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### Saltville

Saltville, June 3 — Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ford, and daughter, of Elizabethton, Tenn., returned home this week after visiting Mrs. Virginia Burgess and Mrs. Ruth McCready. Miss Margaret Williams presented the following pupils in a recital last Tuesday evening: Eleanor Walker, Dorothy Blackwell, Mary Jane Webb, Jodie Weaver, June Branham, Russell Carter, Vivian Levine, Mary Ellen Orr, Whizzie McCready, Marlene Mullins, Mary Dunham, Jane Soyars, Adde Weaver, Jean Diggs, Annie May Rector, Jean Webb, Bobby Coe, Peggy Warren, Joan Woodie.

Mrs. E. G. Rogers attended graduating exercises at Roanoke hospital last week end. Her daughter, Eunice is a member of the class.

Miss Edna Frye had as her guest last week Miss Joan

Kicklighter, of Savannah, Ga. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cahill, Miss Claudine Cahill, Mr. Ellsworth Cahill, and Mrs. Leslie Brannon attended the graduating exercises at Madison College where Miss Kathleen Cahill is a member of the class.

Mrs. Berkley Henderson had as her guests last week her mother and brother of Baltimore, Md.

Philip Willis had as guests last week his father and mother, who returned to Nashville, Tenn., Sunday.

George Comer had his mother visiting him for the past two weeks. She has returned to Mohapak, N. Y.

on the school grounds this week. The picnic was sponsored by the P.T. A. Last Saturday those students having perfect attendance enjoyed a theatre party at Saltville.

### Benjamin J. Thomas

Benjamin Judkins Thomas, 60, died last Sunday at his home in McCready after a lingering illness. He was employed by the National Gypsum Company.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Leona Call Thomas; three daughters, Mrs. Maggie Wyatt, Mrs. John Phipps, Mrs. Frank Thompson; a son, J. W. Thomas; three sisters; Mrs. Tom Harris, Mrs. Edd Taylor, Mrs. Garland Terry; a brother, Bud Thomas; and 12 grandchildren.

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at the McCready Methodist Church with Rev. Roy Arnold in charge. Burial was in Elizabeth Cemetery, Saltville.

### Broadford

Broadford, June 2 — Mrs. T. E. George and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Settle and daughter were visiting in Broadford, Wednesday.

Miss Martha Clear presented the pastor of Broadford charge with an old hen named "Speck" and 10 little biddies. "Speck" and her chicks are both going fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Williams and son, Charles, were visitors in Roanoke last Tuesday.

Rev. Mr. Hudson's brother, and his wife and also his mother, from Kingsport visited him Tuesday.

Mrs. James P. Green and daughter visited her sisters, Mrs. Tom Terry and Mrs. Charles Roberts, last week.

Mrs. Jack Carter spent a few days with her parents here last week.

Mary Evelyn Coe spent Friday night with Sandra Eise. Miss Lucille Moore is spending a two weeks vacation with her parents here. She was called home due to the illness and death of her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Watson and children, accompanied by Miss Polly Stephenson, spent last week end in North Carolina with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stephenson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burgess had as their guests last week end Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, of

### Abingdon.

Joe Cooper was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Al Whitely last Sunday.

Mrs. Ocie Frye spent Tuesday with Mrs. Bessie Coe.

Little Margaret Lane Hess (Lady) is a patient in the Mathieson Hospital with a case of pneumonia.

Mrs. Reed McGhee and son spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Whitely.

Jean Whitely spent Sunday with Carolyn Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Pace of Sykesville, Md., are spending a two weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Holloway, spent the week end with relatives here.

J. N. Whitely has returned home after spending three weeks with his daughter, Mrs. A. P. Buchanan. She accompanied him home and will spend two weeks with relatives here.

Annie Patrick, of Bristol, spent the week end with Mrs. Charles Williams.

Eugene Clear, of Huntington, W. Va., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clear.

Rev. Harry Hudson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Whitely on Monday.

A large host of friends, enjoyed a quilting party at the home of Mrs. Luther Watson Thursday.

Rev. J. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Farris were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Clear on Sunday.

Miss June Clear spent Tuesday night with Miss Laura Sexton Buchanan.

Mrs. W. C. Lamie, of Erwin, Tenn., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Clear.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cale and son spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Clear.

### METHODIST CHURCH STARTS VACATION SCHOOL JUNE 9

Vacation Church school of the First Methodist Church will start Monday morning, June 9 and will last through June 20. Children will report at 9 a. m., five days a week.

Mrs. W. M. Robinson and Miss Carrie Lee White will be superintendents.

The school will include children of the nursery department through the junior department.

### Allison Gap

EULA LEE HAYNES

Allison Gap, June 4 — Little Katherine Cumbo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Cumbo, left Sunday for the Roanoke Hospital to undergo an operation on her arm.

Mrs. Claude Allison, who has been ill at her home, is improving.

The Ladies Missionary Society of the First Church of God met at the home of Mrs. Jones Elmore, Tuesday evening with a large number of members attending.

Friends regret to hear of the serious illness of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hess, who is confined to the Mathieson Hospital with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Helton and little daughter, of Charleston, W. Va., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Grant Helton.

Mrs. Kathleen Estep Davidson underwent an appendectomy at Lee Memorial Hospital in Marion Sunday, and is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sweet, of Norfolk, are spending their summer vacation with Mrs. Sweet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lowery

### Centenary

MRS. GLEN PRATER

DIAL 4795

Centenary, June 4 — Mrs. A. J. Prater spent Sunday with Jack and Pearl Cormany. Mrs. Mae Waddle of West Virginia is spending her vacation with Pearl and Jack, of Pearl Avenue.

Centenary Methodist Church Young people's meeting every Thursday night at 7:30. The young people are sponsoring Carl Raines and his all-star quartet at the courthouse Saturday night at 8 o'clock and they will sing at Centenary Church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Public is invited if they want to hear some real gospel singing.

Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Preaching service every first and fifth Sunday.

### Personals

Mrs. W. B. Wassum and Mrs. Marvin Hutton spent last Thursday week in Bluefield, W. Va.

Miss Katherine Scott and Phyllis Ann Cormany and Dorothy Wassum spent the night Saturday with Mrs. Luth-

er Prater. Glenn Prater is a patient at Lee Memorial Hospital and has been for two weeks.

Joseph Prater and Margaret spent the week end in Mountain City, Tenn., with Miss Joyce Gentry and Earl Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Wassum and children have been visiting Mrs. Luther Prater.

Mrs. Fred Hutton and daughter, spent the week end at White Top with her parents.

Mrs. Jack Hurt and Mrs. W. P. Pafford had as their guests Tuesday, Mrs. E. P. Robinson, of Marion; Mrs. Jim Blackwell, of Oak Ridge, Tenn., and Mrs. Billy Ickenburg, of

Lexington. Jack Hurt left Sunday night for Richmond, to spend the week end.

Mrs. W. B. Wassum, Mr. and Mrs. Price Hutton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hurt, and Ronnie and Barbara Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wassum, Mrs. Obie Prater, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cormany and Phyllis Ann and Peggy, Mrs. Gil Comer, Mrs. Glenn Prater and Mrs. Luther Prater went to Attoaway last Sunday night to hear the Odham Quartet.

Katherine and Fay Scott spent the week end in Nebraska with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hanshew.

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## Summer School Pupils To Register June 9

Registration for summer school will begin at Marion High School Monday, June 9, at 9 a. m. The school will be in operation for a 40 day term. One unit of new work, or two units of review, may be earned in summer school. The fee will be determined by the enrollment and it is hoped that this will be about the same as last year. Clarence A. Wilkinson and A. L. Mitchell are applicants for instructors in the summer school. It is urged that those planning to attend register on June 9 in order that the school may get under way promptly.

## College Alumnae Adopt New Constitution

The Marion College Alumnae Association held its annual luncheon and meeting on Saturday, May 31, at Hemlock Haven, near Hungry Mother State Park. Mrs. Julian Brown, of Abingdon, member-at-large of the executive board, was official hostess for the luncheon. Honored at the luncheon were the classes of '97, '22, and '37, who were celebrating their golden, silver, and 10th anniversaries, respectively. Present from the class of '97 were Mrs. Pearl Carper Ballard, of Portsmouth, Mrs. Fanny Wolfe Young, and Mrs. Lena Kelly Killinger, both of Marion. Members of the class of '22 who attended were Mrs. Mattie Preston Wassum Kabrich,

of Wytheville, Mrs. Margaret Branch Slomp, of Sugar Grove, and Mrs. Lucille McCarty Buchanan, Miss Ovella Crewsey, of Marion, represented the class of '37.

Miss Martha Brown, of Rural Retreat, president of the Alumnae Association, presided over the business meeting, which followed the luncheon. The main business of the day was the adoption of a new constitution and the report of the executive secretary. Miss May Scherer, executive secretary, reminded the association that next year would be the 75th year of Marion College and made the recommendation that the executive committee make special plans for the 1948 Alumnae Association meeting.

Miss Katrina Umbarger, of Marion, acting treasurer of the association, informed those present that the alumnae loyalty fund was lacking only \$5 to reach the sum of \$2000. Mrs. Pearl Carper Ballard, of Portsmouth, was the first member to volunteer to round out the total. This money will be turned over to Marion College to be used for the Laura Scherer Copenhaver memorial organ which is to be installed in the college chapel in the fall.

## They Got It But Not Him

Big 160 gallon still failed to make its last run last Friday night on South Fork when Deputy Sheriffs Tomto Dolinger, Con Woods and Beeswax Pennington moved in to get it but not the man who had the big outfit just ready to run.

The deputies, moving in quietly in the hope of capturing the operator, got a glimpse of him as he took to the wood. Even Tomto couldn't catch up with him. Con Woods said it was a mighty well equipped outfit with lots of supplies including about 300 cans of syrup.

## Rev. Mauney Addresses Sugar Grove Graduates

"Your Life" was the subject of the address made here Sunday morning to the graduating class of the Sugar Grove High School by Rev. J. Luther Mauney, of Marion.

He said, "If life can be rich who wants to be a pauper? If the times call for courage today who wants to be a coward? If life can be beautiful why cultivate ugliness?" He closed his address by saying, "Your life can be beautiful if you make it so."

Members of the senior class are: Verna Mae Calhoun, Carolyn Boyer, Howard Cornett, Elizabeth Fulton, Isom C. Cox, Jr., Jean Griffiths, Frank Cox, Herbert Ferguson, Ralph Hubble, Dollie Keyes, Gale Hutton, Paul Harrington, Opal Harrington, Rudolph Parks, June Griffiths, Mildred Parks, Cristella Woods, Dora Parks, Donald Stevens, Holmes Cullop, Pansy Hutton, Roy Hall, Gladys Meek, Alberta Mitchell.

## AAA Halts Delivery of Phosphates

Walter Olinger, secretary of the Smyth County Agricultural Conservation Association, has received instructions to stop delivery of all phosphates and ground limestone in Smyth County until further notice, due to the uncertain status of the appropriation bill in congress. The House of Representatives appropriations committee has voted such drastic reductions in the funds for the operation of the program that the action was deemed advisable, Mr. Olinger was informed.

Thursday morning Mr. Olinger was notified that if the cut is made farmers who have received material will probably be asked to pay one-half of the cost, instead of 39 per cent of the cost, as they are doing now.

Every farmer in the county is eligible to receive the material. The government has been paying the rest of the cost. Mr. Olinger said farmers will be informed of final ac-

tion and prospects for resumption of deliveries as soon as possible.

## FARMERS WARNED ON HAY HARVEST HAZARDS

Hay operations mark the beginning of a season when farm accidents run high, cautions H. B. Eller, county agent.

Assure safety and avoid lost time by checking your equipment carefully before haying starts. Check for defective hitchers, ropes, pulleys, lifts, hay racks or ladders. See that loft floors are in good repair and that hay chutes are guarded to avoid falls. Also check your mowing equipment and see that safety guards are in place. Be constantly on the alert to avoid falls — particularly from hay racks, stacks and mows.

Watch starts and stops while loading, especially on rough ground. Never dismount from tractors or mowers while they are in operation.

Pitchforks are more frequently misused than any other tool. Don't take chances with these long, sharp, unguarded steel tines. For outside work, carry a pitchfork over your shoulder and stick it securely in the ground when it is not in use. Don't lay it down, and never throw it.

Be sure that the hay is well-cured before it is stored in the mows. Damp hay will heat and start a fire. Check freshly stored hay regularly for several weeks to see that there are no signs of heating.

## DOC BROWN IN HOSPITAL

Dr. M. M. Brown of Marion, the popular veterinarian who is also the Democratic nominee for county treasurer, was reported "much improved" at Lee Memorial Hospital this Thursday, to which he was admitted Tuesday suffering from a heart condition. Dr. Brown was getting along so well that the hospital said he would go home this Friday.

## USE DDT TO CONTROL FLIES ON CATTLE AND IN BARN

That menace to all livestock producers, the fly season, is here again, reminds J. O. Rowell, entomologist for the Extension Service. But flies, which annoy your cattle, cause a reduction in milk and beef production, and contaminate valuable dairy products, may be controlled with spray applications of DDT.

Rowell points out, however, that the spray alone should not be depended on for complete control of flies; it should be used to supplement the usual sanitation measures.

Apply a 2½ per cent DDT water-suspension spray in barn and on cattle as soon as flies become prevalent in your barnyards. Additional treatments should be made to the cattle about three weeks after the initial application, and to the barn between July 1 and 15. You may apply the sprays, Rowell says, with regular spray equipment. The spray is made by adding water to a 50 per cent wettable DDT powder at the rate of one gallon of water to seven ounces of DDT.

Spray the whole animal thoroughly — back, sides, belly and legs. It will take from one to two quarts of spray to treat an average animal. Before spraying in the barn, remove animals and feed which might come in contact with the insecticide, then spray all surfaces where the flies congregate. Apply approximately one gallon of the spray to each 1,000 square feet of surface. If heavy populations of flies return to the cattle late in the summer, make a third application in August. Never use oil solutions of DDT on livestock.

## MARION HIGH GRADUATE SUFFERS APPENDICITIS

Opal Hall did not appear at the Marion High School graduation Wednesday night to receive her diploma as she was taken to the George Ben Johnston Hospital, Abingdon, to be operated on for appendicitis. Flowers were sent to her from the class.

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Mrs. Fowler and granddaughters were guests of Mrs. Ruth Mathena, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowler attended the June Meeting Sunday at the South Fork Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hancock of Nebo and daughter, Miss Francis Hancock of Perry Point, Md., and Wilmer Buchanan of Nebo were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hancock on Wednesday. On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Croy, of Nebo were guests in the Hancock home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fowler and children were visiting in the R. L. Vernon home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Ruby Richardson is suffering a very bad bealing on her leg.

Mrs. Ella Vernon was visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Goodman and Mr. Goodman Sunday.

Mrs. Rebecca Pack and children were guests of Mrs. Ruth Mathena, Marion, on Thursday.

Norm Ernest of Bluefield, W. Va., is visiting relatives here.

Those of this community to graduate from High School Wednesday night are Miss Wilma Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Dean; Herbert Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Dean and George Fowler, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Fowler. Hope I didn't miss anyone and I'm sorry I did not get a list of those who attended the Baccalaureate sermon at the Presbyterian Church in Marion Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles "Cotton" Perkins of Gary, W. Va., announce the birth of a son, Robert Harold on May 28. Mr. Perkins lived in the Laurel Springs community for some time. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Perkins of Mt. Carmel and a brother of Mrs. Paul Fowler.

Fidge, Tenn., spent the holidays with homefolks here.

Miss Iris Calhoun and Paul Hermsmier of Washington, D. C., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Calhoun.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ford, Mr. and Mrs. John Ford and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ford at Broadford, Sunday.

R. M. 1-c and Mrs. Richard Cox and son, of Washington, D. C., are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Keesling and family.

Mrs. Fitzhugh Anderson and daughter, of Pageton, W. Va., are spending sometime here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Frye are the proud parents of a baby daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. George DeBord and children, of Lewisberry, Pa., have been visiting relatives here and in North Carolina.

Bobbie Testerman and Able Slemp, of V. P. I., spent the holidays with their families near Sugar Grove.

Mrs. Earl Scott and Thelma Jean Ford underwent tonsilectomies last week in Lee Memorial Hospital.

Jack Boyd, Reidsville, N. C., was visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pugh and daughter, of Fincastle, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis M. Calhoun were called to Galax Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. June Cox Guynon.

Mrs. Ted R. Calhoun and Mrs. Ellis M. Calhoun gave a picnic lunch at the home of the latter Sunday in honor of Miss Iris Calhoun and her friend, Mr. Paul Hermsmier, of Washington, D. C., who were here attending the commencement exercises.

Atkins  
MRS. ROY B. LAMBERT

Atkins June 3 — The young people of the Church of God went to Backbone Rock, Saturday for an outing. Those who went were Ed

### Furnace Hill

MRS. W. RAY ANDERSON

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grinston have returned to their home in Columbus, Ohio, from a weeks vacation visiting his mother, Mrs. Minnie Grinston, of At-toway, also relatives in Furnace Hill and South Fork.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sexton are the proud parents of a seven and one-half pound son, John Paul Jr., born Saturday, May 31 at their home. Mother and baby are getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Faye and children, of Portsmouth, Va., are visiting Mrs. Faye's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Sexton, of Furnace Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sawyers and little daughter Mary Etta, Mrs. Clarence Sturgill and Glenna Sturgill went to the June meeting at Thomas' Bridge, Sunday, June 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gentry and family, Lola and Henry Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Rush Anderson and family went to the Memorial Service held at Laurel Blooming, Tenn., Sunday, June 1.

Vella Louise Greer, from Groseclose was visiting Charlotte Anderson, Monday, June 2.

### Rye Valley

MRS. C. E. KEESLING

Sugar Grove, June 3 — Mr. and Mrs. George J. Weisser, Bellerose, Long Island, N. Y., announce the birth of a son on May 21. Mrs. Weisser is the former Miss Hope Henegar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Henegar.

Scott Meek sustained a painful injury to his eye when a piece of steel struck his eye while he was doing some work in the shop.

James Crockett, Jr., Oak

James Ferguson and Paul Heffinger and Tom Goodman, who has offered to bring his truck each Sunday morning and bring anyone who does not have a way to come. Best wishes to Mr. Goodman got a vote of thanks from the church as a whole. All of these are from the Cedars Community. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Coulthard, Mrs. Virginia Wolfe and Mrs. Pauline Brown were visiting in this community Friday evening.

The men of the Lowman Valley Community finished the work and sowed grass seed on the church yard and cemetery Saturday.

Personals  
Rev. Paul Brown is expected today to spend some time with his family at the home of Mrs. C. C. Cornett.

Mr. Brown has finished his training at Duke University, Madison, N. J., but will study foreign languages this summer. He will take a teaching position in a seminary this fall, probably in the Middle West.

Rev. W. N. Parker was the luncheon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Umbarger Sunday.

Little Everette Umbarger attended a birthday party in Town Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hopkins were visiting his father, George Hopkins over the week end.

Miss Ruby Fowler and Wayne were visiting her aunt, Mrs. Joe Edwards and Mr. Edwards of Seven Mile Ford Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. M. C. Fowler was visit-

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**Laurel Springs**  
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Laurel Springs, May 26 — The work has been completed on the Laurel Springs Cemetery, except for the concrete markers which are to be placed around each square.

We welcomed into our Sunday School Sunday, Misses Doris and Peggy Goodman of the Cedars Community.

**Wedding announced**  
Mrs. C. C. Cornett has announced the approaching wedding of her daughter, Miss Pansy Cox Cornett, to James Knox Pannill of Kingsport, Tenn. An invitation was read by the superintendent, Sunday morning at the Church inviting each member of the Sunday School to attend the wedding ceremony which will be solemnized at 7:30 p. m., June 7,

at the First Methodist Church, Marion.

**Lowman Valley**  
Elder David Cleary of Kanonpis, N. C., filled his regular fourth Saturday evening and Sunday morning appointment at the Brethern Church. Rev. Mr. Cleary spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reynolds.

Others to attend the services from out of the community were: Mrs. Alva Farrington and daughter, Miss Francis, of Marion; Mrs. John Shelton and family from Mt. Carmel; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shelton and family from Bear Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hester of Chilhowie and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Stelle of Adwolve. Most of these visited relatives in the community Sunday afternoon.

**Personals**  
Mrs. C. C. Cornett and Miss Pansy spent the week end in Lynchburg visiting Mr. and Mrs. Francis Atkins. Mrs. Cornett went for an examination at the hospital there. She will return there June 11 for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sturgill and Janet were the week end guests in the home of her father, George Hopkins.

Mrs. G. C. Umbarger seems to be improved some.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Simpson have recently returned from a visit with relatives in New Castle and Driskany.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson and small son, Claude, Jr., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Anderson of Chilhowie Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Statzer, Sr., were on a business trip to Johnson City, Tenn.,

### From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**How to Go to Sleep**

We were sitting around Bill Webster's parlor Friday evening and the talk turned to the best way of overcoming sleeplessness... like breathing real slow and deep, imagining that you weigh a ton, or simply throwing away the pillow.

The consensus favored counting sheep. But right away was the question: what kind of sheep? There were some votes for countin' Merinos, Shropshires, Oxfords and Dorsets. Ed Mapes said he had best luck counting crossbreeds.

Finally, Bert Childers spoke up

with his formula: A light snack and a mellow glass of beer at bedtime. Sort of puts you in the mood for quiet thoughts and peace of mind. Lets you relax... and "ho hum," off to pleasant dreams!

From where I sit, there's nothing like a temperate glass of beer to smooth away the creases of the day, relax a body, and pave the way for a good night's sleep. Try it, and see if I'm not right.

Joe Marsh

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### For Sale (3)

**WOOD FOR SALE**—rush Brothers, day phone 6741, night 6654. 4-17-47

**LUMBER FOR SALE**—Framing and sheathing. Delivered, \$75 per thousand. Other lumber available. For full details write John A. Osborne, North Wilkesboro, N. C. 5-15-16tp

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**FOR SALE**—One lot 75 x 150 ft. on Fairground Hill behind Hosiery Hill. Call or see Fremont Sims, Holston Motor Co. 6-5-1t

New this week at — **WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE**

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**BABY CHICKS**—State Inspected, New Hampshire Reds, Barred Rocks, White Rocks, Crosses, White Leghorns. Also Bronz Turkeys. Old Glade Hatchery, Glade Spring, Va. 5-29-4f

**FOR SALE**—One 1937 Chevrolet car. One 1942 Ford dump truck. Both in good condition. See W. M. Teeters, near Chilhowie. 6-29-2tp

**FOR SALE**—Lucust logs, right length for fencing posts. Dial Marion 2785. 6-5-1t

For the benefit of those who expect to furnish beans for the bean market, we have just received a new supply of tender green beans. Also plenty of baby chicks and chicken feed. We have a complete line of foods — flour, meal, etc., and a good supply of Vigoro. General Feed Store, Marion. 5-29-4f

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**FOR SALE**—Harley Davidson motorcycle. Call at Cedar Service Station. 6-5-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Baby bed and play pen in good condition. Mrs. G. C. Anderson 119 N. Main St., Marion. 6-5-1tp

**FOR SALE**—2 nice shoats. Paul Dishner, Staley Rhea Addition. 6-5-1tp

**FOR SALE**—15, 9 weeks old Hereford pigs. Contact W. H. Coulthard. 6-5-1t

**FOR SALE**—Good coal truck bed. Call Marion 4360. 6-5-1tp

**FOR SALE**—4 room house and lot 50 x 175 feet. Over Fairground Hill on Chatham Hill Road. W. J. Harris. 6-5-1tp

**FOR SALE**—10 lots 60 x 200 feet on highway No. 11, two miles west of Chilhowie. T. O. Snapp, Rt. 1, Glade Spring. 6-5-1tp

\$200 Gibson Banjo for sale. R. C. Farrington, Route 3, Marion. 6-5-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Acetylene welder with gauges, cutting torch. Practically new. W. F. Taylor, Chilhowie. Phone 17-J. 6-5-1t

**GOOD QUALITY HEAVY BREEDS** 200 for \$11.00. 6-5-1tp

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### Wanted (5)

**WANTED** to rent electric stove three months. Jack Freeman, Marion 5387. 6-5-2t

**WANTED TO BUY**—Baby bed in good condition. Phone 5993 or 5778. 6-5-2t

### Lost and Found (6)

**LOST**—Brown leather billfold, Wednesday night between Marion Drug and Theatre, containing driver's license and other papers with name G. R. Blevins, Jr. Return to Smyth County News Office. Reward. 6-5-3t

**LOST**—two post office keys. Return to Smyth County News Office. 6-5-1tp

Will the one that had a watch in their basket by mistake at Hungry Mother State Park, June 1, please send or leave at Print Shop. J. W. Wyatt. 6-5-1tp

### Help Wanted (7)

Learn Beauty Culture in three months. \$100 for complete course. Married or single girls. One of the south's largest beauty schools. Mayfair College of Beauty Culture, Lynchburg, Va. 5-1-10t

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### WANTED — Housekeeper for small family.

Good salary. Call Marion 5633. 6-5-1t

**WANTED** — Man. Route experience preferred but not necessary to start. Rawleigh's Dept. VAF-109 M., Richmond, Va. 6-5-1tp

Man or woman to take care of established customers in Marion and Saltville, average \$45 weekly income. No investment. Write J. R. Watkins Co., Dept. 83, Richmond, Va. -5-4t

### Jobs Wanted (8)

**WANTED** — On the Job training as Auto Mechanic under G. I. Bill. Phone Marion 3013, Sherrill Foster. 6-5-1tp

### For Rent (9)

**TO RENT** — Pasture at Seven Mile Ford. H. B. Staley. 6-5-1t

**FOR RENT** — furnished bedroom, man preferred. Phone 5993, Water St. 6-5-1t

### Notices (11)

Why worry if afflicted with any skin disease. Ask about V-3-O, Marion Recall Store. 10-10-54tp

### Cards of Thanks (12)

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their every act of sympathy and respect shown during the illness and death of our husband and father. Also for the beautiful flowers and use of cars. Mrs. Rosie E. Bridgeman and family.

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the death of our husband, son, and brother. Mrs. John T. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wolfe and family.

### In Memory (13)

In loving memory of our dear husband and daddy, Lucian Bridges, who was killed June 5, 1936, at Atkins, Va. June the fifth is here again. And to us the saddest of all the year.

When one year ago today Jesus called our loving husband away. The blow was hard, the shock severe. I never thought death was so near. Only those who have lost can tell. The pain of parting without farewell.

More and more each day we miss you darling. No one knows the bitter pain. We have suffered since we lost you. Life for us can never be the same. The love you gave me through the years.

Shall never from me depart. Though you have gone beyond my reach. You are always in my heart. Although your smiles are gone forever.

And your hand I cannot touch. I shall never lose your sweet memory. Because I love you so much. Some day, dear Lucian, we shall meet you.

When there will be no sad good-byes. We can think of nothing sweeter. Than meeting our husband in the skies. Ones who loved him. Wife and son

### Too late to classify

**WANTED**—apartment or summer place Marion vicinity for young couple from July 6 through September 12. Reply to Drawer 790 Marion, Va. 6-5-1t

**NOW OPEN** — Smyth County News carrier route paying more than \$11.00 per month. Need strong industrious boy of 12 or over who knows Pendleton Street and the Hook's Branch area. Apply at once to the Smyth County News. 6-5-1t

J. S. HENDERSON, D. C., announces the opening of his office June 9, for the practice of Chiropractic. Wall Street, Abingdon, Va., Neurocalometer, X-ray, Spinal Adjustments. 6-5-1tp

### Attoway

MRS. GLEN PRATER DIAL 4795

Attoway, June 4 — Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Murray are the proud parents of a seven pound baby boy, born at Lee Memorial Hospital, May 29.

Mrs. Glispie Clinton Sexton's sister's still remain a patient at Lee Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Burl Shortt still remains confined to her bed at her home.

Mrs. Kelly Murray is staying a while with her sister, Mrs. James Prater. Mrs. Murray returned from the hospital Sunday.

### Riverside

MISS NANNIE WILSON

Riverside June 2 — Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stinnett and little daughter, Carol Ann, of Roanoke and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hale were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Miller, Sunday, May 25.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bishop and her sister, Mrs. W. H. Wolfe, of Opportunity, Wash., spent the weekend of May 25th in Roanoke as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pake Wolfe.

Ivanhoe Copenhaver, of the Holston Mills community, is at home now and is getting along very nicely. He has recently been a patient in Jefferson Hospital, Roanoke.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Detweiler and little son, Frank Ivan, of Roanoke, are spending the summer months with Mrs. Detweiler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivanhoe Copenhaver, of Holston Mills. Their many friends are delighted to know that their son is improving after a critical illness of several months.

Many relatives and friends are being invited to the Wolfe reunion which will be held at the home of Mrs. D. L. Carter, Sunday, June 8. Dinner will be served on the lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Thayer, of Abingdon, Mrs. Jessie Blankenbicker and W. A. Wolfe, Jr. called on Miss Nannie and David Wilson, Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. A. Caudill and her daughter, Mrs. Walker Tucker, are both improving from prolonged illnesses.

The many friends of Rev. Fred Harcum regret to learn that he has resigned his pastorate at Riverside Baptist church to become full time pastor of Chilhowie Baptist church. However, he will continue his services at Riverside until the first of July.

The dry weather, which was injuring crops, gardens and pastures, was relieved by a very good rain Monday night.

**H. D. Club Meets** — The Riverside Home Demonstration Club met at the school May 21. Mrs. E. B. Echols gave the devotion, Mrs. Parker St. John, garden leader, gave some suggestions on gardening, and Miss Essie Bonham, poultry leader, talked about the management and feeding of the growing flock.

Miss Karle Bundy gave an account of the district meeting held in Abingdon May 6.

The next meeting will be held June 18, with "Window Treatment" for the demonstration.

A motion was made and adopted that the club go on record as approving the retention of the Riverside School.

During the demonstration period Miss Bundy gave a most interesting review of her trip to California.

Eleven women were present.



**SHES ONE** — Mary Antonette Hehn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Hehn, Fairground Hill, celebrated her first birthday, Tuesday, June 3.

### Hutton Estate Brings \$27,655.50 in Four Sales

In four auction sales Wednesday, real estate of the late I. W. Hutton brought a total of \$27,655.50. The sales to settle the estate were conducted by Catron Land Company.

The Hutton home on a large lot at Atkins was purchased by Jim C. Goodman for \$8,000. The 69 acres of the Schrock farm went to the chamber of commerce as future industrial sites for \$12,500. The 51.8 acre Fox farm at Mt. Carmel brought \$2,775.50 and was purchased by E. V. Hutton. F. W. Hutton paid \$3400 for the 30 acre Frazier farm on road 688, just off Nick's Creek.

### Barter Season Opens Monday With "John Loves Mary"

This season's popular New York comedy, "John Loves Mary," will be the opening bill served up by Barter Theatre as Bob Porterfield's organization opens its 15th summer stand in Abingdon next Monday night.

At the same time sale of ticket books, now being conducted in Marion and Saltville, will cease.

"John Loves Mary" will be repeated Tuesday night and will be followed Wednesday and Thursday by "East Lynne." On Friday and Saturday, with a Saturday matinee, the modern comedy will again be staged. Other dates for the first four weeks (if you want to clip and save) are:

Monday-Tuesday, June 16-17, "East Lynne;" Wednesday-Thursday, June 18-19, "John Loves Mary;" Friday-Saturday (includes matinee), June 20-21, "East Lynne;" Monday-Tuesday, June 23-24, "Arsenic and Old Lace;" Wednesday-Thursday, June 25-26, "East Lynne;" Friday and Saturday (includes matinee), June 27-28, "John Loves Mary;" Monday-Tuesday, June 30-July 1, "The Import-

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ance of Being Earnest;" Wednesday-Thursday, July 23, "Arsenic and Old Lace;" Friday and Saturday (includes matinee), July 4-5, "East Lynne."

### French End Visit Here

Charles Sans and Gerald D'Orgeville, French newspapermen who are touring Virginia for three months as guests of the Virginia Press Association, ended a four day visit to Marion and Smyth County at noon this Thursday when they left for Norton to be guest of the Coalfield Progress there.

"Virginia seems to get better as you go west," Sans remarked after two days in Marion. The visitors arrived from Radford Sunday afternoon. Monday they visited Saltville and Chilhowie. On Tuesday they made a trip to Damascus to see the Lincoln Industries plant and learn more about the recent decisive anti-union vote by labor there. They also saw, and were tremendously interested in, the Lincoln plastic houses.

Tuesday night Sans was speaker at the weekly Kiwanis dinner at Hungry Mother Park grill.

Sans speaks good English most of the time, but he does have his difficulties with the languages. One of his departing requests was that the staff of The Smyth County News be sure and send him a picture of "a house in which the hilly billy lives."

### Chilhowie

MRS. A. H. McEWEN PHONE 98 - 1 Chilhowie, June 2 — Personal

Miss Dorothy Bishop of Mary Washington College has returned home for the summer. She has as her guest, Miss Pauline Malisher of Pittsburg.

Joe Price, who has been quite ill with blood poisoning for the past few days, is much better.

Mrs. W. F. Taylor spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Pruitt of Lexington.

Miss Shirley Cole of Mary Washington College has returned home for the summer vacation.

Miss Mabel Smith, and Mrs. Fred Greever left Sunday for Richmond to visit Dr. and Mrs. Dean Cole.

Mayor A. C. Beattie is much improved and was able to visit his son, Robert, Sunday, at Kingdon Hospital. Robert is steadily improving.

Miss Peggy Smith, and Miss Nancy Huff of Sullins College, have returned home for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Price went to Richlands Sunday to visit Mr. Price's sister, Mrs.

### The TOWN HOUSE CHILHOWIE'S THEATRE

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, JUNE 6-7  
Ken Curtis in **"DRIFTING RIVER"** Thundering Action  
Edward Horton in **"The Ghost Runs Wild"** ZANY COMEDY

MONDAY, JUNE 10  
Learn the facts of **POLIO**

in **"SISTER KENNY"** with Rosalind Russell Alexander "Wilson" Knox

THURSDAY, JUNE 12  
**"The Guilt of Janet Ames"** with MELVYN DOUGLAS ROSALIND RUSSELL

Margaret Walden, who is very ill.

Miss Louise Snavely, who has been teaching in the Appalachian High School, has returned home and will spend a few weeks here before going to Columbia University.

Miss Elizabeth Lewis has been sick for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Huff, Miss Nancy Huff, Miss Mabel Smith and Miss Peggy Smith attended the graduation of B. B. Huff, Jr., of Hargrave Military Academy, Chatham, Wednesday through Friday of last week.

Dan Hensley of Alexandria is the guest this week of B. B. Huff, Jr.

Atwood Huff, who has been a student at Castle Heights Military Academy for the past year has returned to his home.

Miss Carolyn Bonham, Miss Cordelia Jones, Miss Monnie Huff, Miss Frances Mason, and Miss Margaret Ann Jackson will return home this week from Marion College where they have been students for the past year.

Miss Frances Ferguson spent the past week end with Miss Nell Ferguson at Martinsville.

Mrs. Sam Miller received painful cuts and bruises when she fell in her back yard Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. French Daugherty and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sheffield at Adwolt.

Miss Mary Peak spent Sunday with Miss Betty Patrick.

Miss Patsy McKee is at home after having been a student at Mary Washington College for the past year.

Tommy McKee of Massanetta Military Academy has returned home for the summer.

Mrs. John Williams, who is a patient at Abingdon Hospital, is some what improved.

**Bonhams Entertain** — Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bonham entertained with a picnic at Hungry Mother Park Tuesday evening, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Will Wolfe, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wolfe of Spokane, Wash. Thirty-five guests enjoyed the occasion.

**Mrs. Heath Honored** — The teachers of Chilhowie school entertained with a surprise rook party honoring Mrs. Eugene Heath at her home, Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Heath have recently moved into their new home in the Cox Addition. Mrs. Sam Mountain was top score prize winner. Mrs. Heath made low score. Mrs. Howard Bonham received the floating prize and Mrs. Walton Beattie won the bingo prize. A shower of miscellaneous gifts was presented to the honoree.

**Seventh Grade Has Holiday** — Mrs. V. G. Copenhaver's seventh grade won the school attendance banner for four consecutive weeks. The reward was a half day off from school.

**Baccalaureate** — The Baccalaureate service for the seniors of Chilhowie High School was held Sunday evening, June 1, at the Methodist Church. Rev. C. W. Taylor gave the invocation. The scripture was read by Rev. Fred Harcum. The school choir, under the direction of Mrs. Leslie Beamer and Mrs. J. B. Cole, gave a chorus from "Finlandia," by Sibelius and "The Lord's Prayer" by Malotte. The sermon was delivered by Rev. James Gregg, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, Bristol. Rev. H. C. Hilliard pronounced the benediction.

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