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ANNOUNCEMENT CARD.

FOR MAYOR:

TO THE VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF MARION:

I take this opportunity of announcing myself a candidate for the office of Mayor of the Town of Marion, and ask your support in the coming election.

I promise if elected, to give my best efforts to all matters pertaining to the Town, and to know all people alike.

Respectfully,

E. H. BUCHANAN.

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FOR RECORDER

To the Voters of the Town of Marion:

I take this opportunity of announcing myself as a candidate for the office of Recorder of the Town of Marion, and ask your support in the coming election in June, 1924. I promise, if elected, to perform fully all the duties pertaining to this office.

MRS. LIZZIE P. ALLEN.

Feb 26, 1924 t d e

FOR SERGEANT

To the Voters of the Town of Marion:

The undersigned respectfully announces his candidacy for the position of Sergeant of the Town of Marion, Virginia, the election to be held in June, 1924, and asks the support and votes of the citizens of the Town. If elected to this position he pledges a faithful and efficient discharge of the duties of the position without favor to any one, but with an eye single for the good of the public service.

JOHN E. YORK.

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FOR SERGEANT.

To the Voters of the Town of Marion

I take this opportunity of announcing myself as a candidate for the office of SERGEANT of the Town of Marion, and ask your support in the coming election in June, 1924. I promise if elected to perform fully all the duties pertaining to this office.

Yours Respectfully,

C. C. McINTYRE.

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NOTICE:

All persons having claims against the estate of James C. Smith deceased, will present them to the undersigned administrator.

This March 21, 1924.

S F DILLARD, Adm.

mar 25 d n lte

NOTICE.

Bring me your EGGS—I will pay Highest CASH Price for same.

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n-d mar 25tf

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RECITAL POSTPONED.

Franceska Lawson can not fill her engagement to sing at Marion College on Friday evening, March 28th. The recital has been postponed to Friday evening, April 25th.

For the convenience of those attending the contests on April 4th, Circle No. 1 of the Presbyterian Church will serve sandwiches, coffee, pie and cake at the rummage sale room. Look for the sign.

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While money is plentiful farmers should arrange their obligations to be SAFE when money is scarce, for this purpose we have the BEST loan on the market.

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Kiwanis Club Holds Meeting

The Marion Club held one of its big meetings Tuesday night in the large banquet hall of Greer's restaurant. This was truly a great meeting as reports were heard from the various committees showing results of their activities, and several new projects were advanced, including the establishment of a Golf Club, and arranging for a minstrel show, which is to be given in the near future.

Dr. Z. V. Sherrill gave a favorable report on the Clinic for Crippled Children which is to be held soon. Preparations are being made to get a Community nurse and the Play Grounds committee is active in making arrangements for a permanent play ground, including a large base ball field.

The committee composed of J. I. Buchanan, J. D. Perkins and W. R. D. Moncure was busy all during the day presenting the question of building a road through Smyth county, and gave a very favorable report of the progress made in behalf of this project.

W. R. D. Moncure and R. G. Greer were elected as delegates to the Denver Convention which will be held June 16th; R. G. Goolsby and James D. Tate were appointed as delegates, and it is expected all of these men will attend. This is one of the big events as more than 6000 Kiwanians are expected to be present from over 1160 Clubs in the United States and Canada. "On to Denver" is the slogan now and is arousing much interest with all Kiwanians.

At the close of the business meeting and after a splendid luncheon the members and guests were delightfully entertained by Misses Kerrick, Anglin, Rudisil and Mrs. Scott teachers of Marion College. These ladies came to furnish the entertainment by special invitation given by Jim Shanklin, who with W. E. Francis had charge of the program. They have been very kind in furnishing entertainment before, and Miss Kerrick rendered two beautiful violin solos accompanied by Mrs. Scott at the piano, while Miss Anglin entertained with several recitations with that special and attractive manner she is so accustomed to using. Miss Porter sang several beautiful solos being accompanied by Mrs. Scott, a very talented lady who has been added to the Department of Music in the College since Xmas.

Dent. Staley came out with his "silent boost", and George Cook gave the Attendance Prize. Several guests were present, including L. L. Beans of Beckley, W. Va., Mr. Arthur Peery, Mr. Dare, Mr. McSpadden and others.

Everybody was on the job right from the start and with the music furnished by Mrs. Lane all joined in heartily in the songs even during the luncheon as she rendered the songs in such a manner that no one could help but sing. Her music has been a source of great pleasure at the last three meetings and it is now getting so that no luncheon is complete without music during the meals.

Henry Staley was out of town and Jim Tate asked that another gentleman be appointed to help him prepare the program for the next meeting which is to be a ladies night and each Kiwanian will be expected to bring a guest to this meeting. A big time is expected as the two gentlemen in charge always know where to go to get entertainers and how to entertain.

A larger attendance was present than usual as there were about 53 members and guests. After the meeting J. Oscar Stephenson, the old reliable for entertainment, invited all of those present to go to the Marion Theater for the second show he was having, so that those who did not have to go home had the opportunity of going to his show.

The Marion Club is fast getting down to work and will be doing some big and helpful things for Marion and its growth in a little while.

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kent and son spent Saturday in Bristol.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Bennett have moved into the bungalow on the lot of the Methodist church.

Mrs. W. W. Hawkins entertained quite a number of her friends Tuesday at a bridge party.

Mrs. W. W. Hawkins entertained the members of the Tea Club Thursday afternoon in her home on College street.

Prof. B. E. Copenhaver returned to Marion Saturday after attending the Teachers meeting in Roanoke on Thursday and Friday.

Lime and Sulphur the best spray for fruit trees.

MARION DRUG CO.

Dr. Chitwood and B. O. Johnston of Wytheville, were here last Wednesday to see Miss Annie Lou Johnston, who has been very sick.

Be sure to attend the Play given by the Civic League of Attoyah at the school house on March 29th, 1924 Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Messrs. W. W. Hawkins, A. T. Lincoln, E. M. Copenhaver and Sexton Hawkins returned to Marion Sunday after a week's trip through the Southern States.

Mrs. W. P. McGinnie is very sick at her home on Hospital Hill; Miss Drucilla came home last week from Roanoke where she has been in the hospital for some time.

Spaulding's Base Ball bats, gloves and ball for 1924 season.

MARION DRUG CO.

Mrs. Tyler Frazier Sr., and Mrs. Tyler Frazier, Jr., of Chilhowie, attended the Embroidery Club here last Saturday, which was very delightfully entertained by Mrs. D. D. Staley.

Rev. H. B. Brown dismissed his congregation last Sunday evening on account of the revival which is in progress at Mt. Carmel church; Rev. Barnett of Rural Retreat is conducting this revival.

Miss Catherine Dennis of Rural Retreat, spent Monday afternoon in Marion. Miss Dennis has charge of the Domestic Science department in the Rural Retreat High School.

Burpee's Garden Seeds in bulk — saves you half the prices of package seeds.

MARION DRUG CO.

Rev. E. C. Burnz, of Saltville, spent Monday in Marion looking after his church interests. There will not be any service in the Episcopal church next Sunday as the Rector spend this week in Glade Springs.

The Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will re-open the Rummage Sale on April 1st, in their room next door to Collins Bros. Dept. Store. Open each afternoon from one to six o'clock.

The Smyth County Teachers Association will hold its meeting Saturday morning in the Court House Auditorium. This will be the last meeting of the year; the meeting has been postponed twice on account of the bad weather.

Miss Eleanore Copenhaver, National Secretary of the Y W C A, spent the week end at her home in Marion as the guest of her parents Prof. and Mrs. B. E. Copenhaver; Miss Copenhaver left Tuesday for New York.

Business is on the boom in Marion as can be readily determined from the amount of freight handled here. The two furniture factories alone had five cars full of furniture to send off Wednesday. The Virginia Furniture factory sent off seven cars loaded with dining room suites and the Look & Lincoln factory sent off two cars of bed-room furniture.

Mr. C. C. Lincoln, Sr., has let to contract with a Lynchburg firm for the erection of his new residence in Royad Oak Heights and a large force of men with teams are now at work grading and getting ready to commence on the building at once. When completed it will be one of the most modern and up-to-date homes in this section.

Miss Margaret Wassum, talented violinist of Marion, Virginia, who is now studying music at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music under the direction of Jean ten Have, famous French violinist who is now on the faculty of the Cincinnati Conservatory, recently participated in a recital given before members of the International Club of Cincinnati. Miss Wassum's part on the program was unusually well received by her audience. She played only two solos but it was her method of presenting them that appealed so much to her listeners. Miss Wassum is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wassum of this city.

Virginia Road Commission Hear Arguments at Marion.

PETITIONS HEARD WITH RESPECT TO LOCATION OF ROAD FROM INDEPENDENCE VIRGINIA TO MAIN HIGHWAY.

MUCH INTEREST SHOWN.

The State Road Commission as formerly arranged convened in the court room at Marion, Virginia, Tuesday, March 25th, to hear the various petitions regarding the location of a State highway from Independence Virginia to Lee Highway.

The Commission had formerly tentatively adopted a route from Independence via Comer's creek and Thomas Bridge and thence into Washington County, making a junction with Lee Highway at Cedarville. Much discussion has arisen since the tentative adoption of the route described above, and various petitions have been presented requesting that the route be constructed from Independence, south of White Top to Konnarock and Damascus, or north of White Top and via Konnarock via Damascus.

Messrs. Moncure, Buchanan, Perkins and Hutton were leading the fight for the adoption of the route tentatively accepted by the Commission, and evidence from various citizens along with petitions setting forth the nature of the country, its resources and civic needs were filed with the Commission.

The fact was developed that the route adopted at present would pass directly twenty-seven churches, seventeen schools, and supply transportation facilities to a thickly settled population, and at the same time give to the Grayson county citizens a most direct route to the Norfolk & Western Railway, and direct connection with West Virginia, for the marketing of produce. It was maintained that the increased value of land would more than offset that of any other route, and that the persons benefitted were the farming classes, stabilized as to domicile, and needful of transportation facilities to marketing points.

Messrs. Peters and Stuart were leading the fight for the adoption of the route via Konnarock and Damascus. Their contention was predicated upon the former action of the Legislature of Virginia in establishing the route.

It was maintained that the acts of the Assembly provide that the road must go to or near Damascus, and that the Commission was compelled by law to direct the route from Independence either north or south of White Top to Konnarock and Damascus. Witnesses were introduced to show the various advantages to be derived from the adoption of this route. Census figures were introduced to show that the population that would be served, witnesses testified as to land values, the possibility of free rights of way, government appropriations in case the road were directed thru the Federal Forest Reserves, and the economic possibility of constructing same.

Mr. Parsons advocated the same route but was desirous of having same to pass south of Whit Top; the contention was that a route so constructed would give great road mileage in Grayson county and answer the needs of a vast population south of White Top which at present has no outlet whatever. The evidence for his contention was along with that of Messrs. Peters and Stuart all of whom were centered on Konnarock and Damascus, Mr. Parsons disagreeing merely as to the means of reaching these points.

The Commission took the various contentions under advisement, with the promise of a decision at the earliest possible date. The meeting adjourned in order that the Commission might go over the proposed routes.

The meeting was attended by an enthusiastic and large crowd from Smyth and adjoining counties.

Ridge Dale Items.

The farmers are hustling at this place in order that they may have their ground prepared for corn planting.

Messrs. James W. Carter, Bradley Carter, J. A. Stephenson, George Spence, Thompson Maloyed and Claude Stephenson motored to Saltville Saturday on business.

Mr. J. A. Stephenson, Deputy Treasurer of Rich valley, is getting along splendidly so far this year.

Mrs. Geo. W. Gillispie has been on the sick list for some time, but hope that she will recover. Miss Annie Hancock from Nebo, is staying with her now.

The school at this place is getting along just fine.

The stork visited Mr. Joe Lammie the other day and left him a fine baby boy.

A revival meeting will begin April 2d at the Church of God, the Evangelist Rev. G. H. Pye and wife holding it.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Oakes from Saltville, were visiting home folks. Mr. John Coe has purchased a new Chevrolet car.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Pratt from No. Holston, were visiting home folks last Sunday.

Mr. H. B. Staley is spending the week out of town on a short trip through Southern cities.

Mrs. H. B. Brown returned to Marion Tuesday after spending the past month with relatives in Texas.

Box Supper at Pendleton's Chapel School Friday night April 4th for the benefit of school building. Be sure and come and bring some one with you.

Saltville School Notes.

Out of twenty-nine essays on the life and character of Abraham Lincoln submitted by the senior class, of Miss Blanche Buchanan was adjudged the winner of the Lincoln medal, the gift of the Illinois Watch Co. This medal was presented at the March League meeting by Mr. Clyde Crafts, President of League.

Saltville High School secured the Times-Dispatch Orator's medal in the 9th District contest to be held in Bristol on March 31st. This honor was won by Robert Porterfield, son of Mayor W. B. Porterfield.

The Emory and Henry Glee Club will play in Saltville on 25th under the auspices of the Civic League.

Mrs. C. E. Anderson and Miss Leona Rogers attended the Roanoke Education Conference last week.

Miss Sarah Galey of the High Martha Washington College reading School represented Saltville in the contest.

The several grades are projecting a May day pageant under the direction of Miss Jennings of the High School faculty. A boy's field day will be an introductory feature.

The preliminaries to select speakers and spellers for the county contest in Marion are scheduled for Wednesday.

The High School has a flourishing literary society in each of the four grades, all rendering good programs.

The class sermon will be preached on May 18th by Dr. Chas. J. Smith, President of Roanoke College. The literary address will be delivered by Dr. J. Steward French of Bristol, on May 23rd.

Marion to Have Modern Hotel

The public has just received the announcement that Marion is to have a modern fire-proof hotel. A stock company composed of the leading business men of Marion and Smyth county is now in process of organization and plans are being formulated with a view of starting the work of construction within sixty days. The tentative plan is to build the hotel on the Pruner lot adjoining the new restaurant building. The building will be four stories above ground, with a large and commodious lobby on the first floor and space for a modern barber-shop in the basement. There will be fifty bed rooms all of which will have private baths. The hotel project has been enthusiastically received in the community.

GEORGE D. SHORT.

Mr. George D. Short, who lives on Railroad Ave., died at his home on Wednesday night at 9:30, from pneumonia. He had only been sick a few days being taken ill last Thursday. Mr. Short was one of our best citizens, and leaves to mourn his untimely death one son, Mr. A. T. Short of Sugar Grove, Mrs. Claude McGroady and Mrs. H. R. Braddock of Marion. Mr. Short has made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Braddock for several years.

DEATH OF MRS. JAMES A. GROSECLOSE.

Our town was greatly shocked on the morning of the 27th when news was received that Mrs. James A. Groseclose of Mt. Carmel, had died very suddenly during the night. Mrs. Groseclose attended services at the church going home about 10:00 o'clock feeling as well as usual, and it is supposed that heart failure was the cause of her sudden death. We will give more extended notice about this good woman in our next week's issue.

The Appalachian Power Company have a force of men excavating and making ready for their new building on Main Street. They expect to have the work completed and be in their new quarters in about ninety days.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Marion Baptist church will have a special program on next Sunday evening at 6:30 Mr. H. L. Wolfe will have charge of the program. Come.

THE BAPTIST CHURCH.

At the morning service the pastor's subject will be "Angels and Hornets", and at night "The Most Terrible Word in the Bible." Help to make the services what they ought to be, and also the Sunday School at 9:30 A. M., and the Young Peoples meeting at 6:30 P. M. Remember to bring your friends with you.

Presbyterian Church to be Dedicated.

Plans for the dedication of the Presbyterian Church are going forward. The services will be held on the morning of Sunday, April 6th, just one year from the date of abandoning the old building. The last service in the old building were held on the last Sunday in March a year ago and while services have been held for sometime in the Sunday School rooms of the new building the first services in the new church auditorium will be the dedication services on the first Sunday in April.

The occasion will attract a large congregation from Marion and nearby sections and from all parts of the Southwest. Rev. W. W. Moore, D. D., President of Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, will preach the sermon. Invitations have been formally extended to all congregations in Marion to join in the services and the pastors asked to bring messages from their respective churches. Word has been received that the Presbyterian congregation of Rural Retreat will close their church on this day and attend the service here, while individuals from Bristol to Radford have declared their intention to come.

Work on the building is now finished with the exception of a little yet to be done on the organ and the grading of the yard in front of the church. The organ will be ready for use this week, and temporary arrangements will be made to allow convenient entrance by the front doors.

A fuller statement of program will be published next week.

The Pastor will preach in the Sunday School auditorium next Sunday at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sunday School at 9:30 and Young Peoples Meeting at 7:00.

BASE BALL.

Marion will be in the Inter-County League This Season.

Mr. H. E. Roberts and Mr. Thomas F. Cox, represented Marion at a meeting of the Inter-County League on Monday night March 24th. They report that Marion is listed in the league this season. The following towns and teams will be in the league this season:

Marion, Damascus, Glade Springs, Lebanon, Abingdon, Saltville.

This will make six teams, leaving Chilhowie out this season, as they were in last season. The first game will be played May 3rd. The outlook for a team in Marion is very favorable this time, as we have Chilhowie to draw from. The team will be organized within a few days and start playing exhibition games.

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RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas God in infinite wisdom has called into eternal rest Mr. Jno. B. Greever, the venerable father of Mrs. Eldridge Copenhaver;

And whereas Mrs. Copenhaver is not only a faithful member of our Missionary Society but is also the devoted wife of our beloved Pastor, the Rev. F. H. Copenhaver;

Therefore be it Resolved, that we, collectively and individually, express to Mrs. Copenhaver our profound sympathy with her in her great sorrow;

And that a copy of these resolutions be sent to our city papers for publication.

Mrs. C. BROWN COX.
Mrs. GEO. KILLINGER.

Doris Bohannon



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MARCH 29th, 1924, AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M.

the following property: For cash in hand: 175 Busbels Corn, 1 Gasoline Engine, 1 Corn Sheller, 1 Ford Automobile, 2 Mowing Scythes, 2 Hoes, 2 Forks, 1 Saddle, 1 Shovel, 1 Two Horse Wagon, 1 Wagon Bed, 2 Log Chains, 1 Belt, 1 Team of Black Horses, 1 set of Harness, 1 Red Cow, 1 Rocking Chair, 1 Sofa, 1 Table, 5 Dining Room Chairs, 1 Brass Kettle, 1 Bedstead, 2 Pillows, 1 Feather Bed, 1 Straw Tick, 1 Dresser, one Table, 1 Deering Binder, 1 Mowing Machine, 1 Hay Rake, 1 Disc Harrow, 1 Grass Seed Harrow, one 40 Oliver Chill Plow, 1 Cultivator.

S. F. DILLARD, Administrator of JAMES C. SMITH, Deceased.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 6th day of March 1924.

F. S. Lampie, et al. Plaintiffs.
against
W. T. Lampie Defendant.

IN CHANCERY:

The object of this suit is to partition the lands of which I. M. Lampie died seized near Marion, Smyth County, Virginia.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant W. T. Lampie is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear here 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 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 17th day of March 1924, that being the next succeeding rule day after this order was entered.

A copy—Teste:
H. L. KENT, Clerk.

W. R. D. Moncure p. q.
March 6 4t

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FOR RENT.

Pursuant to the terms of that certain decree entered on January 25, 1924, by the Circuit Court of Smyth County in the chancery cause of Sterchi Bros. Co. Inc., against A. A. Broyles, I will, on

APRIL 12, 1924, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House for Smyth County, proceed to rent at public auction, to the highest bidder, for a period of time not to exceed 5 years as will be sufficient to pay about \$225.00, all of that certain tract of land containing about TWO ACRES and being the same property conveyed to the said A. A. Broyles by the deed of W. G. Buchanan and wife, and lying near Quarry, in Smyth County, and fully described in the Bill and Exhibits of said cause.

This property has a good dwelling house upon it and is located close to public works. The rental terms being cash in hand.

GEORGE F. COOK,
Special Commissioner.

I hereby certify that the above named Special Commissioner has given bond as required by the decree under which he sells.

Given under my hand this March 19, 1924.

H. L. KENT, Clerk.

Mar 20 4t n

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Big Boost Banquet.

PLANS FOR A MODERN HOTEL DISCUSSED AT AN ELABORATE DINNER.

On Saturday evening in the Kiwanis Hall Mr. Frank M. Greer was host to a large gathering of the business and professional men of Marion. Banquet given by Mr. Greer to his guests was one in which every device of the skilled caterer contributed to the complete success of the dinner which was probably the most elaborate yet given in Marion's new restaurant.

The following menu was given each guest with such pungent witticisms between courses as "Tis only the good die young; that is the chief reason for our presence here tonight." And with the fish course: "If eating furnisheth food for the brain, we know of many who should dine on whale."

THE MENU

- Grape Fruit Cocktail
- Caviar Canape Dressed Celery
- Gerkins Queen Olives
- Chowder de Lucines
- Slatines
- Baked Rock Bass Sauce Tartare
- Potatoes Saratogo Tomatoes Gifland
- Chops of Breakers a la Clifton
- Petit Bois
- Business Men's Frappe
- Capon a la Bressoise
- Glazed Sweets
- Salad of Fruits
- Ice Cream Neapolitan
- Assorted Cakes
- Cafe

Nippy Bents
Cigars Cigarettes
Mr. W. R. D. Moncure presiding announced to the twenty-five or more assembled Marion boosters that the prime object of the meeting was to discuss ways and means of securing for the town the erection of a new hotel.

During the service of the courses ample time was given for discussion. Wit, humor and eloquence began to flow from the guests, many of whom have contributed to make Marion noted for its ready after-dinner oratory.

Speaker after speaker, comprising finally every guest present, stated that one thing that is indispensable to the progress of any town is first class hotel facilities. There was no disposition to reflect discredit on our present facilities; the idea being that a new hotel would increase business for the old one. It was unanimously agreed that Marion has grown to such proportions as to demand a new hotel with an up-to-date equipment. The remarkable advance of Marion in the way of churches, schools, factories, stores and residences has put the town to the forefront in comparison with places of much larger population. The traveling public, so largely increased by the improvement of State and National highways can be adequately accommodated only by a new hotel of such modern plan, equipment and cuisine as will give Marion the only attraction it lacks for tourists and the traveling public.

With the unrivaled climatic conditions, its interesting scenery, its excellent opportunities for shopping and recreation and its delightful social atmosphere, Marion has only to offer the "knights of the road" comfortable quarters and attractive meals in order to become known as the favorite place for week-ends. Both summer and winter tourists have for many years appreciated the unusual attractions of Marion as a resort, but have hitherto been unable to find suitable accommodations. With a hospitality of the type which by co-operative effort Marion can build and maintain the future growth and prosperity of the town would be assured.

After an exhaustive survey of the situation, every man present went on record as willing and anxious to support the plans for a new hotel. In many cases business men in and out of Marion expressed themselves as ready to subscribe for stock.

A committee was appointed to take the initial steps to give concrete form to the sentiments and plans discussed in the meeting. This committee consists of the following: W. R. D. Moncure, C. C. Lincoln, Jr., L. E. Gordon, R. T. Greer, George A. Collins, John P. Buchanan, George F. Cook and J. R. Shanklin.

Looking hopefully for large results from this most delightful social occasion, the meeting adjourned awaiting an early report from the committee on ways and means.

MUSIC SECTION.

(Conducted by the Monday Afternoon Music Club)

The Monday Afternoon Music Club wish to announce that they have already booked a concert course for next year. The club members feel gratified at the response from the community to the efforts being made to bring really worth while music to Marion, and they hope to bring more and better numbers each year.

The new course promises to be of even greater interest than the numbers secured this season. The different attractions will be announced later.

RUSSIAN CATHEDRAL QUARTET

The Russian Cathedral Quartet, third and last number of the Monday Afternoon Music Club series, appeared in Marion on Monday evening March 10, and presented an interesting program to a large and most appreciative audience.

The program opened with two quartets, "The Lord's Prayer" and "Praise the Name of the Lord," sung a capella, in Russian, with the singers attired in cathedral robes. This group was followed by a program consisting of quartets, solos or duets sung in Russian, English and other languages; several numbers being given in cathedral robes or in peasant costume. "The Armourer's Song," given by the basso, Mr. Bataeff, was much enjoyed, as were other solos and duets. The best work of the Russians however, was done in their quartets, especially those in their native tongue. "The most interesting number; the "Drinking Song" and "Laughing Song" were also well rendered. The Volga Boatmen's Song" was perhaps company responded generously with encores.

There were several piano solos, including Brahms' Rhapsody in G Minor and a Nocturne by Grieg.

The National Music Week will be celebrated throughout the United States from May 4th to the 11th. The Monday Afternoon Music Club expect to participate in the music week with interesting musical programs rendered in Marion, Chatham and throughout the country. Programs will be given in a later issue.

MRS. CHANNING WARD.

One of the most important national committees of the Southern Woman's Educational Alliance is that which headed by Mrs. Channing Ward of Richmond, Va. Mrs. Ward has for a number of years been a prominent figure in the artistic life of Richmond, where the Alliance makes its national headquarters. She is a musician of rare discernment and scholarly attainments, a brilliant pianist and lecturer on musical subjects, and has for some time occupied the post of musical and dramatic editor and critic of the News-Leader, writing under the pen-name of Helen de Motte.

She was responsible for the organization of the Musicians' Club of Richmond, which now numbers more than 500 members, and has served continuously as chairman of the artists concerts since its organization in 1915. She is also general chairman of music for the Woman's Club of Richmond and an active member of the Little Theater League and the Virginia Writers' Club.

The work which the Alliance is doing in helping girls and women in the South to discover the sort of education best suited to their abilities and needs and helping them get that education when help is needed has peculiar responsibility when it comes to a decision about musical training. Mrs. Ward has served the Alliance as committee chairman since 1914, and through her efforts scholarships in leading musical institutions and private teachers have been placed at the disposal of the Alliance. It is thought that this department will be greatly enlarged during the coming season. Each applicant is given a thorough examination by Mrs. Ward and such guidance as seems appropriate, so that maximum efficiency may be developed with relative economy of time and money.

One of the winners of Alliance honors this winter is Eugenia Follard of Norfolk, who is holding the highest scholarship in the David Mannes School of Music. A New York branch of the Alliance has recently been organized with Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson as chairman—Musical America.

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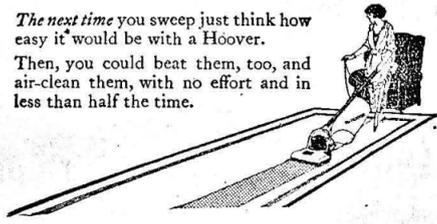
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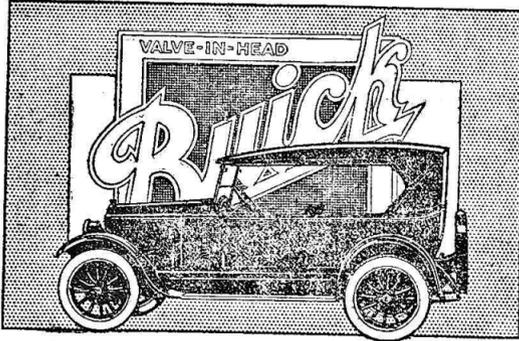
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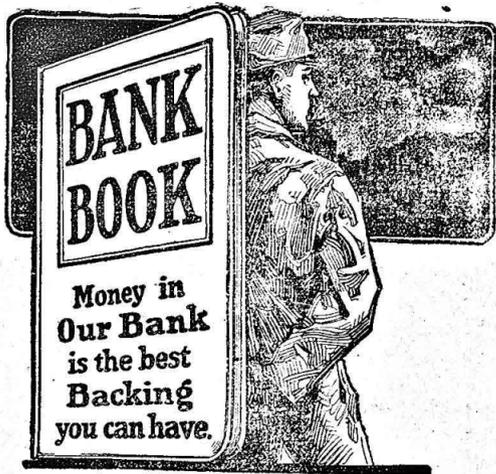
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DEATH OF A LITTLE GIRL.

On Friday, March 7th, the death angel entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Pafford, of Sugar Grove, Virginia, and took from them their little daughter, Mary Francis, aged three years and twenty-four days.

On Sunday morning the little body was carried by loving hands to the Methodist church and there after a short but comforting service by Rev. Robert Ingraham, the body was taken to God's acre where four of her playmates placed the beautiful floral offerings which loving hands had brought upon the mound.

The flower covered mound breathed out to the sorrow stricken friends the promise of the Great Comforter. "I am the resurrection and the life—he that believeth on me though he were dead yet shall he live." And as we turned away from the little mound we realized that she was not there but in the Heavenly mansions, she was joining in the angel chorus.

A CARD OF THANKS.

The family of little Mary Frances Pafford wish to express their thanks to the friends who were so kind to them in their great sorrow.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of W. P. McGinnis, deceased, I hereby notify all parties having claims against the said decedent, that have not already done so, to present the same to me, or my attorney, J. D. Perkins, Marion, Va., at once so that they may be considered in the settlement of the estate of said decedent; and all parties owing said estate will please come forward at once and settle their debts with me, or my said attorney.

ULMER MCGINNIS,

Administrator of W. P. McGinnis, deceased.

March 10th, 1924.

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VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 5th day of March 1924.

James C. Smith Plaintiff,
against
Maude Copenhaver & als., Defendants.

IN CHANCERY:

The object of this suit is to have partition of the lands of which Sallie A. Smith, wife of James C. Smith, deceased, died seized and possessed near Seven Mile Ford, Smyth County, Virginia.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants Garland Osborne, Vonnie Osborne, Essie Osborne, Cecil Osborne, Robert E. Osborne and Wm. W. Smith are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they do appear here within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four weeks in the Marior 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 17 day of March 1924, that being the next succeeding rule day after this order was entered.

A copy—Teste:

LIZZIE P. ALLEN, Clerk.

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NOTICE

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE ON MAIN STREET IN THE TOWN OF MARION, NOW OCCUPIED BY THE PASTIME THEATER AND THE STAR RESTAURANT, APRIL 25th, 1924 AT 11:30 O'CLOCK A. M.

On the

25th DAY OF APRIL, 1924,

at 11:30 o'clock A. M. at the front steps of the Court House at Marion Smyth County, Virginia, in pursuance of a decree entered by the Circuit Court of Smyth County in the chancery cause of A. C. Crouse et als vs. C. W. Long, I will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, in accordance with the provisions of said decree, the following property:

Two lots or parcels of land with the buildings located thereon in the town of Marion, formerly known as the Pastime Theater building and City Restaurant building (concrete buildings) on the South side of Main Street, being the same property fully described in a certain deed from D. Hutton and wife to C. A. Crouse and Emma D. Crouse, bearing date of November 21st, 1916, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Smyth County in Deed Book No. 41, page 524, the two said lots with buildings thereon to be offered for sale first separately and then together, and whichever way brings the most money will be accepted as the highest and best bid.

TERMS OF SALE

Enough cash on day of sale to pay the costs and expenses of this suit and the balance to be paid in three equal installments in six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest at six per centum from date and the purchaser or purchasers shall be required to execute bond or bonds for the deferred purchase payments with approved personal security.

W. R. D. MONCURE,

Special Commissioner.

I hereby certify that W. R. D. Moncure, Special Commissioner, has executed bond before me according to the terms of the decree of sale.

LIZZIE P. ALLEN,

Deputy Clerk.

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NOTICE.

SALE OF VALUABLE HOUSE AND LOT IN SUBURB OF MARION, VIRGINIA.

In execution of decree entered on 7th day of January 1924, in the Chancery Cause pending in the Circuit Court of Smyth County, Virginia styled M. E. Salmons vs. Maggie Whillock et als., I will in front of the Court house at Marion, Va., sell at public outcry the HOUSE AND LOT in the bill and proceeding of said cause mentioned at 11 o'clock A. M. on the

FIRST DAY OF APRIL, 1924.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:

A large Lot and good House, Storehouse and all other necessary outbuildings in the Southern Suburb of the town of Marion, Smyth County, Virginia, formerly occupied by R. L. and Maggie Whillock.

TERMS OF SALE:

\$100.00 cash in hand on day of sale; as to balance on six, twelve and eighteen months time, interest from date and with approved security.

At the same time and place, in the manner and on the same terms, except only \$75.00 cash in hand will be required, I will, in execution of decree entered at the November term, 1923, of said court, sell the land in the bill and papers of said cause mentioned.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND.

A tract of about 7 1/2 ACRES on Waters of Quarter Branch and South Fork of the Holston River, in the Rye Valley, about 1 1/2 miles Southeast of Sugar Grove; conveyed to Laura Maxwell, deceased, by G. W. and S. J. Woods on the 20th October, 1917 Said land in good state of cultivation and comfortable dwelling and good outbuilding on the same.

J. D. PERKINS, Special Commissioner in said Causes. I hereby certify that J. D. Perkins, Special Commissioner in above mentioned causes have executed bonds in the same as required by decrees there-in February 27th, 1924.

H. L. KENT, Clerk.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following deeds of bargain sale were admitted to record in the office of the Clerk of Smyth County for the week ending March 23d, 1924:

- 1 J W and M E Counts to Robert Jones, one tract of land on North Fork of Holston River; \$25.00.
- 2 J D Perkins, special commissioner, to W. P. Keesee, 14 1/2 acres and all of interest of heirs of Cruse Doan, deceased, in the James and Elizabeth Doan's dower lands; \$750.
- 3 George and Charles Puckett to Mary Bert Fullen one acre in Rich Valley; \$84.
- 4 Roy W Kent to E W Golliber lots Nos. 106, 107 and 108 in Henry Addition to the town of Saltville; \$900.00.
- 5 Robert G and Frances H. Goolby to Emma, Carrie and Celestine Wright lots No. 6, 7 and 8 on Park Street, Marion; \$1200.
- 6 W D and Mattie V. Little to H H Cook, interest in 90 acres in Rich Valley; \$200.
- 7 William M and Alice Johnson to Charlie P and Mamie Freeman, 1 acre, 2 rods and 9 poles near Seven Mile Ford; \$300.
- 8 J C and Jennie C Wyatt to L R Orr and T E King, trustees, 1 acre on Walker's Creek road; \$50.
- 9 J H and Lizzie Graham to H E and Alice Steele, 75 acres on South Fork of Holston River; \$4000.
- 10 R J and Elizabeth Farris to T A Davidson, lots 34 and 35 in Henry Addition to Town of Saltville; \$80.

NOTICE.

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, LOCATED NEAR CHILHOWIE & THE MIDDLE FORK BAPTIST CHURCH ON TATTLE BRANCH, SMYTH COUNTY VIRGINIA, APRIL 23d, 1924, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

On the 23rd day of APRIL, 1924, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., on the premises of the Nancy J. Reedy farm on Tattle Branch Smyth County, Virginia, near the town of Chilhowie, in pursuance of a decree entered by the Circuit Court of Smyth County in the chancery cause of M. C. Reedy et als vs. Alice, Groseclosed, et als., I shall sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, in accordance with the provisions of said decree, the following property:

A certain tract or parcel of land located on Tattle Branch, a tributary of the Middle Fork of the Holston River, Marion District, Smyth Co., Virginia, containing 77 ACRES, 3 rods and 14 poles, which said land was conveyed to Nancy J. Reedy by Carlton Snively and wife by deed bearing date of January 2nd, 1923. Said land will first be offered for sale in two parcels and then as a whole and whichever way brings the most money is to be considered the best and highest bid.

TERMS OF SALE: So much cash on day of sale as is necessary to pay the costs of this suit and the expenses of sale, the balance to be paid in three equal installments of six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest at six per centum from date and the purchaser or purchasers shall be required to execute bonds for said deferred purchase money with approved security, or, if the purchaser or purchasers so elect, for cash in full on day of sale.

W. R. D. MONCURE,
mar 27-n-4t Special Commissioner.
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Personals.

Mrs. James Tate of Chilhowie, was a visitor here last Friday.

Mrs. P. R. Francis spent last Wednesday in Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. Booker Chihowie were here on business last Monday.

Mrs. W. D. Vines went to Lithia, Va., last Thursday on business.

Miss Myra Richardson has been very sick but is improving.

Mr. S. T. Crow of Atkins, was here last Monday on business.

Mr. Charlie King of Saltville, spent Monday in town.

Mr. John Henegar of Chilhowie, was here last Tuesday.

Mr. Leland Humphery of Kentucky is visiting home folks at Mt. Carmel.

Rev. C. W. Stewart of Palaski, spent the week-end in Marion.

Mr. Frank Hutton of Atkins, was here Saturday on business.

Mrs. Theodore Lorenzen spent the week end in Roanoke.

Mr. Joe Baker of Bristol, was a business visitor here last Wednesday.

Mrs. C. H. Cappell of Bristol spent last week with her mother Mrs. P. W. Atkins.

Mrs. W. N. Umbarger of Damascus is visiting her sister Mrs. Elbert Johnston.

Geo. W. Seaver, Jr., a student of Bluefield College, is here visiting his father.

Mr. O. D. Snider, depot agent at Troutdale, spent Sunday here with home folks.

Mrs. Lizzie Campbell of Abingdon was here last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. T. J. Ewald has been very sick at his home on Pendleton street but is now better.

Mr. Sam Legard of Damascus, spent the week-end with his brother Ernest Legard.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Staley and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Scott spent last Wednesday in Bristol.

Mrs. C. A. Pruner, principal of the Marion Grammar School, returned to Marion Saturday after spending Thursday and Friday in Roanoke attending the Teachers meeting.

NOTICE.

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, LOCATED ON TATTLE BRANCH, NEAR CHILHOWIE, VIRGINIA, FRIDAY, MAY 2nd, 1924, at 10 o'clock A. M.

On FRIDAY, the 2nd day of MAY, 1924, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., on the premises of the Rebecca Fry Farm, located near CHILHOWIE, Smyth County, Virginia, in pursuance of a decree entered by the Circuit Court of Smyth County in the chancery cause of Frances M. Harris, et als. vs. Elbert R. Fry et als, I will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder in accordance with the provisions of said decree the following property:

A certain tract of land located on Tattle Branch, a tributary of the Middle Fork of the Holston River, Marion District, Smyth County, Virginia, about 2 1/2 miles from the town of Chilhowie, being a part of the same property conveyed to Rebecca Fry by John T. Fry, by deed bearing date of March 17th, 1887, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Smyth County in Deed Book No. 17, page 122, and containing by recent survey made in this suit 31.13 Acres.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third cash on day of sale and remainder to be paid in three equal installments of 1, 2 and 3 years with interest at six (6) per centum from date, and the purchaser or purchasers will be required to execute bonds for said deferred purchase money with approved security.

W. R. D. MONCURE,
Special Commissioner.
I hereby certify that W. R. D. Moncure, Special Commissioner, has executed bond before me according to the terms of the decree of sale.

H. L. KENT, Clerk.
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NOTICE!

The undersigned Executor of W. V. B. Tilson, will on

14th day of APRIL, 1924, at 2 o'clock P. M., in front of the Court House of Smyth County, at Marion, Virginia, proceed to make sale of the following property owned by the late W. V. B. Tilson:

All of the MINERALS, ORES, etc., on that tract of land owned by said Tilson in his life-time in Rich Valley, Smyth County, Va., and lying north of the Rich Valley Road, including mining rights and privileges and ways of ingress and egress, etc., and known as the W. V. B. Tilson Iron Ore Property.

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All indications point to 1924 as one of the most prosperous of years. That is why it will be easier this year than ever to start a plan for your future. Take advantage of the unusual prosperity of 1924 and "Make This Your Thrift Year."

"Thinking of Tomorrow"

When you sit down and think of tomorrow, do your hopes rise anew. And is there a longing to accomplish more tomorrow than you have today? Do you find yourself wishing for better things—for new opportunities. Of course you do. And you will realize your ambitions more easily if you start a definite thrift plan now. Today is the day to plan for tomorrow.

---but don't wait---DO IT TO-DAY

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