



Will Roosevelt Go to Abingdon?

The statement published in the Evening News a few days ago that Republicans of the Ninth district are planning to urge ex-President Roosevelt to address their convention in Abingdon in July has attracted a great deal of attention, not only in Virginia, but in many other States. If Col. Roosevelt should accept the invitation, his visit to Abingdon would be one of the biggest political events of the year, and it will be noted the country over.

Some newspapers are inclined to believe that if the Colonel should accede to the wishes of the Ninth district Republicans it will be an endorsement by him of Congressman Slempp's course.

From all accounts Ninth district Republicans are very hopeful of securing favorable consideration from the ex-President, and if their hopes are fulfilled they will make convention day in Abingdon the greatest event that Republicans of the South west have ever known.—Roanoke Evening News.

AN IDEAL HUSBAND
patient, even with a nagging wife, for he knows she needs help. She may be so nervous and rundown in health that trifles annoy her. If she is melancholy, excitable, troubled with loss of appetite, headache, sleeplessness, constipation or fainting or dizzy spells, she needs Electric Bitters—the most wonderful remedy for ailing women. Thousands of sufferers from female troubles, nervous troubles, backache and weak kidneys have used and become healthy and happy. Try them—only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Carson Drug Co.

Mother and Son Died.

Aged Woman Drops to the Floor When She Hears Sad News.

Roanoke, Va., May 23.—Robert Vaughan, a prominent young business man of Independence, Grayson county, Va., died last week of tuberculosis. Upon hearing of her son's death, Mrs. M. L. Vaughan, mother of Robert Vaughan, fell dead in her home.

WHAT EVERYBODY WANTS
Everybody desires good health which is impossible unless the kidneys are sound and healthy. Foley's Kidney Remedy should be taken at the first indication of any irregularity, and a serious illness may be averted. Foley's Kidney Remedy will restore your kidneys and bladder to their normal state and activity. Carson Drug Co.

Life Membership Association \$1000 Each.

Washington, May 24.—President Taft, Mrs. Taft, Colonel Roosevelt, King George, of England; President Diaz, of Mexico, and Wm. J. Bryan were made life members of the World's Sunday School Association last week amid scenes of great enthusiasm. For each of those so honored \$1,000 had to be subscribed, and in the case of Colonel Roosevelt, the Chairman of the Convention, by popular demand, limited subscriptions to one dollar. A Delegate from Canada started the enthusiasm.

"Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is the best remedy for that often fatal disease—group. Has been used with success in our family for eight years."—Mrs. L. Whiteacre, Buffalo, N. Y.

Women Denied the Right.

The Methodist Conference Votes Against the Memorial.

Asheville, N. C., May 23.—For the first time in the history of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, a woman was allowed to speak upon the floor. By unanimous consent of the Conference, Miss Belle Bennett, Secretary of the Woman's Home Mission Society, was invited to address the delegates on the subject which has been considered one of the most vital questions before the Conference, the right of women to sit in the councils of the church and for equal rights with the laity. For sometime it was difficult to judge which way the Conference would vote, but after many speeches the members voted to adopt the report of the majority of the committee on revisions which denied the women the right asked for. It was thought that the next action of the conference in placing ten women on the great missionary board was a little singular. The women expressed themselves delighted with what has been accomplished at this conference in creating a sentiment in their favor and do not intend to let the matter drop, and during the next four years have determined to work harder than before for the passage of the measure which they claim means so much for the women of the South. Never before in the history of Southern Methodism have the women received so much attention as during the present session of the conference.

The most impressive service of the General Conference was the ordination of seven bishops in the Central Methodist church. Rev. Dr. Collins Denny, John C. Kilgo, William B. Murray, Walter R. Lambuth, R. G. Waterhouse, Edwin D. Mouzon and Jas. H. McCoy, each accompanied by two of their closest friends entered the church in a body preceded by the bishops of the church. A death-like stillness pervaded the church as the procession entered. The opening hymn was announced by Bishop A. W. Wilson, the collect was read by Bishop E. E. Hoss, prayer was offered by Rev. C. H. Briggs, the Epistle was read by Bishop H. C. Morrison, the gospel by Bishop W. A. Candler. The hymn, "How Rich Thy Bounty King of Kings" was announced by Bishop James Atkins. The sermon was preached by Bishop Alpheus W. Wilson. Examinations of bishops-elect was conducted by Bishop Hendrix, veni creator spiritus was read by Bishop Key. All the bishops imposed their hands on the heads of each bishop-elect, each was presented with a bible and Bishop Candler presented each a parchment testifying to their ordination as bishops. The wives of the majority of the newly-elected bishops were present and were given seats of honor in the church which was inadequate to hold the great crowds. The benediction was pronounced by Bishop Wilson.

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING
Increases the price of many necessities without improving the quality. Foley's Honey and Tar maintains its high standard of excellence and its great curative qualities without any increase in cost. It is the best remedy for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all ailments of the throat, chest and lungs. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Carson Drug Co.

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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. Foley's is the best remedy for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all ailments of the throat, chest and lungs. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Carson Drug Co.

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KEEPS BABY FROM CRYING.

She Shot Herself.

Wife of Washington County Farmer Commits Suicide.

Bristol, Tenn., May 21.—Mrs. W. M. Pippin, forty-five years of age and wife of a farmer, committed suicide at her home at Wallace, in Washington county, Va., yesterday, due to ill health. She left her bed in the early morning, and a search revealed her body not far from the home. Using a shot-gun she fired a heavy charge into her breast, the shot penetrating the heart. She left the hospital here recently.

If you fear hot weather and bad bowels, Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup is your friend and the baby's comfort.

Former Students at Emory

Four of the present Bishops of the Southern Methodist Episcopal Church, South, are of the alumni of Emory and Henry College, the School of the Church, Emory, Va. They are: Messrs. Waterhouse, Lambuth, Atkins and Hoss. This is a record that none of the other church schools, not excepting Vanderbilt itself, can touch and is expected to be a great advertisement for the Virginia school.

Some of the most prominent men in the South, in affairs of church, business and State, are of the alumni of the school and few institutions in the South can rival it in this direction.

The splendid work of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is daily coming to light. No such grand remedy for liver and bowel troubles was ever known before. The tablets bless them for curing constipation, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and indigestion. Sold by all dealers.

Pointed Paragraphs.

It's easier to become a hero than it is to hold the job.
Most people think ghosts are white but they are all shades.
Trouble is about the only thing you can find without looking for it.
A woman who has a good figure isn't necessarily good at figures.
A man isn't inevitably crooked because he can't keep his face straight.
A man is always finding fault with the weather or his wife's actions.
Candor is one of the principal ingredients in the trouble-maker's composition.—Chicago News.

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.—800 acres of land—about 300 cleared—bargain at \$6 per acre.
- No. 3.—Six-room house, barn and good orchard and about 50 acres of land, near Groseclose. Good land. In cabbage belt, price \$3,500.
- No. 4.—Forty-two and one-half acres of good land about three miles from Groseclose. There are no improvements, price \$900.
- No. 5.—Eighty-six acres, one 4-room house, two 2-room box houses on railroad—mineral rights reserved—Price, \$1,800.
- No. 6.—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. 7.—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. 8.—A four-room house, boxed and celled, and one-half acre of land on Glade Mountain R. R. near Atkins. Price \$300.00.
- No. 9.—A six room house and nineteen acres of nice smooth land, about 11 miles from Groseclose—small barn and good young orchard. Price, \$1,450—one-half cash and balance in one and two years.
- No. 10.—212 acres of fine "blue grass" farming lands, about 1 1/2 miles west of Chilhowie, in Washington county, Va. Large ten-room dwelling house, two barns and other out-buildings—spring not far from the house—river on one side of farm—two orchards.

Navy of the World.

America Second in Displacement and Sixth in Number of Warships.

Washington, May 23.—The United States leads the world in the total displacement of completed warships with the single exception of Great Britain, but is behind five other countries in the number of such vessels.

Adding to these completed war craft the ships provided for but not completed, this Government outranks all others except the British in the total displacement, but ranks only sixth in number. Great Britain, the United States and Germany remain the leading naval powers.

Great Britain, the naval peacemaker of the world, will have 498 completed and provided for warships of 2,106,873 total displacement. The United States when its ships completed and provided for are in operation will have 179 war craft.

MANY REQUESTS from Catarrh sufferers who use atomizers have caused us to put up Liquid Cream Balm, a new and convenient form of Ely's Cream Balm, the only remedy for Catarrh which can always be depended on. In power to allay inflammation, to cleanse the clogged air-passages, to promote free, natural breathing, the two forms of Cream Balm are alike. Liquid Cream Balm is sold by all druggists for 75-cents including spraying tube. Mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren St., New York.

"No drummers really get business by telling funny stories?"

"Depends altogether upon the customer," replied the traveling salesman. "Sometimes I tell funny stories and sometimes I abuse the trusts."

LION FONDLES CHILD

In Pittsburg a savage lion fondled the hand that a child thrust into his cage. Danger to a child is sometimes great when least regarded. Often it comes through colds, croup and whooping cough. They slay thousands that Dr. King's New Discovery could have saved. "A few doses cured our baby of a very bad case of croup," writes Mrs. George B. Davis, of Flat Rock, N. C. "We always give it to him when he takes cold—it's a wonderful medicine for babies." Best for coughs, colds, la grippe, asthma, hemorrhages, weak lungs—50c. and \$1. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Carson Drug Co.

If We Had the Spirit!

The Road Commission of New Jersey has just issued a report in which they give the benefits derived by that State from Good Roads. What would benefit that mosquito-bit Commonwealth to this extent would make Virginia bloom with prosperity. Note what it says:

"The great value of Good Roads to New Jersey is becoming more and more apparent each year. They have brought within our borders a large and desirable citizenship. Communities have grown to boroughs and cities. Manufacturers have been quick to see the advantage of locating in suburban districts with good roads over which to haul their products to the railroad stations. Industrial centers have grown from what a few years ago were but villages. In almost every locality of the State real estate values have enhanced, and there has been a steady and healthy advance in our taxable properties."—Bullefinch Telegraph.

A REGULAR TOMBOY

was Susie—climbing trees and fences, jumping ditches, whittling, always getting scratches, cuts, sprains, bruises, bumps, burns and scalds—but alas! Her mother just applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve and cured her quick—heals everything healable—boils, ulcers, eczema, old sores, corns or piles. Try it—25c. at Carson Drug Co.

Foley's Orino Laxative

For Stomach Trouble, Sluggish Liver and Habitual Constipation.

It cures by aiding all of the digestive organs—gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels—the only way that chronic constipation can be cured. Especially recommended for women and children. Clears blotched complexions. Do not take. Refuse substitutes.

Showing Up Well.

The Lead Nre Near Bristol Averages About Eighty-one Per Cent.

Bristol, Va., May 24.—The lead ore recently discovered at the base of Clifton Heights here, is showing up to even better advantage than did the first specimen which was analyzed. It now appears that this ore, of which there is a six foot vein, will average about eighty-one per cent. pure lead. The owners of the property will lose no time in the arrangement to develop it.

FOR MORE THAN THREE DECADES
Foley's Honey and Tar has been a household favorite for all ailments of the throat, chest and lungs. For infants and children it is safest and best as it contains no opiates and no harmful drugs. None genuine but Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Carson Drug Co.

Will Welcome Teddy

June 18th.

New York, May 23.—"Simple and dignified," is to be Theodore Roosevelt's welcome in New York June 18th. At least that is the desire of the reception committees. Therewill be no great land parade. Rough Riders are the chosen few who will line up with Col. Roosevelt's carriage. Aside from them there will be only a squad of mounted police, a police band and reception committee in carriages. The committee thus explains the situation.

"It is believed proceedings should be simple and dignified in order to permit largest number of people to participate.

"The reception will be National in character and entirely free from questions relating to politics, creed or race." The usual part of the program will be carried out as arranged.

The Claim of Washington's Heirs.

Washington, May 24.—A famous claim against the Government, in which the heirs of George Washington would receive a large sum, may be settled this week by the action of the House committee on private land claims, which is expected to report favorably to the House a bill to that effect. There are several heirs of Washington who combined in making the claim, pending through several Congresses.

George Washington was entitled under the Virginia law to some 23,000 acres of land as a recompense for his military services, but he declined to accept it, and took instead warrants for 3,050 acres of land in Ohio. This tract was located in the northwestern reserve in what was known as the "Virginia military land." It was claimed that Washington paid the taxes on the land up until the time of his death and that his administrators paid it until 1807. If the expected action is taken by the Committee and approved by Congress the Government will allow the heirs \$305,000 in gold in lieu of the land. None of the heirs are wealthy and some of them are poor, it is stated. Lawrence Washington, a descendent of the family of the first President, made the principal argument before the committee in favor of the claim.

Heavy, impure blood makes a muddy, pimply complexion, headaches, nausea, indigestion. Thin blood makes you weak, pale, sickly. Burdock Blood Bitters makes the blood rich, red, pure—restores perfect health.

Glassware, Queensware and China.

We have just received a large assortment of Glassware, which added to our already large stock, make our line the most varied in the city. Prices are reasonable, and you will find anything in the above mentioned wares needed.

Our Grocery Stock is as complete as can be made at this season of the year, and we wish to call special attention to that delicious cereal, "Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes," which needs only a taste to convince you.

We have a complete stock of Dry Goods, Notions and Summer Lingerie of every description.

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Indestructible Homeless Horse Collars are indestructible. One large shipment. Made of highly polished galvanized steel. Light in weight. Adjustable in length and width. Don't adjust—tie up or down. The only collar of 20th Century pattern. Used by highest authorities and thousands of practical horsemen. Just send me your name and address on a postcard. I'll send facts and figures on horse collars that will prove mighty interesting. Tell direct where I have no dealers. Address Fred Slocum, The Horse Collar Man, JOHNSTON-SLOCUM CO., 550 State St., CARO, MICH.

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MARION, VA., MAY 27, 1910.

Mr. Stuart and the Convention.

We think that it has long since been decreed that no Democrat who was a member of the late Constitutional convention shall ever represent the great Ninth district in the Congress of the United States. That brilliant Democrat, the Hon. Jos. C. Wisor, was an example and his record was the most commendable of probably any Democrat in that body. He was by far the ablest Democratic member from the Southwest, but still he could not overcome the feeling and resentment occasioned by the broken promises made by the Democratic party to the people of the State. What Mr. Wisor could not do by 4,000 majority the Hon. Henry Stuart will likewise find out that he, too, will be weighed in the balances and found wanting. The Constitution is not popular even with Democrats, this fact has been demonstrated and admitted out of their own mouths, for this fall they are going to call on the people to amend the Constitution in several important particulars. The people want to elect their Commissioners of the Revenue by popular vote, they would like to elect many other officials who are appointed by partisan legislatures, they would like to wipe out the "poll-tax nuisance," as Democratic papers style it. Every legislature that meets great portions of the short sessions are taken up in offering and discussing amendments to the unpopular instrument; so great are its defects that many Democratic speakers and papers have admittedly failed "to defend the new constitution." The disfranchising clauses may suit East Virginia Democrats, where the aristocratic few control, but they do not suit the masses of either party in the great Southwest. The good Democratic citizen does not like to see his neighbor disfranchised simply because he cannot meet all the rigid requirements of the law. Republicans rebel at the proposition, and will not support the bell-wether of the Democratic flock that helped to force the new constitution down their throats. The people will learn Mr. Stuart's record along this line. It is about all he has and they must know it. You may say it is not an issue, but anything that strikes at the liberties of the people will be considered and cannot be eliminated from the issues of this campaign. It will not down; it will haunt Henry Stuart in his dreams of Congressional honors; it will rise up before him on the 8th of next November and leave him just where it left Joe Wisor, high and dry on the Democratic cooling shelf. We repeat, it has been decreed that no Democrat, great or small, who was a member of the late Constitutional convention and helped to force that unpopular instrument upon the people, without their consent, can ever represent the great Ninth district in the Congress of the United States.

There is no argument whether upon the tariff question or upon general legislation, or the record of the Republican party, or the work of the present administration that the Republicans will not have the best of it. There is no argument whatever that the Democratic party in present excepting the general negative one of finding fault with the existing conditions and of wanting to get the Republicans out in order that they can get in. It will be an office holding argument pure and simple, and it will not again deceive the people as it has once or twice before midway between two presidential campaigns.

Rising wages all over the country, falling prices, general prosperity, a redemption of party pledges and savings by the Government of millions upon millions of dollars (through appropriations and economies in the Departments and the increasing popularity of our President all mean a rallying cry that it will be impossible for the Democratic orators and editors to successfully combat. The victory is already won; the next House will have a substantial Republican majority and the next Congress will go on continuing the splendid work begun during the first year of President Taft's term.

John D. Rockefeller would go broke if he should spend his entire income trying to prepare a better medicine than Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for diarrhoea, dysentery or bowel complaints. It is simply impossible, and so says every one that has used it. Sold by all dealers.

Cost of Living a Century Ago.

An old ledger has been discovered in Brookfield that throws some interesting light upon the comparative values of necessities during the years between 1794 and 1815 and the present time. A day's board of the kind now costing seventy-five cents was then twenty cents. A yoke of oxen could be pastured twenty-two weeks for \$4.25, while at the present time it would cost over \$20. Jurors received sixty cents a day. A pound of butter cost twelve cents and a gallon of rum only twenty-five. Flour, however, was \$19 a barrel, though potatoes were only twenty cents a bushel. By working fifteen hours a man received sixty cents for his labor. Horses could be kept for twelve cents a day, and both man and beast could be entertained for a fourth of what it costs now. Among all the items there was no mention made of milk. Not only that, but various other things that to-day have attained the dignity of problems were in the 'good old days' so cheaply considered as to be negligible economic quantities—Boston Transcript.

For a mild, easy action of the bowels, a single dose of Doan's Regulators is enough. Treatment cures habitual constipation—25 cents a box. Ask your druggist for them.

Third Thief Caught.

Credit Due to Work of L. L. Scherer Formerly of Marion.
New York, May 23.—A three years' search for a notorious baggage thief wanted by the authorities of Richmond, Va., is believed by the police to have ended here last Saturday in the capture of a man known as Morris Bosky, who is said by the authorities to be known also as Martin Jacobsky, alias Jackson.
The man arrested declares that none of these names are his. The authorities, however, are holding him to await the arrival of officers from Virginia. The search for Jacobsky began in 1907, when extensive robberies of trunks from the baggage men on the Southern railroads were reported.
No man in the country is more pleased at the capture of Jackson than General Claim Agent L. L. Scherer, of the Chesapeake & Ohio, who is probably more responsible than any other one agency for the apprehension of the noted criminal. Since February, 1907, Agent Scherer has followed relentlessly the trail of the baggage thief, and has flooded the country with photographs and literature giving a full description of the man, together with his record in time.
Jackson belongs to the notorious band of baggage thieves arrested in Richmond, New York and Chicago in the early winter of 1907. Agent Scherer was responsible for the breaking up of the gang.

Marion and Rye Valley Railway Virginia-Southern Railroad.
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No. 3. Southbound No. 4. Northbound
STATIONS:
8.00 a. m. lv. Marion ar. 4.15 p. m.
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8.45 a. m. lv. Summit lv. 3.30 p. m.
9.35 a. m. lv. Osborne lv. 3.10 p. m.
9.45 a. m. lv. Pugh lv. 2.40 p. m.
10.00 a. m. ar. S. Grove lv. 2.30 p. m.
11.00 a. m. lv. Trottdale ar. 2.30 p. m.
11.30 a. m. ar. Fairwood lv. 1.00 p. m.
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A very interesting speech recently made in the House is that of Congressman Morehead, of North Carolina. Mr. Morehead calls attention to the financial and industrial conditions under Buchanan and Cleveland as compared with present conditions throughout the country, and then devotes the remainder of his speech to the very remarkable progress made by his own State, North Carolina, during recent years, concluding with an appeal to the people of the South to throw off the thralldom of tradition and prejudice and vote for self-interest as does every other section of the Union.

Chilhowie to Celebrate the Fourth.

Chilhowie, Virginia, May 25.—A large and enthusiastic meeting was held at the School building Saturday last for the purpose of planning a Horse and Colt Show for the fourth of July to be held here. Marion and Rich Valley were well represented and plans were set on foot to make the day one of the biggest and best Fourth's ever held in the county. Smyth County has some fine horses of the various classes, and the competition in the riding and driving contests will be close. The young men are already at work training for the tournament and horses are now beginning to show signs of polishing.

The Committee of Entertainment will have the day packed full of attractive events. Fees for entering the contests will be small so that everybody with a good horse will share it. There will be a class for ponies too.
The field day's sports in themselves will be worth seeing and many a good laugh will come from the comic sports—bag races, three-legged races and such. The premiums will be such as to be attractive, although the main thing is the show rather than the premiums. Good judges—the very best obtainable—will be on hand for each event and the earnest desire of the committee is to have everything pleasant, harmonious, worth-while and edifying.

W. Glenn Baylor is chairman of the association, J. D. Tatevice-chairman; H. L. Bonham is chairman of the entertainment committee, each one of which is enthusiastic and earnest in the desire to make it not only Chilhowie's Big Day but Smyth county's Gala Occasion. Any one interested in the plan should see or write to one of the above mentioned gentlemen.
A trade parade will be a special feature of the day. Floats will be arranged to represent the various business houses, not only of Chilhowie but the adjoining country of Seven Mile Ford and Marion.
Get the refrain and pass it on. It's the good word these days.
"Meet me at Chilhowie-howie,
Meet me at the show,
Don't you see the horses prancing?
I am bound to go."
—Sec., Entertainment Committee.

Have you used Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup? It is the whole thing—babies like it—cures all stomach troubles.

THIN MILK
How can the baby grow strong if the nursing mother is pale and delicate?
Scott's Emulsion
makes the mother strong and well; increases and enriches the baby's food.

WELL-BRED HORSES PAY!
OUR Colts took the "blue ribbon" last year at the ABINGDON FAIR!
We solicit your patronage.
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DAMAGED BY SMOKE ONLY!

The Cincinnati Mercantile Company, manufacturers of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Ladies' Suits and Skirts, located at 242, 244 and 246 West Fifth Street, Cincinnati, O., was damaged to the extent of \$175,000. The Insurance Co., and the owners of the stock failed to agree as to the actual loss, so the New York Wreckage and Salvage Company purchased the entire stock at twenty-seven (27) cents on the dollar. Part of this mammoth stock, consisting of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Ladies' Suits and Skirts, (all garments this season's styles) have just been shipped to WYTHEVILLE, VA., and placed the large store-room on Fourth Ave., next to the Wytheville Foundry and Machine Shops, and will be sold to the people of this and adjoining counties at less than appraised value. This Great Sale will commence on THURSDAY, JUNE 2nd, and will continue for TEN DAYS ONLY, ending on SATURDAY, JUNE 11th, making this the Greatest Ten-Day Sale ever inaugurated in Wytheville, Va. If you value money—don't miss this Great Sale! The Sensation of the Day! The Wonder of the Hour! This sale will break all records for the season. Smash all precedents and drive all pretensions competition to the wall. It will bring people from miles and induce sensible men, "saving" mothers with boys to get some of the Clothes at the Great Bargains ever heard of. The beauty of this sale is all goods of high-class nature. Brand new goods fresh from the pressing irons of manufacturers of high grade Clothing for Men, Boys and Children and Ladies' Suits, Skirts and Wash Suits. Every article in our store will be placed on sale, and every garment, every statement herein made, positively guaranteed or your money back for the asking any time. We have leased the building for ten (10) days only:
Men's Handkerchiefs, worth 10c. and sold all over at that—Price 4c.
Men's Pants, worth \$1.50—Price 58 cents.
Fifty cent Suspenders at 19c.
Men's Suspenders, sold all over at 25c.—Price 9 cents.
Men's Turkey Red and Indigo Blue Handkerchiefs, a regular 10c. value—Price 3 cents.
Boy's Knee Pants, worth 50 cents, Price 19 cents.
Boy's Suits, worth \$3 and sold all over that—Price 98 cents.
Fifty cent Suspenders—Price 19c.
Men's Suits, worth \$6 and sold everywhere at that—Price \$1.98.
Men's Very Fine Japanese Linen Handkerchiefs, sold all over at 15c. Price 6 cents.
Ladies' Suits worth \$15.00—\$4.98
Ladies' Suits worth \$16.50—7.83
Ladies' Suits worth \$18.50—8.63
Ladies' Suits worth \$20.00—9.87
Ladies' Suits worth \$22.00—10.98
Ladies' Suits worth \$25.00—12.19
Three Hundred Ladies' Wash Suits worth \$6—Price \$2.83.
Ladies' Skirts worth \$4.00—\$1.98
Ladies' Skirts worth \$5.00—2.48
Ladies' Skirts worth \$6.50—2.98
Ladies' Skirts worth \$7.50—3.48
Ladies' Skirts worth \$8.50—3.98
Ladies' Skirts worth 10.00—4.83
Ladies' Skirts worth 12.50—5.93
Men's Spring Suits, all sizes and colors, sold all over at \$12.00—Price \$3.98.
Boys' Suits, note the price, strictly all wool suit, always sold at \$6.50, blue serge and fancy, at \$2.98.
Men's New Spring Suits, worth \$10 and sold at that price all over—\$3.98.
Men's New Spring Suits, worth \$8, all sizes, \$2.98.
Boys' Suits, note the price, Knickerbocker Pants, sold in all stores at \$5, come and get one at \$1.98.
Men's Very Fine Suits, strictly hand made, all the latest shades and right up the minute, worth \$25—Our price \$8.95.
Men's New Spring Suits, the very latest shades, all new patterns, regular \$15—Our price \$6.95.
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Men's Fine Suits, note the price, when we show you this Suit you will say it is the biggest bargain you ever saw, sold all over for \$15—Our price \$5.95.
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Men's Suits worth \$10.00 blacks and fancy, price \$2.98.
Men's Very Fine Suits, these are some of the finest suits made, all hand-made, any style and color; this suit sells at \$22.50; Our price \$9.95
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Russian blouse bloomer pants, regular price always \$4—Our price \$1.69.
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Men's Pants, hand-made, all-wool, worth \$5.50, Our price \$2.48.
Men's Pants, worth \$6.50 everywhere, Our price \$2.98.
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Commander Julius A. Pratt, Post No. 143, Dept. III G. A. R.
Mr. Isaac Cook, Commander of the above Post, Kewanee, Ill., writes: "For a long time I was bothered with backache and pains across my kidneys. About two months ago I started taking Foley's Kidney Pills and soon saw they were doing just as claimed. I kept on taking them and now I am free from backache, and the painful bladder misery is all gone. I like Foley's Kidney Pills so well that I have told many of my friends and comrades about them and shall recommend them at every opportunity." Carson Drug Co.

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Children cough at night? Give them Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Often a single dose at bedtime will completely control the cough. Good for any one with a cold or cough. Good for easy cases, hard cases; good for acute cases, chronic cases. Ask your doctor to tell you, honestly and frankly, just what he thinks of this old standard remedy. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
A lazy liver makes a lazy boy. An active brain demands an active liver. No better laxative for boys and girls than Ayer's Pills. Ask your doctor about them. He knows.

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WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY,
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We are also showing this Season the most attractive line of White Goods, Silks, Laces, Hamburgs, &c., that it has ever been our pleasure to offer the people of Marion and Smyth county.
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We have just received a car of Fresh Lime. Price \$1.00 per barrel. *LOOK & LINCOLN.

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ROOMS ARE EASILY AND INEXPENSIVELY MADE BY APPLYING A FEW LBS. OF
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THE MONEY TO BURN keep it in where it may be burned, lost or stolen. You want to keep it safely where it will always be ready for you when needed. Deposit it in 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.

Mrs. P. C. March and children, of Bristol, are visiting relatives in Marion this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Scott, of near Chilhowie, were the guests this week of Dr. and Mrs. Sherrill.

Miss Oattie Wells, of Wyndale, is visiting in Marion this week; the guest of Mrs. W. F. Culbert.

Miss Lucy Dickenson has returned home from Judson Institute, in Alabama, where she has been teaching.

Rev. J. J. Scherer, Jr., of Richmond, arrived here Monday and attended Marion College commencement.

Miss Blanch Hurley, of Saltville, was the guest of Miss Lena Meikirk for several days the latter part of last week.

Mr. H. L. Bonham, a trustee of Marion College, was in attendance at commencement Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. W. B. Anderson and sister, Lizzie Blessing, returned from Bristol Wednesday, and will spend their vacation in Marion.

Mrs. Jno. B. Hafford and little son, Glen Ferris, W. Va., arrived in Marion Tuesday the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Richardson.

H. B. Staley left for Richmond Tuesday night. He accompanied his brother, Dr. T. F. Staley, who is attending the annual meeting of the Association of Surgeons of the Southern Railway.

Married Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the parlors of Marion College, Mr. Isaac Parris and Miss Edith Hall, both of Marion. The ceremony was performed by Dr. J. J. Scherer, assisted by Rev. J. J. Scherer, Jr., of Richmond.

Evangelist L. L. Kendrick, who has been holding meetings for several years in the 7 Mile Ford and South Fork communities has erected his tent on Hook's Branch, South of Marion, where he expects to carry on his work.

Rev. R. K. Sutherland and wife returned from Washington City Wednesday and on next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Mr. Sutherland will give an account of the World's Sixth Sunday School Convention which has just closed in Washington City.

A charter has been granted to the Marion Extract Co. This means we are to have an Extract Plant at Marion, or possibly at Sugar Grove, in the near future. Both Pennsylvania and home capital are interested in the enterprise. The plant will be worth much to our town and county.

A good view of Halley's comet was obtained in Marion Wednesday night. The heavenly body was plainly visible in the West for more than an hour and at 9:30 o'clock it was almost luminous, with a very long tail. The sky was unusually clear, following two days of rain and cloudiness and through the crisp night air the comet showed up to a fine advantage.

The Town Sergeant informs us that the report which appeared in Thursday's Bristol Herald Courier that the dead body of a negro was found here on the Circus grounds Wednesday, partially buried, is without foundation and untrue. No body was found and the report grew out of a remark made to some negro boys about some new earth thrown up on the show grounds. Some one jokingly remarked, there is where they buried a dead negro.

The day has come that a person's time is worth money. If you will go to the W. M. Weaver Hardware Co. they will explain to you what time you can save by having one of the

able Ironing Stoves.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

D. D. Hull, of Roanoke, was a visitor to his parents Sunday and Monday.

Mr. C. S. Snider went down to Bristol Tuesday on a visit to relatives.

Prof. Frank S. Copenhaver returned Monday from Montvale where he has been teaching this year.

WOOL WANTED—Ask us for prices. Vance-Eller Corporation.

Mrs. Dr. H. C. Carson, of Sugar Grove, was attending commencement in Marion this week.

Hon. L. P. Summers, of Abingdon, was transacting legal business in Marion Thursday.

Fancy Virginia Hams, country cured and nicely trimmed, for sale by Vance-Eller Corporation.

W. S. Poage and C. B. Thomas, leading Wytheville attorneys, were attending Circuit Court Thursday.

All streets—even the alleys and country lanes—lead to the 5 and 10 cent store. THEO. LORENZEN, Prop.

Judge Jno. A. Buchanan, of Emory, and Judge R. M. Page, of Abingdon, attended Marion College commencement last Tuesday.

Mr. Geo. H. Poling, of Lynchburg, will be in Marion Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, May 28, 30 and 31 with a full line of China, Cut Glass, Silverware, &c.

Misses Blanche and Kate Thompson, of Buena Vista, Va., are in the city this week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Huff on Scherer street.

Geo. Allen Richardson, of Roanoke, spent a few days of this week on a visit to his parents. He now holds a lucrative position with the Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke Co. people.

A meeting of the directors of the Marion Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will be held on Tuesday, May 31st at 7:30 p. m. at the residence Mrs. C. H. Carper.

If you want to burn up that nice cook stove, why just iron on it the old way. If you wish to save it for many years, buy a Portable Ironing Stove. For sale by W. M. Weaver Hardware Co.

Prof. S. F. Gollehon, who has been teaching at Fairfield, Va., was a visitor to Marion Thursday. He made application to the Circuit Court for a permit to take the State Law Examination to be held next month.

Being wholesale distributors, direct from the largest piano factories in the world, The Hobbie Co., Roanoke, are able to sell the finest pianos at lower prices than small dealers can sell cheap pianos. Write them for their wholesale cost prices on some first-class sample pianos sent them on approval.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Nell Tomlin Copenhaver to Mr. William Morton Sclater on Wednesday, June the eight, at the Methodist Church, at 8:30 p. m. We return thanks for an invitation to be present at the happy event.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lee Richardson expect to move to their farm in Rich Valley in a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Richardson will occupy their home this summer.

Did you hear about it? Why the Portable Ironing Stove for sale by W. M. Weaver Hardware Co. Just ask them to show and explain to you the many saving qualities it has, viz: labor, time and fuel.

The fourth annual meeting of the Smyth County Rural Letter Carriers' Association will be held at Marion on May 30 at 1 p. m. This is the most important meeting of the year, and every member should feel it his duty to be present to assist in the selection of officers for the coming year, also the election of delegates to the Roanoke Convention to be held September 5 and 6. Every carrier in the county is earnestly requested to attend and take part.

H. E. HUBBLE, Pres. T. W. HAYS, Sec.

WANTED—Black Haw Bark of Root at 11 cents, Mayapple Root at 5 cents, and all other roots, herbs, etc., at high prices.

R. T. Greer & Co., Marion, Va.

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Marion College Finals.

Marion College commencement is always an interesting event to many Smyth county people. The exercises this year were opened with a College Concert at the Opera House Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Lovers of music were highly entertained with the interesting program as rendered by the young ladies.

On Sunday at 11 a. m. the Baccalaureate Sermon was delivered in the Methodist church by Rev. N. H. Greener, D. D., of Columbia, S. C. The sermon before the W. H. and F. M. Society was preached by Rev. G. M. Rhoades, of Rural Retreat. Both discourses were able and appropriate.

The music rendered by the College choir was excellent.

The Board of Trustees met Monday at 9 a. m. and, we learn, set on foot plans for the enlargement and improvement of the College.

At 11 a. m. Monday Class Day Exercises were held in the Auditorium of the Court House. The class songs were a special feature of the program. The class of 1910 is composed of the following young ladies: Eula Huddle, President; Bonnie Staley, Secretary; Misses Elizabeth Hawkins, Addie Fleener, Mary Reitor, Grace Newland and Mary Louise Maurer. The papers read by the young ladies on class reminiscences, prophecy, &c. were much more entertaining than the long essays usually given on these occasions.

On Monday evening at 8 o'clock the Department of Expression gave its annual Recital. This consisted of music, readings and a comedy entitled "The Reign of the Suffragette" "A Vision of the 21st Century" This was probably the most enjoyable feature of the entire commencement. The play was excellent and the characters proved themselves more than amateurs. The Physical Culture section "Folk Fantasies" was a happy conclusion of the evening's program.

On Tuesday the annual Literary Address was delivered by Rev. Samuel Crow, of Abingdon. He took for his subject the great Irish poet Tom Moore. The address was a gem and a literary address in every sense of the word.

The diplomas were presented by Rev. Dr. Greiner, president of the Board of Trustees. The medal for Excellence in Bible History was delivered by James White Sheffey to Miss Derrick, of South Carolina. The grade medal was delivered by Judge John A. Buchanan to Miss Mollie Myers, of Long Hollow, this county. Judge R. M. Page, of Abingdon, in appropriate terms, presented a handsome bouquet from the young ladies to Rev. Mr. Crow.

Announcements of class standing by Prof. Copenhaver closed one of the best commencements in the history of the College.

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A touch of rheumatism, or a twinge of neuralgia, whatever the trouble is, Chamberlain's Liniment drives away the pain at once and cures the complaint quickly. First application gives relief. Sold by all dealers.

Adwolfe Notes.

EDITOR NEWS:—Misses Beula and Grace Anderson left last Friday for Bristol, where they will visit relatives and attend the commencement at Virginia Institute.

A large crowd from Adwolfe attended the circus at Marion Monday.

Mrs. Jennie Blankenbecker, with her daughter Alice, was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hettie Hubble, on Stony Battery last Sunday.

Mr. J. M. Blevins was in Adwolfe last Saturday.

Mr. S. T. Copenhaver, of Bristol, was visiting Mrs. E. J. Anderson the latter part of last week. He went up to Atkins Saturday to look after his lumber interest in Glade mountain.

M. M. Copenhaver, a traveling salesman, returned to his home here last Saturday from Grayson.

The Killinger brothers, Arthur and Luther, started to church last Sunday in their automobile, but it got "out of fix" and they had to take it back home. "Spectacles."

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Memorial Day.

Memorial Day will be observed in Marion Friday June 3, the birthday of Jefferson Davis. The Holston Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy will serve luncheon to the Confederate Veterans at twelve o'clock sharp at the Odd Fellows Hall. All the Confederate Veterans are cordially invited to lunch with the Daughters. The Veterans are requested to meet the committee at the Court House at eleven o'clock where badges will be given to them. At two p. m. speeches will be made at Court Square Opera House and Crosses of Honor will be bestowed on fifteen veterans. Everybody is invited to the Opera House, and all are requested to bring, or send flowers to the Court House where a committee will receive them. At the conclusion of the program at the Opera House all, who can do so, will go to Round Hill cemetery to decorate the graves of Confederate soldiers.

Virginia Institute Commencement.

Last Saturday night the annual commencement exercises of Virginia Institute were opened with a Concert, which showed a most successful year in the musical departments of the school, and revealed several voices of unusual power and sweetness.

Sunday morning the Baccalaureate sermon was preached by Rev. Z. T. Cody, D. D., of Greenville, S. C., whose theme was "The Moral Beauty of Jesus," and whose sermon was a beautiful and inspiring development of his theme.

Sunday evening the annual sermon before the Y. M. C. A. of the Institute was preached by Rev. C. Wirt Trainham, of Marion, and was the subject of much favorable comment. The music at both services was of the highest order.

Monday evening the Expression Department gave a presentation of Shakespeare's "Tempest," which was greatly enjoyed.

Tuesday morning the Class Day exercises were held, and Tuesday evening Rev. McMabie, of Bluefield, W. Va., delivered the Literary address.

Wednesday morning brought the session to a close with the presentation of diplomas and certificates of promotion in the various departments. Among the graduates this year were Miss Denton McKee, of Fairwood, and Miss Hattie Anderson, formerly of Adwolfe.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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J. H. PARKS,

MARION, - VA.

The following is a list of candidates filed with the Clerk for Councilmen for Town of Marion:

Jno. R. Sexton, D. H. Mitchell, Geo. W. Sprinkle, W. P. Francis, J. N. Hull, W. C. Seaver, W. J. Atkins, E. M. Copenhaver, Jas. White Sheffey, B. F. Aker, J. M. Briscoe, H. C. Pruner, W. A. Tarter, M. M. Seaver, J. H. Groseclose, Wilson W. Scott, W. E. Hodges, R. T. Greer.

FOR TOWN OF SALTVILLE:

W. D. Mount, E. E. Ward, J. D. Dankley, P. A. Coverston, J. R. Porter, W. B. Porterfield.

Summit News.

Mr. Editor:—Please accept a few personal items from our community. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Harrington were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bourne Sunday.

Mrs. Maurice Hale is quite sick at her home, but hope she will recover soon.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Woody were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Cullop a few days ago.

Misses Birdie and Mae Wassum were the guest of Misses Ardella and Belle Bourne last Sunday.

We had a fine rain recently and

the wheat looks fine.

Miss Maggie Welch and her beau, of Groseclose, attended Summit Sunday school last Sunday eve.

The cold wave has past and we are expecting "Blue Bill," to return in a few days.

Mr. Floyd Bourne was calling at Mr. N. C. Woody's last week.

Mr. N. F. Fry was the recent guest of Mr. E. P. Wassum.

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Dissolution Notice.

This is to give notice that the firm of Greer & Young has been dissolved—that W. E. Greer has purchased the interest of R. E. Young in the Livery business. All notes and accounts due the firm become the property of and are made payable to the said W. E. Greer, who assumes all obligations of said firm. W. E. Greer will continue the business and requests settlement from all parties. Signed: GREER & YOUNG.

Announcements.

GO MY FELLOW-CITIZENS OF MARION:

I hereby announce myself a Candidate for Mayor of said Town. You can easily acquaint yourselves with my qualification and fitness for the position, having served a term in the same capacity several years ago. If elected, I will acquaint myself with the duties of the office and strictly adhere to the same. I will vigorously oppose any increase of salaries until the revenue of said town and the work to be done will justify it. I will also oppose any discrimination in privileges except when and where sanitary laws demand it. I will appreciate your support and regard your wishes after the election as much as before, and will pledge myself to ever be your true and faithful servant. D. F. CARRIER. ELECTION: Tuesday, June 14, 1910.

I HEREBY ANNOUNCE MYSELF A

Candidate for Mayor of the Town of Marion, Va. If elected I will appreciate the honor and discharge the duties of the office in a proper manner. ROBT. L. WILLIAMS. ELECTION: June 14, 1910.

TO THE VOTERS OF MARION

I hereby announce myself a Candidate for Sergeant and Collector of the Town. This is the first time I have ever asked the citizens of our town for their suffrage and promise, if elected, a faithful performance of the duties pertaining to the office. Earnestly soliciting your support, I am Very truly yours, JNO. W. RICE. ELECTION: June 14, 1910.

TO THE CITIZENS OF MARION:

I am a Candidate for the Office of Sergeant and Collector. You know my record and my books and settlement are open for your inspection. If you re-elect me, I will perform the duties as I have heretofore. Yours truly, J. B. RICHARDSON.

TO THE VOTERS OF MARION:

I am a Candidate for re-election to the Office of Recorder in the Election to be held June 14, 1910. All the books of this office are open for your inspection, and I will be pleased to have you call and examine them. If elected I promise the same painstaking and impartial discharge of the duties as in the past. Your support will be appreciated. Respectfully, A. P. SNIDER.

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LEAVE MARION 8:11 a. m. for East Radford, Roanoke, Lynchburg, Petersburg, Richmond and Norfolk. Sleeper Philadelphia and New York via Shenandoah Valley, Pullman Parlor Car Roanoke to Norfolk.

3:00 p. m.—DAILY—For all points between Bristol and Lynchburg, connects at Walton 5:40 p. m. with the St. Louis Express for all points West and Northwest. Pullman Sleepers Walton to Columbus and Cincinnati. Cafe Car to Williamsburg. Pullman Sleeper from East Radford to Philadelphia via Roanoke.

6:45 p. m. for Roanoke, Lynchburg, Petersburg, Richmond, Norfolk and intermediate stations. Pullman Sleepers to Norfolk—Roanoke to Richmond.

Trains for Bristol and the South—Lv. MARION 7:43 a. m., 1:17 p. m. and 8:50 p. m.

NEW RIVER RANCH—Leave East Radford 11:10 a. m. for Bluefield, Pocahontas, Tazewell, Norton and stations on Clinch Valley Division. Pullman Sleepers to Welch and Gary.

8:25 a. m.—Leave East Radford for Bluefield and Columbus. Sleeper to Columbus, Cafe car. Connects at Bluefield for Tazewell and Norton.

NORTH CAROLINA DIVISION—Lv. Pulaski 6:34 a. m.—Daily except Sunday for Bettie Baker and 7:35 a. m. Daily for Fries, Blair and Galax.

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District Convention Call.

At a meeting of the Republican District committee of the Ninth district of Virginia, held at Bristol, Va., March 19, 1910, the following action was taken:

That a convention is hereby called to meet in Abingdon, Virginia, on July 20, 1910, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress and transacting such other business as may properly come before said convention.

Second. The basis of representation will be one delegate for each twenty five votes or fractional part thereof over thirteen cast for Kent in 1909, as follows, viz:

	Votes	Del.	Alt.
Bristol City,	290	12	12
Bland,	316	13	13
Buchanan,	393	16	16
Dickenson,	486	20	20
Giles,	480	20	20
Lee,	1426	57	57
Pulaski,	574	23	23
Russell,	900	36	36
Scott,	1429	57	57
Smyth,	1143	46	46
Tazewell,	1009	40	40
Washington,	1260	50	50
Wise,	1209	48	48
Wythe,	1245	50	50

Total Delegates and Alternates.

Third. The District Committee recommends that the respective City and County Chairmen and Committees in the several cities and counties of the said district forthwith fix the time and place for holding the said city and county conventions or mass meetings for the election of said delegates and alternates to said District Convention, and for the purpose of electing for each county and city a Chairman, Secretary of the Committee, a County or City Committee composed of one member for each Ward and Magisterial district, and Precinct committee of three members for each election precinct in the several counties and cities in the district.

The Certificates of Election of the said Delegates and Alternates, County Chairman, Secretary of the County or City committees shall be signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the City or County conventions, respectfully, and countersigned by the City or County Chairman as the case may be, and promptly forward the originals thereof to the District Chairman, P. J. Davenport, Abingdon, Va., by July 15, 1910.

All voters who intend to support the Republican Congressional candidate, or who believe in Republican principles, are invited to participate in the City or County convention for the purpose aforesaid.

By Order of the Committee,
P. J. DAVENPORT,
Dist. Chairman.

J. PIERCE HURT, Secretary.

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