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John digging old pond ditch



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Crocker on the Colonel.

New York, April 8.—Richard Crocker, former Tammany Hall chief, Saturday asserted that Theodore Roosevelt had no chance in the contest for the Republican nomination. "Theodore Roosevelt has killed himself," declared Crocker. "President Taft will have the United Republican party behind him. The Democrats will have to unite solidly behind their candidate if they expect to win." Crocker declined to discuss the contest for the Democratic nomination.

His Ambition.

I would rather be the humblest among those who have given hope to the hopeless, and happiness to the distressed of my race, than to live in history as a conqueror with my hands stained with innocent blood. I would rather have my name written among those who have loved their fellow man than to wear the laurels that encircle the brow of the iron prince. I would rather sleep in some quiet church yard, unknown and unremembered, save by those in whose hearts I have scattered seeds of kindness and upon whose lips I have conjured smiles of joy, than to be confined in a sarcophagus of gold with desolate homes as my monuments and widows and orphans as living witnesses of my glory.

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 surface. 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 that you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Emory and Henry News.

Emory, Va., April 6.—The Norfolk and Western Railway Co. is unloading sand here, preparatory to doing the concrete work for the new depot soon to be begun.

Miss Aldonia Mills, who has been nursing near Wendale, Va., for several weeks, is now at her home in Greensfield community.

Mrs. J. A. Mahoney and son, John, of Bristol, attended the Senior Speech Day Celebration here Tuesday, the 2nd.

President Charles C. Weaver went to Nashville, Tenn., this week to attend a meeting of the Board of Education for the M. E. Church, and the conference for education in the South.

Financial Agent, S. B. Vanght, stopped over here Tuesday, the 2nd, and sold Rev. T. C. Shuler, pastor at Marion, a building lot.

Mrs. James Weaver, from Monroe, N. C., is here visiting her son, our College President.

Mrs. Dave Snodgrass, residing on Cedar Creek pike, has been quite ill for several weeks with appendicitis, and will be taken to the hospital for the operation at an early date.

Mrs. J. S. Miller, wife of our Mathematics professor, who has been quite ill for several weeks, is slowly improving.

Mr. R. J. Noel, of Radford, Va., member of the Board of Trustees of V. P. I., was here Monday, the 1st, investigating the Byars House method of boarding pupils, for the purpose of economic comparison.

Dr. J. P. McConnell spoke on the subject, "The Ideal Church College for Men," before the meeting of the Board of Education, Holston conference, held in Marion, Va., April 9th.

Mrs. S. E. Chiddix, C. C. Weaver and J. L. Hardin rendered exquisite and appropriate music both vocal and instrumental on occasion of the Missionary Rally, held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall Sunday night, the 8th ult.

Two Roanokers Killed in Auto Accident.

Roanoke, Va., April 8.—Dr. J. N. Lewis, one of the leading physicians of this city, and George Barnard, a clerk in the general offices of the Norfolk and Western Railroad, were killed Saturday night at ten o'clock in an automobile wreck on the Hollins turnpike, five miles from this city.

The machine was driven by Gen. McHarg, Jr., vice president and general manager of the Virginia Coal, Iron and Coke Co., and was a 90-horse power car. The driver lost control of the machine and ran into a fence. Dr. Lewis and Mr. Barnard were hurled sixty feet into a field, Barnard's death being instantaneous. Dr. Lewis lived for twenty minutes.

McHarg and another passenger, George Richardson, were thrown from the car, but not seriously injured, although they occupied the front seats. The machine was running at a rate of forty five miles an hour.

Dr. Lewis was forty five years old, assistant surgeon for the Norfolk & Western, and was associated with Dr. S. S. Gale, chief surgeon of the road, as well as being interested in the Lewis Gale Hospital, recently erected in this city. The bodies were brought here at midnight. Young Barnard was twenty-five years old and is survived by his parents.

Mr. McHarg, the owner of the machine, was so deeply affected that he threatened to take his life. The car, a new one, was a total wreck.

The George Richardson mentioned above, who escaped without serious injury, was George Allen Richardson, of this place, son of our townsman, Judge Geo. W. Richardson, and his many friends here are pleased to learn that he escaped serious injury.

"My little son had a very severe cold I was recommended to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and before a small bottle was finished he was as well as ever," writes Mrs. H. S. S., 20 Dowling Street, Sydney, Australia. This remedy is for sale by all dealers.

Proverbs of America.

The white man is the father of merchants and want of money is the father of distress.

Ashes fly back on the face of him who sows them.

Ropes get entangled when goats are tied to the same post.

The dawn does not come twice to wake a man.

The hunchback is never told to stand upright.

The ox that arrives first drinks the cleanest water.

No one gives a cat to a hyena to keep.

No man is clever enough to lick himself on the back.

He who will not take advice gets knowledge when trouble overtakes him.

The camel has his own opinion and the camel driver has his.

What is in a monkey's mouth may not be his; it may belong to the hunter.

Not to aid one in distress is to kill him in your heart.

Working in competition quickens the hands.

He who marries beauty marries trouble.

If you don't praise me, don't spoil my good name.

Corn near the path never ripens.

Hope is the pillar of the world.

He who has no house has no word in the community.

He who forgives ends the quarrel.

Luquity saves a man from making mistakes.

Wisdom is not in the eye, but in the head.

A fool is the wise man's ladder.

The frog enjoys himself in water, but not in hot water.

A woman who has lost her rival has no sorrow.

The sixty four pages of this little book discover that the "heavenly Affian" is a philosopher and not a poor one.—New York Sun.

You will look a good while before you find a better medicine for coughs and colds than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It not only gives relief—it cures. Try it when you have a cough or cold, and you are certain to be pleased with the prompt cure which it will effect. For sale by all dealers.

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.

ARE MICROBES IN YOUR SCALP?

It Has Been Proved That Microbes Cause Baldness.

Professor Uana of Hamburg, Germany, and Dr. Sabourand, the leading French dermatologist, discovered that a microbe causes baldness. Their theory has time and again been amply verified through research experiments carried on under the observation of eminent scientists. This microbe lodges in the Sebun, which is the natural hair oil, and when permitted to flourish it destroys the hair follicles and in time the pores entirely close, and the scalp gradually takes on a shiny appearance. When this happens there is no hope of the growth of hair being revived.

We have a remedy which will, we honestly believe, remove dandruff, exterminate the microbe, promote good circulation in the scalp and around the hair roots, tighten and revitalize the hair roots, and overcome baldness, so long as there is any life left in the hair roots.

We back up this statement with our own personal guarantee that this remedy called Rexall "93" Hair Tonic will be supplied free of all cost to the user if it fails to do as we state.

It will frequently help to restore gray and to its original color. If it is in no sense a Hair Tonic accomplish its purpose by aiding in making the follicle, and pigments active, and by natural flow of coloring about the hair cells.

obligations or promises ask you to give Rexall "93" Hair Tonic a thorough trial and if not satisfied tell us and we will refund the money you paid us for it. Two sizes, prices 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember, you can obtain it only at our store—The Rexall Store, D. M. Smith Drug Co., Marion, Va.

Find Body of Mrs. Greever in River.

Washington, April 8.—Mother love dominating a disordered mind led Mrs. N. Roberta Bruegel Greever, wife of the Rev. Dr. W. F. Greever, a Lutheran clergyman, to an icy grave in the waters of the Potomac just off Fort Hunt, Va., on the freezing night of Feb. 17th, last, after she had eluded an attendant in a shopping throng in F Street northwest.

Fleeing from Washington after escaping from her nurse, Mrs. Greever boarded a trolley car, instinctively going in a southern direction because of her knowledge that her three young children were at the home of relatives in Burkes Garden, Va. Mrs. Greever alighted at a little way station near Fort Hunt.

Slipping past the sentries in the darkness, Mrs. Greever passed around the forest reservation through thick woods and walked on the long wharf, where boats land supplies for the fort, and either intentionally or accidentally walked off the end of the wharf. The ice was nearly two feet thick.

By a strange coincidence John L. Austin heard her last scream as she went through a hole in the ice to her death while trying to walk over the frozen surface to shore. It was about eight o'clock on the night of February 17th that Austin heard the woman's screams above the howl of the icy wind whistling around the fort. He notified Capt. R. T. McMillan, and a squad was ordered out. The wharf, reservation and contiguous territory was searched by the soldiers in vain.

Mrs. Greever was forty four years old. She was the daughter of the late Rev. G. A. Bruegel, a Lutheran clergyman, who had charges in Scrabble and Utica, N. Y., Erie, Pa., several cities in Lehigh valley. Three children born to them Walton, aged nine; Miriam, aged six, and Virginia, aged three, are now at the home of Dr. Greever's father and sister in Burkes Garden, Va.

Itching piles provoke profanity but profanity won't remove them. Doan's Ointment is recommended for itching, bleeding or protruding piles. 50 cents at any drug store.

Saved by His Wife.

She's a wise woman who knows just what to do when her husband's life is in danger, but Mrs. R. J. Flint, Brainard, Va., is of that kind. "She insisted on my using Dr. King's New Discovery," writes Mr. F., "for a dreadful cough when I was so weak my friends all thought I had only a short time to live, and it completely cured me." A quick cure for coughs and colds, it's the most safe and reliable medicine for many throat and lung troubles—grip, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, tonsillitis, hemorrhages. A trial will convince you—50c. and \$1.00. Guaranteed by Carson Drug Co.

Gathering Fuel.

If one can possibly get the time he will do well to pick up a lot of fuel in the wood lot that cannot be had after snowfall. It pays to gather up this wood in more ways than one. It saves the wood, makes the forest look more tidy and pleasing to the owner's eye.

Blanching Celery.

In order to have white stalks of celery, it is well to blanch it by banking with earth or placing boards about it, leaving just a few inches of the stalk above ground. This is done gradually in warm weather; the boards are more satisfactory, as the celery does not decay as readily under them.

Pasturing Winter Wheat.

Wheat which was planted early and is now up and making a good growth may be pastured when the ground is dry or frozen, without materially affecting next season's crop yield. Keep the stock off when the ground is muddy.

Telephone Wire.

The telephone wire is one of the strongest ties that binds people to the farm. It is the nerve which keeps farm folk in touch with their friends and neighbors and in touch with the outside world.

A Goal for the Farmer.

Every farmer should work out and adopt a permanent system of agriculture under which he can increase and maintain the fertility of his land, enjoy a good living, rise in social value, and wield a good influence in his community.

Dressing for Corn.

Corn treated with a dressing of plaster and ashes will soon show by the strong growth and the dark color of the leaf the effect of the dressing.

Democratic Inconsistency

Elections are not decided in Southern States on national issues. Every one of the Southern States south of the Potomac is counted by the Democrats as absolutely sure for their party candidate, no matter whom they nominate. West Virginia is not really a Southern State. It is that element of certainty, regardless of issues or candidates, that makes the party so reckless in legislation. Take the Sugar bill as an illustration. Louisiana is practically dependent on that industry, and Texas has a large and growing interest in it. Colorado, that went Democratic at the last election, is the leading beet sugar State, and its lead, zinc and other industries are all dependent on the Tariff. Missouri, with its lead, zinc and other leading industries, is also dependent on a Protective tariff. Idaho, Montana, Indiana and many Northern States which offer a hope of Democratic success, would be prostrated under such Tariff law as the Democrats have been trying to enact at this and the last session. And yet every Democrat upholds the Free Trade programme of Clark, Underwood and the other leaders excepting when they are interested in a particular industry. The Louisiana and Colorado members railed against the Free Sugar bill, and the Colorado members against the bill affecting lead and zinc, but they vote for Free Trade in the products of other States.

Mr. Underwood declared that beet sugar could not now compete east of Pittsburgh, and should the Free-Sugar bill become a law he asserted that "beet sugar might not be able to retain the market as far east as Pittsburgh." And yet the Democrats, with a half dozen exceptions, vote to strike down this growing agricultural industry with \$60,000,000 of product, at the demand of no one except the Sugar Trust and its associated refiners.

In Old Virginia.

Here in old Virginia,
From the mountains to the sea,
God's piled up stone and gravel
Just as handy as can be.
He intended us to use it,
No doubt, in building roads,
To lighten some the burdens
Of the beasts that draw our loads.

But the rock is where He placed it,
And the gravel's in the pit,
Waiting unborn generations
To construct our roads of it.
We just keep on a-pulling
Through the mud and up the grade,
Building roads with good intentions
Like the devil's own are made.

We've got to answer for it
On the resurrection morn,
When good old angel Gabriel
Sounds the summons on the horn.
We've good to give-good reason
Why we didn't use that stone
To the King of Golden Highways
Sitting there upon His throne.

We'll have to stand before Him
And confess that we've been slow
To carry out His wishes
In this matter here below.
Stand there with guilty conscience,
Hear some supervisor say:
"Good Lord we allowed to use it
If you hadn't come to day."

HERE AT HOME.

Marion Citizens Gladly Testify and Confidently Recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

It is testimony like the following that has placed Doan's Kidney Pills so far above competitors. When people right here at home raise their voice in praise there is no room left for doubt. Read the public statement of a Marion citizen:

David Malley, painter, College street, Marion, Va., says: "My experience with Doan's Kidney Pills has been highly satisfactory. I had been annoyed for a long time by too frequent action of my kidneys and at times also suffered severely from weakness across my back. I often found it almost impossible to straighten. Since using Doan's Kidney Pills, obtained from the Carson Drug Co., I have been greatly relieved. I endorse this remedy highly."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cent box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

MOST WOMEN

Plan lots of Sewing This Month for the new season demand New Clothes and one must face the questions: **WHAT TO WEAR HOW TO FASHION IT**

Let us talk it over. A personal invitation is extended to you to visit our store whether you buy anything or not.

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

J.M. BRISCO
MARION, VA.

SPECIAL BARGAINS.

We have Just Received One Thousand Pairs of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Slippers and Low Quarter Shoes, and big lot of Men's and Boys Low Quarter Shoes that we bought at Twenty-five to Fifty per cent. off of regular prices, and am offering them at prices you can't match anywhere.

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.

Sole Agents for Spirella Corsets

Marion Bargain House,

MARION NEWS

LOCAL ITEMS.

Rev. E. M. Harris will be here Friday afternoon and will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning and night.

The walls of Marion College have been going up rapidly during the fine weather of the past week. The first story is about complete.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Lincoln and daughter, Miss Alice, went to Bristol last Saturday. Miss Alice remained on a visit to relatives.

Miss Ruggles, who has a music class here, was advised last Saturday of her mother's death in Boston, and left on the afternoon train for her home.

Mrs. Geo. W. Richardson received a telegram last Thursday evening announcing the death of her sister, Mrs. Silas Shelburne, in Richmond. She left for Richmond Friday morning to attend the funeral.

Mr. W. Rufus Buchanan was married to Miss Hallie Buchanan, at noon, April 10th. These are prominent young people of Rich Valley, and many will join in wishing them the richest joys of married life.

Mr. E. A. Rhoades, of Greensboro, N. C., the new superintendent of the reorganized Virginia Table Co., arrived in Marion last week and is now putting the machinery and plant in order preparatory to starting work in a few days.

Miss Josephine Buchanan, of Hollins Institute, returned to Marion Thursday night to spend the holidays with her folks. Miss Virginia Buchanan, her sister, of Stonewall Jackson Institute, also came home to spend Easter.

Dr. D. P. Williams, who has been in the Lewis-Gale Hospital at Roanoke, for several weeks, was able to return to Marion last Friday and remained here a few days. He has improved much, but is still quite weak and feeble.

Little Maggie, the daughter of Mr. Emmett Sappe, died at the home of her parents on South Fork last Friday, April 5, 1912, aged four years, nine months and twenty days. The grief-stricken parents have the sympathy of many friends and neighbors in the loss of their little daughter.

The "Egg Hunt" at the home of Mrs. B. F. Buchanan last Saturday evening was quite a success. A neat sum was raised and will be used by the "Civic Improvement Club" to help improve and beautify the sight in rear of Jackson's store. The town authorities have a force now at work cutting the ditch to carry away the water.

There was a well attended congregational meeting at the Presbyterian church on Monday evening. After the reading of the yearly reports, the pastor, Rev. M. M. McFerrin, gave a short and inspiring talk. The congregation was then delightfully entertained by the following program: Song, Mrs. M. M. McFerrin. Organ solo, Miss Edna Brown. Song, Mrs. Patton. Song, Mr. J. E. Dickenson. Sandwiches, coffee and chocolate were then served in the class room.

The mid year meeting of the Board of Education for Holston conference, M. E. Church, South, convened in the Methodist church at this place Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, and continued its sessions through Wednesday. Quite a number of interesting addresses pertaining chiefly to the church college were delivered. The opening address was made by the Hon. Sidney Gilbreath. Among the prominent churchmen present were Drs. W. S. Neighbors, S. D. Long, C. C. Weaver, Prof. J. P. McDonnell, Rev. R. K. Sutherland, Eugene Blake and J. A. H. Shuler.

Rev. Rufus Kern, of near Philadelphia, Pa., the new pastor of Marion and Ebenezer Lutheran church, arrived in Marion last Friday and led his first appointment at Marion Sunday. Mr. Kern is a young man just entering upon his ministerial career and this is his first pastoral. He made quite a favorable impression upon the members of the Marion congregation. He will preach Ebenezer Sunday at eleven o'clock and then return to the seminary in Pennsylvania, where he graduates in June, after which he will return to Marion and take up his pastoral duties permanently.

Silver Tea.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Lutheran church gave a silver tea last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Seaver. Ice cream, cake, chocolate and wafers were served, after which the following program was rendered: Song by Mrs. Patton. Instrumental solo, Miss Edna Brown. Song, Mrs. M. M. McFerrin. Instrumental solo, Miss Ruth Seaver. Song, Mr. Howard Price, of Salem. Violin solo, Miss Katherine Copenhaver, accompanied by Miss E. E. Copenhaver. Violin solo, Mr. Marvin Anderson, accompanied by Miss Winona Anderson. Home made candy and cakes were sold. The evening was voted a complete success, both financially and socially.

Dr. Copenhaver will not be in his office next Wednesday and Thursday. L. M. Copenhaver came down from Pulaski and spent Easter Sunday with friends.

Mr. Jas. M. Boothe, of Seven Mile Ford, was a visitor to Marion last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Campbell, of Chatham Hill, were shopping in Marion Tuesday.

Frank Copenhaver, of Roanoke, came out Saturday to spend Easter with homefolks.

Boys Shirt Waists 25.50 and 75c. at the Marion Clothing Co.

Mrs. John W. Rhoades, who resides near Centenary, this county, is reported quite sick.

Mr. Chas. H. Miller of The Fairwood Lumber Co., was a business visitor to Marion Tuesday.

Misses Mary and Mattie Greiner came down from Rural Retreat last week and spent Easter with friends.

Rev. A. B. Brooks, of Emory, was a visitor to Marion last Thursday and paid our sanctum a pleasant call.

Mayor Chas. P. Greer, of Troutdale, came over on the M. & R. V. Tuesday evening and returned Wednesday.

Mr. W. J. Widener, who fell about three months ago and dislocated his hip, was able to be out on his crutches for the first time Wednesday.

Mrs. D. W. Read has been appointed by Governor Mann as delegate to the Southern Sociological Congress to meet in Nashville May 7.

Walter A. Hull, of Eckman, W. Va., spent Easter here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Captain D. D. Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Reeves came over from Olympia last Saturday and remained over Sunday the guests of their daughter, Mrs. C. Lee Richardson.

Mr. W. H. Richardson has moved from his home on West College St. to his residence he recently purchased on Look & Lincoln hill. We learn that Mr. C. W. Waddy will occupy the residence vacated on College street.

As sweet as the select of roses, as pure as the sparkling snow—Martha Washington Candies. Fresh every week. Carson Drug Company.

W. J. Muller, an excellent young man of Chilhowie, has just responded to a telegram from Piedmont College, of which school he was a former student, to accept immediately a position as book-keeper and stenographer with the King Coal Co. at Kimball, W. Va.

FOR RENT—Rooms, Houses and living apartments on Hotel Holston lot. See J. ELLIS DICKENSON, Real Estate.

The Rich Valley road bonds to the amount of \$50,000 have been issued, signed by Chairman Gass of the Board of Board of Supervisors, and countersigned by Clerk S. W. Kent and turned over to Treasurer J. L. C. Anderson for collection. The money will be here in a few days and we presume road building will begin at once in Rich Valley district. Guess Marion and St. Clair districts will continue to battle with the mud.

Dr. Thos. F. Staley, the noted Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, will be in Marion Monday, April 15, at Dr. Sherrill's office to fill his regular monthly engagement.

Judge Geo. W. Richardson is now having the foundation laid for a splendid new residence on his Main street lot, known as the Gregory lot, adjoining O. H. Carper's residence. Mr. T. F. Brooks is the contractor.

Public School Notes.

The following is a list of the pupils who will take part in the spelling match on the 19th, as far as reported to April 10th:

Marion High School—Grady Greer, Minnie Rouse, Clara King, Byron Anderson, Nellie Buchanan, Ruth Haab, Haynes Wolfe, Emily Barksdale. Blue Spring—Sallie Horn, Ella Roe. Oak Grove—Gertrude Neil, Mt. Carmel—Lettie Snider, Carrie Snider, Charlie Scott. North Holston—Malcolm Wilder. Seven Mile Ford—Hazel Booth, Rachel Reator, Otis Pullum. Piedmont—Sallie Shupe. Bradford—Mary George. Williams—Lillian Grinstead. Riverside—Nannie Wilson. Lyon's Gap—Maggie Hicks. Chatham Hill—Marry Slusher, Kathleen Mitchell. Holstein Mills—Lionie Osborne. Lyon's Gap—Vervie Keese. DeBoard's—Kate Goodman. Curran Valley—Miss C. M. Kale. Taylor's—Minnie Clear. Gollehon's—Wm. Lee Hill. Groseclose—Anna Lindamood, Susie Pickle, Sarah Hawkins. Newman's—Roscoe Comany. Riverside—Glady Gollehon, Ella May Hughes. Walker's Creek—Fred Cline. Saltville—Mac Houston, May Tapley, J. Kent Lawson, May Coverston. Ollie Sanders, Helen Coverston. Tea—Glenn Testerman. Atkins—Carl Crow, Lula Pafford, Maggie Snider, Reber Atkins. Ridge—Robert B. Bolling. Greenwood—Oakey Atwell. Spruce Creek—Mertie Anderson. Sugar Grove—Ethel Hutton, Donna Ham, Josie Wasson, Marie Pafford. Chilhowie—Fannie Mullen, Lena Walker, Lillian Chambers, Grover Gurgeson, Susie Hawthorne. Oak Point—Alice Blankenbeckler, Floyd Doyle.

For the Boys' Contest in Declamation: Thomas Atkins, Atkins; Glen Montgomery, Saltville; Jesse M. Hughes, Chatham Hill; J. E. Copenhaver, Riverside; William Hopkins, Piedmont; Henry Hankla, 7 Mile Ford; Schrock Snider, Mt. Carmel; Byron Anderson, Marion; Ellis Calhoun, Sugar Grove; John Jones, Chilhowie; John Gilbert Anderson, Oak Point.

Young Ladies' Contest in Recitation: Mary Hurley, Saltville; Anna Phillippe, Groseclose; Anna Gwyn, Chatham Hill; Elizabeth Neff, Riverside; Sallie Shupe, Piedmont; Dorothea Tison, Seven Mile Ford; Mary Eller, Mt. Carmel; Myrtle Clark, Blue Spring; Anna Jones, Marion; Margaret Ward, Sugar Grove; Ruth Bonham, Chilhowie; Sallie Wolfe, Oak Point.

Pupils in the Declamation and the Recitation contests are requested to send to B. E. Copenhaver, Marion, Va., the subjects of their selections. Each teacher is entitled to a representative in the spelling match. In case no appointment has been made from a school, the first pupil sending his name will be entered.

The spelling will begin at 2 o'clock p. m., on the 19th, and continue for an hour and a-half. At 3:30 o'clock, the Young Ladies' contest in recitation will begin. At 7:30 p. m., the Boys' contest in declamation will be held, after which the medals for all the contests will be presented. The committees will be made up of persons unknown to the pupils.

You will look a good while before you find a better medicine for coughs and colds than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It not only gives relief—it cures. Try it when you have a cough or cold, and you are certain to be pleased with the prompt cure which it will effect. For safety all dealers.

Of the new pastor at Marion, Va., of whom mention has been made in these columns, Brother J. Theo Bowden says: "Virginia gains another of Kentucky's best young preachers. In the going of Rev. Ernest M. Harris to Marion we are losing from Great Crossing church, near George town, Ky., a splendid man. He is well prepared, spiritual and a good preacher. I have labored with him and have seen him tried. He is every inch a Christian gentleman and a preacher. Mrs. Harris is a most excellent woman and a strong helper to him. The Marion brethren are fortunate in getting such a man. They must treat him well, for his wife is one of Kentucky's fair daughters, and he is known to be worthy and well qualified, his work having been tried here, so he is liable to be offered inducements to return at any time."—Religious Herald.

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Death of Mrs. Mary Tearl Snider.

Mrs. Mary Tearl Snider, wife of the late William Snider, died at the home of her son, Mr. A. R. F. Snider, near Mt. Carmel last Saturday morning, having reached the ripe old age of eighty-six years, four months and seventeen days. She was the mother of twelve children, nine of whom are living, seven sons and two daughters. She is also survived by thirty-five grand and thirty-four great grand children. She was a devout Christian, having been a member of the Methodist church for seventy-four years. She was a good woman and has gone to share the reward of the faithful. A funeral service was conducted from Mt. Carmel church Sunday at eleven o'clock by her pastor, Rev. J. F. Jones, after which the remains were laid to rest in the church cemetery.

Seven Mile Ford.

C. F. Carter is over from Roxie visiting his sister, Mrs. G. W. Taylor. Miss Judie Kell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kell, died at the home of father last Thursday after a long illness of tubercularia. Miss Hazle Boothe spent Tuesday night with Miss Mable Dungan. Misses Pearl and Dorothy Tison were in town yesterday shopping. Mrs. Bettie Kelley has just returned from a three months' visit to the home of her father, Mr. Will Peck, in Tazewell.

Mr. Ernest Hicks, of Pulaski, spent Easter with his father, Mr. J. P. Hicks.

Mrs. Lackie Worley returned to Roanoke Sunday with her husband. Mrs. Worley has spent the winter with her father, L. W. Reator, and they regret very much her leaving.

The Sewing Club will meet at the Humphrey Hotel next Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Copenhaver and two daughters, of Bristol, spent Easter with Mrs. Nanette Copenhaver. Mrs. R. S. Rice and Mrs. Nina Copenhaver were visiting their brother, Charlie Porter, Saturday who has been sick for so long and does not improve very much.

Mr. T. J. Mitchell, of Roanoke, and Miss Mary Hicks made a flying trip to Bristol Saturday and left the other fellow looking so blue. He left town and went to the country to make garden. Mrs. Will Walker went to Chilhowie Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. George Henegar.

Mrs. Lizzie Dungan spent the last of the week with her daughters, Mrs. Joe and C. S. Booth.

Miss Luinie Walker was visiting her brother Will Saturday. Mr. Baldwin Boothe spent Easter with homefolks.

Honor Roll of Marion High School.

Primer—Thomas Ewald, Wythe Hill, Irene Falke, Gertrude Henegar, May Hill, Blanche Hutton, Josephine Peery, Virginia Peery, Margaret Russell, Catherine Shorts.

Second Grade—Cornelia Gowins, Margaret Atkins, Pearl Henegar.

Third Grade—Lucy Lee Shaffer, Katherine Pickle, Ethel Wilkinson, Dean Eller.

Fourth Grade—Celestine Wright, Laura Howze, Ruth Steiner, Gerald Alexander, Miller Kerley.

Fifth Grade—Alex. Hutchens, Preston Copenhaver, Willard Copenhaver, Sallie Barksdale, Elizabeth Greer, Ruth Briscoe, Nellie Staley, Roxie Francis, Cleo DeBord, Edna Williams, Lula Prater.

Sixth Grade—Willie Sprinkle, Maude Seaver, Thelma Richardson, Margaret Steinke.

Seventh Grade—Elizabeth Atkins, Ethel Harris, Frank D. Board.

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Alfred Atkins Dies.

As we go to press we learn of the death of Alfred S. Atkins, which took place this morning (Thursday) about four o'clock, at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. P. W. Atkins. He has been ill for nearly 12 months, and his demise was not unexpected. He was 26 years old and a most exemplary young man. We hope to have a more extended account next week. The funeral will be held from the Presbyterian church Friday at three o'clock. The active pall bearers who were selected by himself are: Thos. Sherrill, Frank Copenhaver, John Brosius, Thomas Francis, J. Ellis Dickenson and John P. Shaffer.

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She's a wise woman who knows just what to do when her husband's life is in danger, but Mrs. R. J. Flint, Braintree, Va., is of that kind. "She insisted on my using Dr. King's New Discovery," writes Mr. F., "for a dreadful cough which I was so weak my friends all thought I had only a short time to live and it completely cured me." A quick cure for coughs and colds, it's the most safe and reliable medicine for many throat and lung troubles—grip, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, tonsillitis, hemorrhages. A trial will convince you—50c. and \$1.00. Guaranteed by Carson Drug Co.

Death of Geo. M. Seabolt.

Mr. George M. Seabolt died at his home in this place on Cherry street Tuesday afternoon. The deceased was stricken with scarlet fever about ten days ago, this and other complications, caused his death, which was not expected. He was a young man just past twenty-eight years old and unmarried; was of a genial, kind disposition and had many friends. He was a consistent member of the Methodist church, belonged to the League and was also an Odd Fellow. He stood well with his companions, and his somewhat sudden death has brought deep regret and sorrow, not only to his aged mother, brother and sister, but also to his friends and companions in the walks of life. The burial took place Wednesday at eleven o'clock in Round Hill cemetery, where a funeral service was conducted by his pastor, Rev. T. C. Shuler.

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TAFT INSISTS ON AID TO FARMERS

Says Department of Agriculture Work Must Go On.

LABORS FOR CONSERVATION.

In his inaugural address President Taft called attention to the deficit then existing in the revenues and the consequent necessity for rigid economy in expenditures. However, the president singled out the department of agriculture as an exception. He said, to quote his exact words, "In the department of agriculture the use of scientific experiments on a large scale, and the spread of information derived from them for the improvement of general agriculture must go on." This view the president has steadily maintained, and repeatedly has urged appropriations for the work of the department.

In his comprehensive message on conservation President Taft said, "The feature that transcends all others, including woods, waters, minerals, is the soil of the country," and that all means at the government's disposal should be used to conserve the soils, adding, "a work of the utmost importance to inform and instruct the public on this chief branch of the conservation of our resources is being carried on successfully in the department of agriculture."

Reports made recently to Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture by the heads of his bureaus justify this solicitude on the part of the president for the department. In calling for these reports the secretary asked that they be brief and that they mention notable achievements of the last five years only, inasmuch as that period is really the period of fruition in the department, the period during which, owing to the broad foundations previously laid by the training and grouping of many corps of scientific men, by securing trenching legislation, by gathering together masses of statistics and other information by providing scientific and other equipment, it has been possible to produce most marvelous results for the conservation of the people.

Taft For Conservation.

In his conservation message President Taft emphasized the importance of the maintenance of the forests and urged their scientific treatment "so that they shall be made to yield a large return in timber without really reducing the supply," and in other messages he pointed out the necessity of reforestation. In accordance with these views, much available work has been done in protecting the national forests and by researches in the laboratory of the department at Madison, Wis., and in the past five years the work of reforestation has proceeded at the rate of 15,000 to 20,000 acres a year. The department makes justifiable pride in its forest work, considering the administration of 100,000,000 acres of land protected and managed for the public benefit a great achievement.

Since Jan. 1, 1907, when the food and drug act went into effect, more has been done to provide a good, clean food supply than in all the preceding life of the nation. A wonderful change has also been effected in the character of the drugs on sale. The department has a trained force of inspectors and chemists doing excellent work in all parts of the country in behalf of pure foods and pure drugs. This salutary law, however, needs amendment as the supreme court held in May, 1911, that its provisions, to quote President Taft's words in his vigorous message to congress a month later, "Do not cover the knowingly false labeling of nostrums as to curative effect." The president added: "An evil which menaces the general health of the people strikes at the life of the nation. In my opinion the sale of dangerous, adulterated drugs... constitutes such an evil and warrants me in calling the matter to the attention of the congress."

Work of Soil Mapping.

Of importance to the farmer has been the work carried on in the past five years of soil mapping and classification. So that now the area included is 407,000 square miles, or nearly 41,000,000 acres. The value of this work is incalculable.

Disseminating the valuable information acquired by the department has proved a wonderful work. Practically 200,000,000 publications have been distributed since Secretary Wilson assumed control of the department, and more than half 103,508,190 of that number have been distributed within the past five years.

Other work accomplished by the department includes a comprehensive system of weather warnings and forecasts; the meat inspection service in which 2,500 experts are employed, who see that every pound of meat sent in interstate is fit for human food, protection of life stock, the checking of rodent pests, the destruction of noxious insects, the conservation of water supplies, the building and care of public houses, and the policy for better farm houses, so that every dollar expended in the presentation of this work in its numerous phases has brought back a hundred fold to the people.

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8:35 a. m. Cahoon	3:10 p. m. Cahoon
9:45 a. m. Pugh	2:40 p. m. Pugh
10:00 a. m. Rye	2:30 p. m. Rye
11:00 a. m. Pridale	2:30 p. m. Pridale
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VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth on the 2nd day of April, 1912:

C. M. Laws, Plaintiff,

vs.

A. J. Gross, et al. Defendants.

In Chancery.

The object of this suit is to partition the estate of the late Nancy J. Gross, situated on the waters of S. Clair's Creek, near Ros. Smyth county, Va., containing about one hundred and seventy acres, of which the said Nancy J. Gross died seized.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants A. J. Gross, A. L. Gross, Jno. T. Gross, Geo. C. Gross, Wm. P. Gross and M. Gross are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they do appear here within fifteen days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four weeks in the Marion News, a newspaper published in the County of Smyth, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house of this county on the 15th day of April, 1912, that being the next succeeding rule day after this order was entered.

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VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 21st day of March, 1912:

J. W. Keller, Plaintiff,

vs.

F. C. Neikirk, Defendant.

Action of trespass on the case in assumpsit.

The object of this suit is a recovery of the sum of \$185.15, with interest from the 3rd day of January, 1911, and costs, and to attach his personal property, consisting of buggies, hacks, harness, wagons, etc. It appearing by affidavit that the said F. C. Neikirk is a non resident of this State, it is therefore ordered that the said F. C. Neikirk appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this notice in the Clerk's office of our said Court, and do what may be necessary to protect his interests. Teste:

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VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Smyth, on the 21st day of March, 1912:

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vs.

F. C. Neikirk, Defendant.

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Trains for Bristol and the South—Lv. MARION, 7:55 a. m., 1:17 p. m. and 8:13 p. m.

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