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ONLY ABOUT 30 MORE ACRES TO GO could be the thoughts of B. A. Cruey of Rich Valley as he shucks corn on the farm of W. P. "Boo" Buchanan. This scene is typical as the fall season moves to replace summer and corn shucking and tobacco grading are necessary. Mr. Buchanan has about 40 acres in corn this year and it is really a big job to shuck all this corn.

COMING EVENTS

for events not conducted for private gain. Column closes noon Wednesday.
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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15
ATKINS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB meets at 7:30 p. m. with Mrs. Ed Cline. Demonstration: "Simple Household Repairs".
WOMEN OF ROYAL OAK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH will meet at 7 p. m. at the church. Board meeting at 7:30 p. m.
NEXT MEETING of the four circles of the Woman's Missionary Society Ebenezer Lutheran Church, at the church, 7:30 p. m.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16
LITTON CHAPTER, I.O.C. regular meeting, at the home of Mrs. E. P. Cullis. Mrs. Jack Meek, co-hostess, 3 p. m.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16 & 17
BUMMAGE SALE sponsored by WSCS of the Grace Methodist Church in the Marion Community Center.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17
FOUR of Southwestern State Hospital by Southwestern District of the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs, 1:30 p. m. Marion Junior Women asked to meet in front of hospital.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, OCT. 16 and 17
REUNION SALE, in garage building opposite Methodist Church sponsored by Circle 2, Mrs. W. S. Catron, chairman.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19
HALLOWEEN PARTY, sponsored by the Chilhowie PTA, for patrons and faculty, 7:45 p. m., in high school auditorium.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20
MARION MUSIC CLUB meets with Mrs. W. M. Selafer Jr., 7:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21
RIVERSIDE HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB will meet at 2 p. m. with Mrs. Vance Echols. Demonstration: "Simple Household Repairs".

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21
MARION PTA will meet at 3:45 p. m. at the cafeteria in the new school. The board will meet at 3 p. m.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22
SMYTH COUNTY DRAFT BOARD MEETING, 10 a. m. at the Court-house.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23
RICH VALLEY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB meets at 2:30 p. m. at the Rich Valley High School. Demonstration: "Simple Household Repairs".

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23
RYE VALLEY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB meets with Mrs. T. R. Calhoun at 2 p. m. Demonstration: "Simple Household Repairs".

LIFE

IN SMYTH

COUNTY

Supervisors To Hire Full Time Dog Man

Board Will Get Man To Combat Strays

Tuesday morning at the monthly meeting of the Smyth County Board of Supervisors members voted to remove from the sheriff's deputies the dog catching functions and hire a full time man to combat the stray dog problem, effective Jan. 1.

The deputies have been paid \$25 each a month from the dog fund. They will not take a salary cut, because Sheriff Pat Jennings is requesting a \$25 increase from the compensation board. Jennings pointed out to members that only one-third of this raise will come from the county with the other two-thirds being supplied by the state.

Game Warden Woodrow Newman stated that the game commission will furnish mileage for a full time dog man, and the board authorized him to make the necessary arrangements with the board.

The board also authorized Newman to hire five men to help during deer season. Each man can work up to 14 hours a day at \$1 an hour for four days.

Board members voted to have the Bartlett Tree Co. trim and treat the maple trees on the courthouse lawn. The company will also remove the debris.

A committee from the Marion Baptist Church asked the board members to look over the church property to see if the board would be interested in purchasing the church plant.

Aubrey Matthews requested that the board give the Smyth County Tuberculosis Association \$500 as they have in previous years. The request was granted.

Francis Copenhaver appeared for the school board requesting a resolution on starting construction on the shops at Chilhowie, Rich Valley and Marion so that \$22,000 which will be given from state funds for the construction can be used.

Board members voted to recommend that contracts be let, construction be started and completed on all three at the same time as nearly as possible.

Mr. Copenhaver also requested

Government Seeks to Put Manganese Pile in Area

Possibilities of the location of a low grade ore manganese stockpile in this area were learned this week in Marion. B. C. Burgess of the Materials Division, Emergency Procurement Service, has been in this area, looking over possibilities for this site.

While here, he made a study of available ore in Southwest Virginia and Eastern Tennessee.

From here, he went to the Lynchburg area, also looking over that section.

Details of his investigation could not be learned. It is

understood that the federal government will locate the stockpile within a short time. Lynchburg area civic leaders and Chamber of Commerce officials are working up a data sheet on their community.

Manganese has been placed on a high priority lists as a strategic material for national defense. It is essential in the making of guns, tanks, submarines and such.

If the stockpile is located in this area, the ore would be stored for emergency use. The government at present is buying all available manganese.

Regional Group Seeks To Abolish \$10 Fishing Fee

A meeting to make plans for action against the \$10 out-of-state fishing license fee will be held in Marion Friday morning, with representatives from several sections of Southwest Virginia expected.

The excessive license has long been a sore point with business men who cater to the tourist trade. They are seeking to secure a special, short time permit for impounded waters for these tourists.

"State Game and Inland Fisheries Commission officials claim that such a plan would ruin trout fishing in this area," Cel Robinson of Marion one of the leaders in the fight, stated this week. "We agree 100 per cent and have no desire to have the trout streams opened up to outsiders. The trout raised in the fish hatcheries belong to the sportsmen of Virginia and it would ruin this part of the program. What we are fighting for is a special permit for impounded waters, especially South Holston and such large bodies of water. Southwestern Virginians are losing thousands of dollars each to Tennessee, where a three day permit for \$1 can be secured."

A proposed meeting between Virginia and Tennessee authorities, sponsored by the Bristol Chamber of Commerce, for this week in regards to a reciprocal agreement for residents of the two states was turned down by Tennessee authorities. It was learned in Marion this week. Tennessee authorities stated that they could not meet for such a proposition as long as the Virginia license program remained in its present state, it was reported.

Late in August Smyth County children received gamma globulin shots, which were made from 4,700 pints of whole blood. Mr. Nelson points out the necessity for the stockpiling of blood now for processing for gamma globulin shots so that the only known weapon against the crippling effects of polio will be available next year when it is needed to combat epidemics such as the one in Smyth County.

Republicans Stage Rally Saturday

Republican candidate for governor Ted Dalton lashed out against his Democratic opponent for not taking a stand on public issues last Saturday at the Smyth County party's barbecue and rally at Hungry Mother State Park, while his Smyth running mate, Ray Rouse, candidate for the House of Delegates, outlined his platform.

Republicans of the county held an old fashioned political rally at the park, with a number of speakers, music and a big meal.

In addition to again calling upon the Democratic candidate for governor, Thomas Stanley, to meet him in debate upon public issues on the same platform, the Radford attorney and farmer came out for a rental system for school books and termed the Carpetbagger speech of his opponent the previous night in Galax as ridiculous.

Stanley, the previous night at Galax went back to Reconstruction Days in hitting at the Republican Party. "I think that this is a smoke screen to try to divert the attention

Heroic Action Gets Baby From Burning House

Heroic deeds prevailed throughout the tragic fire that struck quickly at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Greenwood at the old brick yard about two and a half miles from Marion on Rt. 16 south



Wednesday morning.

The fire possibly was started from the flue in the house or by the older child's striking matches. The fire evidently started at the baby bed in the front bedroom. The Greenwoods' three year old daughter tried in vain to lift the nine months old Diana from her bed. The mother of the two children was on the back porch and quickly came and lifted the child to safety.

Diana was taken to Marion General Hospital suffering from second and third degree burns on the entire face and neck and the right arm. Dr. Charles Thompson stated this morning that the child's condition was satisfactory. The mother and the three year old child received burns on the arms; however, they were not hospitalized.

The Marion Fire Department was called to the scene of the tragic fire about 10:15 a. m. and in about 30 minutes had the fire out.

We Got the GG- Now Let's Give Give Blood Back

Grateful Smyth County citizens will have another opportunity to put blood in the Regional Blood Center when the bloodmobile comes to Marion Oct. 28.

The collection will be made at the Anderson Building from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m.

Anyone who has not been contacted for a donation can make an appointment by calling 3-5281, says Robert Nelson, Smyth County blood program chairman.

At the last collection in Marion 137 pints were added to the blood bank, and some donors could not be processed. Any of those who were not able to give last time are urged to come this time.

Board Proposes John Prestow For SWSH Name

John Preston Hospital, honoring the first superintendent, has been proposed as the new name for Southwestern State Hospital by the State Hospital Board, according to news dispatches from Richmond.

The proposed names must be approved by the General Assembly. Names have also been proposed for the other five state mental institutions.

Saltville

The Saltville Community Chest drive will start Monday and end the following Sunday. It was announced this week by E. E. Diggs, campaign chairman.

Other officers for this year's drive are general team captain, Guy Clear; payroll, Albert Forley; Saltville businesses, Earl Horne and W. J. Totten; McCready and Broadford, Buddy Frye; Quarry, Mason Whitley; Allison Gap, Miss Eula Lee Haynes; Saltville schools, J. C. Smith, and Mathieson Stores, Gipson Lamie.

The budget of \$5,200 includes: Saltville Associated Charities, \$1,000; American Red Cross, \$1,200; Virginia Children's Home Society, \$550; Boy Scouts of America, \$400; United Defense fund, \$500; Saltville School Band, \$500; Salvation Army, \$350; National Travelers Aid Society, \$25; supplies, \$100, and contingency, \$375.

Marion

Marion's drive for \$9,963 will get underway Monday when a parade down Main Street will be staged at 4:30 p. m.

Representatives from all of the agencies receiving funds from the chest will participate, says Joe Stephenson, who is parade marshal.

The budget for the year is as follows: Marion Recreation Commission, \$3,750 which includes \$625 for Davis Center; Marion Library Board, \$500; Marion Life Saving and First Aid Crew, \$1,000; Boy Scouts, \$1,500; Children's Home Society, \$400; Girls and Boys Club, \$350; Salvation Army, \$200; United Defense Fund, \$500; National Community Chest fee \$63; campaign expenses, \$200; reserve for contingency, \$500; and Marion High School Band, \$1,000.

T. M. Harris, fund drive chairman, states that all workers have been selected and briefed and are ready to start working Monday night. Mr. Harris urges everyone to give to the chest, which take care of a number of agencies through one concerted drive.

The parade will assemble at Royal Oak Presbyterian Church and proceed to Hospital Hill.

Bill Dillard Is Named Scout Head For This District



Bill Dillard

Bill Dillard, 31, Suffolk, has been appointed field executive, Smyth-Wythe District, Boy Scouts of America, part of the Blue Ridge Council.

Dillard succeeds James Akeley, who was called to the Air Force several months ago. The new field man has been active in scouting for the past 19 years. As a Boy Scout, he reached the Eagle Rank. He later became scoutmaster of the same troop and served for 14 years as a leader.

Mr. Dillard is a member of the Methodist Church, a graduate of Suffolk High School and attended Santa Rosa College, California. He graduated from the 164th National Training School for Scout Executives in Mendham, N. J. Prior to entering the professional scouting field, he was in the insurance business in Suffolk. He served three and one half years in the army.

FULTON TO ATTEND TENNESSEE GRANGE

Z. M. K. Fulton, master of the Virginia State Grange, and Mrs. Fulton are attending the meeting of the Tennessee State Grange this Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at Greenville, Tenn. Mr. Fulton is representing the national grange at the state meeting.

Everything Happens In Smyth

Bob Campbell of Marion was hurrying to his parked car near the post office one day recently.

Mr. Campbell realized that this parking time was just about out, so he was anxious to prevent the usual one buck fine for overparking.

Arriving at his car he was stopped by two young women — nice looking and friendly people.

"Do you have any pennies handy for the parking meter?" one of the women asked Campbell. He reached in his pocket and came out with a meekly collection of change.

Separating the pennies from the larger change, he handed several of them over to the young lady. She took five and gave him a nickel.

"I don't want this nickel. Keep it. Anyone is liable to run out of pennies for parking meters."

"Oh, no. We asked you for the pennies and wouldn't think of keeping them."

After a minute or two of this, Mr. Campbell turned and started to get into his car.

"Is that your car?" "Yes."

Both women started laughing. "We were putting the money in your meter. A policeman just came around and was going to tag it. We hate to see people get parking tickets and make a practice of putting pennies in the meters when we see that their time is out. Our car has plenty of parking time."

Then ensued another friendly discussion about who was to keep the pennies and the nickel. Finally, Mr. Campbell got into his car and went home, telling his wife about the good deed. "And who were they?" she asked.

Mr. Campbell was stumped. In the excitement of finding such pleasant people, he forgot to find out their names.

District Lions to Gather In Marion October 23



Speaker



District Governor

John L. Stickley, Charlotte, N. C., will be the principal speaker at the Fall Conference of District 24-A of Lions International at Marion, Friday, October 23, according to an announcement made by Gordon Ruble, Pearisburg, district governor.

Mr. Stickley is third vice president of the International Association of Lions Clubs, having been elected to that office at the International Convention held in Chicago in July 1953. He had previously served as president of his local club in Charlotte, zone chairman, deputy district governor, and district governor. He has

been active in Lionism since 1938.

Lion Stickley, a native of Massachusetts, was associated with a large southern textile manufacturer for 25 years, after which he organized his own company four years ago.

The fall conference will officially open with registration at the Lincoln Hotel at 10:30 a. m., Friday, October 23. The district governor will hold his cabinet meeting at 12 noon. A luncheon for the women attending the conference will be held at the Virginia House Restaurant at 1 p. m. The Marion Lions will be hosts to the conference, and

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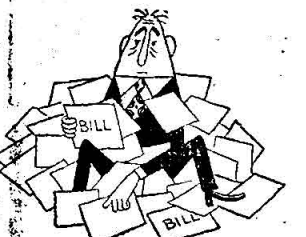
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We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to everyone for their deeds of kindness and sympathy to us at the tragic death of our beloved son and brother, Thomas Fred. Also grateful for the beautiful flowers and use of cars. May God bless each one. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stevas and Family.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Moore wishes to express its sincere thanks and appreciation to the many friends for the kindnesses shown them during their recent bereavement.

We wish to thank the relatives, friends, and neighbors of Barnett's Funeral Home for the kindness shown us during our recent bereavement. Also for the beautiful flowers and use of cars. Wayne A. Weaver and Family. 10-15-11

Special Notices (14)

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 16 day of September 1953,

Mack D. Grinstead, an infant who sues by his mother and next friend, Helen Grinstead, Marion, Virginia, Complainant,

against

Donna Mullins Grinstead, 400 Third Street, Warren, Pa., Defendant.

IN CHANCERY

The object of this suit is to: Obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro on the grounds of desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Donna Mullins Grinstead is not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

A copy—Teste: Roy H. Burke, Jr., Administrator of the Daniel B. Odham Estate, Marion, Virginia, Complainant.

IN CHANCERY

The object of this suit is to: Obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro on the grounds of desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Betty B. Sexton is not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

A copy—Teste: W. V. Birchfield p.g. Marion, Virginia, Complainant.

Lloyd E. Currin, Clerk. By: Ruth Allen, Deputy Clerk 10-8-44

fect her interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Smyth County News, a newspaper published in the County of Smyth, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this County within ten days after entry of this order.

A copy — Teste: Lloyd E. Currin, Clerk. Charles H. Funk, Marion, Virginia, p. q. 9-24-11

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 6th day of October 1953

James Miller Wolfe, Complainant

against

Douglas McDonald et al, Defendant

IN CHANCERY

The object of this suit is to: subject the property that Dora Delp Wolfe died seized and possessed of to the lien of a Deed of Trust securing \$400.00 with interest, costs and attorneys fees. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Nancy Wolfe Spurrier, Sallie Wolfe Rhea, J. Douglas Wolfe, C. William Wolfe are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they do appear within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

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A copy—Teste: W. V. Birchfield p.g. Marion, Virginia, Complainant.

Lloyd E. Currin, Clerk. By: Ruth Allen, Deputy Clerk 10-8-44

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R. CROCKETT GWYN, GUARDIAN AD LITEM

You are hereby notified that I will on the 23rd day of October, 1953, at my office in the Goolsby Building, at Marion, Smyth County, Virginia, between the hours of 9:00 o'clock A. M. and 1:00 o'clock P. M. of said day, proceed to

take and state the account described by a decree of the Circuit Court of Smyth County, entered on the 17th day of July, 1953, in a certain suit in chancery, in the case of Roy H. Burke, Jr., Administrator of the Estate of Daniel B. Odham Vs. Mary Nelle Crowe Odham, et al. And if from any cause the taking of said evidence be not commenced on said day, or if commenced on said day and not completed thereon, the same will be continued from day to day and from time to time, and from place to place until the same is completed.

Given under my hand this 7th day of October, 1953.

J. Aubrey Matthews Special Commissioner 10-8-21

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 16 day of September 1953,

Arthur Preston Sexton, Marion, Virginia, Complainant,

IN CHANCERY

against

Betty B. Sexton, care Alfred Hood, Welch, West Virginia, Defendant.

IN CHANCERY

The object of this suit is to: Obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro on the grounds of desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Betty B. Sexton is not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

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A copy—Teste: Lloyd E. Currin, Clerk. Charles H. Funk, Marion, Virginia, p. q. 9-24-11

Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that the State Water Control Board has received application from O. E. Sayers, Excavating Contractor, Marion, Virginia, to discharge treated industrial waste waters from a manganese ore washing plant to be erected about five miles west of Sugar Grove, Smyth County, Virginia, into Comers Creek.

Persons wishing information concerning this proposal should write to:

State Water Control Board 415 West Franklin Street Richmond 20, Virginia" 10-14-11

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 30 day of September 1953

I. Click Choate, in his own right and as Executor of the Estate of Will T. Choate, Dec'd

against

Purr L. Choate, an incompetent 2721 McCary Street Chester, Pennsylvania Della Choate Galax, Virginia Defendant

IN CHANCERY

The object of this suit is to: Partition in some mode prescribed by law a farm of 305 acres located in St. Clair District of Smyth County, said farm being devised to Purr L.

Choate, I. Click Choate, J. Lott Choate, Iva Catron, Treva Col-lins and Myrtle M. Meek under the will of Will T. Choate, and. If a partition of such real estate be impractical that the property be sold by the Court and the proceeds therefrom be divided among those entitled thereto. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Purr L. Choate is not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear within 10 days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Smyth County News, a newspaper published in the County of Smyth, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this County within ten days after entry of this order.

A copy—Teste: R. Crockett Gwyn, Jr. p.g. Marion, Virginia

Lloyd E. Currin, Clerk 10-14-11

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries, pursuant to Section 9-6.4 and 9-6.5 of the Code of Virginia, has adopted on October 13, 1953, the following Emergency Rule, under authority conferred upon the said Commission by Section 29-125 of the Code:

Regulation 104. Due to unprecedented drought conditions prevailing in the counties of Amherst, Madison, Nelson and Rappahannock and in all counties west of the Blue Ridge Mountains and due to fire hazards which may develop from hunters being in the fields and forests, the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries, upon recommendation of the State Forester, does hereby declare all hunting seasons in the aforesaid counties and all counties west of the Blue Ridge Mountains closed beginning 5:00 o'clock P. M., Eastern Standard Time October 14, 1953, the same to continue closed until further notice by this Commission.

All hunters with dogs and guns or dog or gun shall take notice forthwith.

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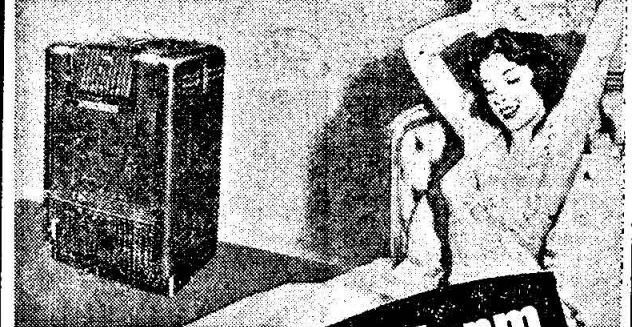
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Mrs. E. D. Hardin left Saturday for her home in New Bern, N. C., after a visit with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Greer.

Miss Barbara Ann Seaver of Emory and Henry College spent the week end at home.

Col. and Mrs. Thomas W. Roane of Hungry Mother Park have been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Shurber, and sister, Mrs. N. R. Parrish, in Roanoke for the past week. Their daughter, Tommye, returned home with them to spend the week end. She is

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teaching in Roanoke.

Miss Barbara Burnside of Marion is a member of the choir at Longwood College, Farmville, for the 1953-54 session. She is majoring in elementary education.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Cox Jr. and sons of Staunton spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Eleanor Ewald and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Cox.

Mrs. Woodrow Poe spent the week end with relatives in Mohawk, Tenn.

Walter Greer left Sunday on a business trip to Detroit, Mich.

Those attending the meeting of First District Virginia Federation of Music Clubs in Wytheville last Saturday were: Mrs. Clodt Kent, Mrs. Warran Wright, Mrs. Jacob R. Black, Mrs. Even LaFollette and Mrs. Joseph Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Beverly visited friends in Richlands last week end. They also plan to

attend the Shrine celebration in Bristol this Saturday.

Miss Aurelia Kirby has returned to her home in Harrisburg, Penna., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Kirby.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everhart had as their week-end guests his father, L. O. Everhart, and his sister, Mrs. L. C. Copley, and Mr. Conley and three sons of Lexington, N. C.

Mrs. Bobby Everhart, who has been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everhart, has returned to Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. She has entered Kent State University for the 1953-54 session.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fields Jr. of Richlands will be the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Beverly, on Lee St.

Mrs. Zollie Greer Thompson of Bel Air, Md., was guest of Mrs. W. F. Greer last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Dotson and family of Hazard, Ky., spent the week end with his sister Mrs. C. L. Collins, and Mr. Collins in the Royal Oak Arms.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bryant and daughter Susan, of Greenville, S. C., were recent visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fox, of Pendleton Street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hull Jr. left Saturday for Old Point Comfort, where he is attending a convention this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Porterfield of Hyattsville, Md., and Joseph G. Porterfield and Edward of Baltimore, Md., spent last week end visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Collins of Marion and Mr. and Mrs. William Lambert of Winston Salem, N. C., spent last week end in Knoxville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. James Estep of Beckley, W. Va., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lanson Estep.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Hart have returned from a two weeks' visit in Columbia, S. C., Savannah, Ga., St. Augustine and Jacksonville, Fla., and other points of interest. They returned by way of Asheville, N. C., where they stopped for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Staev are spending a few days at Hot Springs, Ark.

Jimmy Estep, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lanson Estep, has entered Tennessee Military Institute, Sweetwater, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atkins and Jimmy will spend the week end in Harrisonburg visiting Miss Mary Ann Atkins, who is a student at Madison College.

Mrs. Clarence Stephenson and daughter, Sandra, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kincaid of Wytheville will spend the week end in Durham, N. C. They plan to see the University of North Carolina-Maryland ball game Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer DeBord have returned from a week's visit with their son, Lewis DeBord, and Mrs. DeBord in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gills, accompanied by their daughters, Mrs. B. S. Simkins, of Christiansburg, and Mrs. A. R. Pearcey of Bristol, Penna., will leave Thursday for a tour through the Smokies.

Miss Selby Gray of Gate City was the week-end guest of her cousin, Mrs. Julian Copenhaver, and Mr. Copenhaver.

Larry Hugins is on a business trip to North Carolina.

Dr. and Mrs. P. Delgado are spending several days in Richmond attending a meeting of the Baptist State board of Missions.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson Sr. are in Chicago attending a national drug convention.

Mrs. Paul Bird of Wytheville was a visitor in Marion Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin of Cherry St., were week-end guests of her parents in Chilhowie.

Mrs. Roy Sutter, Dorothy and Granville of Marion and Sgt. and Mrs. H. V. Boone and Kathleen of Gate City spent last week visiting Mrs. Sutter's sister, Mrs. J. H. Kerley, and Mr. Kerley in Norfolk. They also visited Miss Mary Kate Sutter in Washington, D. C., before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sutter of Pottstown, Penna., spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sutter, Marion, and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Pennington of Trout Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slear of Alexander are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Slear.

Mr. and Mrs. Hickman Buchanan and Mrs. Robert Lane Anderson were among those attending the VPI-University of Virginia game in Blacksburg last Saturday.

Mrs. K. L. Eller, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Graybeal, has returned to her home in Warrentonville.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Blalock have returned from Biloxi, Miss., where Dr. Blalock attended the Southern Psychiatric Society meeting.

Jack Hudson was called to Washington, N. C., due to the death of his uncle.

Mrs. Stanley Blair of Bluefield is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. M. Snider on College St.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Powell are visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Bailey at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Smyth Farmers to Get Agriculture Questions

Questionnaires for the 1953 Sample Survey of Agriculture in Virginia are being mailed this week to owners and operators of all large farms in Smyth County according to Crew Leader James W. Poole whose headquarters are located in Wytheville.

According to Census Bureau definition, large farms are any which meet the following specifications: 1,000 acres of land in farm, 750 acres of all cropland, 200 cattle on hand, 500 sheep on hand, 10,000 turkeys raised, 70,000 chickens sold, 14,000 laying chickens, 400 cattle sold, 5,000 sheep sold, 2,000 hogs sold, 250 acres of orchard, 300 acres of vegetables, 200 acres of potatoes, 70,000 square feet of greenhouse area, and 300 acres of nursery.

Owners and operators of the large farms are requested to complete the questionnaires and mail them to the Sample Survey Office, Room 505, 900 North Lombardy Street, Richmond. Postage free envelopes are being provided for this purpose.

Crew Leader Poole pointed out that the Sample Survey of Agriculture of Virginia is authorized by law and that all of the features of the basic census law will be compiled with. This means that all information about individuals and their farming operations is kept in strict confidence and only statistical totals will be published.

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Wednesday's Court Is Long and Loud

Trial Justice Court in Marion Wednesday was a long drawn out affair, with an involved civil and criminal case on the quality of some lumber delivered and an alleged assault taking a long time for settlement.

The case involved a suit by W. M. Huffman against Robert Combs for \$26 balance owing on the lumber and charges of assault with a gun with intent to kill against Combs brought by Huffman. A parade of witnesses were heard, with judgment being given the plaintiff and Combs being fined \$25 and costs for the assault, with the fine suspended upon payment of costs.

John Reddix was fined \$10 and costs for operating a vehicle in a careless and reckless manner. Trooper S. M. Norris investigated the case.

In domestic relations court a man was given two 12 months sentences for assault and non support. He appealed the cases immediately.

Carlton Cartree forfeited a \$10 and costs bond for going 60 miles an hour in a 45 miles per hour zone. Norris and Deputy Tom Dolinger were the arresting officers.

In Saltville Monday a man was fined \$10 and costs and given six months suspended for an assault on his wife. Charges of passing a bad check were dismissed upon payment of costs.

Ray Garrett was fined \$10 and costs for reckless driving and \$10 and costs, fine suspended upon payment of costs, for driving without an operator's permit. The Garrett car was in an accident in which no other vehicle was involved. Trooper Roy Snead investigated.

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Glade Mountain Manganese Operations Come to Halt

Union Manganese Company of Pittsburgh has shut down its manganese mining operation at Glade Mountain until problems between the company and the forestry service can be ironed out, it was learned this week.

The Sugar Grove operation is continuing. The mining crew in Smyth County has been cut from 94 to about 30, Oscar Wills, in charge of mining operations in this area for the company, stated last night.

Mr. Wills stated that problems arising between the forestry service and the Virginia Water Control Board as to methods of mining made it impossible to do the work profitably.

The veteran Mountain City, Tenn., miner said that he had mined manganese in national forests previously and that work done in the past had moved along smoothly and without any trouble.

Other spokesmen for the company this week stated that the company was anxious to do what it could to meet requirement of the forestry service and water control board. "But we cannot pin down what they want and the constant changes are making it impossible for us to mine the area," he said. This spokesman stated that there had been continuous trouble in the work and that they had asked for specific instructions on operations several times, with nothing definite being given in writing.

Constant changes, costing several hundred dollars and of ten thousands have been made, this spokesman said. "It is harassing and we cannot mine under such conditions," he said.

Union Manganese, next to Anconada in size in this country, came to Smyth County last fall. They took options on mining operations in the Jefferson National Forest, paying a third party who held mineral rights on the public land. These mineral rights were retained by private enterprises when the land in this area was sold to the government in 1936.

(The Glade Mountain operation by Union Manganese is completely separate from the H and H Construction Com-

pany's proposed Currin Valley mining.)

Since moving into the Smyth last fall, Union has shipped out 79 car loads of low grade ore in 10 months. This has been sold directly to the federal government, which is stockpiling the strategic material.

Company officials this week stated that they hoped to work out the problem in a friendly manner with forestry representatives within the next couple of weeks and resume mining. "We will do anything within reason and will immediately correct any bad practices, if we can only find out definitely what they want," this spokesman stated.

Marion Expects To See Larger Parade This Year

It is planned that this year the residents of Marion and the county will see a larger parade than the 83 unit parade for the annual high school homecoming last year.

Cards of invitation have gone out to 175 business firms and civic organizations. This year there will be eight awards made at the half time of the football game. There will be a grand prize, a second place prize and three honorable mention awards. These awards will be broken into two different groups. Business entries will have three awards, and civic group entries will have three awards.

It is hoped that the parade will start at 2 p. m., Friday afternoon, October 23. In the event that the game is to be played on Saturday, the starting time will be 1 p. m. Saturday.

Last year's grand prize winner was VFW, and this organization now retains permanent possession of the awarded trophy. A new trophy to replace the other has been secured.

Judges for this event and the definite starting time will be announced later.

Obituaries

Mrs. Clarence Murray

Mrs. Clarence Murray, 62, died at her home at Rt. 2, Marion, Sunday.

Surviving are her husband, Clarence Murray; five sons, George and Carl Murray, Chilhowie; Albert Murray, Saltville; Willie Murray, North Tazewell; Paul Murray, Kingsport, Tenn.; four daughters, Miss Bessie Murray and Mrs. Robert Moore, Chilhowie; Mrs. S. C. Blevins, Roanoke; and Mrs. Marvin Blevins, Marion; her father, W. M. Eller, Chilhowie; six brother, Charles Eller, Boissevain; Claude Eller, Freeman, W. Va.; John Eller, Rock, W. Va.; Jake, Lee and Clarence Eller, all of Chilhowie; four sisters, Mrs. Roby Richardson and Mrs. John Anderson, Marion; Mrs. Howard Yazell and Mrs. Larue Burkhardt, Springfield, Ohio.

Funeral service was held Tuesday at the Cleghorn Valley Baptist Church. The Revs. E. E. Vaught, Mr. Sexton and Mr. Sturgill officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Randall Montgomery

Randall Montgomery, 65, of Marion died Saturday in the Mountain Home, Tenn., Veterans Hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lillian Montgomery, Marion; and one sister, Mrs. Maggie Marshall, Martinsville.

Funeral service was held Monday at the Mt. Pleasant Methodist Church. Burial was in the Round Hill Cemetery.

The Marion Masonic lodge conducted the graveside rites.

Mrs. Zella C. Hall

Mrs. Zella Cregger Hall, 53, died in a Marion hospital Tuesday night.

She is survived by her husband Silvia V. Hall; four sons, James, Ted Neal, William and Woodrow Hall, all of Marion; four daughters, Mrs. Roy Blizard, Mrs. Helen Perkins and Miss Edna May Hall, all of Marion, and Mrs. Carry Lee Moxley, Roanoke; three sisters, Mrs. Lou Eanes, Wytheville; Mrs. Millie Sanders, Princeton, W. Va.; and Mrs. Laura Hagy

Maryland; four brothers, William Cregger, Sugar Grove; George Cregger, Peach, Wash.; Guy and John Cregger, Maryland.

Funeral service was held Wednesday at the Barnett's Funeral Chapel in Marion. Burial was in the Slomp Cemetery, Sugar Grove.

Mrs. Mary Moore

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Moore, 67, died at the Thomas K. McKee Hospital early Tuesday in Saltville.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. G. V. Hodge, Plasterco; one son, John Dishman, Perryville, Md.; five brothers, Leslie Moore, Abingdon; Jim Moore, Meadowview; Dave Moore, Marion; Ed Moore, Perryville; Claude Moore, Williamsburg, and one sister, Mrs. Lena Dishman, Johnson City, Tenn.

Funeral service was held Thursday at the Mahanaim Methodist Church at Clinchburg. The Rev. W. O. Webster, the Rev. D. F. DeBusk and the Rev. F. E. Maiden officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Richardson Completes Recruiting Course



Marine Staff Sergeant Harold L. Richardson, 24, son of Mrs. Glenn Richardson, 324 Broad St. Marion, was recently graduated from Recruiters School at Parris Island, S. C.

The Virginia Leatherneck enlisted in the Marine Corps in 1940 and served at Marine Barracks, Norfolk, and in Korea with the 1st Marine Division.

Richardson is presently attached to the Marine Corps Recruiting Sub-Station, located in the Post Office in Johnson City, Tenn.

Cox's Chapel Grange Is In Top Ten in Nation

The grange at Cox's Chapel, near Mouth of Wilson, is one of the top ten granges in the nation in the National Community Service Contest, sponsored jointly by the National Grange and the Sears-Roebuck Foundation.

The Cox's Chapel Grange won the Virginia Community Service Contest and received a prize of \$200. Placing in the top ten in the national contest automatically carries a \$500 prize. Should the Grayson group win the contest, they would receive \$15,000.

The main project of the grange has been the erection of a new church. Within the last 13 months, members of

the 25 families in the community have torn down the old church, erected and paid for the \$15,000 structure. Members have contributed labor and other materials, making the value of the building approximately \$30,000.

All farms in the community are named and marked, and a directory lists and points the direction of each farm.

Another project was the sending of a girl from the community on the youth pilgrimage to Europe this summer.

Judges in the national contest will be in the community next Tuesday.

Mrs. Flora B. Dutton is master of the grange.

Civic Entertainment Will Present Virginia Symphony

The Civic Entertainment Group of Marion will present the Virginia Symphony Orchestra in an evening concert sometime early in the spring at Marion High School Auditorium.

This decision was reached at a meeting of the Civic Entertainment Committee last Friday at the home of Mrs. Warren Wright, chairman of the group.

Mrs. Wright was elected to serve as chairman until after the concert when a general meeting will be held for a financial report of the election of new officers.

Contributors to last year's entertainment were: Pilot Club, \$10; Music Club, \$25; Rotary Club, \$25; Lions Club, \$50; Junior Woman's Club, \$50; Community Chest, \$50; Kiwanis Club \$75; Garden Club, \$10; Board of Education, \$200; AA-UW, \$25; Marion College, \$200; Marion Woman's Club, \$50.

Expenditures included: University of Virginia, \$200; Virginia Orchestra, \$250; and "An Evening in Vienna," \$300.

The group will operate on a budget of approximately \$500 this year, as some of the supporting institutions will not participate.

The committee decided to present one outstanding concert rather than two of a lesser calibre.

Rich Valley High School

ARLENE WEBB

BETA CLUB held its regular monthly meeting Thursday, Oct. 1. The purpose of this meeting was to set up objectives for the year and provisions were made to determine new members eligible.

THE LASSO STAFF met Oct. 7. The positions on the staff for 1953-54 are editor, Elizabeth Clear; assistant editor, Edgar Waddell; business manager, Curtis Jones; assistant business manager, Berkeley Burkett; advertising manager, Thomas Elise; assistant advertising manager, Darlene Wood; make-up editor, Sylvia Martin; assistant make-up editor, Arlene Odum; art editor, Eddie Wolfe; class editor, Sadie Brickey; athletic editor, Shirley Wargo and assistant athletic editor, Billy Spence. The sponsors are Mrs. M. M. Lewis and Mrs. M. S. Dunham.

GUIDANCE CLASSES were held Wednesday morning to discuss the use of personal property of the individuals and school.

THE SENIOR CLASS assembled together Thursday, Oct. 8, with Stamper Glenn to measure for their rings and to order cards and announcements. SOUTHWEST ASSEMBLY program entitled "The Magician" was presented Thursday, Oct. 8, by Ray and Company. Several students performed in the acts.

DR. LAURA VOEKEEL of Mary Washington College spoke to the senior girls Wednesday, Oct. 7.

THE FRESHMEN CLASS took the Iowa Silent Reading Test Friday.

ATTENDANCE—The freshman class had the highest attendance for the month of September with a 98.57 average.

Chatham Hill Group Meets With Mrs. Burnop

The October meeting of the Chatham Hill WSCS was held at the home of Mrs. Claude Burnop last Friday night.

Among the guests present were Mrs. George Clear of Saltville and Mrs. June DeBord of Broadford, who gave the Bible lesson. Mrs. Clear gave a lesson on the "Book of Jeremiah." Mrs. DeBord led the devotional.

Hunting Is Prohibited Because of Dry Weather

All hunting in Smyth County was prohibited from 5 p. m. on this Wednesday by the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries because of the unprecedented drought conditions.

The band was placed in the counties of Amherst, Madison, Nelson, Rappahannock and all those west of the Blue Ridge Mountains.

The State Forester recommended the action to the state commission, and the ban will be in effect until notice of its having been lifted is given.

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Smyth Producers Participate In Abingdon Sale

A total of 357 Smyth County calves were among the 1,700 sold Tuesday at the annual feeder calf sale in Abingdon.

Producers from Smyth, Washington, Russell and Scott Counties consigned feeder calves for this sale.

The top for the steer calves was \$21.30 for a pen of 17 that averaged 517 pounds. The average for the steers was close to \$19.60 per 100 pounds. The good grade steers sold for as much and for some pens they brought a little more than the choice steers.

The top for heifers was

\$16.30 per 100 pounds. They sold as low as \$11 for medium grade Angus. The average was near \$14 for all heifers. There was a spread of about \$6 between steers and heifers. In the 1952 sale the spread was \$2.66.

Over 75 per cent of the cattle went to out of state buyers. The majority went to Maryland and Ohio, a few to Pennsylvania and North Carolina. The steers went too high for the Ohio buyers and as a result they purchased heifers.

Calves sold through this sale had to be dehorned, vaccinated for blackleg, castrated, sired by registered bulls and out of herds that had a clean test for T. B. and bangs disease during the last twelve months.

H. D. McClellan and E. L. Roberts entered the two crops of calves that graded the best. Mr. McClellan had 34 calves of which 16 graded fancy, 12 choice and six good. This group averaged 450 pounds. These calves were sired by a registered Hereford bull that was produced by Bonham Brothers, Chilhowie.

In comparing the Virginia feeder calf sale prices for the last three years, it is found that in 1951 some 18,000 calves averaged \$39.30 per 100 pounds. In 1952 20,400 calves averaged \$27.64 per 100 pounds. And for 1953 it looks like about \$16.50 per 100 pounds will be the average.

County Agent

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Cassell of Nebo recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Atwell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hurst of Nitro, W. Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Creedy Gates of Tazewell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gates.

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3 Cars Involved In Wreck Sunday

Three cars were involved in an accident Sunday morning about 12:30 a. m. on Highway 11 in Seven Mile Ford. A 1950 Ford two door sedan driven by Charles C. Sessor, Saltville, was going west on Rt. 11 and attempting to make a left turn into the General Campbell filling station. A 1940 Chevrolet, driven by Warren Maxwell Brooks, Rt. 4, Tazewell, was going east when the Ford turned in front of the Chevrolet. Brooks could

not stop because he did not have enough time, and oncoming traffic kept him from passing to the left. The Chevrolet struck the Ford and knocked it into a 1953 Chrysler, belonging to E. P. Wassum, Rt. 3, Marion. The Chevrolet went on into a tree. The Ford was damaged on the right and left rear fenders. The Chevrolet was scratched on the front and right side. The Chrysler was damaged on the rear bumper. Deputy Jake Irvin investigated and charged Sessor with reckless driving and operating

a vehicle without a driver's license. Sessor is summoned to Trial Justice Court Saturday.

Marion High School

ASSEMBLY — Friday, Oct. 9, most of the students were entertained in a paid assembly. The magician "Ray", assisted by his wife, presented a program of mystery and humor. This assembly was sponsored by the SCA. **THE VARSITY CLUB** held its first meeting Tuesday. They elected all officers except the president who was elected last year. Those elected were vice president, David Johnson; secretary, Buddy Montgomery; treasurer, Kay Ruth, and reporter, Robert Young. A motion was passed that if

a person had earned a varsity letter in a major sport in another school and transferred to Marion, he would be eligible for membership in the MHS Varsity Club.

SCIENCE CLUB — In the first meeting Mrs. Adkins, the sponsor, read the requirements for eligibility in the club. It was necessary for all officers to be elected. Walter Carmony was elected president with Clayborne Gwyn being elected vice president. Jack Kirby and Willie Anne Pugh were elected secretary and treasurer respectively. Mrs. Adkins said that all who wished to join the club would have to write a letter to the secretary requesting membership.

JUNIOR CHEERLEADERS — Oct. 1 a student-faculty committee chose six out of about 25 girls to be junior cheerleaders. Those selected were Elizabeth Anderson, Ginger Green, Judy Greer, Joyce Pierce, Ruth Scholton and Sarah Louise Wright. **LITERARY CLUB** — Elizabeth Anderson was elected historian at the first meeting of the club. Margaret Davis was elected to the office of chaplain. During the meeting Eliza-

beth Wayland, president, announced that each member would work in the literary field in which they are interested. The fields are as follows: creative writing, spelling, boys and girls prose reading, boys and girls poetry reading, boys and girls public speaking, and debating. At a called meeting of this club the president appointed committee and chairmen. They are installation, Elizabeth Anderson; chairman, Peggy Jarrett, Margaret Davis, Nancy Jo Johnson, and Betty Jones; program, Libby McCarty, chairman, Sue Britton, Elaine McKinnon, Donna Boone, and Sandra Groseclose; float, Harriet Slomp, chairman, Bebe Birchfield, Rosalyn Casteel, and Margaret Eller.

BETA CLUB — Carolyn Lambert, president announced to the club that the treasurer Margaret Williams had resigned her office. Dorothy Elledge, Kathleen Widner and Reva Jean Martin were nominated for that office. Kathleen Widner was elected the new treasurer. The president appointed the following to be on a committee for investigating possible Beta Club projects: Martha Buchanan, chairman, Walter Carmony, Ruth Ann Webster and Ann Vernon. The following committee will plan the induction service for new members; Anne Eller, chairman, Susan Francis, Yvonne Keil, and Bobby Simons.

SCA — At the first meeting of the SCA, Bobby Simons, president, installed 29 new members into the club. The other members were installed at the close of school last year. Morris Stephenson, treasurer, reported that so far \$4.60 has been made on selling MHS book covers. Alice Jasik, secretary, read the objectives to the club and asked for more project suggestions.

Perryville

DOTTIE POORE

Perryville, Oct. 12 — The Loyal Friends Class of the First Christian Church enjoyed a wiener roast at "Rock Garden" last Wednesday night. There were 20 members of the class at the outing. The junior class also enjoyed a picnic in the church yard last Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong and daughters, Alice and Jane, have moved to Philadelphia, Penna., where they will make their home, after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Frye and Faye of McCreedy and Mr. and Mrs. Gip Poore, Jackie and Chester, enjoyed a picnic Sunday afternoon at the Tri-City Airport, Bristol, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Burkett and Lena and the Rev. Preston Smith of West Graham visited Mr. and Mrs. Gip Poore and family last Wednesday afternoon. While here they visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith and King Smith of Henrytown.

Vernon Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, and Miss Doris Campbell are patients at the McKee Hospital.

Mrs. Kermit Hicks of Quarry and Mrs. L. B. Poore and daughter, Bee, of Henrytown visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Allison and son last week.

The dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Prator and family Sunday were Mrs. Margaret Miller and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Woodward, Mrs. Bob Allison and Buddy Allison.

Miss Shirley Ratcliff was the overnight guest of Miss Shirley Brinkley last Saturday.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. James J. Keith and Virginia last week were Mrs. Jim Arnold, Mrs. Jimmy McCreedy, and children, Mrs. Early Keith and children and Mrs. Earnest Campbell and children of Bristol.

Mrs. Allen Hogston of Poore Valley visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dow and children last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Keith and Annalee and Miss Billy June Dayton of Bristol visited Mr. and Mrs. James J. Keith and Virginia Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Thelma Bailey of Detroit visited her brother, Howard Hill, Mrs. Hill and sons, Dickie and Billy, last week. Miss Sheila Jean Prater was the overnight guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Bob Allison, of Saltville Friday and Saturday.

Who's Who in Smyth



MRS. E. H. HENDERSON had a real treat recently. Mrs. Margaret Seaver took her on a tour of Marion.

This does not sound like too much of a treat until details are known. It was her first trip outside her home in five years, and the tour was made in an ambulance.

Mrs. Henderson is a cripple and has been confined to her home in a wheel chair for the past five years.

The changes noted in Marion, especially the many new buildings in the business section of Marion and the many new homes in Cumberland Heights and Wassona Park, were astonishing to the woman.

Friends had told her about this growth, but it was impossible for her to visualize the extent of this expansion. Imprinted in her mind were the fields, with a couple of houses, where more than a hundred homes stand today in the two additions. It was impossible for her to realize that these new communities are today a part of Marion.

The same holds true of the new buildings on Main St. Mrs. Henderson last remembered the business section without the Center Building and several other smaller buildings. And most of the old buildings have had a face lifting since she last saw them.

"All this was going on in my community, but I could not get it in my mind exactly how the new buildings and new communities looked," she said. "I would sit in my wheel chair and try to draw a mental picture of town, but the old picture was all that I could visualize, and it was impossible for me to put these new buildings in this old picture."

Mrs. Henderson is almost 85 years old. She was born in Trenton, Ga. The daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wallace, she attended the old Montgomery Female College in Christiansburg.

The old county seat of Pulaski County, Newbern, was where she met Dr. E. H. Henderson. They were married November 27, 1901. Dr. Henderson was the superintendent of the Southwestern State Hospital for about 13 years. He died February 25, 1927.

Joining the Methodist Church when she was 12 years old, Mrs. Henderson has been a very active member every since. She was the secretary of the Wymethville district of the Women's Missionary Society, which is now the WSGS. She has also been secretary and treasurer of the local WSGS.

Mrs. Henderson belongs to the UDC (United Daughters of the Confederacy). In this organization she has served as treasurer.

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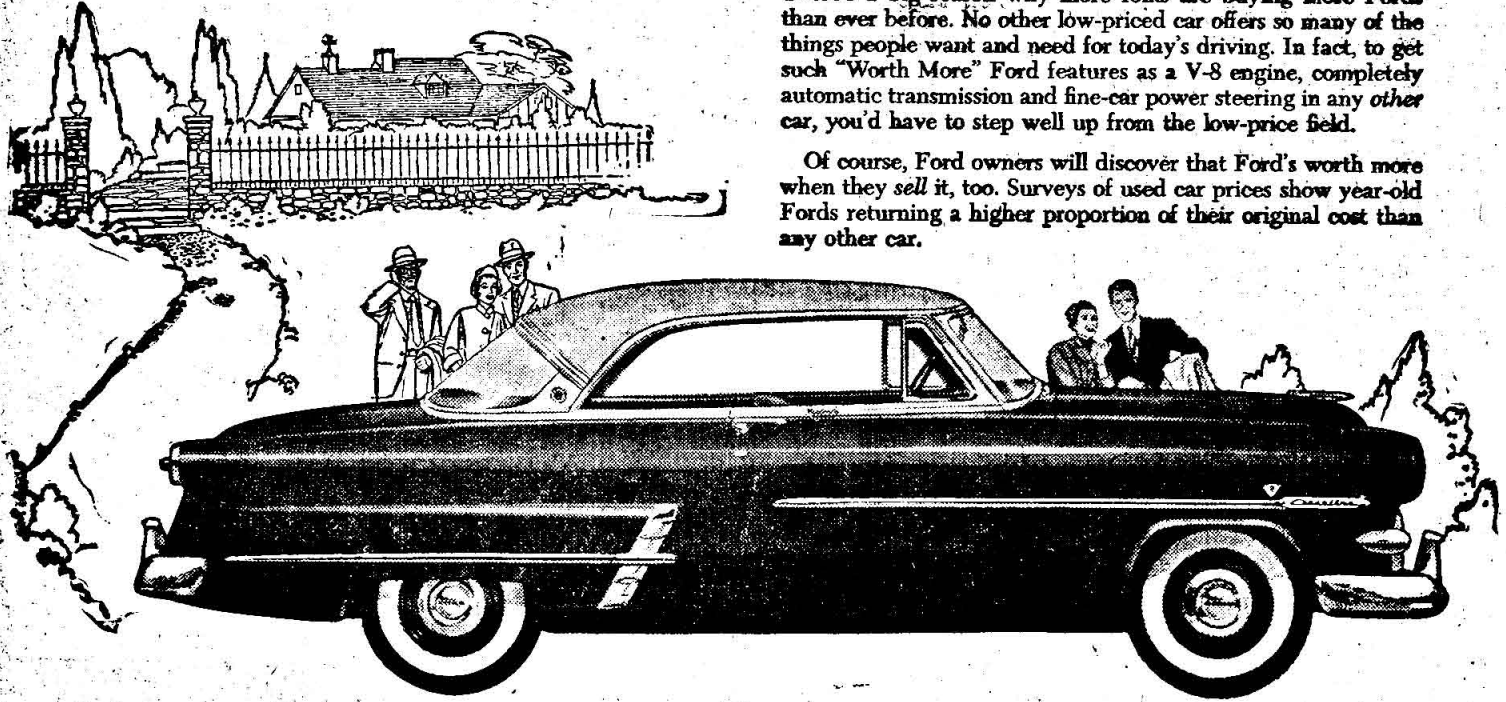
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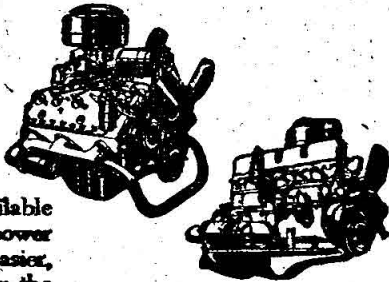
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Somebody Told Me-

By CHARLES SOWERS

Oct. 12 — Mr. and Mrs. John Shepherd and sons of Winchester, Miss Vivian Joy of Pulaski and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hanshaw and daughter, Ann, of Bristol were recent week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hanshaw in Atkins. Mr. and Mrs. James A. Bandy and sons, Billy and Tommy, of Richlands were visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sowers in Seven Mile Ford over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderlite of Dublin were visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Henderlite and Nannie at Atkins Sunday. More than luck needed: The price of hogs is good. Chances are you have bred or are planning to breed more sows and gilts — but will they farrow and raise more pigs?

Big string litters of pigs don't just happen. It is a well known fact that you are not making money on your hogs unless litters average 6 pigs or more. Of course there are many reasons for small litters of undersized pigs, but so often it's because of the way the sow is fed during gestation.

Brood sows should be fed the right ration before and after breeding to keep up body condition. Body condition does not mean fat; it means good, solid weight added to the sow's body to keep her healthy and productive. Sows that have weaned pigs should be kept on full feed until they are bred again. In the case of gilts to be bred, full feed them a week or 10 days before breeding.

A little girl was showing her playmate through her new home.

"And here's my daddy's den," she said. "Does your daddy have a den?"

"No," was the answer, "my daddy just growls all over the house."

Note To Mr. Dalton This Is Virginia

(Bristol Herald-Courier) Wednesday, Oct. 14

State Sen. Ted Dalton, who is running helter skelter with the Republican standard in the Virginia gubernatorial race, now tells us that the Virginia General Assembly, predominantly Democratic, will operate with a Republican governor because Democrat Sen. Harry F. Byrd likes, and supports, Republican President Eisenhower.

We are willing to concede that the Virginia General Assembly, with a Democrat or a Republican governor, most certainly would not sit on its hands for two years while the state went to pot. Business—that is, business as it has been in the past—would continue as usual because the members of the Assembly realize they have an obligation, not to any particular governor, but to the people of the state. However, we steadfastly maintain that, should Mr. Dalton be elected, he would be only a figurehead with little if any actual powers in those matters which must be decided by the General Assembly. About the most we can say for Mr. Dalton, should be by some "strange quirk become governor, is that the Republicans would have a chance to grab a few political plums—by appointment. And, with confirmation necessary in some cases, even that avenue might be partially closed to the Republicans.

As for Mr. Dalton's reference to Sen. Byrd's support of President Eisenhower, we cannot see the slightest resemblance between that situation and the situation in Virginia. This is Virginia, Mr. Dalton, and your opponents are not just Democrats—they are Virginia Democrats, a distinct and unique part of the National Party. And we would remind you of this: Sen. Byrd gave his tacit endorsement to President Eisenhower's candidacy. While it may have slipped by us, we do not recall that Sen. Byrd has done by you, Mr. Dalton, as he did by Mr. Eisenhower.

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Chilhowie

MRS. HILTON RECTOR
Chilhowie, Oct. 12 — Miss Virginia Ferguson was the week-end guest of her sister, Miss Nell Ferguson, in Martinsville. She returned home Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edd Ferguson, who spent the day in Martinsville.

Eugene Hale is a patient in the Abingdon Hospital, where he has been since last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rector are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Henry Steagell, and her family in Ozark, Ala. Enroute home they will spend some time in Gallatinburg, Tenn.

Mrs. A. B. Farmer attended a district meeting of the Federation of Music Clubs in Wytheville Saturday. One of her pupils, Ann Curtis Allison, of Glade Spring accompanied her and took part in the program.

Dr. and Mrs. E. V. Garner were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Garner in Knoxville, Tenn.

Mrs. Leslie Beamer of Narrows spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Marvin Sanders. Johnny Beamer of Ft. Knox, Ky., spent the week with his mother, Mrs. Beamer, and grandmother, Mrs. Marvin Sanders.

L. S. Gillenwater, George Buchanan, Jack Hager and Ralph Dutton attended the car races in North Wilkesboro, N. C., Sunday. The latter had intended racing in the event but due to injuries suffered there prior to the race was unable to do so.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ball and son, Ronnie, spent Saturday in Blacksburg, where they went to the VPI-Richmond football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie LaPlace, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Echols Jr. and sons visited Blowing Rock, N. C., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maust and son, Tommy, attended the VPI football game at Blacksburg Saturday afternoon and from there went to Bluefield to see the Chilhowie-Pocahontas game that night.

Mr. and Mrs. William Donohoo of Winston-Salem, N. C., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Cole.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Elsie Landreth were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wright and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patton and son, all of Salem.

S-Sgt. William Landreth, son of Mrs. Elsie Landreth, sailed from New York Friday morning. His destination is somewhere in the southern part of Spain. He expects to stay there for the next 18 months.

Miss Bobbie Jean Wilmore, student nurse at the Lynchburg General Hospital, Lynchburg, spent the week end at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hudgins and son, William Earl, spent Monday night with relatives in Salem.

Ray Merchant of Annapolis, Md. spent the week end at his home.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCormick were Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith and son, all of Spartanburg, S. C. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Buford and family of Dublin spent Sunday with the McCormick family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sherwood and children, Gail and Lee, of Chestertown, Md., will arrive Wednesday to spend the remainder of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sherwood.

Among those who attended the band festival in Bristol Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Parker St. John, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wolfe and family, Mrs. L. S. Walker and daughter, Janet, Miss Katherine Rector, Mrs. Charles Goodman, Mrs. Frank Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Tilson and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Craven Jr. and daughters, Donna and Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Echols and children, Sandra and Norman, Mrs. J. L. Spurgeon, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Goodman, Mrs. Howard Bonham, Miss Bobbie Jean Wilmore, Mrs. C. K. Jones, Mrs. Mary Lee Jones, Mrs. Howard Bonham, Mrs. C. W. Hawthorne, Miss Beulah Anderson and Miss Belle Hawthorne.

Week-end guests of Miss Louise Snaveley were Miss Ruth Carter and Miss Helen Hill, both of Appalachia.

Among the out of town guests to attend the Williams-Berry wedding Sunday were Mrs. Walter Phitzenmyer, Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Williams and family, Radford; Mr. and Mrs. John Williams Jr. and family, St. Paul; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Groseclose, Wytheville; J. B. Williams, Eggleston; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Stafford, Pembroke, and Robert S. Hand, Ashland, Ky.

Miss Betty Dillow, who is a student at West Virginia Business College, Bluefield, W. Va., spent the week end at her

home. She was taken back to Bluefield Sunday by her mother, Mrs. Bane Anderson, and Mr. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mays attended the grammar grade school football games between Marion and Saltville in Saltville Monday night.

Chilhowie High School

BY KITTY SUE RICE

The first assembly of the school year was held Wednesday morning in the auditorium. At this time 55 seniors received their class rings. The presentation was made by Miss Louise Snaveley and Principal G. E. Copenhaver.

One hundred and twenty members of the freshmen class took the California Test of Mental Maturity and Reading Test Monday. The tests were given by Miss Mary Pawne Copenhaver, Miss Elizabeth Love and Mrs. Margaret Robinson, eighth grade room teachers.

Season tickets have been sold this year for the Southeast Assembly programs. A season ticket is \$1 and good for five programs. If bought separately, each ticket is 50c. The first Southeast Assembly program, which was given Thursday, was a magician show by Ray and Company.

Members of the band have been working on a membership drive for the Band Boosters' Club. The membership fee is \$1.

Cheerleaders for this year have been chosen by Mrs. Stan Brown, Mrs. Sam Frye, Coach Bob Coulthard and Principal Copenhaver. From the 16 candidates, six girls were elected. They are Margaret Roland, Loreta Stamper, Lois Blevins, Nancy Gollehon, Patty Hankla and Pat Sturgill. Cheerleaders continuing from last year are Ann Herndon, Frances Gollehon, Phyllis Wheelless and Doris Gamble.

Band members, accompanied by the band director, Luroy Krumwiede, went to Bristol Saturday to participate in the third annual Band Festival. Erwin Sanders, Band Boosters' Club president, went with the group. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Duncan took their pick-up truck and carried all the band instruments. The Chilhowie Band which was in class D according to school enrollment, received a number two rating.

The band will go to Abingdon next Saturday, to take part in the Burley Tobacco Festival parade. The parade will begin at 12:30 p. m.

Class officers for the coming year have been elected as follows: Senior Class: president, Joan Spurgeon; vice president, Janet Haga; secretary, Sheila Blevins; treasurer, Shirley Hankla; reporter, Kenny Rector; watchdog, Everett Walton. Junior: president, Peggy Martin; vice president, Bobby Clapp; secretary, Dorothy Heath; treasurer, Betty Jo Bowman; reporter, Mickey Maust.

Sophomore: president, Faye Short; vice president, Joann Mullen; secretary, Janice Rouse; treasurer, Wanda Blevins; reporter, Winkle Manuel. Freshman: president, Jerry Odum; vice president, Frank Sanders; secretary, Bobby Duncan; treasurer, Jimmie Vance; reporter, Donald Lawrence.

MERCHANDISING CLASS OFFERED TO MARION RETAILERS TUESDAY

Marion retailers and their employees are invited to attend an instruction program in poultry and egg merchandising next Tuesday at 8 p. m. at Piggly Wiggly, Marion. The program will consist of a one night session given by a professionally trained instructor.



FAMILIES of two Sugar Grove prisoners of war who recently returned home, Sgt. Alvin Wagner and Cpl. Charles Stone, were honored by the American Legion Post and its auxiliary last Saturday at Sugar Grove High School. Following the dinner meeting they were presented gifts by the organizations. Included in the presentation ceremonies, above, left to right, are Mrs. Lena Roberts, president of the auxiliary; Rex Baumgardner, post commander; Mr. and Mrs. Sol Wagner and daughter and C. B. Stone, Sheriff Pat Jennings was toastmaster and James F. Tindall spoke.



PVT. ROBERT DOLINGER JR., US 5223187, recently completed his basic training at the 511th Airborne Div., Fort Campbell, Ky.

He is spending a 15 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dolinger of Chilhowie.

When his leave expires Pvt. Dolinger will report to Fort Lewis, Wash., for overseas duty. He attended Chilhowie schools.

Band Members And Football Team Are Honored at Theatre

The members of the Chilhowie High School Band and football team were entertained at the State Theatre in Chilhowie Wednesday evening of this week.

Master of ceremonies, Jake Russell, introduced Trooper S. M. Norris, president of the Chilhowie Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Norris introduced Everett Walton, captain of the football team; Dickie Sturgill, co-captain; Joan Spurgeon, president of the band; Luroy Krumwiede, band director, and coaches Atkins and Coulthard.

They expressed their thanks for the work of the leaders. Miss Spurgeon presented Mr. Krumwiede a gift of luggage from the band members, and the coaches received gifts from the football team.

Chilhowie PTA To Sponsor Halloween Party October 19

The Chilhowie PTA will give a Halloween party Monday evening, Oct. 19, in the high school auditorium, beginning at 7:45 p. m.

The PTA hospitality committee, in charge of arrangements, states that the party is for faculty members, parents and friends.

The regular meeting of the PTA is the third Monday night in each month, and the Halloween party will be the first meeting of this season.

New Wing Is Added To Greever's Clinic

A new wing to the Greever's Clinic in Chilhowie, which has been under construction several weeks, is now completed.

The addition will be used for nurse's apartments giving additional room in the original building by using the nurses apartments for other rooms.

The remodeled building has a new, large delivery room, an enlarged nursery with a glass front, a modern kitchen for the clinics' use and a doctor's lounge. Walls in the building have all been newly painted.

Chilhowie Pays \$12,000 For Church Property

The Town of Chilhowie has purchased the property of the Chilhowie Christian Church for \$12,000.

The town plans to tear down the building and use the ground for an extension of the street which runs from Highway 11 to the main street of town, adjacent to the Chilhowie Bank building. The present street has long been a traffic hazard with insufficient room for parking and thoroughfare.

At the regular meeting of the Town Council members Friday evening, further plans for the filtering plant for the new water system were made. Work on the plant will begin immediately by the R. Stuart Royer associate of Richmond. As previously stated the plant

will be on the South Fork river and is scheduled to be completed by July of next year.

The town now has two garbage collections each month. They are on the first and third Tuesdays.

Street repair has been a major part of the town's improvements recently. The latest work has been the opening and grading of a new street in the west end of town, north of the property of Mrs. H. K. Price.

Present at the council meeting Friday were Mayor Kelly Berry, Councilman G. W. Echols, J. B. Bonham, S. A. Cole, F. H. Rector, J. B. Cole and H. T. Ball and town clerk, Robert Beattie.

Hospital Patients

Wednesday, Oct. 14

Medical

John C. Wright Jr., Preston Glass Jr., D. M. Blevins, Mrs. Willard Blevins, Mrs. F. G. Hagy, Thompson E. Davis, Mrs. Fred Taylor, I. C. Pafford, Herbert Kirk, Mrs. R. G. Newberry, Naomi Ruth Holland, Fox; Theodore Umbarger, Hugh B. Atkins, Mrs. Arthur Sexton, Atkins; Mrs. Jesse Dolinger, Mrs. George Lester, Mrs. Rosalee Redmiles, Paul Creasy, Mrs. J. H. Warren, R. C. Price, Chilhowie; Mrs. George Jones, Seven Mile Ford; P. E. Howke, Camp; Mrs. Eva Brown, Abingdon; Mrs. P. F. Coldicott, Mrs. Mollie Anderson, Mrs. Frank A. Fielder, Rural Retreat; Miss Dosca Martin, Grant; Mrs. J. H. Buchanan, H. B. Buchanan, Donald Carter, Mrs. Elmer Waddell, Nebo; Mrs. John Baldwin, Sugar Grove; Mrs. John Gates, Lebanon; Billy Combs, Wytheville; Jimmy Buchanan, Saltville; Mrs. Cynthia Buchanan, Chatham Hill; Willie Eller; Volney; Mrs. Lillie Testerman, Trout Dale.

Surgical

N. E. Robinson, Mrs. Lora Lee Johnston, Phillip Garza, David Overbey, Mrs. Charlie Pruitt, Marion; Mrs. W. L. Martin, Fox; Miss Janice Davis, Aleta Blevins, Joyce James, Mrs. Earl Harrington Jr., Grant; John C. Burke, Jonesville; V. C. McKee, Glade Spring; Mrs. Joe Parks, Sugar Grove; Alonzo Parker, William Jerry Parker, Mrs. James E. Rowland, Chilhowie; S. M. Cornette, Flatridge.

Accident

Leonard Billings, O. R. Peake, Marion; Fred Blevins, Mrs. Charlie Rich, Sugar Grove; John Henry Tuggle, Saltville; Mrs. G. H. Gillenwater, Seven Mile Ford.

Spratt's Creek

HELEN COMPTON
Spratts Creek, Oct. 12 — The Rev. Mr. Littrel filled his regular appointment at Goodman Chapel Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Waddell have recently returned from a visit with their children in Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ferguson of Detroit, Mich., spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Ferguson.

Miss Marleen Atwell spent Friday night with Miss Helen Compton.

Mrs. Billy Cook Neal and son, Mrs. Bill Nutter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whittaker have been visiting H. E. Campbell.

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GOLD-FEVER GRIPS
JOHNNY MACK BROWN
OUTLAWS... JOHNNY CURES 'EM QUINER!
Whistling Hills
Plus Cartoon and
"HERE COMES ELMER"

SUNDAY & MONDAY, OCTOBER 18-19
BOB'S DAY & DUNNY THOMAS
I'll See You In My Dreams
FRANK LOVEDAY PATRICK WYMORE
News — Comedy

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20-21
TANTALIZING BEAUTY... hard on a man's part... DEATH on his future!
POWELL-FLEMING
CRY DANGER
GUNS IN THE BACK SUSPENSE!
Richard EDGMAN
Jean Porter - William Conrad
Comedy — Cartoon

THURSDAY & FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22-23
Sage of the East... hard on a man's part... DEATH on his future!
CIMARRON KID
AUDIE MURPHY - YETTE WIGLEY
News — Hollywood At Play

NEWS of CHURCHES

Attempt Is Made To Publish Life of R. S. Sheffey

At the last session of the Holston Conference of the Methodist Church the Historical Commission urged the immediate publication of a biography of Robert Sayers Sheffey, known all over Southern Virginia as a unique person and a Christian character of stalwart faith.

Some things have been written of this man's life but none of them did credit to him as a whole since they sought to deal with the amusing side of his life.

It has long been felt that the story of this man should be written since no other man has lived in the section from the Blue Ridge mountains to the Ohio river who has exerted a greater influence on all people than Robert Sayers Sheffey. As a man of prayer he was outstanding. Records by the hundred exist of the things accredited to his prayers.

The Rev. W. S. Barbery, pastor of the Davy, W. Va., Methodist Church, has done a real job of collecting these stories and classifying them, sifting fact from fancy, and has written a biography of Brother Sheffey which will set him out in his true character as a man of deep spiritual — a man who knew how to use the great resource of prayer.

Many people have been anxious for the publication of this book which will be about 250 pages in length. Mr. Barbery has made the research and done the writing of the book with no thought of making money from it. He has hesitated to assume the high cost of publication since he is a Methodist preacher without surplus money. He is anxious to publish the book and is being urged to do so. Donations of approximately \$1,000 have been given to him to assist in publication. If others will underwrite amounts or subscribe for sufficient books to make the author feel safe he is ready to go ahead with the publication.

The Holston Historical Society has examined the manuscript and is urging Barbery to rush publication. The probable cost of 2,000 volumes will be about \$2,000.

Mrs. Mercer Is Hostess to WMU

The WMU of Cedar Bluff Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Mercer for the monthly meeting.

Devotions were given by the president, Mrs. G. R. Atkins. Those taking part on the program were Mrs. Mercer, Mrs. E. B. Welch, Mrs. F. A. Pennington, Mrs. Earlie Catron, Mrs. J. P. Crewry and Mrs. Atkins.

The November meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Mercer.

LA Laymans' Rally To Be Held in Marion

Seventh-Day Adventist Church members are making plans for a laymans' rally to be held in the Marion Church November 15.

Adventist church members in Southwest Virginia will attend this all day rally. Leaders from the General Conference in Washington will be present and also leaders from the union and local conference. Students from Washington Missionary College will furnish the music for the rally as well as representatives of the Potomac Book and Bible House.

The Layman's Rally will officially begin Friday night, November 6, but most of the church members are expected for the all day service on the Sabbath. The Dorcas Society will take charge of the plans for make ready accommodations for the meeting.

Services for the Adventist Church this week are as follows: Wednesday, prayer meeting, Bible Marking Class; Saturday, Sabbath School at 9:30, church at 11:00 and Young Peoples Meeting at 3:30.

Loy Redding Gives Preaching Appointments

The Rev. Roy W. Redding announces that the revival at Mt. Pleasant, conducted by the Rev. J. F. Aker of Radford, will continue throughout the week, probably closing Sunday night. The Rev. Mr. Redding will preach at Adams Chapel Sunday morning at 11; at Stoney Point at 2:30 and Mt. Pleasant Church at 7:30 p. m. He will preach at the Lick Creek Church Tuesday night at 7:30 and perhaps begin a revival meeting there.

Smith to Conduct Revival Services At Marion Baptist



The Rev. Raymond Smith

The Rev. Raymond Smith, pastor of the Euclid Avenue Baptist Church, Bristol, will be the guest preacher for revival services at the Marion Baptist Church beginning next Sunday Oct. 18, and running through Wednesday evening, Oct. 28.

The services will be held at 7:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The morning services are scheduled for an early hour in order to give an opportunity to working people and young people to get to work and school by 8 o'clock, says Dr. Primitivo Delgado, pastor.

The public is invited to all the services.

Oak Grove Baptist Church Dedicated At Sunday Service

A total of \$134.44 was collected on the new furnace for the church at the dedication service of the Oak Grove Baptist Church Sunday.

A large crowd attended the services, according to the pastor, the Rev. L. D. Shumate. The Rev. J. R. Shumate of Marion was in charge of the morning service. A picnic lunch was served at noon, and the Rev. Carl Tripplett of Chilhowie brought the message in the afternoon.

Special music for the service was furnished by choirs from Saltville and Glade Spring.

New Pastor at Grace Church Gives Services

Herbert O. Kelsey Jr., pastor of the Grace Methodist Church of Marion, announces the following services for this Sunday.

The topic of his sermon for the morning worship hour at 11 will be "Blessed are They." At 6:30 Sunday evening the MYF Senior Group will meet at the church while the Junior Group will hold their meeting at the parsonage. The evening service will begin at 7:30.

"Scatter the Good Seed" Is Topic Of Elizabeth WSCS

"Scatter The Good Seed" was the topic used by the women of the Elizabeth WSCS when they met Friday night with Mrs. James Russell.

Mrs. E. L. Pugh was the leader. She was assisted by Mrs. I. C. Choate, Mrs. Ray Robbins, Mrs. Roy Bullins, Mrs. Ted Calhoun, Mrs. Scott Meek, Mrs. R. C. Slemp and Mrs. James Russell.

Mrs. Ray Robbins will entertain the group at the November meeting and Mrs. Russell will arrange the program. The hostess served refreshments to 13 members and one visitor.

Willing Workers Class Is Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bise entertained the Willing Workers Class of the Chilhowie Christian Church at their home in Chilhowie Monday evening. The devotional program taking on Psalms was conducted by Mr. Bise.

The first edition of the class newspaper, "The Messenger" will be out this Sunday. This is a monthly edition filled with news of the church activities.

Returned Missionary To Speak at Lick Creek School this Saturday

Miss Alice Hill, who has spent 10 years in missionary work in Costa Rica, Central America, will be guest speaker at the Lick Creek School this Saturday evening.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 and the public is invited by Miss Anna Hess to attend. She says Miss Hill is well able to give a picture of the needy field in Costa Rica.

AN EXPERIMENT IN RELIGION



We met a chemist some years ago who was planning to experiment with religion.

"Some Sunday," he said, "I'm going to go to Church and see if it makes any difference in my life."

"Doctor," we asked (for he had a number of degrees), "How does a chemist begin his experiments in a new field?"

"With research," came the reply. "He studies the findings of other men in that field—determines what has been proven—what is unknown."

"That's a good way to begin your experiment with religion," we suggested. "It would hardly be 'scientific' to judge Christianity, or your need for it, on the basis of one visit to Church. But a few months of faithful attendance, and many thoughtful evenings with the Bible will give you a clear understanding of what others have found in Christianity. You'll discover spiritual truths which centuries of experience have proven, and gain a faith that can bridge the Unknown."

At last report, our chemist was making fine progress in his experiment. In fact, he no longer thinks of his religion as experimental!

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Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday . . . I Kings	18	17-24
Monday . . . Psalms	91	1-7
Tuesday . . . Amos	5	10-24
Wednesday . . . Jonah	3	1-10
Thursday . . . Luke	4	1-11
Friday . . . Luke	6	26-49
Saturday . . . Luke	12	13-21

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Work Begins on New Church in Chilhowie

Work has begun in preparation of the construction of the new Chilhowie Christian Church, which is to be located in the center part of town opposite the Greever Clinic.

Clyde Burton of Marion and John Lewis of Chilhowie are in charge of the building. Working with the builders is a committee headed by J. Verlin Bland with Jack Wheeler and

Kyle Heffinger assisting him. The church pastor, the Rev. Desmond Coie, states that the plans for the new building include eight or 10 Sunday School class rooms and an auditorium with seating capacity of around 300. The present Christian Church property was sold Thursday to the Town of Chilhowie.

Rally Day Is Slated at Sugar Grove Church

The First Baptist Church in Sugar Grove will have its annual rally for the benefit of the church, for some repair work, Sunday, Oct. 25, at 11 a. m.

The Rev. John Hardy, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of Chilhowie will bring the message and the Rev. Harvey Phipps of Sugar Grove will pray the opening prayer. The choir of the Chilhowie church will sing with Mrs. Jettie Preston of Chilhowie at the piano.

The Rev. Mr. Hall, pastor of the Valley Street Baptist Church in Abingdon, will bring the message at 3 p. m. Betty Smith of Plum Creek Baptist Church will pray the prayer. Mrs. Hall will play the piano and the Mt. Zion Baptist Church choir of Emory will furnish music. The Black Lick choir will give two selections. Mrs. Alberta Smith of Mt. Zion will give two selections, accompanied by George Smith at the piano.

Little Madison of Sugar Grove will be mistress of ceremonies. Dinner will be served on the grounds.

Miss Nell Preston Is Guest Speaker At Circle Meeting

Miss Nell Preston of Seven Mile Ford was guest speaker of the evening when Mrs. A. B. Farmer was hostess to the Cora Vance Circle of the Chilhowie Baptist Church Thursday evening. She was introduced by Mrs. Vance Echols, program chairman.

Miss Preston used as her topic "Paths of Service — Old and New." She urged each member to follow in the old paths, adding new ones from time to time, and always striving to contribute something beyond the prescribed course of duty.

She also spoke of the work done by people in her community in giving to the "Milk Fund" and sending clothing to destitute Korean children. By her suggestion the circle decided to contribute to the Milk Fund in the future.

Mrs. Gale Paris, chairman of the 10th anniversary of the Business Women's Circles of Virginia for the circle, gave a report on that project. Nineteen dollars were contributed to the project, which goes to a fund to help educate needy pupils in Christian service. She also announced the meeting of the Glade Group Missionary Societies at the Greenfield Baptist Church Wednesday.

Mrs. John Elliott, president, appointed a nominating committee to select officers for next year. They are Miss Louise Snavely, Mrs. Gale Paris and Mrs. Frederick Jones. They were asked to meet with the pastor, the Rev. Carl Tripplett, the Sunday School superintendent, A. B. Farmer, and the president of the WMU, Mrs. A. L. Eller, for this purpose.

16 Members Attend Rich Valley Women Of The Church Meet

The women of the Rich Valley Presbyterian Church met on October 8 at the home of Mrs. R. M. Buchanan Sr.

There were 16 members and their pastor, the Rev. Otis McNeil, present.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by the pastor. Miss Nannie DeBord conducted the Bible lesson "Jesus the Son of Man." Miss Grayson Pratt had charge of the program "Extending Our Church Throughout the South." She was assisted by Mrs. V. H. Neel, Mrs. J. M. Pratt Sr., Mrs. G. S. Buchanan Jr., Mrs. J. M. Pratt Jr., and Mrs. Lee Worley.

The business meeting was presided over by Miss Grayson Pratt with reports given by the committee chairman in regard to the work of their committees. At the conclusion of the business meeting, refreshments were served by the hostess. Mrs. J. M. Pratt Jr. and Mrs. John B. Campbell will be hostesses for the November meeting.

Mrs. Craven And Mrs. McCormick Are Hostesses to Circle

Mrs. W. T. Craven Jr. and Mrs. Paul H. McCormick were hostesses to the Flora Copenhaver circle of the Chilhowie Methodist WSCS Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Craven.

"Rural Missions of the Church" was the topic of the program, which was led by Mrs. John A. Copenhaver. Mrs. M. C. Phillippi gave the devotions. Others on the program were Mrs. Don Greever, Mrs. Leslie LePlace, Mrs. Arthur Mabe, Mrs. Robert Pendleton and Mrs. J. G. Blankenbecker.

In the business session plans were made for the observance of World Day of Prayer, which will be at the Chilhowie church during the afternoon of Wednesday, Oct. 28.

It was also announced that the Rev. John Dills will conduct a Bible study on the Book of Jeremiah in four sessions. They will be the afternoons of Oct. 15, Oct. 19, Oct. 22 and Oct. 26 at the Chilhowie Methodist Church.

Regular Services Are Given For South Fork Church

Sunday School will begin at 10 a. m. this Sunday at the South Fork Baptist Church.

The Rev. O. N. Blankenbecker, pastor, will conduct preaching services at 7:30 p. m. this Sunday.

Prayer services begin at 7:30 each Thursday evening at the church and are also conducted by the pastor.

The YWA's will meet Monday evening with the counselor, Mrs. Nannie Elledge, at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Frances Rosenbaum presented the book "Americans, Too" to the Annie Armstrong Girl's Auxiliary in a mission study class Saturday.

The mission study class, combined with a picnic, was held at the home of the counselor, Mrs. Mable Pennington. Seventeen were present, including three visitors.

The auxiliary will hold a bi-monthly meeting with Anna Lou Ellis, October 19.

Series of Services Are Being Held At Furnace Hill

There are a series of evangelistic services in progress at the Furnace Hill Lutheran Church.

The pastor, the Rev. Kenneth Killinger, is in charge. Services began Oct. 11.

The speaker, Sunday night was Dr. J. H. Fray of Marion College. Services begin at 7 o'clock each evening.

Services Are Given For Gospel Tabernacle

Evangelist E. M. Byrd announces the following services at Gospel Tabernacle, Hutton Branch, this Sunday.

Bible Study will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday with prayer meeting at 3 o'clock. A preaching service will be held in the evening at 7:30.

Summit Church to Begin Revival Sunday

A revival will begin this Sunday evening at the Summit Baptist Church.

The pastor, the Rev. C. J. Younce, of Lenoir, N. C., will be assisted by the Rev. R. F. Laws of Camp. Services will begin each evening at 7:30.

Evangelist Byrd Gives Services

Evangelist E. M. Byrd announces the following services for the Gospel Tabernacle on Hutton Branch. Bible study is held each Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, prayer meeting at 3 with preaching at 7:30 Sunday evening.

Special Meeting Slated At Falling Water Baptist

A special business meeting will be held at the Falling Water Baptist Church this coming Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. This meeting will be held for the purpose of electing a new pastor for the church.

J. W. Blankenbecker To Preach at Falling Water Church Sunday

Evangelist J. W. Blankenbecker will preach at the Falling Water Baptist Church at Ataway this Sunday morning at the 11 a. m. service.

I do not agree with a word you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it.

LOSING GOOD CITIZEN

Smyth County is losing a good citizen, with Dr. J. Luther Mauney, pastor of Ebenezer Lutheran Church of Marion resigning to take another pastorate.

Dr. Mauney has been in Marion for several years and the church has prospered under his leadership. Not only has the church benefited from his work here, but the entire county has reaped great value from his time spent in Southwest Virginia.

The Lutheran minister has been a civic and community leader in Marion. He has worked long and faithful hours on jobs which have helped the cultural and educational phases of our lives. He has spent many days and weeks among the unfortunates and responds instantly to any roll of this nature.

He has been a defender of the minorities, even though it sometimes led to personal criticism. In short, he loves people, regardless of race, creed or nationality—the true test of a Christian gentleman.

We are sorry to lose Dr. Mauney and hope him many more years of constructive work in his new job.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS SPEAKERS

The University of Virginia Extension and two Marion clubs again this year are bringing to Marion four outstanding experts on foreign affairs.

Last year was the first time any such program had been conducted in this section by the university. Through the Woodrow Wilson School of Foreign Affairs, experts in their respective fields on world events came to Smyth County to give their views and ideas on conditions and problems in various sections of the globe.

The same caliber men will come to Southwest Virginia this year. The exact dates and speakers have not been lined up to date, but should be within the near future. Quality this year will be as good as last, if not better.

Tickets for the four events are being sold at \$1 per person for all four forums. This is just about as cheap an education as any we have ever encountered.

Anyone desiring to get first hand information on world affairs will do well to secure tickets for these events immediately. And just as a suggestion — a handful of tickets for distribution to our high school and college students will be a fine gesture for helping educate these young people. Most all of them want to attend these lectures, which will deal with events of today.

NO SOAP

Marion elementary school pupils can now enjoy one of the most modern cafeterias in the country. Plans are being made for similar cafeterias in other new schools to be erected in Smyth County.

Clean, neat and inviting, this cafeteria is a great step forward in the noon day lunch program for the children. It affords them a hot, well prepared meal in the middle of the day, when their energy begins to lag, and it is a task for them to settle down to class-work.

Also on the program at the schools are studies in personal hygiene and health. Several hours are devoted each month to these studies, in an attempt to teach the youngsters clean personal habits and the importance of cleanliness.

Both the modern cafeteria and its spotless kitchen and the personal health program for the pupils are a great aid to teaching our children. But there is one more step to be taken before we can brag about our schools.

Neither soap or paper towels are furnished the youngsters for washing up before eating. All the classes on personal cleanliness and all the work in keeping the cafeteria and kitchen spotless can easily be offset by this lack.

Wash your hands before eating, brush your teeth after eating, never go to the rest rooms without washing your hands, always wash your hands after doing work or participating in play which gets them dirty. This is drilled into the boys and girls heads day in and day out.

Still they go to the cafeteria to eat after sticking their hands into a stream of water and wiping them with their shirt tails or somewhat soiled handkerchiefs. The result is as expected. Grimy, dirt streaked hands are the general rule, instead of the exception.

Some parents are supplying some rooms with soap and towels. The others have to scrounge for themselves. And if we know youngsters of this age like we think we do, there is little scrounging. They prefer the dirty hands to the trouble of trying to get them clean. It is a problem to get them to wash up, even with the best of conveniences.

Teaching one thing and practicing another appears to be the rule in this personal health problem. If the school board does not have enough money to provide what soap and towels are needed in our schools, then let's up taxes enough to take care of this matter. It couldn't possibly cost too much more.

The Democratic Opinion

This Column is Conducted by

CHARLES E. ANDERSON

Designated by the Democratic Party of Smyth

IT IS YOUR DUTY TO VOTE NOVEMBER 3

Not having a committee on Public Relations within the Democratic Party of Smyth County to write editorials, such as the Republican Party has, our opinions have to be expressed by those of us who are not trained in the editorial field.

When asked by the Democratic County chairman to present our views this week, I accepted reluctantly, realizing my ability as an editorial writer is limited. Since the page on which these words appear is headed "I do not agree with a word you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it" I set forth my thoughts realizing they will not be judged on editorial ability.

For over 75 years the people of the Commonwealth of Virginia have placed their faith in the Democratic Party of Virginia and have been rewarded with good sound government. The Democratic party through its medium of the primary elections has always given Virginians the choice of outstanding candidates for the offices of governor, lieutenant governor and attorney general and these candidates have always received an overwhelming endorsement at the polls and have given their best for our benefit.

Never in the 75 years of Democratic government in Virginia has there been a single instance of malfeasance or dishonest conduct by any state official. No high placed politician profiting by the exerting of political influence. The Democratic candidates in 1953 are men of proven ability chosen in the same democratic way of a free and open primary and if elected on November 3 will continue to render our state good sound government.

I could not help but be amused when I read the last paragraphs of the editorial submitted by the Smyth County Republican Committee of Public Relations of Thursday, October 8. After having stated all of the changes needed in Virginia the editorial then closes by saying, "There is no good reason why we should not have had many of these changes and improvements before this time. The only reason we can think of is that the State of Virginia has been so predominately ruled by the Democratic machine that they have neglected to notice the needs of the people and have utterly failed in many instances to listen to their cry for relief."

The editorial then closes with the following paragraph, "We ask all of the voters to consider these suggestions and go to the polls and vote for the man who believes these changes should be made and will work to that end."

It is hard for me to understand how the Smyth County Republican Committee on Public Relations can justify these two paragraphs when it is widely rumored that the Republican party in Virginia is responsible for the continuation of the so called "Democratic Machine." In the Democratic Primary of 1949 the Democratic party offered to the voters of Virginia a choice between the so-called machine and anti-organization. Many Republican leaders of Virginia urged the Republican voters to enter this primary and support the candidate of the so-called Machine. The distinguished Republican candidate for governor, Senator Dalton himself has since reminded the Democratic party in a speech on the floor of the State Senate of Virginia that it was the Republican votes which saved the organization when it was fighting for its political life and elected the distinguished gentleman, John S. Battle to the high office of Governor of Virginia.

If the so-called Democratic Machine is such an evil thing it is hard to understand how some leaders of the Republican Party could urge Republicans to vote for its continuance. Of course, every four years strange statements are made by those who seem to have a remedy for all of our ills but their past performances have never demonstrated their ability to cure them. I am sure these statements of the Smyth County Republican Committee on Public Relations will go unnoticed when the citizens of Smyth County exercise their rights of franchise November 3.

If this rumor is true the Republican leaders have no reason to be ashamed of their action in supporting the so-called Democratic Machine. For Governor John S. Battle has given the State of Virginia the same good sound government we have been accustomed to receiving, and on all questions of public interest he has acted in a courageous manner without regard to its political significance. John S. Battle will long be remembered by the citizens of Virginia as one of our great governors and I do not believe that even Senator Dalton would agree with the above mentioned statements submitted by the Smyth County Republican Committee on Public Relations.

Although I have personally chosen the Democratic Party to be the party of my political faith, I have always respected the opinions of those who have chosen to differ with me. Even though we call ourselves Democrats and Republicans I sincerely believe we are all Virginians first, and many times we cross party lines in state and county elections to place the interest of our state and county above political considerations. In the presidential election the Democrats of Smyth County were invited by the Republican party to cross party lines for what they termed "for the good of our country and the Ninth District." The results of that election undoubtedly proved many did so. The Democratic party with regards to our local House of Delegates election invites all the citizens of Smyth County to place the interest of the County above partisan political consideration and support the Democratic candidate, W. M. Sclater Jr., on November 3.

The governor's election will undoubtedly be hard fought, as it should be, but even the staunchest Republican leader will admit that Thomas B. Stanley will be overwhelmingly elected. It is the belief of the Democratic Party of Smyth County that the interest of the county can be best served by sending to Richmond a member of the majority party.

The candidate offered by the Democratic party is qualified in every respect to ably represent the citizens of Smyth County. He is a native, born and reared in the town of Marion and a descendent of one of the most highly respected families of this area. Reared in a Christian home, he naturally inherits the Christian qualities so necessary in public service. He is a former member of the town council of Marion and a former steward of the First Methodist Church. He is at the present time a teacher of one of the adult Bible classes of his church. Having been associated for a number of years in business with his father, he has naturally received the benefit of a business education which would be of great help to him in serving the needs of the people of Smyth County.

He is a veteran of World War II, having served with distinction with the United States Navy, rising to the rank of lieutenant. He served overseas in the important capacity as communication officer for the Eighth Fleet in the Mediterranean Area. The Democratic Party

feels that his war record entitles him to the support of the veterans of Smyth County.

Within his party his ability was rewarded by his election to the high office of vice president of the Young Democratic Clubs of Virginia. Many of the young men with whom he served are now leaders in the General Assembly of Virginia and could be of valuable assistance to him in obtaining the necessary legislation for the needs of Smyth County.

His opponent, the Republican candidate, is my friend and has served us as well as any Republican could be expected to. Being one of the six Republican members of the legislature he could not be expected to accomplish very much. Regardless of political opinions it is our belief that the interest of Smyth County could be best served by sending a Democrat to Richmond to represent us in the next General Assembly. We ask the voters of Smyth County to consider this and put Smyth County first on November 3 by a vote for W. M. Sclater Jr.

ROBERT S. GARNETT

The Republican View

This Column is Conducted by

CHARLES H. FUNK

Designated by the Republican Party of Smyth

QUALIFICATIONS FOR OFFICE

Last week in this column, in this paper, there were some of the things mentioned for which the Republican party stands: changes that we feel should be made in the state of Virginia that would be beneficial to all of the people in Virginia, regardless of party affiliation.

Ray Rouse, who is the Republican candidate for the House of Delegates in Smyth County, we feel is a well-qualified man to represent us in the State Legislature.

Following, we set forth a few of his many qualifications to hold this office. We hope that the voters of the county will consider these things and give them full credit when they reach the point of making the decision for whom to vote.

Ray Rouse was born in the country in Smyth County, Virginia, a few miles south of Chilhowie. His father was at the time and is now a country merchant and a farmer. As a boy, Ray worked in his father's store and on the farm, while getting his elementary education. He knows how to measure calico by the yard, sell kerosene by the gallon, and count eggs by the dozen. He knows what it is to get up before dawn, feed the stock, milk the cows and get into the field by sun-up and stay until sun-down. In other words, he knows the hardship and hard work that is connected with farming, not by heresy but by actual experience.

After finishing public school, Mr. Rouse went to college and paid most of his own expenses by doing extra outside work. He has a good education, but his education has not swelled his head or turned his face away from the people to whom he belongs.

After finishing college he taught in our public schools for a number of years. He knows what it is for a school teacher to work and toil in the classroom, month after month, for about the lowest salaries paid teachers by any state in the union, thanks to the great machine in Richmond, now asking you to vote for it again.

During World War II, Ray was called to Oak Ridge as a scientist, to help make the atomic bomb. This work almost cost him his health and his life, due to coming in contact with radio-active matter. He was told by competent government physicians that he would never recover, and as a result he was classified by the local draft board as 4F. However, by proper rest and medical attention for several years he has apparently completely recovered.

After his recovery, in order to be out in the fresh air as much as possible, on advice of his physician he entered the field of life insurance, and now conducts an active and successful insurance agency in Marion, Virginia.

Now, what does this all add up to in the way of qualifying him to represent us in the House of Delegates? Simply this:

He knows from actual experience the problems of the farmers and the hardships the farmer and his wife and family must endure in order to provide food for the nation. He knows the disadvantage that a country boy has in getting an education and traveling over miserable roads provided by our highway commission in order to obtain an elementary education. He knows from experience how hard it is for a poor boy or girl, living either in the country or town, to get a college education and the work and sacrifice that they have to make when most of the money is self-provided. He knows from experience the problems of the school teachers in Smyth County and the state of Virginia: how hard it is for them to provide food, clothing and education for their families for 12 months on nine months' salary, and that salary a very low salary.

He knows from experience the problems of the small businessmen, the multitude of oppressive taxes they have to pay; the little benefits they get in return.

He knows from experience the problems of the small workers and the hardships they endure.

Being in the life insurance business, he calls on people of all walks of life. He hears their difficulties and problems, their successes and their failure. He knows what they hope for and what they have despaired of ever getting.

We feel that from the standpoint of the experiences of Ray Rouse and the many phases of life which he has actually participated in, that he is eminently well qualified to represent us in the House of Delegates, for the simple reason that he has learned the things he knows, not alone in school and college, but in the great school of experience and hard knocks. We earnestly ask you to consider these qualifications and the things for which Ray Rouse stands, and cast your vote for him on November 3, 1953.

sweepings from the back shop

By Mr. Moe

Keeping out of trouble at home is sometimes a full time job. And even then the 24 hours a day job is likely to be a failure.

Last Sunday night we went into the dog house, and the doors are really locked. It all started over a nice, thick, perfectly cooked steak, with green salad and the trimmings, put before me for Sunday night dinner.

I don't think I have ever

seen a better looking steak. It was perfect. But I could eat only a couple of bites and the children finished it up.

"Well, of all things, I have never seen the beat. You always have favored steak over any other food, and I thought I was really pleasing you." The wife was not smiling in the least.

"You mean he isn't going to eat that steak?" Claudine, our chief cook and bottle washer, spoke up. "And to think of all the trouble we went to in order to fix him up for a good Sunday night dinner. You went to the store Saturday, picked out the steaks personally, did without that new blouse you wanted and shot the works to fix him up. He ought to be ashamed of him-

self. Make him eat it."

"Daddy is crazy," the son stated, reaching over and slicing off another good hunk of juicy meat. "Well, I'm not," the daughter said, taking the bone with a large amount of tender morsels still clinging to the sides.

The children didn't mind in the least. They just chewed away.

But Claudine and the wife were upset, and it was evident that they didn't appreciate my not eating the steak. Candles had been used. The dining room table had been set, with flowers from the neighbor's yard and company silver, china and napkins had been scattered around with reckless abandon. It was some meal.

I couldn't eat. I was hungry, but I didn't want steak. The real reason was that I had eaten steak for five straight nights, and the thought of another steak was just too much.

The Tuesday night previous I had gone to the Kiwanis Club meeting. We had steak. Wednesday night I went to a meeting in Wytheville. The host served steak. Thursday night I went to the Junior Chamber of Commerce meeting in Marion. We had steak.

Friday night I attended Rotary Club. Again I ate steak. Then Saturday night I went over to the American Legion dinner in Sugar Grove. You guessed it — steak again.

All of this steak was wonderful. It was tender and juicy. But a half a side of a steer a week is just too much. I wanted boiled cabbage, dried beans, buttermilk and corn bread. Instead, Sunday night, I got steak.

I didn't want to tell my wife and Claudine the truth, so I feigned illness. "My head has been hurting all day, and I have an upset stomach. You all go on and eat."

"You ate three toasted cheese sandwiches, potato salad, pickles and two cups of coffee for lunch," the wife said.

"And this afternoon you came in an got two apples and a bunch of grapes," Claudine piped in.

"This afternoon while watching the football game on television you went through a candy jar full of fudge and a big plate of cookies," the daughter chimed in.

"Yeah, I guess I have just eaten too much today."

"You always eat that much on Sunday afternoons," the no-help-to-me son spouted. "You lie around all afternoon after church, eating and griping about being hungry and wanting to know when dinner will be ready."

"Yeah, about half an hour ago you yelled for us to hurry up with dinner, as if you were hungry."

"Who do you think you are, turning down a big steak?"

"What kind of game are you trying to pull? Must be you want to stay in bed tomorrow and read that new book you got over the week end. Why don't you try that old back ache trick, instead of switching to an upset stomach? We know you. You are always hungry and have never turned down anything to eat."

"This went on for about 15 minutes. My wife was so upset that she quit eating her steak. The children got that. Claudine was so mad about all her work for nothing that she refused to eat her steak. The dog ate that, as the children were full.

I ate no steak — just a couple of bites. I wanted cabbage and dried beans. But I had to go to bed hungry. They even refused to fix me a peanut butter sandwich, and I was to be discouraged to make one myself. I never did tell them the truth about the steak.

I was afraid that my wife would not buy anymore steak

for a long time, and I knew that Claudine would refuse to fix up the table again.

This is Thursday and I am getting hungry for steak. So if anyone does not give me a way, I have just about got my wife in the notion of serving a big steak or rare roast for dinner Sunday night. It certainly would be good — with a green salad, loads of coffee and all the trimmings. Make me hungry right now.

Smyth County Speaks

Mr. James F. Tindall, Editor, Smyth County News, Marion, Virginia

Dear Sir: There has been a lot of misunderstanding among non Farm Bureau members as to what the Farm Bureau Federation stands for.

The following set of resolutions were adopted by the Smyth County Farm Bureau Federation at its recent annual meeting, which we believe will help clarify this matter:

1. State Milk Tester: We would like for the state to furnish a tester to check the butterfat test of milk at different intervals to assure the farmer a fair and true test on all grades of milk.

2. State Weigher and Grader: In order to remove irregularity in weighing grading which occurs in various livestock markets in the state, we insist that appropriate legislation be enacted requiring the use of state employed licensed and bonded weighmasters and graders at all livestock auction markets throughout the state.

3. Price Support: There was a lot of controversy on beef cattle at the community meetings. At the membership meetings it was voted by a majority for a flexible parity.

4. PMA: In favor of a continuation of the use of fertilizer phase of the PMA program whereby the farmers use the material on certain soil conservation crops such as permanent pasture, alfalfa, and meadow and pay one-half the cost of the material.

5. Flexible Parity: In favor of a flexible parity such as 75% and 90% or some combination of a two price system for corn and wheat and no basic commodities.

6. Tobacco Allotment Control: The following charges or requirements be met before anyone can receive a new tobacco allotment: A person must receive at least 75% of his income from farming.

7. Parity Control: Have bipartisan committee selected from the House Agriculture Committee set percent of parity of non basic commodity rather than leave this to one individual as is now the case whereby the secretary of agriculture has this authority.

8. Research and Marketing: We favor increased appropriations for agricultural research and wish to see greater emphasis placed on research in marketing of all our surplus commodities.

Respectfully submitted, Resolutions Committee of Smyth County Farm Bureau Federation.

E. N. Umbarger, Chairman

Norfolk, Va., 1103 Elk Ave. Oct. 8, 1953

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Dear Sirs:

Enclosed you will find a check for \$2.00 for which we want to renew our subscription for another six months.

We look forward to getting the Home Town paper as much as we do a letter from home.

Yours truly Mrs. Earnest Hayton



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Modern Art Takes a Licking!

Did you know we had a real artist in town? Yes sir! Handy Jackson was a contributor to the Sculpture Exhibition at the Centerville Fair last week.

His work was streaky pink and curved all around—sort of streamlined. Caused quite a stir. Nobody was sure what it was supposed to represent, but some liked it and thought it was good art. Handy gave me the lowdown:

"Why, it was nothing but a piece of cattle salt our cows have been lickin' at for months. I just had it mounted. Fooled a

lot of folks — one fellow even wanted to buy it!"

From where I sit, Handy's "modern art" just shows how some people can be led astray. Some even get to be "experts" — especially about the other fellow's business. Whether it's art or music, or a simple thing like choosing, say, beer or milk with a snack, we should live and let live. There's no call for either of us to set ourselves up as a "model" for the other!

Joe Marsh

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Invitation to Join Junior Woman's Club Is Extended to 34 Young Women

A total of 34 women were invited into membership of the Marion Junior Woman's Club at the meeting Friday night at the Episcopal Church.

They are Mrs. Howard Niswander, Mrs. Graham Lloyd Gardner, Mrs. Kurt Augustine, Mrs. Paul Sterner, Mrs. Kenneth Turner, Miss Sue Becker, Mrs. Robert Weavil, Mrs. Paul Riddell, Mrs. Jack Musten, Mrs. Trigg Sanders, Mrs. W. M. Yoder, Mrs. Joe Johnson, Mrs. Frank Bell, Mrs. Garnett Fielder, Mrs. Jim Coffroth, Mrs. Jack Walker, Mrs. Arnold Strohkorb, Mrs. Neil Blankenbeckler, Mrs. James Burchett, Mrs. Park Tudor, Mrs. Roger Copenhaver, Mrs. Charles Robinson, Mrs. Ray McCain, Mrs. Bill Campbell, Mrs. Evan LaFollette, Miss Joan Slagle, Miss Kate Noonkester, Miss Patsy Pickle, Miss Betty Lou Greenwood, Miss Mary Sebastian, Mrs. Frank Ketrone, Mrs. Donald Jones, Mrs. Jack Eggleston and Mrs. Walter Massey.

Mrs. T. Cartmel Brown, program chairman, introduced Jailer Tag Wolfe who spoke to the club on "Jury Service". He explained how the jury was selected and the duties of the jury. There was a round table discussion.

After the program the business session was conducted by Mrs. Robert Hunter, president. Mrs. William Hubble, American home chairman, told the club that Boy's Home in Covington has asked the Junior Women to help it replace its dairy herd lost by disease.

Mrs. Charles Franzen, public affairs chairman, assigned the club members areas to solicit for the Community Chest. She also reminded the club to save stamps for veterans.

Mrs. Charles Cooper, hospitality chairman, announced the reception for new members will be held at the November meeting and Miss Katherine Weindel, education and fine arts chairman, told the club that the Artmobile sponsored by the Virginia Federation of Women's Club's will be opened in Fredericksburg October 13.

The club voted to sponsor a bake sale once a month with Mrs. Lewis Reed, ways and means chairman, in charge. Mrs. Hunter gave a report on the district convention held in Hillsville Sept. 30.

After the meeting was adjourned a social was held with Mrs. Warren Beville, Mrs. Lewis Reed, Mrs. Phil Carlberg and Mrs. J. B. Neel as hostesses.

MRS. STEPHENSON IS HOSTESS TO CLUB

Mrs. Clarence Stephenson was hostess to her Tuesday Evening Bridge Club this week. High score prize went to Mrs. Edgar Ferrell with Mrs. Fred Poe and Miss Shirley Miller winning other prizes.

Smyth County Salon Of 8 & 40 Installs Officers for Year

The Smyth County Salon, 528, of the 8 & 40 installed new officers for the year 1953-54 at the meeting Sunday at Hotel Lincoln.

The group had a luncheon meeting. Officers were installed by Mrs. R. H. Harrington, La Petit Chapeau Passe.

They are Mrs. Floyd Williams, Galax, La Petit Chapeau; Mrs. Tom Ely, Jonesville, Le Demi Petit Chapeau Premiere; Mrs. W. S. Catron, Marion, Le Demi Petit Chapeau Deuxieme; Mrs. R. H. Harrington, Marion, La Petite Secretaire-Caissiere; Mrs. W. H. Graham, Pulaski, L'Ammonier; Mrs. Butler Hammitt, Pocahontas, L. Archiviste; Mrs. Elizabeth Heldreth, Tazewell, La Concierge and Mrs. Elsie Cheeks, Bluefield, Pouvoir Member.

Before the installation service Mrs. Harrington reported on the annual marche held in August in Roanoke. Mrs. Elizabeth Strong of Bishop was welcomed as a new member and Mrs. W. Pat Jennings of Marion was voted into membership. Mrs. Elsie Cheeks, Le Chapeau, president. She was presented La Petit Chapeau Passe pin by Mrs. Harrington on behalf of the salon.

The next meeting will be held in Wise Sunday, Nov. 8.

BILLY MEEK IS HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meek were host and hostess at a surprise birthday party Saturday night honoring their son, Billie, on his 22nd birthday.

Among those attending were Mrs. W. T. Choate, Galax; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gallagher and children, Rita and Stephen, of Winston-Salem, N. C.; Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Cox and children, Wytheville; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Thompson and son, Eckman, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Aker and Bobbie and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Choate and sons, Eddie and Ronnie.

CHARLES SLAGLE IS HONORED WITH PARTY

Mrs. Sam Slagle and Miss Barbara Slagle were hostesses for a surprise birthday party given for Charles Slagle at his home Sunday night.

Refreshments were served to 24 guests. The honoree received many gifts.

W. GUY CRAFT IS HONORED WITH PARTY

W. Guy Craft was honored with a surprise birthday party at his home on Hospital Hill last Wednesday evening by a host of friends from State Hospital, Marion, and out of town, honoring his 54th birthday.

Mr. Craft has been connected with the Southwestern State Hospital for more than a score of years.

AAUW to Sponsor Marion Showing Of "Moulin Rouge"

The Smyth County Branch of the American Association of University Women Monday night voted to sponsor the showing of "Moulin Rouge" at the Center Theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday.

Members were given tickets, which they will have for sale up through Wednesday.

Speakers at the meeting held at Marion College were Miss Ruth Kolling and Mrs. Stella Barnhill of Abingdon. They reported on the national AAUW convention held in Minneapolis, Minn.

Mrs. Barnhill also reported on the state board meeting held last week end in Charlottesville.

MRS. BUCK WAGNER IS HONORED WITH SHOWER

Mrs. Edgar Cress and Mrs. Sallie Wagner were hostesses Sept. 14 for a stork shower in honor of Mrs. Buck Wagner at her home.

Mrs. Clarence Sturgill won first game prize with seconds going to Mrs. James Combs and Mrs. Mary Lou Pasley. Mrs. Jack Hall won first prize in another game. Refreshments were served.

KENNY MIZE HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Kenny Mize, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mize, celebrated his 6th birthday at his home Oct. 3 with a birthday party. There were 23 of his playmates present. Each child was given a balloon as a gift.

Kenny had the birthday cake with candles and pink and white decorations.

The hostesses were Mrs. Frederick Jones and mother, Mrs. James Mize. Games were played and refreshments served.



Miss Patsy Alice Berry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fount William Berry, of Chilhowie, became the bride of Harry Sanders Williams, son of John W. Williams, also of Chilhowie and the late Mrs. Williams, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the pastor of the bride, the Rev. W. H. Simpkins, in the Chilhowie Methodist Church. Cathedral candles and large white chrysanthemums were used to decorate the church.

Preceding the ceremony a program of wedding music was presented by Mrs. William Donahoo, organist, of Winston-Salem, N. C.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a Corset gown by Ina Hilden, fashioned of imported Chantilly lace over nylon net and Skinner satin with a drop shoulder satin yoke.

The full gathered skirt fell from a tiny scalloped hip yoke and flowed into a circular train. Her fingertip veil of illusion fell from a Juliet cap embroidered with seed pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis.

Mrs. James T. Bishop, sister of the bride, was matron of honor and Miss Betty Baker, Huntsville, Tenn., former roommate of the bride, was maid of honor.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Beryl McMillan, Bristol, Miss Betty Echols of Chilhowie and Knoxville, Tenn., Miss Elizabeth Lewis, Chilhowie, and Miss Leah Bonham of Chilhowie and Marion. Flower girls were Miss Pamela Bishop, Chilhowie, niece of the bride, and Miss Patty Williams, St. Paul, niece of the groom.

Mrs. Fount William Berry, mother of the bride, wore a blue silk taffeta dress with a beaded yoke of dusty pink, and used navy and dusty pink accessories. She wore a pink orchid corsage.

George Leslie Beamer Jr. of Ft. Knox, Ky., and Narrows served the groom as best man. Ushers were G. W. Williams, Radford, nephew of the groom Ray Merchant, of Annapolis, Md., and Chilhowie, former roommate of the groom, David R. Jones, Radford, Herbert Hart, Marion, and Thomas E. Rambo, Damascus.

Following the ceremony a reception was held by the bride's parents at their home. Yellow mums and fall leaves were used throughout the house. Large white chrysanthemums were used in the dining room. A maderin cutwork linen cloth overlaid the dining table on which there were a three tiered wedding cake and white candles in silver candleabra.

Assisting hostesses at the reception were Mrs. Robert Kee-see, Misses Marie and Margaret Berry, Mrs. Leslie P.



WANDA GAIL LAMIE is the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Lamie. She had been with the Lamies one year Oct. 13. Mrs. Lamie is the former Martha Washington Clear of Rich Valley.



DENNIS EUGENE GULLION celebrated his second birthday Saturday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gullion and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Earl D. Robinson of Marion.

Marriages

MASH-CLARK
Miss Opal Mash, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mash, of Broadford and Virgil Clark, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark, were married in Marion Sept. 25. The double ring ceremony was used.

Mrs. Clark is a graduate of Rich Valley High School and is now employed at the Harwood Manufacturing Corp. Mr. Clark attended Saltville High School and is a graduate of Emory and Henry College. He is employed with the state as highway engineer.

They are making their home in Saltville.

Marriage Licenses

John Verlin Thomas, 33, and Margaret Mahilla Harris, 24, both of Chatham Hill.

Patrick Jenkins, 25, and Lotie Minton, 25, both of Saltville David Russell Greer, 22, Chilhowie, and Esther Rebecca Blevins, 21, Marion.

Harry Sanders Williams, 23, and Patsy Alice Berry, 22, both of Chilhowie.

John Franklin Harringer Jr., 24, Whitetop, and Betty Ruth Stanberry, 20, Trout Dale.

William Glenn Reedy, 23, and Della Ann Robinson, 21, both of Marion.

Billy Lee Fields, 22, Asberry, and Margarite Helen Hill, 18, Saltville.

Dinner Dance To Be Given Oct. 24

A dinner dance at which the trophies for the year will be awarded will be given Oct. 24 at Holston Hills Country Club in Marion.

Mrs. Jim Buchanan is chairman of the committee making the arrangements. Others helping her are Mrs. O. J. Meador and Mrs. O. O. Smith.

Dinner will be served only by reservation which can be made by calling the committee members or the club.

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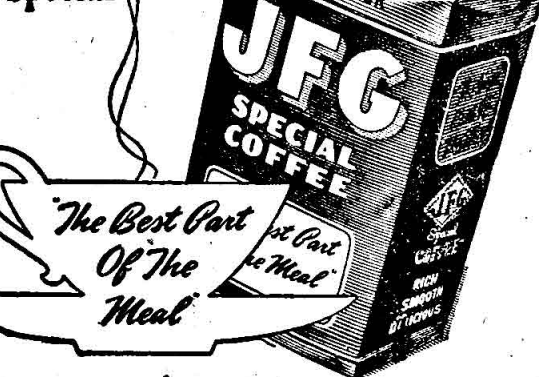
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Atkins

MRS. ROY LAMBERT

Atkins, Oct. 5 — Mr. and Mrs. Loma Woodfolk of Jefferson, N. C., and DeLand, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Johnston of Kingsport, Tenn., were guests of Mrs. Chester Johnston and family recently. Recent guests of Miss Lena Bales were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Givens of Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. Geraldine Suters of Wytheville. She had as dinner guests Oct. 1 Mrs. Walter Schiff and Mrs. Becker and daughter of Germany, Mrs. D. B. Hanshaw and Mrs. Dean Reeves of Nebo. Mrs. Pete Naff and daughters, Betty Lou and Joan, attended the Warren-Heldreth wedding at Rural Retreat recently.

Mrs. V. J. Miller of Craigsville, W. Va., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lambert and family recently.

Mrs. Areatha Sparks and sons of Craigsville, W. Va., visited friends and relatives here and Marion recently.

The WSCS of Davis Memorial Methodist Church met the evening of Oct. 14 with Mrs. E. V. Hutton, Mrs. James Parler was leader.

Charles Terlow left Oct. 4 to enter business college near Staunton.

Piedmont

MRS. DEWEY RICH

Piedmont, Oct. 5 — Byron Blankenbecker of Alexandria spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Blankenbecker, recently. Dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Powers and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barlow and daughter.

Miss Evelyn Barlow of Johnston Memorial Hospital, Abingdon, spent a few days at home recently.

Mrs. Paul Patton, Joann and Danny spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Steffey, of Rural Retreat.

Miss Viola Woods of Sugar Grove and Charlie Eller of Chilhowie were married Sept. 25 by the Rev. Mr. Shumate of Sugar Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones, Sylvia and Maxine and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Eller were picnicking on Straight Branch Sept. 27.

Miss Marle Barlow was Saturday night guest of her sister, Mrs. Bill Wright, and Mr. Wright of Marion.

Pvt. Elijah Eller of the U S Army spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hamilton and son, Daniel, Mrs. Alice Harvey and daughter and Tommy Elliott of Appomattox were recent week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Blankenbecker.

Mrs. J. H. Warren and Mrs. Kenneth Warren spent Friday with Mrs. Clifford Moser.

Mr. and Mrs. James Warren and daughter, June, Mr. and Mrs. Frank St. John and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Moser were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moser Sept. 29.

There was singing Oct. 3 at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Styke.

Joe, Don and Carson Martin spent the week end in Roanoke recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vernon of Marion were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Rich. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hart and Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Blankenbecker.

Mr. and Mrs. Rush Blankenbecker had as dinner guests Oct. 4 Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Rich and son, Billie, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Craven, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vernon.

Jim Rouse spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rouse. He is now an accountant for a broadcasting corporation in Cincinnati. He also works and lives at the Cincinnati Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. David Rouse and son, George, were dinner guests Oct. 4 of Mr. and Mrs. John Rouse and family.

Mrs. Davis Cassell of Nebo spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cassell. They had as guests Oct. 4 Mr. and Mrs. Filmore Cassell and family of Nebo. Walter Brown and daughter, Alma, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dolinger.

Pfc. Junior Dolinger is spending a 14 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dolinger. Pfc. Charles Pennington is spending a 10 day furlough with his wife and baby and his father, Harold Pennington, and family.

North Holston

MRS. JANIE MAHN
North Holston, Oct. 5 — Mrs. Lee Short of Chatham Hill called on Mrs. Virginia Call recently.

Mrs. James Hodges and son, Roger, of Perryville, Md., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Brickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cuddy and Janet of Kingsport, Tenn., spent Oct. 4 with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Heath.

Mrs. Mary Lee Taylor of Baltimore, Md., called on her mother, Mrs. Virginia Call, Oct. 1.

Miss Patsy Worley of Oak

Grove spent the night of Sept. 29 with Miss Phyllis Lowery.

Wilma Rhea spent the night with Crystal Call recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Call and Charlene of Tennessee called on Mrs. Virginia Call recently.

Miss Christine Price of Saltville is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. R. F. Brickey.

Harvey K. Hahn of the Uni-

ted States Navy spent the week end with his wife.

Mrs. Albert Shortt, Mrs. R. F. Brickey and Mrs. Charlie Call and Linda spent Oct. 1 with Mrs. W. E. Fullen of Beaver Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Heegar Nancy and Linda and Mrs. E. L. McGuire spent Oct. 4 in Rich Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Frye and Patsy and Fred McGuire of

California called on Mr. and Mrs. Earl McGuire recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McGuire and children called on Mr. and Mrs. Pete Frye Oct. 2.

Mrs. C. C. Hatfield honored her Sunday School class with a party Sept. 30.

Miss Wilma Snow of McCreedy and Don Chapman of Allison Gap called on Mr. and Mrs. Blair Ratcliff Oct. 4.

Smyth People Will

Attend State Grange

Mr. and Mrs. Z. M. K. Fulton, Atkins, and Miss Minnie Rouse, Riverside, will attend the annual meeting of the Virginia State Grange in Richmond Oct. 22, 23 and 24.

Mr. Fulton is state master, and Miss Rouse is master of the Val Deer Grange and chairman of the education committee of the state grange.

Mr. Fulton will preside at most of the meetings and will deliver the master's address at the Thursday afternoon session.

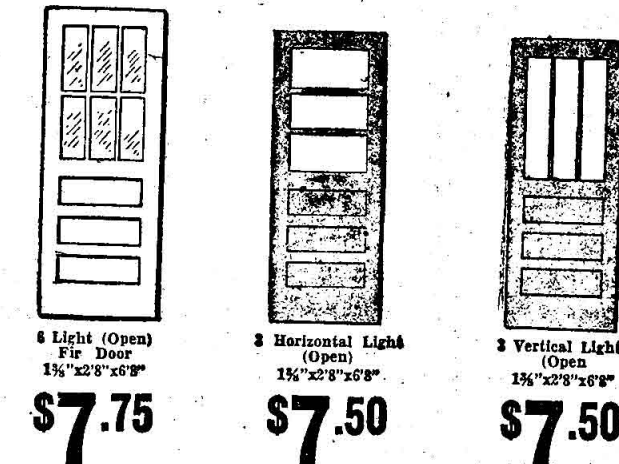
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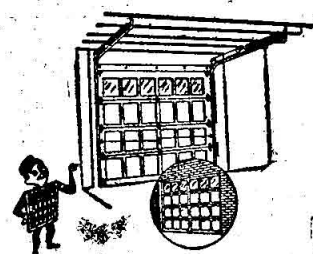
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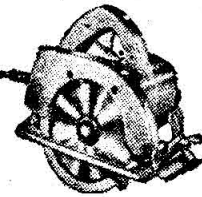
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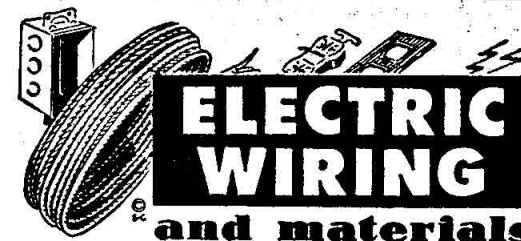
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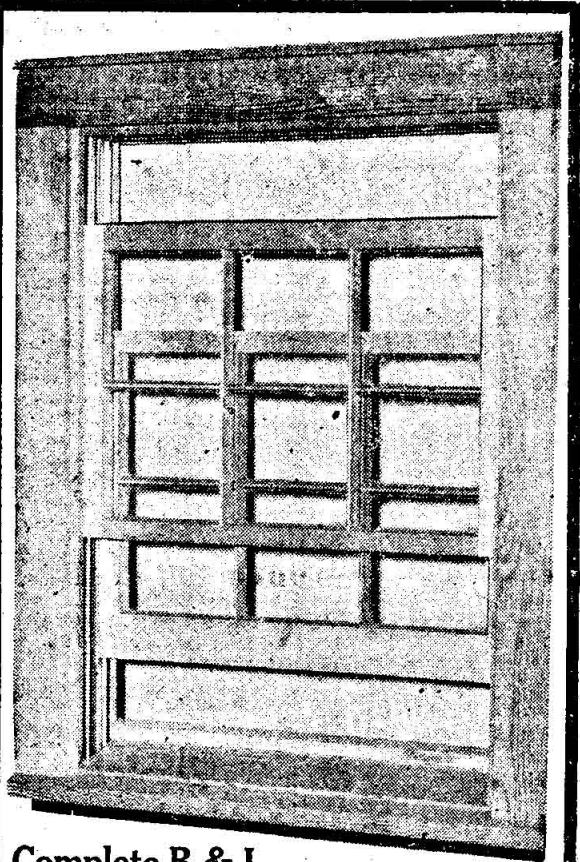
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ANN BETHUNE
THE WORLD IN HIS ARMS
TECHNICAL

Cartoon

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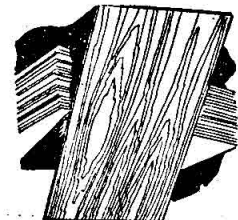
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their home in Rock Falls, Ill., after a visit here.

Coy Porter, who is employed in Rock Falls, Ill., was a recent visitor of his wife.

George Ed Burgess has recently visited his family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cruey visited Jack Coe recently. J. W. Smith has been ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Cruey were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Holmes last Sunday.

Mrs. Nina Blevins has returned to her home after being a patient in a Marion hospital.

Lee Pulem has been employed in Maryland. Mrs. Pulem is visiting her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Davidson were guests of her sister in Poore Valley Sunday.

Mrs. Giles Hutton visited Mrs. S. J. Cruey Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Delp and Mrs. Junior Harris visited Mrs. Thomas Pauley Friday.

Mrs. Denton Cruey and Mrs. John Collins have been ill.

Mrs. Clinton Hoover and Mrs. Cone Sexton visited Mrs. John Collins Sunday.



JUST BEFORE SPEAKING. Smyth County Republicans took advantage of the good weather for a big day at Hurling Mother State Park. Music, pep talks by candidates and the smell of huge hunks of meat being barbecued brought this crowd to the park.

Valley View

MRS. W. L. KIRK
Valley View, Oct. 12 — Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kirk and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lowman and family Oct. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parks have moved into the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parks.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. W. L. Kirk and family were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Robinson and Mary Lou and Brenda. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gore and Debby visited in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Muncie Stone and family visited his mother Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sheets visited relatives at Sugar Grove over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stuart and Rita are spending this week visiting in Fairfax and

Baltimore, Md.

H. A. Adams and Paul Kirk have been ill for the past few days.

Mrs. W. L. Kirk and children visited her father, John Dye, and Mrs. Dye at Tumbling Creek Sunday evening. They were accompanied by Floyd Kirk and Russell McKay of McAlpin, W. Va. They were Sunday night guests of Mrs. Kirk and family.

Rye Valley

MRS. S. C. HUTTON
CALL SUGAR GROVE 288

Rye Valley, Oct. 12 — Mr. and Mrs. Maurice James, Martin, Wash., visited Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Horne last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack King and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hamric and other relatives in the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Parks of Edgewood, Md., were last week guests of his mother, Mrs. Mary Parks.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Garland DeBord are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Campbell. Sgt. DeBord is being transferred to Alaska. Mrs. DeBord expects to join him later.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Horne and daughter spent the week end with friends in Rogersville Tenn.

1st. Lt. and Mrs. Kermit Hutton and son of Great Falls Mont., are spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hutton, and other relatives.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Keesling were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pate, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie LaPrade and son of Roanoke, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peltier, Mr. and Mrs. June Lawson and family, Mrs. R. B. Hedrick Sr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hedrick Jr. of Wytheville.

Edd Phillippi Jr. of California recently visited his father, Edd Phillippi, and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hall and family.



DEBORAH KAY CREGGER is the 10 month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Cregger of Elkton, W. Va. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dolinger of Route 2, Marion, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cregger, Route 2, Chilhowie.

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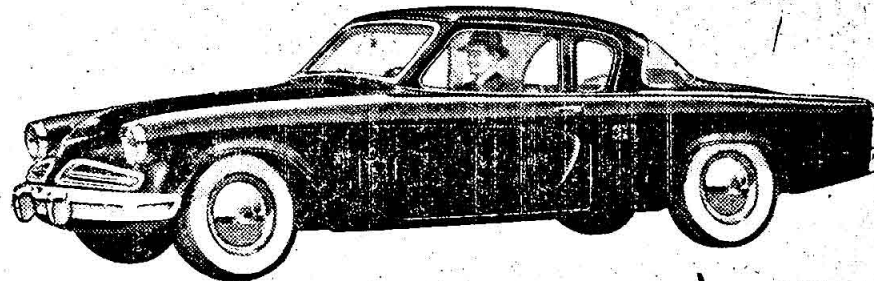
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Lick Creek

MRS. MARY SHUPE

Lick Creek, Oct. 5.—The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy and children and the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Cregger Sept. 27.
Five were baptized in a baptismal service held near the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Edmonds Sept. 27.
The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cregger Sept. 28.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Atwell and children spent the week

end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Cregger and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Atwell.

Miss Nora Myers remains ill at her home.

Mrs. George Myers has returned home after spending a week with her grandchildren in Tazewell.

Joel, Junior and Mrs. Mary Shupe and children spent Oct. 4 with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cregger.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hayton have received word of the birth of a grandson, Charles Henry Hiltbrand, Sept. 28 in Texas.



PVT. WILLIAM E. ATWELL, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer W. Atwell of Groseclose arrived in Korea, Aug. 10 for duty with the 5th R. C. (I). Atwell, a member of the 72nd Engr. team in Korea, entered the Army Feb. 5 and completed constructive engineer training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. His address is: Pvt. William E. Atwell, U S 52233728, COK, 3rd Bn, 5th RCT, APO 52, 5 PM, San Francisco, Calif.

Ridgedale

MRS. MARY MOORE

Ridgedale, Oct. 12 — Miss Louise Poston from Poore Valley in spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Hoover, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gombosh of Abbs Valley visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Anderson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Berlie Anderson of Roanoke spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Anderson, and Mable.

Mrs. Charlene Buchanan and little daughter, Linda Lee, Mrs. Jessie Anderson and Mrs. Edith Maloyed called on Mrs. John Pratt recently.

Mrs. Cora Carter, Mrs. Kan Carter and Mrs. Raymond Buchanan and little daughter, Mary Rachel, spent the day with Mrs. Edith Maloyed and sons, Wayne and Zane, Sunday.

Mr. and J. K. Anderson, Clifton and Beverly, visited her brother, Grat Maloyed, and Mrs. Maloyed Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Kermit Levitt is expecting her husband home soon from Korea.

John Carter of North Carolina has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kan Carter.

Leon Carter is employed at Plasterco. He is moving in Curtis Carter's house on the Ridge. Curtis will move into his new home in the Cove.

Mrs. Mary Webb is staying in Marion awhile. She is looking for her daughter and son-in-law and children from Maryland to visit her this month. She plans to spend the winter in Maryland with them.

Mrs. Isaac Anderson and Mrs. Jessie Anderson spent the day with Mrs. Mary Moore recently. She remains ill.

St. Clair's Creek

MRS. ROBERT BROWN

St. Clair Creek, Oct. 12 — Linda McClure, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McClure, came home last Monday after being a patient in Marion General Hospital for a week.

Byran Blankenbecker of Alexandria spent part of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Blankenbecker.

Mrs. Virginia Daugherty and son, Mike, spent Oct. 4 with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Buchanan, in Rich Valley. Mrs. Clyde Sheffield and daughter, Mrs. Robert Roland, spent Oct. 7 with Mrs. Virginia Daugherty and Mrs. John Daugherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown are moving into the house owned by Byran Blankenbecker.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Blevins and Emma of Radford spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Blankenbecker.

Jimmie McClure, Vance McClure, Earl Blevins, Joe Childers, Edward Childers, G. Johnston, Robert Brown, and Charles Howard Childers attended the races in North Carolina recently.

Mrs. G. Johnston and Gary Donald and Mrs. Edward Childers recently spent the day with Mrs. Joe Childers.

Mrs. Jimmie McClure and Nancy Lynn recently spent the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McClure and son, P. D., Mrs. Robert Brown and son, Roger, drove down into Nella, Tucker Dale and Lansing, N. C., Sunday.

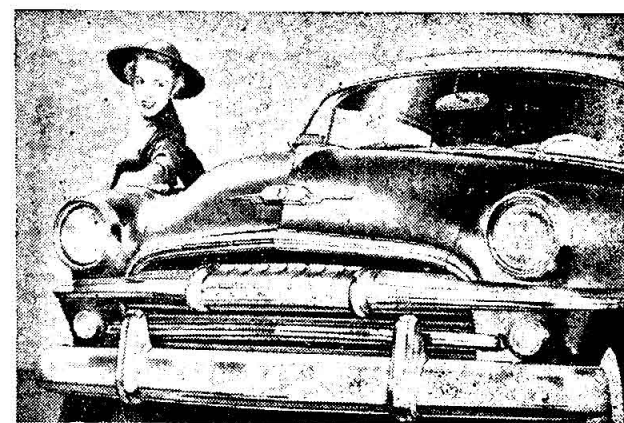
P. D. McClure went back to school Monday after being ill for the past week with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sheffield and daughter called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Daugherty and Mrs. John Daugherty Friday night.



PVT. KERMIT M. DILLMAN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy F. Dillman, Rt. 1, Marion, has just completed a course in Personnel Management at Eta Jima Specialist School, Eta Jima, Japan. He entered the service in February and took basic training with the 101st Airborne Division, Camp Breckinridge, Ky. He is now awaiting assignment in Korea.

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Bishop Tags Ellis on 36th to Take Holston Hills Club Championship

The defending champion, Stuart Ellis, trying to retire the Holston Hills Country Club Championship Cup was defeated two up on the 36th hole by the determined Bill Bishop this week in Marion.

The cup may be retired after a local golfer has won for three straight years. Ellis won the past two years and fought hard to keep the cup permanently. Bill Bishop was the runner up in the fast, hard fought battle last year.

To start the match Ellis had Bishop three up at the end of the 18th hole and Bishop in turn took the 19th, 20th and 21st holes to even the match. Ellis came back by taking the 22nd and 23rd holes to again go out in front. Making it even on the next two holes Bishop sharply took the 27th to slacken the lead. The two made the next one even and Bishop took the 29th to even the match and after the 30th and 31st, grabbed the 32nd to gain the lead.

Both men evened up on the next three holes and Bishop clinched his win on the 36th hole to defeat Ellis two up.

To gain the finals in the championship flight Ellis defeated Bill Rouse three up in the semi-finals while Bishop clipped Jack Barret one up for his semi-final match.

The awarding of the cup will be Oct. 24 with a dinner and dance. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Billy Buchanan or the club pro shop. Gordon Poe came to the front with flying colors to win the first flight over Mark Gillespie one up on the 20th hole. At the end of 18 holes the two were even and both evened the 19th hole. Poe won the 20th to win the first flight. In the second flight, Rhodes Greer overran Hal Redshaw three up. Harry Kepler trounced J. B. Neel two up in the third flight match.



THAT'S IT could be the thought of Bill Bishop as he sinks a long putt to win the Holston Hills Club Championship from Stuart Ellis. Ellis fought hard all the way trying to retire the cup after his past two wins.

Pocoy Indians Top Warriors For 38-0 Win

The Pocahontas Indians scored a topsy, turvy 38-0 victory over the Chilhowie Warriors at Bluefield Saturday night.

The Warriors controlled the ball most of the first period with a Maust to Phipps airborne combination. As the second period began the Chilhowie eleven was forced to yield possession to the Indians on the Pocahontas one yard line.

The Indians, taking advantage of the break, hustled to move the ball to their own 34 yard line. A Clark to Dixon

pass fired the guns for a 66 yard run and the first six pointer of the game. Later in the same quarter a troubled Chilhowie team fumbled to give the Indians charge on the Warriors 35. A few plays later Butner scored from the 14 for the second tally of the game.

Seconds before the half ended a Clark to Dixon pass went from the Chilhowie 27 to paydirt. Fred Sheets hammered the line for the extra point. As the two teams left the field, the Indians held a 19 to 0 edge.

Receiving the kickoff, the Indians returned to the Chilhowie 26, from where Clark raced across for an early six pointer. Again Sheets busted the line for the extra.

The Indians set up the next scoring drive after recovering another Chilhowie fumble on their own 43. Butner moved to the Chilhowie 10 yard line before he was stopped and Clark scored from the 10.

Chilhowie 0 0 0 0 -0
Pocahontas 0 19 13 6 -38

Chilhowie scoring, none; Pocahontas, TD's, Butner, Dixon 2, Clark 2, Green; extra points, Sheets 2.

Shakers Take Bearcats For 20-6 Victory

The high-flying Saltville Shakers upset the apple cart of Virginia High last Thursday night in Bristol by handling the Bearcats a 20-6 defeat.

Late in the second quarter the Saltville Shakers started the first drive of the game from their own 18 yard line. With Lawrence bucking the line and Colley filling the air the Shakers gained the Bearcats seven yard line. Lawrence scored the first touchdown on a line play and followed up with the kick for the extra point.

The following kickoff was fumbled by Almond and was recovered by the Shakers. A few short plays later Colley hit Shipp with a short pass for the second score. The try for the extra marker by Lawrence was no good.

Early in the third period a Holloway to Green pass backfired when intercepted by Bob Kestner and moved back to the the Saltville 40. Lawrence bucked the line for 28 yards, and another Colley to Shipp pass made the extra 18 yards for the final Shaker tally of the game. Lawrence split the bars for the extra point.

The lone Bearcat tally came in the fleeting moments of the fourth period after the Shakers were forced to kick. Almond moved the ball back to the Shaker 12 and Harry Parrish scooted across. The Saltville line smashed the extra point try before the ball could be placed.

Saltville 0 13 7 0 -20
Virginia 0 0 0 6 -6

Saltville, first downs, 10 passes, 17, completed 7 for 87 yards, none intercepted; penalties, 3 for 25 yards; Virginia High of Bristol, first downs, 6; passes, 4, completed 1 for 30 yards, one intercepted; penalties, 1 for 15 yards.



LET'S GO BIG TEAM was one of the cheers for the Rural Retreat six man football team last Saturday in their game with Pembroke. Rural Retreat's Jim Ellison is making a 20 yard gain on an end play

with the blocking help of Larry Lindsey (51). Pembroke has been the undefeated state champions in the six man football bracket for the past two years. Pembroke won the close

tilt 25-19. Six man football is something new for this section and it gives the smaller schools which cannot support an 11 man team a chance to play.

Richlands Take Steers For 20-0 Win

The Rich Valley Steers dropped their second loss of the season against one win to Richlands last Friday with a score of 20-0.

This win made it five straight for the district leading Richlands Tornados. The Steers took their opener from Glade and have been on the short end of the score in their last two encounters.

Bill Meade, brilliant 200 pound Richlands fullback, spearheaded the game for the Tornados by scoring two of the three six-pointers.

In the first period the Steers threatened to score after recovering a pair of Richlands fumbles. The Steers was finally stopped on the Richlands 15 yard line, the closest they were able to get during the ball game.

The first score of the game came in the second period when Kelly Buskell shot an 11 yard scoring pass to Lloyd Dean. Buskell split the bars with his kick for the extra point. In the third period Meade came into the picture by crashing tackle and racing over 40 yards of Steer territory to the end zone. Buskell again proved his worth by sending the ball through the bars.

Again in the fourth period Meade split the tackle and traveled 14 yards to tally. The try for the extra point was no good.

Rich Valley 0 0 0 0 -0
Richlands 0 7 7 6 -20

Rich Valley, first downs, 1; passes 11, completed none; one intercepted; penalties, 1 for 15 yards; fumbles, none, fumbles recovered 4; Richlands, first downs, 16, passes 12, completed 5; none intercepted; penalties, 3 for 30 yards; fumbles, 6, fumbles recovered none.

FOOTBALL STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Richlands	4	0	0	1.000
Saltville	3	0	0	1.000
Abingdon	3	0	0	1.000
Tazewell	3	1	0	.750
Grundy	3	1	0	.750
Pocahontas	2	1	0	.667
Marion	1	2	0	.333
Rich Valley	1	2	0	.333
Chilhowie	1	2	0	.333
Bristol	0	3	0	.000
Lebanon	0	3	0	.000
Glade Spring	0	3	0	.000
Graham	0	3	0	.000

Individual Scoring

Floyd Lawrence, Saltville	33
Alvin Colley, Saltville	18
Jerry Shipp, Saltville	18
Dave Johnson, Marion	12
Percy Lee, Saltville	12
Thomas Bise, Rich Valley	6
Joe Penland, Rich Valley	6
Bobby Clapp, Chilhowie	6
Johnny Phipps, Chilhowie	6
Everett Walton, Chilhowie	2
Charles Fowler, Marion	1

Bowling Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Hancklites	6	0	1.000
Chilhowie	6	0	1.000
Ice Plant	6	0	1.000
Chlorine	5	1	.833
US Gypsum	4	2	.667
Glade Harware	3	3	.500
Shannon Mutual	3	3	.500
Taylor's Esso	1	5	.167
Mill Room	1	5	.167
Caustic	1	5	.167
Worthy Mine	0	6	.000
Central Service	0	6	.000

Tazewell Wins Over Marion 25-0

The heavy Tazewell Bulldogs defeated a determined Marion Scarlet Hurricane 25-0 last Friday night at Tazewell.

A huge crowd was on hand to watch the two teams clash after Marion upset the Bulldogs last year.

After the Bulldogs kicked to Marion, a Marion fumble set up a drive for the first score of the game. The recovered fumble by Tazewell was on Marion's 38 yard line. A Kitts to Lewis pass gained the Marion 20 yard line and a short time later Lewis scampered across from the two yard line for the first six pointer. Kitts made good his try for the extra point.

On the returned kick, Thompson was stopped on the Marion 43. In the next plays Tazewell was penalized 15 yards for clipping and made it first down on the Tazewell 47. Thompson scampered to the 37 for another first down. Marion was forced to kick to end the first quarter and the big Tazewell Bulldogs started to move. A Kitts to Lockhart pass was good to gain the Marion 15. Marion held the Bulldogs on downs and a kick by Query moved Marion out of the pinch. In the remaining plays Turner scored from the 14 yard line. The try for the extra point was wide.

Returning the kick, Marion on three plays quickly moved to the Tazewell 16. After moving to the eight yard line the second half Lewis broke loose for a 75 yard run for paydirt. The try for the extra point again was no good.

Stevenson scored in the third period for the final tally on 30 yard dash. This sent the score to 25-0 in favor of the Bulldogs. The game ended with Marion in control of the ball and moving to the Tazewell end of the field.

Marion 0 0 0 0 -0
Tazewell 7 6 6 6 -25

Marion, first downs, 11; passes 4, none completed, none intercepted; fumbles 1, fumbles recovered two; penalties, 1 for 5 yards; Tazewell, first downs, 14; passes 2; two completed for 33 yards; fumbles 2, fumbles recovered 1; penalties, 2 for 30 yards.

THE OUTLOOK

Three Teams Share First Place In Saltville League

Currently pacing the Saltville Duck Pin League with six straight wins against no defeats are the Hancklites, Chilhowie and Ice Plant.

In Tuesday night games, Shannon Mutual won three from Mill Room, Ice Plant won three from Glade Harware and US Gypsum won two and loss one with Caustic. Wednesday night Hancklites won three from Central Service and Chilhowie won three from Worthy Mine. Chlorine won two and lost one with Taylor's Esso.

High team game Tuesday night was Ice Plant with a 549 and the high team series was Ice Plant with a 1595. The high individual game was Earl Hill with a 138 and the high individual series was Mack Poston with a 352.

Wednesday night high team game was Hancklites with a 538 and high team series was Hancklites with a 1586. High individual game was Buck Campbell and Casey Jones with 130 each. High individual series was Buck Campbell with 369.

At present the Midgets are holding the same

SPORTS IN SMYTH COUNTY

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15
RECREATION CENTER open for all teen-agers from 7 p. m. until 9 p. m.

FRIDAY, October 16
COUNTY FOOTBALL Rich Valley vs Damascus at the Saltville ball park. Chilhowie vs Meadowview at the Glade Spring ball park. Marion vs Grundy at Grundy. Games time 8 p. m.
RECREATION CENTER open for all teen-agers from 7 p. m. until 9 p. m.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17
COUNTY FOOTBALL Saltville vs Abingdon at Abingdon. Game time 2 p. m.
RECREATION CENTER open for teen-agers from 7 p. m. until 10 p. m.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20
TENNAVA OPEN SCRATCH LEAGUE Marion bowling team at Bristol. SALTVILLE DUCK PIN LEAGUE Glade Harware vs Worthy Mine, Hancklites vs Mill Room, Central Service vs US Gypsum at Wheelers Recreation in Plasterco.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21
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A special discussion followed the talks.

Ribbons were awarded to Miss Stella Bedwell, iris; Mrs. Seldon Fontaine, asters; Mrs. Seldon Fontaine, artistic arrangement; Mrs. S. M. Myers, scabiosa; Mrs. W. C. Hicks, marigolds; Miss Stella Bedwell, wax plant and Mrs. E. H. Ratcliffe, chrysanthemums.

Cookies and coffee were served by the hostesses.



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MRS. ZOLLIE V. FOWLER

Oct. 12—Mrs. Irby Pafford's sister, Geneva, of Baltimore, Md., spent several days here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Shepherd and family have moved to Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blevins and son have moved into the Shepherd home.

Frank Cale has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Emory Thomas, and family of Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Cale of Kingsport, Tenn., were week-end guests of relatives in the valley.

Junior Pennington, was seriously injured in a timber accident recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Meadows are making their home for the present with his parents. Francis recently returned from service in the Army in Alaska.

Miss Fay Taylor, a rheumatic fever patient at a hospital in Richmond, is improving and is able to set up a few minutes each day. She hopes to be able to return home after the first of the year.

Mrs. K. G. Killinger is much improved after a recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pierce have a new home under construction at Attoaway.

Clay Sayers remains ill at his home.

Pvt. Clifton Poe is home on furlough. He will report to Ft. Lewis, Wash., when he returns to camp.

Allen Whitely returned home Sunday from a visit in Maryland.

Miss Elizabeth Gillespie spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Gillespie.

Miss Elizabeth Gillespie visited Mrs. Orvell Sword of Saltville Sunday.

Miss Darlene Burkett spent Sunday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Gillespie.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Mitchell and daughter of Saltville called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitely recently.

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Rural Retreat Garden Club Members Urged To Attend Roanoke Show

The Rural Retreat Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. E. H. Ratcliffe, at Coon Hollow, last Thursday.

Cohostesses were Mrs. Albert Bowles, Mrs. C. C. Brown, Miss Stella Bedwell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown.

The meeting opened with the club collect and members were urged to attend a Flower Show Arrangement to be held in Roanoke. Facts on growing hydrangias were given by Mrs. Seldon Fontaine.

The program chairman, Mrs. J. W. Wilson, presented the following members who spoke

son of Holston Institute, Tenn., and Miss Lillie Mae Powell, Kingsport, Tenn.

Arthur Wolfe of Opportunity, Wash., is visiting his brother, J. N. Wolfe, Mrs. Wolfe and other relatives.

Drs. Wayne and Genevieve Dutton were recent guests of Miss Nannie and David Wilson.

Mrs. W. H. Rouse and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Dickey of Bristol were dinner guests Oct. 4 of Miss Minnie Rouse.


Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Whitaker and Belinda and Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker and son of North Tazewell were Sunday guests of Miss Nannie and David Wilson.

The Riverside Methodist youth have planned a Halloween party for Friday night.



THE "SNAPSHOT OF THE WEEK" is a weekly feature of this newspaper, in cooperation with Greear Studio of Marion. The above photo has been selected for this week's feature, and a free 8 x 10 enlargement of it will be given with compliments of Greear Studio. All you do to win your free enlargement is bring to Greear's the negative from which this print was made and a clipping from this newspaper. Watch for the "snapshot of the week" each week.

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MRS. CHARLES BARKER
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Saltville, Oct. 12 — A2-c Donald E. Holmes and A3-c Melvin C. Holmes of the U. S. Air Force recently met in Japan. It had been two years since the brothers had seen each other. Airman Eugene Holmes has been stationed on Guam nearly a year. He was transferred there after spending nine months in Hawaii. Airman Melvin Holmes has been in Korea approximately a month. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Holmes.

Miss Kitty Lou Frye, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Frye, enrolled at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 6.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Maiden were

Mrs. Roy Maiden of McCready and Mrs. Daisy Odum of Bristol.

"Peepsie" Kelly had as his dinner guests Sunday Jim Roberts, Fred Barker and Floyd Lawrence of Plasterco. Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Kelly of Pulaski and Mr. and Mrs. Turner Henegar and children, Eva Jane and Charles Turner, of McCready also visited in the Kelly home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Morrell of Johnson City, Tenn., were the week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barker. Mrs. Paul E. Barker and daughter, Kathi, of Elizabethton, Tenn., who had been spending a vacation with the Barkers, returned home with them Sunday.

Don Estrella of Honolulu, Hawaii, has been a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Roberts for the past week.

At present he is a veterinarian intern at Asbury Park, N. J., and is a night student at Cornell University in New York City. He returned home Sunday.

Misses Mary Lee and June Snodgrass spent several days last week in Richmond.

Mrs. Tressa Farris is ill at her home.

Mrs. Jack Crush of Roanoke was the week-end guest of Miss Nancy Driver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morgan had as their dinner guests last Wednesday evening Miss Nell Roberts and Don Estrella of New Jersey.

S-Sgt. John L. Sneed of Pope Field Air Force Base, Fayetteville, N. C., was the week-end visitor of his brother, Ashley Sexton, Mrs. Sexton and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Hedley Craft are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Lacy Fendley, and Mr. Fendley in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hale of Narrows were week-end guests of Mrs. Henry Chapman.

Sunday guest of Miss Mary Lee was Miss Vivian Morris of Coeburn.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Parks were Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Ratcliff of Broadford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins had as their guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Taylor of Meadowview, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Perkins and family of Pearisburg, Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor of Bluefield and Mrs. Herbert McAllister of Abingdon. Miss Vivian Counts is a guest in the Perkins' home at present.

RICH VALLEY 4-H CLUB RE-ORGANIZES

A meeting was held Monday for the purpose of re-organizing a Rich Valley 4-H Club.

Miss Karle Bundy explained the purpose of the club, its program and outlined plans for the year for the group. Miss Gladys Clear was elected adult sponsor.

A total of 64 pupils showed interest in becoming members. Of this number 40 were former members with 23 new prospects.

Officers elected for the school year were Edward Worley, president; Ruth Roberts, vice president; Nancy Doane, secretary-treasurer; Bette Lewis, reporter; Juanita Jones and Goldie Wyatt, song leaders. The next meeting will be held Oct. 22 at 1:30 p. m.



PVT. JAMES D. SHORT is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Short of North Holston. Pvt. Short enlisted in the service August 20 and is now serving at Camp Gordon, Ga. His address is Pvt. James D. Short, R. A. 13450076, Co. B 2 8801, TSU, MP RTC Fourth Platoon, Camp Gordon, Ga. Prior to his enlistment in the service, Pvt. Short was graduated from Rich Valley High School.

Saltville High School

NANCY KELLY
ASSEMBLY — The Saltville High School and grade school pupils were entertained last Wednesday at 2:15 p. m. by a magician and his wife. He was featured by the Southeast Assembly Program Association.

THE JUNIOR CLASS met in room 2 last Thursday at the third period in order to get measurements for next year's class rings.

PEP MEETING — The pupils gathered in the auditorium last Thursday at 3 p. m. for another pep meeting. The yells were announced by Mr. Smith and led by the High School cheerleaders.

THE BETA CLUB officers were elected for this year. They are: president, Sally Henderson; vice president, Mary Jane Webb; treasurer, Kelly Osborne; secretary, Barbara Rapp; program chairman, Mary Katherine Cahill; reporter, Mary Dunham.

THE ETA had its second meeting the night of October 12 at 7:30. During the social hour there was a musical program.

Saltville Club Meets at Church

Mrs. F. M. Lawson and Mrs. J. W. Howard Jr. were hostesses to the Saltville Garden Club, which met in the recreation room of the Madam Russell Methodist Church Oct. 8.

Mrs. J. Q. Peoples, president, was in charge. She announced that the Southwestern Federation of Garden Clubs would meet in Lynchburg Oct. 15.

Posters were displayed and their use was urged to keep the town from being a "litter-bug."

The program consisted of two films "Food for Tonight" and "The Green Plant", shown by Rhea Moore Jr., who is connected with a food company.

The following thought was brought out: "You can't expect a lawn to thrive on air and dew and wishes; How long would folks like us survive confined to loaves and fishes? Grass has to eat the same as us; To make it lush and mellow; When starved it may not make a fuss; But, boy, can it turn yellow!"

At the November meeting new ideas for Christmas will be discussed. At the conclusion of the program the hostess served refreshments.

CHURCH GROUP HAS ANNUAL PICNIC

The Mason Warren Sub-District had its annual picnic at Camp Ahlstedt near Damascus Monday evening.

Groups from Glade Spring, Saltville, Plasterco and Clinchburg attended.

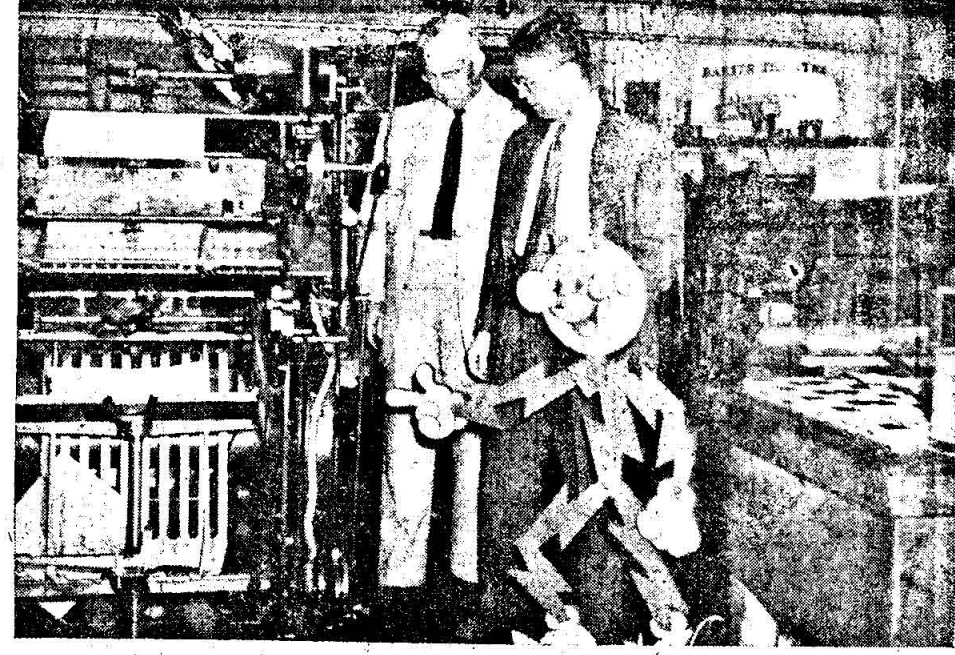
Mrs. Dewey Moore and Mrs. R. E. Ivey entertained the Intermediate Fellowship of the Madam Russell Methodist Church at unknown destination October 11 at the home of the former.

Mrs. John Booth and Mrs. Wilbur Driver entertained the same group in the fellowship room of the church October 4 at 8:30. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Saltville POW Is Honored at Legion Meeting Monday

Sgt. Don Cardwell, who recently returned from Korea after spending several months as a prisoner of war, was honored at the regular meeting of the Saltville American Legion Post 334 Monday night. Sgt. Cardwell was welcomed home and presented a gift by L. G. Arnold, post adjutant. The membership campaign

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shown above making his first visit to the Smyth County News print shop. "I'm the man who keeps the wheels rolling for your automatic job press," he is telling Jim Tindall right, and D. P. Mincham, Pulaski district manager of the power company, left.

and annual banquet were discussed. All veterans in the Saltville-Rich Valley area are urged by officials to join the legion post during the year.

MR. AND MRS. BRICKEY ARE GIVEN DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brickey of Saltville were honored with a surprise wedding anniversary dinner September 17 at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Brickey were married in Bristol in 1912.

Broadford

Broadford, Oct. 12 — The WSCS of Roberts Chapel held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Reed McGhee Thursday night. The topic of the program "Scatter the Good Seed" was led by Mrs. Junior Coe. Plans for the election dinner to be served by the women were made.

Barbara Jean DeBord and Margaret Clear spent the week end in Saltville with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Frye.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Ratcliff were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris of Chilhowie, and Mrs. Mabel Barrett of Quarry.

Mrs. Shug Buchanan was recently called to Richmond due to the illness of her father, Jesse White. He continues ill at this time.

Recent visitors of the S. G. Clear's have been Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nutter and Shirley of Lake Charles, La., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clear and sons of Rural Retreat, Miss Agnes Clear and Miss Marie Hensley of Erwin, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. DeBusk of Pearisburg.

Miss Janie and Billie Gillespie of Radford College spent the week end at their home. Other college students home were J. W. and Berkley Buchanan and C. P. Brickey of Emory and Henry.

Guy Clear, who has been a patient in the Thomas K. McKee Hospital, will go to a Roanoke hospital soon for further observations.

Mrs. Betty Kelly and daughter, Margaret, of Hinton, W. Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. John Edd Johnson Sunday.

Mildred vanHoozler of Tazewell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Osborne.

Jack Coe, a former resident of here, is ill at his home near Chilhowie.

Quarry

Quarry, Oct. 12 — The Rev. W. O. Webster filled his regular appointment at the Quarry Church Sunday morning.

A stewarts meeting was held at the church Thursday night. Those attending were Miss Helen Hicks, Mrs. Paul Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and Pattie, Miss Ida Jones, Mrs. Ralph Blevins and Mary Lee, Miss June Keese and Howard Clapp.

Sunday guests of Miss Ida Jones were Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Ford and Jeff, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Gilyon of Knoxville, Tenn., Joe Lee and Gene of Saltville.

Mrs. E. L. Hicks and daughter, Ruth, and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Hicks and children visited Mrs. Garnet Talbert and sons of Plasterco Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Davis celebrated her 60th birthday Monday, Oct. 5. She received many gifts.

Pvt. Jack DeBord of Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. DeBord, and family.

Mrs. Lucy Keese visited Mrs. E. R. McNeal and family in Marion Monday.

Miss Ruby Keese of Marion is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Riley Keese.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bise of Marion and Miss Hazel Hicks of Glade Spring spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hicks, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jones visited in Grayson County with relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Parks and daughter spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Bessie Mumpower, and Ola.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hayden and children of Norfolk have been visiting relatives for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Gordon Wall and daughter, Mary Edith, and son, Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Musser, all of Chilhowie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shepherd.

Mrs. Edith Davis and daughter, Linda, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Charles Baker and family.

Howard Boardwine of Saltville conducted the service at the Quarry Methodist Church Sunday evening at 7:30.

Mrs. L. H. Terry and Bobby Montgomery visited Mrs. Montgomery at Catawba Sanatorium Sunday. She is the former Miss Eula Gray Terry.

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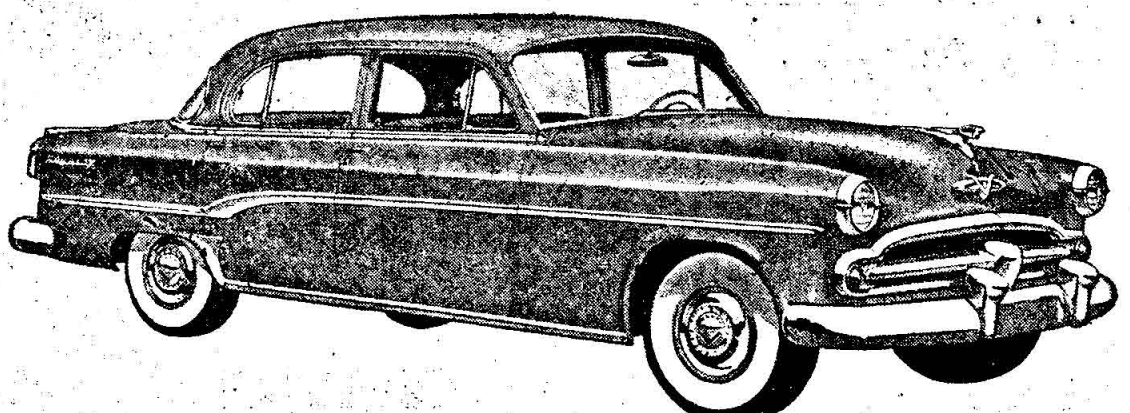
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BONNEVILLE SALT FLATS, Utah — Traveling at 108.36 miles per hour over the straightaway track here, in tests held under the supervision of the American Automobile Association contest board, a 1954 Dodge V-8 last week became the fastest standard American car ever clocked by AAA officials.

Along with other speed marks, W. C. Newberg, Dodge president, announced in Detroit, the Dodge chalked up a total of 196 AAA stock-car records, more than any American stock car has ever held before.

Challenging AAA competition for automobiles with 183 to 305-cubic-inch engine displacement (which takes in a majority of U. S.-made cars), a Dodge four-door and convertible, said Newberg, "proved themselves unquestioned performance champions."

Records falling to the Dodge V-8s ran from one kilometer to over 7,000 miles. Both cars operated on regular-grade gasoline and original-equipment tires.

The convertible, equipped with PowerFlite, a new automatic transmission, ran full-throttle continuously over a 72-hour period. AAA records showed. During this time, the convertible eclipsed more than 60 AAA records formerly held by cars equipped with manual shift.

The sedan, on a 48-hour endurance run, achieved lap speeds of better than 107 miles per hour. For the entire run it averaged better than 101 miles per hour, including stop.

Tests were conducted in both the AAA's open and closed-car competition and were run on a 14-mile straightaway and a 10-mile circular track.

Chief driver for the tests was Danny Eames. He was at the wheel of the sedan, equipped with a conventional three-speed transmission, as it made its 108.36 m. p. h. record run.

Eames also drove a 1953 Dodge V-8 to victory earlier this year over all eight-cylinder cars in the Mobilgas Economy Run.

AAA officials permitted only one 1954 Dodge V-8 to be run at a time. Both cars were timed by an electric eye which transcribed results to a paper tape, which will soon receive official certification at AAA headquarters in Washington.

Secrecy surrounded the runs, with no outsider being permitted in the test area. The 1954 Dodge cars are scheduled to go on public display Thursday (Oct. 8).

Much of the success of the project was attributed by Newberg "to the splendid co-operation offered by AAA officials, local authorities, General Petroleum Corp., Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co."

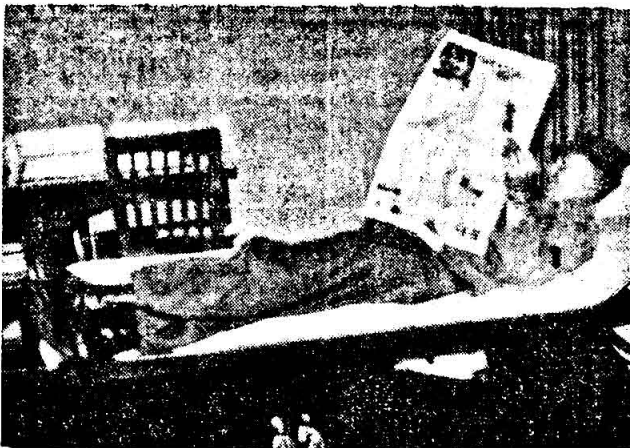
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Health Department Reports for Month

The monthly report of the Smyth County Health Department shows the following diseases reported in September: infectious hepatitis, 6; influenza, 7, and poliomyelitis, 5; Activities of the staff include: 21 nursing visits in communicable disease control; 12 visits in communicable disease control by sanitarian; 18 immunizations given children; 25 nursing visits in tuberculosis control; 1 patient sent to sanatorium; 4 nursing visits in

cancer control; 40 Smyth County patients examined in special polio clinic; 15 out of county patients examined in polio clinic; 102 nursing visits to orthopedic cases; 15 patients examined in Bristol rheumatic fever clinic; 7 patients examined in mother and child health clinic; 3 maternity patients hospitalized; and 29 nursing visits to schools. During September 53 laboratory reports were received; 60 home visits in general sanitation were made; 9 septic tanks were completed and approved; 7 food establishments, 2 milk pasteurization plants, 5 dairies and 1 school cafeteria were inspected; 5 visits in rabies control were made; 5 nuisance complaints were investigated, and 5 nuisances were abated.



LOOK, IT'S NEAT — Cpl. Garland Huffman of Smyth County, in Germany now for the past 21 months, recently sent this snapshot home. Cpl. Huffman made one mistake. He showed his room clean as a

Furnace Hill

MRS. W. RAY ANDERSON
Furnace Hill, Oct. 12 — Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hall and Ronnie Lee of Maryland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Sexton.

Mrs. Kenneth Killinger has returned home and is recuperating from an operation at Lee Memorial Hospital. Pvt. William C. (Bill) Wilson of Camp Rucker, Ala., son of Mrs. Gray Wilson, is home on a two weeks' furlough. Miss Carrie Mae Hall is visiting friends and relatives in West Virginia.

Mrs. James Combs is suffering from a sprained ankle. Mr. and Mrs. James Combs and Mrs. Melvin Combs spent last Saturday in Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt and family are now residents here. They moved from Chilhowie.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Caudill and family have moved to Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. Marie Richardson and sons of Gambrells, Md., spent the week end with friends and relatives in and around Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cassell and family moved into one of the Ambrose Richardson's houses recently.

Groseclose

KATHERINE SIMMERMAN
Groseclose, Oct. 12 — Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderlite of Dublin visited in the Simmerman home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Atwell of Rockville, Md., visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Atwell and family last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tibbs and son of Derwood, Md., recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tibbs and family.

Mrs. Jess Atwell and son, Cleveland, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Teuby Atwell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hutton and son of Dublin visited Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Simmerman Sunday.

Cleveland Atwell was the guest of Sidney Gullion of Rural Retreat last Sunday.

D. L. Smith visited his daughter, Mrs. Virgie Guy, in Marion last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Austin and daughter, Sgt. and Mrs. M. E. Epperson of Marion recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Atwell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Simmerman and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blackard in Bristol, Tenn., Tuesday.

Those who attended the youth convention held at Atkins were Misses Ruby and Esther Leedy, Mrs. Ray Tibbs, Miss Nannie Henderlite and A. F. Pennington and son.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bradley and family of Abingdon visited Mr. and Mrs. James Steffy and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Spangler last Sunday.

A birthday party was given in honor of Miss Lorraine Simmerman last Friday night. Those present enjoyed games and refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simmer-

Sugar Grove High School

SYLVIA SCOTT
man and son spent Sunday in Wytheville visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Dean.

Mrs. W. E. Spangler spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phillipi and son of Rural Retreat.

Mrs. W. S. Blackard returned home Sunday after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blackard in Bristol, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Bowers and daughter of Rural Retreat visited Mrs. M. C. Bowers and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sledg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Yontz visited in Eggleston last Sunday.

Mrs. Z. L. Ferguson of Wytheville has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. H. Reedy.

Musten to Speak To Marion PTA Members

Jack Musten, recreation director for Marion, will speak on the recreation program and explain some of its goals when he speaks next Wednesday to members of the Marion Parent Teacher Association.

The meeting will be held at 3:45 p. m. in the cafeteria of the new school, and Mrs. Fred Graybeal, president of the organization, urges a full attendance.

A meeting of the executive board will be held at 3 p. m.

VA Director Lists His Smyth Dates

Willard M. Smith, areas director for the Veterans Administration, has announced that he is at the county's treasurer's office in the courthouse in Marion each second and fourth Monday in the month and at the Chilhowie Town Hall the fourth Thursday of each month.

Mr. Smith states that he is glad to assist veterans or their families in any way that he can.

Rose's Manager Conducts Harvest Festival Sale

For the first time in the history of Rose's 5-10-25c Stores, they are permitting the local manager to stage a sale. The unique part of this sale is the fact that the Rose Company has given each manager authority to reduce at his discretion items in stock for this particular sale. Appropriately it is called "The Manager's Harvest Festival of Values."

The festival begins at 8:30 a. m. Thursday, October 15. Manager Harris says, "you will be astounded at the prices we have placed on various items in all departments throughout the store. We extend a hearty welcome to all of our many customers to take advantage of these savings."

Manager Harris is a native of Henderson, N. C., and has been manager of the Marion store since March 1948. Of his adopted home town he has this to say, "I think the town of Marion is a really fine place to live and work. One certainly could not ask for better friends and neighbors." (Adv.)

Marion

Colored News

MRS. EVELYN T. LAWRENCE

Oct. 12 — The Mount Pleasant WSCS will meet Thursday evening at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Graham on Pendleton Street.

The WSCS and the Methodist Men will sponsor a Chitling and Pie Supper Friday night, Oct. 16, at Carnegie High School, in the interest of Mount Pleasant Methodist Church.

World Wide Communion Day was observed at Mount Pleasant Methodist Church Sunday morning, Oct. 4, with a service being conducted by the Rev. W. S. Golden, pastor of the church.

Recent visitors at Mount Pleasant Methodist Church were Frederick Cox, Mrs. Marguerite Brown, Miss Mary Hounshell, Mrs. Frances Hackney, Mrs. Gertrude Peters, Mrs. Minnie Brown and children, Miss Jeanetta Thompson of Ashland, Va., Spencer Horton, and James Wright of Beckley, W. Va.

Mrs. W. S. Golden, wife of the Rev. Mr. Golden, Mt. Pleasant pastor, and principal of the elementary school in Iaeger, W. Va., spent week end before last in Marion.

The Rev. H. L. Johnson of Abingdon and the Rev. William Shelton gave remarks at the funeral of Randle Montgomery. The Rev. W. S. Golden delivered the eulogy.

The Rev. Mason Mitchell of Gary, W. Va., and newly appointed pastor of the A. M. E. Zion Church on Iron Street, conducted bi-monthly services at the church Sunday evening, Oct. 4.

The Rev. Warren Lewis of Whitetop preached at the First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Special music was given by the AME Zion choir, Mrs. Carolyn Russell, and Leon C. Anderson.

Miss Clara Mansfield, who resides in New York, is spending a few days at her home on Church Street.

Chatham Hill

MRS. CLAUDE BURNOP

Chatham Hill, Oct. 12 — Mrs. George Clear of Saltville was guest speaker of the WSCS Friday night. She reviewed the book of Jeremiah.

Mrs. J. A. Stephenson, Misses Kate, Polly, and Peggy Stephenson attended the Youth

Convention at Atkins Saturday and Sunday

Will Moore came home Sunday from the hospital and is much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece DeBord have moved into their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Anderson, Misses Mabel Anderson, Nancy Moore and Mrs. Homer Moore called on Mrs. Ethel Burnop Monday. They were the dinner guests of Mrs. J. A. Stephenson.

Little Roger Webb fell off a table and injured his head at his home. He is a patient in McKee Hospital. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Webb.

Seaman Harold Gillespie and Randall Oakes spent the week end with their parents.

Miss Gracie Fry of McCready, Mrs. Junior Call and son, Sydney, Louise and Gracie Surber spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Short.

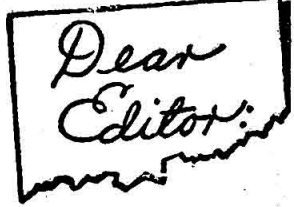
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stephenson and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Buchanan Sunday. He is recovering from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Neel and children spent Sunday with his parents in Bland.

MT. ZION-GREENWOOD WOMEN TO MEET FRIDAY

The women of the Mt. Zion and Greenwood communities are urged to attend a meeting at the Greenwood Community Building this Friday afternoon at 1:30.

The purpose of the meeting is to organize a home demonstration club. Miss Karle Budy, home demonstration agent, will be present.



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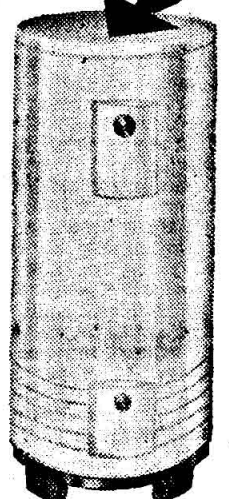


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3 Cars Involved In Wreck Sunday

Three cars were involved in an accident Sunday morning about 12:30 a. m. on Highway 11 in Seven Mile Ford. A 1950 Ford two door sedan driven by Charles C. Sessor, Saltville, was going west on Rt. 11 and attempting to make a left turn into the General Campbell filling station. A 1940 Chevrolet, driven by Warren Maxwell Brooks, Rt. 4, Tazewell, was going east when the Ford turned in front of the Chevrolet. Brooks could

not stop because he did not have enough time, and oncoming traffic kept him from passing to the left. The Chevrolet struck the Ford and knocked it into a 1953 Chrysler, belonging to E. P. Wassum, Rt. 3, Marion. The Chevrolet went on into a tree. The Ford was damaged on the left and rear fenders. The Chevrolet was scratched on the front and right side. The Chrysler was damaged on the rear bumper. Deputy Jake Irvin investigated and charged Sessor with reckless driving and operating

a vehicle without a driver's license. Sessor is summonsed to Trial Justice Court Saturday.

Marion High School

ASSEMBLY — Friday, Oct. 9, most of the students were entertained in a paid assembly. The magician "Ray", assisted by his wife, presented a program of mystery and humor. This assembly was sponsored by the SCA. **THE VARSITY CLUB** held its first meeting Tuesday. They elected all officers except the president who was elected last year. Those elected were vice president, David Johnson; secretary, Buddy Montgomery; treasurer, Kay Ruth, and reporter, Robert Young. A motion was passed that if

a person had earned a varsity letter in a major sport in another school and transferred to Marion, he would be eligible for membership in the MHS Varsity Club.

SCIENCE CLUB — In the first meeting Mrs. Adkins, the sponsor, read the requirements for eligibility in the club. It was necessary for all officers to be elected. Walter Carmoney was elected president with Clayborne Gwyn being elected vice president. Jack Kirby and Willie Anne Pugh were elected secretary and treasurer respectively. Mrs. Adkins said that all who wished to join the club would have to write a letter to the secretary requesting membership.

JUNIOR CHEERLEADERS — Oct. 1 a student-faculty committee chose six out of about 25 girls to be junior cheerleaders. Those selected were Elizabeth Anderson, Ginger Green, Judy Greer, Joyce Pierce, Ruth Scholton and Sarah Louise Wright.

LITERARY CLUB — Elizabeth Anderson was elected historian at the first meeting of the club. Margaret Davis was elected to the office of chaplain. During the meeting Eliza-

beth Wayland, president, announced that each member would work in the literary field in which they are interested. The fields are as follows: creative writing, spelling, boys and girls prose reading, boys and girls poetry reading, boys and girls public speaking, and debating. At a called meeting of this club the president appointed committee and chairmen. They are installation, Elizabeth Anderson; chairman, Peggy Jarrett; Margaret Davis, Nancy Jo Johnson, and Betty Jones; program, Libby McCarty, chairman, Sue Britton, Elaine McKinnon, Donna Boone, and Sandra Groseclose; float, Harriet Stemp, chairman, Bebe Birchfield, Rosalyn Casteel, and Margaret Eller.

BETA CLUB — Carolyn Lambert, president announced to the club that the treasurer Margaret Williams had resigned her office. Dorothy Elledge, Kathleen Widner and Reva Jean Martin were nominated for that office. Kathleen Widner was elected the new treasurer. The president appointed the following to be on a committee for investigating possible Beta-Club projects: Martha Buchanan, chairman, Walter Carmoney, Ruth Ann Webster and Ann Vernon. The following committee will plan the induction service for new members: Anne Eller, chairman, Susan Francis, Yvonne Kell, and Bobby Simons.

SCA — At the first meeting of the SCA, Bobby Simons, president, installed 29 new members into the club. The other members were installed at the close of school last year. Morris Stephenson, treasurer, reported that so far \$4.60 has been made on selling MHS book covers. Alice Jasik, secretary, read the objectives to the club and asked for more project suggestions.

Perryville

DOTTIE POORE

Perryville, Oct. 12 — The Loyalty Friends Class of the First Christian Church enjoyed a wiener roast at "Rock Garden" last Wednesday night. There were 20 members of the class at the outing. The junior class also enjoyed a picnic in the church yard last Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong and daughters, Alice and Jane, have moved to Philadelphia, Penna., where they will make their home, after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Frye and Faye of McCready and Mr. and Mrs. Gip Poore, Jackie and Chester, enjoyed a picnic Sunday afternoon at the Tri-City Airport, Bristol, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Burkett and Lena and the Rev. Preston Smith of West Graham visited Mr. and Mrs. Gip Poore and family last Wednesday afternoon. While here they visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith and King Smith of Henrytown.

Vernon Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, and Miss Doris Campbell are patients at the McKee Hospital.

Mrs. Kermit Hicks of Quarry and Mrs. L. B. Poore and daughter, Bee, of Henrytown visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Allison and son last week.

The dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Prator and family Sunday were Mrs. Margaret Miller and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Woodward, Mrs. Bob Allison and Buddy Allison.

Miss Shirley Ratcliff was the overnight guest of Miss Shirley Brinkley last Saturday.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. James J. Keith and Virginia last week were Mrs. Jim Arnold, Mrs. Jimmy McCready, and children, Mrs. Early Keith and children and Mrs. Earnest Campbell and children of Bristol.

Mrs. Allen Hogston of Poore Valley visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dow and children last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Keith and Annalee and Miss Billy June Dayton of Bristol visited Mr. and Mrs. James J. Keith and Virginia Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Thelma Bailey of Detroit visited her brother, Howard Hill, Mrs. Hill and sons, Dickie and Billy, last week.

Miss Sheila Jean Prater was the overnight guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Bob Allison, of Saltville Friday and Saturday.

Who's Who in Smyth



MRS. E. H. HENDERSON had a real treat recently. Mrs. Margaret Seaver took her on a tour of Marion.

This does not sound like too much of a treat until details are known. It was her first trip outside her home in five years, and the tour was made in an ambulance.

Mrs. Henderson is a cripple and has been confined to her home in a wheel chair for the past five years.

The changes noted in Marion, especially the many new buildings in the business section of Marion and the many new homes in Cumberland Heights and Wassona Park, were astonishing to the woman.

Friends had told her about this growth, but it was impossible for her to visualize the extent of this expansion. Imprinted in her mind were the fields, with a couple of houses, where more than a hundred homes stand today in the two additions. It was impossible for her to realize that these new communities are today a part of Marion.

The same holds true of the new buildings on Main St. Mrs. Henderson last remembered the business section without the Center Building and several other smaller buildings. And most of the old buildings have had a face lifting since she last saw them.

"All this was going on in my community, but I could not get it in my mind exactly how the new buildings and new communities looked," she said. "I would sit in my wheel chair and try to draw a mental picture of town, but the old picture was all that I could visualize, and it was impossible for me to put these new buildings in this old picture."

Mrs. Henderson is almost 85 years old. She was born in Trenton, Ga. The daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wallace, she attended the old Montgomery Female College in Christiansburg.

The old county seat of Pulaski County, Newbern, was where she met Dr. E. H. Henderson. They were married November 27, 1901. Dr. Henderson was the superintendent of the Southwestern State Hospital for about 13 years. He died February 25, 1927.

Joining the Methodist Church when she was 12 years old, Mrs. Henderson has been a very active member every since. She was the secretary of the Wytheville district of the Women's Missionary Society, which is now the WSCS. She has also been secretary and treasurer of the local WSCS.

Mrs. Henderson belongs to the UDC (United Daughters of the Confederacy). In this organization she has served as treasurer.

Somebody Told Me

By CHARLES SOWERS

Oct. 12 — Mr. and Mrs. John Shepherd and sons of Winchester, Miss Vivian Joy of Pulaski and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hanshaw and daughter, Ann, of Bristol were recent week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hanshaw in Atkins. Mr. and Mrs. James A. Bandy and sons, Billy and Tommy, of Richlands were visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sowers in Seven Mile Ford over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderlite of Dublin were visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Henderlite and Nannie at Atkins Sunday. More than luck needed: The price of hogs is good. Chances are you have bred or are planning to breed more sows and gilts — but will they farrow and raise more pigs?

Big string litters of pigs don't just happen. It is a well known fact that you are not making money on your hogs unless litters average 6 pigs or more. Of course there are many reasons for small litters of undersized pigs, but so often it's because of the way the sow is fed during gestation.

Broad sows should be fed the right ration before and after breeding to keep up body condition. Body condition does not mean fat; it means good, solid weight added to the sow's body to keep her healthy and productive. Sows that have weaned pigs should be kept on full feed until they are bred again. In the case of gilts to be bred, full feed them a week or 10 days before breeding.

A little girl was showing her playmate through her new home. "And here's my daddy's den," she said. "Does your daddy have a den?" "No," was the answer, "my daddy just grows all over the house."

Note To Mr. Dalton This Is Virginia

(Bristol Herald-Courier) Wednesday, Oct. 14

State Sen. Ted Dalton, who is running helter skelter with the Republican standard in the Virginia gubernatorial race, now tells us that the Virginia General Assembly, predominantly Democratic, will operate with a Republican governor because Democrat Sen. Harry F. Byrd likes, and supports, Republican President Eisenhower.

We are willing to concede that the Virginia General Assembly, with a Democrat or a Republican governor, most certainly would not sit on its hands for two years while the state went to pot. Business—that is, business as it has been in the past—would continue as usual because the members of the Assembly realize they have an obligation, not to any particular governor, but to the people of the state. However, we steadfastly maintain that, should Mr. Dalton be elected, he would be only a figurehead with little if any actual powers in those matters which must be decided by the General Assembly. About the most we can say for Mr. Dalton, should be by some "strange quirk become governor, is that the Republicans would have a chance to grab a few political plums—by appointment. And, with confirmation necessary in some cases, even that avenue might be partially closed to the Republicans.

As for Mr. Dalton's reference to Sen. Byrd's support of President Eisenhower, we cannot see the slightest resemblance between that situation and the situation in Virginia. This is Virginia, Mr. Dalton, and your opponents are not just Democrats—they are Virginia Democrats, a distinct and unique part of the National Party. And we would remind you of this: Sen. Byrd gave his tacit endorsement to President Eisenhower's candidacy. While it may have slipped by us, we do not recall that Sen. Byrd has done by you, Mr. Dalton, as he did by Mr. Eisenhower.

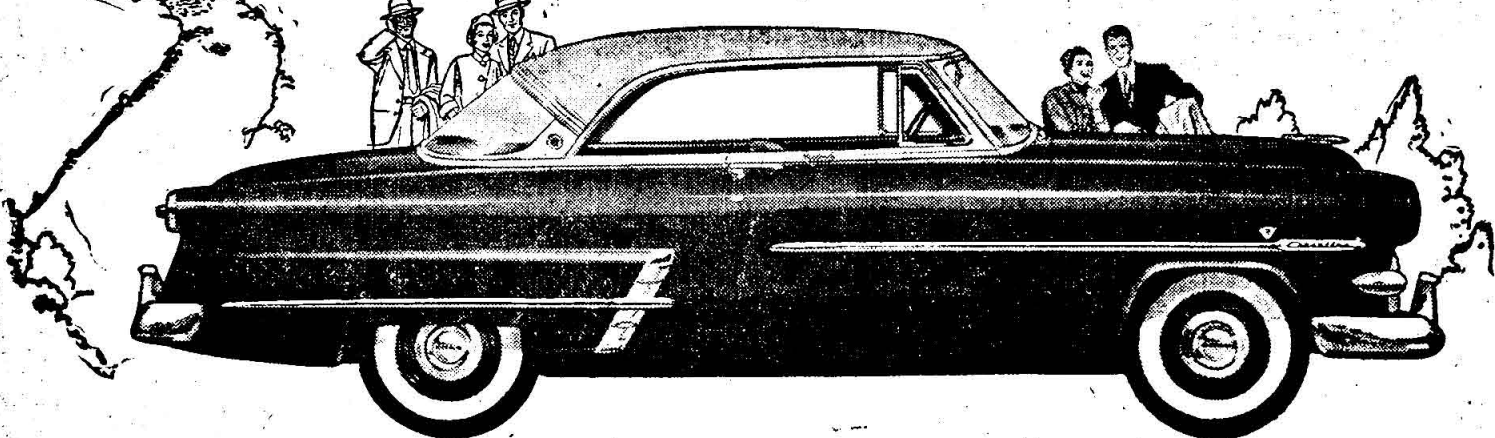
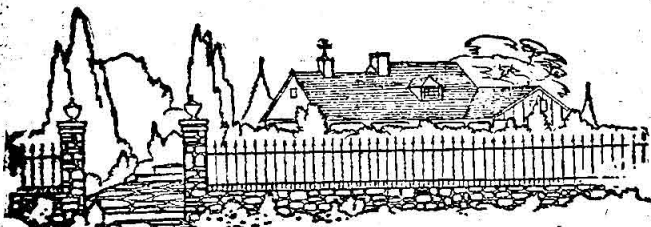
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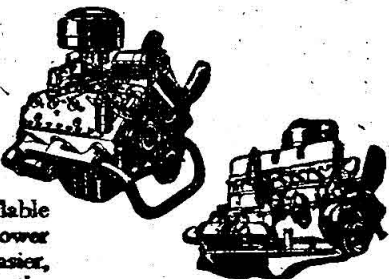
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