

WEATHER REPORT
Furnished by E. C. Dutton, Co-operative Observer for U. S. Weather Bureau, Marion, Va.

Date	Highest	Lowest	Precipitation
31-90	55	.00	
1-88	56	.12	
2-91	54	.00	
3-94	55	.00	
4-96	59	.00	
5-97	51	.00	
6-96	60	.00	

Classified Advertisements.



Eyes examined and glasses properly fitted by DR. B. P. SANDERS, at Marion every SATURDAY, at Dr. E. M. Copenhaver's Office. SALT-VILLE every TUESDAY.

LOST—Elks Watch Charm, some where in Marion, has initials engraved W. E. S., 466 Jackson, Ohio. Finder please return to W. E. Seaver, Marion, Va., receive liberal reward. n d lte **

T. E. King Administrator, will sell at Public Auction at 10 o'clock A. M., September 16th, 1925, household furniture of Mrs. Geo. W. Richardson deceased. See advertisement elsewhere.

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Personals.

Mr. S. F. Allen, of Irwin, Tenn., was a visitor here last week.

Mr. W. J. Legard, of Wallace, Va., was here last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. J. P. Neikirk of Ashland, Ky., is visiting his father J. L. Neikirk.

Miss Nancy Totten and Mrs. F. K. Van Hoy, motored to White Top for the week-end.

Mrs. J. L. Thornton is in New York this week, selecting her Fall and Christmas Stock.

Mr. Walter Hull, of Hazard, Ky., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. D. D. Hull on West Main St.

Messrs. J. M. Hughes and George F. Miles of Washington, D. C. were here last week to attend the Fair.

Mr. T. I. Waterhouse of Bluefield, W. Va., was visiting in Marion Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Carson of Osaka, Va., were the guests of J. L. Neikirk and family last Friday.

Mrs. Jack Warner, of Charlottesville, Va., was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Staley on East Main St.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dutton, of Norfolk, Va., are the guests of his grandfather, Mr. J. W. Keller and Mrs. Keller.

Messrs. Kim and Noah Scott, of Norton, Va., spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. W. A. Scott near Mt. Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Scott and Misses Marie Scott and Orvilla Moore, of Bristol, were visitors to Marion last Thursday and Friday.

Miss Helen Copenhaver, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Copenhaver, was removed Tuesday to the Abingdon Hospital, suffering from and attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Henderson and son of Portsmouth, were the guests last week of his brother, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Henderson on Hospital Hill.

Misses Nancy and Anna Cecil who spent some time here the guests of their sister, Miss Louise Cecil have returned to their home in Pulaski, Va.

Misses Janie Wassum and Thelma Van Buskirk, have returned to Marion after spending a week in Roanoke with the Kormers sister, Mrs. Robert Angell, Jr.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are urged to be present as this is a very important meeting.

The last words of David Livingston heard by human ear were "alright you can go now," spoken to an old and trusted servant shortly before his death.

Anderson Chosen G. O. P. Candidate For Va. Governor.

FULL STATE TICKET NAMED BY THE CONVENTION AT ROANOKE

Several Addresses Heard By 2,000 Republicans. Platform Is Offered and Adopted

Roanoke, Virginia Sept 5.—Two thousand Republicans of Virginia in convention at the city auditorium here today named a full ticket to oppose Democratic nominees in the November election; framed a platform, adopted resolutions praising the party and empowered their state executive committee to handle and direct all campaigns of their nominees and select candidates in case any of the convention nominees should withdraw.

The Party Slate Ticket
Governor—Colonel Henry W. Anderson, of Richmond.
Lieutenant Governor—Carl A. Marshall, of Alexandria.
Attorney General—John Paul, of Harrisonburg.

Superintendent of Public Instructions—Mrs. W. M. Caldwell, of Roanoke.
Secretary of the Commonwealth—C. R. McCorkle, of Wise County.
State Treasurer—John D. Bassett, of Bassett.

Secretary of Agriculture—William E. Thomas, of Northampton county.
R. O. Crockett, vice state chairman, called the meeting to order at 1:30 o'clock. Following the opening formality, Henry W. Anderson, who headed the state Republican ticket four years ago in the general election, rose to deliver the keynote address. It was a scathing arraignment of Virginia's present system of government.

Sleep Not Present
C. Bascom Sleep, outstanding figure in the Republican organization in Virginia did not attend the convention as pressure of business made it impossible for him to come.
Other speakers who addressed the convention were John Henry Wise of New York, formerly of Virginia, who ignited the spark of applause by exclaiming that "by reason of the mismanagement of the Democratic party in Virginia, I was forced to go elsewhere to making a living;" Mrs. William Caldwell, of Roanoke; S. H. Hoge, of Roanoke; R. W. Dickinson, of Russell county; Mrs. R. H. Reeves, of Roanoke and R. O. Crockett, the temporary chairman.

Platform
The platform adopted here today follows:
1.—We congratulate the American people upon the constructive achievements of the national administrations

under the direction and control of the Republican party of the nation since March 4, 1921. These administrations have by strict application of business principles, common sense and economy to government reduced the burden of national taxation by 40 per cent, or \$2,000,000,000 a year reduced the expenditures of government (exclusive of interest and other fixed charges resulting from the war) to substantially a pre-war basis; reduced the public debt at the rate of \$1,000,000,000 a year; abolished useless offices and bureaus; increased the efficiency of government and re-established friendly and dignified relations with other nations. Under the safe and able leadership of President Coolidge the country is now prosperous and the national government is being directed to the economical and efficient service of the people in a manner which inspired the respect and admiration of the world and merits the support of the people of the United States.

2.—A painful and humiliating contrast is presented by the conditions in Virginia where every branch of the state government has been in complete control of the Democratic party for forty years. We have an electoral system under which two-thirds of the white people of the state are now disfranchised. A tax system which is so burdensome and unjust as to threaten the life of the industry of the state and drive young men to other communities. Expenditures of the state government have increased more than 600 per cent in the last 25 years, and the increase is continuing each year. Within the past five years state expenditures have increased from \$18,500,000 in 1920 to \$36,000,000 in 1925, or 100 per cent. The record of county and municipal taxes and expenditures is equally appalling. The school system is inadequate and languishing. The highway system is a public reproach. Useless public offices are profiting at the expense of the people through an iniquitous fee system. Every branch of public and private activity is being strangled by cumbersome and uneconomical government organization and the unnecessary and burdensome taxation assessed for its maintenance. A large preparation of the public money is being paid out by separate bureaus and officers without being appropriated by legislation as contemplated by the constitution and without proper control. In spite of increase taxes the state is being run at a deficit and is borrowing money from banks to meet its current obligations. In the face of soldiers and sailors who served in the world war and members of their families dependent upon

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Wills Library to Sunday At Marion College The Crossing

One of the most attractive and popular spots at Marion College is the Library, which is located on the first floor of the building directly opposite the large entrance doors. This delightful room, with its comfortable seats, convenient tables, well-filled shelves, its wealth of magazines, its lovely view, is quiet restfulness, is characterized by the combined charm of dignity and coziness. On rainy holidays and during the daily recreation periods, this room is crowded with eager booklovers, some in search of information, some in search of mental diversion.

The attractiveness of this department has been augmented recently by the addition of the library of the late Mrs. Margaret Richardson, having been bequeathed by her to the institution where for so many years she devoted her musical gifts to the supervision and instruction of the college music department.

Besides popular fiction, which will give pleasure to the college girls and teachers in idle moments, this library includes many valuable volumes, among them being encyclopedias, handbooks, sets of standard authors, such as Dickens, Scott and others, and also some beautifully-bound post-editions.

Mrs. Richardson's loyalty and devotion to the institution where she taught so faithfully and efficiently is well-known, and all those who are connected with the College deeply appreciate this last tribute of her friendship.

MARION COLLEGE OPENS SEPTEMBER 16TH.

Everybody is looking forward with interest to the formal opening of Marion College, which will take place at ten o'clock on Wednesday morning, September 16th. The management requests that all day-students desiring to take the regular College course, or any special course in any department, come to the College on Monday, September 14, for registration and the assignment of schedules.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Miss Neikirk's Music Class will open Monday, September 14th. Those who haven't registered please do so at once.

FREE CHEST CLINIC.

On Thursday, September 17, from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. at the Court House in Marion there will be a Free Chest Clinic under the auspices of the County Health Department and the State Board of Health.

Mr. J. K. Groseclose, of Pulaski, took in the Fair here last week.

Probably there is not a day passes but that somewhere in the country one or more automobiles are smashed and people are killed at railroad crossings. But Sunday continues to be the day when these tragedies are more numerous and more shocking.

On Sunday of last week an automobile was struck by a Southern passenger train near Reidsville, N. C., and demolished, all of the five occupants of the car being killed. On last Sunday a similar and even worse tragedy occurred near Rives, Tennessee. A dispatch from that place reads:

"Claude Warren, a farmer living near Beardstown, Tenn., his wife, two of his children, his mother-in-law, Mrs. J. C. Cude, and Tom Curl were killed here today when an Illinois Central passenger train struck the automobile in which they were riding at a grade crossing. All of the six were instantly killed and their bodies badly torn by the crash. The body of Curl was found several hundred yards down the track. The automobile was splintered."

The automobile was splintered but the engine probably was not damaged. The journey of the automobile its occupants ended at the grade crossing, while the train sped on its way with its passengers, after the train crew had gathered up the remains of the victims of the accident. It is an old story.

Six persons were instantly killed in a horrible manner because the driver of an automobile took a chance. Probably he had driven over grade crossings many times without first making certain the train was approaching, but he made the mistake once too often. It is a mistake which many motorists make, otherwise the newspapers would not print daily stories of tragedies at crossings. There is a lesson for motorists in the fate of Claude Warren and the unfortunate ones who accompanied him on his fatal drive, but crossing tragedies continue to occur because thousands of such lessons have gone unheeded.—Bristol Herald Courier.

Some of the latest styles in Ullmann and Dunn's Ladies Patent and Kid Pump received by the

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Confederate Veterans Take Notice.

Holston Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy will give luncheon to the Confederate Veterans of Smyth County, at the dining room of the Presbyterian church, next Tuesday, September 15th. All are cordially invited to be present.

Personals.

Mr. W. R. D. Moncure, returned to Marion Tuesday after a short business trip through West Virginia and Ohio.

Prof. W. T. Miller, returned to Marion, Tuesday after spending the summer with his parents in Knoxville, Tenn.

Miss Mabel Neikirk left Tuesday morning for Charlottesville, Va., where she enters the University Hospital to become a nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Gose, of Burkes Garden, Va., spent a short time in Marion as the guests of Mrs. John T. Brosius.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Snider were called home from Buchanan last week on account of the illness of Mr. Snider's father.

Mrs. Emily Clark, of Glade Spring, and Mrs. Nita D. Towers, of Richmond Va., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lincoln, Sr.

Rev. J. L. Taylor, of Newbern, N. C., conducted the services in the Episcopal Church, Sunday night, at the close of the service he left for Roanoke, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Totten left last Saturday for Buchanan to visit their daughter, Mrs. H. B. Snider. While there they visited Natural Bridge and many other interesting places.

Miss Stella Totten and Miss Evelyn Griffiths, motored to Norton last Sunday to spend a few days with Miss Carolyn Reed, who was a student with them at Emory this summer.

Miss Ruth Hubbard, of Norfolk, Virginia, left Wednesday for her home, after spending a short time in Marion as the guest of her sister Mrs. E. A. Rhodes, on Church Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gillespie, of Roanoke, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Dent Gillespie, of Bristol, were guests for the week of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Fisher.

The Presbyterian Synod, opened their four day session, Tuesday morning, in the Royal Oak Presbyterian Church. This is expected to draw a large number of church workers to Marion as the programs are especially interesting and several prominent speakers are expected to take part in the various services.

Prof. and Mrs. Lewis Latane, returned to Marion, Tuesday morning, after spending the summer in France, where they have been attending school. Prof. Latane has returned to resume his work as head of the Department of French in the Marion High School, which position he has held for the past three years.

Mrs. G. W. Moss, Mrs. Charles Moss and daughter, Nancy, Mrs. John D. Peery and daughter, Ruth, and Elizabeth, Mrs. C. P. Blevins and daughter Mary, all of Tazewell, and Mr. Jack Dunway, of Cincinnati, Ohio, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Peery, for the week-end.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF

The Ninth Semi-Annual Opening of

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Giant of Air Crashes; 14 Are Killed.

SHENANDOAH, PRIDE OF U. S. NAVY, BREAKS IN THREE PARTS DURING SEVERE STORM ON WESTERN TRIP

Survivors Have Thrilling Ride On Broken Ship

CONTROL CABIN TWISTED LOOSE AND FALLS 5,000 FEET TO EARTH

Caldwell, Ohio, Sept. 3.—Fourteen of the crew of the Shenandoah, giant dirigible, are dead and two others were seriously injured early today when the pride of the United States navy cracked during a severe storm on its western cruise from its Lakehurst, N. J. air port.

Among the dead is Lieutenant Zachary Lansdowne, captain of the ship.

After battling the elements several hours, the huge aircraft suddenly shot upward to an altitude of approximately 7,500 feet from a 3,000 foot level, where the dirigible buckled amidship. The pressure and twisting was so great that it broke the ship in three sections.

The control cabin swung beneath the fore-section of the ship proper, broke away and crashed to the ground while at an altitude of several thousand feet. It carried most of the crew, who were killed.

Carried Twelve Miles. Release of the control cabin, the fore-section measuring about 150 feet and bearing seven survivors, free-ballooned for more than an hour and finally landed near Sharon, Ohio, 12 miles from where the control cabin crashed near Ava.

The main section carrying 26 survivors landed with a crash which sent several of the crew diving through the outer covering to the ground. A middle section of some 15 or 20 feet settled down in pieces over the country side.

Those aboard the nose section had a wild and thrilling ride and landed 12 miles from the place where the cabin compartment crashed. Several of the officers had just left the control cabin and were climbing up the ladder into the cat walk of the ship proper when the cabin broke loose.

Suspended in mid-air and hanging to a girder, they crawled or were pulled to places of comparative safety.

Killed Instantly.

The men, it appeared, were killed instantly. At least one man was torn in two. Others had broken bones and skulls and were otherwise badly mutilated. The bodies will be kept at Belle Valley until tomorrow when a board of inquiry officially will establish the cause of death.

Encounter Line Squall.

Near Ava, eight miles north of here, the ship encountered the line squall, the variety of storm most feared by airmen, and was carried from a 3,000 foot level to 4,500 feet where it remained stationary for a few minutes. Then, with the ship's nose headed southward and four of the five motors going full speed, the pressure again hoisted the ship to a still higher level about 6,000 feet. Lieutenant Commander Lansdowne, survivors say, ordered all motors stopped when the ship reached an altitude of about 6,500 feet.

At this point the ship began to break apart. The nose section continued its ascent to about 7,500 feet and then started downward on its cross-country flight. The control cabin was twisted off and dropped to the ground when more than 5,000 feet in the air. The seven men aboard this section were killed instantly.

THE MARION BAPTIST CHURCH

The pastor preaches. His subject at 11:00 A. M. is "Good Luck" and at 8:00 P. M. "A Lad's First Night Away From Home." There will be something you need at these services. Come and see and bring your family, your friend and your neighbors. Be a hand for the Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. and the Young Peoples meetings at 7:00 P. M. The friendly church the singing church.

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Phillips-Wolfe.

The marriage of Mr. Jack Phillips and Miss Hornita Wolfe was quietly solemnized Thursday afternoon at four-thirty o'clock at the home of the bride's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Pitts, 515 West Maple Street.

Reverend W. C. Patton performed the impressive ceremony in the presence of a limited number of relatives and intimate friends.

Mrs. Phillips is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Z. M. Wolfe, of Marion, Va.

Mr. Phillips is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Phillips, of Cranberry, N. C. He is connected with the C. C. & O. railroad, being located in Kingsport, where the young couple will reside.

Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Pitts entertained with a dinner party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Phillips. The exquisite table decorations consisted of English lavender and rose buds. A delicious dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. T.

Annual Statement

---OF---
The County School Board of Smyth County, Virginia, for year ending June 30th, 1925.

Receipts.	
State Fund Balance June 30, 1924	\$75 88
State appropriation Nov. 1 and 2nd	32965 49
State appropriation for Higs Schools	1425 00
State elementary schools	2955 29
State 4 cent tax	6093 40
State cash appropriation	6382 39

Total State Funds	\$49897 45
County Fund bal. June 30, 1924	1771 29
County Fund Apportionment	43114 25

County Fund Total	\$44885 54
District Funds	19304 30
Receipts from other sources	31051 99

Total receipts from all sources 145139 28

Disbursements.	
Superintendent salary	925 87
Trustees, office furniture etc.	150 00
Office expenses including report cards	205 43
Clerks' salaries	911 00

Total for control	2192 30
Paid 172 teachers	113575 50
Paid tuition	573 00
Paid State and County Associates	100 62
Paid Va. Journal of Education	60 30
Paid debts last year	2881 60

Total for Instruction	117191 02
Paid janitors	1927 75
Paid fuel and water	3247 30
Paid lights and power	315 26
Paid books	30 61
Paid supplies pupils	335 13
Paid postage and express	61 34
Paid printing	84 15
Paid census	483 36

Total for operation	6484 90
Paid for repair of buildings	1613 51
Paid for repair of equipment	72 12
Paid for insurance	132 80
Paid for rent	180 82

Total for auxiliaries	1999 25
Paid for libraries	90 00
Paid for commission to treasurer	2708 69
Paid for attorneys fees	23 00
Paid for recording deeds	13 50

Total for miscellaneous	2745 19
Paid for real estate	513 15
Paid for new buildings	5574 30
Paid for permanent improvements	1443 87
Paid for furniture	144913
Paid for debts	3678 49
Paid for interest	203 20

Total for capitalization 12862 14

Total disbursements	143565 80
Total Balances June 30, 1925,	1573 48

\$145139 28
D. D. COLE, Clerk. F. L. SANDERS, Chairman.

E. Wolfe, Miss Ann Austin and Messrs. Jack and George Pitts. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips left Thursday by motor for North Carolina and Virginia points on an extended honeymoon.

MEMORIAM

A tribue from Holston Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy to Mrs. Lucy Gillespie Sprinkle, who passed away August, 1925.

With deep sadness and hearts full of tenderness we wish to say a few words in memory of a member of our Chapter, whom we have loved and "lost awhile." To know her well was to love her well. For some years she was not physically strong, and passed through many months of suffering, for that reason she had to give up active work, so she was deprived of keen pleasure, because of her love for service. She was ready and willing to aid any work undertaken by the Chapter. Her friends loved her dearly, for those who knew her best appreciated to the full the real beauty and sweetness of her character and disposition.

A lovely christian character has gone from our midst, and we extend deepest sympathy to her relatives in their sorrow, and will always keep her in loving memory for her devotion to the cause, which is so dear to the Daughters of the Confederacy.

"There is no death, the stars go down, To rise upon some other shore; And bright in Heaven's jeweled crown, They shine forevermore."

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kennon, Miss Jane Brown and Mr. Walter Brown party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Phillips of Greenville, Tenn., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brisco last week. Mrs. Brisco accompanied them on a motor trip thru W. Va., last week-end.

NOTE THE DATE—PREPARE TO ATTEND.

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5. The farmers receive the earnings of the Bank. (Last year The Federal Land Bank of Baltimore paid about \$250,000 in dividends back to the County Associations.) Are you receiving any earnings on your present indebtedness?

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- No. 2 103 Acres of good land with barn, and machine house, good orchard, good spring, located on good rock road near State Highway within 3 miles of Marion. Price \$100.00 per acre.
- No. 3 93 Acres of very fine land with two good six room houses two good barns and all necessary outbuildings, buildings all in good repair, land in high state of cultivation, spring and running water, located on good Maccadam road, near Marion in good neighborhood, fine young orchard, a fine farm, a good place to live. Right price easy terms.
- No. 4 140 Acres of land with good five room house, good large barn, and other outbuildings, located on public road near Atkins, Va., has good young orchard. Price \$9,000.00. Terms.
- No. 5 38 Acres of land with 4 room house and outbuildings, located on good road in Wythe County, this is a good small farm and will make some one a good home. Price \$3,800.00.
- No. 6 100 Acres of very fine land with a good six room house, good large barn, tenant house and outbuildings, this land is in a high state of cultivation, is a fine farming and grazing proposition, is located in one of the best farming sections of Wythe County, on a good road near school and church. Price \$13,000.00 usual terms.
- No. 7 32 Acres of fine land with a good 6 room house and outbuildings, good young orchard, located in a good neighborhood near the Town of Marion. Price \$4,200.00. Terms.
- No. 8 45 Acres of land with a six room house, good young orchard, located near Mt. Carmel in a good neighborhood, on a good road. Price \$3,600.00. Terms.
- No. 9 6 Acres of fine land located just out of the Corporation of the Town of Wytheville, we want to sell this as a whole, so some one can make some money on this place by subdividing it into lots. Price \$1,600.00 terms.
- No. 10 70 Acres of land with a 5 room house and outbuildings, good orchard, located on public road, 3 miles East of Atkins. Price \$2,500.00 terms.
- No. 11 A good 3 stand Sprout Wilden Mill, good French Burr corn mill, in fact a good equipped mill, located in a good wheat belt, mill now running, this is a bargain. Price \$3200.00 terms.
- No. 12 A beautiful home, 8 room house, fine basement, bath, in fact modern equipped, good corner lot, located in the town of Marion, Main St. Price right, easy terms.
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- No. 15 A 4 room house and lot located in the Town of Marion on Water St. Price \$1,500.00 terms.
- No. 16 A good 5 room house and lot located in the Town of Marion, on Church St. Price \$2,000.00 terms.
- No. 17 2 Acres of land with a good 10 room house, fine lot of fruit trees, located in the Town of Marion, on R. R. St. Price \$6,500.00 Terms.
- No. 18 A 5 room house and lot located in the Town of Marion on Church St. Price \$2250.00 terms.
- No. 19 A 2 room house and good large lot located in the Town of Marion, on Iron St. Price \$600.00.
- No. 20 A good 7 room house, good large lot, two story store house, located on the State Highway at Atkins. Price \$5000.00 terms.
- No. 21 A 17 room Hotel and good lot, located in a thriving little Town, has good business a bargain. Price \$5,500.00 terms.

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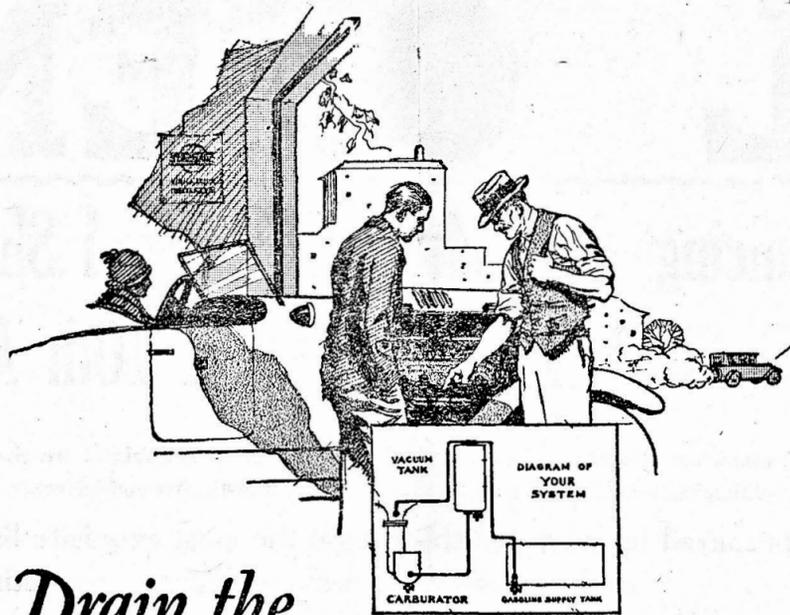
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Fire on College Street.

On Saturday last Mr. Wm. Ross' school and wood house was burned. It is thought that a spark from the chimney must have fallen on the building and ignited, as the house was a very dilapidated one and was filled with the richest kind of small pine wood. Two visiting sailors played a garden hose on the house until our Fire Department arrived, which was on the scene in a very short time, and their splendid work is all that saved the home and other out buildings.

Miss Rose Ryburn, of Linden, Cal., and Mrs. Lula D. Ryburn, formerly of Rich Valley, who have been located at the home of Mrs. W. W. Hurt for the past three months, motored to Asheville, N. C., and spent the weekend with Mrs. Ryburn's brother, Mr. H. F. Davis. They were accompanied by Mr. W. S. Hutton and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Boatwright, of Bristol, Va., consins of Miss Ryburn. While in Asheville, they visited Montreal, Grove Park, Inn; Sunset Mountain; and climbed to the top of Mt. Mitchell 6,711 feet above sea level. They report a delightful trip; but found the drought much more serious in that section than in S. W. Va.

STOLEN from the Fair Ground Wednesday night, September 2, Ford Coupe, 1925 model, License number 125,235, Engine number 11,726,731 Switch number 67, equipped with bumpers, word "Tied" on front bumper, fenders brace combined with rear bumper), dashboard light, mirror, balloon tires, a good supply of car tools. Belonging to Miss Minnie Rouse Seven Mile Ford, Va. Liberal Reward

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TENT REVIVAL CONTINUED.

BAPTIZING NEXT SUNDAY

The revival on Broadway near the foundry under direction of Evangelist A. G. McCown, Oklahoma Evangelist, is progressing favorably. A number of conversions have been made, delegations from Bristol, Wytheville, Meadow View, Chilhowie and other points are in attendance.

There will be three services next Sunday and a baptismal service. Basket dinner on the ground at noon. The meetings will continue through another week.

Uneasy Tight Feeling

"I used Theodor's Black-Draught first for constipation," said Mrs. C. E. Buntin, of R. F. D. 5, Starkville, Miss. "I would feel dull, stupid, and have severe headaches, even feverish. I had an uneasy, tight feeling in my stomach. I read quite a bit about

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I began using it and soon my bowels acted regularly and I was greatly relieved. I used it every once in a while for about 18 years.

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"I gave Black-Draught to my children for colds and headaches. I can certainly recommend it." Black-Draught is used, with satisfaction, by millions. Get Theodor's. Sold Everywhere

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OIL OUTLOOK REASSURING

Commenting on our future supply of oil, the Standard Oil Bulletin, published by the Standard Oil Company of California says:

"Predictions of failure of the American supply of oil have been made almost from the beginning of the oil industry. All have proved fallacious. When the production of old fields has dropped off, the oil industry has found new fields."

A committee of eleven members of the Board of Directors of the American Petroleum Institute has just issued a report on the future of the industry. The report draws particular attention to two impending developments of very great importance. One is the extension within the industry of "cracking" crude oil, a process which increases the yield of the all-important gasoline. The other is a change in motor construction which, roughly speaking, will double the mileage of the automobile per gallon of gasoline. Herein is true conservation.

Altogether the findings of the committee are reassuring. There may be passing periods of shortage of petroleum but there is no danger in the situation.

TO MY FRIENDS AND PATRONS.

During my visit to the eastern cities, New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore, it was interesting to note, the new rich colorings in hats, gowns, coats and accessories. There were productions from all over Eu-

rope, London, Paris and Berlin. There were styles of every description and it is a privilege to pass on to you, what I have learned will be the correct attire for Fall.

The varied styles, the exquisite attention paid to all types and the care that has been taken to give you just what is suited to your individuality has been most interesting, and I trust you will take advantage of our efforts to study your own problems and let us be of assistance to you.

Sincerely yours,
HENRIETTA W. WELER,
of The Weiler-Wolfe Co.

Mr. W. P. Gills, Allen Gills, Kenneth Gills, and Miss Katherine Gills, of Appomattox, and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pittman, of Richmond, Va., are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gills.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eller, Mr. J. M. Brisco, and Miss Ruth Brisco left for a motor trip to Eastern, N. C. Sunday. Miss Brisco will remain at Roper, N. C., where she will teach this winter.

Mr. Wm. Clinton Winburn of the U. S. Ship Henderson is visiting at the home of Mr. Wm. E. Rosser. Mr. Winburn is a son of the Rev. J. J. Winburn, pastor of the First Baptist church of Jeffersonville, Ga.

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those who are otherwise qualified, should be allowed to vote without payment of poll taxes.

4—"We should demand that the entire tax system of Virginia, state, county and municipal, be revised, simplified, and placed on a basis which is equitable and just to all interests and in accord with sound modern principles of taxation.

5—"We should demand that the iniquitous and unjust fee system existing in Virginia be abolished and that all public officers be paid fixed compensations under appropriations made by proper legislative authority.

6—"We should demand that all monies collected from the people for public purposes or by public officers shall be paid into the public treasuries, state, county or municipal and paid out only for legitimate purposes upon proper appropriations and on proper accounting.

7—"We should demand that the school system be taken out of politics and so conducted that primary education essential for good and efficient citizenship, which is the duty of the state to provide, shall be within the reach of every child in this state before public monies are expended for fancy and unnecessary instruction of the children and favored communities.

8—"We should demand that the highway system be taken out of politics and highways constructed so as to give to the people continuous roads on which they can travel, instead of paths built at points convenient to the homes of influential politicians. This suggestion needs no comment.

9—"We should demand the abolition of invisible government in Virginia; that the government be restored to the people and be made responsive to the will of the people, and that it be freed from the destructive control of an irresponsible political oligarchy."

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Special services will be conducted in Christ Episcopal Church at Marion, Sunday night at 8 o'clock. At this time the Right Rev. Robert C. Jett, Bishop of the Southwestern Virginia Diocese, will deliver the sermon and conduct the service.

Boys Suits \$5.00 to \$20.00 at
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PEYTON MITCHELL IS SHOT TO DEATH

Pulaski, Va., Sept. 9.—Charley Duncan shot and instantly killed Peyton Mitchell today at Duncan's home on Cloyd's Mountain, twelve miles from Pulaski. Duncan came in and surrendered to Sheriff Bones, the first knowledge that the officers had of the killing.

He used a shotgun, the load taking effect in the victim's left side. Duncan claimed that he shot in self-defense and stated that Mitchell would be found in the yard of his home with a pistol in his hand, alleging that Mitchell drew his gun when he had remonstrated with him for cursing.

The coroner's jury returned a verdict of shooting in self-defense. The man has a family and is about 40 years old.

Another shooting occurred here today when two negroes, George Hogan and Clarence Pierce, engaged in a dispute, Hogan shooting Pierce in the right eye with a shot gun and then making his escape.

BACK LAME AND ACHY?

The Advice of This Marion Resident Should Help You to Get Well

Do you suffer nagging backache? Feel dizzy, nervous and depressed? Are the kidneys secretions irregular; breaking your rest?

Likely your kidneys are at fault. Weak kidneys give warning. You have backache; rheumatic twinges. You feel weak, tired, all worn-out. Heed the warning. Don't delay! Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys.

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Personals.

Mrs. Frank Crockett, of Bluefield, was the guest last week of Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Painter.

Miss Mildred Copenhaver of Holston Mills is this week the guest of Miss Louise Rosser on College Street.

Mr. C. H. Fenstermacher and Miss Dorothy Clark motored from Roanoke and spent several days with his daughter, Mrs. W. M. Poston. They were accompanied back to Roanoke by Mrs. Poston.

Mr. W. H. Greenwood and Miss Emma Bryant motored from Roanoke last Friday and spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Greenwood's sister, Mrs. J. G. Stephenson on Pendleton St.

Mr. Neil Tarter and Dr. George Carson, of Red Ash, Va., Miss Emma Taylor of Quarry, Va., and Miss Hazel Robinson of Raven, Va., were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tarter.

Men's and Boys Shoes that will wear and prices that will please you, for sale by the
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Miss Annie Tarter left last week for Round Hill, Va., where she will teach this next winter, this is Miss Tarter's third year at Round Hill, Va., where she has been a very successful teacher.

We are glad to note that Mr. Hugh W. Killinger who has been very ill for ten days in Jefferson Hospital, Roanoke, is reported some better. We hope he will soon be out again.

Mr. Carroll L. Rosser of the U. S. Ship Henderson is visiting at the home of his parents on College St. Mr. Rosser spent a good part of last summer abroad, he also made the trip to Alaska when President Harding went.

Miss Cosby Buchanan passed through Marion Monday on her way to her home in Rich Valley, having spent a pleasant vacation visiting the Northern Cities, Washington, Baltimore, New York, Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Ballard and two daughters, Misses Frances and Louise, of Portsmouth, Va., spent several days of last and this week in Marion visiting relatives and friends. They were accompanied from Roanoke by Mrs. Ella Carper, who has been the house guest of Mrs. W. B. Jackson for several days.

Mr. Robt. Edwin Goolsby, left Monday for Lexington, Va., to enter as a Cadet in the Virginia Military Institute. We wish Robt. much success during the year ahead.

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