



Band Mill Nearly Ready.

Honaker Company Expects to Complete This Part of Plant in April.

Bluefield, W. Va., Feb. 28.—Advices from Honaker, Va., state that the Honaker Lumber Co. expects to have its main band mill completed and in operation by April 15th. A large force of men is being employed and the construction work is being rushed as rapidly as possible.

The main band plant will have a daily capacity of 100,000 feet, and in addition to this the company is building an extract and finishing plant. The mill, however, is the only part of the installation which will be completed by April 15th. It will be some time later before the extract plant and the finishing works are ready for business.

The Honaker concern owns a large timber boundary and in addition to its other enterprises, is building a railroad to tap its tracts. The company is composed of Pennsylvania people, and is one of the strongest operating in this part of the country.

When the Comet Hits Us.

Will Not Hurt This Planet, But Will Make a Pretty Show.

Astronomers have fixed the 19th of May as the day of the passage of the earth through the tail of Halley's comet, at which time the celestial visitor will be at its most brilliant period on its perihelion passage through the solar system, says the Washington Star.

Comets come and go, and while in the solar system assume various shapes of circles, knots, twists and streaky tails and then leave those on the earth forever in doubt as whence they come and whither they go—a conclusion of the physicist and astronomer.

In the passage of the earth through the tail of Halley's comet there will be a popularization of its light, light fluctuations, earth currents, which mean a marked change in the electrical condition of the atmosphere—auroral displays may be expected for several days at the intersection of the earth with the material of the comet.

The color of the sun will be temporarily modified in the earth's passage through the tail. Twilight panorama, luminous clouds, dust particle in the air and the apparent brilliancy of zodiacal light may be greater during the passage through even so rare a substance as the tail of a comet. The auroral line will perhaps show up to be the most interesting and the most spectacular phenomena in the passage of the earth through the comet's tail.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Charged by Wild Hogs.

Exciting Experience of Engineering Camp on Tug River.

Pocahontas, Va., Feb. 28.—Wild hogs made a charge on an engineering camp on the head waters of Tug river and put the whole camp to flight.

Mr. S. R. Williams has charge of the camp, being about six miles in the woods and mountains, which are very rough, and full of wild hogs. A fence had been built around the tents but they were not hog-proof.

The hogs came down out of the mountains looking for something green, being pressed by cold weather. When they reached the camp they demanded immediate surrender. The boss produced a double-barreled shotgun but it was not loaded. He then dropped it and climbed a dogwood tree, the rest of the party following suit. Some hounds which were in camp came to the rescue and put the pigs to flight.

One man was out from camp, having been visiting, and was returning when he met the wild hogs. Realizing the danger, he ran as far as he could but seeing that he would soon be caught, he climbed an old stub of a tree and there passed the rest of the night.

HOW GOOD NEWS SPREADS.

"I am seventy years old and travel most of the time," writes E. F. Tolson, of Elizabethtown, Ky. "Everywhere I go I recommend Electric Bitters, because I owe my excellent health and vitality to them. They effect a cure every time." They never fail to tone the stomach, regulate the kidneys and bowels, stimulate the liver, invigorate the nerves and purify the blood. They work wonders for weak, run-down men and women, restoring strength, vigor and health that's a daily joy. Try them, only 50-cents. Satisfaction is positively guaranteed by D. M. Smith Drug Co.

Will Take Care of Proffit.

Roanoke, Va., Feb. 27.—S. Green Proffit, who failed to secure the appointment as United States marshal in this district, will be given a position in the Department of Commerce and Labor, which will pay him \$4,000.00 annually. This was given out here Saturday.

Capt. Bogardus Again Hits the Bull's Eye.

This world-famous rifle shot who holds the championship record of one hundred pigeons in one hundred consecutive shots is living at Lincoln, Ill. Recently interviewed, he says: "I have suffered a long time with kidney and bladder trouble and have used several well known kidney medicines all of which gave me no relief until I started taking Foley's Kidney Pills. Before I used Foley's Kidney Pills I was subjected to severe backache and pains in my kidneys with suppression and often-times a cloudy voiding. While upon arising in the morning I would get dull headaches. Now I have taken three bottles of Foley's Kidney Pills and feel one hundred per cent. better. I am never bothered with my kidneys or bladder and once more feel like my own self. All this I owe solely to Foley's Kidney Pills and always recommend them to my fellow sufferers."—Carson Drug Co.

Slemp Wins Another Fight

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—G. E. Goodell has been appointed postmaster at Bristol, to succeed Eli Warren. This is a victory for Representative Slemp, who endorsed Mr. Goodell. Representative Brownlow, of Tennessee, endorsed Warren.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Western District of Virginia.

IN BANKRUPTCY. In the matter of B. F. Allison, bankrupt—in bankruptcy. To the creditors of B. F. Allison, of Saltville, in the county of Smyth, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1910, the said B. F. Allison was duly adjudicated a bankrupt; and the first meeting of its creditors will be held at Abingdon, Va., in the U. S. Court-house on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

B. F. BAILEY, Referee in Bankruptcy. February 25, 1910.

Who Are to Be Enumerated

The Census Bureau's Instructions to Enumerator on This Point.

The explicit and lengthy printed instructions to the census enumerators, which have been prepared by the United States Census Bureau, give a clear idea of the character of the answers expected from the people of the United States with regard to the questions in the population schedule to be carried in the Decennial Census April 15 next.

All answers are to have reference solely to the "Census Day," which is April 15. Persons living on that day, but who died after it and before the enumerators call, are to be counted, but persons born after April 15 are to be reported as single, even though they have married subsequently and before the canvasser has called. This is true, similarly, of persons who became widowed or divorced after April 15.

The census law provides that all persons shall be enumerated at their "usual place of abode" on April 15. This means the place where they may be said to live or belong or the place which is their home. As a rule, the usual place of abode is not the place where a person works or where he eats, but where he regularly sleeps. The enumerators are cautioned, however, that where a man happens to sleep at the time of the enumeration may not be the place where he regularly sleeps.

There will be a number of persons having their usual places of abode in enumeration districts who will be absent April 15. These are to be included and enumerated after the facts regarding them have been obtained from their families, relatives, acquaintances, or other persons able to give the information. For instance, if a member of any family in an enumeration district is temporarily away from home on a visit, or on business, or traveling for pleasure, or attending school or college, or sick in a hospital, such absent person is to be enumerated and included with other members of the family.

But a son or daughter regularly living in another locality should not be counted with the family at home. Servants, laborers or other employees, who live with the family, and sleep in the same house or on the premises, should be enumerated with the family.

The Census Bureau states that there will be, on the other hand, a certain number of persons present and perhaps lodging and sleeping in districts at the time of the enumeration who do not have their usual places of abode there. These are not to be enumerated. It must be assumed that they will be enumerated elsewhere. The canvassers should not, therefore, unless it is practically certain that they will not be enumerated anywhere else, enumerate or include with the members of a family they are enumerating any of the following classes: Persons visiting a family; transient boarders or lodgers who have some other usual or permanent place of abode. Students or children living or boarding with a family in order to attend some school, college or other educational institution in the locality but not regarding the place as their home. Persons who take their meals with a family but lodge or sleep elsewhere. Servants, apprentices, or other persons employed by a family and working in the house or on the premises, but not sleeping there; or any person who was formerly in a family, but who has since become permanent inmate of an asylum, almshouse, home for the aged, reformatory, prison, or any other institution in which the inmates may remain for long periods of time.

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Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup is the only baby medicine that is always safe. Teething made easy—no bad nights.

Dr. J. B. Hawthorne Dead

Had Active and Brilliant Career in the Baptist Ministry.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 24.—James Broadford Hawthorne, D. D., died at 11:15 o'clock this morning in the Lexington Hotel, after a long illness and following a stroke of paralysis, which he suffered a week ago.

Dr. Hawthorne was of Scotch and English ancestry, which settled with the Massachusetts Bay Colony at Salem. His immediate progenitors located in Lunenburg county, Va., about the year 1750. Among the old colonial branches in New England were two distinguished Puritans, John and William Hawthorne. Nathaniel Hawthorne, the author, was a lineal descendant of this John Hawthorne.

At the close of the Civil War Dr. Hawthorne was chosen pastor of the First Baptist church of Selma, Ala. From which charge he went to Baltimore to Franklin Square Baptist church. From Baltimore he went to Louisville, Ky., to Broadway Baptist church. From there he went to Tabernacle Baptist church, New York city, and after a while went to Montgomery Baptist church, Montgomery, Ala. Leaving there he came to Richmond and took charge of the First Baptist church of this city. He next accepted a call to the First Baptist church at Atlanta, Ga. His next charge brought him Grove Avenue Baptist church of this city, at which time he completed the eighth year of his pastorate in July, 1907, at which time his resignation was tendered owing to his greatly impaired health.

SAVED A SOLDIER'S LIFE.

Facing death from shot and shell in the Civil War was more agreeable to J. A. Stone, of Kemp, Texas, than facing it from what doctors said was consumption. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough that stuck to me in spite of all remedies for years. My weight ran down to 130 lbs. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. I now weigh 178 pounds. For coughs, colds, la grippe, asthma, hemorrhages, hoarseness, croup, whooping cough and lung trouble, its supreme—50-cents and \$1.00—trial bottle free. Guaranteed by D. M. Smith Drug Co.

4,000,000 See Pictures Daily

New York, Feb. 28.—More than 4,000,000 persons attend moving pictures shows every day in the United States, according to Professor Chas Sprague Smith of Columbia University. This total, he adds, is four times as great as the number who go to all the other theatres combined.

SUFFERERS WHO SAY THEY HAVE TRIED everything without benefit are the people we are looking for. We want them to know from glad experience that Ely's Cream Balm will conquer cold in the head, hay fever, and obstinate forms of Nasal Catarrh. This remedy acts directly on the inflamed, sensitive membranes. Cleansing, soothing and healing. One trial will convince you of its healing power—Price 50-cents. All druggists, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York.

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After a heavy meal, take of couple of Doan's Regulets, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulets bring easy, regular passages of the bowels.

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Pole dwellings 4000 years old, similar to those discovered in the north Switzerland, have been unearthed in a swamp on the plateau east of Lake Vetter. Petrified apples, wheat kernels and nuts, pottery, flint and horn implements were also unearthed.

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Go to Carson Drug Co. and buy a bottle of B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm.) It will purify and enrich your blood and build up your weakened, broken-down system. B. B. B. is guaranteed to cure all blood diseases and skin humors, such as Rheumatism, Ulcers, Biting Sores, Syphilitic Blood Poison, Catarrh, Eczema, Itching Humors, Risings and Bumps, Bone Pains, Pimples, Old Sores, Scrofula or Kernels, Suppurating Sores, Boils, Carbuncles. B. B. B. cures all these blood troubles by killing the poison humor and expelling it from the system. B. B. B. is the only blood remedy that can do this—therefore it cures and heals all sores when all else fails. \$1.00 per large bottle, with directions for home cure. Sample free by writing Blood Balm Company Atlanta, Ga.

Shoots Down Young Girl.

Buchanan County Man is Charged With Committing the Deed of a Fiend.

Big Stone Gap, Feb. 28.—Report of the brutal murder of a young girl in Buchanan has been received here.

The victim was the 11-year-old daughter of George Jackson and the alleged murderer is Millard Combs, who is said to have made his escape.

According to the story received here, the men had not been on good terms for some time. Wednesday they met at Jackson's house and Jackson charged Combs with cutting timber from his land. While the men were quarreling the little girl, who was standing near, remarked that she had seen Combs cutting the timber.

Without another word, Combs is alleged to have turned and deliberately fired two shots into the girl's body, and then fired one at her father, without striking him. He then made his escape and is still at large.

Farms of the United States with their buildings, implements and live stock are to-day worth almost \$30,000,000,000. This is 44 per cent more than in 1900. No such increase in agricultural values was ever before known in the history of the world in any country. The farm product of the year just closed was worth almost four times as much as the product of 1889.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Preachers Nearly Fight.

Life is Passed and Marrying Minister Shakes Fist at Brother Parson.

Bristol, Va., Feb. 28.—The lie was passed, and two aged ministers almost came to blows at the union depot here last Thursday afternoon in a contest to determine which of the two, the Rev. Alfred Harrison Burroughs or the Rev. E. W. Leslie, should officiate at the marriage of two young couples who had arrived from Virginia.

Leslie secured the consent of the young people to go with him. Dr. Burroughs' suavity of disposition won them. As he went away with the couple following, Leslie, 75 years old, shook his fist vehemently at Dr. Burroughs, calling him an old "falsifier."

Many ills come from impure blood. Can't have pure blood with faulty digestion, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens the stomach, bowels and liver, and purifies the blood.



REVIVO RESTORES VITALITY "Made a Well Man of Me." THE GREAT FRENCH REMEDY produces fine results in 30 days. It acts powerfully and quickly. Cures when others fail. Young men can regain their lost manhood and old men may recover their youthful vigor by using REVIVO. It quickly and quietly removes Nervousness, Lost Vitality, Sexual Weakness such as Lost Power, Failing Memory, Wasting Diseases, and effects of self-abuse or excess and indigestion, which unites one for study, business or marriage. It not only cures starting at the seat of disease, but is a great nerve tonic and blood builder, bringing back the pink glow to pale cheeks and restoring the fire of youth. It wards off approaching disease, instead of having REVIVO, no other. It can be carried in vest pocket. By mail \$1.00 per package, or six for \$5.00. We give free advice and counsel to all who wish it, with guarantee. Circulars free. Address: ROYAL MEDICINE CO., Marine Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

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If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're ill or will be. Keep your bowels open, and be well. Force, in the shape of violent physic or pill poison, is dangerous. The smoothest, easiest, most perfect way of keeping the bowels clear and clean is to take



EAT 'EM LIKE CANDY Pleasant, Palatable, Peppery, Taste Good, Do Good, Never Sickens, Weakens or Grips; 10, 25 and 50 cents per box. Write for free sample, and booklets on health. Address: Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago or New York. KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN

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All Ladies Who Wear Acme Skirts Are Well Dressed.

These Skirts are too well known for their high standard of excellence in workmanship and material to need advertising, but we want every lady in Marion and vicinity to know that the above named Skirts are now on sale at our store, and can be secured at extremely Reasonably Prices. "Acme" Skirts are made by skilled workman of the newest weaves and patterns of material, in the latest and most popular designs, and they are "Made to Fit." We have just received a large consignment of these Skirts, and there are so many points of superiority about them that we cannot begin to tell you all of them in the limited space that we have here. Come and see them and be convinced.

"LEST YOU FORGET"—Our Grocery trade is growing larger every day and our stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries and Canned Goods is now the largest in the town of Marion. Satisfied customers are rare. Deal with us and become one.

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Weaver Hardware Co. Is in Town With a Full Line of Heating and Cooking STOVES Cheap and High Priced Ranges, Page Belting, Guns, Ammunition, Etc., Etc. AND SEE WHAT WE HAVE.

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We have the Genuine Oliver Chilled Plows which we are offering at the following prices: No. 40 Wood Beam Genuine Oliver Plow \$9.50; No. 40 Steel Beam Genuine Plow \$10.50; No. 20 Steel Beam Genuine Oliver Plow \$9.50. Repairs for Oliver, Syracuse and Chattanooga Plows.

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and winter things at a reduction, that means they are cheap—very cheap—a bargain; come and see.

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We ask you to believe in this store, and you do. We ask you not to satisfy yourself with anything that doesn't suit. Bring it back. We don't want your money without your good will.

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We know if the store is good enough you'll come here when you need HARDWARE. But come anyhow to write a letter; to leave a message, have a chat, to find out, to do other things than to buy goods. You are welcome. We're homefolks ourselves.

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MARION, VA., MARCH 5, 1910.

Ninth District Contest.

The Democrats of the Ninth district have nominated Henry C. Stuart for Congress and say they will win. They say he is the best man they have ever nominated. These same things were said with great emphasis about Byars, Bruce, Wysor, et al., but they did not win. Mr. Stuart, like his predecessors is a Democrat, and stands for the principles of the Democratic party, no more nor less we presume. There is no reason why he should get a single Republican vote in this district, unless it should be on personal grounds. The Democratic vote in the district has been clearly proven to be in the minority. Just how our friends can organize a minority into a majority we can't see. True Mr. Stuart has plenty of money, but they say he is a very high man and if his money is not improperly used it will avail nothing in the Ninth district. A poll-tax campaign, we hear, is to be the slogan. We await with interest to see the tactics of our Democratic friends along this line. We urge all Republicans to put on their spurs and meet the enemy in this poll-tax campaign. If all Republicans qualify themselves to vote, then Mr. Stuart's fate will be the same as the late lamented Byars, Bruce, &c. Our friends, the enemy, will find that Mr. Stuart is no stronger than his party.

It is well then that the campaign of 1910, which is evidently to be a campaign of misrepresentation on the part of the Democratic leaders and Democratic press, has begun early enough for the Republican leaders to correct the falsehoods which are being spread and to place before the people of the country the truth regarding the tariff and regarding the policy of the Administration and the party. But the people must do some thinking for themselves and must take the matter into their own hands if they are not again to be buncoed by the tactics of Democracy. Every Republican who is told by his tailor, his shoe dealer, or his merchant in any line of goods, and this includes the market man, that a certain article has been increased in price because of the tariff, should make it his business to find out whether the tariff was increased on that article or not. This he can do by writing to his Congressman or by sending a letter to the Republican Congressional Committee, Washington, D. C.

Thomas Jackson Muncy.

Barnes Gillespie, of Tazewell, has been appointed United States District Attorney for the Western district of Virginia. He is an able young attorney, and was endorsed for the position by friends of both political parties. It is generally understood that Thomas Jackson Muncy, of Bland, will be appointed by Mr. Gillespie as his assistant. And your Uncle Mike is glad of it. Our politics are as far apart as the poles, but what's politics between friends? We learned to love Tom Muncy when we were school mates together, and we rather think he learned to love us. We know him as well as his better nine tenths; and we know him to be a gentleman and a scholar, but a poor judge of moonshine. He is a strong man physically, mentally and morally, with a heart as big as a church bell and a laugh as loud as a steam calliope. Nothing has made us feel so good since our better three-fourths said "yes" as the news that Tom Muncy was to get this plum. That he would make good goes without saying for he is made of good stuff. His many friends here and all over Southwest Virginia will unite with us in extending congratulations upon his good fortune.—Rural Retreat Times.
 We want to add a hearty amen to (Bauner Man's) eulogy on "Tom" Muncy.

Is Slemp Losing Ground? All Due to "Robber Tariff" Appointment Satisfactory

(Bristol Herald Courier.)
 "The situation is not encouraging to the Bristol (Virginia) friends of Mr. Slemp who have been expecting him to control the appointment of the postmaster in the city this time. We had rather shared the hope that he would be able to do this, for we really believe that a Virginian should have the postmastership occasionally. But we fear we are doomed to deep and lasting disappointment—that Mr. Slemp will have no more to do with naming the postmaster at this place than the Kahn of Khiva or the Akhond of Swat. There probably is no possibility of a Virginia Republican ever resting his feet on the postmaster's desk in this city, unless Col. Brownlow should decide to turn the first Tennessee district over to his enemies and locate in the Ninth Virginia."

The above editorial appeared in the Herald Courier a few days ago and was reproduced in the Marion Democrat with much gusto. We presume most Democratic papers in the district were not so easily caught as our neighbor. If Mr. Slemp's sure-footing and influence at Washington is to be measured by the Bristol postmastership then the Herald Courier can answer its editorial query with a BIG NO! The situation seems to be much more encouraging now to the Bristol (Virginia) friends of Mr. Slemp. The Herald Courier's prediction in this case was so emphatic that it even held out the idea of Mr. Slemp controlling the situation as ridiculous and beyond possibility. This was of course a sweet morsel for the Marion Democrat to hold out to the many personal friends here of Mr. G. E. Goodell. It was unctious to the Democratic soul and oil that would burn deep into Mr. Slemp's reputation for doing things at Washington. It was a discouraging morsel to all our people who are friends of Mr. Goodell, but alas we care not for that nor are we particular whether it militates for or against Goodell—the milk in the cocoanut is—"Is Slemp Losing Ground?" Of course he is losing ground because the Herald Courier demonstrates that to the satisfaction of all. The fact is that the Herald Courier seems to know much more about the "Kahn of Khiva or the Akhond of Swat" than it did about the Bristol postmastership. It seems that the prospects of a Virginia Republican dangling his feet over the postmaster's desk in Bristol, Tenn., is pretty good, and it was brought about by Congressman Slemp and Colonel Brownlow didn't have to locate in the Ninth Virginia nor abandon the First Tennessee to the Democrats.

Think of it, Slemp has done some thing that no other Virginia Congressman whether Democrat or Republican has or could do in forty years. No wonder our Democratic contemporaries were loud in their prediction of failure before hand and are stung to the quick now by the demonstration of Slemp's adroitness and his powerful influence at Washington in behalf of his constituents and the great district he represents. It shows that his skilled hand is that of a master when he can pluck plums from the grasp of Colonel Walter Preston Brownlow, that he is master of the political situation, and certainly it will be folly for any Ninth district Democrat to try and measure arms with the strongest and most sagacious representative the Old Ninth has had in forty years. Slemp is not losing ground, and our Democratic friends will get another practical demonstration of this fact on the 15th of next November if not before.

It seemed to be Stuart or no one. The Democrats had only one man to name and they can't elect him unless there is a great change in the political sentiment of the Old Ninth between this time and the 8th of November.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } ss.
 Lucas County.
 Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State afore said, and that said firm will pay ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.
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 Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 8th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON.
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 Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.
 F. J. CHENEY & CO., TOLEDO, O.
 Sold by all druggists, 75-cents.
 Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Under the Dingley tariff the duty on ham and bacon was five cents a pound, under the present law four cents; fresh meats under the old law two cents, under the present law one and one-half cents; the duty on live stock is the same, yet the price of all kinds of meat has gone up several times more than the tariff. Under the old law there was a duty of fifteen per cent. on raw hides; now they are free. The duty on boots and shoes and leather goods was materially reduced, but the price of boots and shoes and of all leather goods has been raised twenty-five per cent. The tariff on wood pulp was materially reduced, yet paper is higher; you must even pay more for a Bible. Hundreds of articles on the free list have been advanced as much or more than others. In other nations prices have advanced the same as here, in Free-Trade England and Protected Germany. And yet we are told that all this is due to the "robber tariff."—Boulder (Colo.) "News."

A NIGHT ALARM.
 Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of croup. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. Foley's Honey and Tar has saved many little lives—no opiates.—Carson Drug Co.

House Passes Byrd Bill.

Richmond, March 1.—The Byrd liquor bill passed the House yesterday by a vote of sixty-seven to thirteen. The Speaker, who led the fight for his bill on the floor of the Committee of the Whole, was successful at every point. Not a single amendment opposed by him was added to the bill. Only once was he defeated, and then he secured a reconsideration and a reversal of the former action.
 The Byrd liquor bill is a local option measure pure and simple. It is designed to strengthen the existing Byrd liquor law, and its principal feature is the elimination from the State of the sale of "neat beer." Licenses of all kinds are greatly increased, being doubled in most instances. The average is more than double.
 As the Speaker himself said, the measure is not at all a radical one, nor is there in it any wide divergence from the existing statute.

Do you know that croup can be prevented? Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even after the croupy cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It is also a certain cure for croup and has never been known to fail. Sold by all dealers.

Montague and Parsons Case

Richmond, Va., March 1.—In regard to the report received from Washington yesterday that he would be counsel for John M. Parson, a Republican, in his contest for the seat of Congressman E. W. Saunders, of the Fifth district, ex-Governor A. J. Montague this morning said that he would be in the case only to the extent of arguing the unconstitutionality of the last apportionment act. He will not argue any other part of the case. "At the time the apportionment was made," said Mr. Montague yesterday, "I said it was unconstitutional, and I still contend that it is." The last apportionment act out Floyd county off the Fifth district, and as a result the Republicans claim, the Fifth went Democratic.

SEED POTATOES—I have a fine lot of Seed Potatoes for sale at 70 cents per bushel. They are the second crop grown from Northern seed. Discount on 25-bushel lots.
 R. L. DUNGAN,
 7 Mile Ford, Va.
 Feb. 16, 1910.

He Spoke Gospel Truth.

President Taft's New York speech turned a brilliant illumination on facts which partisan sentiment has sought with persistent and malignant industry to distort and falsify. The exposition of the tariff and the important reductions made, without sacrificing needed protection, was as clear and sweeping as it could be. "The amount of misrepresentation to which the tariff bill in its effect as a downward revision bill was subjected has never been exceeded in this country," said the President, and he spoke gospel truth.—Troy "Times."
 Pneumonia follows a cold but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar which stops the cough, heals the lungs and expels the cold from the system. Carson Drug Co.

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 For Infants and Children.
 The Kind You Have Always Bought
 Signature of *Charles H. Fletcher*

The Washington correspondent to Richmond News-Leader says: The king bee of Virginia Republicans is C. Bascom Slemp, and there is no doubt of the fact that the Wise county politician is in thorough accord with the leaders of his party, not only in Virginia, but in the country.
 State Senator G. O. McAlexander of Franklin county, has returned to Richmond from a brief trip to Washington. While in the National Capitol Senate McAlexander spent most of the time in company with Mr. Slemp. He says that the State chairman will look out for Q. G. Proffitt, who will certainly be taken care of. The appointment of Mr. Fulwiler as United States marshal, the plum that Mr. Proffitt wanted, is not giving the latter the slightest trouble and Senator McAlexander says Mr. Proffitt was very cheerful and bright, and felt fully satisfied he would be well provided for.
 J. J. Alexander, of the Staunton bar, a leading Republican said: "The appointment of Fulwiler and Allen, in my judgment, has the hearty approval of all citizens. It is the desire of all people in this community that the United States marshalship, being the only Federal office in this part of the State, should not be lost to the Valley."

While in Washington Senator McAlexander saw Senator Parsons, who is there in the interest of his contest for the seat in congress from the Fifth district. He says Senator Parsons seemed cheerful over the outlook.

AN AWFUL ERUPTION
 To endure the itching, painful distress of piles. There's no need to. Listen: "I suffered much from piles," writes Will A. Marsh, of Siler City, N. C., "till I got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon cured." Burns, boils, ulcers, fever sores, eczema, cuts, chapped hands, chilblains, vanish before it—25-cents at D. M. Smith Drug Company.

Tariff and Cost of Living.

By all means let one or both of the Congress investigating committees show the relation of the tariff to the high cost of living.
 For example, that cotton has been going up and up; no tariff. That with a woolen tariff, clothes are as cheap as they ever were.
 For example, that anthracite coal joined the upward procession; no tariff. That, with a woolen tariff, clothes are as cheap as they ever were.
 For example, that anthracite coal joined the upward procession; no tariff. A tariff on many cotton manufactures, which have scarcely advanced, though raw material and labor have.
 For example, that sugar is dearer with a tariff reduction than it was when the duty was higher. That with a duty on hides, shoes did not go up; now prices of shoes are mounting; free hides.
 There is plenty more. Let's have it all, faithfully and officially. Then perhaps, the people of the United States will understand that this cost of living question is a problem rather deeper than the average shallow pate that undertakes to show us why something is that 'isn't and something isn't that is.—New York Press.

A few minutes delay in treating some cases of croup, even the length of time it takes to go for a doctor often proves dangerous. The safest way is to keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house, and at the first indication of croup give the child a dose. Pleasant to take and always cures. Sold by all dealers.

Nature makes the cures after all.
 Now and then she gets into a tight place and needs helping out.
 Things get started in the wrong direction.
 Something is needed to check disease and start the system in the right direction toward health.
 Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with hypophosphites can do just this.
 It strengthens the nerves, feeds famished tissues, and makes rich blood.

LOST OPPORTUNITY
 IF I HAD BOUGHT A LOT IN MARION FIVE YEARS AGO FOR \$250 I wouldn't had to have paid \$500 for one not any better last fall, and if you buy a SUIT from me in this month you won't have to pay twice as much for one not any better next month. This is a fact and a short time will prove it. THIRTY DAYS MORE Will in all probability wind up this business, and in order to clean everything, prices are lower than ever. Now is the time to Save Money and its limited to THIRTY DAYS ONLY!
 Yours for Business,
ROSS BAYLOR,
 THE LOW PRICE CLOTHIER,
 Under Democrat Office, Opposite Walter B. Jackson's.

GEO. W. RICHARDSON
 LAW AND REAL ESTATE.
 I will give close and personal attention to all business entrusted to me. Collections, Preparation and Acknowledgment of Deeds a Specialty. If you have property to sell or exchange I would like for you to come and see me or write. I have a large list of Farms in Albemarle and adjacent counties, that I will be glad to show to anyone interested in that section.
 No. 1.—Eight-room house and one-half acre lot in Marion for \$2,500.
 No. 2.—Five-room house and two lots on Prospect Ave., \$1,000.
 No. 3.—800 acres of land—about 300 cleared—bargain at \$6 per acre.
 No. 4.—Six-room house, barn and good orchard and about 50 acres of land, near Groseclose. Good land. In cabbage belt, price \$3,500.
 No. 5.—Forty-two and one-half acres of good land about three miles from Groseclose. There are no improvements, price \$900.
 No. 6.—Eighty-six Acres, one 4-room house, two 2-room box houses on railroad—mineral rights reserved—Price, \$1,800.
 No. 7.—A small farm of about 35 acres with six-room house, barn, etc., about 3 miles North of Marion, price \$1,400; and also 35 acres belong to same party at \$1,250—usual terms.
 No. 8.—A nice farm of 76 acres, within four miles of Marion, with good 6-room house, barn and other out-buildings. Good land, in fine state of cultivation, well watered, and close to church and school. Price, \$3,500—\$1,500 cash, balance in one and two years.
 No. 9.—Two-room house and lot on Lincoln Heights, Price \$275.00.
 No. 10.—A four-room house, boxed and ceiled, and one-half acre of land on Glade Mountain R. R. near Atkins. Price \$300.00.
 No. 11.—A splendid river bottom farm of 190 acres in Oklahoma, \$10,000.

We desire to return our thanks to all our customers for their patronage during 1909. We solicit a continuance of the same during 1910, and in this connection, especially owing to our recent misfortune by fire, ask all who are due on account to come in and settle the same in full at once. This will be greatly appreciated. Again thanking you, we remain,
 Very truly yours,
 S. H. WOLFE.

Twenty-one of the leading meat packers of the United States were indicted by the grand jury of Madison county, N. J., charged with conspiracy in limiting the supply of meat and poultry.
 No SUBSTITUTE
 Accept no substitute for Foley's Honey and Tar. It is the best and safest remedy for coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles—contains no opiates and no harmful drugs. Remember the name, Foley's Honey and Tar, and accept no substitutes. Carson Drug Co.

BRISCO'S
 New Silks, White Goods, Linens and Linen Sheeting, Lonsdales, and all the White Goods of the Season below the market value. You should see them.
J. M. BRISCO.

TO THE PUBLIC:
 I have opened up in connection with my Meat Market a first-class line of GROCERIES, TIN & ENAMEL WARE and at prices as low as can be bought elsewhere. If you have BUTTER AND EGGS or Any Kind of Produce bring it to me, I will pay you the market price.
 THE LADIES OF THE TOWN are invited to call and inspect my market and see HOW I KEEP MY MEATS. All meats sold by me guaranteed under Pure Food Law. When in need of anything in my line PHONE 133.
 W. M. BRINKLEY,
 Marion, - Va.
 Near Virginia Table Works.

ROYAL FENCE
 QUALITY
 The quality of Royal Fence is the best. The galvanizing is second to none, and the structural features of Royal Fence speak for themselves. There is not and never has been a square mesh, continuous stay fence on the market to compare with Royal. It is guaranteed by the manufacturers and by the dealers selling it. It is all right, and will more than bear out claims made for it. No trouble to build Royal Fence on rough or level ground. No slipping on stays. No sagging or bagging.
 SOLD BY
HEPPELSTAKE & STALEY
 Leading Hardware Dealers, Marion, Virginia

FOLEY'S KIDNEY PILLS
 For backache, rheumatism, kidney or bladder trouble, and urinary irregularity. Foley's Kidney Pills purify the blood, restore lost vitality and vigor. Refuse substitutes.
 For Sale by Carson Drug

TO BURN

IF YOU HAVE MONEY TO BURN keep it in the house where it may be burned, lost or stolen, but if you want to keep it safely where it will always be ready for you when needed. Deposit with us. A check account will give you better business standing in the community and a prestige that you may never have enjoyed before. If your name is not on our books, we will be pleased to open an account with you.

Marion National Bank

MARION NEWS

LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. S. C. Lindamood, of Groseclose, was a business visitor to Marion Monday.

Misses Lula and Oattie Hutton were down from Atkins Saturday and gave our office a pleasant call.

A. G. Pruner returned last Thursday night from a three months' visit to his brother Alf, at Exeter, Cal.

The Virginia House of Delegates has voted against the proposition to elect Corporation Commissioners by popular vote.

Mr. James A. Groseclose, who has been seriously ill for the past ten days, is reported better and on the road to recovery.

Ed. Richardson, of Pulaski, came to Marion Saturday and spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. V. Richardson, near town.

We regret to note that our townsman, Mr. J. F. Keller, is confined to his home on the sick list this week. We hope to see him out soon.

R. T. Greer left a few days ago for Detroit, Chicago, Ford du Lac and other Northwestern cities on a business trip and will be away for ten days.

Mrs. R. E. Parrott has returned from New York and Philadelphia where she purchased a nice line of millinery for the Marion and Bristol stores.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Campbell returned Friday from Florida and Cuba where they spent the winter months. They report a delightful and pleasant stay in the Sunny South.

Remember the Sunday School Institute at the Baptist church next Sunday. Public invited to all the sessions and Sunday school workers urged to attend.

Mrs. Alice Shelenslager died at her home near Attoway last Thursday. She was a daughter of Mr. E. W. Merchant, of Attoway. We could not learn the particulars of her death.

Mr. Jas. D. Tate, President of the Smyth County Telephone Exchange, was up from Chilhowie Tuesday looking after the interest of the company and other business matters.

Mrs. Phina Thompson, of Ivanhoe, who has been on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Mattie Wolfe, at Ad-wolfe, after spending a few days in Marion this week the guest of Mrs. R. A. Anderson, left Tuesday for Rural Retreat to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Miller.

Mr. Oliver Robinson, who has been quite ill for several days, was taken to the Hospital at Roanoke Tuesday for treatment and possibly an operation if his condition will allow it. He is now 80 years old and has been a remarkably active and healthy man. He was accompanied by his son Edward and Dr. S. W. Dickinson.

Our enterprising hardware merchant, W. M. Weaver, is making preparations to erect a large warehouse on his lot at the point where the James H. Hankla shoe shop has stood. When completed it will enable the Weaver Hardware Co. to enlarge its stock of heavy-weight goods. Mr. Hankla has moved his shoe shop to the small building of H. B. Staley on Broadway.

Our townsman Mr. R. E. Parrott received news last Friday that his brother T. J. Parrott, a government detective, was shot in Bowling Green, Ky., the 24th inst by a man named Gilliam, who made his escape. He was shot in the back and the bullet passing through the body. The latest news reports his condition quite critical but with fair prospects of his recovery, taking into consideration were wound received.

Dr. Fahrney's Teeth

L. Phipps made a business trip to Troutdale last Monday.

James Greer, of Troutdale, came over Tuesday and went down to Rural Retreat on a business trip.

Circuit Court convenes here next Monday, Judge Hutton presiding. This is regular grand jury term.

Messrs. A. J. Hubble and J. W. Carter, of near Chatham Hill, were business visitors to Marion Wednesday.

If in need of Shoes don't fail to call on the Marion Clothing Co.

Read Ross Baylor's ad. on second page. He has something to say that will interest you in the clothing line.

Miss Gaver, of Middletown, Md., is visiting Mrs. R. E. Parrott this week en route to Bristol to accept a position with the Parrott Department Store.

Buy your boy a "Elk Brand" Suit of the Marion Clothing Co.

Mr. C. Wythe Scott was in Marion Wednesday and reports his son and grand-son, who have been so ill of pneumonia, as much improved with good prospects of ultimate recovery.

Just received a big line of the latest styles in Hats and Caps Marion Clothing Co.

Mrs. Elva Robinson, who has been so ill for several weeks, was taken to Roanoke last Friday and placed in the sanitarium at that place for treatment. We learn she stood the trip quite well. She was accompanied by her brother, Mr. Quisenbury and Dr. Dickenson.

Out of the haze of uncertainty comes the knowledge that The Hobbie Co., Roanoke, represents the finest line of pianos made in America. They have been patronized and endorsed by the leading people of Virginia for thirty years. This is your guarantee of securing the best piano if you buy from The Hobbie Co.

WANTED—Chickens, Butter, Ducks, Geese and Turkeys. Vance-Eller Corporation.

We are in receipt of the following announcement, which will be of interest to many readers of the News: Mr. H. P. Wilmore announces the marriage of his sister, Nannie M., to John Ennis Gannaway on Sunday, February thirteenth, nineteen hundred and ten, Newport News, Va. At home 233 26th Street, Newport News, Na.

All Head Early, Early Summer, Enknizen and Danish Cabbage Seed for sale by Vance-Eller Corporation

Andrew Martin Kegley, the star route mail carrier from Marion to Chatham Hill, whose illness we made mention of last week, died at the home of Geo. W. Hubble in Rich Valley Monday night of pneumonia. He had been ill about two weeks. He was a faithful employee of the U. S. government and was always at his post of duty. He was about 45 years old and a son of Mr. Jeff Kegley on Bear Creek. Mart had many friends who will miss him from his daily task that he has performed so well for many years.

The best Cabbage Planter on the market for sale here at \$3.50. Buy yours before they are sold out. VANCE-ELLER CORPORATION.

We want to congratulate our former townsman, Mr. Gaylord E. Goodell, on his nomination for the Bristol postmastership. His many friends here are much pleased and in fact delighted. No better man could have been named than Mr. Goodell; clean, able and well equipped for such work he will make a fine head for the Bristol City postoffice. No better man could have been named, and Congressman Slemple has the best wishes of Mr. Goodell's many friends for securing his nomination. It is hoped and believed there will be no hitch in the matter, although Congressman Brownlow is doing his best for his friend, the present incumbent, Mr. E. A. Warren.

FOR RENT—Nice large dwelling; also rooms in Hotel Holston. See J. Ellis Dickenson, Real Estate Agent

Death of Mrs. C. E. Wolfe.

Mrs. Cynthia E. Wolfe, wife of Jeff D. Wolfe, died at her home in this place Wednesday night at 11:30 o'clock, aged 39 years. Mrs. Wolfe had just given birth to a child and was thought to be doing well. Death was supposed to have been caused from the rupture of some blood vessel. She leaves a husband and nine children, including the infant which we learn is doing very well. This is a severe and crushing blow to Mr. Wolfe and a sore misfortune to the large number of small children who are left motherless. She was a member of Southside Baptist church and a good woman. The sympathy of the community will go out to the bereft husband and motherless children. The burial will take place Friday about ten o'clock.

Utz & Dunn's Oxfords for Misses and Ladies just received at the Marion Clothing Co.

Senator Keezell, chairman of the Finance Committee, Tuesday reported favorably the bill appropriating \$65,000 for the purpose of paying pensions to disabled Confederate veterans and their dependent widows. The House has already passed the measure.

Trinkle-Sexton.

Mr. Elbert Lee Trinkle, of Wytheville, Va., and Miss Helen Ball Sexton, of Waco, Texas, were married on last Thursday afternoon at five o'clock, in the home of the bride. The house decorations were elaborate and consisted of ferns, palms, smilax and cut flowers. The stairway was banked with palms and entwined with smilax and pink roses. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. W. Sexton, father of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Trinkle left for Cuba to spend their honeymoon. They will arrive in Wytheville about March 15th.

Death of W. H. Hutton.

Mr. W. Henry Hutton died at his home near Attoway on last Friday night, aged fifty-three years. He has been ill for several months and his death was not unexpected. He was an honest and upright citizen. He is survived by his wife and three children, all of whom are grown. The funeral service was conducted from Centenary church Sunday morning by Rev. Geo. A. Maiden, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Hutton cemetery.

All Heavy Clothing still going at sacrifice prices at the Marion Clothing Co.

Republican Rally.

Richmond, Va., March 2.—State Chairman C. Bascom Slemple and Executive Committeeman Alvah H. Martin, of the Republican party in Virginia, have been invited to be present next Saturday night, when the Republican representatives in the General Assembly will be entertained in Fraternity Hall by the Republican Club of Richmond. Invitations will also be sent to the members of the State, City and District committees of the party, and it is expected that about eight hundred Republican voters will be present. Edgar Allen, Jr., C. Ridgeway Moore and Melvin Flegenheimer compose the committee in charge of the arrangements.

200 Acres for New Richmond College.

Although the deal has not yet been actually closed, it is now practically certain that Richmond College will acquire possession of a 200-acre tract of land at Westhampton, with the purpose of establishing its educational plant there in the near future.

The College, in addition to the 200 acres it has decided to buy, will have the privilege of acquiring another tract of 100 acres. Just what price it will pay for the land is not known to those outside the negotiations.

The property the trustees have in view borders the Westhampton lake on both sides and includes a portion of Westhampton Park.

The project includes combining both the Richmond College and Woman's College plants—that is to say, the young men and women students will be able to use the same library, class-rooms, gymnasiums, and the like.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Death of O. Guy Cox.

The death of Mr. O. Guy Cox, that we made local mention of in our last issue, occurred at his home on the South Fork last Wednesday evening at seven o'clock. He was only ill about ten days, pneumonia following an attack of la grippe. Mr. Cox was a native of Grayson county, he having resided in this county only about twelve months. He was, however, quite well known to the Editor of the News, having gone to school to him at Oak Hill Academy twenty one years ago. He was a son of ex-Sheriff Thomas Cox, of Grayson, an excellent citizen and a gentleman of the highest standing. He was thirty nine years old, a consistent and active member of the Methodist church, and a fine Sunday school worker. He is survived by a wife and two little sons, besides one brother and three sisters. An impressive funeral service was conducted by Revs. Geo. A. Maiden, of this place, and J. F. Fletcher, of Grayson county, on Friday morning, after which his remains were laid to rest in the old Thomas cemetery. A large crowd of friends and neighbors were present to pay a last tribute to his memory.

An attack of the grip is often followed by persistent cough, which to many proves a great annoyance. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been extensively used and with good success for the relief and cure of this cough. Many cases have been cured after all other remedies had failed. Sold by dealers.

Requirement of Dentists.

The Legislature has passed a bill requiring dentists to be graduates in medicine and surgery. It does not become operative for four years, and consequently does not affect any practicing dentists nor those now engaged in the study of the profession who can qualify within the next four years.

WANTED:—Young men and women to learn Budget Bookkeeping and Chartier Shorthand, to accept good positions. Three months with us is equal to six and eight in other schools. Write today. ROANOKE BUSINESS COLLEGE, Roanoke, Va.

Mr. Goodell Returns from Washington.

The matter of postmaster for Bristol will probably be finally decided today when the nomination of Gaylord E. Goodell, of Bristol, Virginia, comes up for confirmation, unless withdrawn.

Mr. Goodell is confident that no objection can be raised which will cause him to lose out now. His friends think that the appointment was held up merely as a matter of courtesy, to give those opposed to the appointment the opportunity of being heard—Bristol Herald Courier

Wealthy Tazewell Man Dead.

Bluefield, W. Va., March 1.—T. F. Cecil, a wealthy farmer of Tazewell county, aged seventy-five years, died at his home near Cedar Bluff yesterday. He was buried to-day at Chapel Hill.

ANY BOY Anxious to earn money outside of school hours can secure a position with me. To my best boys I am going to give Savings Banks and Cash Prizes. The work is easy and does not interfere with school duties. H. F. GROSECLOSE.

Henry Stuart the Nominee

The Democratic Congressional convention which convened in Bristol Tuesday nominated as its standard-bearer Hon. Henry Stuart, of Russell county. Mr. Stuart had declined until the last moment but the pressure was so great that he yielded to the wishes of the convention, that seemingly could not unite on any other candidate.

MR. STUART SPEAKS.

Mr. Stuart made a brief speech of acceptance, saying that the nomination had come to him unsought and against his personal wishes, but he would not resist so unanimous and pressing a call into the service of his party. He accepted the nomination with the understanding that he is to feel free to leave the district at any time, if the health of his wife demands it, and not return until after the election, if necessary. His wife's condition of health led him to voluntarily retire from the office of governor of Virginia when victory seemed certain. Consideration for her health has been his prime motive in expressing a desire not to make the race for Congress.

The Smyth county delegation that returned to Marion seem to think they nominated their strongest man. The democrats, we learn, are to organize and go to work at once to reelect the old Ninth as they term it. So the contest is on.

WOULD HAVE COST HIM HIS LIFE.

Oscar Bowman, Lebanon, Ky., writes "I have used Foley's Kidney Remedy and take great pleasure in stating it cured me permanently of kidney disease which certainly would have cost me my life." Carson Drug Co.

Penny Gets N. and W.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 28.—The Pennsylvania Railroad, directly and through its subsidiary companies, now holds an absolute majority of the \$89,000,000 capital stock of the Norfolk & Western Railway. This important fact became known Saturday, as to its correctness.

With this control over the Norfolk & Western Railway, the Pennsylvania system is increased by 1,903 miles to a total of 13,196 miles of line, and extends into fifteen States, as follows: Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee and North Carolina.

If troubled with indigestion, constipation, no appetite or feel bilious, give Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets a trial and you will be pleased with the result. These tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and strengthen the digestion. Sold by all dealers.

Orphanage and Hospital for Pocahontas.

Pocahontas, Va., Feb. 27.—James G. Litz, who is treasurer of the Associated Charities of this city, is circulating petitions for the purpose of securing funds with which it is proposed to erect a \$100,000 orphan's home and hospital at this place. A list has been headed by the Pocahontas Consolidated Collieries Company of this city, which will give the grounds and \$10,000 yearly for its maintenance.

Wanted at Once!

10,000 Cords of Chestnut Wood THE D. H. MITCHELL CO., Inc

Deacon - McMullen.

The Radford Advance reports a surprise marriage as follows: Mr. E. F. Deacon, of Abingdon, who has been visiting here, left on No. 13 Wednesday evening, taking with him his bride, who was Miss Margaret B. McMullen, of Radford. It was a great surprise to Radford when it became known that Mr. Deacon and Miss McMullen had been married on Jan. 1, in Columbus, O. They will live in Abingdon where Mr. Deacon is a civil engineer.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Carson Drug Co.

Allen is Appointed.

Washington, D. C., March 1.—President Taft sent to the Senate the nomination of S. Brown Allen, formerly United States marshal of the Western District, to be postmaster at Staunton, to succeed R. A. Fulwiler, appointed to Allen's place of marshal.

Killed

Bluefield, W. Va., March 1.—fit of jealousy Sam Cochran, and killed his wife at Tom's Cr. last Saturday night. On returning from the company store, where he purchased his Sunday rations, he found his wife in company with Tom Turner. Dropping his supplies on the floor, Cochran yanked out his revolver and shot his wife three times. Turning the weapon on Turner, he snapped the trigger four times, but the gun would not go off. Mrs. Cochran died almost instantly. Turner fled from the house and notified the officers. Cochran was arrested and taken to the county jail at Wise. Both men were employed by the Virginia Coal and Iron Co.

MAKING LIFE SAFER. Every where life is being made more safe through the work of Dr. King's New Life Pills in constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, indigestion, liver troubles, kidney diseases and bowel disorders. They're easy, but sure, and perfectly build up the health—25-cents at D. M. Smith Drug Co.

Tickling in the Throat

"Just a little tickling in the throat!" Is that what troubles you? But it hangs on! Can't get rid of it! Home remedies don't take hold. You need something stronger—a regular medicine, a doctor's medicine. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral contains healing, quieting, and soothing properties of the highest order. Ask your doctor about this. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Constipation positively prevents good health. Then why allow it to continue? An active liver is a great preventive of disease. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. What does your doctor say?

ADVANCED SPRING SHOWING OF THE CLOTHES BEAUTIFUL

The new models are rare combinations of Style and Quality. They will compel appreciation even from those who pay little attention to the niceties of dress. Precidedly New Designs for Young Men who appreciate a difference and desire to be a little ahead of others in the matter of dress.

FURNISHINGS—The Newest and Latest Novelties for Men and Young Men.

HOSIERY—In Plain and Fancy Effects—the Guaranteed Kind.

SHIRTS—In Attractive Patterns—some Gay and Sporty—right fitting kind.

LADIES OXFORDS and PUMPS—New and Snappy Styles. Besure to see the New Ankle Stap Sailor Tie—In Swede and Patent Leather.

W. W. HAWKINS & CO.

Head-to-Foot Outfitters.
MARION, - - VIRGINIA

THE Marion Clothing Co.

Is Offering Big Inducements to all in Need of CLOTHING SHOES, HATS, CAPS AND GENTS FURNISHINGS.

BE SURE AND EXAMINE THIS STOCK BEFORE YOU BUY.

Marion Clothing Company

Marion, Va.

LIFE IS WHAT WE MAKE IT!

Well, don't worry then, we are going to do our part. When you see the nice things we have selected for you you will agree with us. These Goods are arriving daily and in a very few days our house will be filled chuck full of choice merchandise—we invite you to call and inspect it. Space will not permit us enumerate all the nice things, but here's some of them:

Wash Suits, Wash Dresses, Skirts, Lingrie Dresses, Beautiful Line of Belts, Beltbuckles and Pins, Shirtwaists, Muslin Underwear, and all the Latest things in Collars.

It will pay you to see our line before making Spring purchases. We will show you the best line of MILLINERY IN MARION, you to be the judge. Buying for the two large stores we get the price as well as quality. It will be to you interest to call on us either at Marion or Bristol. Remember when the weather will permit we are going to put on SPECIAL SALES that will make you glad and save the shrinkage of your purse. We carry at Marion, Va., a General Line of Merchandise, and at Bristol, Tenn., Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wares and Millinery. Requesting you to call and see us, we are

YOURS VERY TRULY,
The Parrott Dept. Store.