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### When You Need W.P.F. To An Accident

GET ago, so many years that we don't definitely  
remember the date, the Town of Marion built a concrete  
walk up the north side of East Main, leading to Hospital  
Hill. It runs along beside the old meat market building  
on the corner and in some places the walk is seven or  
eight feet above the ground level.

When the concrete was poured, stub pipes were set  
in it along the edge of the drop-off obviously as bases  
for a safety railing. But the railing has never been  
built.

As the situation now stands, the town has constructed  
and is maintaining nothing less than an open invitation  
to an accident. The job should be finished, a safety  
rail erected, before someone has a serious fall.

### Know Your County Government

#### The Commission of Revenue

Charlottesville, April 22 —  
What is the fair market value  
of a house and 100 acres of  
land? It is the value you  
could sell them for in the open  
market? Certainly not, some-  
one replies! The real estate  
market today is "inflated" and  
prices are much higher than  
normal. Is the fair market  
value of a house and 100 acres  
of land the amount they would  
bring at a forced sale? Of  
course not, someone else re-  
plies! Prices at forced sales  
are almost always below nor-  
mal. Then what is meant by  
"fair market value"?

Every time a citizen pays his  
county taxes the amount paid  
depends directly upon the way  
in which county assessing of-  
ficials have met and solved the  
problem posed in the above  
questions. This is true because  
state law requires that county  
taxes be levied on the "fair  
market value" of property.

In some counties the prob-  
lem of fixing the fair market  
value of county property gen-  
erally was solved back in 1925,  
when the last general reassess-  
ment of property was held. On  
the other hand, a few counties  
have permanent reassessment  
boards which conduct contin-  
uous reassessments of county  
property. A law passed by  
the last General Assembly re-  
quires the counties to conduct  
a general reassessment of real  
estate at least every eight  
years.

The Commissioner of the Re-  
venue is the county official  
most concerned with the prob-  
lem of property assessing.  
After fair market values of  
property have been determined  
by reassessment boards it then  
becomes his duty to keep re-  
cords of changes in property  
values resulting from: erection  
of buildings and improvements,

repairs, damage, death of own-  
er, sale of land, partition of  
tracts of land into lots, etc. It  
is obvious that unless changes  
affecting "fair market value"  
are entered on county tax re-  
cords various inequalities will  
appear. Some citizens will es-  
cape taxes on improvements,  
others will be charged with  
taxes on property which has  
been sold or destroyed. Con-  
stant and persistent work by  
the Commissioner of the Re-  
venue is required to keep coun-  
ty tax records accurate and up  
to date.

There are several methods  
which county Commissioners of  
the Revenue may employ to  
keep county tax records ac-  
curate and complete. In the  
first place, the law provides  
that "Any person owning or  
claiming real estate in this  
State, shall, if the same be  
not already there, cause it to  
be entered on the land books  
of the county..." If such  
person continues to neglect to  
enter his real estate on the  
tax records for one year after  
written notice from the Com-  
missioner of the Revenue, the  
circuit court may declare the  
real estate absolutely forfeit-  
ed to the State.

County Clerks are required  
each year to send to Com-  
missioners of the Revenue lists  
of property transactions as  
shown by the property records  
in order that Commissioners  
may correct their tax books.  
Some counties require citizens  
to get building permits so that  
the tax records may reflect  
new taxable values as they  
are created.

Several counties have install-  
ed property identification maps  
which provide a record of prop-  
erty subject to taxation and  
which show who owns the prop-  
erty. A surprising amount  
of land can be just overlooked  
entirely and no taxes at all

assessed against it. When  
Henrico County installed tax  
maps 1,011 unassessed per-  
s were found. Chesterfield Coun-  
ty found 108 parcels (2,263  
acres) in the same way. A  
system of keeping a record of  
taxable property, its value and  
owner, on a permanent set of  
cards has proved more accu-  
rate and efficient in several  
counties than the old method  
of making changes in the prop-  
erty books themselves.

In addition to real estate  
the Commissioner of the Re-  
venue assesses other property  
subject to county taxation in-  
cluding: tangible personal prop-  
erty subject to county taxat-  
ion including: tangible person-  
al property, (furniture, jewelry,  
etc.), merchants capital and  
machinery and tools. Property  
in these classes is assessed  
largely on the basis of "re-  
turns" which persons owning  
such property are required to  
fill out and send to the Com-  
missioner of the Revenue each  
year. Some counties go fur-  
ther and send assessors a-  
round the county who seek to  
discover taxable property and  
include it on the county tax  
books.

The Commissioner of the Re-  
venue assesses a substantial  
amount of State taxes. Taxes  
in this class include: individual  
income taxes, poll taxes, in-  
tangible personal property  
taxes (on bonds, notes, etc.)  
and various State license taxes.  
In the assessment of State  
taxes the Commissioner of the  
Revenue is responsible to the  
State Tax Department.

In assessing local taxes the  
Commissioner of the Revenue  
is responsible to the county  
citizens who elect him. He is  
elected to serve a term of four  
years. His salary is fixed by  
the State Compensation Board  
within maximum and minimum  
limits set up by the General  
Assembly. The last General  
Assembly raised the maximum  
limits by \$500. The State pays  
one-third of the salary of the  
Commissioner of the Revenue  
and the County pays two-thirds.

County Treasurers and  
county Commissioners of the  
Revenue usually work very  
closely with each other because  
the Treasurers collect taxes on  
the basis of records prepared  
by Commissioners of the Re-  
venue. In the process of col-  
lecting taxes Treasurers col-  
lect much information which  
Commissioners of the Revenue  
need in order to maintain ac-  
curate records. In fact the  
work done by Commissioners of  
the Revenue is of crucial im-  
portance to the whole finan-  
cial structure of county  
government.

### Nick's Creek

BY MRS. BRUCE ARNOLD

Nicks Creek, April 23 — Mr.  
and Mrs. J. R. Patrick had as  
their guests Sunday, Mr. and  
Mrs. Edward Patrick and  
daughter, Mrs. Edd Kestner  
all of Saltville, Mrs. Jack  
Smith of Broadford, Mr. and  
Mrs. G. L. Burkett and daugh-  
ter and Mr. Howard Sheffield  
all of Atkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pierce  
and daughter, Janie, left Thurs-  
day to spend Easter with their  
son, Charlie, in Washington, D.  
C.

Mrs. Ray Hall has been ill  
at her home here for the past  
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burchett  
and son of Marion spent Sun-  
day with Mr. and Mrs. George  
Arnold.

Mrs. Ray Sexton remains ill  
at her home.  
Everette Pierce is a patient  
in Lee Memorial hospital.

### Hooks Branch Items

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MRS. J. B. PENMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Kilby  
and Mr. and Mrs. Granville  
White were visitors in Wythe-  
ville Saturday.

Mrs. Ezra Dumford, who has  
been confined to her home for  
several days, is able to be out  
again.

Claude Cook was a business  
visitor in Welch, W. Va., Fri-  
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Wolfe  
were called to Boiesvain due

to the illness of Mr. Wolfe's  
sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Peole  
and children of Radford, were  
guests of Mrs. Virgie Mathena  
over the weekend.

Mrs. W. F. Harrington, who  
has been critically ill for sev-  
eral weeks, is able to be out  
again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wolfe  
spent Friday in Abingdon with  
the former's brother.

Pfc. Joseph Giespie of Fort  
Bragg, N. C., has been spend-  
ing several days here with his  
wife and mother.

Misses Ocie Powers and  
Zollie Spencer were visitors in  
North Carolina the past week-  
end.

Walter Peake has returned  
to his home from Abingdon  
hospital where he underwent  
an operation.

Mrs. Etta Spicer has return-  
ed from Weston, W. Va., where  
she spent several weeks with  
her son.

Pfc. Kenneth Richardson of  
Fort Bragg, N. C., was the  
weekend guest in the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mathena.

Mrs. W. O. Elliott is spend-  
ing several days in Pulaski  
with her daughter and son-in-  
law, Mr. and Mrs. Shuler Mc-  
Clellan.

Miss Sue Madron of Trade,  
Tenn., has been the guest of  
Mrs. Walter Peake.

Mrs. Edward Mathena spent  
Sunday in Sugar Grove visit-  
ing relatives.

Mrs. Tom Kerley has return-  
ed to her home in Havoop af-  
ter being the guest of her father,  
T. E. Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Shumate  
of Northfork, W. Va., have  
been the guests of Mrs. Shu-  
mate's mother, Mrs. Josie Sey-  
mour.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mathena  
have returned to their home  
in Columbus, Ohio, after spend-  
ing several weeks here and in  
Indiana with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones and  
daughter, Barbara, were guests  
of relatives in Chilhowie over  
the weekend.

J. B. Penman of Rainelle is  
spending several days here  
with his family.

Ralph Bowman, small son of  
Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Bow-  
man, has been confined to his  
home for several days with  
mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond  
Horton and children have been  
spending several days with their  
parents near the Park.

Miss Jane Blevins of Radford  
spent Sunday here with  
friends.

Mr. Fred Neitch and Mr.  
Sturgill are confined to their  
homes by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Mc-  
Call and Mrs. Roger Cook  
were dinner guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. W. F. Cook Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Rowland, who  
has been a patient at Lee  
Memorial hospital for several  
weeks, is recuperating at the  
home of her daughter, Mrs.  
Neil Cox. Mr. Roland is a  
patient in Bluefield Sanatorium.

### Lincoln Hill

BY MRS. EDWIN WASSUM

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Lincoln Hill — Mr. Edward  
Simms of Annawalt, W. Va.,  
spent last week with Mr. and  
Mrs. W. A. Simms and family.

Mrs. Mollie Whisman of Pu-  
laski spent last week visiting  
Mrs. French King and other  
friends on Lincoln Hill.

Mrs. J. A. Foster entertain-  
ed with a shower Wednesday  
evening for her daughter, Mrs.  
George Hutton, a recent bride.  
Many friends of the bride were  
present and she received many  
lovely gifts. Delicious refresh-  
ments were served by the hos-  
tess.

Mrs. Gale Barker was called  
to Abingdon Friday on account  
of the illness of her sister,  
Miss Peggie Barnes, who is a  
student nurse at Abingdon  
hospital. She was accompanied  
by Miss Iris Barker.

Mrs. Aubrey L. Gaybill of  
Roanoke is visiting her par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Good-  
man on Virginia Ave.

Mr. Robert Simms and fam-  
ily of Annawalt, W. Va., were  
guests of Mrs. N. C. Barr last  
week.

Mrs. Mollie Whisman was  
the dinner guest of Mrs. J. A.  
Foster last Friday.

Mrs. George Peake of Key-  
stone, W. Va., is visiting her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. John  
Goodman on Virginia Ave.

Miss Katherine Dalton, who  
is a student at Rider College,  
Trenton, N. J., spent the Eas-  
ter holidays with her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dalton on  
Railroad Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hancock  
spent the weekend in Oak  
Ridge, Tenn., with Mr. and  
Mrs. Fred Hancock.

E. C. Horne and family of  
Bristol were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. J. R. Horne on Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Wolfe spent the  
weekend with her father who  
is ill in Galax.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Leo-  
nard and daughter, Berenda  
Joyce, spent Sunday with Mrs.  
Leonard's parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
J. S. Keyes in Sugar Grove.  
They were accompanied by  
Miss Mary Lou Heidriith.

Ralph and Don Simms of  
Pageton, W. Va., spent last  
week with W. E. Simms and  
family.

Mr. and Mrs. Conley Hart  
of South Fork were dinner  
guests of Mr. and Mrs. George  
Waddell on Sunday. Sunday  
afternoon was spent with Mrs.  
Elaine Richardson, who has  
been ill.

Mr. George Waddell has re-  
turned to his home from Lee  
Memorial hospital. He is much  
improved.

Mrs. Clara Belle Davis and  
twins, Jean and Randy, left last  
week for St. Paul, Va., to join  
their husband and father, Dr.  
Percy Davis. They will make  
their home there. Mrs. Davis  
has been living in Marion  
while Dr. Davis was in service  
over-seas.

Mr. E. L. Totten of Shreve-  
port, La., accompanied by his  
mother arrived Friday to spend  
Easter holidays with his sister,  
Mrs. W. P. Sprinkle. Mrs.  
Totten, who has spent the win-  
ter in Shreveport, will make  
her home with Mrs. Sprinkle.  
Mr. Totten will return to  
Shreveport Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hutton  
spent the weekend in St. Paul  
with Dr. and Mrs. P. N. Davis.  
They were accompanied home  
by Mrs. Dutton's and Mrs. Dav-  
is' mother, Mrs. L. T. Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Crow-  
der and family of Fries spent  
the weekend with Mr. and  
Mrs. Otis Crowder and family  
on Virginia Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rhea

## A Woman's Place

BY HUNGRY MOTHER

### To Hungry Father

Your name looks so fine in  
print that I am writing you  
a public thank you instead of  
telephoning quietly. One of my  
readers, a kind friend and  
close relative, saw your elegant  
salad dressing recipe. She turn-  
ed up on Easter with a gift  
bottle of caviar. I thanked her,  
but also feel I owe you thanks  
for furnish the inspiration.  
Now I can eat caviar and not  
pay for it — the ideal way to  
pass through life. It's just

Wassum and children, Donny  
and Martha, spent Sunday with  
Mr. Wassum's mother, Mrs. T.  
B. Wassum on R. K. Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Blev-  
ins and sons of Superior, W.  
Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy  
Roark of Konnarock spent the  
weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R.  
E. Blevins and family on Rail-  
road Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Roark  
have recently moved to Kon-  
narock. Mrs. Roark is the  
former Miss Tomy Blevins.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Irvin  
Jr. and Miss Lois Simms  
spent Easter Sunday in Blue-  
field and Princeton, W. Va.

Mr. Willie Moore of W. Va.,  
spent the weekend with Mr.  
and Mrs. W. A. Simms and  
family.

Jim Groseclose has recover-  
ed from his recent illness and  
is back at work again.

Mrs. Corbin Shuler spent the  
weekend with Mr. and Mrs.  
Carl Shuler.

Rev. Roy Redding has been  
conducting a revival meeting  
at the Little Union Church. It  
ended Saturday night. Prayer  
service is held each Thursday  
night.

Curtis Horn has been sick  
but is now able to be back at  
work.

Mr. John D. Lincoln left  
Sunday night on a business  
trip to Washington, New York  
and Detroit.

Mr. Clay F. Church spent  
the first part of the week in  
Richmond on business.

like eating your cake and  
having it.

### The Winner

This week's winner in Mrs.  
W. H. Dutton of Groseclose.  
Her good gingerbread recipe  
calls for either honey or mol-  
lasses.

2 cups cake flour.  
2 t. Baking Powder  
1 t. ginger  
1 t. cinnamon  
one-half t. salt  
one-third cup butter or other  
shortening  
one-half cup sugar  
1 egg, unbeaten  
two-thirds cup honey (render-  
ed) or molasses  
two-fourths cup milk

Sift flour, measure, and bak-  
ing powder, spices and salt,  
and sift three times. Cream  
butter, add sugar and cream  
together until light and fluffy.  
Add egg and beat well; then  
molasses or honey. Add flour  
alternately with milk beat  
thoroughly. Bake in a greased  
pan, 8 x 8 x 2 inches, in  
moderate oven. Serve plain or  
with whipped cream.

### The Gentleman's Companion

Newest cookbook about to  
come off the press is by  
gentleman and for gentlemen.  
It rather indicates that this  
column is misnamed. As  
usual men are best in the  
field of cookery where women  
are supposed to be supreme.

This book, compiled after  
three trips around the globe,  
has a table of contents exotic  
and mouthwatering. Chinese  
fried trout, Pennsylvania  
Dutch cucumber fry, Irish Col-  
cannon, strawberries a la  
Tzarina, these samplings give  
you an idea of the range of  
the book. He claims to know  
how to bake Virginia Ham and  
has also listed under meats  
Piraski, Shashlik, Sikh Kebob  
and Bubble and Squeak. Your  
guess is as good as mine. The  
two volumes cost \$5 so I will  
probably never know.

The advance blurb gives half  
a dozens sauces. Here's a sim-  
ple one supposed to have a  
queer scent and exotic taste.  
It is good, he says, in fish  
sauces or in small quantities  
on fish. To two cups strained  
lime juice add level t. salt.  
Stand in warm kitchen two  
weeks, then cork and put in  
a cool place as it is ready to  
use.



### From where I sit... by Joe Marshall

### Best War Memorial I Know

There's an old war memorial in  
our town that I like to stop and  
look at now and then.

Back in 1865, folks gathered up  
all the bitter relics of battle and  
put them in a pile: cannon, bat-  
tered rifles, broken swords, and  
rusted bayonets. Some of them  
from our side, some captured from  
the enemy.

They melted them down, and  
from this litter of war sprung a  
monument to friendship, tolerance  
and understanding—a promise that  
the bitterness and hatred were for-  
gotten.

Since then, there've been all  
kinds of disagreements in this  
country, big and little. Prohibition  
was one—and there was plenty of  
bloodshed, misery and grief until  
the problem was resolved.  
But from where I sit, it's part of  
the greatness of America that we  
remain a united country. We may  
disagree as individuals—but, ac-  
cepting that difference of opinion,  
we can live in tolerance and mu-  
tual respect.

Joe Marshall

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## Camp

BY MRS. OKIE JENNINGS  
 Camp, April 23 — The Rev. C. Wright held Easter services at Blue Springs Methodist church Sunday morning and the Rev. Roy Redding at Carmel Baptist church Sunday afternoon.  
 The small children's class of Blue Springs Sunday School enjoyed an egg hunt Sunday morning.  
 Miss Ann Haywood spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Haywood.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ray Slomp and son, Harold, of Bristol, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Slomp and Alta Currin of Sugar Grove were

visiting Mrs. Okie Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Jennings, Sunday.  
 Mrs. Nancy Fulton is ill at her home here.  
 George James, S 1-c, Norfolk, spent the weekend here with homefolks.  
 Lee Martin, Wytheville and Mrs. Neal Roberts, Speedwell, were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Martin.  
 Breece Cox, who is a student at Emory and Henry College, spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cox and family.  
 Mrs. Stuart Bennington and daughter, Willetta, Mrs. Sophia Roe and two daughters, Sara Roe and Mrs. Seth Bennington, were last Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene

Jenkins.  
 Douglas Sult, Wytheville, was a business visitor here Thursday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. James Phipps and daughter, Bonnie, of Baltimore, Md., are spending some time here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. James and family, and with relatives at Sugar Grove and Marion.  
 Misses Myrtle and Verna Clark, Rural Retreat and Miss Olive Painter, Marion, spent Sunday with Mrs. Maude Bennington.  
 A joint birthday dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Haywood in honor of their daughter, Ann, and John McWatters. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John McWatters, Mrs. Martha McWatters and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Haywood and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ford James and family, Oak Ridge, Tenn., are spending a week's vacation with Mr. James' mother, Mrs. Helen P. James.  
 Mrs. Lottie Akers of Wytheville spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaughn.  
 Mrs. Helen James, Mr. and Mrs. Ford James, Vernon and George James were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Groseclose Saturday evening in Marion.  
 Roy Horne of Big Stone Gap was visiting relatives here Friday and Saturday. He was accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. Jennie Horne, who will spend sometime with Mr. and Mrs. Horne.  
 The Rev. Bradley Maze and Mr. and Mrs. Garley Burris and family of Elk Creek were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cox.  
 Gene Vaughn is confined to his home with mumps.  
 Cathleen Hensley, Speed-

well, was a recent visitor with Mrs. Lester Hensley.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Horne, Bristol, Tenn., spent the weekend with Mrs. Kate Horne and family.  
 Dottie Lee Haywood, who is training for a nurse at a Roanoke hospital spent Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Author Haywood.  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hickenbottom, Newport News, are spending this week with Mrs. Hickenbottom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd James. Mrs. Hickenbottom will be remembered by her friends as Hope James.  
 Willie May Sage, a nurse at a Pulaski hospital, spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Leona Sage and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill B'rd, Ashville, N. C., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John McWatters Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Charley Roe and family of Sparta, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haynes, Welch, W. Va., spent the Easter holidays in the home of Mrs. Sophie Roe and family.  
 J. W. Horne and son, Clayton, were visiting relatives in Saltville Sunday.  
 Miss Mary Newcomb, Walter Johnson, Danville, Bill Ferguson, Salem, were Sunday visitors of Willie May Sage.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jones and son and J. R. Jones and J. R. Jr., were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brewer.  
 Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Jennings, Coalwood, W. Va., were dinner guests on Sunday of Miss Venie Jennings.

roduced the speaker, Miss Edna Crockett, the county school nurse. Miss Crockett gave a most instructive talk on "The Vitamin Contents of Food and their Value." She emphasized the importance of eating the proper food in order to supply the vitamin deficiency which so many lack, and if the diet is not sufficient, this can be supplemented with medicine. During the round table discussion, it was suggested that something could be done to help the parents plan a balanced diet for each member of the family.  
 Many beautiful and artistic flower arrangements were exhibited. Mrs. J. W. Wilson, Mrs. R. L. Coley and Mrs. Mary A. Sult were hostesses to the club.  
 The Wesleyan Service Guild met April 18th at the home of Miss Sally Vaughn with Mrs. Mabel Ellison and Mrs. Harley Davidson as joint hostesses. A very interesting Easter program had been prepared by Miss Verna Clark, Mrs. Cecil Crawford and Mrs. C. C. Bennington.  
 Following the program, a business session was held, after which an enjoyable social hour was spent with the hostesses serving delicious refreshments to 20 members and two visitors.  
 Rev. J. E. Davis pastor of the Methodist Church here, who has been ill at his home for some time, was able to be out to attend services Sunday, to the delight of his many friends.  
 Rev. French Wampler of Bridge Creek conducted services for Rev. Davis on Easter Sunday.  
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 Misses Mary Kremer Kernan and Leila Huddle have returned to their school work in Petersburg, after spending the Eastertide with relatives here.  
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 Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bellamy and son Maynard spent Sunday with Capt. and Mrs. Russell in Blacksburg.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hubble of Pearisburg spent Easter with relatives here and at Elk Creek.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Miller.  
 Mr. and Mrs. James Medley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore of Baltimore, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baes were guests of Mr. Emmett Baes Sunday.  
 Mrs. Jeff Atkins and daughter, Jeffy, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor at Broadford.  
 Mrs. Nellie Shuler, who has been ill for sometime, is reported much better.  
 The Willing Workers Class of Davis Memorial Sunday School held its monthly meeting Sunday afternoon with an egg hunt and Weiner roast. Several members and some visitors were present. A good time was enjoyed by all.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ford James and family, Oak Ridge, Tenn., are spending a week's vacation with Mr. James' mother, Mrs. Helen P. James.  
 Mrs. Lottie Akers of Wytheville spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaughn.  
 Mrs. Helen James, Mr. and Mrs. Ford James, Vernon and George James were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Groseclose Saturday evening in Marion.  
 Roy Horne of Big Stone Gap was visiting relatives here Friday and Saturday. He was accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. Jennie Horne, who will spend sometime with Mr. and Mrs. Horne.  
 The Rev. Bradley Maze and Mr. and Mrs. Garley Burris and family of Elk Creek were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cox.  
 Gene Vaughn is confined to his home with mumps.  
 Cathleen Hensley, Speed-

well, was a recent visitor with Mrs. Lester Hensley.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Horne, Bristol, Tenn., spent the weekend with Mrs. Kate Horne and family.  
 Dottie Lee Haywood, who is training for a nurse at a Roanoke hospital spent Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Author Haywood.  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hickenbottom, Newport News, are spending this week with Mrs. Hickenbottom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd James. Mrs. Hickenbottom will be remembered by her friends as Hope James.  
 Willie May Sage, a nurse at a Pulaski hospital, spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Leona Sage and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill B'rd, Ashville, N. C., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John McWatters Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Charley Roe and family of Sparta, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haynes, Welch, W. Va., spent the Easter holidays in the home of Mrs. Sophie Roe and family.  
 J. W. Horne and son, Clayton, were visiting relatives in Saltville Sunday.  
 Miss Mary Newcomb, Walter Johnson, Danville, Bill Ferguson, Salem, were Sunday visitors of Willie May Sage.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jones and son and J. R. Jones and J. R. Jr., were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brewer.  
 Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Jennings, Coalwood, W. Va., were dinner guests on Sunday of Miss Venie Jennings.

## Rural Retreat

BY MRS. J. E. COOKE  
 Rural Retreat, April 23 — The Garden Club held its regular monthly meeting on April 11th, at three o'clock in the school cafeteria, with fifteen members present.  
 After the opening of the meeting, Mrs. C. R. Six gave a hearty welcome to all present and Mrs. C. C. Brown in-

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**666**  
 COLD PREPARATIONS  
 LIQUID, TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS  
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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis and daughter, Clara, of Tazewell were weekend guests of his sister, Mrs. W. G. Kiser and son.  
 Miss Viola Sawyers of Radford spent the past weekend with Mrs. Dan White.  
 C. T. Aker was a business visitor in Abingdon Thursday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sherrill announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Beth, on Saturday, April 12. Mrs. Sherrill is the former Miss Josephine Totten.  
 Mrs. W. G. Kiser was shopping in Roanoke Thursday. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and son, Harry, Mrs. Roby Bless-

**Atkins**  
 BY  
 MRS. ROY B. LAMBERT

Atkins, April 23 — Randolph Hicks of V. P. L., Blacksburg, spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hicks.  
 Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Bales of Orlando, Florida, announce the marriage of their daughters Miss Doris Weaver to Mr. Eugene Clyde Blomeley of Orlando, and of Miss Jeanne Bales Hicks to John Wandless of Baltimore, Md. They were formerly of Atkins.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Will Ward of Quinwood, W. Va., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stone last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hicks and son of Marion, Miss Minnie Atkins, Mrs. Sue A. Wheeler, and son G. H. and Mr. Will Atkins were guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Williams Sunday.  
 Jeanne Carol McKinnon of Marion, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoofnagle.  
 Mrs. W. D. Stone is a patient in Lee Memorial hospital. Mr. Paul Miller, Mrs. Culven and Mr. Herbert Miller spent the Easter holidays with their

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 The George A. Lambert Farm Located 5 Miles South of Rural Retreat, Virginia on Zion Church Road and Cedar Springs and Speedwell Highway.  
 CONTAINS 680 ACRES: — 100 Acres of Rich Cultivating Land, 500 Acres of Bluegrass Grazing Land and 80 Acres of Virgin Timber in 2 Tracts, Oak and Poplar. Well Watered by Springs.  
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 FARMS No. 1 AND 2 Subdivided into Tracts and Farm No. 3 Subdivided into Tracts and Lots, so you can buy as little or as much as you like. All on School Bus, Mail and Milk Routes.  
 LIVESTOCK: 52 Steers coming 2 years, 12 Cows, 11 Calves and Yearlings, all Herefords, 7 Horses and Cows, 65 Ewes, 3 Bucks, 80 Lambs.  
 MACHINERY: Binder, 2 Wagons, Drill, New Sweep Rake, Hay Rake, Riding Cultivator, 4 5-Ft. Cultivators, 2 Plows, Manure Spreader, Lime Spreader, Spring Tooth and A Harrows, Complete Shop Equipment and Lot of Small Tools.  
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 C. V. Wheeler, Operator for  
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 Dial 4781  
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 All Kinds of Machine Work  
 New equipment  
 Electric, Acetylene Welding  
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 Auto, Fire, All Kinds  
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 Harold Greenwood, Mgr.  
 Dial 4321  
 Marion Insurance Agency

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 Phone or see us about your  
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**Services (4)**  
 Home Builders applications for government priority ratings prepared, including the required house plans, which must accompany your application. **G. E. ROSS**, phone Sugar Grove 202. 4-18-46

Will do expert job of wall paper cleaning for you. **Bennett Brothers**, phone Marion 2591. 4-25-46

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**Wanted (5)**  
 WANTED — why worry if afflicted with any known Skin Disease. Ask about V-J-O at Marion Drug Co. 4-18-46

WANTED TO BUY — urgently needed. All kinds of grain. **Glen Mills**, phone Marion 6700. 4-18-46

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WANTED to buy — band saw, 30 inch or near that size, direct drive preferred. Write Box 792 Marion or Dial 3301. 4-25-46

Profitable summer work for teachers. Write 735 Virginia Ave., Bluefield, Va. 4-25-46

WANTED TO RENT — furnished apartment or house by Purple Heart veteran. Call Lester Coch at Marion 5142 between 7:15 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. 4-25-46

**Lost and Found (6)**  
 LOST — Black and white spotted male hound, 2 years old, has small brown spots over each eye; is believed to be stolen. Was last seen near Nebo, Va. If any fox hunter has bought such a dog as described, in the past three months please notify Herbert Poston, Chatham Hill, Va. 4-18-46

LOST — Registration card with name S. E. Reppas. Please return to Print Shop. 4-25-46

**Help Wanted (7)**  
 HOSPITAL Attendants, male and female, at Southwest Virginia Hospital, Room, board, laundry furnished. Contact Superintendent of Nurses or Supervisor. **J. H. Blacklock**, Superintendent. 7-1-43ft

WANTED — Secretary — typing, bookkeeping, etc. Write Box 232 or phone 61, Rural Retreat, Va. 4-25-46

**FOR RENT** — 200 acres good grass. Will rent by the head or boundary. **H. B. Staley**, Marion, Va. 4-25-46

**Notices (11)**  
 IN ACCORDANCE with Chapter 266, Acts of 1942, a representative of the Department of Highways will meet with the Board of Supervisors of Smyth County, Virginia, at their next regular meeting, May 6th, 1946, for the purpose of discussing any road matters with the Board and other interested citizens. Signed: **H. L. Kent**, Clerk of Board. Date: April 11, 1946. 4-18-46

**Special Notices (14)**  
**VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 12th day of April, 1946.**  
**Eleanor S. Ewald, Plaintiff,**  
 against  
**Thomas S. Ewald, Defendant.**  
 IN CHANCERY  
 The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the grounds of desertion for a period of more than two years.  
 And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Thomas S. Ewald 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 Court-house of this County on or before the 15th day of April, 1946, that being the next succeeding Rule day after this order was entered.  
 A copy—Teste:  
 Ruth Allen, Deputy Clerk.  
 Ralph L. Lincoln, p. q. 4-18-46

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 against  
**Troy Eugene McKinnon, Defendant.**  
 IN CHANCERY  
 The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro on grounds of desertion and to enjoin defendant from disposing of his property pendente lite.  
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 It shall be unlawful to fish in waters stocked with trout except during the seasons provided by law for the taking of trout or bass.  
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 All regulations or parts or regulations in conflict with the foregoing are hereby rescinded.  
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**Cedar Springs**

BY MRS. M. E. MYERS

Cedar Springs, April 22 — In looking over clippings about last Easter, mention was made about the altar flowers which so beautifully decorated the church at Asbury, being given in honor of the soldier boys and after the services they were presented to the mothers of the boys. How quickly we forget.

This year the beautiful flowers might have been presented in gratitude for our returned boys. Not one of ours was seriously injured; all are safe and sound. The next letter dated March 30, 1945, tells of the tragic death of J. B. Keeling, then mention is made of the airliner crash.

Fortunately we have not one unpleasant thing to report this year. The Rev. O. C. Wright conducted services in six churches. He preached a wonderful sermon at Asbury at eleven o'clock.

The floral decoration, while it did not consist of cala lilies and cathedral candles, was very beautiful. Very handsome sprays of light and dark lilacs, huge Narcissus and a very unusual spray of pink cherry blossoms were the altar flowers. They look almost like peach almond but are lots larger and more double. Weather was perfect and the mercury around seventy all afternoon.

Almost every family went visiting or had company.

The Fowler family had for their dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Trinkle Woodard of Pulaski, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hill-ton and daughter, Peggy, of Roanoke, Pfc. and Mrs. Stuart Hall and two children of Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hall, Louise and Ellen Dawn Hall and Mr. Lee Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neese

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entertained as dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wohlford, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wohlford and son, Larry, of Crockett, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wohlford and children, Claude, Carl, Franklin, Betty and Mary Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Wohlford and daughter, Carol, Mrs. Louise Miller, Mrs. Isabella Smith and Mrs. Albert Porterfield of Wytheville. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Repass and son, Roger Lee, Jimmy Moore Neese, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Groseclose and two children, Betty Jean and Jerry.

The Myers family just had a "little" dinner party. The Rev. and Mrs. O. C. Wright and daughters, Miss Mary Carless and Wilma, who is home from Emory and Henry College for the holidays, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and daughters, Evelyn of Radford College and Lois of Virginia High School, Bristol and Miss Hattie Fisher. When we had despaired of something to eat, a woman wheeling a baby carriage came by and said, "Do you want to buy a ham?" Believe it or not she had a good sized baby, big enough to walk, and two hams in this baby carriage. Each ham weighed more than 38 pounds. She had walked more than two miles. Yes, we wanted to buy a ham, in fact, two hams. The fat on them was not more than three fourths of an inch—lovely to say the least. The week before two hams were purchased and they were nearly all fat. This is a case for teaching what kind of hogs to raise. Probably more than half the meat was wasted from the fat ham.

**Another Wife Deserter Goes On Road Gang**

The third man in the past few weeks to receive a sentence of 12 months on the state road gang is Lacy Testerman, of Marion, who was tried Saturday in Trial Justice Birchfield's court for desertion.

Testerman was brought back by local officers from Maryland, after his wife had sworn out the warrant, charging that he deserted her and five children. His defense was that he had asked her brother to look after the family until he could get a good job.

With the sentence went a fine of \$100.

Jerry Freeman, who came back last fall from duty in the merchant marine service and got along all right for a while, was tried for being drunk. Jerry pleaded guilty. "I drank some wine, and some gin, and some whiskey and some beer and after that I don't remember anything about it," he explained. The combination knocked him out and left him in a ditch, where the town police found him.

Judge Birchfield imposed a sentence of six months on the road, coupled with a fine of \$50 and costs, and offered to suspend if Jerry would absent himself from Smyth county for two years — so Jerry's going back to traveling the world in the merchant service. "What happened to your lifetime pass on the Greyhound lines?" Jerry was asked in court as the arrangement was being worked out.

"I rode too much," said Jerry.

Albert Ford, who said it was an accident, and Jack Pratt, who said he was responsible for the action of a man working for him, were fined \$10, suspended, for violating the law against burning brush before 4 p. m., and both paid costs of \$450.

**Discharges In Smyth Now Total 2082**

In the period from April 11-18, twenty-three honorably discharged veterans of World War II checked in at the local Selective Service Board, bringing to 2082 the total number of discharged veterans.

By post offices the new returnees are:

Marion: Marvin Britton Barbre, Williams Mahlon Romans Richard Ernest Vaught, John Irving Carper Jr., James William Fisher, Gilbert Christian Walker, III, Edward Maiden

T. D. White, gathered up on Friday for trout fishing out of season, sent word in that he would pay his fine of \$10 and costs some other day as he was busy celebrating the opening of the legal fishing season.

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In another non-support case, the wife said she had got the warrant out "to find out where he was. I want him back, that's all." He left her well provided with food, she said, but neglected to send any money. He was placed under bond of \$500 to do the right thing and the case was continued to June 22.

**Army Hospital May Help State Fight On TB**

Richmond, Va. — Governor Tuck's avowed program for stamping out tuberculosis in Virginia as nearly as possible during his term of office got its greatest boost recently with the announcement that the state may soon take over the Woodrow Wilson General Hospital at Staunton and operate it as a tubercular sanatorium.

The Governor personally visited the hospital recently and reported that he was greatly impressed with the completeness of the institution, soon to be declared surplus by the Federal government, and with the facilities it offers as a rehabilitation training ground.

Tuberculosis has been lowered by more than 50 per cent in Virginia in recent years, and the Governor has announced that he plans to cut it to an irreducible minimum. The hospital at Staunton, a vast plant located on a 400-acre tract, can accommodate 1,500 patients and will give the state ample facilities to battle the disease.

Shortly after returning from his inspection trip, the Governor reappointed Dr. I. C. Riggin, state health commissioner, and Lou's B. Spilman, Waynesboro publisher, to the legislative commission created to study a proposal that the state acquire the hospital. Other members, named by the Lieutenant-Governor and the Speaker of the House, are Senators James C. Carpenter, Jr., Clifton Forge, and Benjamin T. Pitts, Fredericksburg, and Delegates E. W. Dodd, Botsourt, Grover C. Outland, Norfolk, and William F. Young, Staunton.

Further developments in negotiations between the state and Federal government are expected within the next few weeks. It is not thought Virginia will be required to put up any large sum for purchase of the hospital. The state will be permitted to name a price as soon as real estate and equipment are turned over to the War Assets Administration, a procedure which may be followed within the next week or two.

**Church Women To Lunch May 3**

The Marion Council of Church Women will observe May Fellowship Day with a luncheon at the First Methodist Church on Friday, May 3rd at 12:15. The speaker of the occasion will be Mrs. Olin Troy, and the devotional period will be led by Mrs. Herman Horne. Following the luncheon, during which there will be special music, a brief business session will be held with reports and election of officers. Tickets for the luncheon, at 35 cents each, may be obtained

**Miss Mary Heien Tate** returned to Mary Washington College, Fredericksburg, Thursday after spending the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Virginia Tate.

Miss Georgia Watson of Troutdale is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Howard Frazier.

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**U. S. D. A. Offers To Buy Wheat**

The U. S. Dept. of Agriculture has announced that it will buy wheat from farmers, for immediate delivery to Commodity Credit Corporation.

The offer was made in order to speed the movement of wheat off the farms for the relief of the current famine emergency aboard. Closing date for the offer to purchase will be July 1, 1946, unless closed at an earlier date by announcement.

Wheat eligible for purchase will be wheat which would have been eligible for COC loan under the 1945 loan program.

Farmers who have such wheat are urged to deliver it to a country shipper or elevator as soon as possible for immediate shipment. At the time of delivery, the producer will receive a certificate covering the amount of wheat delivered. On or after the date of delivery, the seller may select any date after the date on which he makes the selection and on or before March 31, 1947, as the date of which the purchase price may be determined. This provision allows the farmers selling the wheat an opportunity to take advantage of any increase in price of wheat after his own wheat has been delivered.

The program is designed to make it possible for the United States to meet its commitments to ship 225 million bushels of wheat during the first half of the year. About 100 million bushels were shipped during the first 3 months. The quicker the wheat is delivered and shipped, the better chance it will have of saving lives.

Country shippers who desire to assist with this program and farmers who desire to dispose of their wheat may obtain additional information and necessary forms from the office of the County Agricultural Conservation Association.

**Poppy Day Sale Set For May 4**

Organization of the corps of volunteer workers who will distribute memorial poppies here on Poppy Day, Saturday, May 4th, is being completed by the Smyth County Unit of the American Legion Auxiliary. The corps, working under the leadership of Mrs. Frank Ford, Poppy Day Chairman, will be on the streets throughout the day offering poppies to be worn in honor of World War I and World War II dead, and to aid the disabled veterans and dependent families of veterans. All will serve as unpaid volunteers, meaning that every penny of the contributions made for the poppies will go into the welfare fund of the Auxiliary.

"Wearing a poppy is the way each individual can show that he remembers the men who have died in the nation's defense and honors their patriotic spirit. The poppy is more than ever a badge of patriotism this year when young Americans again have offered their lives to keep our country secure," the Auxiliary states.

**Earl Shepherd burned four brush piles at his place on the Fairwood Road about seven miles from Troutdale Monday night and thought the fire was out. It broke loose Tuesday afternoon, burning over an acre of ground and threatening the National Forest.**

Because of 'extenuating circumstances in the form of family handshaps, forest officials did not press for a fine or to collect fire fighting costs of \$50. Trial Justice Birchfield fined Shepherd \$10 Wednesday morning, and suspended it on payment of costs of \$450.

A man who built a fire on posted land to fish by was fined \$2.50 for trespassing, a speeder was fined \$18 for going 80 m. p. h., and a driver who had no operator's license was fined \$5 and costs.

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from the leaders of various church circles and the presidents of the societies. It is hoped that those planning to attend will buy their tickets promptly.

The chief object of May Fellowship Day, as explained in its title, is to further fellowship and cooperation between women of the different denominations. Last year the occasion was enjoyed by quite a large number. It is hoped to have even more present this year. The committee in charge is headed by Mrs. D. C. Boatwright. Others assisting are Mrs. G. C. Walker, Mrs. Joe Groseclose, Mrs. Fred Johnston, Mrs. N. L. Dickinson and Mrs. A. B. Graybeal.

Miss Irene Killinger spent part of the weekend in Roanoke visiting friends and relatives.

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