



Buchanan Named for the State Senate.

Bristol, Va., Sept. 1.—The Democrats of the First Virginia senatorial district, composed of Washington and Smyth counties and Bristol city, in convention in the City Hall here Saturday, nominated Hon. B. F. Buchanan, of Marion, for the State Senate to succeed the late Senator David C. Cummings, and adopted resolutions favoring the State prohibition enabling act. Nomination was made by acclamation, there being no other candidate. A resolution favoring local option as to the whiskey traffic was offered in committee, but was voted down and the enabling resolution substituted. The convention was largely attended. Captain James L. White, of Abingdon, was temporary chairman and Henry G. Lavender, of Bristol, permanent chairman, while W. J. Snodgrass, of Washington county, served as both temporary and permanent secretary.

The convention met at noon, at which time practically every seat in the spacious hall was taken. Each of the two counties sent a large delegation of representative men, while the city of Bristol was represented by a delegation composed of many of the representative citizens. Before adjournment for the noon hour committees were named as follows:

Credentials—A. H. Blanchard, H. G. Lavender, C. C. Minor, representing Bristol; T. B. Rector, W. W. Buchanan, J. B. Whitaker, representing Smyth county; R. T. Craig, Bert Russell and J. P. Colly, representing Washington county.

Organization—James A. Stone, J. I. Sharrett, Chas. Belew, representing Bristol; W. A. Scott, R. K. Sanders, John Brocius, representing Smyth county; C. C. Sutton, M. V. Edmondson and O. L. Jones, representing Washington county.

Platform—Frank Taylor, Henry Roberts, George W. Wolfe, representing Bristol; Judge G. W. Richardson, John R. George, Dr. J. C. King, representing Smyth county; Preston W. Campbell, C. W. Steer and W. J. Edmondson, representing Washington county.

There were no contests as to delegates and the lists as originally submitted were approved. The platform, in addition to its declaration of the whiskey question, commended the patriotic administration of President Wilson, favored the adoption of a new and less expensive method of holding State primaries, and advocated a liberal policy with reference to public education and pensions for disabled soldiers of the Confederate army and their widows.

The name of Mr. Buchanan was presented to the convention in a brief but eloquent speech by Judge G. W. Richardson of Marion. Judge Richardson lauded Mr. Buchanan as a man who is in thorough sympathy and accord with the ideas advocated by progressive Democracy. He said that the candidate had been tried in the legislative halls of the State and that he had always done his duty patriotically and with an aim to bring the greatest good to the people he represented.

The seconding speech was made by Mr. Preston W. Campbell, of Abingdon, who referred to the late Senator Cummings with great feeling and who said that it was one of Senator Cummings' last requests that Mr. Buchanan should succeed him in the State Senate.

Mr. Buchanan was presented to the convention by a committee composed of Preston W. Campbell, Judge G. W. Richardson and E. S. Kendrick and he received an ovation. His brief speech of acceptance was full of assurances of his desire to be of the greatest possible service to the people of his district and the State. He lauded the present Democratic administration in the nation as being wise, patriotic and unselfish in its character.

Corn Shortage in Dickenson.

Freeling, Va., Sept. 1.—There is complaint of a prospective shortage in corn crops of Dickenson county, when compared to the yield last year. The late frosts in May and June damaged the prospects, and later droughts prevailed in most sections, cutting corn still shorter. The crops in the west end, along the Cumberland, are the best in the county, for here the rains have been more regular and the frosts did less damage.

Fruit is almost an entire failure. Most orchards on the mountains and uplands have borne fairly well, but along the streams and in the lowlands there is but the merest sprinkling of fruit. Pears and peaches are a complete failure.

There is a great demand for cattle and sheep. Every available head is being sought. The R. B. Penix Company, of Jenkins, Ky., has had agents through this section. This concern ships stock to Mt. Sterling. The Horn brothers, of Wise, have been buying sheep. Most of the stock-raisers of this county have abandoned sheep. There is hardly room for large flocks formerly kept in the woods.

5,765 Postmasters Has Been Appointed.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 1.—In the 176 days, including Sundays and holidays, since Postmaster General Burleson assumed the duties of his office he has appointed 5,765 postmasters. This makes his average something more than 32 a day.

Of the total, 2,203 were presidential postmasters, who receive in excess of 1,000 a year salary, and whose appointments must be confirmed by the Senate. The remainder, 3,562, were postmasters of the fourth class.

Rudford, Va., Aug. 30.—Miss Mildred Delp, of Rudford, and Mr. C. H. Robinson, of Cumberland, Md., were married this morning in Bristol. Miss Delp is the eldest daughter of Mayor and Mrs. W. M. Delp, and is attractive and popular in the social circles.

Dies at the Age of 100 and Never Seen Train.

Christiansburg, Va., Sept. 2.—Mrs. Howard Akers, who died near here a few days ago at the age of 100, never saw a train, it was learned today. Her entire life was spent in the vicinity of her home, and she never expressed any desire to get a real glimpse of civilization. She was active and strong until a few weeks prior to her death. She was born June 3, 1813. She was known to practically every one as "Aunt Susan," and was probably the oldest person in Southwest Virginia.

Goes to Sleep, Rolls Off Train.

Roy Wright, twenty years old and employed as a driver at Moore & Hart's stable, went to sleep on top of a box car in a west bound cabbage train near Wyndale, Va., last Thursday night, and rolled off the train. He was picked up by train No. 18 and brought to Bristol and placed in charge of W. K. Vance, the railroad surgeon. He sustained an injury to the spine.

Wright is a son of Sam Wright, the latter an employe of the Columbia Paper Company. He was returning from the Marion fair, having gone there with a load of horses. —Bristol Courier.

Widow Gets Big Verdict.

Tazewell, Va., Sept. 1.—It has just been learned here that the verdict of the jury in favor of the widow of W. T. Holbrook, a N. & W. bridge carpenter, who was killed by a passenger train on a bridge in West Virginia on January 4th last, has been proved by Judge Henry C. McDowell, of the United States district court. This suit was instituted in the federal court at Roanoke by the widow and administratrix of Holbrook, through her counsel, William H. Werth, of the Tazewell bar, under the federal employers' liability act, the railroad being represented by McCormick & Smith, of the Roanoke bar. The case was tried at the June term of the United States court at Roanoke and at the end of the trial the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff for \$25,000, which is said to be the largest verdict ever given in this State in such a case.

Freeling, Va., Sept. 1.—Miss Rosa, daughter of the late Eli Phipps, and Adam H. Kendrick, the smallest man in Dickenson county, were married last week, the groom's father, the Rev. Daniel L. Kendrick, officiating. The bride stands five feet and ten inches, while the groom measures barely four feet. The disparity in their ages is as great as in stature, he being thirty odd, while she is about eighteen.

\$50,000 School Building for Bristol.

Bristol, Tenn., Sept. 2.—The city council of Bristol, Va., has authorized the construction of a new central public school building, to be located on Mary street, near the present central building, and which is to cost about \$50,000. The council has had this matter in mind for some months, and additional land was acquired for the purpose. High school buildings in other towns and cities will be inspected with a view to getting the best possible ideas. The new building will hardly be ready for use before the scholastic year beginning in 1914.

Vaccine Not Responsible.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 1.—Reports that cases of typhoid fever in Bristol were due to the use of typhoid vaccine have been investigated by the State Board of Health, which finds that the patients in question contracted fever before they used the vaccine.

The report of the investigator who visited Bristol and studied the cases was received at the offices of the Board of Health Friday. From this report it appears that the five children of a prominent Bristol citizen were taken seriously sick at about the same time. As fever was prevalent in the city, it was thought best to vaccinate four of the children against the disease. One of the children was to ill at the time to take the vaccine. Within the next few days all of the children showed unmistakable evidences of typhoid fever. As it takes typhoid fever two weeks to develop, the report points out that the children had the germs in their systems before they took the vaccine and that the treatment could not in consequence, be blamed in any way. "It is apparent," says the investigator's report, "that all these patients had typhoid fever when the vaccine was given, having contracted it at the time a number of other cases appeared in the city. In the circumstances, neither the physician nor the local health officer blamed the vaccine and both felt that this had absolutely nothing to do with the appearance of the disease. Indeed, it is remarkable that the four children who took the vaccine had very mild symptoms while the unvaccinated child is still suffering from a most severe form of the fever. Instead of casting suspicion on typhoid vaccine these cases strengthen our faith in it as a preventive."

To Hold Examination on Sat. Sept. 27.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that an examination will be held at Plasterco, Va., as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster at Plasterco, Va., and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$559 for the last fiscal year.

Application forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at Plasterco, Va., or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington at least 7 days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine the applicants.

Gate City, Va., Sept. 1.—C. S. Pendleton, the Scott county Republican Chairman, has issued a call for a convention to be held at Gate City, on Tuesday, September 22, to nominate a candidate for the House of Delegates. The known aspirants for the nomination are M. P. Taylor, the incumbent, Ryland Craft and Hugh M. Addington.

Carroll Republicans Favor Enabling Act.

Hillsville, Va., Aug. 30.—At the Republican convention held here a few days ago to nominate a candidate to the State legislature, Dr. J. R. Branscome, who lives out on the top of the Blue Ridge, was nominated. The convention, among other resolutions, adopted one endorsing the enabling act, to allow the people to vote on the liquor question. Dr. Branscome, in accepting the nomination, promised to use his best effort to pass the enabling act, and that if he failed he was in favor of passing an act to stop the shipment of moon whiskey in the county and to allow the people at home to make good whiskey instead, if they are bound to have whiskey.

Confident J. L. Kelly Will Win.

An aggressive campaign is being conducted by friends of Judge Joseph L. Kelly, of Bristol, to bring about his election by the next legislature of Virginia, to the Supreme Court of Appeals, to succeed Judge John A. Buchanan, of Emory. His friends believe that he is already far in the lead of any other candidate and they feel confident that he will win. Judge Waller R. Staples, of Roanoke, is a candidate for the judgeship to be made vacant by the retirement of Judge Frank B. Hutson, of Abingdon, is also regarded as an aspirant for the Supreme bench, before the next legislature.

Summers Has Clear Field.

Bristol, Va., Sept. 1.—According to a telephone message from Marion, the Republicans of Smyth county, removed former State Senator A. T. Lincoln from the possibility of opposing B. F. Buchanan, Democrat, for the State Senate in the First senatorial district by nominating him for the House of Delegates to represent Smyth county. Many thought Mr. Lincoln might be the choice of the Republicans for the Senate, but with his nomination for the House, the field seems practically clear for L. P. Summers, of Abingdon, for the Republican nomination for the Senate. Mr. Summers was here this afternoon and to friends intimated that he would be pleased to make the race against Mr. Buchanan, in event the Republicans of district should honor him with the nomination. The date for the Republican convention has not yet been set.

Henry Stuart Unchallenged.

Letters and telegrams from many of the prominent republican leaders of Virginia to Congressman C. Barcom Slemp, Republican State Chairman, at Washington, says a press dispatch, reveal a strong sentiment against the nomination of a Republican candidate in opposition to Henry C. Stuart, democratic nominee for Governor, and favor of the concentration of Republican effort upon increasing their strength in the general assembly. Mr. Slemp is in favor of the plan, the dispatch further states, and advices from his constituents indicate an overflowing approval of the idea. State Chairman Slemp and other Republican leaders take the position that Mr. Stuart, who for years has advocated certain reforms in Virginia, will demand a great deal of remedial legislation. They anticipate that a certain element in the democratic party will attempt to block the Stuart reforms and thereby cause a division among the democrats in the legislature. Should the republican strength there be increased Mr. Slemp contends that the republicans may hold the balance of power, which would give them the whip hand in demanding changes in the election laws.

6 Pairs Twins, Pair Tripletts Is This Family.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Sept. 2.—A substantial increase in the population of this city is expected today when John White arrives. White is on his way from his home in Calhoun county. He is accompanied by his wife and fifteen of his children—six pairs of twins and a set of tripletts. They will be joined later by three other sets of twins whom they left behind until White can get a job. White and his wife are of middle age, and had another set of tripletts who died in infancy.

Wytheville Hotel Burns to the Ground.

Wytheville, Va., Aug. 28.—Fire was discovered at 11:45 Tuesday night in the rear of the old Hotel Otey on Main street, totally destroying the three-story brick and frame sections of the hotel and a two-story brick store occupied by J. C. Bailey as a grocery store. The brick portion of the hotel was owned by C. N. Otey and rented as a dwelling and was insured for \$3,000. The frame section and brick store house were owned by E. Lee Trinkle and was covered by \$3,250 insurance. All the contents of the buildings were saved. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Bristol, Virginia, Wins Postoffice Fight.

Washington, Sept. 1.—The citizens of Bristol, Virginia, have won a victory in their fight to continue the post office on the Virginia side of the line and will be entirely independent of the Tennessee office.

Although it will be several days before Postmaster General Burleson makes any announcement regarding the continuance of the office, it was learned last Friday that it will be almost impossible for him to take any other action, after considering the report of the inspectors, who made an investigation of the matter several days ago.

The report of the inspectors was turned over to Postmaster General Burleson and will be considered by him. The report shows that 75 per cent of the commercial business of Bristol is done on the Virginia side of the line, and that the people of Bristol, Virginia are practically unanimously in favor of the continuance of the office.

Another Factor which Enters into the Question is that there is a Federal Law in Existence which Prohibits the Abolition of a Post Office at any County Seat.

In Bristol, Virginia, there is such a court of record while there is none on the Tennessee side. This law will apply to prevent the discontinuance of the Virginia office. The report of the inspectors as a whole is extremely favorable to Bristol, Virginia.

In Botetourt county there are 186 tomato canneries which will have an output of from 250,000 to 300,000 cases for the season. In certain parts of Botetourt the quality is inferior, while in other sections of the county the fruit apparently is excellent.

Mr. Herbert Stone, who took the West Point examination last spring and was debarred on account of age has been appointed to the Naval Academy at Annapolis. He will take the Annapolis examination next February. The Annapolis appointment was unsought and came as a very pleasant surprise.—Wytheville Enterprise.

The Norton Ginseng Company, recently organized with \$15,000 paid up capital, is making preparations for the fall setting of twenty five acres with the plants.

These plants will be gathered largely from the Cumberland Gap ginseng farm. The plants will be set in the native wood on the north side of Stone Mountain. The soil is especially favorable to the growth of ginseng. When fully set it will be the largest farm of the kind in the United States.

From an advertisement appearing in the Hillsville papers it is noted that Victor Allen has taken charge of the mercantile stock at the Stone Mountain place in Carroll county. Victor Allen is the member of the family who was at the Hillsville court house on the day of the tragedy, but who was exonerated of any blame in connection with the shooting. He evidently proposes continuing the business of his uncle, who is serving a penitentiary term for the part in the affair.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 30.—Henry C. Stuart today filed his statement of expenses incidental to the recent primary, and while he was not a candidate in that contest, having been declared the nominee he took the precaution to render an accounting. It shows that he expended \$1,299.88 in his contest, the money going for rent of headquarters, clerical hire, printing, postage, travel and expenses and the like.

Nashville, Tenn., Governor Hooper has called an extraordinary session of the Tennessee legislature for September 8th and recommended the enactment of nearly a hundred and sixty measures including appropriation bills, a law prohibiting anti-pass bill, and many local bills.

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MARION NEWS

LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. J. M. Burkett, of Groseclose, was a business visitor to the city Tuesday.

Mr. L. C. Bowling, of Chatham Hill, was a business visitor to Marion Monday.

Rev. J. J. Scherer Jr., of Richmond, will preach at the Lutheran church Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Legard Keller, purchased, at public auction, on last Monday the Carl Atkins house and lot in East Marion for \$2,000.

P. J. Snively, the bustling Groseclose merchant and cabbage dealer, was here Wednesday and paid our office a pleasant call.

Rev. J. Scherer, wife and little child, of Richmond, arrived here Monday and will spend several weeks on a vacation with homefolks.

Rev. E. C. Cronk and family, of Columbia, S. C., are spending a few days here the guests of Rev. J. J. Scherer and Prof. B. E. Copenhagen.

Mrs. Ellen Ballou, of Storm Lake, Iowa, accompanied by her son Edgar, arrived in Marion last Saturday on a visit to her cousins the Messrs Lircoln.

Mrs. C. P. Cass and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Bristol, came up the first of the week on a visit to Mrs. A. T. Lincoln. Mrs. Cass returned Tuesday while Miss Ruth remained.

Prof. W. R. D. Moncure arrived here with his family Wednesday preparatory to opening school next week. He will occupy the residence of Mrs. Elva Robinson on west Marion street.

Buy your boy a Elk Brand Suit for Fall and Winter. Marion Clothing Co.

Hon. L. P. Summers, of Abingdon was attending circuit court Wednesday. Mr. Summers is a receptive candidate on the Republican ticket for State Senate for Smyth and Washington counties and the city of Bristol.

All kinds of Gloves at as low price for the money as can be had. Marion Clothing Co.

Mr. O. W. Spencer, Traveling Passenger Agent for Southern Ry. Company, was here Thursday and gave the News office a business call. He is looking after the interest of the National Conservation Exposition at Knoxville, Tenn.

Some special bargains in Bicycles, new and second hand at the Marion Marble Works.

Mrs. E. J. Anderson and daughter, Miss Josie, of Adwolve, spent Tuesday in Marion the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Anderson. They expect to leave next Tuesday for Phoenix, Arizona, where they go to spend the winter and enjoy the mild climate of that State.

If in need of underwear in the medium or heavy grade call on the Marion Clothing Co's store.

Cards have just been received here which announced the marriage of Miss Marie Airhart Brosius to Mr. Clement Arthur Long, Wednesday September the 3rd 1913, at Durham, N. C. Miss Brosius is a sister of Mr. John and Miss Kate Brosius of near Marion.

Mrs. B. H. Eller and her milliner, Miss Spellman, have returned from a trip to Atlantic City, while gone they visited New York and Philadelphia where they purchased a fine line of fall millinery. These goods are now arriving, and when in, Mrs. Eller will announce her fall opening.

Our Fall & Winter Hine Clothing, Shoes, Gents Furnishings is about complete and at prices that will suit you. Marion Clothing Company.

The Marion Graded School will open Wednesday morning, September 10th, at nine o'clock. All patrons of the school are earnestly requested to see that their children are on hand promptly on the opening day.

Following are the teachers elected: W. R. D. Moncure, Prin., Richmond; Miss E. D. Conway, Don. Va.; Miss Mary Miles, Marion, Va.; Miss Len Jordan, Dublin, Va.; Miss Julia Kollis, Colpepper, Va.; Mrs. Chas. Pruener, Marion, Va.; Miss Helen Speer, Danville, Va.; Miss Louise Shiffert, Palmyra, Va.; Miss Frances Sadler, Wilmington, Va.; Miss Lucy Lyon, Bedford City, Va.

We carry Uiz and Dunu's shoe for Ladies and Steadfast, Williams-Kneeland and All America for Men. Marion Clothing Co.

The Social Card Game.

In this world there are many things that are hard to comprehend; but to me there is no one thing more mystifying, than to try to understand why church members insist on playing cards and having card parties in their homes, when there are a thousand and one, good, innocent games that may be engaged in, and that are above reproach? We all know, that to graduate from the social card game into a professional gambler is the most natural thing in the world. From my own observation I have learned that young men who play cards at home, when they go away from home to live, usually spend the greater part of the Sabbath in this most fascinating game, with a good many nickles changing hands. Of course parents do not all know this, but why should they be surprised. It has been said that, "The man who can play cards at night and do business in the day time, hasn't yet been born."

I would no more think of teaching my boy to play cards, than I would cultivate in him the taste for drink, by giving him a toddy every time he takes a cold, as I have known some parents to do. Will some good methodist please explain to me, how parents may raise their children up to be free from the influence of the card game, when it is played in the homes of so many of our people.

METHODIST. Prof. J. W. S. Rhea, of Memphis, is here on a visit to his sister, Mrs H. B. Staley.

If in need of stylish Up to-date neckwear we have it. Marion Clothing Co.

Miss Ethel Hankla, of Rural Retreat, came down Sunday and is spending the week in Marion the guest of Mrs W. E. Hodges.

If in need of Trunks and Dress Suit cases be sure and call on Marion Clothing Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Dungan, of Seven Mile Ford, were in the city Monday shopping and attending to business matters.

Mr. Geo. A. Collins, of Collins Bros, spent last week in Baltimore, New York and the eastern markets purchasing fall goods.

Mr. John R. Man z, who has been in the employment of the Appalachian Power Company for several months at McComor, West, Va., had the misfortune to get his right hand badly burned a few days ago which so disabled him that he had to come home Monday.

The Marion cleaning pressing and repair shop is still doing business. First door east Marion National Bldg. Phone 100.

We pay top prices for your butter, eggs, poultry and farm produce; cash or trade. We carry a complete line of staple groceries. Prices reasonable; quality best. Marion Fruit and Produce Co.

Death of Mrs. Goodpasture

Mrs. Fannie Goodpasture died on last Wednesday morning at one o'clock at the home of J. T. Hugs, at Wallace, Va. Mrs. Goodpasture was the wife of the late Alex Goodpasture and had been in bad health for several months. She was a consistent member of the Methodist Church and was always ready to take an active part in church work. She was a true christian lady. Her remains were brought to Marion last Thursday afternoon and taken to Mt. Carmel church where the funeral was conducted by Rev. T. C. Shuler. Quite a number of relatives and friends accompanied; the remains from Wallace, Emory and Glade Springs. After the funeral the remains were laid to rest in the Mt. Carmel cemetery.

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Diarrhoea Quickly Cured. "I was taken with diarrhoea and Mr. Yorks, the merchant here, persuaded me to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After taking one dose of it I was cured it also cured others that I gave it to," writes M. E. Gebhart, Oriole, Pa. That is not at all unusual. An ordinary attack of diarrhoea can almost invariably be cured by one or two doses of this remedy. Sold by all dealers.

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SECOND DISTRICT. Zion—Miss Lelia Honaker and Miss Honaker. Ezelle—Mrs. Foglesoug. Cave—Miss Lula Pickle. Lick Creek—Miss Lula Pratt. Spratt's Creek—Miss Stueher. Chatham Hill—Mr. Eversole, Miss Mable Sexton, Miss Ross. Cove—Miss Roberts. Ridgedale—Mr. T. T. Crabtree. Ellendale—Miss Scott. Long Hollow—Mr. Stuart, Miss Myers, Miss Lillian Pratt. Oak Grove—Miss Mary Brice. Union—Miss Daisy Buchanan. Broadford—Miss Josephine Sheffey, Miss Belle Fretwell. Taylor's—Miss Helen Buchanan. McCrady's—Mr. —, Miss May Houston. North Holston—Miss Brown. Lyon's Gap—Miss Emberson. Quarry—Mr. Seth Bennington. Allison's Gap—Mr. R. S. DeBask, Miss Ida Sparks. Cedar Branch—Miss Harris.

THIRD DISTRICT. Camp—Miss Myrtle Clark. Blue Spring—Mr. Gore, Miss Ola Fisher. Summit—Mr. John Parks. Sugar Grove—Mr. Eswood, Mrs. Jennie Horn, Miss Nelson, Miss Nelson. Teas—Miss Flossie Scott, Miss Valley View—Misses Myrtle Meek and Nannie Meek. Lansdown—Miss Rebecca Mills, Miss Lyon. Williams—Miss Rouse. Riverside—Not elected. Piedmont—Mr. Litz, Miss Cora Freeman.

Big line of Stylish Hats & Caps for sale by Marion Clothing Co.

Minister Praises Laxative. Rev. H. Stubenvoll of Allison, Ia. in praising Dr. King's New Life Pills for constipation, writes: "Dr. King's New Life Pills are such perfect pills no home should be without them." No better regulator for the liver and bowels. Every pill guaranteed. Try them. Price 25c. at Carson Drug Co.

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The County Fair.

The third annual exhibition of the Smyth County Fair Association was the most successful yet given. The exhibition of fine horses and cattle was greater than ever before. The agricultural exhibit was not so full, owing to the early date of the fair, but it was fine and the products displayed were up to former years. The Ladies' Department was better than usual and the interest manifested by them is one of the healthy indications for the future success of the Association. The attendance was the largest in its history. On the second day there were more than 6000 paid admissions. While the Flying Machine feature was a disappointment; it did not leave room for criticism. It was no fake and the fact that the machine was here and a faithful and earnest attempt made to fly was proof that the fair management acted in good faith. The operator claimed that air conditions were such in this altitude that his machine would not ascend. The Secretary, Mr. W. B. Porterfield, was retiring in his efforts to make the fair a success; he was ably assisted by Mr. John B. George the president and the Board of Directors. With another successful year the association can probably pay out of debt and begin to pay dividends on the stock. The annual exhibition is worth much to the county and serves as a stimulus in many directions for improvements, especially, to the farmers and stock growers of the county. It puts old Smyth on the map and keeps her prominently to the front among Southwest Virginia counties. See premium list published elsewhere and in this issue of the News.

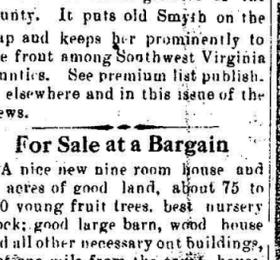
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Marion is to Have Free Delivery.

Marion, Virginia, is to have city mail delivery beginning September 15. The post office department established "Experimental Village Delivery Service" here under the provision of an appropriation contained in the last post office appropriation bill. This bill set aside \$150,000 to be used for the establishment of experimental delivery in small cities to determine its advantages and practicability. The post office regulation provides that city delivery can only be established in cities of over 10,000 population or where the postal receipts are over \$10,000.00 per annum. The service will consist of two carriers who will make two deliveries a day. J. O. Stephenson and Haynes L. Wolfe have been designated as carriers, the former for North, the latter for South Marion. Marion is the third city in Virginia to secure this great advantage of mail delivery. Berryville and Cape Charles are at present enjoying it. 1080 cities in the United States now have the experimental village service. The town council have ordered the figures and will number the houses next week. The department will require the patrons to put up a small box at the front door or entrance to receive the mail. This is not a regulation box but any neat receptacle to suit the patron will do.

Mother of Eighteen Children

"I am the mother of eighteen children and have the praise of doing more work than any young woman in my town," writes Mrs. O. J. Martin, Boone Mill, Va. "I suffered five years with stomach trouble and could not eat as much as a biscuit without suffering. I have taken three bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets, and am now a well woman and weigh 108 pounds. I can eat anything I want to, and as much as I want and feel better than I have at any time in ten years. I refer to any one in Boone Mill or vicinity and they will vouch for what I say." Chamberlain's Tablets are for sale by all dealers.

The Use of Calomel Practically Stopped in this Vicinity.

Dangerous Drug Giving Away to Dodson's Liver Tonic—a Safe Always Reliable Remedy. Hundreds of people in this vicinity alone have stopped the use of dangerous calomel when their liver is acting slowly and take Dodson's Liver Tonic instead. Dodson's Liver Tonic is always safe and has none of the bad after-effects which so often follow the use of calomel. It is a pleasant tasting vegetable liquid that starts the liver gently and surely, relieves constipation and biliousness and causes no restriction of habit or diet. Many preparations have sprung up that imitate the claims made for Dodson's Liver Tonic, but remember Dodson's Liver Tonic is the tried and tested remedy that has proven such a good medicine and is so satisfactory to every user—is the reason these imitations are on the market. Dodson's Liver Tonic cannot hurt anyone and if it fails to do all that is claimed for it, the druggist who sells it will give your money back with a smile.

MARYLAND FARMS.

'We Sell the Earth—Hartford County the Garden Spot'

225 acres, splendid stock and grain farm fine buildings, price... \$25,000 260 acres, good stock and grain farm, good buildings, price... 12,500 200 acres, good stock and grain farm, good buildings, price... 12,500 100 acres, extra, stock and grain farm, fine buildings, price... 12,500 185 acres, good stock and grain farm, fine buildings, price... 15,000 176 acres, good stock and grain farm, fine buildings, price... 14,000 135 acres, good stock and grain farm, good buildings, price... 11,000 150 acres, fair stock and grain farm, fair buildings, price... 8,500 200 acres, fair stock and grain farm, good buildings, price... 7,500 81 acres, good stock and grain farm, fair buildings, price... 6,500 71 acres, fair stock and grain farm, fair buildings, price... 6,000 35 acres, fair stock and grain farm, good buildings, price... 3,500

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Per Acre Value Five Times More Than Clover—Some Wisconsin Census Figures Which Talk For Themselves.

According to the 1910 census of the hay crop, the state of Wisconsin grew 18,000 acres of alfalfa, which averaged 2.8 tons per acre for the entire state, and the average acre value of the crop was \$31.00. During the same year the combined acreage of timothy and clover averaged 1.6 tons per acre, valued at \$14.00. It costs no more to grow an acre of alfalfa than it does to grow an acre of timothy or clover. The average cost of growing an acre of clover or timothy is approximately \$10.00. Thus the farmer would clear \$4.00 per acre in growing these crops, whereas if he grew alfalfa he would make a profit of \$21.00 per acre, or

Alfalfa Most Valuable Forage Crop

Wisconsin Hay Crop, 1910

	Average	Av. Yield Per Acre	Value
Alfalfa	18,000	2.8 Tons	\$31
Timothy	767,000	1.4 "	14
Clover	119,500	1.7 "	14
Timothy and Clover	1,630,000	1.6 "	14

over five times the income received from any one of the other hay crops. The latest reports from Wisconsin show nearly 40,000 acres seeded to alfalfa with an average of about four tons to the acre.

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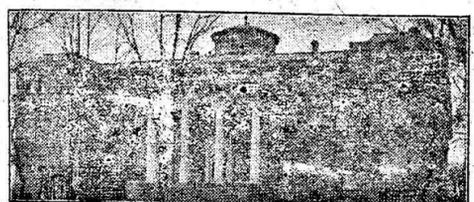
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LEAVE MARION 7:55 a. m. for East Radford, Roanoke, Lynchburg, Petersburg, Richmond and Norfolk. Pullman Parlor Car to Richmond. Sleeper to Roanoke to New York.

1:50 p. m.—DAILY—For all points between Bristol and Lynchburg, connects at Walton 5:40 p. m. with the St. Louis Express for all points West and Northwest. Pullman Sleepers to Columbus and Cincinnati. Cafe Car to William, son. Pullman Sleeper from East Radford to Philadelphia via Roanoke Cafe Car.

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 8:28 p. m.

NEW RIVER BRANCH—Leaves East Radford 10:55 a. m. for Bluefield, Pocahontas, Tazewell, Norton and stations on Clinch Valley Division. Pullman Sleepers to Welch and Gary.

5:25 a. m.—Leave East Radford for Bluefield and Columbus. Sleeper to Columbus, Cafe car. Connects at Bluefield for Tazewell and Norton.

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