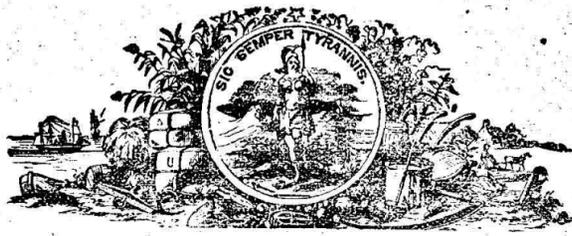
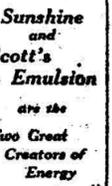




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### Preparing to Bolt.

Lincoln, Neb., March 25.—Declaring that Governor Harmon is a reactionary, and the choice of Wall Street, William J. Bryan has given out a statement attacking the candidacy of the Ohio Governor. Mr. Bryan comments on the attitude taken by Senator Hitchcock favoring Governor Harmon, and adds: "Governor Harmon cannot be nominated without the active aid of Wall Street, and Mr. Bryan has worked too hard and too long for progressive Democratic principles to become instrumental in surrendering the party into the control of predatory interests. If Nebraska's Democracy instructs for Harmon, Mr. Bryan will refuse to serve as a delegate (in case he is elected), but will, instead, go to Baltimore as an individual, and as an individual do what he can to secure the nomination of a progressive Democrat."

You judge a man not by what he promises to do, but by what he has done. That is the only true test. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy judged by this standard has no superior. People everywhere speak of it in the highest terms of praise. For sale by all dealers.

### \$5,000 Check for Foster's Estate.

A check for \$5,000 will be received the latter part of this week by Samuel T. Rhodes & Son, district managers for the National Life Insurance Co., of Vermont, and forwarded to Mr. S. F. Landreth at Hillsville. Mr. Landreth is the administrator of the estate of Commonwealth's Attorney William A. Foster, who was one of the victims of the Allens in the Carroll county court house tragedy. The death proofs have been forwarded to the home offices of the company at Montpelier, and Mr. Rhodes said several days ago that he expects a check for \$5,000, the amount of the policy, to arrive here about Friday.

### Some Reasons for Home Trading.

Because: You examine your purchase and are assured of satisfaction before investing your money.  
 Because: Your home merchant is always ready and willing to make right any error or any defective article purchased of him.  
 Because: When you are sick or for any other reason it is necessary to ask credit, you can go to the local merchant. Could you ask it of a mail order house?  
 Because: If a merchant is willing to extend you credit you should give him the benefit of your cash trade.  
 Because: Your home merchant pays local taxes and exerts every effort to build up and better your market, thus increasing both the value of city and country property.  
 Because: The mail order merchant does not lighten your taxes or in any way help the value of your property.  
 Because: The mail order merchant does nothing for the benefit of markets or real estate values.  
 Because: "If your town or community is good enough to live in it is good enough to spend your money in."—Gov. Folk of Missouri.  
 Because: The best citizens in your community patronize home industry. Why not be one of the best citizens?  
 Because: If you will give your home merchants an opportunity to compete, by bringing your order to him in the quantities you buy out of town, he will demonstrate that, quality considered, he will save you money.—The Southwestern Home Trade League, Wichita, Kan.

Children are much more likely contract the contagious diseases when they have colds. Whooping cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever and consumption are the diseases that are often contracted when the child has a cold. That is why all medical authorities say beware of colds. For the quick cure of colds you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.

### The Democrat Was Right Emory and Henry News.

A good Democrat, while passing the new million dollar court house in this city the other day, made the remark that even if it did cost a heap of money it was a good investment because it kept a lot of men employed who might have been compelled to go elsewhere. He was right, but when the same argument is applied in defense of a Protective policy for this country he no doubt will kick over the traces and declare for Free-Trade. The policy of Protection has been to foster industry that would give employment to the wage-earners at the highest wages paid in the world. Little as the Tariff is on the many imported articles it has stimulated a great increase in every line of industry, and labor has received her share, the labor skate's argument to the contrary notwithstanding. Take off the remainder of the Protection given against foreign labor and there will be an exodus back to the foreign lands where labor will be in demand, but at wages that Americans now frown upon. High-Tariff means high wages, Low Tariff or Free-Trade low wages, and in many industries no wages.—Pueblo (Col.) Opinion.

### Claude Allen Game.

Galax, Va., March 26.—Claude Swanson Allen, the 22-year-old son of Floyd Allen, and one of those indicted for the Hillsville court house murders, has cleverly eluded all pursuers.

This information came from the leaders of the hunt for the gang who, on March 14th, swooped down on the Carroll county court, killed Judge Massie, Prosecutor Foster, Sheriff Webb, Juror Fowler, Miss Nancy Ayers, and wounded two bystanders.

Claude Allen, who once attended a military school at Raleigh, N. C., and knows more of the outside world than the average mountaineer, it has been learned, took a pocketful of gold from the family cash drawer on the night of the tragedy, put on his best clothing and vanished on horse-back beyond the North Carolina line. Hope of finding him in the mountain region has now been abandoned.

### Uncle Ezra Says

It don't take more'n a gill uv effort to git fol s into a pec. of trouble and a little neglect of constipation, biliousness, indigestion or other liver derangement will do the same. If ailing, take Dr. New King's Life Pills for quick results. Easy, safe, sure and only 25 cts at the Carson Drug Co.

### Send It In.

A "suggestion" to the country editor by the old-time Missouri Rhymer:  
 If you have a bit of news, send it in; Or a joke that will amuse, send it in. A story that is true, An incident that's new, We want to hear from you! Send it in.  
 Never mind about your style. Send it in!  
 If it's only worth the while, send it in. Of those crops that all amaze— Of the berries "neighbors" raise— Of a section you would praise—send it in.  
 Of some patient labor done—send it in;  
 Of a fallen brother won, send it in. O' a master who can teach Truth beyond the average reach— Of a noble, glowing speech, send it in.  
 Will your story make us laugh? Send it in.  
 Send along a photograph. Send it in. When our fishing, send a note— Of the things you catch afloat— Or the good times on the boat—send it in.  
 —Charles Collins Roland, National Magazine.  
 Never can tell when you'll mash a ger or suffer a cut, bruise, burn or sore. Be prepared. Dr. Thomas' Electric Ointment instantly relieves the pain—quickly cures the wound.

### Emory, Va., March 23.—On Sunday, the 17th, at eleven o'clock, Dr. W. S. Neighbors preached an excellent sermon on "Why young people should read good literature." At 7 o'clock Rev. Mr. Summers, also of Sullins, preached in the Y. M. C. A. Financial Secretary, S. B. Vaught, was here Thursday en route for Johnson City. He reports favorably relative to the "New Emory and Henry."

Dr. J. P. McConnell returned Sunday from Norton, where he and Dr. S. D. Long met and addressed an Educational conference of county superintendents and principals of Academies and High Schools of Lee, Scott, Wise, Russell, Dickenson and Buchanan counties.

President Chas. C. Weaver was in Bristol Wednesday, the 20th, on business concerning the Summer Normal at this place.

Mrs. J. S. Miller, who has been for some time suffering with lumbago, is improving.

Judge John A. Buchanan is expected home from his bench in Richmond soon.

A number of our young men attended Junior and Senior receptions at Martha Washington and Virginia Intermont Colleges, and at Stone-wall Jackson Institute recently.

Prof. J. L. Hardin is fitting his new residence with a new suit of porch furniture.

Chester Porter, of Ashe county, N. C., is the guest of "Uncle Joe" Weaver. He is stopping over en route to Oklahoma.

Arrangements will probably be made for a number of courses in regular college work to be given here this summer.

President Weaver is arranging for a series of free lectures to be given before the student body by prominent business, political and educational men of this State, and adjoining ones.

The Ladies Missionary meeting was held at the home of Mrs. J. L. McGhee, Thursday, the 21st inst.

Mrs. C. K. Crowe, of the Byars House, spent some days with relatives in Marion community recently.

Cards are out announcing the approaching wedding of Jas. A. Johnson, ministerial student in this college, and Miss Elizabeth Kelly, of near Saltville; date, Wednesday afternoon, the 27th.

Farmers of the community are rejoicing over the recent beautiful weather, and are taking advantage of it by trying to catch up with their plowing.

Don't let the baby suffer from eczema, sores or any itching of the skin. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, cures quickly. Perfectly safe for children. All druggists sell it.

"Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me."—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.

What We Never Forget according to science, are the things associated with our early home life, such as Bucklen's Arnica Salve, that mother or grandmother used to cure our burns, boils, scalds, sores, skin eruptions, cuts, sprains or bruises. For years of cures prove its merit. Unrivaled for piles, corns or cold-sores. Only 25c. at the Carson Drug Co.

### Good Advice About Traveling to the Far West and Northwest

Don't leave your arrangements until the last minute. Right now is the time for you to be ready. You will want the best thing to offer soon about the "Burrou" in every way here you want to northwest or the you complete take the little high chairs sleepers (low way. Please drop me what you want to know. T. Turner, Traveling Passenger Agent, C. & Q. R. R., 307 Union Trust Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio.

### Sidna Edwards Now in the Hillsville Jail.

Hillsville, Va., March 22.—Sidna Edwards, a tall, rugged mountaineer of twenty-two years, sat calmly in the darkness of the little brick jail here last night, the first catch of the posses who have been scouring the mountains for those of the Allen gang who got away after the court house assassination of March 14th, when a judge, prosecutor, sheriff and two bystanders were killed and two others were very seriously wounded.

Detective Legrand Felts and W. W. Phant, heading a posse, came upon Edwards at four o'clock yesterday morning asleep in an empty hut a mile from his home. He was unarmed and when he awoke the detectives were at his side. He made no resistance and went to a farmer's house near Lumburg, Va., and started for Hillsville with his captors early yesterday morning. Jack Allen, his uncle, one of the Allens who was not at the court house on the day of the tragedy, joined his nephew on the way in and galloped along with the party.

They cauterized in and paused while the moving picture men clicked off a few hundred feet of films. Detectives carrying rifles followed closely. The party turned in at a little lane where the raiders a week ago drew rein and left their ponies while they went to wipe out the human fabric of Carroll court. Sidna left his mount and was hustled to the jail across from the stable. He protested against being put into a musty cell and wanted to occupy the corridor, but his keeper was stern and locked him up.

EDWARDS MAKES STATEMENT. In the presence of Detective Felts, Edwards talked freely last night: "I know nothing of the cause of the court house shooting," he said. "I walked into the court house when I saw Uncle Floyd jump up and say something, but I could not hear what it was. Right away somebody began to shoot from about Clerk Goad's desk, but I don't know who fired the first shot. I saw Uncle Sidna after the shooting began. I did not see my cousins or my brothers. As soon as I could, with my lame foot, I got out of the court house and stood at the bottom of the steps. I saw Uncle Sidna and Mr. Goad shooting at one another. After it was over I got my mother's horse and rode home. Before I left I saw Uncle Floyd on a horse and then I saw him lying on the ground. If he had been able to ride we would have taken him away with us. I saw my brother Wesley on the road and that afternoon I saw Uncle Sidna at his store. I have never seen any of them or heard tell anything about them or where they are, since that evening. I stayed at home until Sunday and had started to a neighbor's when I saw the officers. I was in plain view from the road and they could have taken me then, but I did not go back home because I heard the officers had orders to shoot all of us on sight. I went about and lived the best I could until the officers run upon me night before last. I did not have a pistol at the court house, or while I was trying to keep from being arrested."

It is understood that witnesses before the grand jury which returned the indictments testified that Sidna Edwards handed a pistol on the court house green to Sidna Allen to enable the latter to continue his pistol duel with Clerk Goad.

### The Men Who Succeed

As heads of large enterprises are men of great energy. Success, to-day, demands health—to all is to fail. It's utter folly for a man to endure a wear, run-down, half-alive condition when Electric Bitters will put him right on his feet in short order. "Four bottles did me more real good than any other medicine I ever took," writes Chas. B. Allen, Sylvania, Ga. "After years of suffering with rheumatism, liver trouble, stomach disorders and deranged kidneys, I am again, thanks to Electric Bitters, sound and well." Try them—only 60c. at Carson Drug Co.

### \$100,000 Will Be Spent at Plasterco.

The United States Gypsum Co., which has a large plant at Plasterco, in Washington county, Va., near Saltville, has been at work on improvements and extension. The company has appropriated \$100,000 for the improvements of its plant at Plasterco, and several large new buildings will be installed, together with additional machinery, for the manufacture of wall plaster. The company's principal offices are in Chicago, and it will spend \$700,000 this year in extensions, of which \$100,000 will be spent at the plant near Saltville.

### But One Idea.

The country now has in the present Democratic House of Congress what could be expected in the way of Free-Trade and other revolutionizing enactments, were the Senate President also Democratic. What has been done so far by the Democratic House indicates that the Free Trade party has not modified its desires on that score. It has but one idea on the Tariff question, and that idea developed into disaster to the country where they had full control under Grover Cleveland—Greenville (O.) Courier.

You can say good-bye to constipation with a clear conscience if you use Chamberlain's Tablets. Many have been permanently cured by their use. For sale by all dealers.

### Emmett Feazell Dies.

Emmett Feazell, who has been sick for several months with a complication of diseases, died at the home of his parents, at Atkins, Va., at four o'clock Monday morning. He is survived by several brothers and sisters. The funeral was conducted at eleven o'clock Tuesday morning at Atkins, Va.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of coughs, colds and croup. It can be depended upon—try it. For sale by all dealers.

### Worthless Reading.

"Worthless reading makes worthless people." Put that in big letters and bat it up in your sitting room, where you can see it every day, and where the young people can see it. Maybe it will call their attention to the books they are reading, which are uplifting or degrading. They are one or the other. Parents don't seem to realize this. Nine out of ten of them do not seem to understand the significance of a book.

An education amounts to nothing if a boy or girl turns it into shallow reading. Their minds are filled with trash and their thinking is weak when they read the kind of books that are mostly read these days. It is a sad mistake to allow this matter to go at random, and to allow the youth's taste for reading to grow rank and wild.

The highest triumph of an education is the desire and habit to read good books. It makes no difference how well a boy gets along in his mathematics or language, if he has no taste for good reading it is all waste. Parents will take great interest in the marks their child gets at school, but they are hopelessly careless as to what those marks mean for him in his after life. It is time they were giving attention to this subject.—Ohio State Journal.

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 aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1898.

W. A. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## MOST WOMEN

Plan lots of Sewing This Month for the new season demands New Clothes and one must face the questions: o o o

### WHAT TO WEAR HOW TO FASHION IT

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New Spring Goods and an Up-to-Date Line of and best of all, Right Prices.

## J. M. BRISCO

MARION, VA.

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### We Ask You to Come and Examine the Goods

If not as represented don't buy. We have by far the largest stock of Shoes ever offered in the town, and will save you big money. The Goods are the Best, New and Stylish. We also offer Great Reduction off on Men's Pants and Clothing, Dry Goods and Notions. We intend to show the people that we sell everything for less than you can buy elsewhere. Come and see us we may have what you want. If we have, it's cheaper than elsewhere.

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MARION, VA. MARCH 29 1912.

## Jezebel Goad.

Newspapers of the United States are paying many tributes to Miss Jezebel Goad, daughter of Dexter Goad, the brave clerk of Carroll county, who, when the Allen outlaws attacked his fellow officials, faced them with no thought of fear and followed them out of the building, firing at them as long as a cartridge remained in his weapon. The Mount Airy News has the following:

"Of all the heroes you have read about in story and song none will measure up with Miss Jezebel Goad, the beautiful daughter who stood bravely by her father two weeks ago. Talk about young women melting up pewter plates and carrying water from springs when the men dared no go, all such stories look little by the side of what the Hillsville beauty did when she saw her father in danger. She was in the Clerk's office when the fight started and she rushed into the bullet-ridden room as if she had not a thought for her own safety. Through the mass of fighting men she forced her way to the side of her father, who was bleeding freely from a wound in the face. When he refused to stop firing at the desperadoes and pushed her away she lost sight of her own and her father's danger. The sight of one of the desperadoes holding the door was too much for her and she bravely tackled the man and pulled him from his post of guard. Then she seized the pistol of a desperado who was near and with the assistance of a man who aided took the smoking weapon from him. Of all the heroes, who were that day brought to light none will compare with Miss Jezebel. The man has never yet been born who is worthy of such a woman. May her name live in story and song along with that of a Ruth or an Esther."

The letters sent out by Congressman Slomp are proving an educational factor. We have heard more inquiries and more discussion on Parcels Post within the past ten days than you generally hear on who shall be President. People who had given the matter no thought are inquiring and investigating the subject so they can give Mr. Slomp a reply which conforms to their best judgment. Quite a number are responding to his inquiries.

## FEED IS SCARCE

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## "Actions Speak Louder Than Words."

The Democratic press has been spraking loud against the use of money in elections, and especially in the Ninth district. Their candidate, the late Attorney-General Ayers, places himself on high ground and says: "I solicit votes upon principle and not for dollars." Now this sounds well and is right, but does he mean for his organization and the people who nominated him to adhere to this order? If so, we want to ask a few questions: Why do the Democrats nominate a candidate for Congress seven and one-half months before the election? Will it take this great length of time to organize the district which has the fine organization left it by Henry Stuart? Does it take more time to organize the Ninth district than the entire United States. Why nominate a candidate before you can make a platform to put him on? Having no declarations from your party in the State or Nation. Why all this haste? Some will likely say, "Its just to organize." We, of course, don't want to say Mr. Ayers is insincere, but it may be the poll tax question had something to do with bringing about the early convention held by the Ninth district Democrats. In the Henry Stuart campaign our Democratic friends were held and did not hesitate to say why they held an early convention. Money flowed freely from the beginning to the end. Now, why hold up your hands in holy horror and cry, "I would rather go down in defeat than accept a bought certificate." This is fine and no doubt General Ayers is personally sincere, but will his committee and the people to whom he made this statement conform to the sentiment? Wait only a few days and see if don't find certain Democratic workers spending money on poll tax. We will also wait and see if Mr. Ayers stops his leaders from this work. If he does, then we will know that all this talk from the Democratic press against the use of money in the Ninth district is sincere. The record of our Democratic friends in the last campaign and their actions now don't conform to the high ground taken by their candidate. It is an old but true saying that "Actions speak louder than words."

## The Parcels Post.

Congressman Slomp has sent out letters to practically all the voters asking whether they favor a general Parcels Post or only one limited to E. F. D. routes. Many do not understand the bill sufficiently well to answer. The bill in substance would allow the government to transmit through the mails packages up to 11 pounds, charging 5 cents for the first pound and 2 cents for each additional pound, making it cost 25 cents for a 11 pound package or 7 cents for a 2 pound package. The present rate is 16 cents per pound and the limit four pounds. Those opposed to the measure say it is a bill only in favor of the big mail order houses while those in favor of it say it would be of great benefit to the farmer. From what thought we have been able to give the matter we are opposed to a general parcels post. The rural parcels post might not be so bad but we doubt whether the farmer could afford to pay 25 cents for the delivery of 11 pounds of sugar costing 60 to 70 cents or seven cents to market a dozen of eggs. As a rule local and country merchants are opposed to the measure thinking it would militate against them in favor of the mail order house. We believe in standing by our home people and if it can be shown that this bill will benefit the farmers and laboring classes and not injure the home merchant then it may bring some good. The town and country are dependent upon each other and it is to their interest to stand by each other rather than to aid in building up great houses in distant cities. We have written these few lines to cause you to think on this matter not from a selfish standpoint but for interest of all concerned. The R. F. D. Parcels Post is meant to carry only packages that might originate on the route or at the starting point on the route.

Ex Senator Robert P. Bruce in an interview is reported as saying that "Ayers will win in the Ninth." Now if Mr. Bruce is in earnest why didn't he accept the nomination which we understand he could have received? No doubt he would be pleased to represent the old Ninth in Congress. The fact is that the former Democratic nominee must know that the Democrats can't win in the Ninth district and he finds it easier to talk for the other fellow than to get into

## An Ordinance.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the terms of an Ordinance of the Mown Council of the Town of Marion, Virginia, passed at its regular meeting held on March 1st, 1912, bids will be received by the Mayor of said Town of Marion as the presiding officer of said Council, in open session of said Council at its office in Dunlap building on Main Street, Marion, Virginia, on April 12th, 1912, at 12 o'clock M. for the franchises, privileges and rights proposed to be granted in said Ordinance. Said bids shall be in writing and shall be made and dealt with pursuant to all the terms in said Ordinance named and pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of the State of Virginia in such cases made of Virginia in such cases made and provided. Said Ordinance being in words and figures following:

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the granting by the Town of Marion, Virginia, to a person or corporation hereafter to be ascertained in the mode prescribed by law, the right, privilege and franchise to acquire, maintain, construct, extend and operate a system of works, transmission lines, poles, wires, masts, cables and all necessary apparatus, appurtenances and fixtures in, under, upon, along, over and across the streets, avenues, alleys and public grounds within the limits of the Town of Marion, Virginia, as the same now exists or may hereafter be extended, for the purpose of transmitting electricity through said Town and of supplying and distributing the same and furnishing and selling the same to the said Town and the inhabitants thereof, for light, heat, power and other uses to which electricity may be put.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Town of Marion, Virginia, as follows:

SECTION 1. That there shall be granted in the mode prescribed by law the rights, privileges and franchises in, under, upon, along, over and across the streets, avenues and public grounds within the limits of the said Town of Marion, in the State of Virginia, as the same now exists or may hereafter be extended, which are embodied in the following ordinance, to wit:

AN ORDINANCE Granting to its successors and assigns, the right, privilege and franchise to acquire, maintain, construct, extend and operate a system of works, transmission lines, poles, wires, masts, cables and all necessary apparatus, appurtenances and fixtures in, under, upon, along, over and across the streets, avenues, alleys and public grounds belonging to the said Town within the limits of the Town of Marion, in the State of Virginia, as the same now exists or may hereafter be extended, for the purpose of transmitting electricity through the said Town and of supplying and distributing the same and furnishing and selling the same to said town and inhabitants thereof, for light, heat, power and other uses to which electricity may now or hereafter be put.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Town of Marion, Virginia, as follows:

SECTION 1. That there is hereby granted to its successors and assigns, hereinafter in this ordinance designated the "grantee", which term shall, as hereafter used in this ordinance, include not only such successors and assigns, but also its successors and assigns, the authority, right, privilege and franchise to acquire, construct, extend and operate a system of works, transmission lines, poles, wires, masts, cables and all necessary apparatus, appurtenances and fixtures in, under, upon, along, over and across the streets, avenue, alleys and public grounds within the limits of the Town of Marion, State of Virginia, as the same now exists or may hereafter be extended, for the purpose of transmitting electricity through the said town and of supplying and distributing such electricity, and furnishing and selling the same to the said Town and the inhabitants thereof for light, heat, power and other uses to which such electricity is now or may be hereafter put, subject to the provisions in this ordinance hereinafter contained.

SECTION 2. All poles and wires maintained or erected by virtue of this Ordinance, shall be so maintained and erected at such places and in such manner as not to obstruct or impede the use of said streets, avenues, alleys or public grounds for the ordinary purpose of travel thereon, and shall be located and erected under the supervision of the Street Committee and all wires shall be strung thereon so as not to interfere with buildings in course of construction or already constructed. Whenever anyone desires to move any building through or across said streets or alleys of said Town, within or upon which any such wires are strung, whereby any of the said wires would be injured or interfered with, such person shall in writing give to the grantee herein twenty-four hours notice of the time and place when and where he desires such wires moved for such purposes, and thereupon the grantee, upon the payment to it of the reasonable and actual cost and

wire to be moved so as to allow the passage of such building, but in all cases such removal of said wires shall only be required between the hours of six o'clock A. M. and three o'clock P. M.

SECTION 3. All poles erected by virtue of this Ordinance shall be reasonably straight and shall be painted two-thirds of the way from the ground up, and wires erected by virtue of this Ordinance shall not be allowed to sag, and the said poles and wires shall be so erected and maintained as not to interfere with the telephone poles, wires and cables as are now erected and maintained in the said Town.

SECTION 4. The Grantee herein shall furnish electric current for light, heat, power and other purposes for twenty-four hours each and every day continuously for seven days a week, under such reasonable rules and regulations as may be made by Grantee, to all citizens of said Town who desire such electricity and are willing to pay therefor at the regular price to be established by said Grantee, provided that said Grantee shall not in any event make any charge for current for lighting purposes in excess of ten (10) cents per Kilowatt hour, and provided also, that said Grantee shall not in any event make a charge of more than four and one-half (4 1/2) cents per kilowatt hour for power purposes. The term "electric current furnished for power purposes" shall apply only where such current is furnished for motors with a capacity of two horse power or over and provided also, that said Grantee shall not be required to furnish current for power purposes between the hours of six o'clock P. M. and eleven o'clock P. M., or to extend its lines more than three hundred feet to supply any one customer, and provided also, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to invalidate the franchise hereby granted to said Grantee, if by reason or shortage of water, installation of additional machinery, injury or break down of machinery, damage or injury to any electric transmission line or lines, accidents, strikes, washouts and other causes beyond the control of said Grantee, it shall be unable to furnish such electricity, provided, however, that said Grantee shall use reasonable diligence to put itself in a condition as soon as reasonably possible to resume the furnishing of such electricity.

SECTION 5. The Grantee herein shall use diligence to meet the reasonable demands for current of the Town of Marion, Va., and the inhabitants thereof, and shall keep itself in readiness to serve those connected to its lines and for such readiness to serve said Grantee shall have the right to make a minimum charge of 75 cents per month per motor installed and used for lighting purposes, and \$1.00 per month for each horse power or fraction thereof of power capacity which any power consumer may have connected to the plant, or system or wires of said Grantee, (which minimum charge shall be known as a "readiness to serve" charge) provided that such readiness to serve charge shall not be made against any consumer for any month in which the consumption of current figured at the regular rates shall be equal or exceed such minimum charge provided further that said readiness to serve charge shall be as favorable as that fixed in any other town in South western Virginia similarly situated and of comparatively the same population as the town of Marion, and provided further, that when the consumption of current by any consumer for any month, figured at the regular rate of rates, does not equal at least the minimum charge for readiness to serve, the payment of such charge shall be payment for the current consumed.

SECTION 6. All bills for current furnished shall be due and payable ten days from the date of the rendering thereof, and upon the failure of any consumer to pay any bill within fifteen days from the date thereof, said Grantee may discontinue the service of such consumer and shall not be required to furnish electricity to any such consumer until payment of all indebtedness and One Dollar additional for re-connection.

SECTION 7. As a security for the payment of bills, the Grantee may demand, and any new consumer shall upon demand deposit with the said Grantee an amount equal to the estimated service for two months. Whenever the service is discontinued the deposit, less any moneys the consumer may owe to the Grantee at that time, shall be immediately returned to the depositor.

SECTION 8. Every person, partnership, association or corporation using or desiring to use the electric current shall allow said Grantee, its agents or employees to enter at any and all reasonable times upon his premises or the premises of any other person, partnership, association or corporation, to furnish and maintain the same.

SECTION 9. The right is reserved to the Town of Marion, Va. to use the poles of said Grantee, free

of charge, but under the supervision of the local manager of said Grantee for fire alarms and police alarm purposes, but in such manner as will not interfere with their use by said Grantee, provided, however, that said fire alarm and police alarm wires shall in all cases be placed above those of the Grantee.

SECTION 10. The said Grantee covenants and agrees to save the Town of Marion, Virginia, free and harmless from all damages and expense incurred or to be incurred by reason of any act, conduct or negligence of its agents, servants and employees, in the construction, operation and maintenance of such electric system.

SECTION 11. Said Grantee shall furnish to the Town of Marion, Virginia, at all times during the life of this franchise, such arc or other street lights for lighting the streets, avenues, parks and other public grounds and places at prices to be at prices to be agreed upon by said Town and said Grantee.

SECTION 12. Any person who shall interfere with, cut, injure or destroy any of the poles, wires or other property of the said Grantee, connected and maintained in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance, in the corporate limits of the said Town of Marion, Virginia, shall be guilty of misdemeanor.

SECTION 13. The right, privilege and franchise herein granted shall continue for a period of thirty (30) years from this date of the passage and approval of this Ordinance.

SECTION 14. The Grantee to whom this right, privilege and franchise is awarded shall execute a bond with good and sufficient surety, in favor of the Town of Marion, Virginia, in the sum of \$20,000.00 conditioned upon the construction, and putting into operation and main taining the plant or plants provided for in the right, privilege and franchise hereby granted.

SECTION 15. That upon the approval of this Ordinance by the Mayor of the Town of Marion, Virginia, it shall be the duty of the Mayor to cause to be advertised once a week for four successive weeks in a newspaper published in the Town of Marion, Virginia, the draft of the Ordinance contained in the foregoing section, and in addition it shall, by such advertisement, invite bids in writing for the franchise, privileges or rights proposed to be granted in the proposed Ordinance, which bids are to be in writing and delivered on the 12th day of April, 1912 at the hour of 12 o'clock M., to the presiding officers of the Council of the Town of Marion, Va., in open session of said Council to be dealt with and acted upon in the mode prescribed by law. All costs of advertising shall be paid by the Town of Marion provided, however, that such costs shall be reimbursed to said Town by the person or corporation to whom the franchise, privilege or right proposed to be granted in the draft of the Ordinance contained in the foregoing section, is finally given. The Town of Marion hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to reject a higher and award said franchise to a lower bidder, if in its opinion some reason affecting the interest of the Town, make it advisable so to do.

SECTION 16. This Ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved,  
R. T. GREER,  
Mayor.  
Attest:  
A. P. SNIDER,  
Recorder.  
R. T. GREER,  
Mayor of the Town of Marion, Va.

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- LAW AND REAL ESTATE.
- No. 1.—Two-room house, barn, good orchard and eight acres of land on Nick's Creek, for \$400.00.
  - No. 2.—Twelve and one half acres of land, about one mile or so from Mt. Carmel, \$500.00.
  - No. 3.—Four-room house and lot on Look & Lincoln's hill, good stable, chicken house, smoke house and wood house, with some fruit trees.
  - No. 4.—Eight-room house and 1/2 acre lot on Water street. House and all outbuildings new and up to date in every particular. Cheap at the price of \$1,500.
  - No. 5.—Six-room house, stable, granary and orchard with 167 acres of valuable land in Wassum Valley—watered by six or eight springs—four miles north of Marion and one mile of school and church. Price, \$80 per acre.
  - No. 6.—Eight-room house and thirty acres of good land, good barn, etc., adjoining the above farm. Price, \$2,100. Will be sold together if desired, making a farm of nearly 300 acres.
  - No. 7.—Six-room house, barn, crib and all necessary outbuildings, in good repair, with 98 acres of valuable land near the above named places, together with all personal property, household and kitchen furniture of whatever kind on the place. Price, complete, \$3,600.
  - No. 8.—One of the coziest, prettiest homes in the town of Marion, six rooms and bath, concrete basement, hot water heat and eight springs—Good darn, cow stable, smoke house, chicken house, 25 fruit trees (three years old.) Beautiful lot and beautiful location, lot 135x135—over 1-2 acre. The whole thing for \$4,000.
  - No. 9.—Ninety-five acres of choice land, in heart of cabbage belt, 10-room house and all out-buildings, in excellent condition, on McCasland road railroad, almost right at depot; high school, churches, etc., 300 assorted fruit trees, (just coming in to bearing), 7 acres wheat, all farming implements and provisions etc. Price, \$15,000.00.

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**MARION NEWS**

**LOCAL ITEMS.**

W. Glenn Baylor, of Bristol, was in Marion on business Tuesday.

Mr. A. F. Hutton and daughter, of Atkins, were visitors to Marion Tuesday.

Commonwealth's Attorney Geo. Fred Cook went down to Bristol on business Monday.

Miss Mary Murcer, of Groseclose, was the guest of Miss Sallie Rice last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Rouse, of near St. Clair Bottom, were shopping in Marion last Saturday.

Mr. E. H. Hughes, of near Holstein Mills, and who has been in West Virginia for the most part during the past fifteen months, was a visitor to Marion Monday.

Mr. John Phillipie and family returned last Friday from Freeport, Neb., where they went about twelve months ago to reside. We learn they will re-locate in old Virginia.

Mr. H. B. Staley returned last Thursday from a week's visit to relatives in Atlanta. He speaks in glowing terms of the rapid growth and progress of this great Southern city.

Mrs. R. P. Page, of Roanoke, came out last Saturday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. D. H. Mitchell. She was accompanied by Misses Minnie Patterson and Mary Overstreet. Mrs. Page returned Sunday night and the young ladies Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Hawkins, of Dublin, and Mrs. B. C. Taylor, of Pulaski, came down last Friday and remained until Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hawkins. The former is the mother and the latter the sister of Mr. Hawkins.

Rev. E. M. Harris, the recently elected pastor of the Baptist church, expects to arrive in Marion with his family on Tuesday of next week. He will preach the first Sunday in April at Saltville and on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays of each month at Marion.

Work has been resumed on the new College building and it is expected to have it ready for school to open in September. President Miller is doing much in the way of collecting funds with which to carry on the work, and when completed the new College will be a great benefit to Marion and our entire Southwest section. It will be splendidly equipped throughout with all the modern conveniences.

Rev. Rufus E. Kern, who this spring completes his theological course at the Philadelphia seminary, has accepted a call to become pastor of the Lutheran congregation at Marion and at Ebenezer. Mr. Kern will visit the congregations during Easter season. Services will be held at Marion Easter Sunday morning and evening, and at Ebenezer on the following Sunday morning. After June 1st the work will be in charge of the new pastor.

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See what the Hawkins-Copenhaver Co. have to say in their big ad this week.

Mr. W. H. Sprinkle, of Rural Retreat, came down to Marion Wednesday on a business visit.

The program for the Motion Pictures for the balance of the week are good. You should not fail to see them all.

Mrs. Josephine Dunlap left Tuesday morning for Hampton, Va. where she goes to spend several weeks with Mrs. M. L. Livingston.

Mrs. Elizabeth Nibbs, of Atlanta, who has been spending several days here visiting Mrs. Jno. S. Apperson, has gone to Wytheville to visit friends there.

Jennings, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Mitchell, who has been seriously ill for several days, is improving and his physician entertains hopes for his recovery.

See what C. C. Whitworth of the Marion Bargain House has to say on the first page of The News this week. If you are interested in shoes he is now in a position to give you what you want and save you some money.

Full line of Fertilizers for all crops. The D. H. Mitchell Co.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. C. Lee Wolfe, formerly of Adwolve, this county, to Miss Mary Anna Hobbs, of Disputanta, Va. The marriage to be performed Wednesday, April 10, 1912, at 8:30 o'clock, Trinity Methodist Episcopal church.

**Public School Notes.**

The new school at Piedmont will be opened for occupancy next Saturday. An elaborate program for the occasion has been arranged by the principal, Mr. Floyd Echols.

In connection with the closing entertainments of the Seven Mile Ford School, Mrs. D. W. Read made a very suggestive talk on industrial education.

Very successful exhibitions characterized the closing of the schools at Greenwood and Attoway. The latter took the form of a Washington's Birthday celebration.

Although the patrons of Mt. Carmel had secured a fund for the extension of the school, owing to a sudden outbreak of measles in the community, it was thought best to close the term.

A School and Civic Club was recently organized at Seven Mile Ford, with Mrs. Frank Dungan, president; Mrs. H. L. Morgan, vice-president; Mrs. Pulliam, treasurer, and Miss Anna Copenhaver, secretary.

On the afternoon of April 19th, at the Court House in Marion, will be held a Spelling Match, each teacher in the county furnishing one speller. Immediately after the spelling, young ladies sent from High Schools and Graded Schools will contend for a medal in recitation.

At 7:30 p. m. of the same date, a class of young men coming from the same schools will speak for a gold medal. A Webster's Unabridged Dictionary will be given as a prize to the best speller. An admission fee of 15 cents for each entertainment will be charged, the proceeds to be apportioned to the Library Funds of the High Schools and Graded Schools participating, on the basis of the number of teachers in each school doing high school work.

The Literary Societies at Mt. Carmel and at Sugar Grove have made an exceptionally fine showing this session.

The Richmond branch of the Equal Suffrage League of Virginia offers a prize of \$50.00 to the pupil of the Virginia Public Schools who writes the best essay on the subject—Equal Suffrage. Contest closes June 1, 1912.

**Marion's Laundry.**

The work of constructing a modern Steam Laundry in Marion is under headway. Mr. J. C. Held, of New Jersey, is the proprietor. He expects to rush the work and be ready to operate as soon as the building can be erected and machinery placed. We welcome Mr. Held and his family to Marion and feel quite sure they will be pleased with our beautiful and progressive town.

**CASTORIA For Infants and Children.**

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**Seven Mile Ford.**

J. J. Haukla went down to Chilhowie Monday to attend the burial of his aunt, Mrs. Martha Rector. Miss Sallie Mitchell was visiting Miss Nell Preston Sunday.

There has been preaching at the Gospel Hall this week by Mr. Cap, the converted Jew.

Charlie Porter is not feeling so well this week as he did last.

Mrs. R. M. Gollehon has just received her new line of millinery and will have her opening April 4th and 5th.

Misses Rachel Rector and Mabel Dungan spent Sunday with Miss Hazel Booth.

Farmers are getting ready to plant their early cabbage. You can get the seed at Rice & Shannon's.

Mrs. Preston went down to Bristol Tuesday.

Little Sanders, the three year old son of Charlie Porter, has been quite sick this week with something like measles.

Miss Belle Humphrey, who has been suffering with rheumatism, went out driving Monday.

The little daughter of Frank Kelley is numbered with the sick this week.

Mrs. C. T. Durman, whose illness we have before mentioned, is very much improved.

Mr. Phillipie and little daughter, of Rural Retreat, came down Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Will Cullop.

Messrs. Claud Haukla and John McGhee and Misses Ruth Haukla, Mary and Lola Hicks were visiting Miss Georgie Greenwood Sunday.

R. M. Gollehon and family went to the country Sunday to visit his father, G. W. Gollehon.

Miss Hattie Hopkins came down from Groseclose Saturday to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Lizzie Dungan.

The Presbyterian Aid Society will meet at Mrs. S. O. Pullum's Friday. Our postmaster, C. S. Booth, has been confined to his room this week with grip, but is some better at this writing.

S. O. Pullum went to Marion on business Sunday.

Eighty miners were killed by a gas explosion in a coal mine at Jed, W. Va., on Tuesday. Only thirteen men who were in the mine escaped alive.

At primary elections held in New York and Indiana Tuesday, Taft carries both States. Wins 83 out of 90 in New York and 18 out of 30 in Indiana.

**Allens Would Move to Amelia.**

Richmond, Va., March 26.—It became known here yesterday that for some months the Allens were negotiating for farm lands in the county of Amelia and that they had already acquired one farm and were after more prior to the tragedy of two weeks ago. The statement is made on the authority of a lawyer who was counsel for a gentleman who owned a farm for which the Allens were offering a good price. The lawyer stated that it was no secret that the men who were after the lands wanted to fetch all the Allen clan to the county of Amelia, wanting to get a way from the county of Carroll because of political enmity.

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**Ice Plant Ready.**

The Ice Plant built in Marion by Messrs. Steinke & Breuer is about completed and ready to operate. This plant cost about \$10,000 and is one of the best equipped factories of the kind in this section. With the pure water we have the product of this plant should be sought far and wide. As soon as there is a demand for ice the plant will be put in full operation. We congratulate the bustling and enterprising proprietors and wish for them a fine business during the coming season.

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**Sugar Grove.**

Quite a few of our young people are attending the revival at Teas. Mr. Tom Shuler, who has been working in Tennessee for a short time, is at home.

Mr. J. G. Crockett left Monday for Hot Springs, Ark., in the hope that the climate will benefit his rheumatism.

The epidemic of measles is fast gaining, though no fatalities have occurred to date.

The Sugar Grove base-ball club is keeping up with the procession. The club has sent their star pitcher, W. F. Wright to Arkansas for spring training. T. H.

**Allens Still at Large.**

Up to Thursday morning none of the Allens have been captured. Some reports say that they have escaped and are out of the county, others that the detectives have them surrounded and expect a capture soon.

**New Blacksmith Shop.**

I have opened a new Blacksmith Shop on Water street adjoining the Neikirk Livery Stable. I am prepared to do shoeing and all kinds of repair work. I ask all my old friends and patrons to come and see me and give me a share of their patronage. Respectfully, JAMES R. ATKINS.

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