

# Marion



# News

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### Banquet Given for Bailey and Summers.

Abingdon, Va., July 29.—The banquet given Saturday night in honor of the retiring collector of internal revenue, the Hon. L. P. Summers, and his successor, Hon. D. F. Bailey, of Bristol, was one of the most brilliant affairs of its kind that has been given in Abingdon in a long while and was largely attended. It was given by the tax payers of the Sixth collection district and the clerical force of the collector's office. Hon. L. T. Wyatt spoke for the clerical force and Hon. A. Gray Gilmer, of Bristol, for the tax-payers. The banquet was largely attended and was served at Hotel Dagmar. A delegation from Bristol was in attendance.

"I have been somewhat constive, but Doan's Regulax give just the results I desire. They act mildly and regulate the bowels perfectly."—Geo. B. Krause, Altoona, Pa.

### Jumped Through Window

Bristol, Va., July 29.—Joe Woods, a negro nineteen years old, trapped in Totz's saloon on Front street, at a late hour last Thursday night, threw himself against the plate-glass in a front window and smashed it in an effort to escape from officers Baker and Dearmond, who were on the alert to capture the burglar who had repeatedly robbed the saloon. Woods got through the glass with but few scratches and made a hasty run for his liberty. The officers captured him, after firing several shots, one of which the negro says struck him a glancing blow above one eye. Woods said he came here from Marion, Va. He admitted having repeatedly entered the saloon, having made a haul from the cash drawer each time. One night he got \$48, another night \$19.10 and another \$6.78.

It will not take a Virginia jury more than about two minutes to look Woods over and give him from three to five years.

### Death Sentence for Claude Allen.

Wytheville, Va., July 29.—Claude Allen, one of the Hillsville outlaws, was Saturday convicted of murder in the first degree for the killing of Commonwealth's Attorney William Foster. At a former trial he was found guilty of murder in the second degree for the killing of Judge Thornton L. Massie. He is the second one of the Allen clan to be convicted of first degree, Floyd Allen being the other.

The closing arguments of counsel consumed the morning session of court, and the case was given to the jury when court reconvened at 2:30 Saturday afternoon. After deliberating for an hour and a-half the jurors slowly filed back into the jury box and the foreman announced their verdict.

When he learned that he must pay the penalty for his crime in the electric chair, the prisoner broke down and wept bitterly, as did also his fiancee, who was with him in the court room. It was the first time he had displayed the least sign of emotion since his trial began.

While the jury was considering its verdict, Sidna Edwards, Victor and Eriel Allen were brought into the court room in order that a motion might be made for a change of venue. On motion of the Commonwealth a venire of seventy five will be summoned from Bedford county for the next trial. The Commonwealth also wished to have the three remaining cases consolidated, but the defense would not agree, and it was decided to try Eriel Allen next. The trial will begin August 14th and will be on the indictment charging the murder of William M. Foster—the same indictment upon which Claude and Floyd Allen have been found guilty of first degree murder.

Sentence was not passed on Claude Allen in order that he may testify in the other cases.

### Call for Republican Con. Dist. Convention.

By virtue of the power vested in me by the Republican District committee of the Ninth District of Virginia, at a meeting of the said committee held at Bristol, Va., in said district, at one o'clock p. m., on Monday, July 15, 1912, a convention of the Republicans of the Ninth Virginia district is hereby called to meet at Bristol, Va., on the 28th day of August, 1912, at two o'clock p. m. for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The basis of representation in the said convention will be one delegate and one alternate for each twenty five votes, or majority fractional part thereof cast for Hon. C. B. Sloop in the election of 1910.

The County and City committees of the respective counties and cities in the said district will forthwith fix the time and place for holding County and City mass meetings for the election of the said delegates and alternates to the said District convention, and also for the purpose of electing for each County and City in said district a County and City chairman, secretary of the County and City committees, a County and City committee, composed of one member from each precinct in said county and each ward in the cities in said district.

The certificates of election of said delegates and alternates to the Congressional convention, the County and City chairman, secretary of the County and City committees, County and City Precinct committees shall be signed by the chairman of the mass meetings respectively, and by the secretaries of the said mass meetings, and shall be countersigned by the City or County chairman as the case may be, and promptly forwarded to P. J. Davenport, district chairman, Abingdon, Va.

All voters, without regard to party affiliations, who believe in Republican principles and policies are cordially invited to participate in the proceeding of the County and City mass meetings hereby directed to be called.

Respectfully,  
P. J. DAVENPORT,  
Dist. Chairman.

GEORGE F. COOK,  
Sec'y Dist. Committee.

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### Bloody Political Feud is Feared.

Bristol, Va., July 27.—A special from Jonesville several days ago told of the first killing growing out of the election troubles in Lee county, Va., in connection with which more than 200 men are under indictment, and are to be tried for alleged bribes and election law violation.

Dr. James V. Walden, a prominent physician and democrat of the Blackwater precinct, was shot to death by Perry Wallin, a republican. Perry Wallin overtook Dr. Walden in the public road and a quarrel ensued.

Last February Dr. Walden caused Wallin to be indicted on the charge of having intimidated the election judges in the Blackwater precinct, and this was the start of the trouble between the two.

Following a war of words, Dr. Walden drew a revolver, it is stated, and presented it, as if to fire upon Wallin. The latter made quick response and fired a ball from his revolver, killing Dr. Walden almost instantly.

Wallin went to Jonesville, where he surrendered to H. O. Joelin and E. R. Robinett, justices of the peace, who held an examination trial.

Wallin was admitted to bail for his appearance at the grand jury term of the Circuit court. The evidence indicated that he probably acted in self-defense. In the hearing the Commonwealth was represented by Commonwealth's Attorney E. E. Skaggs, and the defendant by former Senator J. C. Noel and M. G. Ely.

Both parties involved were prominent in the Blackwater section of the county, being men of property and influence.

The tragedy is deeply deplored because of the pending election investigation in connection with which more than 200 indictments are pending. These cases are due to come to trial August 19th, and anonymous threats of trouble have been made.

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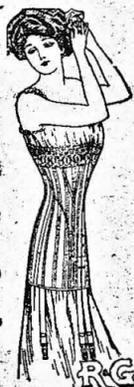
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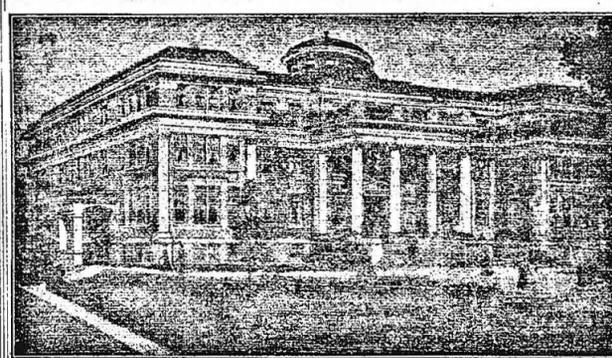
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MARION, VA., AUGUST 2, 1912

**REPUBLICAN TICKET:**

**FOR PRESIDENT**

WILLIAM H. TAFT, of Ohio

**FOR VICE PRESIDENT**

JAMES S. SHERMAN of New York

**Stand Together.**

Things are not so clear politically as they have been. Our Democratic friends have been very bitter against Mr. Roosevelt. Now that the President has decided to organize a third party they seem to be more favorably inclined to "Teddy." It is amusing to see some of the Virginia tribe pat a supposed Roosevelt on the back and if he lives in the district they at once see a candidate for Congress that might in any way from Mr. Slemp, should be nominated, is given the glad encouragement. Their anxious long this line should be and unless is easily understood by all Republicans.

The Roanoke Times, conspicuous by the Democratic organ for the Ninth district, says "Slam Slemp," and calls on Roosevelt Republicans, Democrats and what not to get together and put Slemp out of business. All this talk and encouragement is given not that The Times or Virginia Democrats love Roosevelt and his followers more, but they are willing to join in with anyone to destroy, if possible, the Republican organization and power in the Ninth district. They continue to see in Mr. Slemp their most formidable foe and it would be to their great delight if they could get some one else nominated for Congress in this district. The Roanoke Times a few days ago was so delighted when Buchanan county sent a delegation to the Roosevelt meeting at Roanoke that it considered it a step into the Democratic party and wrote an editorial entitled, "Buchanan Coming." We wonder what those Buchanan Republicans said when they read The Times! It even went so far as to call them "Two-thirds Democrat." We have some mighty good Republicans in Smyth county who have been and probably are now for the Colonel. Wonder what they would say if this Ninth district organ should call them "Two thirds Democrat." Well, they might cause the air to get a little blue and make our esteemed contemporary think they were more strenuous than the fighting Colonel. We think and hope that the efforts of the common enemy will prove futile when it comes to dividing into factions the Republicans of the Ninth district. This is the game when you see them giving aid and great publicity to any third party talk in the State. The fact that they are wanting to "Slam Slemp," even before he is the candidate, is proof that they fear his power and the strong hold he has upon all the voters of this great district. They know the game of politics well enough to strike at and try to weaken, if possible, the strongest man the Republicans can name in the district. Republicans should be wise and learn a lesson, profit by the Democratic eagerness of The Roanoke Times to "Slam Slemp." Stand together, and continue to fortify the fort you now hold, and when the smoke of the battle has cleared away on the 5th of next November the glorious old Ninth will stand true and give a splendid majority for the nominee of the Bristol convention and the progressive principles of the great Republican party that has made our country the most powerful and prosperous among the great nations of the earth. We repeat, let us "stand together."

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF SMYTH COUNTY**

**Statements of the Receipts and Disbursements of the Respective County and District Levies for the Year Ending June 30th, 1912**

COUNTY LEVY	
By amount balance from levy of 1910	\$ 1,252.15
By amount levy for 1911	18,846.92
By amount refunded from C. H. Fund	550.00
By amount refunded from A. B. Fund	129.31
By amount delinquent taxes received from Clerk	220.15
By amount from W. E. Daniel on land	416.67
By amount capitation tax returned from Auditor	1,533.50
By amount delinquent land sales	91.71
By amount delinquent land redeemed before sale	170.96
By amount from J. L. C. Anderson, ex-Treasurer	664.33
By amount Auditor of Public Accounts	244.70
By amount from W. T. Choate on farm	2,042.63
By amount 5 per cent. penalty added December 1st	151.05
	<b>\$26,314.08</b>

CONTRA	
To Treasurer's Commissions	\$ 1,159.17
To delinquent list 1911	778.01
To apportionment cap. tax to several road funds	1,233.46
To salary Judge of the Circuit Court	478.00
To amount paid S. W. Kent, County Clerk	600.00
To amount paid J. H. Rouse, Sheriff	250.00
To amount paid M. D. Cassell, Sheriff	250.00
To amount paid G. H. Fudge, Com. Attorney	200.00
To amount paid Geo. F. Cook, Com. Attorney	250.00
To amount paid J. U. Wolfe, Supervisor	76.00
To amount paid J. M. Gass, Supervisor	93.60
To amount paid Martin Houston, Supervisor	94.10
To amount paid S. W. Kent, C. of B. of Sup.	80.00
To amount paid J. H. Rouse, Sheriff B. of Sup.	12.00
To amount paid T. B. Rector, Com. of Revenue	100.00
To amount paid B. F. Call, Com. of Revenue	80.00
To amount paid D. D. Cole	70.00
To amount paid Samuel Kirby, Supt. of Poor	337.50
To amount paid H. L. Kent, Custodian	25.00
To amount paid R. Hopkins, Janitor	150.00
To amount paid G. A. Snavelly, Janitor	150.00
To amount paid B. E. Copenhagen, Supt. Schools	200.00
To amount paid C. W. Scott, Overseer of Poor	25.00
To amount paid J. F. Hutton, Overseer of Poor	20.00
To amount paid R. B. Mitchell, Overseer of Poor	10.00
To amount paid Paupers, Marion District	1,014.60
To amount paid Paupers, Rich Valley District	1,029.26
To amount paid Paupers, St. Clair District	501.79
To amount paid Paupers, Poor House	617.84
To amount paid Paupers, P. H. (new buildings)	1,104.69
To amount paid Roads, Marion District	530.71
To amount paid Roads, M. D. (fair ground road)	1,108.78
To amount paid Roads, St. Clair District	165.18
To amount paid Roads, Rich Valley District	99.95
To amount paid damages to land owners	356.97
To amount paid surveying roads	67.55
To amount paid Viewers, Etc.	108.00
To amount paid Grand Jury	154.00
To amount paid Petit Jury	325.30
To amount paid Judges, Clerks and Election Ex.	583.80
To amount paid Electoral Board	29.00
To amount paid Registrars	102.46
To amount paid Coroners Inquests	59.20
To amount paid Lunacy Commissions	220.93
To amount paid Small Pox	15.30
To amount paid Incidentals	73.06
To amount paid Telephone Rent	6.75
To amount paid Postage	32.16
To amount paid Examining Commissioners Bks	35.00
To amount paid Index of Wills and Judgments	500.00
To amount paid Fee for Court House and Jail	461.03
To amount paid J. P.'s for a statement of fines	43.80
To amount paid Hawk and Fox Scalps	137.75
To amount paid Stationery for Clerk's Office	115.94
To amount paid Stationery, Treasurer's Office	347.40
To amount paid Marion News for printing	89.75
To amount paid Marion Democrat for printing	91.50
To amount paid repairs and supplies for Court House and Jail	325.57
To amount paid binding land and P. P. books	22.00
To amount paid survey of McAdams road	221.86
To amount paid Wilson & Pullen, Accountants	325.50
To amount paid Va. Bridge & Iron Co., bridges	2,850.00
To amount paid interest on Asylum bonds	219.12
To amount paid erroneous assessments	64.35
To amount paid G. H. Fudge, Com. on Collect.	66.43
To amount paid apportionment Capitation Tax, Saltville Corporation	85.74
To amount paid apportionment Capitation Tax Marion Corporation	214.30
To amount transferred to Court House fund	550.00
To amount transferred to St. Clair road fund	37.75
To amount paid note and interest on poor farm	3,312.84
	<b>25,174.45</b>

MARION DISTRICT ROAD LEVY	
By amount balance from levy of 1910	\$ 2,647.26
By amount levy for 1911	5,307.99
By amount 5 per cent. penalty added December 1st	31.53
By amount apportionment capitation tax	579.68
By amount transferred from Rich Valley road fund	64.54
By amount transferred from St. Clair road fund	11.75
By amount received from E. L. Sanders	2.81
	<b>\$8,645.56</b>

CONTRA	
To Treasurer's Commissions	\$ 319.57
To amount delinquent list, 1911	120.50
To amount paid L. M. Snider	117.41
" " " A. A. Crutchfield	254.05
" " " A. C. Beatie	60.00
" " " M. D. Cassell	7.00
" " " F. J. Allen	280.60
" " " T. L. Hutton	75
" " " J. H. Box	21.02
" " " W. F. Culbert	825.56
" " " E. O. Goodman	39.90
" " " G. C. Umbarger	441.52
" " " S. T. Crow	322.91
" " " Y. J. Tiller	980.46
" " " L. T. Walker	159.24
" " " W. E. Copenhagen	132.41
" " " C. A. Copenhagen	32.60
" " " J. T. Atkins	54.77
" " " W. W. Grinstead	152.12
" " " W. A. Scott	147.97
" " " G. R. Rider	275.48
" " " J. J. Dungan	177.34
" " " F. G. Davis	453.08
" " " F. A. Halo	388.54
" " " P. R. Francis	29.38
" " " M. Foundry & Machine Works	16.47
" " " C. S. Wassum	16.00
" " " T. J. Vernon	70.80
" " " James Marchant	11.00
" " " O. P. Robinson	14.55
" " " Look & Lincoln	3.63

Marion Hardware Company	38.72
M. M. Wolfe	10.00
Floyd Cheeks	57.78
Heptinstall & Staley	9.00
H. L. Bonham	21.92
B. S. Kegley	25.88
J. H. Kegley	24.75
J. U. Wolfe	24.00
W. H. Copenhagen & Co.	8.85
C. B. Rosebaum	167.50
J. A. Pierce	20.50
M. L. Bridgman	4.09
	<b>6,279.62</b>

RICH VALLEY DISTRICT ROAD LEVY	
By amount balance of levy of 1910	\$ 1,039.16
By amount levy for 1911	2,613.56
By amount 5 per cent. penalty added December 1st	29.49
By amount apportionment capitation tax	332.42
	<b>\$4,614.63</b>

CONTRA	
To Treasurer's commissions	190.46
To delinquent list 1911	155.36
To amount paid J. M. Hughes	20.90
" " " A. J. Hubble	5.39
" " " R. F. Clear	665.83
" " " J. H. Bowling	348.86
" " " J. E. Smith	289.95
" " " J. M. Gass	26.00
" " " W. J. Gallion	71.04
" " " C. P. Olinger	19.10
" " " J. P. Allison	12.25
" " " A. L. Vipperman	25.34
" " " Joe Buchanan	2.50
" " " Marion Road Fund	64.54
	<b>1,897.52</b>

ST. CLAIR DISTRICT ROAD LEVY	
By amount balance from levy of 1910	\$ 1,225.58
By amount levy for 1911	2,905.01
By amount 5 per cent. penalty added Dec. 1st	34.10
By amount of subscriptions	90.50
By amount apportionment capitation tax	290.68
By amount transferred from County fund	37.75
	<b>4,583.62</b>

CONTRA	
To Treasurer's commissions	157.29
To delinquent list for 1911	214.05
To amount transferred to Marion road fund	11.75
To amount paid T. K. Freeman	1,229.24
" " " L. B. Chisenhall	176.87
" " " W. C. Gollebon	232.88
" " " A. L. Kirk	11.50
" " " D. J. Blankenbeckler	4.60
" " " R. Hopkins	40.75
" " " J. D. Horne	206.41
" " " Joel Pierce	8.00
" " " William Holman	4.50
" " " T. P. Carrin	39.74
" " " Iron Mountain Lumber Co.	5.61
" " " W. N. Britton	14.50
" " " W. T. Bolt	15.02
" " " Marion Hardware Co.	5.00
" " " J. M. Carico	4.50
" " " Samuel McClure	4.25
" " " H. L. Bonham	253.65
" " " A. J. Slemp	20.30
" " " W. J. Dauley	255.30
" " " W. A. Wolfe	885.92
" " " P. R. Francis	4.80
" " " J. F. St. John	62.86
" " " J. A. McClure	5.00
" " " W. H. Dutton	48.20
" " " W. H. Copenhagen & Co.	89.13
" " " Parson Biter	1.00
" " " J. C. Wilson	9.13
" " " A. P. McClure	16.50
" " " R. L. Hash	36.20
" " " C. J. Freeman	36.65
" " " Geo. F. Pierce	17.50
" " " W. H. Snider	2.40
" " " S. M. Rouse	7.60
" " " Ellis Davis	10.85
" " " J. N. Umbarger	11.10
" " " Douglas Land Company	95.80
" " " J. H. Blevins	15.85
" " " J. M. Houston	30.00
	<b>4,301.60</b>

COURT HOUSE LEVY	
By amount balance from Levy of 1911	\$534.56
By amount Levy for 1911	4,310.90
By amount 5 per cent. penalty added Dec. 1st	32.37
By amount rents, etc.	165.00
	<b>\$5,042.83</b>

CONTRA	
To Treasurer's Commissions	\$213.70
To amount delinquent list	155.68
To amount transferred to County Fund	550.00
To amount paid Sinking Fund Commissioner	3,607.14
	<b>4,526.52</b>

ASYLUM BOND LEVY	
By amount of balance from Levy of 1910	209.68
By amount of Levy for 1911	1,034.62
By amount of 5 per cent. penalty added Dec. 1st	7.01
	<b>\$1,251.31</b>

CONTRA	
To Treasurer's Commissions	52.30
To amount delinquent list for 1911	39.26
To amount of principal and interest on Asylum bonds	847.96
To amount transferred to County fund	129.31
	<b>1,068.83</b>

DOG FUND	
By amount on hand July 1, 1911	50.69
By amount collections June 30, 1912	115.70
	<b>\$166.39</b>

CONTRA	
To Treasurer's Commissions	\$ 7.21
To amount paid T. B. Rector for listing dogs	25.65
" " " B. F. Call for listing dogs	11.65
" " " D. D. Cole for listing dogs	13.05
" " " E. H. Dempsey, sheep killed	8.89
" " " W. A. Wolfe, sheep killed	26
" " " T. S. Sparks, sheep killed	2.86
" " " H. D. Williams, sheep killed	1.43
" " " Joe Pierce, sheep killed	1.00
" " " F. M. Tilson, sheep killed	72
" " " E. S. Neff, sheep killed	7.14
" " " J. F. Keller, sheep killed	7.14
" " " J. A. Campbell, sheep killed	5.19
" " " Geo. W. Lester, sheep killed	2.28
" " " W. N. McGhee, sheep killed	1.72
" " " J. E. St. John, sheep killed	9.14
" " " A. J. Bishop, sheep killed	1.15
" " " W. A. Scott, sheep killed	3.58
" " " A. H. Cole, sheep killed	5.19
	<b>107.25</b>

By amount in hands of Treasurer July 1, 1912 \$58.44

HIGHWAY COMMISSION FUND			
By amount received from Auditor of Public Accounts			\$1,800.00
	CONTRA.		
To Treasurer's Commissions	4.50		4.50
By amount in hands of Treasurer July 1, 1912			\$1,795.50
	RICH VALLEY ROAD BOND ISSUE.		
By amount received for sale of bonds			54,902.33
	CONTRA.		
To Treasurer's Commissions		\$137.25	
To amount paid B. F. Buchanan, expenses of sale		230.50	
" " " J. L. C. Anderson, express on bonds		32.93	
" " " Marion Democrat for printing		4.00	
" " " Power M. & M. Co., supplies		1,330.00	
" " " S. E. Clark, supplies		362.50	
" " " Mitchell Powers Hdw Co., supplies		270.04	
" " " Broadford Mer. Co., supplies		475.90	
" " " Edmond Pendleton, supplies		1,500.00	
" " " Look & Lincoln, supplies		73.80	
" " " Miller & Porterfield, supplies		42.50	
" " " J. W. Hope, one pair mules		400.00	
" " " C. E. Carlin, res. engineer		26.52	
" " " Labor at camp		36.66	5,222.60
By amount in hands of Treasurer July 1, 1912			\$49,679.73

By Order of the Board of Supervisors:  
H. L. KENT, Deputy Clerk.

# Absorbent Dust Mop

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LOCAL ITEMS.

J. M. Calhoun, Esq., of Atkins, spent last Monday in the city.

Mr. John N. Snively and wife, of Atkins, were shopping in Marion Monday.

Cadet Chas. H. Carson, of V. M. I., was up from Abingdon Sunday to call on friends.

Grover Carper is here this week from Roanoke on a visit to his father, Mr. C. H. Carper.

Stephen Ewald, of Bluefield, spent several days of this week in Marion visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. H. B. Hull, the insurance man, was up from Glade Spring interviewing our people last Monday.

F. W. and J. B. Leonard, and W. N. McGhee, substantial citizens, were up from Seven Mile Ford on business last Monday.

Mr. H. P. Crawford, of near Chatham Hill, was transacting business in Marion Monday and gave our office a pleasant call.

Mrs. C. S. Snider and Mrs. S. S. Snider returned Thursday from Jonesville, Lee county, Va., after a pleasant visit of a week to Mrs. C. S. Snider's sister, Mrs. Dr. Cox.

Mr. L. L. Scherer came out from Richmond Sunday and spent Sunday and Monday with his family, who are here the guests of Mr. Scherer's father and sister, Miss May.

Carlisle Young, who has been in the State of California for the past eighteen months, spent Monday night in Marion enroute to his old home at Edgewater, Grayson county, Va. He went over to Troutdale Tuesday on the M. & R. V. Ry.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph U. Wolfe, of Adwolve, left Tuesday on an extended visit to the State of Nebraska, where they go to be the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Henry B. Opendaver, at Dunbar. They expect to spend about one month in the West.

Rev. A. Rouse and wife, of St. Clair Bottom, were visitors to their son, Mr. J. H. Rouse, last Friday. While in town Mr. Rouse visited the Treasurer's office, where he achieved the credit of paying the first tax ticket paid in the county under the 1912 assessment.

Commissioner E. F. Call, of Rich Valley district, has completed his work of assessment and made off his 1912 books. He was in Marion last Monday with his books and had them examined by Clerk S. W. Kent. Mr. Call returned to his home by way of Saltville Tuesday.

Miss Laura Carter, of St. Clair Bottom, who has been in Tilden, Neb., where she has been teaching for the past year, was in Marion last Saturday, accompanied by her brother, Henderson Carter. They were here having dental work done at Dr. E. M. Copenhaver's office.

Mrs. Peter Currin, accompanied by her son and daughter, Walter and Ruby, are here from Vernon, Texas, on a visit to relatives in Smyth and Grayson counties. They went over on the M. & R. V. Tuesday morning for a two weeks' visit in Grayson, after which they will remain in this county 'til September 1st.

Ex-Supervisor James F. Scott, of Rye Valley, who has been on a two weeks' visit to his daughter, Mrs. William Meek, near Meadow View, Washington county, Va., returned to Marion Sunday accompanied by Mr. William Meek. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Ross Sunday night and went over on the M. & R. V. Monday morning. Mr. Scott is badly afflicted with a cancer and is quite feeble. He has for years been one of the county's prominent citizens.

Dr. Frank P. Repass has completed his course in dentistry and successfully passed the State Examining Board and is now a full-fledged dentist. Dr. Repass and family arrived from Richmond Sunday morning, and will locate in Marion, where the Doctor will open an office soon. We welcome these good people back home after an absence, for the most part, of nearly three years. We know that Mr. Repass is well equipped for the work of his chosen profession, and feel sure he will meet with deserved success.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Death of An Aged Man. Mr. H. G. Heninger, an aged and well known citizen, of Chilhowie, died at his home in that town last Saturday. He was highly respected and had reached the advanced age of eighty years. He is survived by five sons and three daughters, namely: Messrs. John W. Heninger, the lumberman; Geo. W. Heninger, postmaster at Chilhowie; Thomas, Elbert and Samuel Heninger; Mrs. Robert Greaver and Miss Jennie Heninger, of Chilhowie, and Mrs. Thompson, of Loudon county. The funeral took place Sunday and the body was laid to rest in the old Sulphur Springs cemetery.

Mr. Boatwright Britton and wife, of near Holstein Mills, were visitors to the city Monday.

Mrs. Kate P. Craig, of Roanoke, is visiting her brother, J. Sheffey Pendleton, this year.

Miss Ruth Neikirk, after a pleasant visit of ten days to relatives at Saltville, returned Wednesday.

Frank Copenhaver, of Roanoke, spent several days of this week in Marion on a visit to friends and homefolks.

Mr. T. M. Allison passed through Marion Thursday en route home near Broad Ford, from a visit to relatives in North Carolina.

Frank Hester, who is employed at Salem, Va., spent several days this week at home on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hester.

Mr. S. T. Copenhaver and daughters, Misses Hattie and Hazel, of Bristol, were visitors to Marion Wednesday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bailey, of Richmond, came out Tuesday and will spend two weeks at the home of Mrs. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Francis.

Hot weather. Little clothing. Plenty of water inside and out. Dr. Fahmrey's Teething Syrup. Babies don't get sick.

Mr. A. L. Hutton, accompanied by his mother-in-law, Mrs. L. M. Scott, came over from Sugar Grove Wednesday, when Mrs. Scott left for her home at Austelle, Ga.

FOR RENT—Rooms, Houses and living apartments on Hotel Holston lot. See J. ELLIS DICKENSON, Real Estate.

The managers of the Motion Picture Show, to accommodate the increasing attendance, has seen fit to enlarge their quarters and have commenced work on taking the partition out that divides the ice cream parlor and the restaurant.

Mr. W. S. Gussalus, a farmer living near Fleming, Pa., says he has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in his family for fourteen years, and that he has found it to be an excellent remedy, and takes pleasure in recommending it. For sale by all dealers.

Mr. A. W. Edwards, of Bluff City, Tenn., accompanied by his little nephew, Sammy Copenhaver, came over on the M. & R. V. Wednesday evening, after spending several days near Mouth of Wilson, Grayson county, on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Senter. They remained in Marion, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Anderson for the evening and returned home on No. 13.

"Were all medicines as meritorious as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the world would be much better off and the percentage of suffering greatly decreased," writes Lindsay Scott, of Temple, Ind. For sale by all dealers.

We note that Congressman Slemph was the chief speaker at the Annual Outing of the League of Republican State Clubs held on July the 27th at Marshall Hall, Washington, D. C. A large delegation from both the House and Senate, besides many other prominent people were present. The distinction of being the chief speaker of the occasion was quite an honor conferred on the Ninth Virginia district Congressman.

KILL-POIS For Bad Blood. \$100 REWARD \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is CATARRH. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. F. J. CHERRY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75 cents. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Resolutions of Respect. In view of the loss that the Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the Marion Methodist church has sustained by the death of its efficient and much appreciated treasurer, Mrs. C. W. Gillespie, therefore be it Resolved, 1st. That it is but a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that in regretting her removal from our midst, we mourn for one who was in every way worthy of our love and respect.

Resolved, 2nd. That the Society has lost a greatly devoted worker and member, and one who was ever ready and willing to help advance the cause of Christ.

Resolved, 3rd. That we extend to the family our deepest sympathy and while we bow in humble submission to our Father's will we sorrow with them but not as those without hope for we feel that our sister has simply gone home—"Think of stepping on shore and finding it heaven;" of taking hold of a hand and find it God's hand; of breathing new air and finding it celestial air.

Resolved, 4th. That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Society, that a copy be sent to the bereaved family, the Marion papers and the Missionary Voice.

Mrs. R. G. Goolsby, Mrs. J. R. Venable, Mrs. J. S. Apperson.

As sweet as the select of roses, as pure as the sparkling snow—Martha Washington Candies. Fresh every week. Carson Drug Company.

KIDNEY FLUSH For Kidney and Bladder Diseases. One of the most common ailments that hard working people are afflicted with is lame back. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the parts the roughly at each application, and you will get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.

Following is the program of the Smyth County Sunday School Association, to be held in the Presbyterian church, Marion, Monday, Va., August 5th, beginning at 9 o'clock: 9:00—Devotional Service—Rev. J. J. Scherer, D. D. 9:15—Organization Reports. 10:45—Talk—Mr. T. C. Diggs, State Secretary.

11:30—The Organized Bible Class—Judge Joseph Kelly, of Bristol. 1:30—Devotional Service—Rev. T. C. Schuler. 1:45—Talk—Rev. T. C. Diggs. 2:30—The Boy in the Sunday School—Rev. R. E. Kern. 3:50—The Why of the Beginners Work—Mrs. E. M. Harris. 3:05—Missions in the Sunday School—Rev. M. M. McFerrin. 3:30—Men's Bible Classes—Mr. J. C. Campbell. 3:40—Round Table—Mr. T. C. Diggs.

Each Sunday School in the county is expected to send a delegate. Dinner will be served for all delegates.

He Won't Limp Now. No more limping for Tom Moore, of Cochran, Ga. "I had a bad sore on my instep that nothing seemed to help till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve," he writes, "but this wonderful healer soon cured me." Heals old, running sores, ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, bruises, eczema or piles. Try it—only 25 cents at the Carson Drug Co.

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth on the 10th day of July, 1912: E. A. Scott, Plaintiff, against Graham Automobile Co., Inc., Defendant. In Assumpsit.

The object of this suit is to recover from the said Graham Automobile Co., defendant, the sum of three hundred dollars, with interest from June 13, 1912, and costs, and to attach its personal property, consisting of one 12-Passenger Brake Automobile.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Graham Automobile Co., Inc., is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that it do appear here within fifteen days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect its interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four weeks in the Marion News, a newspaper published in the County of Smyth, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house of this county on the 15th day of July, 1912, that being the next succeeding rule day after this order was entered.

A copy: H. L. KENT, D. C. Geo. F. Cook, p. q.

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Notice to Veterans. Members of the Gibson-McCrady Camp of Confederate veterans, will meet at Smyth county Court House on Saturday, August 10, 1912, at 2 p. m. to transact important business. A good attendance is desired. By Order of Commander, JNO. W. HULL.

W. P. FRANCOIS, Adjt.

CARD OF THANKS. We desire to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and assistance during the illness and death of our beloved little girl, Mary. May God bless them one and all. W. A. WILLIAMS AND WIFE.

RESULTS TELL. There Can Be No Doubt About the Results in Marion. Results tell the tale. All doubt is removed. The testimony of a Marion citizen can be easily investigated. What better proof can be had?

J. W. Rice, contractor, Water street, Marion, Va., says: "I consider Doan's Kidney Pills the best kidney medicine on the market and I still use them occasionally and get great help. I am glad to confirm the public statement I made in their praise several years ago. For a year I was unable to work, owing to rheumatic pains in my hips and limbs. I also had intense pains through my back and loins. Having heard Dr. Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended, I procured a box from the Carson Drug Co. and gave them a trial. They entirely relieved the pain in my back and helped me in every way."

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No. 11—Ninety-six acres of land in Wassum Valley, Smyth county, Va. Six-room house and barn, granary and outbuildings all in good repair. Price, \$8,000. No. 12—Thirty-four acres of cleared land with two good houses, nice orchard, good stable and other outbuildings; located three miles South of Marion. Price, \$1,000. No. 25—Fifty-five acres of valuable land in Wassum Valley, Smyth county, Va. Large property, stable and outbuildings in good repair; close to good neighborhood, close to schools and churches, on a good public road. Land in a splendid state of cultivation. Bargain at \$2,250. No. 27—Nine-room house and lot on Main street, Marion, Va. All modern conveniences; located in good town property; stable and outbuildings in good repair; splendid garden and some fruit trees. Price \$8,350. No. 29—Large ware-house and lot in the town of Marion, centrally located in the best business section of the town; on M. & R. V. Ry. Price, \$1,250. No. 30—Four hundred and twenty acres of blue grass land in Rich Valley, Smyth county, Va. Plenty of running water; will graze 100 small cattle. This is a very fine grazing bundry and worth the price of \$15,000. No. 31—Nine-room house and seven acres offery fine land at Adwolve, Smyth county, Va. The land can all be cultivated. Large barn, granary and all other outbuildings in splendid repair; situated on two rock roads. Nice home for some one at right price. See us price.

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Mary Cassell Williams, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams, died at the home of her parents on Church street Tuesday morning, July 30th. The little girl had been afflicted and in delicate health for some months. She was a bright child and much loved by her fond parents. The remains were taken on Wednesday to Zion church, in Rich Valley, for burial. A funeral service conducted from the church by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Jordon.

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Battle of Gettysburg. Mr. Robert W. Douthat will give his famous lecture, "The Battle of Gettysburg," at the Auditorium of the 1st National on Tuesday, August 20th, at 8 p. m., under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy. This is a worthy cause, the money will be used for the relief of Confederate veterans and the widows of veterans in Smyth county. Judge Kash, of Kentucky, says: "Dr. Douthat is equal to the greatest lecturer on the platform today." The Morgantown New Dominion says: "Between 500 and 600 people heard Dr. Douthat in his Gettysburg lecture and the audience followed the thrilling story with breathless interest." Price of admission 35 cents, children 25-cents. Mrs. Z. T. ATKINS.

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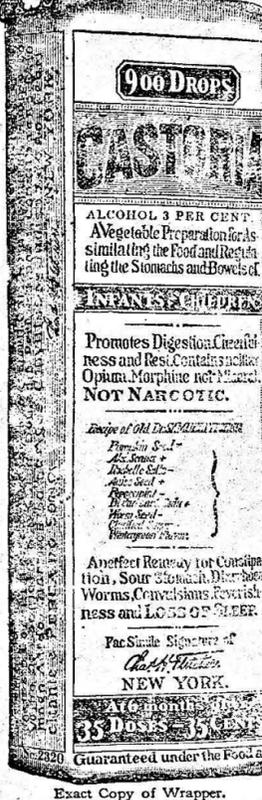
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"May I ask," inquires the interviewer, "why you paint none but nudes?" "Certainly," replies the painter. "The styles change so rapidly in clothing that a picture would be out of date almost before the paint is dry."—Chicago Post.

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A peculiar fact about the banana is that no insect will attack it, and another is that it is absolutely immune from the diseases that fruits are subject to. It is one of the curiosities of the vegetable kingdom.

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Wife—"Do you like those beautiful suspenders I embroidered for you, dear?" Hubby—"Yes, darling. They don't show when I am dressed."—Milwaukee News.

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From one of the fashion journals we learn that "stripes will be worn by the smart set next spring." Has the smart been combining in restraint of trade?

**The Reason.**  
The reason there are always two sides to a story is because the other fellow just won't stick to the truth.—Smart Set Magazine.

**Pessimism.**  
A pessimist is one who receives a pair of gloves as a present and worries because they will soon wear out.

**Looking Upward.**  
(In 1933)—"Marie, bring out the aerobambulator, and take baby up for an airing."—Judge.

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The dried skin of the dogfish was used for sandpaper.

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**PRAYER MEETING**—Every Wednesday evening. Teachers' meeting after the service.

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B. Y. P. U. meets every Sunday evening at 6:30. All cordially invited to attend.

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**SUNDAY-SCHOOL**—Every Sunday morning at 9:30—B. E. Copenhaver, Superintendent.

**CHRIST EPISCOPAL**—Evening Prayer and Sermon, the first Sunday at 8 p. m. Holy Communion and Sermon the third Sunday at 11 a. m., Rev. W. H. Pettus, Rector.

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**6:58 p. m.** for Roanoke, Lynchburg, Petersburg, Richmond, Norfolk and intermediate stations. Pullman Sleepers to Norfolk—Roanoke to Richmond.

**Trains for Bristol and the South—Lv. MARION 7:55 a. m., 1:17 p. m. and 8:23 p. m.**

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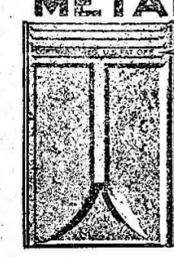
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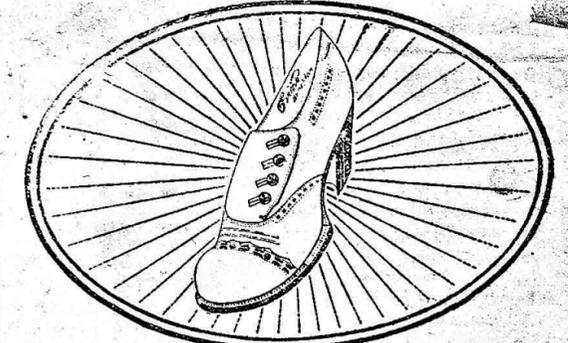
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