



### Solution of Mystery.

Roanoke, Va., April 11.—Ira Hambrick, a young man of this city disappeared from his home six months ago. Last Friday his skeleton with two bullet holes in the skull was found on Mill mountain in the outskirts of Roanoke. It is believed that Hambrick killed himself. Letters were found in his pockets indicating disappointment in love and ill health.

Diarrhoea should be cured without loss of time and by a medicine which like Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy not only cures promptly but produces no unpleasant after effects. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. Sold by all dealers.

### Enumerators Strike for Higher Wages.

Clarksburg, W. Va., April 11.—Anti-race suicide efforts in this district may go for naught. Seventeen Census enumerators have struck for higher wages, according to Supervisor Harvey W. Harmer, of the First Congressional district. He says it has so far been impossible to secure strike-breakers and it now looks as though the people of the district might not be counted in the grand total.

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well.

### Stepped off Bluff.

Young Man Meets With An Awful Fate Near Gate City.

Gate City, Va., April 11.—At a point where the county road passes over a tunnel on the Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio Railway at Hill Station, Tom Owens, aged twenty-seven years, stepped off the bluff at the road-side last Saturday night, falling sixty feet to the railroad track. The body was found with one leg ground off by a train. Owens came here from Chattanooga and married two years ago.

"Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment, and it cured me permanently."—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala.

### Victories of Peace.

J. G. Barbe Winner of Oratorical Contest at Richmond College.

J. G. Barbe, a student of Richmond College, was the winner in the oratorical contest at the college last Friday night, and will represent that institution in the State contest to be held this spring between the various colleges. His subject was "Victories of Peace," and so enthusiastic did his hearers become that the young orator was carried from the hall on the shoulders of his fellow students.—Richmond Times Dispatch.

Mr. Barbe is a Southwest Virginian and a native of Washington county.

Your tongue is coated; Your breath is foul; Headaches come and go. These symptoms show that your stomach is the trouble. To remove the cause is the first thing, and Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will do that. Easy to take and most effective. Sold by all dealers.

### Watterson Pays Roosevelt Praise.

Louisville, Ky., April 11.—In an editorial in the Courier-Journal last week, headed "Whither," Henry Watterson said:

"The time has come for the people of the United States to consider Theodore Roosevelt as they have never considered him before, to take him more seriously than they have ever taken him, to realize that he is altogether the most startling figure which has appeared in the world since Napoleon Bonaparte—a circumstance not without significance and portent. He must be a poor American whose heart does not glow with pride at the unwonted honors bestowed upon this representative of this country, and swell with exultant admiration at the splendid way he is carrying himself."

**NASAL CATARRH.** An inflammation of the delicate membrane lining the air-passages, is not cured by any mixture taken into the stomach—don't waste time on them. Take Ely's Cream Balm through the nostrils, so that the fevered, swollen tissues are reached at once. Never mind how long you have suffered nor how often you have been disappointed, we know Ely's Cream Balm is the remedy you should use. All druggists, 50-cts. Mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York.

### Found in Woods.

Gate City, April 9.—John Bray, a white man, was found dead with his throat cut in three places in a clearing he had been making ten miles from here several days ago. A bloody axe and knife were by him.

### 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, \$1,000.
- 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 five 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 ceiled, 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 1 1/2 miles from Groseclose—small barn and good young orchard. Price, \$1,400—one-half cash and balance in one and two years.
- No. 10.—2 1/2 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. Price, \$300.00.

### Roosevelt Welcome Will Be National.

New York, April 11.—The reception committee headed by Cornelius Vanderbilt, which is to have charge of the home-coming welcome of former President Roosevelt, is desirous of having everybody know that there is to be nothing partisan or local about the celebration. The impression seems to have gone, they say in a statement, that New York city desires to make the event local rather than national.

"This is incorrect," the committee says, "and we are glad that the matter has been brought to the front and emphatic declaration made of the national character of the reception. The committee named by the Republican Club includes leading representatives from its non-resident membership, and the club stands ready to receive suggestions from bodies outside of New York city."

### Novel Scene in Congress.

Washington, April 11.—The Democrats of the House indulged in a noisy demonstration last week when Representative Foss, Republican, of Illinois, escorted his brother, Eugene N. Foss, Democrat, of Massachusetts, to the speaker's desk, in order that the oath of office might be administered to the new member.

On the first row of the speaker's gallery a sweet-faced old lady joined in the applause. She was the mother of the two brothers who were the center of attraction. Her two daughters-in-law sat on either side of her and joined in the demonstration.

In no other case do brothers occupy seats on the floor of the House and never before have brothers of opposite political faith been members at the same time.

Good results always follow the use of Foley's Kidney Pills. They give prompt relief in all cases of kidney and bladder disorders, are healing and strengthening, and anti-septic. Try them.—Carson Drug Co.

### Sheriff of Russell Shot.

Bluefield, W. Va., April 11.—Deputy Sheriff John E. Davis, of Russell county, was shot and wounded Friday morning on Lewis Creek, four miles from Honaker, Va., by John Brown, a well known character, the ball penetrating Davis' stomach and coming out at the hip. He is in a precarious condition and momentarily expected to die.

Davis, it is stated, had a warrant for Brown charging him with selling liquor illegally. Brown, it seems, knew that Davis wanted him and opened fire on the officer as he approached. The would-be murderer made his escape after the tragedy, and at a late hour is still at large.

### SAVED FROM THE GRAVE

"I had about given up hope, after nearly four years of suffering from a severe lung trouble," writes Mrs. M. L. Dix, of Clarksville, Tenn. "Often the pain in my chest would be almost unbearable and I could not do any work, but Dr. King's New Discovery has made me feel like a new person. Its best medicine made for the throat and lungs." Obsolete coughs, stubborn colds, hay fever, la grippe, asthma, croup, bronchitis, hemorrhages, hoarseness and whooping cough, yield quickly to this wonderful medicine. Try it—50-cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Carson Drug Co.

### SATISFACTION WITHOUT COMPROMISE YOUR MONEY BACK IF OTHERWISE— IT'S JUST OUR WAY OF DOING BUSINESS

Just as many fine words can be written about a worthless article as a good one. For ourselves, we depend upon the quality of our HARDWARE—good quality mazes good friends. It is our fixed rule to insist upon the return, within reasonable time, of all goods not in every way satisfactory to the purchaser, and our guarantee is: "YOUR MONEY BACK"

### Selling Hardware.

We don't know whether it is the good times or what it is but we are selling more Hardware than ever before—more good quality Hardware. Perhaps it is because users of Hardware and kindred lines are finding us out. Maybe these same users are finding out that good Hardware, at our place, costs little more than trashy or inferior Hardware. If half the men and women of Smyth knew the sorts of Hardware that are here, and the price, we could not do business in our present quarters.

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In Garden Hoes Rakes, Mattocks  
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In Every Kind of Hardware and House Furning Goods. Our Special Values will stand against all competition. Remember we fill Mail and Phone Orders.

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**WORSE THAN BULLETS**  
Bullets have often caused less suffering to soldiers than the eczema L. W. Harriman, Burlington, Me., got in the army, and suffered with, forty years. "But Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me when all else failed," he writes. The greatest healer for sores, ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, wounds, bruises and piles—25-cents at Carson Drug Co.

**WATCH FOR THE COMET**  
The Red Dragon of the sky. Watch the children for spring coughs and colds. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. It is the best and safest prevention and cure for croup where the need is urgent and immediate relief a vital necessity. Contains no opiates or harmful drugs—refuse substitutes. Carson Drug Co.

the only kind of snowflakes we can have all the year around is

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just as pure and white and light and airy when cooked as the genuine snowflake from which it is named. It brings the same kind of happiness to the good housewife as the genuine article brings to the mirthful joyous hearts of romping childhood. you will be happy if you use "snowflake" flour.

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marion, virginia.

### N. and W. Increase Employees' Wages.

Roanoke, Va., April 11.—Vice-President and General Manager N. D. Maher, of the Norfolk and Western, announced last week that beginning April 1st, all employees of the company receiving less than \$155 per month are to receive a six per cent increase of wages.

This does not apply to organized employees, who, through special agreements, already have been granted an increase of wages, nor to those who yet to confer with the road officials for an adjustment of similar grievances.

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

### Employ No More Women

Pittsburg, Pa., April 11.—No more women will be engaged as stenographers by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. This announcement comes as the result of an investigation by the road's accountants, who report that the women, on the average, do thirty per cent less work than men in the same positions, who also do the work more carelessly and accurately. Present women employees of the road will continue to hold their positions, it is said, but no new positions will be filled by women.

Accidents will happen, but the best regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for such emergencies. It subdues the pain and heals the hurts.

## The Problem Solved.

This is the season of the year that all the good house-wives dread; when there seems to be so little to tempt the appetite. We have everything that can be secured at this time of year, including a large line of Staple Groceries. When you can think of nothing, come to our store and you will be sure to find something that will please the most jaded palate. As the demand increases, so does our stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Staple and Fancy Groceries increase, and our stock of goods is larger and better than ever in the history of our business.

### The D. H. Mitchell Company, Inc.

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Knows that you can Save Money at any Five and Ten Cent Store. So don't fail to call on

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Entered at Postoffice at Marion, Va., as second-class mail matter.

MARION, VA., APRIL 15, 1910.

After having heard so much talk from our leading Democrats about Republicans violating the law as to paying poll-taxes, we would hardly think they would try to go after the matter in a wholesale way. Guess they will have less to say along this line in the future. We have always thought that "people who live in glass houses should not throw stones." Pay up the delinquents, gentlemen, many of will no doubt pay Mr. Stuart this fall for placing this price on their heads. Democrats, now call it the poll-tax nuisance.

Again there is a full volume of employment all over the country, and our people were never so prosperous as now. If it is true we hear much about high prices, but it has been shown beyond question that these high prices are in no way attributed to the tariff. But the best news of all which we are having is the constant and voluntary increase of wages by the great corporations and railroads of the country. Nearly all of the Eastern Trunk lines, including such roads as the Pennsylvania, Philadelphia and Reading, the Baltimore and Ohio, the New York, New Haven and Hartford, the Boston and Maine and others have increased wages recently. And this increase has been by no means confined to the railroads—the United Steel Corporation and various other large corporations have followed, and the adjustment now made in mining centers will no doubt result in wide-spread increase to all the coal miners of the country.

### More State Counsel.

Attorney General Williams, at a salary of \$4,000 a year, and his assistant, Mr. Bibb, are, theoretically, at least, supposed to look out for the State's interests in litigation involving the State, and to give legal advice to the various departments of the government.

Ex-Attorney General Anderson, whom Judge Williams succeeded, has been engaged by the bondholders interested in the Virginia-West Virginia suit, thus relieving, in a measure, the regularly constituted legal department of this State.

On top of this comes the announcement that the Governor, a week ago, appointed Mr. Richard E. Byrd special counsel for the State for the period of two years at a salary of \$4,000—the salary being exactly that attaching to the office of Attorney General.—Richmond Journal.

Do the appointments of Anderson and Byrd reflect upon the ability of our distinguished Attorney General from the Southwest or are they specimens of Democratic economy under the new constitution?

The new Tariff law has not closed a single factory or mortgaged a farm.—Louisiana (Mo.) "News."

Republicans go to work and look after your poll taxes. You will have to do this or get on the disfranchised list this fall. See your neighbor and have him attend to this matter.

The 1909 poll-tax must be paid six months before the election in order to vote. This time expires May 7th.

## BEST FOR THE BOWELS

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



## Made a Mountain of a Mole

**HILL.**  
Wise, Va., April 9, 1910.  
Editor Bristol News:  
In the Times-Dispatch and Roanoke Times of recent date an item headed, "Republicans of Wise Are Split," was published. To an outsider, not conversant with the facts, it would seem that old Wise is retrograding from the high standard of Republicanism attained in the past campaigns. The author of the above item either was not present or was a Democrat, and must have thought that the "insurgent meeting" referred to was only old-time Democrats returning to the fold. The facts are these: The insurgent meeting was made up of one hundred Democrats and only five "hog-backs" or "lily-whites," the leaders of which need no comment.

As to the officers elected at said meeting being old-time Republicans is a rather mis-statement, all of them being disgruntled office-seekers, and for the past three or four elections have been trying to disapt the Republican party, and those who are familiar with the facts know this to be so.

The Republicans of Wise county are wide-awake, and the "hog-backs" or "lily-whites" will cut no figure in our usual large majority for the nominee, who will no doubt be that splendid leader, Hon. C. B. Slemp.

A REPUBLICAN.

Every family and especially those who reside in the country should be provided at all times with a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment. There is no telling when it may be wanted in case of an accident or emergency. It is most excellent in cases of rheumatism and sprains and bruises. Sold by all the dealers.

### Spirit of Democracy.

Out of 1,404 Democratic newspapers that replied to a question asked by the Chicago Tribune (Republican) as to who they thought the Democrats should nominate for President in 1912, 418 advocate Bryan and 414 Harmon. Surprising to relate, Roosevelt, a Republican, is endorsed by 159 of the editors; La Follette, insurgent Republican, by 27, and Hughes, reform Republican, by 18. The rest of the vote is divided among Folk, Marshall, Clark, Gaynor and Taft.

The radical tendency of Democracy is very evident—Bryan leads. Roosevelt, whom thousands of progressive Democrats would not object to seeing President again, is a radical, and La Follette falls in the same general classification.

Folk, who got 93 votes, is a reformer, and likewise Gaynor, who received 39 votes.

Harmon doubtless polled nearly the entire strength of the Democratic conservatives—less than one-third of the total.

Democracy is evidently not yet in a humor to put up a conservative (or reactionary) merely for the pleasure of winning. The party as a mass is radical.—Richmond Journal.

### ELECTION NOTICE!

Pursuant to resolutions of the Town Council of the Town of Marion, Va. and of an order of the Judge of the Circuit Court for Smyth County, Virginia, entered on the 5th day of April, 1910, an Election will be held on Tuesday, the 10th day of May, 1910, for the purpose of submitting to the voters of the Town of Marion the question whether or not an issue of Twelve Thousand Dollars, (\$12,000) of the bonds of the said Town in denominations of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) each, bearing interest at the rate of Five Per Centum per annum, payable semi-annum, shall be made for the purpose of extending the present water system of the Town of Marion to the large springs just above Attoway in Smyth county recently acquired from George M. Atkins, and for the purpose of repairing, extending and improving the said water system in the said town.

The said election will be conducted by John P. Buchanan, W. E. Francis and H. C. Pruner as Judges and J. T. Hall and Arthur Short as Clerks, and will be held at the Court House for Smyth county in said town; the polls being opened at sunrise and closing at sunset.

JOHN P. SHEFFEY,  
Mayor Town of Marion, Va.



## Scientists Disagree About Halley's Comet.

Washington, April 12.—Friday, April 15th, at 4:30 in the morning will be the earliest time at which it will be worth while trying to see that tramp of the skies, Halley's comet, which is returning to the ken of the earth's inhabitants after an absence of over three score years and ten. This information was furnished by one of the sky gazers at Georgetown University observatory. During April and the early part of May, the comet will be visible in the East before sunrise a few degrees North of East. By May 17th it will be too nearly in line with the sun to be seen in the morning, but ten o'clock on will appear in the West in the evening as soon as it is dark. On May 20th it will set two hours after the sun with the interval growing longer each night.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets assist nature in driving all impurities out of the system, insuring a free and regular condition and restoring the organs of the body to health and strength. Sold by all dealers.

Those Democrats who are so insistent that the present Tariff law is responsible for the increased cost of living appear to forget the fact that the necessities of life upon which the Tariff was reduced by the present law have, almost without exception, increased in cost, while the cost of articles upon which the tariff was increased has remained the same as before or been reduced.—Little Falls "Journal and Courier."

If it is the Protective tariff which has increased the cost of living in this country, as is persistently asserted by Democratic newspapers and politicians against all the evidence to the contrary, we would like them to tell us what has produced a like increase in England, where there are no Protective tariffs. Now don't all speak at once.—Bristol News.

### Wassum Valley News.

Miss Ada Faris returned Sunday from a visit to her aunt at Seven Mile Ford.

Mr. J. W. Petty was in Bristol on a business trip last week.

Mrs. Victor Cullop is spending a few days with her brother, Mr. Geo. Broils, who is very ill at Bristol. We are sorry to hear of his illness.

Mrs. W. D. Petty and daughter, Miss Nannie, were shopping in Marion Saturday.

The farmers are busy planting potatoes—Mr. J. W. Petty will be in the lead—he will plant about one hill.

Miss Fay Moore and her cousin, Miss Nannie Petty, were the guests of Miss Gracie Brooks Sunday.

Rev. Arthur Ready will preach at the Baptist church Saturday night and Sunday morning.

Mrs. Nannie Hodge returned Wednesday from a visit to Park, Virginia.

Mr. Hushel Blevins has returned from West Va., where he has been spending a short time.

The Petty Bros. are doing a fine business in the Valley.

Mrs. David Blevins is spending a few days with relatives and friends at Park, Va.

Mr. John Petty, one of our bustling merchants, was in Marion Saturday on business.

A merry-hearted spinster has inserted an adv. in the "Wassum Valley Know All," which reads: "Wanted—a young gentleman slightly between twenty and thirty, who will not drink, smoke or chew, will apply at once to B. B. D."

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UNION MADE  
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W. L. Douglas shoes are the lowest price, quality considered, in the world. Their excellent style, easy fitting and long wearing qualities excel those of other makes. If you have been paying high prices for your shoes, the next time you need a pair give W. L. Douglas shoes a trial. You can save money on your footwear and get shoes that are just as good in every way as those that have been costing you higher prices.

If you could visit our large factories at Brockton, Mass., and see for yourself how carefully W. L. Douglas shoes are made, you would then understand why they hold their shape, fit better and last longer than other makes.

## 14 Men Blown to Atoms.

Dynamite Discharged By Mistake—Rail-oaders Hurlled to Death.

Novite, Texas, April 12.—Fourteen men were instantly killed and another fatally injured by the premature explosion of a heavy charge of dynamite at a construction camp on the Texico extension of the Santa Fe Railroad yesterday afternoon. Only three of the dead men have been identified, owing to the fact that the men were torn almost into shreds by the force of the explosion.

The accident occurred shortly after the lunch hour at Sudman and Dolzen Construction Camp No. 3, where possibly 100 men were doing railroad construction work. The men were at work in a rocky cut, and a heavy charge of dynamite had been arranged to be set off by electric batteries from the camp proper, which is some distance from the cut. Through a mistake in signals, the heavy blasting charge was set off while fifteen or twenty men were in the cut and these were hurled skyward by the force of the explosion.

NOTICE!—I expect to spend the month of June in Marion on vacation. While there will take a limited number of patients during that month. Those who wish to be treated will please write me beforehand. Very respectfully,  
DR. J. MEEK WOLFE,  
Lynchburg, Va.

### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by all druggists. Price 75 cents per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**New Things at the Parrott Department Store**

We have just received a nice line of **Shirtwaists** at prices to suit you. Also another shipment of **Wash-suits and Dresses**. It will pay you to inspect this line—you can't make them for the price we are going to sell them for.

Think of it a nice wash skirt at 98c. Millinery at almost your own price. Don't fail to see this line before buy. It will pay you to keep up with us and our ads.

May the 1st we will put on sale something that will astonish you. Something that Marion hasn't had, no, nothing like it.

**The Parrott Department Store**

**REMOVAL OF Marion Bargain House**

NO. 1.

We have moved from the J. R. Venable stand to the Rhea Building on Main Street where we will carry an up-to-date line of Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, Shoes, Ready-Made Clothing, Ladies and Gents Hats, Groceries and Queensware—Everything at "Rock Bottom Prices."

We have 150 Pair of Ladies Shoes, (Size 3, 4 and 5),—these shoes are worth from \$1.50 to \$2.25—Special for the Next Ten Days at \$1.25 per pair.

Bring us your Chickens, Eggs and Butter—we will always pay you the highest market price.

Good Calico 5c; 3 Cans Tomatoes 25c; 3 Cans Corn 25c. A full line fresh groceries.

Thanking the people of Marion and Smyth County for their liberal patronage in the past, with a larger stock of goods and a better place of doing business, we hope to merit a greater portion of your trade in the future.

**Marion Bargain House No. 1,**  
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For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought

## Browning Named to Oppose Glass.

Roanoke, April 12.—It is authoritatively stated that Col. James S. Browning, of this city, will be the Republican nominee for Congress from this district to oppose Carter Glass.

The District Committee will meet shortly to decide upon the date of the district convention which will probably take place in August.

Colonel Browning moved here from Tazewell over a year ago. The only other man mentioned as a possibility for the nomination is R. H. Angell, of Roanoke.

### Reducing the Postal Deficit

Washington, April 12.—Basing his conclusions on the auditor's returns of postal receipts and expenditures for the first half of the fiscal year and on preliminary returns for the third quarter of the year, which closed March 31, Postmaster General Hitchcock predicted today that first year of the present administration would show a decrease of over \$10,000,000 in the deficit of \$17,430,000 handed down from the preceding year.

### Points Regarding Census.

The Census begins April 15th and must be completed in two weeks in cities and in thirty days in all other areas.

The Enumerators will wear a badge inscribed "United States Census, 1910."

The law requires every adult person to furnish the prescribed information, but also provides that it shall be treated confidentially, so that no injury can come to any person from answering the questions.

The President has issued a proclamation, calling on all citizens to co-operate with the Census and assuring them that it has nothing to do with taxation, army or jury service, compulsory school attendance, regulation of immigration, or enforcement of any law, and that no one can be injured by answering the inquiries.

It is of the utmost importance that the Census of population and agriculture in this State be complete and correct.

Therefore every person should promptly, accurately and completely answer the Census questions asked by the enumerators.

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We are well supplied now with the choicest Vegetables that can be had for this season of the year. If you are in want of such call on us. We also have a choice line of Country Hams, Bacon, Etc.

## S. H. WOLFE

**Mrs. Britton Dies.**  
Tazewell, Va., April 11.—Mrs. H. Peery Britton, wife of the Treasurer of Tazewell county, after several days serious illness, died at her home late Saturday afternoon.

There is no cough medicine so popular as Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to cure coughs, colds, croup and bronchitis.—Carson Drug Co.

**Does not Color the Hair**

Ingredients of Ayer's Hair Vigor  
Sulphur. Destroys germs that cause dandruff and falling hair. Cures rashes and eruptions of scalp.  
Glycerin. Soothing, healing. Food to the hair-bulbs.  
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## Marion National Bank

### MARION NEWS

#### LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. W. C. McKee, of Fairwood, was a visitor to Marion Monday.

J. P. Parks and little son, of near Saltville, were in Marion last Friday.

J. D. Perkins, the Grayson attorney, was looking after legal matters in Marion Monday.

Mrs. Ed. Buchanan, and her son Albert, of Ellendale, were visitors to Marion last Friday.

Herman Buchanan and sister were over from Ellendale Monday on a shopping expedition.

Arthur Iron, of Knoxville, spent Sunday and Monday in Marion with friends and relatives.

Thomas E. Hughes, the Troutdale lumberman, was registered at the Valley House Tuesday.

Messrs. H. L. Bonham and R. W. Scott, of Chilhowie, were prominent visitors to Marion the first of the week.

D. N. Griffiths, Esq., and his son Robert L., of near Sugar Grove, were transacting business in Marion last Saturday.

There will be preaching at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night by the pastor, Rev. R. K. Sutherland.

Mrs. Wade Wolfe is quite ill at her home two miles southwest of Marion. She is afflicted with tuberculosis of the lungs.

Mrs. J. W. Horne, of Rushsylvania, Ohio, arrived in Marion last Thursday on a visit to her mother, Mrs. H. Lincoln and other relatives.

John F. James and son, of Olympia, were in the city last Friday. Mr. James has just returned from the South where he had been with horses and mules. He did well with his stock.

Messrs. J. S. Carter, of Atkins; E. F. Carter, of Keystone, and W. T. Carter, of Bluefield, were called here Monday on account of the death of their half-brother, C. B. Agee.

Prof. D. J. Blankenbecker was down from Groseclose Monday. He has just closed a most successful session of Pleasant Hill High School. The Professor is one of the county's most experienced and wide-awake teachers.

J. A. Sharitz, of 7 Mile Ford, was in Marion Saturday. He paid our office a pleasant call and reports that he and Mr. Ward Durman who recently purchased farms in Tennessee would leave with their families for their new homes which are at Chucky, Washington county, Tenn.

## SCROFULA

Scrofula disfigures and causes life-long misery. Children become strong and lively when given small doses of

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Send 10c. name of paper and this ad. for our beautiful Savings Bank and Child's Sketch-Book. Each bank contains a Good Luck Penny.  
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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

### Boy Killed at Groseclose.

Groseclose, Va., April 8.—Last Saturday between twelve and one o'clock, Wash Murcer, a boy about twelve years old, threw a rock and fatally hurt Earnest Kegley, a boy about fifteen years old.

It seems that the two boys became involved in a dispute of some kind, when the Kegley boy slapped the Murcer boy. Then the latter picked up a stone and threw at the former striking him on the side of the head above the ear inflicting a mortal wound. At first Kegley did not seem to be very badly hurt and remained about here until five o'clock and then went home. After going home the boy became unconscious. Dr. Ferguson was summoned at once but medical aid was of no avail; the boy dying about twelve o'clock Saturday night without ever regaining consciousness.

The two boys were first cousins, Kegley being a son of Mr. Robt Kegley, and Murcer being a son of Mrs. Nannie M. Murcer, both of this place.

Funeral services were conducted at Pleasant Hill Monday afternoon by Rev. H. P. Counts. The families have many relatives and friends who regret the sad accident.

Ed Coope Moser, of Marion, Va., and Miss Maude Gullion, of the same community, were married by the Rev. A. H. Burroughs on Thursday. The groom is a sawmill man.

On the day preceding, Dr. Burroughs married the following young couple: James L. Stuart, a carriage repairer, of Christiansburg, and Miss Ella Naff Farmer, of Dublin, Va.,—Bristol News.

A magnificent line of Children's, Misses' and Ladies' Oxfords at the very lowest prices for the money. Marion Clothing Co.

Judge B. F. Buchanan and Mr. J. C. Campbell, of Marion, Va., were visitors in Wytheville the latter part of last week.—Wytheville Enterprise.

The Marion Auction Co. will auction off a Buggy and an Automobile at Ellis Dickenson's storeroom April 16th to 19th.

**Death of L. C. Prater.**  
Lilburn C. Prater died at his home four miles southeast of Marion last Saturday morning. The deceased was eighty-two years old; an honest upright citizen and much respected in the community where he had so long resided. He was a very pious man and a consistent member of Centenary Methodist church. His aged companion preceded him to the grave only about one week ago. They are survived by several children and quite a number of grand-children and relatives. The funeral was conducted Sunday from Centenary church by Revs. G. A. Maiden and J. F. Giles before a large concourse of relatives and friends, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Hutton cemetery. Peace to his ashes.

Children's and Misses' Bare-Foot Sandals for sale by the Marion Clothing Co.

**Bristol Postmastership.**  
It is expected that President Taft will take final action in the matter of the Bristol postmastership within the next few days, and anyhow before April 30th, when the present term expires. Both sides are almost hourly a waiting news from Washington and both appear equally confident of winning out in the controversy that has already attracted almost national attention.—Bristol Herald Courier.

Messrs. W. W. Stephenson and Chas. Wassum have just returned from the West with an Imported Purchase Stallion, and will have him on stand at Mr. Stephenson's barn. They invite all the breeders to inspect their great horse. He is from the largest importers in the world—McLaughlin Bros., Columbus Ohio.

The Marion Clothing Co. are to the front this week with a big ad. telling you about their big stock of Spring and Summer Clothing.

**Examination for Teachers' Certificates.**  
The Spring Examination of Teachers for the year 1910 will be held at Marion on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 21st, 22nd and 23rd. Teachers who do not expect to attend a Summer Institute should take this examination. Those who expect to attend a State Summer school for twenty days may take part of the Spring Examination and the remainder at the close of the Summer school. Work will begin promptly at nine a. m. each day.

Respectfully,  
B. E. COPENHAVER,  
Div. Supt. Schools.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

### Roll of Honor

Marion Graded School for Month of March.  
PRIMER—Dan Thompson, Edward McDonald, Margaret Atkins, Myrtle Snider.

FIRST GRADE—Laura Rolan, Edward Trainham, Frances Lincoln, Minnie Folds, Francis Sutherland, Evelyn Baylor.

SECOND GRADE—Robert Carter, Marvin Seaver, Virginia Seaver, Pauline Moody, Helen Webster, Phina Wolfe, Nannie B. Neikirk, Stanley Folds, Leona Farris, Lena Gullion, Rhea Clark, Laura McDauel, Garland Alexander, Laura Webster, Elizabeth Copenhaver, John Carson, Alexandra Lincoln, Louise Johnson.

THIRD GRADE—Julia Stephenson, Pauline Staley, Paul McCoy, Maggie Robinson, Laura Howze, Presaly Neikirk, Percy Francis, Ruth Brisco, Bessie Brockman, Sallie Barkdale, Roxie Francis, Lewis Cole.

FOURTH GRADE—Frank DeBord, Elizabeth Atkins, Robert Carper, Porter Rhudy, Willis Sprinkle, Oscar Sutherland, Stewart Trainham, Charles Lincoln, Lizzie Wright.

FIFTH GRADE—Emily Barksdale, Emily Branch, Olive Painter, Clara King, Roy Leech, Harry Tartar.

SIXTH GRADE—Marie Richardson, Ruth Neikirk, Lucille Wright.

SEVENTH GRADE—Annie Tartar, Preston Collins, Mary Trainham.

EIGHTH GRADE—Ruby Branch.

TENTH GRADE—Denny Colbert.  
A. B. BRISTOW, Prin.

**To Be Here April 18 and 19**  
Mr. Geo. H. Poling will be in Marion on Monday and Tuesday, April 18 and 19th, with a full line of Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds, Out-Glass Etc. If you want something nice in the above line call on him at the Valley House sample room where you will be courteously received.

**LIME! LIME!!**  
We have just received a car of Fresh Lime. Price \$1.00 per barrel. LOOK & LINCOLN.

**Died at Currin Valley.**  
L. C. Long, son of W. F. Long, died at the home of his father on the 10th instant, after a short illness. The deceased was fourteen years and four days old, and was a boy of fine character and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. A few hours before his death he sang "Old Time Religion," and other hymns of praise to God, and left the assurance that he was going home. His remains were laid to rest yesterday at two-thirty p. m. in the Attoway cemetery. Peace to his ashes. Attoway, Va., April 12, 1910.

**Stony Battery Items.**  
MR. EDITOR:—As I have not seen any news lately from our vicinity, I will send in a few of the latest happenings.

Some of the farmers are planting corn while others are making preparations.

Mr. Will Debord has just completed his residence which adds very greatly to our community.

Mr. L. B. Chisenhall, of Sugar Grove, has a very bad case of stomach trouble, but I think with a few more of Miss ——— cherry smiles that it will not prove fatal.

Mr. Billie Richardson has just returned home from Sugar Grove, where he has been spending some time.

It is a nice time now for fishing. Come down "Thin Legs" and let's go angling. It looks like you could come without an overcoat now.

I saw where Squire Chisenhall wanted help. Come down Squire, there are a few widows in our vicinity that need help.

We learn that Miss Mattie Surber, of Seven Mile Ford, who has had roseola, is getting along nicely. BROWN EYES.

Prompt relief in all cases of throat and lung trouble if you use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Pleasant to take, soothing and healing in effect. Sold by all dealers.

**Frost Will Not Hurt Crops**  
Lynchburg, Va., April 12.—Although light frosts were reported in this section two mornings last week no harm has yet come to the fruit, and conditions now argue well for a big crop of all kinds of fruit in the Piedmont section this year. The frost, which killed the crop last spring, occurred a year ago yesterday, being rather late for this section. Fruit men are very sanguine now that no further trouble will be experienced from the weather. However, the latest killing frost ever recorded here by the Weather Bureau was on May 7th.

**Adwolfe Items.**  
EDITOR NEWS:—I will again send in a few items from our prosperous village.

People are preparing for their corn planting in this section. The fine rain Tuesday was badly needed.

Mr. Victor Copenhaver has his new house almost completed and will soon be ready to move into it.

Mr. J. L. C. Anderson has just completed a nice fence around his yard and it adds greatly to the beauty of the home.

Our town is still "on the move." Mr. J. Radford Blevins expects to move from Adwolfe to a house near his brother, Melvin, on the Morgan farm. Mr. Thomas Goodman will move in the house vacated by Mr. Blevins.

Preparations are being made for a big entertainment at Oak Point on the 29th of April—so we learn from an Oak Point student.

Mr. Victor Copenhaver has a sign up in his store that reads like this: "Vick Copenhaver Loves Everybody." Do you mean everybody who has money, Victor?

We think that Prof. Chas. Anderson contemplates building a new and up-to-date residence in the near future.

The Lansdown School closed last Friday with a very entertaining exhibition, and a number of prizes were awarded.

Mr. Baxter Blevins, of near S-v-n Mile Ford, passed through Adwolfe Monday on his way to Grayson county, where he went to purchase a fine horse.

Mr. Dudley Sherwood, one of our leading citizens, has recently purchased himself a fine new buggy.

Mr. Ernest Copenhaver, a traveling salesman, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Ella Copenhaver.

Mr. R. A. Anderson and children, of Marion, were visiting Mr. Anderson's mother last Sunday.

### Death of C. B. Agee.

Charles B. Agee died at his home in this place last Sunday after a long and protracted illness. He was about forty years old and is survived by his wife and three small children. He was a man of quiet demeanor and was much respected by all who knew him. He was a member of Thompson Lodge of I. O. O. F., and was devoted to the order that did so much for him and his family during his long illness. The funeral service was conducted from the home by Rev. J. B. Greiner on Monday at three-thirty o'clock, after which the remains were taken in charge by the Odd Fellows and laid to rest in Round Hill cemetery with the honors of the order.

**SEAMSTRESS WANTED.**—We wish to employ a number of Seamstress at once. Those with experience preferred.

J. R. MILLNER CO., Lynchburg, Va.

### RESOLUTIONS OF SYMPATHY

WHEREAS it pleased the Almighty to remove from our midst the son of our beloved brother of Summit Lodge, I. O. O. F.

THEREFORE the members of Groseclose Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 395 desire to express to Brother R. M. Kegley, our deepest sympathies in his recent affliction of the death of his son. And therefore pray God's blessings to rest upon him and his family in their deep affliction.

H. W. Dutton,  
R. J. Crutchfield,  
P. J. Snavely,  
Committee.

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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.

**12:30 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 to Columbus and Cincinnati. Cafe Car to Williamson. 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.**, 1:10 p. m. and 8:50 p. m.

**NEW RIVER BRANCH**—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 6:24 a. m.**—Daily except Sunday for Bettie Baker and 8:00 a. m. Daily for Fries, Blair and Galax.

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### Marion and Rye Valley Railway

Virginia-Southern Railroad.  
Time Table in effect Jan. 17,

No. 3. Southbound	No. 4. Northbound
8:00 a. m. lv. Marion ar. 4:15 p. m.	8:15 a. m. lv. Attoyay ar. 4:00 p. m.
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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Cover grass stains with cream of tartar, wet with cold water, and place in the sun.  
For blood stains, soak in cold water, or water and salt; when nearly gone, use soapy water.  
Machine oil, or axle grease, should be covered with lard, washed with cold water and soap, then with hot water and soap.  
Red ink stains should be washed with ammonia and water.  
One or two tablespoonsful of sugar added to strong turpines when cooking, will greatly improve their flavor.  
If tough meat is rubbed with a cut lemon before cooking it will make it nice and tender.  
Stove-blackings mixed with a little ammonia, and a brighter aster and will  
To remove iron smudges on the cloth, rub on cream tartar, and rub on spots well; let stand an hour then wash, if not all removed, repeat the process.—"Little Helps" from National Magazine for April.

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### Find Brass Pin in Teacher's Appendix.

Roanoke, April 11.—Surgeons who operated on Miss Elsie Brown, a teacher in the Roanoke public schools at a Roanoke hospital for appendicitis, found a large brass pin in the appendix. Notwithstanding this condition of affairs, the appendix was removed and Miss Brown is recovering rapidly. The surgeons believe the pin was lodged in the appendix when Miss Brown was a child.

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### Brother Slays Brother.

Dauville, Va., April 8.—William L. Richmond, a well known farmer of Caswell county, N. C., died Wednesday morning at his home as the result of injuries sustained Tuesday afternoon in an encounter with his brother John D. Richmond, Jr., who is now in jail at Yanceyville, awaiting trial on the charge of murder. The two brothers are the sons of John D. Richmond, of Top Knot, Caswell county. They are both married and their ages range between thirty-five and forty years.

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