that the signers thereto are qualified voters. It is evident, therefore, that this work must be done with care. The form of petition will be prepared at League headquarters and mailed to the selected workers in various parts of the State.

Inter-County Contest.

The Inter County High School contest will be held at Wytheville, June 18-20. There will be contests in oratory, debate, essay, declamation, reading, vocal and piano solos. The subject for debate will be: "Resolved, That co-education is the best general educational policy." Gold medals will be awarded to the successful contestants in each subject. There are included in the division for which this contest will be held the counties of Giles, Pulaski, Carroll, Wythe, Bland, Smyth, Grayson, Washington and the city of Bristol. The executive committee in charge of the contest consists of W. R. Bowers, F. B. Kegley, and J. Lee Cox, Prof. J. A. C. Hart will be the local manager for Wytheville.

Press Association to Meet in Alexandria.

Arrangements for the annual meeting in June of the Virginia Press Association were made at the meeting of the executive committee of the association at the Westmoreland club last Wednesday afternoon.

The meeting of the association will be in Alexandria on June 23d at 10 o'clock. The program of entertainment includes a trip to Mt. Vernon, a banquet tendered by the citizens of Alexandria and entertainment by the National Press Club of Washington. The program also includes a visit to President Wilson and addresses by Vice President Marshall and Secretary of the Navy Daniels. The closing feature will be a trip down the Potomac River. Among those present at the meeting were Charles B. Cooke, of Richmond, president; J. L. Hart, of Farmville, secretary; A. P. Rowe, of F. dericksburg; W. B. Walton, of Ashland, and Vice President George O. Greene, of Chifton Forge.—Kings and Journal.

Stomach Trouble Cured.

Mrs. H. G. Cleveland, Arnold, Pa., writes: "For some time I suffered from stomach trouble. I would have my stomach and feel bloated after eating. Nothing benefited me until I got Chamberlain's Tablets. After taking two bottles of them I was cured." For sale by all dealers.

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WAR BEGINS
 Stars and Stripes Wave
 Over Vera Cruz,

Vera Cruz, April 21.—Vera Cruz tonight is in the hands of forces from the United States warships, but the occupation of the port was not accomplished without loss of American lives.

Four Americans, bluejackets and marines, were killed by the fire of the Mexican soldiers, and twenty felt wounded.

Those killed were Coxswain Shoemaker, Corporal Haggerty and Sergeant Pouissett, of the battleship Florida. The name of the fourth man could not be learned.

The Mexican commander, General Gustavo Maas, offered a stubborn resistance to the American advance, and for many hours there was fighting in the streets. Toward nightfall it was reported that the main body of the Federal garrison was in retreat to the westward.

Galveston, Texas, April 21.—More than 200 Mexicans were killed at Vera Cruz today in the fighting that followed the landing of the United States sailors and marines, according to information received at the cable office here.

Vera Cruz, April 22.—Six Americans killed and about thirty wounded marked the complete investment of Vera Cruz today by the United States forces.

The Roanoke Times concludes a sensible editorial on "an uninteresting war" as follows:

We are in this war partly because we are neighbor to a half savage fool people; partly because some of our own fantastic simpletons, believing all human beings fit for self government and holding lunatic ideas of democracy, helped overthrow old Diaz, who knew more of how to govern Mexicans in a minute than all our doctrinaires, idealists and transcendental theorists would learn in a century; and partly because our humane and optimistic president had not learned how to deal with natural toughs and brigands.

Graduate Recital at the College.

The Recital given at the College Monday evening, April 20, by Miss Nita Hector and Miss Densley Malloy, graduates in music, was well attended.

Both young women played with intelligence and skill and gave evidence throughout the program of excellent training.

Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va.

The Board of Visitors, at their Annual Meeting on the 20th day of next June will appoint STATE CAJETS to fill vacancies in the 1st, 2nd, 4th, 8th, 14th, 23rd, 26th, 27th, 28th, 34th, 35th, and 39th Senatorial Districts, and (7) AT LARGE. These appointments carry free board and tuition. Applications should be addressed to the undersigned on or before June 10th, on forms that will be sent upon request.

E. W. NICHOLS, Supt.

Mock Trial a Success.

The Mock Trial or Breach of Promise case given under the auspices of the Ladies Civic Club at the Court House auditorium on Monday night was a great success. It was an exact reproduction of a court scene in methods and procedure and on that account it was interesting to ladies and others who do not often attend a real trial. Judge Fudge was the trial judge. Col. Newton, the promoter of the trial, procured the case and John Buchanan ably represented the defendant. Miss W. nona Anderson was the plaintiff and L. P. Collins the defendant. Gen. F. Cook, clerk and M. D. Cassell, sheriff. All together, with the witnesses and jurors did well and made the trial quite entertaining. The gross receipts were \$117.00.

Rheumatic Pains Relieved.

Why suffer from rheumatism when relief may be had at so small a cost? Mrs. Elmer Hatch, Penn. Ind., writes, "I have been subject to attacks of rheumatism for years. Chamberlain's Liniment always relieves me immediately, and I take pleasure in recommending it to others." 25 and 50 cent bottles. For sale by all dealers.

Mr. J. C. Brooks Dies Suddenly.

Mr. James C. Brooks died suddenly at his home about one mile west of Marion Tuesday night, aged 67 years. He had been in feeble health for some months but his death was quite unexpected as he had been up and doing some work around the house the day before. He was as well as usual at 3 o'clock, retired and died about 9 o'clock. He is survived by his wife and one son, Mr. Carmel Brooks and one daughter, Miss Larcie Brooks.

A funeral service was conducted from the home Thursday morning at 9:30 a. m., after which the remains were taken to Laurel Springs cemetery for burial.

Spring Laxative and Blood Cleanser

Flush out the accumulated waste and poisons of the winter months; cleanse your stomach, liver and kidneys of all impurities. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills; nothing better for purifying the blood. Mild, non-gripping laxative. Cures constipation; makes you feel fine. Take no other. 22c, at your Druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for all hurts

Mr. Ballard Groseclose, who spent some months here with his brother, Mr. J. K. Groseclose, at Hotel Parkside, left yesterday afternoon to return to Great Bend, Kan., where he has interests. His long stay this time about convinced him that he wants to return to Virginia and he expects to return next fall.—Southwest Times.

DANGER AFTER GRIPPE

Lies in Poor Blood, Cough and Worn-Out Condition.

Grippe, pleurisy, pneumonia are greatly to be feared at this season. To prevent grippe from being followed by either pleurisy or pneumonia, it is important to drive the last traces of it out of the system.

Our advice is to take Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron preparation without oil, and get your strength and vitality back quickly.

W. W. Lake of Aberdeen, Miss., says: Grippe left me weak, run-down and with a severe cough from which I suffered for a long time. I tried different remedies, but nothing seemed to do me any good until I took Vinol from which I received great benefit. My cough is almost entirely gone and I am strong and well again.

Try Vinol with the certainty that if it does not benefit you we will give back your money.

P. S. For Eczema of Scalp try our Sango Salve. We guarantee it!

D. N. Smith Drug Co., Marion, Va.

Piedmont School Closes.

The Piedmont Graded School closed with many interesting exercises which were held on Tuesday evening and Wednesday of last week.

The weather was very disagreeable on both Tuesday and Wednesday, but the large building was fairly well filled with an attentive audience on both occasions.

One of the most novel features of Tuesday evening was some brand new Piedmont songs which had been composed by the teachers and rendered by the school.

On Wednesday we had two contests for gold medals; one for declamation by a class of boys, and one for a class of girls. Glenn Dolinger won in the boys contest and Sadie Haga in the girl's contest. Glenn Dolinger was also elected to represent Piedmont at Marion Friday evening in the county contest in declamation and Miss Emeline Shope in the contest in recitation.

Prof. Copenbaver was with us on Wednesday and gave Piedmont the best lecture of the season.

A nice painted flag pole of generous dimensions, from which a beautiful flag of our country sings in the breeze, has been planted in the yard.

The strangest thing at Piedmont was the absence of our patron, Mr. S. M. Rouse. He was detained by Master David Abraham Rouse—a ten pound baby.

Disintegrating.

Unless Colonel Roosevelt hastens his return to the United States, he may find his Progressive party a mere memory. For the way the entire shebang now seems to be going to pieces, foredooms early extinction. Not in a single by-election since 1912 has it shown gains—not in a single instance since, has it failed to experience heavy loss on the Roosevelt vote. The condition is evidenced in party affiliation enrollment as well as in actual contests at the polls.

Within practically every section where notably large support was rendered the Progressive Presidential ticket, a heavy falling off is shown in Progressive enrollment.

Roosevelt's own State, for example, has furnished impressive indication of the declining health of the Bull Moose. The New York Republican State Committee gives out these figures as representing the enrollment just completed there:

Democrats, 632,006.
 Republicans, 522,150.
 Progressives, 111,834.

Yet in 1912 the vote was as follows:

Roosevelt, 380,093.
 Taft, 455,487.
 Wilson, 633,984.

It will be seen that the Democrats are substantially holding their own in the Empire State; that the Republicans have gained perceptibly over the 1912 vote, and that the Progressive party has lost about two-thirds of its original support.—Lynchburg News.

CORTRIGHT METAL SHINGLES

The four designs of Cortright Metal Shingles as shown above are made in any of the following ways:

1. Stamped from Tin-plate and painted Red.
2. Stamped from Tin-plate and painted Green.
3. Stamped from Tin-plate and Galvanized by a hand-dipping process.
4. Stamped from special light-coated Galvanized Sheets.

Each and every genuine Cortright Metal Shingle is embossed with this Trade-mark, "Cortright Reg. U. S. Pat. Off."

For Sale by
Marion Hardware Company.

Ice! Ice! Ice!

I am now selling Ice at Retail at the following prices:

25 pounds at	10c
50 pounds at	20c
100 pounds at	30c
300 pounds at plant	60c
300 pounds delivered in town	75c

We desire to take this means of thanking our customers of last season for their liberal patronage and assure them that this season they will receive at my hands the best service that is within my power to give them.

JACOB BREUER

Special Showing of NEW SPRING GOODS

INCLUDING
WHITE GOODS
 Laces
 Embroideries
 Gingham, Etc.

A few Remnants and Short Lengths to Close Out Very Cheap.

J. M. BRISCO,



MARION BARGAIN HOUSE

A CENTRE FROM WHICH BARGAINS RADIATE

THE BIG STORE WITH LITTLE PRICES

300 Men's Hats that sold from \$1.50 to \$2.50, going at.....\$1.00
 Full Line of Men's Oxfords, sold for \$5.00, going at.....\$3.50
 Full Line of Playmate Ox'ords for Boys and Girls that will go At Cost
 Full Line of Ladies' Oxfords from\$1.50 to \$3.00
 60 Pairs of Men's Solid Leather Work Shoes, sold for 2.50, going at \$1.75
 Full Line of Ladies and Misses Trimmed Hats from.....\$1.50 to \$5.00
 Full Line of Calico at 5 cents per yard. Nice Caspers and Gingham at 10c
 Nice and Full Line of Men and Boys Clothing at Greatly Reduced Prices
 Full and Complete Line of Trunks and Dress Suit Cases at Low Prices

Best and Cheapest Line of Groceries in Town

TRY A POUND OF LOOSE ROASTED COFFEE AT 20 CENTS
 WE GUARANTEE YOU WILL LIKE IT
 Bring Us Your Produce and Get Top Prices

MARION BARGAIN HOUSE
 C. C. WHITWORTH, Proprietor
 MARION, VIRGINIA

PIEDMONT POSITIONS \$50 TO \$75 START
 GUARANTEE
 Bookkeeping—Banking—Shorthand—English
 Scholarship Sold on Credit—R. R. Fare From Home
PIEDMONT BUSINESS COLLEGE, Inc. Lynchburg, Va.

New Vegetables Daily

Spinach, Kale, Turnip Salad
 Lettuce, Onions,
 Tomatoes, Celery
 Fresh Fish, Fresh Oysters

C. A. Pickle & Co., Marion, Va.

Purity Grocery Co.
 (INCORPORATED)
 Open Saturday Feb. 7
Staple and Fancy Groceries

Clean, Pure, Fresh
 New and Wholesome

Quick Delivery Satisfaction Guaranteed
 PHONE 53
 Hutton Building B. O. Johnson, M'gr

Marion Loan and Realty Co.
 Real Estate Agents
 Marion, Virginia

TOWN PROPERTY and FARMS FOR SALE

193 acres, 3 miles from Emory & Henry, and 3 miles from Meadow View, Va.
 125 acres, just a little rolling, 40 or 50 acres in timber, part of this is almost level, balance just a little hilly, the buildings consist of 6-room brick house, good barn, tenent house and other out-buildings, good large orchard. This is ideal farm, and for quick sale price \$15,000.00.
 164 acres, 2 1-2 miles from Meadow View, Va.; 1-1/2 to walk and go across field, about 125 acres almost level, 25 acres in timber, balance little hilly, good fences and new 8-room house, new barn, two orchards. This is special bargain for \$14800.00. See us quick.
 75 acres, 4 miles North of Marion, with a good 6-room house, barn and other out buildings, 10 acres in wheat, 6 in Rye, store house and stock of goods. Will sell goods at cost. Price of farm \$3700.00 for quick sale in 10 days.
 40 acres, 4 miles North of Marion, 12 acres in timber rest in grass, good spring and orchard, 6-room house barn and other out buildings, price for quick sale in ten days \$2300.00.
 Nice cottage on Depot street with 6 rooms, good big hall, good porch and good neighborhood. Price for quick sale, 10 days, \$1600.00.
 60 or 70 acres, 3-miles North of Marion, about 40 acres cleared balance in timber, buildings consist of 3-room house, stable and other out buildings. Price for quick sale \$3000. The owner made \$1000.00 on this last season, see us quick, good store house and cottage near band-mill just out side of corporate limits. Price for quick sale \$2500.00.
 60 acres, 4 miles north of Marion, on Rich Valley road, 40 acres cleared and balance in timber, good 4-room cottage stable and other out buildings. Price \$2600.00.
 100 acres on Bear Creek at old mill site, all land dreans east, dwelling 5 rooms, most all in timber. Price for quick sale, \$1000.00.
 Nice dwelling on Main street with 8 good rooms and bath room, lot 30 feet front for \$3500.00 1-3 cash balance in one and two years, the land is worth the money.
 71 acres in the cabbage belt, one mile from rock road, good barns and out buildings, with 5 rooms. This is where cabbage brought from \$100, to \$350.00 in this neighborhood last season. Price for this farm is \$5250.00 or easy terms.
 135 acres on Bear Creek, 30 or 40 acres cleared, with good house and barns. Price \$750.00, \$500.00 cash balance on reasonable terms.
 Nice dwelling with 14 rooms, on Chatham Hill road just across N. & W. Ry. Large lot all for \$3500. Terms reasonable.
 12 acres of land; two houses—8 rooms in one six in the other Eight acres in all kinds of fruit, one and one-half miles from town. Price \$2,000. \$1,000 cash balance 12 and months.
 Large nice nine-room house and lot and good brick office fronting 100 feet on Cherry Street and back 165 feet on Park avenue. Price \$4600. \$2500 cash balance in one and two years. This is a splendid bargain.

"Is it a Boy or Girl?"
 A baby's sickness is looked upon as a matter of course, but troubles can be prevented if you administer
DR. FAHRNEY'S TEETHING SYRUP
 It soothes and strengthens the baby's system. Can be given one day old. Prevents Cholera Infantum, makes Teething easy, relieves bowel complaints. 25 cents at drug stores. If you mention this paper.

Brinkley's Market
 Grocery and Dry Goods Store

I have purchased the W. M. Brinkley Market and will keep on hands at all times

Fresh Meats of All Kinds.
 I buy the Best and sell the Best.
 Give me a Trial Order. o o o

Dry Goods, Groceries, Confectionerie s.
 I have a New Stock of Dry Goods, Groceries and Confectioneries at Low Prices.

C. A. Brinkley & Company.

MARION NEWS

LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. Jas. W. Henderlite and wife, of Atkins, were visitors to the city Wednesday.

Mr. E. P. Wassum, of Sugar Grove, was a business visitor to Marion last Tuesday.

Mr. R. F. Young came over from Troutdale Monday and was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Greer.

Mr. Theo. Lorenzen of the 5 & 10 cent store has purchased a new five passenger Ford Automobile from J. Ellis Dickinson.

Mr. H. G. Francis came up from Bristol Sunday and returned with his wife who had been here for several days on a visit to homefolks.

Mr. S. N. Copenhaver, of near Marion, Route No. 2, spent last Friday and Saturday in Bristol the guest of his kinsfolk, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Copenhaver.

Prof. John Moncure, who spent several years in Japan teaching, and who taught last session at Mecklinburg, Va., is here on a visit to his brother Prof. W. R. D. Moncure.

We regret to note that Mr. Henry T. Killinger, of near Adwolve, has been quite sick. He is some better now. He is one of the old men of the county, having reached the four score limit.

Mrs. H. P. Copenhaver, who has been in very delicate health for the past twelve months, has been much worse for several days. She was however resting easy and some better Thursday.

Mr. Will McGinnis, a son of Dr. W. P. McGinnis left last Friday for Maryland where he will remain a short while and then go to the state of Michigan where he expects to spend the summer.

Mr. C. B. McCrady announces himself in this issue of the News for sergeant and collector for the town. He is a native of Marion, well and favorably known to all voters and solicits your support. Read his card in another column.

Mayor R. T. Greer and Hon. A. T. Lincoln went to Richmond Monday to attend the annual meeting of the State Council of The Royal Arcanum, which was in session Tuesday and Wednesday. The mayor returned home Thursday and Mr. Lincoln came today.

Mr. H. Kent is making preparations to build a handsome residence on his lot on West College street. His father in law, Mr. W. S. Bonn, of Bristol, who is a builder and contractor is here this week assisting Mr. Kent in laying the foundation and getting ready for his work.

George Seymore, who deserted the U. S. Navy some days ago was found and arrested here Thursday morning by sergeant W. E. Greer, who placed him in jail to await the arrival of an officer to take him back to his post where he will be dealt with according to the rules of war.

Judge John A. Buchanan and sister, Miss Mattie, of Emory; Rev. W. R. Brown and wife, Geo. D. Brown and wife, George Baumgardner, of Rural Retreat, and Chas. Baumgardner, of Bristol, were here Monday attending the funeral and burial of their kinsman, Mr. H. A. Buchanan.

The County Contest, which we have before mentioned, takes place Friday night, and will, no doubt, draw the usual large crowd from the town and county. The prizes to be awarded are on exhibition at the Carson drug store. They are Webster's unabridged dictionary and two handsome gold medals. Superintendent Copenhaver is busy in arranging and making ready for the interesting occasion.

Mrs. E. J. Anderson who has been so ill with rheumatism, at the home of her daughter Mrs. S. T. Copenhaver, in Bristol, for the past two months came to Marion Sunday and is now at the home of her son, E. A. Anderson. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Josie who has been with her during her sickness. She is still quite feeble but we are pleased to announce that her condition is much improved. With better weather she hopes to return to her home at Adwolve in a few weeks.

Big line of Trunks—all kinds and prices guaranteed. Marion Clothing Company

E. B. Glenn Dead.

Mr. E. B. Glenn, aged 46 years, and agent of the Norfolk & Western railway at Saltville for the past twenty-two years, died last Sunday from a stroke of paralysis. He was stricken on Wednesday.

Mr. Glenn had a large circle of friends where he resided and on the Norfolk & Western, who were shocked at his sudden death.

He is survived by his father, Rev. T. F. Glenn, who for a number of years, has been a member of the Holston Conference of the Methodist church; also his mother, four sisters, his wife, who was Miss Elizabeth Copenhaver, of Marion; four sons and one daughter.

The funeral services took place from the Methodist church at Saltville on Tuesday at 11 a. m., being conducted by Presiding Elder Rev. D. H. Hurler. The burial was by the Masonic fraternity, of which he was a prominent member.

His father-in-law, Mr. John S. Copenhaver, and Meadames C. G. Whitworth, R. G. Baylor, W. M. Selster and Dr. E. M. and Frank Copenhaver went over Tuesday to attend the funeral.

Elk Brand Suits for Boys from \$2.00 to \$10.00. Marion Clothing Company.

Brown-Pruner Wedding.

Wednesday afternoon at six o'clock Miss Fannie Pruner and Mr. James Robert Brown were united in marriage at the home of the bride's father Rev. J. M. Sedgwick, of the Presbyterian Church, officiating. Miss Kathryn Pruner, the only sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Mr. J. M. Berry, of Bristol, was best man. Miss Freda Pruner, of Abingdon, presided at the piano, playing a number of beautiful selections before the ceremony. The bridal party entered the parlor to the strains of Lohengrin, going out to the strains of Mendelssohn. The ring ceremony was used, and "Melting Love" was played softly during the ceremony. The bride was attired in a traveling suit with hat to match, and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Brown left for Lynchburg and other eastern cities. Mrs. Brown is the daughter of Mr. H. C. Pruner, of this place and has many friends here who regret her departure. Mr. Brown is a native of Lynchburg, but for some time has been traveling for the Mitonell Powers Hardware Company, of Bristol. He is well known throughout South west Virginia, and numbers his friends by the score. The popularity of the young couple is evidenced by the number of handsome gifts they received, among them being a chest of silver presented by the Mitchell Powers Company. Among the out-of-town guests were the following: Mr. J. M. Berry, Dr. W. A. Miller, Mr. Fred Vance, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Trammel, of Bristol; Messrs. Lewis and H. C. Brown, of Lynchburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pruner and Miss Freda Pruner, of Abingdon. Mr. and Mrs. Brown will be at home after May the first, Abingdon, Va.

J. Ellis Dickinson has a fine carriage for sale very cheap and on easy terms.

Freeman-Buck.

Married by Rev. E. M. Harris at the Baptist parsonage, April 23rd. Mr. Thos. B. Freeman and Miss Mary C. Buck. Both parties were born and reared in this county. They will reside near Holstein Mills. The groom is the eldest son of Mr. Thos. K. Freeman and the bride is the daughter of Mr. Buck at Groseclose.

FOUND!—A gold class pin. The owner will receive the same by calling on the undersigned, and paying for this advertisement. B. E. COPENHAVER.

To the Voters of the Town of Marion: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the position of Sergeant and Collector. I feel that I am capable to perform the duties of the office, and if elected, I promise to be faithful and vigilant in looking after the interest and good order of the town. Earnestly soliciting the support of all the voters I am, Very respectfully, CLAUDE B. McCRAID.

Don't fail to see the Famous Turner Art Exhibit from Boston, worth several thousand dollars—two hundred of the most famous paintings of ancient and modern times.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years Always bears the Signature of J. C. Fletcher

Musical Concert.

The Marion Choral Society, under the leadership of Rev. R. E. Kern, gave a delightful concert on Friday evening at the high school auditorium. Mr. Kern was one of the leading singers of sacred music in Pennsylvania before he accepted the call to the Lutheran church at this place. He has a thorough knowledge of technique and harmony, and the music furnished by his class is always of a high order. There were more than twenty voices in the class and each selection was rendered to the delight of all present. A neat sum was received to defray the expenses of the society.

Rev. J. A. Shuler will preach the anniversary sermon to the Odd Fellows at 3:30 p. m. next Sunday at Groseclose, Va.

Williams, Kneeland, Steadfast and All America Shoes for Men. For the style, quality and price they cannot be excelled. Marion Clothing Company

Judge F. B. Hutton and son, of Abingdon, were visitors to Marion Thursday. The Judge and his son are raftmen in law and were looking for rooms in which to open an office in Marion.

A Special Entertainment will be given in connection with the Art Exhibit at the High School Auditorium, Thursday evening, April 23 at 8 o'clock. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Wool Wanted!

We want to buy your Wool this spring. We are in the market for 1,000,000 pounds. We will pay the highest price the market will allow. Give us a chance before you contract to sell. THE D. H. MITCHELL CO.

Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup is the only baby medicine that is always safe, Teething made easy. No bad nights.

Aged Citizen Passes To His Reward.

Mr. H. A. Buchanan died at his home here last Sunday morning after an illness of several weeks. He was a native of Watauga county, but had resided for more than twenty five years in Marion, where he was a prominent citizen and always held in highest esteem by those who knew him. He was 77 years of age and had been twice married. His second marriage was to Miss Mary Lookup, of Texas, thirty six years ago. He is survived by his wife and two daughters by the first marriage, Mrs. Birdie Cassell, of Eastern Virginia and Miss Grace Buchanan, of Marion; and by one brother, Mr. W. Buchanan of near Rural Retreat. Mr. Buchanan was an Elder in the Presbyterian Church and a good man. He was a man of quiet demeanor but of strong convictions in matters of both church and state. His funeral took place from the Royal Oak Presbyterian Church Monday at 3 o'clock. The service was conducted by his pastor, Rev. J. M. Sedgwick assisted by Rev. E. E. Kern. The floral decorations were appropriate and very beautiful. The pall bearers were W. L. Lincoln, B. F. Buchanan, J. A. Groseclose, B. E. Copenhaver, J. W. Snedley and Geo. W. Richard son.

LOST—Between the residences of Mrs. B. C. Eller and Mr. O. S. W. was a gold chain and a luck stone. Finder will receive reward by seeing Mrs. Belle C. Eller.

Oak Point Civic League.

The Oak Point Civic League meets Saturday, April 25, 1914, at 7:30 Vocal Duet, Alice and Lucy Blank subcommittee. Reading, Mary Pearl Moore. Declaration, Fred Britton. Reading, Mrs. U. E. Anderson. Essay, Mrs. J. L. U. Anderson. Vocal duet, Ola Wolfe and Lucille Daniel. Humorous Speech, Ralph Daniel. Current Events and Jokes, Byron Anderson. Debate: Resolved, that each school should have its own local board. Mrs. B. G. Blevins, Pres. Byron Anderson, Sec.

Nothing So Good for Coughs or Colds

When you have a cold you want the best medicine obtainable so as to get rid of it with the least possible delay. There are many who consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy unsurpassed. Mrs. J. Boroff, Elda, Ohio, says, "Ever since my daughter Ruth was cured of a severe cold and cough, by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy two years ago, I have felt a kindly disposed toward the manufacturers of that preparation. I know of nothing so quick to relieve a cough or cure a cold." For sale by all dealers.

Marion College Notes.

It was very much to be regretted that the College people could not attend the Mock Trial on Monday night. The Woman's club did not know the date of the graduating recital of Misses Rector and Malley, and the College did not know the date of the Mock Trial when Monday April 20th was set as the date for both. The Woman's Club were under contract with the representative of their attraction and could not change date; and the Seniors at College had had their invitations engraved and could not change date.

The College has just closed a contract with an organ firm for the installation of a two manual fourteen register pipe organ to be delivered the latter part of May or early in June. This is one of the evidences of the higher place that Marion College intends to take in the world of colleges.

The contract for the printing of the new catalogue has been given, and it promises to be a work of art, and something which will worthily represent the meritorious advantages of Marion College. The printers have contracted to deliver the catalogue before Commencement. Among other improvements it will show standardized courses co-ordinating with the courses of the best schools in the country. The courses offered next year will be the last Grammar grade, four years of first class High School of sixteen units, and two years of standard college work. The faculty will be increased so that the proper number of periods can be given to every study, as demanded for standard collegiate work.

The students of Emory and Henry College who came to Marion Wednesday to see Edison's Talking Pictures were informally entertained at the College from 6:30 to 8:00 p. m. The faculty met them in the parlor and presented them to the young ladies. Soon the beautiful campus presented the unusual scene of gentlemen promading with the students, after which refreshments were served in the halls.

U z & Dunn's Oxfords and Pumps from \$2.00 to \$3.75. Marion Clothing Company

It's Good Clothes You Want for Little Money

It will pay you to drop in and see our samples. Especially if you are hard to fit. That's our strong point—fitting the hard-to-fit—and the beauty about it the price is no more than you will have to pay for a "hand me down." Isn't it reasonable that a suit made especially for you will fit better than one made for most anybody that happens along. Again they have that Stylish Look and Fit in that Comfortable Way

Hats, Caps and Belts to Match Suits at Low Prices

Don't Postpone This Matter. The Better Patterns are Being Closed Out Daily. o o o

Sample Room over Carson Drug Store

ROSS BAYLOR, M'gr.

OUR MOTTO: THE BEST FOR LESS

Spring Millinery Display

We are showing the Most Stylish and Snappy Patterns of the Season. Individuality and Taste are Expressed in Every Model. o o o

The Hat You Are Looking for is Here

A Handsome New Line Just Received. Come in and look over our Elegant Styles and get Our Prices. We will Please You.

Mrs. Belle C. Eller, MARION, VIRGINIA

Sunday School Institute.

Rev. Jos. T. Watts, of Richmond, State Sunday School Sept., arrived here last Friday and spent two days in Marion conducting a Sunday School Institute at the Baptist church. He remained over 'til Sunday when he conducted the formal opening of the new Sunday school rooms at 10 o'clock service and preached at the 11 o'clock service. He congratulated the church on having one of the A 1 Sunday schools in the Southern Baptist convention. He awarded a number of diplomas to teachers and members of the school who had completed the graded normal course.

We hereby wish to express our appreciation of the many kindnesses shown to us by friends and neighbors during the recent illness and death of our loved one. Geo. D. Short and children.

After Insurance Commissioner Burton of Virginia had completed an exhaustive examination of the Modern Woodmen of America, he attended a meeting of the insurance commissioners in Chicago, and in an address, said:

"We have just completed the examination and it was a great pleasure to participate in an examination of real genuine fraternal societies that were posing as fraternal some of which I had to deal with rather harshly that it was really refreshing to find a society that was honestly and economically managed, and run in the interests of its members rather than in the interest of the officers. In my opinion the society is well managed."

Mr. Bryan says I am proud of my membership in the Modern Woodmen of America. The greatest fraternal insurance organization of the age. In all the world and in all history.

A broad statement though a broader than time.

District Deputy J. K. Turner, who has been here for the past week in the interest of the Modern Woodmen of America, has with the assistance of Mr. J. G. Bare, added 25 new members to Marion Camp 11,497.

The Camp is offering special inducements for forty, or more new members by May 1st.

Are you a member of the Modern Woodmen of America. If not get in the class of 50 new members for Marion Camp 11,497, and protect your loved ones in the largest and cheapest fraternal insurance organization in the world.

There are 268 automobile factories in the U. S. yet every third car on the American highway is a Ford as over 1000 Ford cars are built every 24 hours and 16000 men work in one factory which is more than the population of Bristol.

NOTICE!—We have on hand five or six second-hand wagons for sale cheap. Call and see them. LOOK & LINCOLN.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA Children FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

New Spring Clothing.



We Are NOW Receiving New Styles. New Patterns and New Colorings in

Griffon Suits FROM 15.00 TO \$25.00

We Guarantee Complete Satisfaction in Every Griffon Garment Purchased at Our Store. x x x

This Warrantee

Applies to Our Merchandise in Every Department.

Marion Clothing Co. Sam Alexander, M'gr. Marion, :: :: :: Virginia

Don't Call a Man a Liar

but take a can of White Paint that he says is as good as Kurfee's, set it on the scales along side of a can of Kurfee's and see if it weighs as much, and see if the formula is printed on the can. o o o

Better Not Buy Paint

unless you can see the Formula on the can. If you do, you may pay Lead and Zinc prices for Barytes, Whiting or Silica. Kurfee Paint shows the Formula on the can. It's 80 per cent. Lead and 20 per cent. Zinc. We are not ashamed or afraid to tell you just what it contains. It's the Whitest White, the best line of colors, the heaviest bodied and the heaviest gallon of paint on the market. It covers more square feet of surface to the gallon than any other paint

Buy Where You Get the Best and most for your money

Read the Formula and Weigh the Paint. Kurfee's Pure Lead and Zinc Paint is made for Painting Houses, outside and inside, in the best and most economical manner. Maybe you are thinking of brightening up your walls. We have Kalsomine or Calcimine. Anybody can rub it on, nobody can rub it off

We Want Your Spring Business

in every kind of Hardware and House Furnishing Goods. Our values will stand against all competition. o o o o

Let Us Demonstrate Our Money-Saving Power

- In Cook Stoves and Ranges, In Garden Hoes, Rakes and Mattocks, In Refrigerators and Screen Doors, In Screen Windows and Poultry Wire In Buggies and Harness, In Sash and Doors, In Farming Supplies

Marion Hardware Co. "THE HOUSE OF QUALITY"

A Miner's Cough Needs Prompt Attention because the irritated membranes get no rest and consumption easily follows. Scott's Emulsion is a miner's greatest help; it stops the cough, heals the inflamed membranes, strengthens the lungs and makes pure blood. Thousands of miners take Scott's Emulsion regularly to keep up their strength and prevent sickness. Your will find it a great help. Avoid alcoholic substitutes and insist on Scott's. At any drug store.

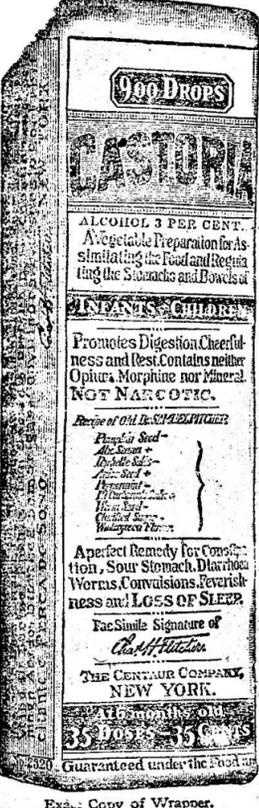
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The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

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Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.

Facsimile Signature of *W. A. White*

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK.

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Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas it has pleased the Almighty God to take away from us our beloved patriarch, J. W. Leonard, therefore, be it resolved,

1st. That in the death of our patriarch of Groseclose Encampment No. 44, has lost a valued member.

2nd. That we deeply deplore the loss of our patriarch from among us, and will sadly miss his presence at our meetings.

3rd. That we extend to the bereaved family our heart-felt sympathy and trust that he who reigns above may comfort and console them in their hour of sorrow.

4th. That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Encampment, a copy be sent to our beloved patriarch, W. A. Leonard, and family of patriarch, J. W. Leonard, and a copy be published in the Marion News and also in the Wytheville Enterprise.

M. J. KELLY,
W. A. WHITE,
A. J. BUCKLEY,
Committee.

Isaac Ingle, 49 years of age, brother-in-law of Senator John W. Kern, died at 4:30 o'clock Friday morning at his home a mile and half northwest of Danville, Va., after a long illness.

PRaise for Bear's Emulsion

Cured Her Cold, Restored Her Appetite and Built Up Her Run Down System.

Dr. John D. Bear, Elkton, Va.

Dear Sir: I had been complaining of a cough every winter for four or five years, during which time I lost flesh, had no appetite, felt very weak and rundown. I heard that Mrs. Robert Early praised your Emulsion so for run-down systems and coughs, so I went over to see her one day and after she explained to me how it had benefited her I bought a bottle and began to improve after the first couple days. On buying the second bottle I decided to weigh before taking it—I found to my great pleasure that I had gained eight pounds while taking the second bottle. I can recommend it to anyone wishing something for a cough and a good tonic.

Yours very truly,
Mrs. J. W. Simmons.

Bear's Emulsion tones up the stomach, builds up the system, gives appetite and gives strength to the body. We ask every run-down, nervous, aged, weak or any one suffering with weak lungs, to try a bottle of Bear's Emulsion and if it does not do as claimed return empty bottle and get exactly what you paid for it.

For sale by D. M. Smith Drug Co.

Copy of An Ordinance passed by the Council of the Town of Marion at their regular meeting held April 3rd, 1914:

BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Town of Marion, Virginia, that no person, firm or corporation shall sell or offer to sell any commodity or article of merchandise in any market, store or at any place within the corporate limits of the Town of Marion, at or for a greater weight or measure than the true measure thereof, and

All coal, meat, poultry, butter, butter in prints, provisions and all other commodities and articles of merchandise, except vegetables sold by the head or bunch, if offered for sale or sold within the Town of Marion, Virginia, shall be of the exact weight represented and it shall be unlawful for any of the said commodities to be exposed for sale or sold within the corporate limits of the Town of Marion, if the same or any of them shall not be of the exact weight represented, and

It shall be unlawful for any person to sell or offer for sale within the corporate limits of the Town of Marion any article of merchandise or other commodity, at a price per pound or by the measure when the same shall not have been correctly weighed by the person offering to sell same and the exact weight told the purchaser, unless the purchaser may desire to purchase the said article in bulk, and

If demanded, any person, firm or corporation who shall sell or offer for sale any of the above commodities, shall at the time of making delivery of the same to the purchaser, deliver to the said purchaser a written slip stating the name of the person, firm or corporation selling the said article, the name of the purchaser and description of the article and its correct weight upon which the price is based, and

If the said weight shall be found to be less than represented, the provisions of this Ordinance shall apply and the seller shall be liable to the penalties thereof. Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$5.00 or more than \$25.00 for each offense, and if violated a second time for the same offense, shall be fined \$50.00 and if convicted a third time, shall be fined not less than \$50.00 and confined in jail not exceeding thirty days.

This Ordinance shall be in force on and after May 3, 1914.

A copy—Teste:
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