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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1890.

FOR CONGRESS,
9th District, Election Nov. 4, 1890,
GEORGE T. MILLS,
OF PULASKI COUNTY.

TRANSFERS.
By reference to an act passed by the legislature, at its session of 1889-90, approved March 6th, 1890:
Voters who have removed from one county to another in the State, desiring a transfer of their registration, shall procure same and have it placed upon the registration book prior to the day of registration. The same law applies to transfers from one city to another, or from a county to a city.
See the act of this amendment of the Code on page 191, chap. 236 of the acts of the legislature.

ORGANIZE, REPUBLICANS!

Public speaking is helpful, pointed paragraphs are excellent, but the one essential thing in the grave contest up on us is organization—organization that shall begin now by overhauling registration lists in neighborhood meetings of precinct committees into which men from the humbler as well as higher walks of life shall be brought. And when they come urge them to speak. Listen patiently to them, profit by what they say. We repeat, take the poor into your council, poor fathers of the bright-eyed boys who drop out of school to drop corn, fathers of sweet little girls who dare not tread the beaten path while brother is in the field—take such as these whose children's education is interrupted in busy seasons on the farm, while opposing voters keep their children at books regardless of seed time and harvest. Take these hardheaded, unsuspecting men, into your councils, and there steel them against the venal proselytes, who approach them with a social glass and whisper in their ears that this is a contest between plain men and Bourbons working men and an effete aristocracy, between the landless and land lord. Acquaint them that a common enemy and common danger confront them, and when they enlist do not allow them to continue subalterns. Make them captains of tens, of fifties and of hundreds, and feel by reason of confidence reposed in them that they are to share as fully as those more blessed with the goods of this world than they, in the defeat of victory that is in store for us all.

HON. GEORGE T. MILLS.

A special correspondent of the Republican last week, attended the Republican Congressional convention of the Ninth district at Pulaski city. At that convention, the gentleman whose name head this article was selected as the Republican standard bearer for this campaign, having been enthusiastically nominated as a candidate for Congress. It goes without dispute that the selection is a strong and wise one. Even Democratic partisans so regard it and speak of it.

Mr. Mills is a Pennsylvanian by birth, but has been interested in the development of Southwest Virginia for ten or fifteen years. His whole course has been a practical illustration of the benefits of a protective tariff. Believing in works and not talk, he has taken the lead in inducing northern capital to invest in Virginia lands and enterprises.

The magnificent development of Pulaski city is largely due to his influence and active work. The furnaces of Cripple Creek and Graham, in Tazewell county, as well as innumerable smaller industries count the Hon. Geo. T. Mills as prominent among their founders and friends. The developments along the line of that magnificent railway, the Norfolk and Western, and the Clinch Valley Branch, all attest the business enterprise of Geo. T. Mills and the earnest friendship he has for our section and its people.

He has so endeared himself to the laborers upon his railroad contracts

that no complaints of unfairness or ill treatment is ever heard from his section. His men, from the water boy to the boss, speak in terms of highest praise of their contractor. The farmers and citizens along the lines of the New River and Clinch Valley Branches, speak of Mr. Mills in unqualified terms of praise. In fact, judging from expressions before and after the nomination, it seems impossible for even bitter democrats to say aught against his character or his work.

They dare not say he is a northern man, for they have gotten upon the mountain tops, with their Grays, and begged northern men with capital to come and help build up the waste places of the South. Geo. T. Mills came even before the invitation was extended and cast his fortunes with our people. He is proud of his home and adopted land and people, and in private conversations and in public acts, he gives daily proof of that confidence and action. He is a man of business; with him, to think is to act. Before others have formulated plans, he has secured contracts.

"Come to Southwest Virginia, and bring your money" has been his unceasing invitation, and now that he has been placed so as to be the exponent of that principle which has built up and beautified our country and enriched our people, surely the voters of Southwest Virginia, seeing the good works he has done, will in November bid him step up higher.

As compared with the Democratic candidate, Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Mills is a worker. While Buchanan talks about the "infamous McKinley bill," Mr. Mills goes North and brings a million dollars to Southwest Virginia for investment. Buchanan talks Democracy; Mills practices progress and practical Republicanism.
Mr. Mills is largely interested in Radford, Graham, Wise county, Cripple Creek and Pulaski city. He has a farm near Philadelphia, from which last year, by judicious farming, was sold \$11000 of farm products. He is busily engaged in railroad contract work and never loses an opportunity to bring a manufacturer to this section. He returned from Philadelphia, the day before his nomination, having secured for Pulaski city and industry that will employ 300 men.

This is but an imperfect sketch of the Republican nominee for Congress in the Ninth district. He is a worthy man and we urge united and earnest action on behalf of the protectionists of Southwest Virginia, to secure his election. As a man, he carries far more influence than Buchanan. As a congressman he would be much more helpful to our section and State. He has invested thousands where Buchanan has invested nothing, and in all respects he is Buchanan's equal. Let there be determined action for Mills and protection.—State Republican.

WORK! WORK!

The fall campaign is now open for the election of a Congressman and the sooner we get to work the more time will the voters have to find out the relative merits of the candidates. The Republican candidate will have nothing to fear from and everything to gain by prompt and bold action by the party organizing at once. There are hundreds of voters in this Congressional district who are prepared to co-operate with the Republican party to oppose free trade policy. We have a strong cause to commence with, the sooner, therefore, we begin work the more time there will be to make gains in our initial strength, and by acquainting the public with our candidate, who is in full sympathy with the industrial interest of the country, the farmer, mechanic, the laborer, and with them rests the foundation of commercial prosperity, without which trade would be of but little value. To increase and encourage manufacturing plants is now what the country needs, so as to furnish employment for every class of workmen, and by thus acting we build up our own homes and are independent of foreign countries for our needs and with a liberal education should be one of the great purposes of the Republican party.

HAVING made arrangements with the publishers of the Philadelphia Press, we can now offer that paper and the SOUTHWESTERN NEWS for \$1.75 a year, cash in advance. Subscribe and get two papers at the price of one. The Press is one of the best papers published—well worth the price that we ask for both.

Buy the five cent Leader cigar of C. M. Wolfe.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

Prominent Republican speakers will address the people of Smyth county at the Court House on Monday, (county court day) Oct. 20th. Turn out and hear them.

G. W. HUBBARD, Chair.
W. E. WILLIAMS, Sec.

COL. GEO. T. MILLS, Republican candidate for Congress, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday. While here he was met by many citizens. All who met Mr. Mills were highly pleased with him. He expects to return to the county again and will remain longer. He has made many friends wherever he has been and is very hopeful of success.

The National Revenues.

When Lincoln became president the entire revenues of the government, including proceeds of public lands, were less than \$50,000,000.—Union.

Even so, and at that time as just before, at the close of a long period of Democratic rule and a free trade tariff, with no pension account to meet and no war debt to provide for, the government was paying more than 12 per cent. interest for money with which to keep its machinery going.

We had then all the wealth of soil and climate, all the variety of resources, all the natural advantages that we have had since and have now, but so repressive and destructive had been the fiscal policy of the party in power that business of all kinds was paralyzed and not only the people, but the government, lived in a poor, small, mean way and borrowed the money at exorbitant rates upon which to eke out a miserable existence. At that time, strong, capable and willing men and women worked twelve, fourteen, even sixteen hours a day for barely enough to keep soul and body together and gave a large percentage of their earnings to the foreigners who made their clothing, their furniture, their tools and brought them here to sell without let or hindrance. Only by the most rigid economy and the most laborious work, by economy and work of which this generation knows nothing, did even the most prosperous do more than live.

The government scattered no pensions of any consequence, it built no public buildings of much account, it constructed no navy or coast defense worthy of the name. It gave the people no fast mails, no railway mail service, no free mail delivery, and yet its receipts were not sufficient to pay its bills. Now, after four years of war, in which nearly half the property of the country was destroyed, after paying the greater part of a war debt so enormous that it would have bankrupted almost any other nation on earth, after meeting every obligation at home and abroad, our government is spending annually nearly eight times as much as it could possibly raise in 1859 and is not obliged to borrow a dollar. It is building a new navy and new public buildings. It is scattering a hundred millions a year among its veteran soldiers, it is paying for internal improvement of large extent, variety and cost, it provides for the people the best and the cheapest postal service ever known. In all its dealings with the public it is generous, liberal, yes lavish. And yet it does not levy a direct tax of a dollar upon any person within its jurisdiction. It compels no man or woman to pay a dollar into its treasury, but gathers all its revenue in such away that no one feels or knows that he is helping bear the burden.

And the prosperity of the government after thirty years of Republican rule is but the reflex of the condition of the people who earn this year with the same amount of effort twice as many dollars as they did in 1860, buy with their earnings twice as many comforts and save every year more than their fathers saved in a decade. "The entire revenues of the government were less than \$50,000,000 a year." Does the editor of the Union, does any other man, want to go back to that condition of things? Does he think it was better than the present? If he does he has some excuse for voting the Democratic ticket. If he does not, he should stand up and be counted with the party that has brought about the change.—Mirror and Farmer.

You Take No Risk

In buying Hood's Sarsaparilla, for it is everywhere recognized as the standard building-up medicine and blood purifier. It has won its way to the front by its own intrinsic merit, and has the largest sale of any preparation of its kind. Any druggist will confirm this statement. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy anything else instead. Be sure to get Hood's.

Be Sure

If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other. Hood's Sarsaparilla is a peculiar medicine, possessing by virtue of its peculiar combination, proportion, and preparation, curative power superior to any other article. A Boston lady who knew what she wanted, and whose example is worthy imitation, tells her experience below:

To Get

"In one store where I went to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla the clerk tried to induce me by their own instead of Hood's; he told me there would last longer; that I might take it on ten days' trial; that if I did not like it I need not pay anything, etc. But he could not prevail on me to change. I told him I knew what Hood's Sarsaparilla was. I had taken it, was satisfied with it, and did not want any other."

Hood's

When I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was feeling real miserable, suffering a great deal with dyspepsia, and so weak that at times I could hardly stand. I looked, and had for some time, like a person in consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla did me so much good that I wonder at myself sometimes, and my friends frequently speak of it." Mrs. ELA A. GOFF, 61 Terrace Street, Boston.

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NORFOLK & WESTERN R. R.

TIME TABLE IN EFFECT MAY 11, 1890.

Trains leave Marion:
EASTWARD.
No. 2, No. 4, No. 16
1:37 A. M., 9:18 A. M., 5:45 P. M.
WESTWARD.
No. 1, No. 3, No. 15
11:21 A. M., 9:49 P. M., 3:27 P. M.

No. 1, 2, 3 and 4 run daily between Bristol and Norfolk. No. 15 and 16 runs daily between Bristol and Lynchburg.

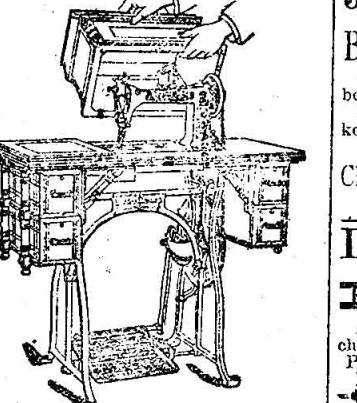
NEW RIVER DIVISION—Leave Radford 12:10 p. m. and 7:25 p. m. Daily Pochontas.

CRIPPLE CREEK BRANCH—Leave Pulaski 8:15 a. m. and 3:00 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Sleeping Cars on all Trains.

For further information apply to Ticket Agent, at Depot or to W. E. BEYLL, Gen. Passenger and Ticket Agent, Roanoke, Va.

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THE ONLY PERFECT SEWING MECHANISM FOR FAMILY USE.

The lightest and quietest running sewing machine in the market. Has high arm, straight and self-setting needle, winds its own thread, puts on its own belt, etc. Does braiding, embroidering and darning, all without the use of attachments. Awarded the only grand prize for a sewing machine at the World's Fair in Paris, 1889. Must be seen to be appreciated. Millions now in use.

W. E. & F. W. LEONARD, Agts, Marion, Va.

Having used the Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines for nearly 40 years, I can truly recommend them to all who wish to purchase, as being a first-class machine, and that they are perfect in all respects.

I have tried various machines but like the Wheeler & Wilson best.

J. H. FRANCIS, Tailor, Marion, Va.

OUR DUTY

DEAD

Is to see that they are laid away in a neat and careful manner. While some are able to purchase handsome and costly Caskets with Heavily Plated Trimmings, others, less fortunate in possession of this world's goods and are content to have a neat burial case with neat trimmings.

We have in stock and can always furnish on short notice any kind of Burial Case that may be desired and our prices are very reasonable. We make no exorbitant charges for anything in our line and will furnish as costly or cheap casket as may be desired. Respectfully,

T. J. Wilmore & Co., MARION, VIRGINIA.

A full line of Coffins and Fine Cloth and Walnut Caskets always on hand for both adults and children at reasonable prices. 8-15-y

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Orders by mail carefully filled.

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Further Argument!

My large stock of New Fall & Winter Goods is now offered to the trade. I give no prices through the papers, as they are a blind guide. Such prices will be given to all who call as will convince the most skeptical that I have the CHEAPEST GOODS in MARION, quality considered.

SPLENDID GOODS! BIG VARIETY! Lowest Prices! Bargains Without a Parallel! Come and See

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Boots, Shoes, Hats, Groceries, Etc., Near Brick Mill, MARION, VA.

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Are just receiving a full line of—

DRESS GOODS, BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS, HARDWARE, TINWARE, QUEENSWARE, WOODENWARE. A full line of all kinds of NOTIONS & NOVELTIES, GROCERIES, and CANNED GOODS always on hand. They also keep Timothy, Blue Grass, Clover and Garden Seeds at proper seasons. They will exchange goods for all kinds of Country Produce for which they will allow the market prices. Give them a call, and examine their stock and prices. Store-house on South side Main St., op. Exchange hotel and Bank buildings.

From the above advertisement you will notice that we have sold our stock of General Merchandise to Messrs. Reeves, Buchanan and Wright, who will be pleased to have you give them encouragement. Give them a trial and you will be induced to purchase your goods from them. CRAGHEAD & WRIGHT.

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WM. C. SEAVER & SONS,

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Chairs, Mattresses, Carpets, Rugs, Etc., Etc. Undertaking a Specialty

We carry a full line of Rugs, Window Shades, and Plain, Fancy and Bronze Window Rods. The ladies are respectfully invited to visit our Waterroom in the Opera House Building and examine our stock of Rockers, Easy Chairs, Sofas, Lounges Bric-a-Brac of all sorts.

Call and Examine Our Prices.

C. M. WOLFE,

Desires to call attention of the public to his large and attractive stock of Groceries, Confectionaries, NOTIONS, &c.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

Briefs and Personal.

Voters, see to your registration. Chestnuts are said to be plentiful. Fresh cakes and crackers at C. M. Wolfe's.

E. Reeves & Co. have a large stock of Liverpool salt. The best line of cigars and tobacco in town at C. M. Wolfe.

Go to Marion Foundry for water pipe fixtures and repairs. Sugar cured hams, shoulders and breakfast bacon at C. M. Wolfe.

Call at this office if you want an organ or sewing machine real cheap. We want eggs, butter, feathers and all kinds of produce. Venable & Co.

For a debilitated or nervous condition, A. B. C. Tonic fights to win. Try it.

If you want a good pair of eye glasses for little money go to C. M. Wolfe's.

Venable & Co. will pay highest market prices for dried apples. We want all we can get.

Sacramental services in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning. Preaching Saturday morning preceding at 11 o'clock.

Call on E. Reeves & Co. if you want bargains in dry goods, groceries, boots, shoes, hats, etc. They have a large stock to select from.

Our friend I. T. Gollehon, Esq. one of the good and influential citizens of Tilson Mills, Bland county, was in town last Tuesday morning.

Miss Carrie Francis, who has been seriously ill during the last two months, is now greatly improved, and it is hoped that she will soon be out again.

My fall stock of goods, consisting of everything, has been opened, and will be sold as cheap as the same grade of goods can be bought anywhere else. All are invited to call. J. B. RHEA.

G. E. Goodell, son of R. M. Goodell of this place, left for the University of Va. last Saturday morning, where he will attend the law school. We hope he will be successful in his efforts.

Remember you only have to pay 6 1/2 cts. for nicest brown sugar, and only 8 cts. lb. for granulated white sugar at Venable & Co.

Matters at a festival at one of the colored churches in this place last Monday night did not suit Henry Moore (a colored youth), and he threw rocks against the door. In a few hours afterwards he found himself in jail.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Dr. Dickenson, Druggist.

A nice line of stationary at C. M. Wolfe's.

A fine lot of chewing and smoking tobacco at E. Reeves & Co. Price our boys, childrens and mens clothing and overcoats before buying elsewhere. Venable & Co.

James Johnson, registering from Staunton, Va., and selling a little wire tidy fastener which he says he has a patent on, jumped his bill at the Valley House. Look out for him.

As Dr. J. P. Hill started from town last Thursday evening his horse slipped and fell down on one of the Dr.'s legs. It was thought that his leg was broken but Dr. Dickinson, who was called to see him, found it not to be the case, but the pain was very severe.

See our stock ladies and childrens cloaks. We guarantee prices lower than you can buy elsewhere. Venable & Co.

John Myers, a notorious moonshiner, was arrested near Chatam Hill last Tuesday evening by Deputy Marshals A. J. Hubble and Jno. M. Poston, assisted by Jno. F. Woodall. They had a hard tussle with Myers and some of his friends before they captured him. On Wednesday he was brought to town and lodged in jail.

"BLIND GUIDES."—We are not afraid to quote prices. We know, and the people know, we sell goods cheaper than others. Venable & Co.

We have been too busy for the last week, receiving and opening goods to put in our regular advertisement. So we now call your attention to the fact that we have opened out the largest and best assorted stock of ready made clothing ever brought to Marion at astonishing low figures. Boots, shoes and rubber goods are superior to any goods in this line ever seen in Marion. Hats, caps and gent's furnishing goods to please everybody. For genuine bargains call on

M. WEILER. The leader of low prices.

Valley House Arrivals.

R. B. Peirce, Bo. Goolsby, T. B. Ward, Jno. T. Gollehon, R. L. Copenhaver, Wm. M. Davis, W. C. Wheeler, W. N. McGhee, W. R. Jones, A. J. Arnett, county; Geo. Pattison, Rural Retreat; S. M. Greer, Grayson county; Frank E. Brown, Roanoke; W. J. Phipps, Miss Etta Hoffman, Miss M. L. Greer, F. L. Greer, Grayson county; D. O. Beatty, Ro. Hardy, Glade Sprg; Dexter S. Groseclose, Cal.; M. B. Ulter, Chicago; J. E. Toruns, Bland C. H.

Epoch.

The transition from long, lingering and painful sickness to robust health marks an epoch in the life of the individual. Such a remarkable event is treasured in the memory, and the agency whereby the good health has been attained is gratefully blessed. Hence it is that so much is heard in praise of Electric Bitters. So many feel they owe their restoration to health to the use of the Great Alternative and Tonic. If you are troubled with any disease of kidneys, liver or stomach, of long or short standing, you will surely find relief by the use of Electric Bitters. Sold at 50c and \$1 per bottle, at Dr. Dickenson's drug store.

Call on C. M. Wolfe for anything in the confectionary line.

A handsome line of Jewelry at C. M. Wolfe's.

E. Reeves & Co. have a lot of nice saddles, cheap. Call on C. M. Wolf for anything in the Grocery line.

Venable & Co. want all the dried apple cores and apple peelings they can buy. Price 2 cts. lb.

A Painful Accident.

Last Saturday evening about 5 o'clock as Capt. W.W. Owen's freight train, going east, arrived at the depot at this place, it was noticed that one of the grates in the fire box was burnt in two. Mr. Joseph Snavely, the fireman, got out of the cab and crawled under the engine for the purpose of putting in another grate, and while at work one of the steam pipes leading from the boiler became detached and with great force the steam was thrown out, scalding Mr. Snavely very badly. His arms, hands, thighs and legs were horribly burned, his face was also scalded but not severely. After being scalded he managed to get from under the engine and ran into the reception room where he was taken in charge by some of the R. R. employees and Dr. G. W. Sprinkle sent for and rendered the medical treatment. On Sunday morning he was taken to his home in Wytheville. Although badly injured his case is not considered dangerous.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shroot, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight." Arthur Love's Manager Love's funny folks Combination, writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, beats them all, and cures when everything else fails. The greatest kindness I can do my many thousand friends is to urge them to try it." Free trial bottles at S. W. Dickinson's Drug Store. Regular sizes 50c. and \$1.00.

Deaths.

A sprightly girl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Desmond of this place, died last Monday morning at 6 o'clock from the effects of spinal meningitis, aged 6 years, 5 months and 11 days. Her funeral services were performed Tuesday evening at 2 o'clock by Rev. F. T. McFaden at Mr. Desmond's residence in the presence of a large audience of relatives and friends, after which her remains were conveyed to Roundhill cemetery and there laid to rest. We with all other friends of the family tender our sincere condolence in this their time of sorrow.

Charles Clarence Copenhaver, son of Mr. Joseph Copenhaver, of this county, died at his home in Jt. Joseph, Mo., of Typhoid fever, on the 13th ult., aged 28 years, leaving a wife, three children; father, mother, two brothers and many relatives and friends to mourn their loss. Mr. Copenhaver left this county about 12 years ago and located in Mo., where he had been fortunate in his business, being an employee on a railroad. We extend to his parents and brothers our condolence in their deep distress.

You are in a Bad Fix

But we will cure you if you will pay us. Men who are Weak, Nervous and Debilitated, suffering from Nervous Debility, Seminal Weakness, and all the effects of early Evil Habits, or later indiscretions, which lead to Premature Decay, Consumption or Insanity, should send for and read the "Book of Life," giving particulars of a Home Cure. Sent (sealed) free, by addressing Dr. Parker's Medical and Surgical Institute, 151 North Spruce St., Nashville, Tenn. They guarantee a cure or no pay.—The Sunday Morning.

FORTUNES FOR MANY.

Allen, the blacksmith, is now a millionaire through replying to an advertisement of unclaimed estates, &c., &c.—Times, London, Mar. 1st, 1888.

If your ancestor came from the old country write to THE EUROPEAN CLAIMS AGENCY, 59 Pearl St. and 24 Stone St. New York City, inclosing 25 cents for reply, and learn if you are heir to any of the unclaimed estates there, worth more than half a billion dollars, that rightly belong, chiefly, to American descendants of Europeans who came to America years ago. If your ancestors came over more than 50 years ago there is a probability that you are heir to a fortune.

FALL OPENING.

I will have an opening of Fall and Winter Millinery, Notions, dress goods etc., on the 1st and 2nd of Oct. All are invited to come and examine styles and prices.

OKIE M. SPRINKLE.

Don't buy any goods of any kind until you see our stock and get our prices. Venable & Co. The very best of side bacon for 8 1/2 cents at C. M. Wolfe.

OBITUARIES.

Died at his home near Ellendale, Va., on 5th Oct., 1889, Pinckney A. Barker, aged 61 years, 5 months and 11 days. The deceased was born and raised in eastern Virginia, and he removed to this county in 1862. He was an honest and industrious citizen; and was upright and truthful in all dealings. Pinckney Barker had his faults, as we all have, but Charity should hold the scales in which are weighed the deeds of men. Truth and honor cover a multitude of sins; and we believe the integrity of the deceased more than balanced his faults in the final reckoning. Being a victim of consumption, his suffering was of long duration and of an intense nature. Yet he never complained, but bore his suffering with heroic fortitude and maintained a cheerful disposition throughout his sickness. He met death as calmly and unshrinkingly as he met all the duties of life. No complaint escaped his lips—no regret did he utter. Let us hope bright angels beckoned him away to his immortal home, where there will be no more toil, temptation, nor pain. Certain it is, no trouble was mirrored on his brow as he entered the chilly waters of death, and the flowers of the Valley now mark their sweetest fragrance o'er his grave. He left a widow and an only son to mourn his death. May their find comfort in God's holy word, and may the world deal mercifully with them, in this, the darkest hour of human experience.

Pleasant Grove, Va. ADRIAN.

Died near Plasterburg, this county, on 21st inst, Mrs. Lelia Joannah, wife of Mr. Lee Shipp and daughter of Mr. Geo. E. Harris, aged 30 years 9 months and 28 days. Her disease was Phthisis, from which she suffered for over 12 months. She was an estimable lady and a member of the M. E. Church, South, and was truly a christian and bore her afflictions with patience and fortitude, and died in the triumphs of faith. She leaves to mourn her loss a kind husband, her father and four brothers besides a large number of relatives and friends. Her funeral ceremonies were held at her late residence conducted by Rev. J. S. Kenedey, and her remains buried near Saltville, on 22nd inst. May she sleep in peace. J. R. H.

No one doubts that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy really cures Catarrh, whether the disease be recent or of long standing, because the makers of it clinch their faith in it with a \$500 guarantee, which isn't a mere newspaper guarantee, but "on call" in a moment. That moment is when you prove that its makers can't cure you. The reason for their faith is this: Dr. Sage's remedy has proved itself the right cure for ninety-nine out of one hundred cases of Catarrh in the Head, and the World's Dispensary Medical Association can afford to take the risk of you being the one hundredth. The only question is—are you willing to make the test, if the makers are willing to take the risk? If so, the rest is easy. You pay your drug gist 50 cents and the trial begins. If you're wanting the \$500 you'll get something better—a cure!

Dry Bones Wanted.

20,000 lbs. of dry bones wanted at once for which will I pay-cash when delivered. R. F. NICKELS.

Another Booming Town.

Clifton Forge, Va., situated on the C. & O. R. R., in Alleghany Co., is the place now for investors. All the R. R. shops are to be located there. Several very large furnaces are in operation and others to be erected. A number of other large manufacturing plants are there and others to be put up soon. The location of the town cannot be surpassed, the health of the place and surrounding country is not better anywhere. Churches, schools are increasing. All kinds of mercantile establishments and mechanical industries are located there, and capitalists from every quarter are locating there. Visit the place and you will be sure to invest.

Every tissue of the body, every nerve, bone and muscle is made stronger and more healthy by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Notice.

Any one allowing their water to run unnecessary from their hydrants is liable to a fine of one to ten dollars. And hereafter it will be carried into effect.

F. S. SNAVELY, Water Superintendent. Sept. 24, 1890.

Lace Bed Sets \$1.60. Ladies' Ribbed Vests 25c. and 50c. per pair. Van Dyke Lace at 15c. and 20c. Vandyke Lace Sets at 35c. per pair. Plated Tableware, good and cheap. Goods arriving daily at J. L. GROSECLOSE'S.

We have just received a beautiful lot of Lace Ties, Lace Shams, Lace Curtains, Chamber Sets, and Household Furnishing Goods, which we will sell cheap. Come and see for yourselves, and you then will purchase.

W. C. SFAVER & SONS.

A fresh lot of French candies just received at C. M. Wolfe.

Blood diseases vanish from the system when A. B. C. Alternative is used.

E. Reeves & Co. have just received a nice line of general Hardware, cutlery, nails, etc.

EVERYTHING NEW!

SAVE MONEY!

You Should Make your Dollar Buy All it Will!

We offer by far the greatest values we ever offered before, and such a stock of goods! We are now opening the largest stock of goods ever seen in Southwest Va., and we not only intend to maintain the reputation of having the cheap store, but will convince you that we will be better than ever before. We want to sell Ten Thousand Dollars worth of goods in the next sixty days. In order to do so we will offer a stock of goods unsurpassed in excellence, quality, styles, etc. By all means get our prices on Clothing, Dress Goods, etc., before buying elsewhere. Be sure and see our BIG STOCK.

Yours, etc., Venable & Company.



Our immense stock of goods is arriving daily.

FINEST ASSORTMENT AND LOWEST PRICES IN MARION.

Come and see

M. WEILER, The Clothier.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

W. E. & F. W. LEONARD,

—SUCCESSORS TO—

PAINTER, LEONARD & CO.,

—Are receiving their fall goods, consisting of—

Ladies' Dress Goods,

of all kinds and prices.

Cloths, Casimeres and Jeans for men and boys' wear. Hats, Caps, Boots & Shoes for men and boys. Also all kinds of Shoes for ladies, misses and children. We also keep in stock, ladies and misses' Cloaks, Shawls, Gloves and Hosiery of the latest styles.

Hardware, Queensware, Glassware,

we make a speciality of this line of goods.

GROCERIES & CONFECTIONERIES always on hand. Have for sale a very best Coffees and Sugars. We will take in exchange all kinds of goods country produce at highest market prices. Our prices will be as low as the lowest, and all who will favor us with their trade will meet with polite and accommodating salesmen. Give us a call.

W. E. & F. W. Leonard, MARION, VA.

TAX-PAYERS, TAKE NOTICE

I will attend the following places on the days specified below the Taxes and Levies for year 1890, thus giving all who have an opportunity to pay before the addition of 5 per cent. added to all Tax remaining unpaid on the 1st day of 1878-9.

ST. CLAIR DISTRICT

E. S. Nott's Store, Novelty, Holston Mills, W. T. James, Umbarger's Mill,

RICH VALLEY

Olympia, Chatham, New...

After thanking all my three successive times to will not be a candidate for re-election, demanding my time and attention. On day of December, 1890, will be placed for immediate to close all my public business before the expiration, which ends July 1st, 1890. Please meet me promptly above and avoid the crowding that occurs on November 1st.

Yours, etc.,

JNO. W. RICHARDS

County

Watchmaker and Jeweler.

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Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Clifton Forge, Va.

The Latest and Best New Town. West Clifton Forge, Va. A Great Event. The Public Sale of a Limited Number of Lots owned by the Parent Company, the CHESAPEAKE & OHIO DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, on

Wednesday, October 15th, 1890.

West Clifton Forge is practically a Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co. town. The C. & O. R'y Co. is fostering it and will use all fair means to make it a prosperous city. Its success is assured. It has large railroad machine shops and car works now building. Rolling mills, large pipe works, and other enterprises expected. It is the end of three divisions of the Chesapeake & Ohio R'y. All crews change here. 1200 to 1800 men to be employed in railroad shops and on trains. Population of several thousand people assured in a few years. A second Roanoke as a railroad town and money making point. The "Altos of the South." Sites donated and aid extended to deservng enterprises. Iron ore on the property in great abundance and of excellent quality. Coke and coal close by. Low freight rates. Several iron furnaces in successful operation. A progressive manufacturing point and a populous city assured. The town now on a boom, money being made rapidly. Hundreds of houses needed at once. Mechanics, carpenters, masons, &c., can find employment. Just the place for business of all kinds. Attend the sale of lots October 15th. Buy a few lots and double your money in a few weeks. Investments made here are absolutely safe. Address for pamphlets and maps

EAKLE, AUGUST & DONOVAN,

Agents of the Chesapeake & Ohio Development Company.

