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Wm. Pannill, of Bristol, spent several days last week in this county visiting relatives. Dr. Denis Spencer, of Silver Pond, Fla., the cancer doctor, is in town again and will remain several days. Charles Seal is improving rapidly from his severe hurt and is now able to walk about with the aid of crutches. N. D. Conner, on Depot street, is making valuable improvements to his dwelling house by building a nice porch. B. B. Crump, traveling representative of that excellent daily, the Richmond Times, paid us a pleasant call yesterday. Rev. E. W. Moore, Presiding Elder of this district, is quite sick from the effects of cold. He is at Dr. John S. Apperson's. Sample line over-shirts, undershirts, bosier, pants, handkerchiefs, towels, scarfs, etc., at wholesale prices. E. Reeves & Co. We are sorry to learn that Mrs. R. B. Allen is seriously sick. She is a sister of Mrs. Tarter, who died yesterday morning. Rheumatism is like sand in the bearings of machinery. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great lubricator which cures the disease. Rev. A. P. Scott was paralyzed on his right side last Friday at his home near this place. We hope that he will recover soon. Our old friends A. J. Bralley of Wytheville, and Sam'l Bralley, of Red Bluff, paid our office a pleasant visit last Saturday. E. F. Groseclose is making improvements to his hotel property by an addition four rooms. F. S. Snavey is the contractor. The Cooley Bros. & Richardson are delivering the brick to be used in building the new public school house which will be erected during the summer. Parties indebted to me and whose accounts are past due will please come forward now and settle same up. We are obliged to have money. M. Weiler. Wm. D. Fowler left Tuesday for Glade Spring, where he will open a barber shop. Will is a good barber and hair dresser, and will please all who patronize him. The Lottie Moon Sunbeam Society will hold a memorial service in honor of the late Mrs. Minnie Cole at the Baptist church next Sunday at 3:30 p. m. All are invited. We obtain patents for protection, not for ornament. Send for our valuable pamphlet. DuBois & DuBois, Inventive Age Building, Washington, D. C. M. Luther Colley has rented T. H. Thurman's house for a family grocery next week. Luther is a straight-forward young man and we wish him success. James R. Atkins has moved from the Francis property at the east end of the house late

Those F. Pruner & Co. are now receiving a stock of heating and cooking stoves and an excellent stock of tinware, etc. They propose to sell their stoves as cheap as they can be sold anywhere in Southwest Va. We still have a great many bargains to offer in remnants and winter goods. We will have in our new spring stock of goods by the 12th to 15th of Feb., and we ask you to price our goods and see what a stock we have to offer. Venable & Co. The engineers have completed their preliminary surveys of the Marion & Rye Valley railroad. The Co. will in a few days make all necessary arrangements for building the road. Already they have contracted for cross ties for a portion of the way. The standard organ of the world is the Estey, known the world over. Over two hundred and fifty thousand made and sold; warranted five years. Hobbie Music Co., Roanoke, Va., general southern dealers, will guarantee factory prices and easy payments. They will also mail complete catalogue free; write for one. J. R. Venable left on Tuesday night for New York and Baltimore to purchase goods for Venable & Co.'s store in this place and in Rye Valley. John says he intends to spread himself this time in buying and our readers may expect to see a beautiful stock of goods here at prices that will, they say, be the very lowest. Messrs. Venable & Co. have rented the store house of Mrs. Sam'l Wilkinson in Rye Valley, and will open a branch store there about the 10th of Feb. J. R. Venable is now in the eastern markets buying goods for the Rye Valley and Marion stores. We congratulate the people of Rye Valley for being able to get Messrs. V. & Co. to put up a stock of goods for them. It will be quite an addition to the Valley. Our readers will notice in our columns the advertisement of H. B. Hull. Mr. Hull is an energetic business man and is deeply interested in his efforts to induce emigrants to locate in this section of Virginia. Persons having farms, houses and lots, mineral or timber lands to sell or lease, will be benefited by listing their properties with Mr. Hull, who will deal fair and make contracts which will be of mutual advantage to owners and purchasers. There's a patent medicine which is not a patent medicine—paradoxical as that may sound. It's a discovery! the golden discovery of medical science! Its the medicine for you—tired run-down, exhausted, nerve-wasted men and women; for you sufferers from disease of skin or scalp—liver or lungs—its chance is with every one, its season always, because it aims to purify the fountain of life—the blood—upon which all our diseases depend. The medicine is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The makers of it have enough confidence in it to sell it on trial. That is, you can get it from your druggist, and if you don't like it, it's claimed to do, you can get your money back, every cent of it. That's what you get. Tiny, lit are what

leaves to his and two daughters and two daughters. Tartar was a lady and a member of the Lutheran church. Her funeral ceremonies were held at 10 o'clock today, and she remains buried in the Mt. Carmel cemetery conducted by Rev. J. J. Scherer assisted by Rev. George A. Maiden. A very large number of relatives and friends were present. We tender our sympathies to her children in their sad bereavement. Ground Hog Day. The ground hog left his winter quarters Tuesday at sun-rise, and as the morning was clear he saw his shadow and returned immediately, but about 11 o'clock he came out again, and as the sun was not shining he left and went to Rich Valley and there he met up with Peter Croger, the famous hunter of Southwest Va., who killed him on account of his inconsistencies. So says Eli. Knights Templars Notice. A regular convolve of Lynn Commandery No. 9, K. T. will meet in their Asylum in full dress uniform, on Friday, the 12th inst., at 7 p. m. By order of the Capt. Gen. J. M. LUTHER, Recorder. MARRIED. At the residence of the bride's parents near Chilhowie, this county, on the 3rd inst., Mr. Jas. L. Vance and Miss Sallie A., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. Smith. DEATHS. Mrs. Mary P. died yesterday evening at her late residence in this place at 2 o'clock from fever and heart trouble, aged about 60 years. She was an excellent christian woman and a member of the M. E. church. She leaves 3 sons and 3 daughters to mourn their loss. Her funeral services were held this evening, conducted by Rev. Dr. J. S. Kennedy, and her remains buried in Roundhill cemetery. We tender our condolence to her distressed family. Letticia, wife of Wm. Bunday, colored, died from Pneumonia fever last Saturday evening, aged 28 years. She leaves a good husband and 4 little children to follow her. Her remains were buried Sunday evening in Roundhill cemetery. Valley House Arrivals. H H Lockhart, C S Booth, Jos F Keller, S A Groseclose, C M Shannon, J B Whitaker, H C Blevins, S C Johnson, J J Dungan, J S Gass, Wm Shepherd, J H Rouse, Jas A Groseclose, H C Campbell, Jos B Copenhaver, H P Copenhaver, J A Morris, Sheriff Leonard, Bascomb Buchanan, M R Buchanan, T M Buchan, Geo W Wilson, Judge G H Fudge, W T Dungan, Chas E Patrick, W B Johnson, Frank Brook, Joel Booth, C O Dungan, A F Stobe, W K Brooks, Jno L Whetsel, T G Sanders, Jas A Hoofnagle, co.; C D Baumgardner, Rural Retreat; Jos T Bland, Crewe; R S Crayshaw, Mr Meadows, W A Sp...

Mr. Wm. H. was best man, who waited with Miss Carrie Francis, of Marion. Second was Mr. Charles Lako, of Radford, with Miss Virginia Campbell, of Palaski. Two lovely little girls, Ada (Christian and May Lou Campbell, were the flower strewers. Mrs. Frank Harrison played Mendelsohn's beautiful wedding march. The bride entered the church leaning upon the arm of her uncle, F. L. Campbell, and the groom was accompanied by his brother, and after arriving in front of the pulpit, a beautiful marriage ceremony, with the ring, was performed by Rev. J. M. Luck. The bride was dressed in cream plush, trimmed in China silk and pearl beads, orange wreath and veil, and the bride's maids in cream cashmere, trimmed in lace, and the groom and his attendants were dressed in beautiful suits of black. After many congratulations from their friends the wedding party repaired to the home of the bride's mother, where a reception was given from 8:30 until 12 o'clock. At 10 o'clock a tastefully prepared repast of rich delicacies was served, which was relished by every one present. The following is a list of presents: Kianich & Bach piano and set of China, bride's mother; silver tea and service set, groom; silver salad bowls, Miss Francis; check for \$25.00, Mr. Will Harless; check for \$25.00, Mr. J. S. Campbell; Dresden China pitcher, Mr. Chas. Lake; table lamp, Mrs. F. L. Campbell; salt and pepper boxes, Miss Virgie Campbell; table spread and towels, Mrs. E. Kidd; hat rack and handkerchief case, Miss Campbell; silver butter knife, Mrs. Osborne; willow rocking chair, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Campbell; silk handkerchiefs, Miss Johnson; hand painted throw, Miss Clear; carvers, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Howard; carvers, Mr. Greenbaum; 1 dozen fine glasses, Mrs. A. H. Christian; silver butter knife, sugar shell and pickle fork, Miss Phillips; 1 set tea spoons, Mrs. Catron; 1 set (after dinner) coffee spoons, Miss Hammock; 2 pairs damark towels, Messrs. A. H. Jordan and A. L. Darst; 1 pair silver vases, Mr. J. Clyde; bon-ton basket, Mr. Will Miller; 1 Shakespeare clock, Mr. John Heuser; 1 silver jelly bowl, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fagg; 1 rose jar, Mrs. M. A. Shelly; 1 silver call bell, Mrs. S. Phlegar; fruit bowls, "Aunt Nan"; 1 dozen napkins, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson. We tender congratulations to the happy couple and wish them a pleasant voyage on the sea of life. Children's and boys' suits extremely low at Weiler's. Candy 15c. per lb. E. Reeves. Overcoats for nearly everybody way down in price at Weiler's. Shakespeare will please excuse us if we modify him thus: Thrice is he clad who hath his system strengthened with Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and he but naked, though arrayed in furs, whose blood is poor or with disease corrupted. An incomparable medicine. Fresh candies, lemons, oranges, bananas, malaga grapes, nuts, cakes, etc., at C. M. Wolfe's. Public School Building. NOTICE. Estimates 4th school district receive bids for the completion of a school building, except the children, the 20th Board reserves the right to accept all bids filed. Contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder. Full security will be required. Plans can be seen in News in like copies. Clerk.

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