

ATTEND COLLINS' DISPLAY OF NEW FASHIONS, THURSDAY, SEPT. 8th

To the Citizens of Smyth County:

I am a candidate for COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE for Smyth County at the election to be held Nov. 8th, 1927.

I am not controlled by any clique therefore am in a better position to serve all the people without fear or favor.

You are acquainted with my record as a Commissioner of the Revenue from Jan. 1916, to Dec. 1923, and I promise if elected to give the people of the entire County the same honest and pains-taking service I tried to do for the people of Marion district.

Thanking one and all in advance for any aid you may give me in securing my election, I remain,
Yours for service,
JNO. A. GREENWOOD.

C. B. FRANCIS,

Candidate for Re-election JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, Lower End, Marion District, Smyth County. Election to be held November 8, 1927 I will thank you for your support and influence. If elected will serve you impartially.

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MARION, VA.

A HOSPITAL AT MARION

A COMMUNITY INSTITUTION IS PROPOSED THAT WILL GIVE PROTECTION TO PEOPLE OF LIMITED MEANS.

A proposition was submitted at the last meeting of the Marion Kiwanis Club Tuesday night, for the establishment of a Community Hospital in the Town of Marion, that is exciting a great deal of very favorable comment.

Dr. Charles B. Baughman had charge of the program for the evening, and introduced Mr. Winfrey. This gentleman is not a professional man but has held the position of business manager for the Memorial Hospital in Richmond, and is very thoroughly posted in regard to the business end of hospital work and operation.

In brief the proposition was the issuance of what may be very properly term "hospital insurance" in two forms; one a life policy and the other a yearly one. The subscriber in taking a life policy is guaranteed hospital service for the term of his natural life at a rate of ninety days for each calendar year; a subscriber for a yearly service gets the same ninety day protection during the year. The subscriber is admitted to the hospital on the certificate of a reputable physician, and is supplied with all attention, medicines, nursing, etc., with the exception of surgical operations; the institution is to be equipped with X-ray apparatus, laboratory tests, etc., all of which is at the service of the subscribers.

Mr. Winfrey gave some very interesting and at the same rather startling statistics in regard to the number of people that yearly are obliged to have hospital service, and this is a heavy burden. Under the operation of the plan as suggested people of limited means could be assured of hospital service is required and at a cost that would be within the reach of all. It was easy to see that the plans as suggested was most favorably received by the members of the Club, and it seemed to be the consensus of opinion that the plan should be acted upon, and a committee was appointed, with Dr. C. B. Baughman as chairman, to go into the matter and to report at the next meeting of the Club on Tuesday night, September 13th.

The next meeting of the Club will be Ladies night, with the President in charge of the program, and he promises that the amusements and stunts will be varied and unusual. Be sure to be there with all of your lady friends.

Dr. J. N. Hillman.

Dr. J. N. Hillman, president of Emory and Henry College, Emory, Va., will make an address at Atkins, Sunday, September 11th, at 3 P. M., and at Mt. Carmel at 7:30 P. M. Dr. Hillman is our Conference Lay Leader, and will discuss this work. His address will be especially interesting to the Laymen of our churches.

LIST OF CANDIDATES IN "SALESMANSHIP CLUB" and their Votes accepted for Publication.

DISTRICT No. 1.

Name.	Address.	Votes.
Miss CLEO SCOTT	City	69,425
Mrs. J. H. ROUSE	City	69,850
Miss BYRDA ECHOLS	City	67,400
Mrs. C. A. HUTCHINES	City	68,485
SANFORD DUTTON	City	41,320
Mrs. WALTER GREER	City	67,455
Miss SARA RICHARDSON	City	67,150
Miss ELIZABETH BROCKMAN	City	65,870
Mrs. THEO. LORENZEN	City	61,450
Miss ELIZABETH ANDERSON	City	69,000
Mrs. W. A. WOLFE	City	45,825
Mrs. ETTA M. GARRISON	City	69,850

DISTRICT No. 2:

Miss RUTH ALLEN	R. F. D.	69,850
Miss VERA CLARK	Cedar Springs	64,350
Mrs. KENNETH KILLINGER	R. F. D. No. 2	69,745
Miss ALEENE COLE	Chilhowie	68,875
Mrs. D. D. RICE	7 Mile Ford	64,700
Miss IRENE ROGERS	Saltville	64,825
Mrs. MARVIN COPENHAVER	Chilhowie	69,185
Miss MINNIE M. ROUSE	7 Mile Ford	69,265
Miss ETHEL OAKES	Chatham Hill	68,750
Miss MARGARET HASH	R. F. D.	68,125
Mrs. CULLEN COX	Sugar Grove	65,450
Mrs. T. W. TESTERMAN	Sugar Grove	67,890
Miss ELIZABETH BURNAP	Chatham Hill	66,425
Miss JETTIE B. GRIFFITHS	Sugar Grove	66,135

ONLY VOTES ON NOMINATION ABOVE.

BANNER PERIOD OFFER COMES TO DEFINITE END SATURDAY 10TH WITH LESS VOTES NEXT WEEK

Every Indication Points to Fight to Finish as Members Marshal Forces Under Offer—"Salesmanship Club Settles Down to One of Grim Determination" in a Banner Period Offer Nears End—Rally of Subscriptions Expected.

The Banner Period EXTRA VOTE offer comes to a close Saturday night at 9 o'clock. Bring in or mail your subscriptions and votes to the Smyth County News in time to be counted in on the big vote offer.

The Banner Period EXTRA VOTE OFFER of 200,000 EXTRA VOTES on each and every \$24 worth of subscriptions turned in before 9 o'clock Saturday night is the incentive for the club members to do their very best work. Only a few hours more are left in which to work and make your efforts count so much.

Work! Work! Work!

The campaign manager's advice to Club Members and those contemplating entering is that they keep busy until the very last minute of the Big EXTRA VOTE OFFER and get just as many Extra Vote Ballots of 200,000 as they possibly can.

It is better to win by too many votes than to lose by too few. Get after all those promises and get as many in as you possibly can. REMEMBER, the best voting opportunity of the entire campaign comes to a close next Saturday at 9 P. M. "Nuff Sed."

Ambitions Stirred.

Each hour witnesses new triumphs—new ambitions stirred—and exceptional progress is being made by means of the \$24 Club offer ending Saturday night. The big offer for getting 200,000 extra votes upon \$24 subscription clubs ends Saturday night at 9 o'clock. There are only a few more hours in which to secure subscriptions and special effort will yield such great returns.

Never before has a newspaper campaign created such tremendous interest and the manner in which the members and their friends are responding is gratifying in the extreme. Thousands of people in the territory covered by the NEWS are watching every move that is being made.

Get Letters Postmarked.

All mail subscriptions bearing a post mark before 9 A. M., September 10th, will be accepted. This includes subscriptions that might be mailed in by the subscriber themselves, who wish credit to go to their favorite candidate.

Public Is Interested.

Public interest in this great campaign is shown by the number of subscriptions given the members each day and sent in to be credited to their favorites in the race. The Salesmanship Club and its energetic and ambitious members have aroused Marion and the territory of the Smyth Co. News and have shaken it to its very depths so to speak, as on every hand the salesmanship club and its elegant and costly automobiles and other valuable prizes are the chief topic of conversation on the street corner and in the homes and in every place the active members have invaded in their quest for votes and subscriptions with the result that today hardly a person can be found who has not heard of this wonderful salesmanship club race and who is not saving votes and subscriptions for their favorite in the race.

WHY THE NEWS IS LATE THIS WEEK.

We are all out of paper and are unable to print the paper until the Railroad delivers the supply that should have been here Thursday morning. The demands on our paper stock owing the Subscription Campaign have far exceeded our expectations and this is the reason of our present shortage. Do not let any one get worry because they have not received the paper—our office is worked to the limit and we are doing the best we can. Every one that has or will subscribe will receive it for the full time they subscribe for, though it may be a little late in starting.

THE SMYTH COUNTY NEWS.

Advance Fall Showing



The Showing of MODEL DRESSES

OUR NEW DRESSES AND COATS

are creations you will love, they depict new ideas that will appeal to your sense of beauty and style. The quality will appeal to your knowledge of values. You all know the efforts that we put forth to give you only the best that can be procured in our line. Our Hats have that style, color and chic that will be becoming to you, we therefore feel we can please you. Our Shoes have been selected by stylists who have made a study of footwear and understand the lines best suited to your foot and costume. The service we render is given with the understanding of "What suits you best," and we take a keen interest in your entire ensemble. We know the Dry Goods and Notions are just what you need. The Children and Baby departments are full of pretty dainty ideas. We know we are giving you the best Fall Showing ever produced by us.

The Weiler Dept. Store Co. Inc

102 Church Street House That Has Made Marion, 102 Main Street Mail Order Service Perfect. Virginia.

M. J. ANDERSON SELLS PAPERS

CHRISTIANSBURG PUBLICATIONS BOUGHT BY A. OSBORNE.

The Salem Times-Register and Sentinel have passed into the hands of new owners, it was announced Saturday. Marvin J. Anderson who bought the weekly publication six and one-half years ago has sold it to J. A. Osborne, formerly of Washington, N. C.

Following his successful operation of the Salem weekly, Mr. Anderson three years ago started the Montgomery News of Christiansburg. Since that time he has been operating these two publications, both of which have been purchased by Mr. Osborne. He has been in the newspaper business all of his life, having formerly published three newspapers in Marion.

Since his purchase of the Salem paper, Mr. Anderson has about tripled the value of the plant. He has been identified with the civic life of Salem and has been boosting every endeavor of the town in an effort to produce growth and enterprise. He was one of the charter members of the Kiwanis Club of that city and has since been actively identified with the organization.

There are now ten employees of the Salem paper which is well equipped for its business. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, both from Marion, are going back to their home town until he turns to some new field of work.

The new owner is a veteran newspaper man, having been in this work for forty years. He is assisted in his business by an enterprising young daughter, Miss Marguerite Osborne, who is his business manager. Miss Osborne will come to Salem in this capacity. Mr. Osborne has already arrived in Salem and will bring his family there the later part of this month.

This veteran editor was editor and manager of the Suffolk Herald, of Suffolk, for several years before assuming charge of the Washington Daily News, Washington, N. C. He then moved to Umatilla, Fla., where he purchased and edited the Tribune which paper he still owns.—Roanoke Times.

Miss Ethel Roberts, of Camp, Mrs. M. W. Fisher, of Rural Retreat, little Billy Hicks, of Atkins, Miss Leslie Parks, of Flat Ridge, and Mr. James Sims, of Marion, had tonsil operations here last week.

NURSES HOLD BANQUET

SOUTHWEST VIRGINIA DISTRICT NURSES ASSOCIATION MET AT GENERAL FRANCIS MARION HOTEL.

A meeting of the Southwest Virginia State District Nurses Association was held Saturday at the Gen. Francis Marion Hotel. The nurses of Southwest Virginia were hostesses, inviting all the nurses of the state and local physicians and their wives.

The meeting was well attended, nurses from all over the state being present. Miss Mariam Dalley, superintendent of Ben Johnson Memorial Hospital, Richmond, presided. Minutes were read by the secretary, Miss Rose Turner, of Saltville.

Officers were elected for the coming year, business was discussed and many plans were made, and several new members were admitted.

Miss Mary Baugman, of Bristol, was elected president; Miss Bertha Rector, of Abingdon, vice-president; Miss Rose Turner, of Saltville, secretary and treasurer; Miss Roberta Killinger was chairman of the entertainment committee, assisted by Miss Stinson and Miss Ada Farris.

After the business meeting the guests adjourned to the banquet hall where a delicious luncheon was served. Covers were laid for 60 guests. The room was lovely with its soft glow of candles and exquisite cut flowers. Miss Dalley gracefully presided as hostess, with a hearty welcome, which was responded to by Miss Henrietta Brogdon, of King College, offering a toast to the retiring president.

Mrs. John P. Buchanan rendered several selections on the piano in her usual and charming manner. Mrs. G. G. Killinger sang two selections. Mrs. Robert Angel, of Roanoke, gave two violin solos.

A great deal of fun was occasioned by fake telegrams from prominent celebrities of the country.

Dr. Mary Brydon, of Richmond, who has charge of the child's welfare work of the state, made a helpful address on the importance of all nurses attending an institution for a six-weeks course of instruction for efficient work in obstetric cases and stressed the spiritual side of nursing.

This meeting was voted to be one of the most helpful and enjoyable meetings of the kind ever held in Southwest Virginia, and all present gave hearty thanks to the members who made it such a success.

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Matinee Tuesday 2:30 P. M.

Evening Show at 7:30 P. M.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Prof. and Mrs. C. B. Conley, who have been visiting Mrs. Conley's parents, Mr. T. H. Rider, left for Florida last Friday. They were accompanied by Mrs. James Tilson, Lynn Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Rider.

Mrs. J. Roy Sale and son James Robert, Jr., of Roanoke, who have been visiting Mrs. W. J. Sale, and friends, returned home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Watterson were called to Portsmouth on account of the death of their brother-in-law, Mr. Ossie Paul.

Miss Creola Hall has returned from Bluefield, where she has been spending the past month visiting.

Mrs. Florence Snider and daughter Fay, of Blacksburg, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rector.

Mr. John J. Tilson, who was taken sudden ill last Saturday at his home on Spring street, is reported better at this time, and his many friends all hope for him a speedy recovery.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wolford during the Fair were Mr. and Mrs. Wilson VanNess, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wolford, of Binghampton, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Neal McAlesby, of Roanoke, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Schuler of Princeton, W. Va., Mr. Wiley Cullop of Corinne, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Waddell and family of Pulaski, Mr. Robert Wolford of Pulaski, Mr. H. W. Umberger of Wytheville, Miss Pauline Wolford of Marion, and Mr. Robert Lindsey.

Mr. W. J. Legard, of Bristol, was in Marion last week attending the Smyth County Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. John Buford and daughter, of Pulaski, were visitors here last Wednesday.

Mr. C. V. Tilson and son Charles of Lincolnton, N. C., paid a brief visit to home folks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tilson and family who spent last week at the home of Mr. J. J. Tilson, left for their home in W. Va., last Sunday morning.

Ex-Gov. E. Lee Trinkle, of Roanoke, attended the Fair last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poston and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Poston and family of Priceton, W. Va., were the week-end guests of Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Poston.

Mrs. D. H. Mitchell, who has been in Abingdon hospital, has returned home much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Scott and daughter Miss Marie, of Bristol, attended the Fair here last week.

Mr. S. M. Cornette, of Roanoke, was a visitor here last week.

We are glad to note that Mrs. R. A. Anderson is improving after being on the sick list.

Mr. John R. George, of Saltville, was a visitor to Smyth County Fair last Wednesday.

We are glad to note that Mr. W. A. Tarter, who has been on the sick list for some months, is doing nicely and able to be up.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul St. Clair, of Roderfield, W. Va., spent the week-end here. They returned Sunday accompanied by her grandmother Mrs. L. L. Neikirk.

Mr. A. Glen Tilson stopped over for a short visit with his father, Mr. J. J. Tilson, last Sunday.

Mr. A. W. Francis, who attended school at the University of Virginia, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Francis.

Mrs. H. W. Payne, of W. Va., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. V. Birchfield.

Mrs. Thomas, of Idaho, will open a kindergarten on Monday, Sept. 12, in the Atkins property on Main St., now owned by Mr. C. C. Lincoln, Sr.

Mr. C. B. Bryant, who has been taking hay fever treatment down at Norfolk for the past several weeks, was at home Sunday and Monday, returning to the seashore again Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Felty, of Roanoke, are the guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Felty, on Hospital Hill.

Mr. Earl Tilson, who is employed in Man, W. Va., spent last week here with home folks.

Mr. H. B. Hash, of Roanoke, was a business visitor here last week.

Mrs. L. H. Houze, of Greensboro, N. C., has been visiting friends in Marion, and also her sister Mrs. John M. Preston, Jr., near Seven Mile Ford.

Mr. Vint Tilson and son Vint, Jr., who spent last week here visiting relatives and attending Smyth Co. Fair, returned to their home in Lincolnton, N. C., last Friday.

We are sorry to note that Mr. Elden Prater's condition continues serious at his home here.

Miss Helen Wassum, of Abingdon hospital, accompanied by her friend Miss Elizabeth Bethea, are spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wassum.

BEST FAIR EVER HELD

ATTENDANCE GOOD AS EVER—THE EXHIBITS WHILE NOT AS FULL AS SOME YEARS WERE GOOD—AND THE ORDER WAS PERFECT.

The Smyth County Fair for 1927 is now a thing of the past and it was an event that the people of the County and the Fair Association have every reason to feel proud of. To put the whole matter in a nutshell it was a Good Fair. While in some of the departments the exhibits were not full, as for example the wheat exhibit, still taking it as a whole the exhibits were fine.

Now for instance the exhibits of live stock were especially good and were abundant; the hog exhibit, the baby beef, the cattle, were all very abundant and good.

The races this year are especially worthy of mention and were much better and larger than any year for the past few years, and there were good saddle and harness races. This was a feature that was very interesting and drew large crowds to the grand stand each day.

The Johnny Jones Shows for the midway were all that they were advertised, and were good clean shows, with plenty of rides for the children as well as amusements for the grown folks; the order that was maintained by the show people was especially commendable, and nothing like a rough-house was to be seen at any time. At night the fire-works exhibit was one of the big features of the show, they were changed each night, and were both original and striking.

Taking all of the Fair in each and every particular it was a success, and the management of the Association are to be congratulated on its completeness. As usual the ladies and gentlemen that had the Fair in charge labored hard, for it is a big piece of work to make all the arrangements for a big event like this and to get all of the different parts working smoothly, but we think that we are fully justified in the statement that there was not a hitch in the entire arrangement, and that the 1927 Smyth County Fair was not only one of the best ever held, but also that it was a financial success. We extend our congratulations to the management for the success of the event.

SCHOOLS OPEN SEPT. 12TH

WILL OPEN WITH A FULL CORP OF TEACHERS AND PROSPECT OF A SUCCESSFUL SESSION.

The public schools of Smyth Co. will be opened for the coming session on Monday, September 12th; the opening will be preceded by the meeting of all the teachers Friday morning at 9:30 in the Marion Grammar School building. Professor B. E. Copenhaver, superintendent of the County Schools, is putting forth a special effort this session to make this meeting mean a great deal as aid to the teachers in starting the session. Several prominent speakers including Dr. James N. Hillman, President of Emory and Henry College, Honorable Harris Hart, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and Dr. J. P. McConnell, President of Radford State Teachers' College, are expected to be present for the meeting Friday. At the conclusion of the meeting the Smyth County Teachers' Association will be re-organized for the session and will hold a business meeting after which the teachers in the County schools will be given their supplies including report blanks and general school supplies. This is one of the most important meetings of the year as it is at this meeting that the policies of the schools for the session are presented and discussed.

The Marion High and Grammar Schools will open Monday for the session. The Marion High school will open Monday morning at nine o'clock, and the Marion Grammar school will open Monday afternoon at one o'clock. This arrangement had to be made to avoid conflicts with other meetings which are scheduled for this date. The Marion schools are starting this year with the same faculties as last year with the exception of one teacher in the Grammar school and one in the High School, these changes were occasioned by resignation of two of the teachers of the staff for last year.

Mrs. H. B. Staley was called to Atlanta, Ga., last Friday on account of the death of her sister, Mrs. Adams. She was accompanied by her son Boyd and daughters Miss Nell Staley and Mrs. L. P. Collins.

Tobacco Versus Health

H. N. SISCO, M. D.

(By request.)

All smoke is a vital irritant. Witness how it causes inflammation and pain to the eyes. Witness, also, the abnormally red and congested throat seen in some smokers, and the dry cough found in others. Studies in the American Expeditionary Forces show that excessive smoking is one of the causes of Vincent's angina, an ulcerated and very painful condition of the throat.

Probably the most vicious feature of the habit of smoking is the practice of inhaling the smoke. If smoke will irritate the eye and the throat, it will also irritate the delicate lining of the lungs. And these organs, habitually irritated, are thus made less resistant, and are that much the easier prey to respiratory diseases; a cold settles more readily on the chest; bronchitis is more apt to be established and it is probable that in an epidemic of influenza, heavy smoking is a factor favoring the more frequent occurrence of the respiratory type of the disease, and increasing its disastrous results. It was found that only about 27 per cent of non-smokers among the young men entering the military service in the recent war, showed "rhonchi" (signs of congestion in the lungs), while nearly 100 per cent of the smokers showed the same signs. It is likely that such a condition would tend to stir into activity any latent tuberculosis that might be present.

The factor of irritation is by no means the only one. Besides nicotine, tobacco contains carbon-dioxide, ammonium, cyanide, pyridine, acrolin and other substances in small quantities but very toxic. Carbon monoxide, a deadly poison, also occupies a very prominent place. Suicide is often committed by breathing this poison. A small fraction of one per cent is distinctly hurtful to the animal body if inhaled, and apartments dense with tobacco smoke often reach this per cent. The inhaler of cigarette smoke, however, does not breathe merely this diluted smoke, but the actual smoke of the tobacco. By this act he gets, at full strength, all toxic substances of the smoke. Carbon monoxide is known in particular to enter the blood and render useless the red cells. As a result the blood has less capacity to carry oxygen. This gas also tends to deaden the white cells and render them less effective as defenders of the body.

It is then, unconsciously, none the less surely poisoning himself—not enough to kill, but sufficiently to materially lessen his vitality, and render him the more ready victim, not only of some respiratory disease, but also to cause him to be more readily overcome by any other disease that may attack him. It is no wonder that the appetite of the smoker often fails, that his digestion suffers, that his heart palpitates or becomes irregular; that he becomes nervous, irritable, and forgetful, and oftentimes dull mentally; and that in excessive smokers the eye-sight some times fails. Such a person is suffering from chronic nicotine poisoning.

Moreover, many men keep on inhaling after their cigars are burned out. That is, they remain for hours in offices and apartments where tobacco has been smoked and where the smoke is at times very dense. They inhale this smoke with every breath, and in reality smoke their cigars several times over. Neither does the evil stop with him who smokes. For often those who do not smoke—men, women and children, must breathe and rebreathe these noxious gases and substances. That is the reason we find the condition called nicotineism even among those who do not smoke at all.

The use of tobacco is doubly dangerous because its results are so insidious. They appear only after a long period of time. They then creep on slowly, and are attributed to some other cause. It is unfortunate, also, that the chief inroads of tobacco are on the younger men. Before full maturity of body and mind are attained the effects are much more marked than on the more resistant adult tissues. Again some individuals are much more susceptible to a given amount of tobacco than others, and it is impossible to tell beforehand if a given individual will fall within this class.

The use of tobacco is greatly on the increase. Its use is vicious. It has become one of the social evils of the day. It must be eradicated. A wise campaign of education will do much toward this end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Braddock, of Bristol, Tenn., spent several days of last week in Marion, taking in the Smyth County Fair and visiting with relatives.

ADDITION TO NEW HOTEL

INCREASING DEMANDS ON THE GENERAL FRANCIS MARION HOTEL REQUIRES MORE ROOM

Since the opening of the new General Francis Marion Hotel, in May, business has been so gratifying that the owners have often thought of increasing the Hotel facilities. During the past month, however, the demand for rooms has been so great and after seeing on many evenings as many as fifty guests turned away from the Hotel due to the lack of rooms, the architects were at last called in.

Last week plans were received calling for a five-story addition to the present building. This addition will be of the same modern construction, thoroughly fire-proof throughout and will contain thirty-six rooms all with private baths.

The first two stories of this addition will house what is planned to be Southwestern Virginia's most modern Theatre. This Theatre will be built according to the most modern trends, and to seat six hundred people. One of its attractive features will be a large pipe organ.

It is easy to see the great interest being shown by the people of the outside world in Southwestern Virginia, since the establishment of this Hotel. Its patronage is indeed cosmopolitan, and the increasing tourist traffic is an ever growing indication that the eyes of the outside world are becoming focused on our section.

Must Wear Skirts 4 Inches Below Knee.

Young women enrolled at Emmanuel Missionary College, a Seventh-Day Adventist institution at Berrien Springs, Mich., must wear skirts at least four inches below the knee.

In promulgating this edict, the authorities commend to the girl students the advice of Peter to the young ladies of the early church that their adorning be "not that of putting on of apparel," but the adorning of "the hidden man of the heart, even the ornament of a meek and quiet spirit."

The Rev. William Guthrie, president of the college, decried the present fashions as "reaching beyond the point of modesty, and making noble and pure and upright young women and girls appear immodest, contrary to their intention."

For Sale.

Cemetery Lot near entrance in the Marion cemetery. If interested see J. PAUL CAMPBELL, n-4t-july-28 Abingdon, Va.

Members Wanted.

Prof. F. C. Sanchez is organizing a Boy Scout Band and Symphony Orchestra. Parents interested in their boys becoming members of this Band write, see or phone Prof. F. C. Sanchez, 421 E. Main St., Marion, Va. Phone 78. aug 18-4t

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FOR SUPERVISOR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for SUPERVISOR in the Marion District, and if elected I pledge my best service to all.

Very truly,
JOS. U. WOLFE.

FOR SUPERVISOR.

I hereby announce myself as an independent candidate for SUPERVISOR of Marion District, subject to the will of the voters.

Yours truly,
J. R. SNAVELY.
n-d-to nov 7*

For Treasurer. To the Voters of Smyth County:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of TREASURER of Smyth County, election to be held November 8, 1927. I have had the experience of Deputy Treasurer of our county for eight year, consequently you know the service I rendered in this capacity. If elected I promise one and all real service and courteous treatment. Assuring you that your vote and influence will be thoroughly appreciated, I am,

Yours very truly,
G. H. WHEELER.

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PERSONAL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Aker, of Hemphill, W. Va., were here last week to attend the Fair.

Mr. Dick Groseclose, of Pulaski, spent last week here.

Mr. Walter Tilson, of W. Va., was a visitor here last week.

Miss Lois Killinger, who spent the summer at her home left Sunday night on No. 30 for Monessen, Pa., where she will resume work as vocational teacher in the High School at that place.

A called meeting of Holston Chapter U. D. C. is called for Friday night at 7:30 P. M., at the residence of Mrs. R. G. Goolsby. Important business, and a full attendance of the members is requested.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Schaffner and children of Roanoke, were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Maxwell.

Messrs. L. M. Latane, of the Department of French in B. P. I., and Mr. E. H. Perrell who is a student of the University of Maryland, left Thursday, after spending a few days in Marion as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. D. Moncure.

The Marion Book Club held its regular monthly meeting Monday afternoon in the home of Miss Grace Buchanan.

Mr. Charles Moss, of Tazewell, and Mr. Charles Buchanan, were in Marion for the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Peery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox left Sunday for their home in Belton, S. C., after spending the past week in Marion as guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Peery, parents of Mrs. Cox.

Mrs. Mollie Cottle, of Chicago, and Miss Mary Dowler, of Chattanooga, were guests in Marion for the past week as guests of Professor and Mrs. B. E. Copenhaver.

Mr. Frederick Painter left Saturday for Shenandoah, after spending some time in Marion with his parents.

Rt. Rev. R. C. Jett left Monday for Norton, after conducting the confirmation and communion service in Marion Sunday morning, and the evening service in Saltville Sunday night.

Mr. A. S. Greever, superintendent of schools of Tazewell county, and daughter Eleanor, were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Copenhaver for a few days last week.

Mrs. Arthur L. Cox and children who have been spending a week with the family of Mr. E. P. Cox in Lynchburg, returned home Sunday.

Mr. E. L. Totten has returned to his home at Beaumont, Texas, after spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Totten and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, of Memphis, Tenn., and Mrs. George Thompson, of Millidgeville, Georgia, arrived in Marion Monday, and will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Allen and Miss Grace Buchanan.

Card of Thanks.

The Harris family, (colored) wish to extend thanks for the many courtesies shown them during the sickness and death of their mother.

For Sale.

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 - One 50c. bottle Eardui Court Perfume Free
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OPPOSITE COURT HOUSE.

Peery-Killinger.

On Tuesday evening, August 30, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Peery, of Marion, entertained at a beautifully appointed dinner party complimentary to their daughter, Rosalind, whose marriage to Mr. Fred Killinger, of Attoway, was solemnized on Wednesday, August 31. The handsome home presented a picture of unusual beauty. The large dining room was decorated in green and white, a soft glow from white candles burning in crystal candleabra, made a lovely setting for the family group who were seated around an exquisitely appointed table. The group included Miss Rosalind Peery, Mr. Fred Killinger, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Cox, Miss Lois Killinger, Mr. Ralph Killinger, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Peery.

After an elegant five-course menu was served, the beautiful wedding cake was cut.

The dainty little bride-to-be was seated next to her sister, Mrs. Charles M. Cox, of Belton, S. C., a recent bride. Both sisters are the lovely young daughters of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Peery and are great favorites in Marion.

On Wednesday morning the Rev. F. B. Shelton, of Marion, the bride's pastor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Cox, of Belton, S. C., and Mrs. J. B. Peery, of Marion, accompanied the bride and groom to Bristol, where they were married at the home of Mr. A. S. Kelly, an uncle of the groom, by the Rev. F. B. Shelton. Immediately after the marriage ceremony the happy young couple left for Blowing Rock, N. C., and other points of interest.

Mr. Killinger is the young son of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Killinger, of Attoway, whose business interests are located in Marion. Mr. and Mrs. Killinger will reside in Marion.

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Epworth League Meets at Mt. Carmel.

Smyth County Epworth League will hold its regular monthly meeting at Mt. Carmel Church Friday, September 9th, 7:30 P. M.

Sugar Grove Chapter will render the program, which will be followed by a short business session and Mt. Carmel chapter will provide for the social hour. We anticipate a very profitable and pleasant evening and urge all members to be present.

This is a shifting time for young people incident to opening of school and let us make our League meetings very attractive for all who are coming into our communities.

A. P. HARMAN,
President.

Death of Kyle Callan.

Kyle Callan was born in Cygnet, Ohio, Feb. 5, 1891. He died Sept. 1st, 1927.

He was married to Miss Mary Atkins on June 2, 1926. To this union was born one son, Kyle William. In addition to this child and its widowed mother there remains to mourn his death, his mother Mrs. Lucretia Callan, one brother Burl Callan and one sister, Mrs. Booth Hack, all of Cygnet, O.

Mr. Callan volunteered to serve his country early in the great World War struggle, and was permanently injured in the service. An escort of comrades from the local Post of the American Legion served as pallbearers, and the Legion Post administered their funeral rites at the grave under the direction of their chaplain.

The funeral services were conducted from the home by Rev. F. D. Shelton, of the Methodist church and Rev. G. A. Wilson of the Presbyterian church.

Boy Burned to Death.

Ralph Carrico, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Carrico living on Lincoln Hill, died Monday, from the effect of burns. It seems that the boy, who was about sixteen years of age, had gone out to the grounds where the fireworks had been set off during the Fair, and there found an unexploded bomb. This he cut in half putting one part into his pocket, and set fire to the other half. When this ignited the half in his pocket exploded setting his clothes on fire, and he was so badly burned that he died Monday afternoon. It was a terrible accident and his parents have the sympathy of the community.

COME!

Friday, the 9th, is the first meeting of the new W. C. T. U. year. The new officers will take charge of the work. Why not pay dues at this meeting and not wait till the end of the year 1928? We as officers of the W. C. T. U. urge you to pay now as this will greatly aid the Treasurer. The meeting will be at 8 o'clock in the Bank of Marion building.

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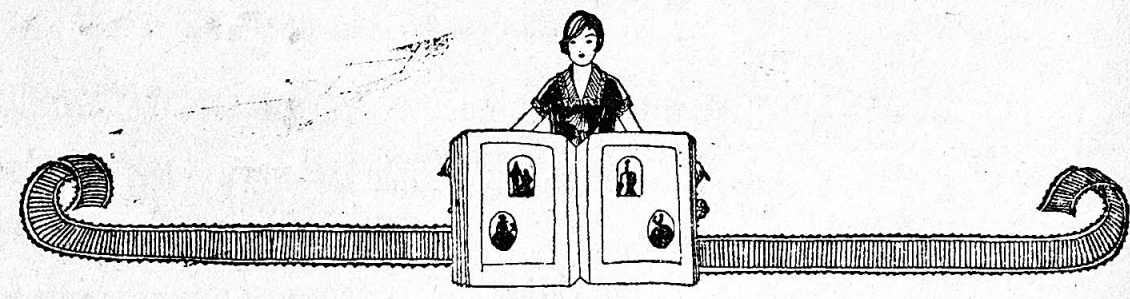
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MANGANESE ESSENTIAL IN PEACE AND WAR.

VALUABLE DEPOSITS BEING DEVELOPED IN TWENTY-FOUR STATES—INDUSTRY IN ITS INFANCY.

By W. B. ALLEN.

(Recognizing the fact that Smyth and adjoining counties have great deposits of high grade manganese ores I request you to re-produce this article in both of your publications for the benefit of our people.

J. D. PERKINS,

Member of the American Manganese Producers Association and Director of Smyth County Publicity Bureau.

Ordinarily the laymen does not comprehend the relationship of manganese to his country's prosperity in times of peace and its absolute necessity in a period of war, for it is not only essential in the production of steel, but it is likewise indispensable in the manufacture of war materials.

Prior to the World War the United States was dependent for the bulk of its supply of manganese upon European producers, and the cutting off of this source of supply incident to the entanglement of nations, gave impetus to the movement to develop the manganese resources of the United States.

True, there had been in the ante-war period a limited amount of manganese produced in several states, but this production only totaled 2635 tons in 1914. Four years later, however, when the foreign supply was almost cut off, the production of domestic mines reached 305,869 tons and it was realized that, with proper encouragement the deposits of manganese in the United States could be developed to an extent which would relieve American industries from their dependency on foreign supply.

ESTIMATED RESERVES.

In various sections of the United States surveys were made in an effort to estimate the manganese reserves and capital became interested in minor developments. In the absence of a definite understanding as to the extent of these reserves there was necessarily a timidity on the part of capitalists and this timidity existed until it was shown that the reserves indicated approximately 40,000,000 tons of five to thirty-five per cent ore with extensive quantities of high grade ore, running above 35 per cent in metallic manganese in its natural state.

However, it was appreciated that the development of these reserves would be possible only if Congress would give such protection to the industry as to enable it to compete in domestic markets with foreign ores, and a concerted movement was made by manganese producers to enlighten the lawmakers as to the possibilities of manganese production. So impressed was Congress with these possibilities that in the Tariff Act of 1922 a duty of one cent per pound on the manganese content of manganese ore, or concentrates in excess of 30 per cent metallic manganese was embodied in the act. This meant a tariff of \$10.20 per ton on 50 per cent ore, or only sixteen cents a ton cost in the manufacture of steel.

DEVELOPMENT INCREASES.

Following the enactment of this protective measure manganese development began on a scale which bids fair to making it one of the primary mining industries in the United States, employing millions of capital and thousands of men and adding untold wealth to a large number of States, unless the industry is crippled or killed by adverse legislation, or a repeal of the comparatively small protective measure which has been an incentive to manganese development.

In the post war period a group of American capitalists secured concessions from the Russian government for the mining and marketing of Russian ores, and this group realizing that domestic development would restrict foreign demand inaugurated a movement for the repealing of the present tariff, using propaganda at variance with the facts and discounting the estimated reserve of domestic manganese to further their interests in the foreign supply.

STATEMENTS UNFAIR.

So palpably unfair were some of the statements made in furtherance of this propaganda that the American manganese producers realized that a co-operative effort was necessary to combat the distorted claims of the foreign concessionaires, and give the American people a fair and unbiased statement of the manganese industry, that "the American Manganese Producers Association" was organized in Washington, D. C., on August 2 with J. Carson Adkerson of Woodstock, Va., a nationally known mining engineers and a pioneer in manganese development in Virginia as president.

Mr. Adkerson is general manager of the Hy-Grade Manganese Company of Woodstock, which will soon be producing 300,000 tons yearly of ore running above 45 per cent manganese. The election of Mr. Adkerson as president was a recognition of his untiring efforts in bringing about the present protective duty on American ores and the successful termination of his efforts to organize the manganese producers of America.

MANY STATES ON BOARD.

Richard H. Brown, president of the Manhattan Electrical Supply Company of New York, is chairman of the board of directors of the Association; John H. Cole, president Manganese Development Company, Anaconda, Montana, first vice-president; Albert J. Seligman, president of the Butte (Montana) Copper and Zinc Company, treasurer, and H. A. Pumpelly of the Domestic Manganese and Development Company of New York, secretary. The board of directors includes manganese operators from the States of Utah, Virginia, Washington, Montana, West Virginia, Minnesota, Georgia, Arkansas, California and Alaba-

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ma, the directorate indicating the area in which manganese is now being mined in commercial quantities.

ORGANIZATION TO AID.

There is nothing antagonistic in the organization in its attitude towards related industries and the primary purpose of the Association is to stress the vital importance of manganese in the economic life of the nation and to bring to the minds of the American people the necessity for fostering its development to the end that the United States will, in time of peace and in the exigencies of war, have a supply of this metal adequate for its needs and sufficient for emergencies without the hazards which dependency on foreign production necessarily incur.

The Association will co-operate with federal and state officials in every effort to ascertain the extent of manganese deposits in America, and lend its aid in the development of the industry. The ramifications of manganese development and their bearing on national life were indicated at the Washington meeting by the attendance of representatives from the United States Bureau of Mines, United States Geological Survey, United States Tariff Commission, great railroad systems and the Department of War in addition to mineralogists and geologists of international repute.

Mrs. Mary E. Wingo.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Wingo died at her home on Church Street, in Marion, on August 23d. She had been gravely ill almost a year.

Mrs. Wingo was born in Tazewell county, on July 4, 1866, and was 61 years, one month and 19 days old at the time of her death. She had been twice married; her first husband being Jerome Hall, of Tazewell county. There were two children by this marriage; Samuel who died in 1912, and Ora, now Mrs. O. D. Baker, of Bartley, W. Va. Her second marriage was to James Wingo, of Richlands, Va. A son, Mack, was born to this union. He is a resident of Marion.

Mrs. Wingo had for thirty years been a member of the Baptist church. About a year ago she had her membership transferred to the Marion Baptist church, and the funeral services were conducted at her home by the Rev. U. A. Mamsey, of Chilhewie, in the absence of her pastor, Rev. H. K. Williams, who was out of town at the time of her death. The interment was in Round Hill cemetery.

The Motorcade.

A motorcade of 63 cars passed through Marion about eleven o'clock Wednesday, on its way to Montreal, Canada. It is under the auspices of the Atlanta Journal, but contains quite a number of distinguished and prominent people. As one tourist said "we are out for a good time and are sure having it." After stopping here for soft drinks, it wended its way to East Radford, where lunch was served on the grounds of the State Teachers College. The night was spent in Roanoke, where several entertainments were given and many speeches made. It was said that a slight accident took place a few miles east of Marion, where two of the cars were side-wipped by a passing tourist, but beyond slight damage to the cars no injury was done.

Miss Mildred Copenhagen has returned to her home at Holston Mills, after spending the summer in Washington, New York, Stonington, Conn., and other points North.

IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA, AT LYNCHBURG, ON THE 16th DAY OF AUGUST, 1927.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Plaintiff.
VS
No. 798 at Law.
T. A. WINDLE, and others Defendants.

The object of this suit is for the United States of America to acquire by condemnation, in pursuance of an Act of Congress, approved March 1st, 1911, (36 Stat. 961), known as the "Weeks Act", for the purposes of said Act, the following tracts of land which are respectively owned, are situated in the respective counties and have the respective acreages, as follows:

Table with columns: OWNERS, COUNTY, ACREAGE. Includes entries for T. A. Windle et al., R. L. Killinger et al., Thomas Keith et al., and Andrew Jackson.

And an affidavit having been filed that: (NON-RESIDENTS)

the defendants T. A. Windle, D. V. Windle, his wife, William E. Milne, Trustee, Samuel V. Hayden, Trustee, Leonidas D. Yarrell, Trustee, Edward M. Sheldon, Alexander Patton Cray, William Gorton Cray, Jane McNaughton, Clayton Archibald McNaughton, Albertina L. Coe, George M. Coe, Etta L. Coe, his wife, Charlotte A. Coe, John W. Coe, Jr., Rosa Coe, his wife, Emma M. Bennett, Franklin W. Bennett, Linda L. Johnson McKelvy, Johnson McKelvy, her husband, Edward Ronan, John Ronan, Fred B. Cutler, Etta B. Bush, Adele Julierat, Myra Marshall, Susan V. Noble, Blanch U. Bronson, Katie Smith, Glenwood Cemetery, a body corporate, A. Clary Bennett, Willard H. Bennett, Yale University, a body corporate, Frick Company, The New York Trust Company, The Manhattan Trust Company, George A. Richardson, Richardson, his wife, Nora B. Huffard, John B. Huffard, her husband, are not residents of this State;

(RESIDENCE UNKNOWN)

that due diligence has been used on behalf of the plaintiff, without effect, to ascertain in what County the following defendants are: The following persons, if living, or if dead, their unknown heirs at law and devisees, whose names and residences are unknown, and who are proceeded against as unknown parties. Martin Dickinson, M. Dickinson, Duncan McLaughlin, David Patterson, William P. Kayden, William T. Toller, F. W. Cushing, Trustee, Geddes H. Winston, Trustee, Franklin C. Baggerly, Trustee, Burke Robert Byrd, Washington Martin, Andrew Porter, Thomas Sanders, Isaac Guidson, Jasper Cornett, Michael Schuler, Hiram Lanter, Francis Cornett, John A. Sanders, H. H. Byrd, Geo. C. Sanders, Harold Smith, Wm. P. Floyd, Richard T. Matthews, Samuel McCormant, Robert Crockett, John Rhudy, Granville H. Rhudy, Michael Schuler, Jesse Cornett, John Cornett, Sylvester Stranger, Thomas Sanders, James N. Matthews, Isaac Guison, Robert Vaughan, Isaac Garrison, Thomas Casey, Patrick Casey, William Casey, Robert Gibboney, John McTeer, Frances S. Piper, Marion Schorn, Jacob M. Harrell, James Ward, Charles A. Bowyer, Andrew F. Gregory, Samuel G. Bradley, John Cornett, John Comer, Jeremiah Stone, Martin Dickinson, Moses Rowark, Bob Moore, Celia Whitman, John Whitman, Bessie Cox, Cox, her husband, Virginia Delp, Delp, her husband, Edgar S. Ward, Lena Woodward Ward, his wife, William Terry, William Andis, E. H. Levisy, George K. Porter, Robert Sayers, Sam'l R. Sayers, Nicholas P. Oglesby, James S. Crockett, Mitchell B. Tate, Jerry K. Gilmer, Steven Porter, J. A. Rhudy, Charles Delp, H. L. Bower, Samuel Sutherland, F. A. Cornett, W. A. Cornett, Wm. M. Mitchell, E. Keisling, John Bennington, Henry Shupe, Parmelia Wright, Chesley Ward, David Rosenbaum, John S. Groseclose, Hanson James, William Andrews, William Lanter, Melville Hale, John Hale, William Marshall, Joseph K. Parks, David McComas, L. R. Cabell, George H. Everdale, John Cornett, Sr., Elizabeth V. Horne, Wm. R. B. Horne, David Horne, William Jones, James Piper, Ben Rush Floyd, Isaiah Paxton, J. Adams Sanders, M. B. Sanders, Emaline Jenkins, John W. Robinson, Wm. C. Annon, R. G. Baker, D. E. James, Jesse Cornett, Edward Shelby, John Ireland, Thomas W. Phylbus, Isaac Newhouse, Soupe, Jacob Kimberland, William Love, John Harmon, William Burch, John Fielder, Dennis Fielder, Foute, J. Randal Williams, Granville H. Matthews, John R. Robertson, James Swann, John Freeman Schermerhorn, Count of Roderi, Mr. Henry Le Marcier, Mr. Francis Walderman, Charles Frederick Albert Schott, Jean Mathias Guerting, Francis Joseph Peerot, Charles William Juste Jerome, Lewis Phillibert Brun D'Amignoe, David Cooper Swan, Harrison T. Groom, Warren Hussey, Elizabeth Hussey, Wilburn Casey,

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Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 A. M.
Afternoon Service at Glade Spring at 4:00 P. M.
Evening Service at Saltville at 8:00 P. M.

Card of Thanks.
I wish to assure all the people who were so kind to my mother and me during her recent illness and subsequent death, that I am very grateful for their kindnesses and that the many floral offerings were much appreciated. May God's blessings be with you.
MACK WINGO.

Classified Advertisements.

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Miss Ruth Neikirk will re-open her Piano Studio on Monday, Sept. 12. Those who have not registered please do so as early as possible.
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Preaching by the Pastor.
Let all the members get ready for our Revival, which will begin Sunday, October 9th. Dr. John L. Slaughter, of Richmond, Va., will assist the Pastor.
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(UNKNOWN DEFENDANTS)
and that there are or may be persons interested in the aforesaid tracts of land whose names are unknown, and who are made defendants by the general description of "Unknown Parties".
It is therefore ordered that all of the above mentioned defendants and the "Unknown Parties" hereinbefore mentioned are hereby notified of the intention of the United States of America, by its Attorney, which is authorized by statute in such cases made and provided to condemn land for its uses, to apply and that it will apply on the 21st day of OCTOBER, 1927, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., to the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Virginia, at Lynchburg, at the office of Honorable Henry C. McDowell in said Western District of Virginia, for the appointment of commissioners to ascertain what will be just compensation for the fee simple of the tracts of land hereinbefore mentioned, which are proposed to be condemned for the uses of the said United States, and to award the damages, if any, resulting to the adjacent or other property of the owner, or to the property of any other person, beyond the peculiar benefits that will accrue to said properties, respectively, from the acquisition of the said lands by the United States, and converting it to its uses. The ownership, location and description of the said land and property which is proposed to be condemned and the particular nature of the purposes for which said land is to be acquired, will fully appear by reference to the petition, and exhibits filed therewith, which were filed in the Clerk's Office of the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Virginia, at Lynchburg, Virginia, on the 14th day of December, 1926, and the said defendants and "Unknown Parties" are required to appear within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect their interests.
It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Southwest Virginia Enterprise, a newspaper published in the County of Wythe, Virginia; that a copy hereof be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Smyth County News, a newspaper published in the County of Smyth, Virginia; and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Federal Building at Lynchburg, Virginia; and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of Wythe County, Virginia; and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of Smyth County, Virginia.
Witness my hand, at office, at Lynchburg, Virginia, and the seal of our said Court, this 16th day of August, 1927.
L. T. HYATT,
Clerk, United States District Court for the Western District of Virginia.
By LOUIS H. PRICE, Deputy Clerk.
A COPY: TESTE:
LOUIS H. PRICE, Deputy Clerk.
J. C. SHAFFER,
United States Attorney for the Western District of Virginia.
and
R. O. CROCKETT,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General of the United States,
for Petitioner.
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VIRGINIA:
In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Smyth County, on the 7th day of September, 1927.
Fannie E. Perry Plaintiff
against
Lester Perry Defendant
IN CHANCERY.
The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa on the grounds of desertion, alimony and attorney's fees.
And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Lester Perry not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear within 15 days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further order that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Smyth County News, a newspaper published in the County of Smyth, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court house of this County on or before the 19th day of September, 1927, that being the next succeeding Rule day after this order was entered.
A copy—Teste:
H. L. KENT, Clerk.
John P. Buchanan, p q
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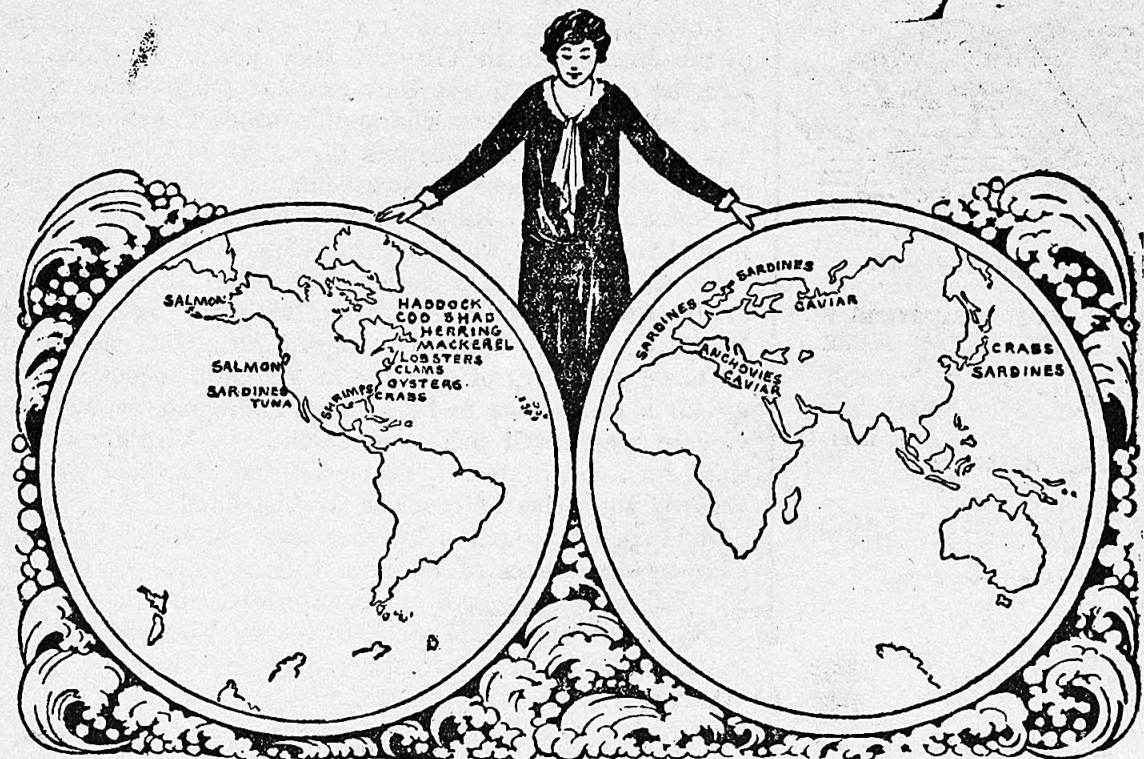


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Some Fish Geography



AFTER Nicholas Appert's invention of canning saved sailors from the scourge of scurvy by providing them with garden foods and fresh meats, the sea returned the compliment by sending deep-sea dainties to people who live far inland. Today there are thirty-five varieties of fish products canned, and the housewife finds at least as many more ways of using them.

People of every race live in the United States, and they have brought their liking for their native foods with them. Consequently we have "finnan haddie," French Caviar, sardines, and anchovies from the Mediterranean chiefly as appetizers in various recipes for hors d'oeuvres. But much of the fish labelled "imported" comes from under the jurisdiction of Canada, with which country the United States has a friendly agreement about fisheries. Canned haddock, cod, herring, mackerel, sardines, shad, and shell fish are largely east coast industries; salmon and tuna fish are canned chiefly on the west coast.

In all fish lore the sardine has the most curious history. Guiglio Trentino, an Italian, began preserving pilchard minnows on the island of Sardinia about 1850. He called them "sardines." France, Spain and Italy began to put up these minnows too, and small sprats as well. In Norway they can mussa and sild fish and call them sardines. In Maine and in Japan the fish used are small herring; in California, a species of pilchard, and in other countries various kinds of small fish. It will be seen that there is no such fish as a sardine. As a matter of fact the kind of fish canned as sardines does not matter much; the quality depends on the way they

are canned. The little fish are so delicate that they must be handled with great care. The general procedure is to behead, clean and wash them, fry them in deep fat, drain, pack them carefully in flat tins, and fill the tins with olive oil.

Oysters, so often the housewife's stand-by for a cocktail, soup, or scallop, are put up chiefly in Maryland, down the Atlantic coast to Florida and around the Gulf of Mexico. Along the north Atlantic coast they were once abundant, but now must be artificially cultivated, and fresh oysters bring such good prices in eastern cities that it does not pay to can them.

Who has not tasted, and asked for clam chowder? Three kinds of clams are packed, the hard and soft clams of the Atlantic coast, and a Pacific coast species, the razor clam.

Shrimps, crabs, and lobsters make the foundation for some of the inland housewife's most attractive and nutritious salads. Shrimps are canned chiefly in States bordering on the Gulf of Mexico where they are abundant. Only the tail is eaten. Canned crabs come mostly from the Norfolk and Virginia coast and from Japan where crabs are plentiful and the people work for small wages to can them. Lobsters are caught in traps or pots along the North Atlantic coast, and brought alive to the cannery, boiled for about thirty minutes, and their meat taken from the shell in as large pieces as possible.

Only a beginning has been made along the sea coasts of America in preparing and canning anchovies, although the beautiful, small fish, blue-brown and silvery white, are abundant along our coasts. The Mediterranean is famous for anchovies, the

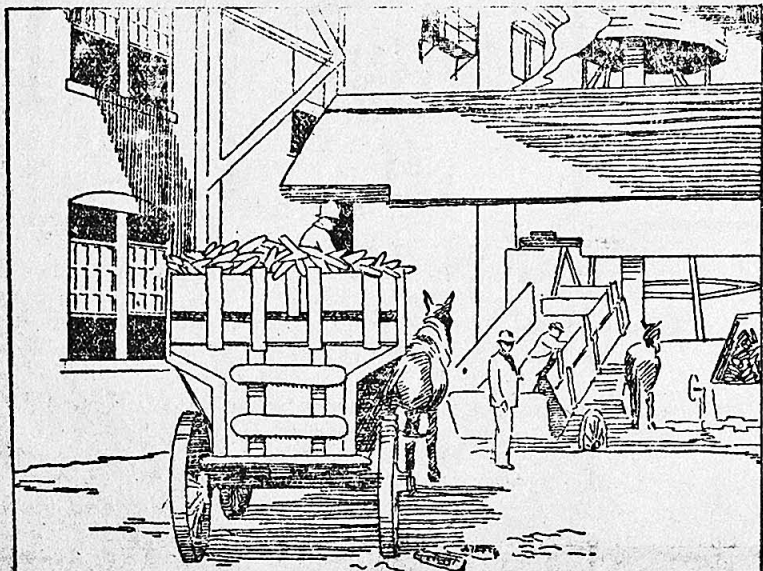
industry of picking and spicing them being mainly carried on near its shores. Anchovies are an ancient appetizer. They were a favorite at Roman banquets in early times.

Caviar, the famous Russian tidbit, recently became familiar in American stores and markets, was originally made from roe of sturgeon, but now excellent caviar, made from the roe of salmon, codfish, herring, or white fish, can be bought at lower prices.

The tuna is a splendid game of the mackerel species which was not used for canning until 1903. In that year A. P. Halfhill, a sardine canner, near San Pedro, faced financial ruin because of the failure of the sardine run. So he turned to tuna fish, finding a means of preserving them by a special steam process. Canned with fine salad oil, the tuna attained so great a popularity that it now stands third in the value of all our tinned sea foods. Its flesh resembles chicken. It is often called "chicken of the sea" and is served many times in place of meat. Creamed on toast, or in salads it always finds enthusiastic favor.

Salmon is a story by itself. Most of the world's salmon is put up near the mouths of four of the longest salmon rivers: the Yukon, the Columbia, the Fraser, and the Copper. Canned salmon is used baked, in soup, cold in salads and sandwiches, fried in hors d'oeuvres, and in many other ways. Like some other sea fish, it contains iodine, so necessary to the inland dweller, and in food value as well as popularity ranks first among sea foods.

It would be hard to find a housewife who does not keep at least a few cans of the food on her shelf.



Corn 100% Sweet

IN the South, where corn is sweet, juicy, plentiful, and where cooks are famous for their rich, appetizing dishes, corn is one of the most frequent and versatile foods that comes to the table.
But corn, whether in the South or the North is full-flavored only when it is cooked as soon as it is picked. There is an old saying that the water should be boiling while the corn is being gathered. Twenty-four hours after picking, uncooked corn has lost twenty-five per cent of its sugar.

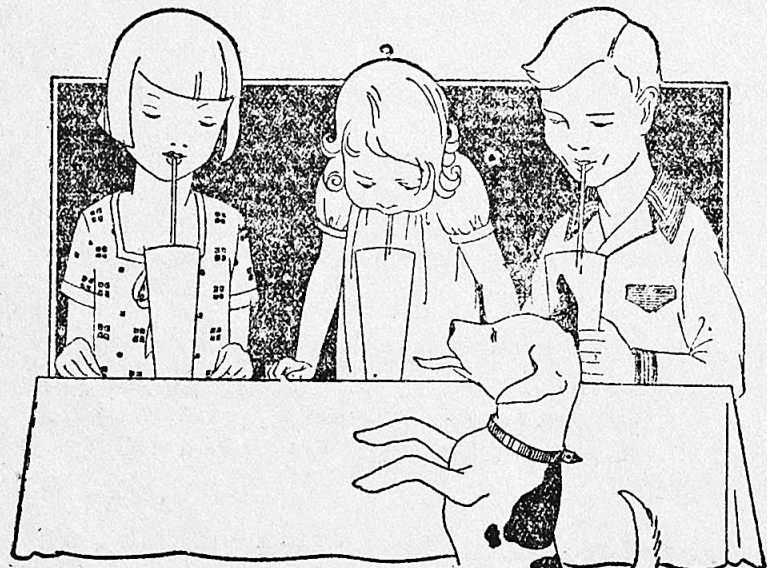
Factories Near the Fields

The only corn that the public can buy that is as sweet as that in the field is canned corn, for canned corn is cooked, sealed and processed as soon as it is stripped from the cob. The factories which can corn are as near as possible to the cornfields.
If one had to go back to the pioneer method of preparing corn by cutting it from the cob with a knife,

it is to be feared that the modern woman, always in a hurry, would use little of it. Instead of such arduous methods she has at hand, just for "a simple twist of the wrist," corn in several forms, ready to use in dozens of delicious dishes. There is the "Maine Style" corn, scraped from the cob in a creamy mixture, the "Maryland Style," cut off in whole kernels, the creamy hull-less corn and other more or less creamy products, suitable for soups, scallops, cakes, what not!

A Southern Corn Recipe

Richmond Corn Cakes: Add to three-fourths cup of canned corn one-half cup milk, one-half tablespoon sugar, and two well-beaten eggs. Mix seven-eighths cup flour, one tablespoon baking powder, and one-half teaspoon salt, and combine with the corn mixture. Drop in buttered muffin rings set in a buttered pan, and bake in a moderate oven. Serve with roast beef.



A Cool Summer Drink

EXPERIENCE and scientific study have demonstrated that milk is the only food for which there is no effective substitute. It is high in protein, contains all the known vitamins, and is so constituted as to enhance the nutritive value of other foods. It is one of the so-called "protective foods," and medical authorities recommend that everyone take a daily portion of milk.

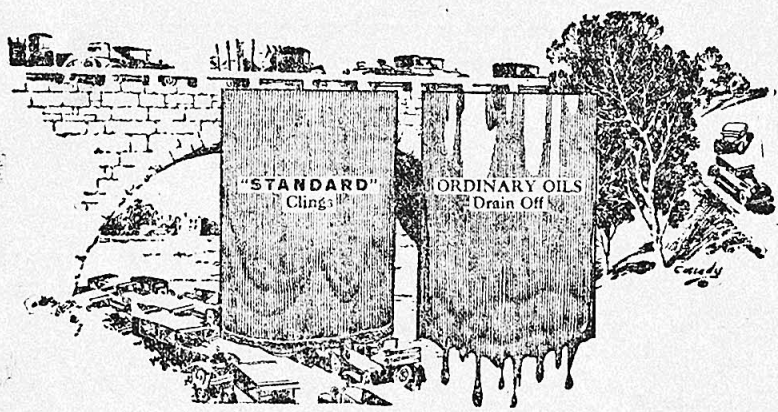
But, as some people are not fond of drinking milk plain, it is necessary for them to consume their daily quota in soups, sauces, custards, ice cream, cocoa, or disguised in other ways. One of the newer and more delightful modes is to add to milk, hot or cold, two or three teaspoonfuls of one of the chocolate malted milk products. These are in powder form, and should be added to the top of the milk and

beaten into it with an egg-beater. The more beating the better, for the liquid is thus vitalized with oxygen.

Children like to drink chocolate malted milk through a straw as it foams invitingly in a tall glass. In winter they take it hot; in summer ice-cold; and for dessert they ask sometimes to have chocolate or vanilla ice cream added to it. It then becomes what a soda counter artist would call "a chocolate malted milk shake with ice cream."

Invalids welcome this variation to their restricted diet; the man or woman who comes home tired after a hard day is renewed in cheerfulness and energy by a glass of this wholesome drink. Either as part of a meal or as an extra, chocolate malted milk is a tempting, highly nutritious food; a real body-builder.

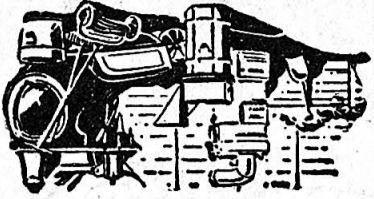
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Trying to Reduce Price of Gasoline.

Governor Byrd, conducting a second campaign for a reduction of gasoline prices in Virginia, said that he regarded it as his duty as governor to see that gasoline prices in Virginia were on a parity with those charged in other Commonwealths. It was learned that the Virginia Executive had been in communication with his brother governors, as well as with the offices of Standard Oil. Replies from other executives disclosed the fact that Virginia was paying, exclusive of the local road tax, from 2 to 3 cents per gallon more than all other Eastern or South Atlantic States reporting, with the exception of West Virginia and Maryland. On August 29th, Governor Byrd wrote all large importers of gasoline in Virginia, requesting that they attend a conference to be held in Richmond September 9th to explain why retail prices of gasoline in Virginia were higher than in other States. Yesterday the Standard Oil Company reduced the price of gasoline in Richmond 2 cents per gallon. Should such a reduction be made over the entire State it is possible no conference of retailers will be called by the Governor. The following statement has been released by Governor Byrd:

"Complaint has been made to me by Virginia motorists that the retail price of gasoline is higher in Virginia than in many other states, after allowance is made for gasoline tax here and elsewhere. To ascertain the justice of this complaint I addressed a personal inquiry to the governors of all other states, requesting advice as to the prevailing net retail price of gasoline, after deducting the gasoline tax in each State.

"At the time the letters were written to the governors, August 10, the prevailing retail price of gasoline was from 23 1/2 to 24 cents per gallon throughout Virginia. The tax is 4 1/2 cents per gallon, making a net price of 19 to 19 1/2 cents per gallon.

"The replies received by me from other governors indicated that at that time Virginia was paying, exclusive of the tax, from 2 to 3 cents per gallon more than all other Eastern or South Atlantic States reporting, excepting West Virginia and Maryland.

"I know of no reason to justify this discrimination against Virginia, assuming the accuracy of the reports received. We are available for water transportation and as near or nearer the producing fields by rail as many other states whose citizens were enjoying lower gasoline prices.

"For the purpose of still further investigating the matter, I addressed the following letter, on August 29, to every importer of gasoline in Virginia, who paid as much as \$1,000 tax in the month of June, requesting that at a public conference an explanation be made as to why the retail price of gasoline in Virginia was higher than in other states. The letter follows:

"Complaint has been made to me by Virginia motorists that the retail sale price of gasoline in Virginia is higher than in many other states.

"So as to determine the accuracy of this complaint I am requesting a number of the larger importers of gasoline in Virginia to meet in the senate chamber of Richmond at 10 A. M., September 9, so that a conference may be held and the true facts ascertained. Your kindness in having your representative present will be appreciated by me. I will be glad to hear from you with reference thereto. I am sending a similar invitation to all importers of gasoline who paid as much as \$1,000 tax in June."

"Today, on September 2, the price of gasoline was reduced by the Standard Oil Company in the city of Richmond two cents per gallon. This reduction is immediately effective to the retail gas consumers. No reduction has yet been made outside of the city of Richmond. I have wired the mayors of all cities in Virginia to advise me whether or not a similar reduction in the price of gasoline is given. This reduction of two cents, making a net price of seventeen cents, will place Virginia on an approximate basis with other Eastern and South Atlantic states, and will mean a saving of three million dollars annually to the people of Virginia.

"As Governor of Virginia, I regard it as my duty to take such steps as are possible to see that the Virginia consumers are not discriminated against and are sold gasoline at as low a price as other states similarly situated. If the price of gasoline is reduced two cents throughout the state to the consumers and no other questions develop, there may be no need of the conference called for September 9, as the only purpose of this conference was to secure an explanation from the oil importing companies as to why the price of gasoline has been higher in Virginia than other states. It is my intention to keep in touch with the price of gasoline in other states, so that Virginia people may be informed as to any discrimination against the state."

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Teas Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zinkham, of Rising Sun, Md., returned to their home last week, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. E. Keesling.

Little Stella Maude Eastridge returned home Friday, after spending two weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rector, of Anawalt, W. Va.

Mr. Hugh Robbins and sister Miss Anna, of Fries, Va., spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Agnes Robbins.

Mr. Fred Hash, of Kingsport, Tenn., spent the week-end with home folks.

Misses Gertrude and Ocie Hutton were calling on Miss Ruth Calhoun Saturday night.

Mrs. W. F. Rutherford and children, of Radford, spent several days of last week visiting relatives here. They were accompanied home by her sister Mrs. G. A. Hutton.

Mr. Carl Kirk, of Parkersburg, W. Va., spent several days of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kirk.

Mr. Ellis Calhoun, of Richmond, Va., is visiting his mother, Mrs. J.

T. Calhoun.

Mrs. S. W. Chisenhall and daughter returned home Friday after spending two weeks with relatives at Jonesville, Va.

Mr. Ashby Williams and son Luther, of Roanoke, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Calhoun and

family who have been visiting relatives here for several weeks, left Monday for their home at Chickasha Oklahoma.

Miss Ruth Hudson, of Hickory, N. C., is visiting her cousin, Miss Kate Hash, of this place.

Miss Ruth Blankenbeckler, of Roanoke, is visiting home folks.

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 24th day of August, 1927.

Emma Creger Plaintiff
against
John Lyons Defendant

IN CHANCERY:

The object of this suit is to sell the real estate whereof Elizabeth Lyons died, seized and possessed, to pay her debts and for partition.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Hugo Douglas is not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Smyth County News, a newspaper published in the County of Smyth, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court-house of this County on or before the 5th day of September, 1927, that being the next succeeding Rule day after this order was entered.

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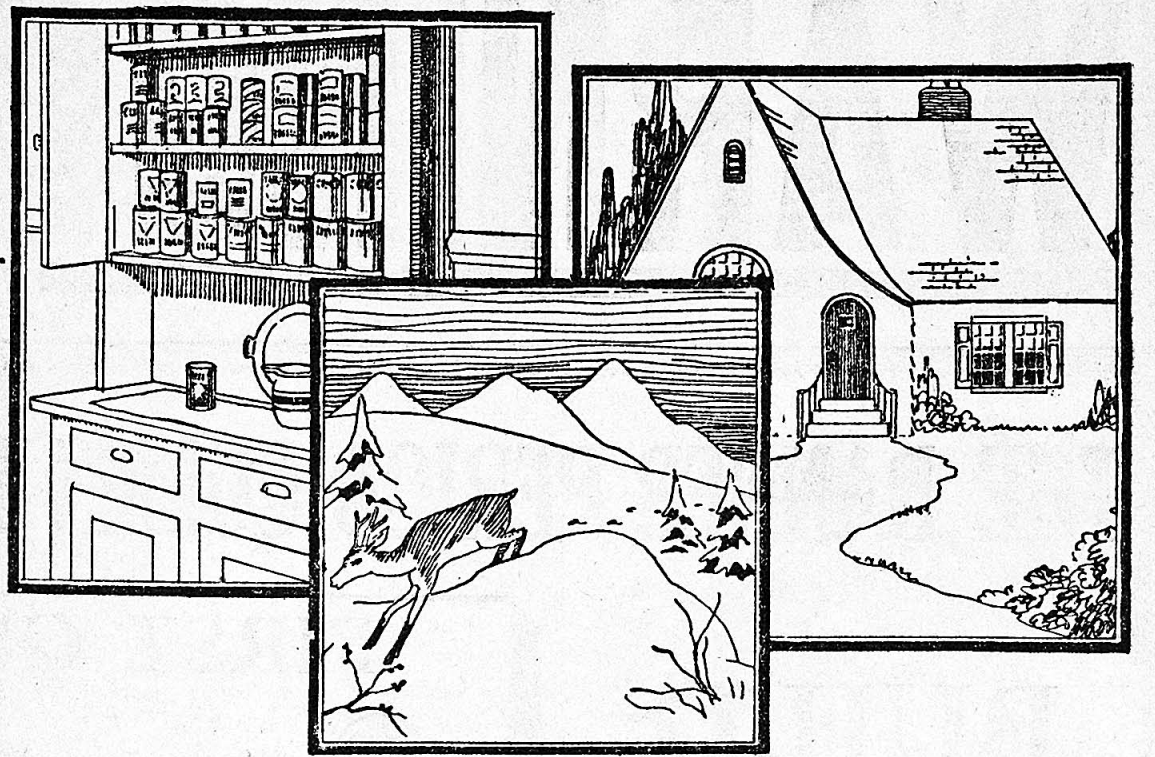
The Decoration Of Foods



ALL the world agrees that foods which attract the eye tempt the appetite. This is no mere modern idea. It is as old as civilization and is held by every nation. It was on a table decoration that one of the world's greatest sculptors, Antonio Canova, first exercised his genius. He was only twelve years old when he carved a lion, almost two feet high, out of a square of butter, to grace the dinner-table of a patrician family who lived near his home in the village of Pesagna, Italy.

The distinctly modern note in food decoration is the combining of colors. The cherry is ubiquitous in desserts, the pimiento in salads. Sprigs of parsley add character to the evenly rounded mound of creamy potato; golden rings of pineapple surround the richly browned turkey; green peas fraternize with the orange-colored squash; sliced canned peaches float in transparent jellies graced with white mounds of sweetened cream; the red of beets blends with the distinctive color of salmon on a bed of pale green lettuce. Indeed, the color schemes are limited in number and pleasing quality only by the inventiveness and taste of the housewife, and — by the variety of canned foods on her kitchen shelves. For, to help her in adding to the attractiveness of her table, the modern housewife has an untold treasure within her reach, namely, over two hundred varieties of canned foods, of every description and color.

The Safest Foods



Dr. Milton J. Rosenzweig of Harvard Medical School says in his recent report on "Food Poisoning": "Food properly preserved by heat is sterile, and such food is the safest food that comes on our table. The processing, however, must be effective and the containers tight. So far as botulism is concerned, home processed foods have been the chief offenders on account of incomplete sterilization in the kitchen."

Not so long ago a New York grocerman served a luncheon entirely composed of canned foods, old and new, to several of his friends. To each guest he served two portions, one of food aged anywhere from five to twenty-five years, the other fresh-packed. The guests did not know which was the old and which the new, and were asked to tell at each course which portion they liked better.

In 1824 Captain Perry, seeking a Northwest Passage, left canned foods in a "cache" in the Arctic. This cache of food was found by Sir John Ross, eight years later, and some of the cans brought back to England and given to a scientific society in Hull, which placed them in a museum. In 1911, eighty-six years after they had been found, and perhaps ninety years after they had been put up, tins of soup, roast beef, veal, mutton, turkeys, and carrots were opened, sampled by scientific men, and found perfectly fresh and savory.

submitted to me by public health authorities for a bacteriological examination as to whether it was fit for human consumption, I would have reported that it was in sound condition, and that it could be used as a food without risk of any harmful consequences."

Some Foods Improve With Age

Canned meat forty-one years old from the stores of a British warship the "Blonde," were found cast ashore from a wreck and found wholesome when opened forty-four years later. Professor Tyndall sampled meats that had kept good for sixty-three years.

"Aged" Beef

Last year a can of beef which belonged to the stores of Sir John Franklin, during his exploratory expedition to the Arctic in 1866, was opened in Liverpool in the presence of a bacteriologist and a number of canned food men. The product, eighty-one years old, was found to be in apparently perfect condition without any evidence of decay. Rats were fed large quantities of the meat and remained in perfect health. The bacteriologist summing up his report on the condition of this can of meat said: "Had this tin of meat been

First Pea Soup

The first course was pea soup, one portion made from canned peas, fourteen years old, the other packed that year. Most of the guests voted for the fourteen-year-old-soup. Other dishes were beef stew, fourteen years old, braised beef, eight years old; roast chicken, four years old; shrimp, seven years; corned beef, twelve years; pigs' feet, twelve years. The



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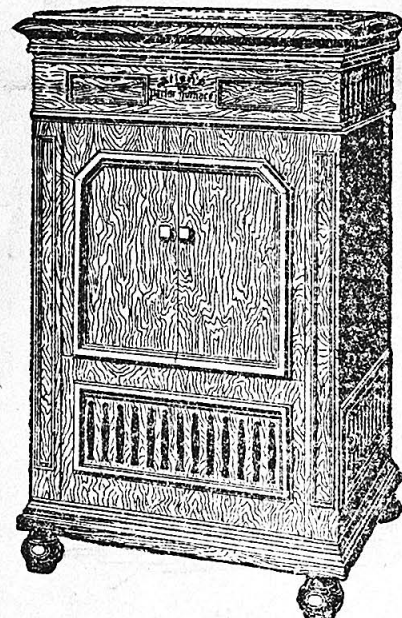
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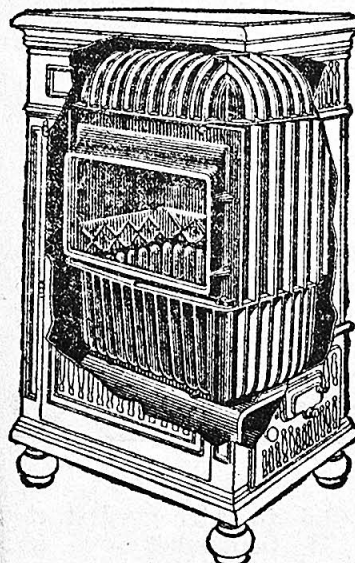
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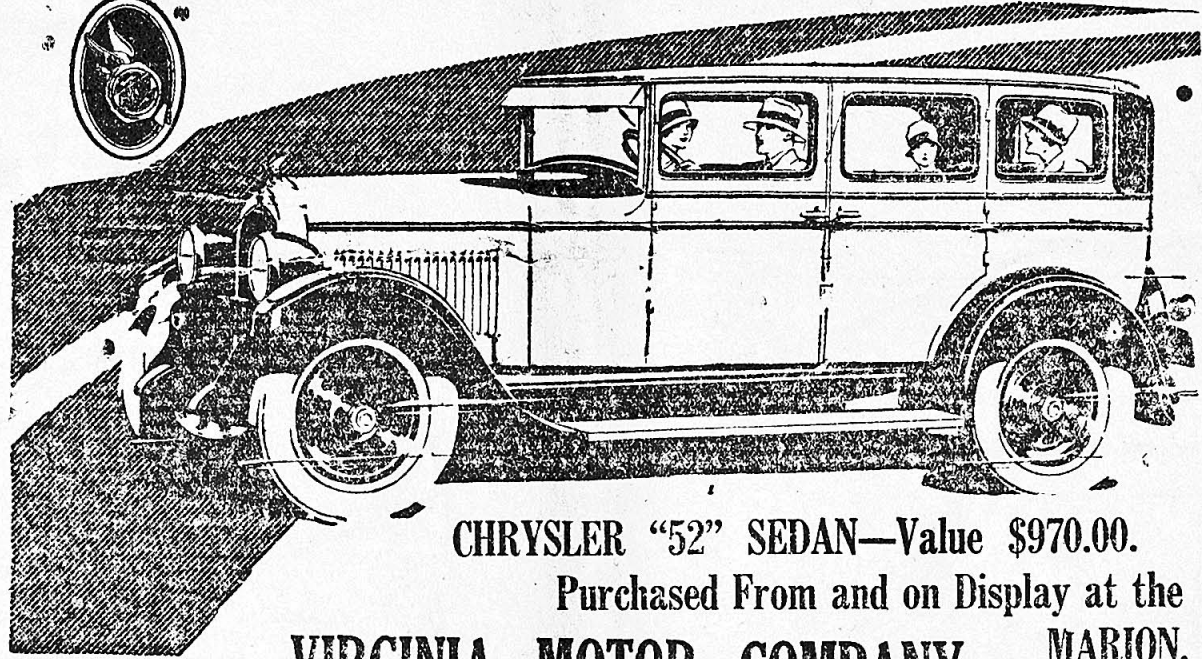
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