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CHURCHMEN ARRANG WILSON FOR REQUEST TO APPEAL "DRY LAW"

Presbyterian Assembly Passes Resolution Urging Congress to Sustain War-Time Prohibition Act.

St. Louis, May 20.—President Wilson was arraigned today by Commissioners to the one hundred and thirty-first general assembly of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., for requesting Congress to repeal or amend the war time prohibition act and a resolution was adopted urging Congress to sustain the law. President Wilson is an elder in the church.

A copy of the resolution will be cabled to the President. It follows: "This assembly learns with pain that the President of the United States has recommended to Congress that it repeal a part of wartime prohibition, and in view of this fact we most earnestly petition Congress that it not only retain the measure, but that the measure be enforced to the fullest extent to the end that the needs of the world for food may be met, and that the efficiency and morale of our own people be preserved."

When the resolution was read the commissioners applauded for several minutes.

The Rev. Dr. William Hindman, of Columbus, O., declared, "such a stand is very unbecoming for an elder in the Presbyterian church for a man holding so high an office as that of President of the United States."

Prough's Statement.
B. E. P. Prough, of Harrisburg, Pa., State Chairman of the prohibition, asserted "this is the second time President Wilson has stepped in to befriend the liquor interests and means the undoing of all that has been done."

Breweries who carry on their business in foreign lands were denounced in the report of the temperance committee and Congress was asked to disfranchise any citizen who carries on in a foreign country a business unlawful in this country.

The committee deplored the use of cigarettes, especially by women, and urged upon Presbyterians not only the personal non-use of them but the promotion of all possible legislation against them.

HIGH COST OF LIVING HURTS

Senator Watson Says People Everywhere are Dissatisfied.

Washington, May—"People everywhere are complaining about the high cost of living," said Senator Watson of Indiana. "I find that true in my state and in a number of other states where I have spoken. And why shouldn't they complain? The cost of living is not only high but it seems to be going higher. Meantime, great quantities of foodstuffs are being shipped out of the United States to Europe."

"More people in this country are concerned about our own economic affairs than they are about the League of Nations. They are concerned about the high cost of living, about the railroads, about the increase in telephone rates, about wages, about employment and, in short, about those things that come right home to everybody."

Few things had been more irritating to the public, Senator Watson said, than the increase in telephone rates.

MARION COLLEGE ALUMNAE REUNION AND LUNCHEON

Extensive plans are under way for the entertainment of the Alumnae Association of Marion College at their annual reunion and luncheon on June 3 in the College dining room. A large attendance is expected. Among other attractive features will be the presence of Miss Martha Akard of the class of 1906 who is at home on furlough from Japan.

Every member of the Alumnae Association, which includes all former students, is invited as the guest of the quest of the College on this occasion, but all who have not notified the College of their intention to be present should do so not later than May 28.

GEO. F. COOK
Lawyer
MARION, VA.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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8,000 MEN FOR RUSSIA.

Washington, May—In spite of the League of Nations and the completion of the terms of peace are Versailles, the War Department has announced that it will recruit an additional army of 8,000 men and send them to Siberia to continue to fight the bolsheviks.

The statement reads: "Notification has been sent to all recruiting officers and commanding officers at camps, posts, and stations at which recruiting is authorized that it is desired to enlist immediately about 8,000 men for service in Siberia. They are authorized to enlist men for this service under the following conditions: White men only will be enlisted for this purpose. Enlistments or re-enlistments will be for a period of three years. Men will be enlisted in the infantry, signal corps, medical department, quartermaster department and ordnance department. No furlough to the reserves will be granted under such re-enlistment. Pay in this service will be the same as at present. It is directed that recruits for Siberia be sent to the Presidio, San Francisco, and be shipped to Vladivostok as rapidly as detachments of 500 become available."

SCOTT-SANDERS

Saltville, Va., May 19.—The marriage of Mr. Ellis Creed Scott and Miss Mary Louise Sanders was solemnized at the country home of the bride's parents at 11 o'clock on Saturday morning, May 17th.

The parlor of the home was attractively decorated with ferns and roses and an improvised altar and arch were erected for the occasion.

Promptly at eleven o'clock Miss Ollie Sanders, sister of the bride, rendered the wedding march from Lohengrin and the bride appeared on the arm of the groom, preceded by Miss Lula Shannon and Miss Susie Sanders as bridesmaids. The party gathered at the altar, where an impressive ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. R. D. Carson, of the Rich Valley Presbyterian Church.

After the ceremony the guests, who were the immediate relatives of the contracting parties, with a few intimate friends, were served a five course luncheon, after which the young couple left by auto for Bristol, thence to Asheville, N. C., for a short time, returning by way of Richmond, Va., and will be at home, Saltville, Va., after June 1.

The bride was attired in a handsome traveling suit of blue tricotine, with grey accessories, carrying an elaborate bouquet of bride's roses.

Mr. Scott is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Scott, of Bristol, Va., and is employed by the Mathieson Alkali Works as an accountant.

Mrs. Scott is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Sanders, of Saltville, and by her gentle manner and sweet disposition has won a host of friends in this community. She is a graduate of Stonewall Jackson Institute, Abingdon, and is an accomplished musician.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES FOR THE MARION SCHOOLS.

The closing exercises will be in four separate programs, the first one being presented Thursday evening, May 29, at 8:30 p. m. in the Court Square Auditorium. At this time the Grammar School will present a two act play entitled, "Bonnybell" or "Cinderella's Cousin." The play is presented by pupils entirely from the classes in this building.

On the evening of Friday, May 30th at 8:15 p. m., the Senior Class, will present a delightful program, in the Court Square Auditorium, consisting of two separate plays and class day exercises, which should be thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.

The Baccalaureate sermon will be delivered in the Methodist Church, Sunday evening, June 1st, at 8 p. m. For this address the Rev. T. S. Hamilton, pastor of the Bluefield Methodist Church, has accepted the invitation and will conduct the exercise.

The final program, for the Commencement exercise will be presented in the Court Square Auditorium, Monday, June 2nd, at 10:30 a. m. The class is very fortunate in having the Honorable H. D. Flood to deliver the address. Everyone is cordially invited to be present at any or all of these exercises.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAYS.

One of the most interesting features of the Marion High School Commencement this year will be the presentation of two plays, "A Row at the Ruggies" and "The Amateurs," together with other special features, on Friday evening May 30th. These plays are both comedies and are guaranteed to make you laugh. Tickets on sale at City Drug Store at 25 and 35 cents.

REPUBLICAN CONTROL OF NEW CONGRESS IS FELT AT THE OPENING

Gillett is Elected Speaker of House Over Champ Clark. Great Amount of Work Scheduled.

Washington, May 19.—The Sixty-sixth, or "reconstruction" Congress called into extraordinary session by President Wilson from Paris convened at noon today and Republican majorities in Senate and House organized both bodies.

Representative Gillett, of Massachusetts, was elected speaker of the House over Representatives Champ Clark, of Missouri, Democratic candidate and former speaker, by a vote of 227 to 172.

Cummins Elected
Senate Cummins, of Iowa, the Republican candidate was chosen president pro tempore of the Senate over Senator Pittman, of Nevada, Democrat, 47 to 42. Several Democrats were absent but all Republicans were in their seats, two withholding their votes.

The Republicans of both bodies also elected full slates of other officers and thus, for the first time since 1911, returned to control of the American national Legislature.

Amount of Work.
Although keenly realized by all members, there was no outward evidence in the initial proceedings of the enormous amount of work ahead. The peace treaty with Germany, including the League of Nations covenant, the Austrian treaty, and the proposed convention for protection of France, are not expected before next month. All hold promise of dramatic debate.

Appropriation bills which failed March will be rushed immediately in the House. Chairman Good, of the House appropriations committee, tonight called a meeting for tomorrow to begin work on the general deficiency measure.

Legislation dealing with the railroads, telegraphs and telephones, women suffrage, prohibition, repeal of the luxury taxes and other pressing subjects are promised in the van of important economic and reconstruction questions. This legislation is expected by leaders to hold Congress in session almost continuously until the presidential elections next year. Investigations planned by the Republicans of numerous administration probable in the House in connection with appropriation bills.

Flood of Bills.

The flood of bills which is expected to make the new Congress momentous began in the House today and the Senate's initial measures will be presented. No. 1, was the woman suffrage constitutional amendment measure, introduced by former Republican Leader Mann, of Illinois.

When House members were sworn in Representative Victor Berger, of Wisconsin, the lone Socialist member who was convicted of violating the espionage law, was prevented from taking the oath, upon objection of Representative Dallinger, of Massachusetts, chairman of the elections committee. He was ordered by Speaker Gillett to stand aside and was not allowed to address the House, which

PLAN BIG CAMPAIGN FOR EXTRA

Will Request Members of Legislature to Take Action For Road Project.

Richmond, Va., May 19.—Following the announcement from Governor Davis that he would not call an extra session of the general assembly to take action at this time in the matter of the federal appropriation for state highways, it was announced today at the office of the Virginia Good Roads Association that the officers of the Association would immediately begin a state wide drive to solicit members of the Legislature to convene themselves in extraordinary session.

It was said by a representative in the office of the State Ways and Means Commission today that the executive committee of the Virginia Good Roads Association would at once urge members of the general assembly to convene in extraordinary session. This can be done if a two-thirds membership of both branches sign a petition to the Governor, directing him to call the Legislature in extra session. The executive committee has now determined to force the fight and attempt to have the Legislature, by a two-thirds vote of its members, and convene itself.

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Bids will be received at the Clerks Office, of Smyth County, for the construction of a shale haul surface road from Hungrey's Mother Creek on South side of Walker's Mountain along Chatham Hill Road, over said mountain to the forks of road at Hubble's Land in Rich Valley, up to 12 M. Monday June 3rd. For further information see J. N. Groschlose, Supervisor of Highways, Smyth County, Va. Bids to be served to reject any and all.

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LEAGUE COVENANT IS UNACCEPTABLE SAYS REPUBLICAN LEADERS

Senator Lodge Declares Revised Document Will Be Rejected By Senate Unless Amended

Washington, May 19.—Senator Lodge, Republican leader, and chairman of the foreign relations committee, in a statement tonight declared that the revised League of Nations "is unacceptable" and predicted it would not be accepted by the majority of the Senate without amendment. Characterizing the new League covenant as included in the peace treaty as "distinctly worse than the old and more dangerous to the peace of the world and to American rights and interests," Senator Lodge declared that none of the suggestions from the Senate or from Elihu Root had been carried out.

Senator Lodge's statement follows: "So far as I can judge—and I have had conversations with many Senators, including members of both parties—I am satisfied that a majority of the Senate feel very strongly that the League as now presented must receive amendment, that in its present form, without any chance, it is unacceptable and would not be accepted."

"To say that the amendments put forward in the Senate and those proposed and formulated by Mr. Root on the suggestion of the State Department have been met is without any foundation. Not one of the suggestions of the Senate, not one of the amendments proposed by Mr. Root has been carried out. Some have been entirely rejected. And where there is an appearance of their having been adopted examination shows that the new form is distinctly worse than the old and more dangerous to the peace of the world and to American rights and interests."

REPUBLICANS OF HENRY CLAY'S STATE CONFIDENT

Kentucky Republicans held a rousing state convention at Lexington on Wednesday and nominated Edw. P. Morrow for governor by acclamation. The nomination will be confirmed at the state primaries to be held later.

Mr. Morrow is the most popular Republican in Kentucky since the death of his uncle, Governor John Bradley. He was defeated for the governorship four years ago, on the face of the returns, by Gov. Stanley, by a plurality of less than five hundred, and strong suspicions have always been entertained as to the method by which the Democratic machine in Kentucky effected this result. Since that time Louisville has been carried by the Republicans, and in November last the Democratic plurality in the state was far less than the falling off in the Republican vote in the mountain districts of the state due to the prevalence of the influenza epidemic in a virulent form at the time. Kentucky Republicans are not only hopeful this year, but confident of electing their state ticket.

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SENT TO ATLANTA.

Bristol, Tenn., Va., May 20.—J. Cabell Scott, confessed embezzler of \$52,000 in funds of the First National Bank of this city, was sentenced to six years confinement in the Federal Prison, at Atlanta today, after submitting his case before Judge E. T. Sanford of the United District Court, at Greenville, Tenn. Scott was formerly assistant cashier of the institution which he confessed having robbed systematically, for a period of ten years.

The canvassers of the Salvation Army fund are abroad in the towns and county. No matter how small a contribution it may be give something to this most laudable work of the agency which did so much for the soldier boys. Smyth County is asked for its smallest donation of any campaign, only \$2,000.00. Now let the people throughout the county show the real spirit and make the amount way over that asked. This fund will be used in the great home service work among the soldiers. A contribution to the fund will be appreciated by the boys who have been fighting the battles.

FAIR CATALOGUE OUT

The Smyth County Live Stock and Agricultural Association has issued a 62 page Catalogue giving full information and Premium List of "The Great Educational Fair" to be held here August 26, 27, 28, and 29 1919. This is the ninth annual exhibition of the Smyth County Fair and the Catalogue shows that the Association is preparing to give the greatest exhibit ever before. The Famous Broadway Shows, travelling in a train of 18 cars will be a feature of the Fair. The management is planning to have aerial exhibitions each day. As an educational feature prominent speakers of national reputation will be here and address the people each day. You want to get a Catalogue and examine the various premium lists and get ready to make an exhibition that is in your line of business. The early distribution of the Catalogue should stimulate our people along these lines and give us the biggest and best fair ever held in

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COMMENCEMENT MARION COLLEGE.

The annual Commencement at Marion College begins on May 31st and closes on June 3. The program is unusually attractive.

On Saturday night there will be a Musical Concert at which time the graduates of the High School and Business Departments will receive their diplomas.

On Sunday morning the Baccalaureate Sermon will be preached by Rev. C. Elvin Haupt, D. D. of Lancaster, Pa.

On Sunday afternoon at three o'clock there will be a Memorial Service in honor of the late Dr. Scherer at which addresses will be made by Hon. B. F. Buchanan and Rev. W. H. Greever, D. D. of Columbia, S. C.

On Monday at one p. m. the Alumnae Luncheon and Reunion will be held in the College dining room at which Miss Martha Akard, just returned from Japan will be the chief speaker.

On Monday afternoon the Annual Class Day Exercises will be held on the College campus. On Monday night the Annual Concert of the Music Department will be held in the College Auditorium.

On Tuesday morning the Literary address will be delivered by President Henry Louis Smith, Ph. D. of Washington and Lee University, at which time Diplomas will be awarded to the College Graduates.

Tuesday night the Dramatic Club will present Shakespearean Play "The Twelfth Night," for which great preparations is being made in the matter of costuming, staging etc. The friends of the College and the public are invited to all of these exercises.

Eczema spreads rapidly; itching almost drives you mad. For quick relief, Doan's Ointment is well recommended. 60 cents at all stores.

LEWIS DECLARES WEST IS OPPOSED TO WORLD LEAGUE

Former Senator and Spokesman for Wilson Makes a Frank Admission "I Was Surprised"

Former Senator James Hamilton Lewis returned to Chicago a few days ago from a trip through the west, made for his health.

"I was surprised at the sentiment on the Pacific coast and in the mountain states of complaint against everything going on with the administration at Washington," he is quoted in the Chicago Tribune. "The west and coast demand the soldiers be brought home at once. They are for any arrangement for peace, but against soldiers being sent to Serbia or Germany."

"They are opposed to any alliances with any European land, and only if the league does not enforce an alliance will they be for it. They are for the United States taking control of Mexican affairs and by force stopping the outrages on Americans and their property."

"The movement that frightened me was the scheme of those opposed to all orderly government to have their members fill the new army and navy with officers and men, who on any order to fight disorder or lawlessness would mutiny and take charge of the government."

One of the sensations of the week in Washington, so far as the league of nations is concerned, is this report that former Senator James Hamilton Lewis, who was selected by President Wilson to manage the campaign on the league's behalf and act as spokesman for the administration, has found the people of the west pronouncedly against the whole scheme.

After touring the western states, the former Democratic whip says with his usual frankness and directness that the people are against the administration's plan; that they demand that the soldiers be brought home at once, and that they are opposed to any alliance with Europe. The news has come like a bombshell to league champions here.

It was in a talk with Senator Lewis at the White House that the President outlined his plan to educate American sentiment to the new order of international obligations; just before Mr. Wilson left on his last trip to Europe.

DISCUSS BALTIMORE RESULT

Attributed to General Dissatisfaction Over National Administration.

Washington, May—Baltimore residents who come to Washington talk of but one topic—the smashing defeat of the Democratic candidate for mayor there recently and the election of Broening, the Republican candidate. They are the more impressed with the result because the Democratic candidate, George Weems Williams, is a man of standing and a leading lawyer.

Intense popular dissatisfaction with the party in national power is generally assigned as the real cause of the defeat of Mr. Williams. Baltimore residents assert there is strong feeling over the high cost of living and over burdensome taxation coupled with the knowledge of waste, extravagance and inefficiency in governmental affairs at Washington.

CAMPAIGN FOR CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY

Work of organizing Virginia for the campaign that is to be conducted from June 10 and 25 by the Children's Home Society of Virginia for \$150,000 with which to continue its great work of saving the thousands of unfortunate little children is now underway. The society's home is already filled to overflowing, but the demands being made upon it are increasing daily, making larger and more adequate quarters an absolute necessity.

Statistics show that there are still more than 10,000 unfortunate little children in the State that must be saved, and the Children's Home Society of Virginia is working hard to fulfill its great object. The home is already over crowded, and there are more than 1,100 children under its care. New quarters must be provided, and money secured with which to meet the current expenses. From June 10 to 25 people in every section of Virginia will be asked to contribute \$150,000 in order that this great work can be continued without interruption.

INTRODUCES BILL FOR DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Washington, May 19.—Representative Tower, of Iowa, today introduced a bill to create a National Department of Education with a cabinet officer at its head. The measure proposes appropriations of \$100,500,000 for combatting illiteracy for Americanization for equalizing educational opportunities and other purposes.

THE WONDER SALE!

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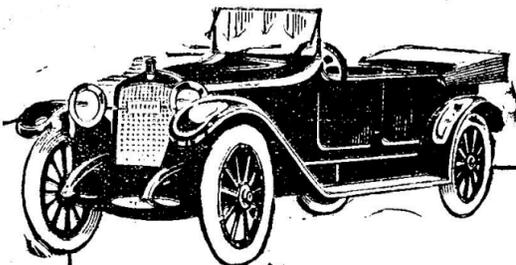
where this valuable property will be sold in tracts for the high dollar to those who want it most. Free Dinner on the Grounds for Everybody. Guessing Contests for Gold Coins, and all can enter these contests without obligation to bid or buy. Ladies' Beautiful Gold Watch will be given, absolutely free, to the lady writing the best letter on the location of this property and the strongest reasons why investments should be made in it at this present time. All the ladies are respectfully invited to enter this contest, and send their letters to the Southwest Land Company, Rural Retreat, Va., two days before the sale, where they will be passed on by a disinterested committee. All those entering this contest must be on the sale grounds on day of sale, where the prize will be awarded to the lucky contestant. We may award a second prize, in the event is very close. To the person, lady or gentleman, who buys the greatest number of acres at this sale we will award a valuable prize. Sale will be held on the farm, rain or shine. If rain pours down all day, the sale will proceed the following day without further notice.

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10:30 Lv.	Sugar Grove	Ar. 2:40
11:30 Lv.	Troutdale	Ar. 1:00
11:59 Ar.	Fairwood	Lv. 1:00

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6:59 p. m. for Roanoke, Lynchburg, and intermediate stations. Sleepers to Norfolk — Roanoke to Richmond.

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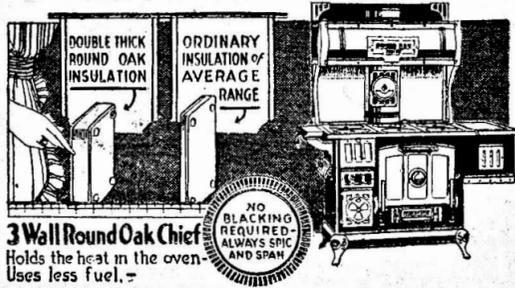
FIUME.

Whether the League of Nations will invite America to send an army to Fiume—or somewhere else—and help to eject Italians, or Jugo Slav—or somebody else, this we know not. And, recognizing that we don't know, let us be mindful that there are many other kinks about the league whose twists are a little bewildering to us.

Peace is supremely desirable. Any kind of a league that makes and kind of a stab at preserving peace in any kind of honorable way deserves our wholehearted endorsement. But don't let us fool ourselves. Santa Claus will come every day. We must not promise ourselves that everything we want will happen automatically after a few delegates have signed their names. Half the nations of Europe seem to want war rather than peace just now. They are likely to nurse these bellicose enthusiasms for some time. If they are all members of the same league as ourselves, and they tell us to get in on a few of their wars because we are brother peace-leaguers, we may find the finale different from the overture. But peace is like every good thing; it is mighty hard to get; and, once acquired and insured, is worth all the effort spent in its attainment.

The Jacksonville (Fla.) Times-Union, Democratic observes the Republican invasion of Florida: "Without making a great deal of noise over the matter it is apparent to those who look about that Florida is destined to have, before very long, two parties actively engaged in working for the control of politics. For fifty years the Democrats have had the only real organization and the affairs of state have been completely under the influence; so long a time has elapsed since there was any show of resistance to the dictates of the Democrats that they have become indifferent to the general idea, and only a small number, comparatively, take part in even local campaigns. But the unrest occasioned by the war and the opposition that was bound to develop against men and measures responsible for inconvenience and disappointments—necessary, no doubt for the general good, yet none the less unpleasant—has become apparent and many who have always previously been considered or declared good Democrats are understood to be leaning heavily toward the Republican party and are already expressing themselves as opposed to Democratic doctrines and policies as exploited during and immediately following the war."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA



Round Oak Chief Range

THE WALLS TO THE ROUND OAK CHIEF BOILER IRON RANGE ARE 3 THICKNESSES

Inner Wall: Copper-fused Boiler Iron.
Middle Wall: Asbestos (mineral wool)
Outer Wall: Well-laminated Steel, which requires no blacking

HOLDS HEAT IN THE OVEN

The purpose of the asbestos or mineral wool is to retain the heat in the oven, WHERE YOU WANT IT. We know there is twice as much of this mineral wool used in the Boiler Iron Chief as in any other high grade range on the market.

6 Remember, there are six other equally important and distinctive features we would like to explain to you which would favorably influence your decision to have one of these Genuine Chief Ranges.

For Sale by Marion Hardware Company

SPEAKING OF WILSON

Editor Herald Courier:—

It is passing strange that a man should become so steeped in prejudice as to be utterly unable to see than its own.

It seems that whatever is said by any man or journal, however his opinion or patriotic his motive, Herald Courier has only one intention, namely, "he is attempting to embarrass President Wilson."

No one who has the vaguest conception of what the Peace Conference is trying to do—unless he be blinded by prejudice—but that knows there are two sides to this question of Italy, right to Fiume, as there are to all the other questions involved. Orlando, the Italian Premier, may be "playing politics" as you say, but he is playing to a vote of confidence in the Chamber of Deputies 382 to 40, the forty being Socialist; he is playing to a unanimous sentiment of the Italian people, to say nothing of the pact of London, giving Italy the territory in question. The Herald Courier must admit, in view of the above facts, that Premier Orlando much more nearly represents his constituency than does President Wilson. For be it remembered that last November, despite the all but dictatorial injunction of the President that a Democratic House and Senate be returned, the American people did the unprecedented thing in American history when such a House and Senate was refused the man in power, and that in the midst of war. What would become of the present Ministry of Italy, England or France, were such an election held? Orlando, Lloyd George and Clemenceau would be forced down and out. In that respect these countries are more democratic than our own.

No statesman is playing politics when he is trying to carry out the mandates of his constituency. What have you to say of Danzig and Kiaochow, if Italy should be asked to relinquish her claim on Fiume? Japan was ceded Kiaochow through a secret treaty.

As an American citizen, I believe in our unquestionable right to champion the Monroe Doctrine. I believe that American supremacy should be upheld in the western world, and I believe I am big enough to rise a step higher and accord Europe and Europeans the same right we have demanded for ourselves, namely, that of administering European affairs. No one who reads the meagre reports that come from over there but feels

sympathies of England and France are with Italy. It is an open secret that France has been hostile to Mr. Wilson idealism and dreams almost from the first. If we are to accredit Frank H. Bonds—and he seems to be a fairly reliable sort of reporter—Mr. Lloyd George was also forced by British sentiment to forsake Mr. Wilson not long since, in regard to certain questions pertaining to the French claims. We are all cognizant that Mr. Wilson wields a mighty club over the Allies in the way of American support. The question is, is it right, in view of the fact it is not American sentiment but purely Wilsonian whims?

And again, when we take into consideration the fact that sixty French men and fifty-one Englishmen and forty Italians have laid down their lives to every one American, and that they were fighting for our liberty for three years before we went into the war—I say in view of their enormous sacrifices in comparison with ours, is it exceeding the bounds of justice to justify everything our President does, just because he is our President and because he is a Democrat, is a travesty on common sense. We have no right to accept his judgment as infallible now than we did when our friends were bowling throughout the country "he kept us out of war," or when we heard him giving vent to such utterances as these: "Too proud to fight." We have no interests in the war, its origin or its causes. The aims of the belligerents appears to be similar. "Be neutral in thought and in act," etc.

What about his attempt to go over the heads of the various representatives of the British, French and Italian, Mr. Lloyd George scored the greatest political victory in the history of English politics, and Clemenceau had just received an overwhelming vote as above mentioned? That is the type of Mr. Wilson's much vaunted democracy! Does he think these various peoples have not sense enough to know what they want without his first telling them? Or is it true he is the most autocratic ruler in the world? He thinks what the people say is all right provided they think as he does; otherwise not.

Was it any wonder to the Herald Courier that the original draft of the League of Nations was not swallowed as doped out, when it is known our President has found it necessary to change his mind so frequently?

He believed, so he said, in open diplomacy, but the first thing he did

CENTENARY FUND GROWING RAPIDLY

More Than Twenty Million Already Subscribed By Southern Methodists.

Nashville, Tenn., May 20—Official reports received from thirty-five conferences of the Southern Methodist Episcopal Church, South, show sub-amounting to \$20,622,144.

The St. Louis Conference made its initial report today a total of \$561,000, against a quota of \$723,874 being reported. Other late reports were from the Central Texas Conference, \$1,003,000; West Oklahoma, \$306,810, and Missouri, \$268,724. The largest totals reported include those of the Memphis Conference, \$1,160,498; North Georgia, \$1,250,000; Virginia, \$1,264,748; South Carolina, \$433; North Alabama, \$985,000, and Tennessee, \$938,000.

Director General Beauchamp today sent out messages to the Conferences and district leaders urging that churches which have reached their quotas continue their campaign and obtain the largest possible oversubscription.

On sailing for Europe was to shut off all communication with this country by seizing the cables. The country knew almost nothing of what went on over there, or of the proposed league, until it was sprung upon the country "full grown." But thanks to the sagacity of such statesmen as Lodge and Knox, it was not "swallowed" without dilution or change. And if it is ever ratified, it will only be after the interests of America are well provided for.

I believe in the war. I believe we should have entered it at last when the Lusitania was sunk, if not earlier. I believe in a just League of Nations, but I believe that the peace treaty should have long since been prepared and presented to the Huns for their signatures; and let this league dream alone until first things are disposed of.

From one who gave one and one-half years to the service of his country in the recent war.

I. T. COLLINS.
Climchport, Va.
The above forceful and logical letter is from a returned soldier and we take the liberty of giving it to our readers. As yet we have seen no reply to it although it appeared in the Herald Courier on the 14th of May.

CALOMEL ROBBED OF NAUSEA AND SALIVATION

Medicinal Virtues Retained and Improved—Unpleasant and Dangerous Qualities Removed—New Variety, Called Calotabs, Is Great Favorite With Physicians and Druggists

The latest triumph of modern pharmacy is the new nausealess calomel known to the drug trade as "Calotabs." Calomel, the most generally useful of all medicines thus enters upon a wider field of popularity—purified and refined from those objectionable qualities which have heretofore limited its use.

In biliousness, constipation, headache, and indigestion and in a great variety of liver, stomach and kidney troubles calomel was the only successful remedy but its use was often neglected on account of its sickening qualities. Now it is the easiest and most pleasant of all medicines to take. One Calotab on the tongue at bedtime, with a swallow of water, that's all. No salts, no griping, no nausea, no danger of salivation. A good night's sleep and the next morning you are feeling fine, with a clean liver and a big appetite. Eat what you please.

Calotabs are sold only in original, sealed packages, price thirty-five cents. Your druggist offers to refund the price as a guarantee that you will be thoroughly delighted with Calotabs.—(adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Yonts and W. R. Pickle, of Groseclose, were business visitors to Marion last Friday.

FOR SALE!—One Berkshire Sow with seven pigs. For particulars see or write E. H. PHILLIPPI, Marion, Va.

HEMSTITCHING AND PICOT EDGE WORK

We do this work in the best manner and at moderate prices. Parcel Post packages from out-of-town patrons receive prompt attention. Method of preparing work mailed upon application.

Singer Sewing Machine Co. Bristol, Va.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

For Weak Women

In use for over 40 years! Thousands of voluntary letters from women, telling of the good Cardui has done them. This is the best proof of the value of Cardui. It proves that Cardui is a good medicine for women.

There are no harmful or habit-forming drugs in Cardui. It is composed only of mild, medicinal ingredients, with no bad after-effects.

TAKE

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

You can rely on Cardui. Surely it will do for you what it has done for so many thousands of other women! It should help.

"I was taken sick, seemed to be . . ." writes Mrs. Mary E. Veste, of Madison Heights, Va. "I got down so weak, could hardly walk . . . just staggered around. . . I read of Cardui, and after taking one bottle, or before taking quite all, I felt much better. I took 3 or 4 bottles at that time, and was able to do my work. I take it in the spring when run-down. I had no appetite, and I commenced eating. It is the best tonic I ever saw." Try Cardui.

All Druggists

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Velvet

THE FRIENDLY TOBACCO

Horse Sense About Tobacco

Good tobacco ought to be like a well-bred hoss—all th' kick taken out but all th' sperit left in.

You see, half the secret of makin' a good hoss is in the breedin' an' half in the breakin'. Selectin' tobacco that's grown right is only half of makin' Velvet. The agein' is the other half.

That's only one kind of agein' that gets th' right results—Nature's own. Nature's no clock watcher. She does a job right whether it takes two years or two thousand.

So when she gets through with the fine Kentucky Burley that we put away in wooden hogsheads for two years, it's just right.

It ain't been hurried none, or short-cutted. It's a Nature-done job.

All kinds of things are packed in tobacco tins, but your good neighbor will tell you "Velvet is the real pipe tobacco." Prove it for yourself.



15¢

Velvet Joe

Roll a VELVET Cigarette

PROGRESSIVE BANKING SERVICE

Present day financial requirements are greater than they have ever been before.

Banking service, to be effective today, must be a progressive service.

It is the sort of service we offer you. Sufficient to take care of your every legitimate need, and give you the utmost in safety as well.



Capital \$80,000

Surplus \$80,000

Run-Down People Vinol is What You Need

Weak, run-down nervous men and women need Vinol because it contains the most famous reconstructive tonics in an agreeable and easily digested form:—Beef and Cod Liver Peptones, Iron and Manganese Peptonates and Glycerophosphates.

We guarantee there is no tonic equal to Vinol. HERE IS PROOF

Detroit, Mich. "I got into a weak, run-down condition, no appetite, tired all the time and headaches—but had to keep around and do my housework. I read about Vinol and tried it—within two weeks I commenced to improve, and now have a splendid appetite and feel stronger and better in every way."—Mrs. John F. Watson.
For all run-down, nervous, anemic conditions, weak women, overworked men, feeble old people and delicate children, there is no remedy like Vinol.

Vinol Creates Strength

D. M. SMITH DRUG CO.

MANY KNIGHTS IN MARION.

Lynn Commandery of Knights Templar conferred degrees on quite a number of candidates at the temple Wednesday. There were perhaps 40 or 50 visitors in town many of the visiting members bringing their wives with them. After the ceremonies and conferring of degrees at 5 p. m. an elegant bouquet was served in the dining hall of the Temple. Plates were laid for 150. Among the out of town members were Hon. E. Lee Trinkle, H. C. Gilmer, E. W. Calfee, M. C. Banc, B. Langhoun, B. Blackledge, H. G. Francis, W. B. Porterfield, T. E. George, John D. Barnes, W. G. O'Brien, J. N. Bosang, J. R. K. Bell and many others whose names we did not learn.

AIRPLANES TO SPY UPON MOONSHINERS

Washington, May 21.—Moonshiners may soon have revenue agents in airplanes on their trail. Beset with difficulties of finding illicit whiskey stills in mountain fastnesses of the South, revenue agents developed the idea of spying upon the hidden liquor makers from the sky. So Revenue Commissioner Roper asked the War Department for the loan of several airplanes which it was proposed to equip with telephotographic apparatus to take pictures of moonshine stills while flying low, the pictures to be used as evidence when the moonshiners were caught and brought into court.

The War Department is considering the request, but meanwhile army camoufleurs suggested that stills might easily be concealed beneath trees. So now the revenue agents are pondering this difficulty and continuing to hunt moonshiners afoot.

FARM AT AUCTION.

A farm of 101.15 acres, near Sugar Grove, will be sold to the highest bidder on May the 31st at the front door of the Bank of Sugar Grove. Well watered and will make a good grazing boundary. 82 acres in grass, 34 acres are in meadow. Terms: one-third cash and balance on good terms. Mr. Whisman will show the place at any time.

H. S. WHISMAN,
GEO. W. RICHARDSON.
May 14th, 1919.

DR. R. J. CONNER DIES SUDDENLY

A telegram was received here Wednesday morning by Mr. J. T. Hull, announcing the death of his brother-in-law, Dr. R. J. Conner at Stuart, Va. His death was quite sudden and it is supposed that he died of heart failure as he had been troubled for some time with a weak heart. The remains will be brought here Thursday and buried Friday. Dr. Conner was quite well known here where he lived and managed the City Drug Store for some time. He married Miss Bessie Hull and they have resided at Stuart Virginia where Dr. Conner owned and operated two drug stores. He was quite popular here and his many friends will regret to learn of his sudden demise. The sympathy of many friends will go out to the young widow in her great affliction.

VIRTUAL DECISION TO REPEAL SODA WATER TAX

Washington, May 21.—Repeal of the section of the war revenue bill imposing a levy on costly wearing apparel, soda water and a variety of other articles practically was decided on today by the Republican members of the House. Ways and Means Committee, but formal action was deferred. Proposals for repeal of other taxes will be considered at another meeting tomorrow.

VIRGINIA REGIMENTS MAY HAVE SET SAIL ON MONDAY

Washington, May 21.—The War Department was without any news up to noon today of the sailing of the 317th and 318th infantry regiments, of the Eightieth Division, in which are the drafted men from Virginia.

It was expected that later in the day word would be received that these two Virginia regiments sailed last Monday because approximately all the other units of the Eightieth Division sailed from France last Saturday and Sunday. The Virginia regiments were then awaiting a ship bound for Newport News, which would place them near their homes.

The cables reporting sailing of troops from France usually reach the War Department two or three days after the troops have sailed, so that it is quite likely the 317th and 318th infantry sailed Monday and a report on it will, be received later today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Donny, of St. Clair Bottom, were here Monday shopping and having some dental work done.

William Daniel received a telegram Wednesday from his son Ralph that he had arrived safe from overseas at Newport News.

Messrs Henry and Lilburn Copenhaver, who spent ten days in the County on a visit to their sick father, left for their home in Nebraska last Monday.

Misses Rudrey Cocks, of Norfolk, Va. and Eula Lee Stout, of Dryden, Va. who are attending Marion College, spent the week end with their her home near Seven Mile Ford.

Captain Monroe Douglas Robinson and wife, of New York and Hon. Joseph W. Alsop, of Conn. are spending the week at the Douglas Land Company's Laurel Farm near White Top.

Read the big ad in this issue of the Southwest Land Company. They are going to sell the widow Hanka farm of 570 acres located on the N. & W. Rural Retreat. This is a fine farm. Read what they have to say it will interest you.

Last Friday Dr. J. D. Buchanan had a narrow escape from death when his Automobile, in which he was riding, was struck by a N. & W. Engine at the Johnston Crossing just east of Marion. He did not see the approaching engine until the whistle blew and then he was on the track. He jumped from his machine but was struck when it was knocked off by the engine. His right leg was broken near the thigh and he received an ugly flesh wound on the left hip also one of his ribs was broken. He was taken to the S. W. Hospital, where he received medical aid. He is reported to be doing very well.

The Masonic Lodge No. 31 will meet to night (Thursday) to arrange for funeral of Brother Conner.
J. M. SEDGWICK.

CONGRESSMAN SLEMP SAYS REPUBLICANS WILL GO FAR IN ADOPTING PROTECTIVE TARIFF POLICY

Washington, May 21.—Commenting today upon the legislative outlook in Congress and his views with regard to the President's message, Congressman C. B. Slemp, Republican, of the Ninth District of Virginia, said: "Congress starts with the best feeling I have ever known between the two political parties. There are many lines of agreement and relatively few differences between the President's message and the program of legislation adopted by the Republican conference. All agree that taxes must be lowered and new revenue legislation enacted, and all agree on an early return of the railroads, telegraphs and telephone lines to their owners. "In taxation the Republican conference will go further in adopting a tariff than the President, though he favors an increase of duties on dye stuff and chemicals. The statements in the President's message about labor and capital are hazy as perhaps that would have to be. I predict more earnest work in Congress upon congressional responsibility than has existed for many years."

SCHEDULE CHANGES ON N. & W. RAILWAY

Important schedule changes on the Norfolk and Western, which become effective yesterday, May 25, were announced yesterday which affect eight passenger trains entering and leaving the city of Roanoke, these being trains which carry a considerable portion of the passenger traffic of this city and section.

Local train No. 29, for Bristol, formerly of Smyth County citizen near Blue Springs, was a business visitor to Marion Wednesday.

Mr. A. C. Hanka, of East Radford, came down last Saturday and sold his house and lot on west College Street to Mr. E. C. Dutton. Consideration \$2725.00.

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"FAKE" ASPIRIN WAS TALCUM

Therefore Insist Upon Genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin"



Millions of fraudulent Aspirin Tablets were sold by a Brooklyn manufacturer which later proved to be counterfeit. Bayer Tablets of Aspirin, the true, genuine, American made and American owned Tablets are marked with the safety "Bayer Cross."

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

NR Tonight Tomorrow Alright
Get a 25c. Box.
Your Druggist
CITY DRUG STORE.

Recital at Marion College, Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, May 24th.

Mr. T. F. Williams, of St. Clair Bottom, was looking after business matters in Marion Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stone motored from Wytheville to Marion Tuesday. They are always welcome visitors to Marion.

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Mr. Thomas R. Copenhaver, of Salem, came out last Friday and went out to see his uncle, Mr. S. N. Copenhaver, who has been so ill, but who is now reported, to be improving and it is hoped on the road to recovery.

Miss Eleanor Copenhaver, daughter of Superintendent B. E. Copenhaver, is the winner of a scholarship at Bryn Mawr College with a value of \$625.00 in cash. Miss Eleanor is the author of an article in a recent number of the college magazine.

Mr. B. O. Johnston moved his family, last week to Wytheville, where Mr. Johnston has engaged in the Clothing business, having become a member of the firm of Hawkins-Taylor Company. We regret to lose these good people from our midst and hope their stay will be only temporary.

The Board of Supervisors met in call session Tuesday and made arrangements to advertise for bids to Macadamise the road from Marion to Chatham Hill. This road now seems to be a certainty. Work will begin just as soon as bids are received and contract can be awarded. See notice for bids in this issue of The News.

Prof. C. E. Anderson, assistant Campaign Manager, of the Salvation Army Drive, for Southwest Virginia returned Sunday from the Counties of Dickenson, Buchanan and Lee, where he completed the organization. He predicts that all these Counties will go "over the top." Prof. Anderson is assisting the work in this county this week.

Hon. L. P. Summers, of Abingdon, came up Sunday evening and delivered an address in the Presbyterian Church in the interest of the Salvation Army Drive now being carried on in the County. He made an eloquent and forceful appeal which brought results. There were several \$50.00 subscriptions and a good start made on securing Marion's quota.

MARRIAGE OF GEO. ALLEN RICHARDSON

Geo. Allen Richardson was married last Sunday afternoon to Mrs. Edith Foster, of New York. The marriage was a very quiet one only a few relatives of the contracting parties being present. Mrs. Geo. W. Richardson and the groom's sister, Mrs. Jno. B. Hufford went to New York last Friday and were present at the marriage, also Mr. E. R. Richardson, of New York, and Miss Ella Richardson of Newark N. J. Mr. Furness, the brother-in-law of the bride, gave the bride party an informal dinner just after the ceremony. Mr. Richardson with his bride left for India on the 20th by the Pacific and expect to be in that country for the next three years. Geo. Allen, as he is familiarly known, is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Richardson and one of Marion's popular young men.

His many friends here will wish for him and his bride a safe voyage to India, where he goes to take charge of a large Iron Manufacturing Plant at a salary of \$5000 per year.

SUFFRAGE ENDORSED AGAIN IN THE HOUSE OR REPRESENTATIVES

Washington, May 21.—National suffrage for women was endorsed by the House of Representatives for the second time today when the Susan B. Anthony amendment resolution was adopted by a vote of 304 to 89. Supporters of the measure immediately arranged to carry their fight to the Senate where, although twice defeated at last session, they are confident of obtaining the necessary two-thirds vote.

The victory for the suffrage forces today was by forty-two votes more than the required two-thirds. On the previous ballot on the resolution, cast January 19, 1918, exactly the necessary number of affirmative votes were recorded.

House leaders of both parties in the brief debate preceding today's vote urged favorable action, but many Southern Democrats opposed the measure, as did several New England Republicans.

BRYAN IS AGAINST REPEAL OF DRY LAW

Asheville, N. C., May 21.—William Jennings Bryan believed that the repeal of war-time prohibition would be a victory for the whiskey business and would commit the Democratic party to championship of the Saloon in its last hours, in a statement given out here tonight. He predicts that Congress will keep the law in force, since he considers that prohibition strength in the present Congress is stronger than it was in the last. "It is hardly conceivable," said Mr. Bryan, "that those who favor prohibition as a permanent constitution policy will advocate or favor a six months' spree as a prelude to prohibition."

THE CENTENARY DRIVE

Detailed reports of the success of the campaign for funds for the Centenary of Methodist Missions which are being solicited this week are not available at this writing. Enough is known, however, to assure the complete success of this campaign. Reports for Wytheville, Pulaski, Dublin, Rural Retreat indicate these churches had raised all their quotas by last Sunday evening. Holston conference is third in the list of conferences reporting. Four districts are already out. Blount, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Cleveland districts show early and fine returns.

The church at Marion of which Rev. R. B. Platt, Jr., is pastor has not yet completed its canvass. The chairman of the Drive, R. T. Greer and his able assistants are busy with the work and expect to have a complete report by next Sunday. However, the quota has not been subscribed yet. It is conceded that Methodists of Marion have had exceptionally fine opportunities for getting the Centenary spirit on account of the splendid Go-To-Church Week when some of the best speakers of the church brought messages of information and inspiration. Marion has gone "over the top" in all drives preceding this of whatever character and it is unbelievable that the Methodist of the town and their adherents will permit the claims of the Centenary to go unheeded.

The echoes from all parts of the church at large which have reached Marion proclaim great enthusiasm. The churches of Richmond, Knoxville and many country towns have acquitted themselves notably. It is rumored that Bristol churches have a great surprise in store for the public when they finally announce their gifts. They are already beyond the quotas assigned the Methodists of that city.

Next Sunday is the final Sunday of the special week and services appropriate will be held in all churches. A good program of service is being prepared for the Methodist church at Marion. Among other interesting features will be another beautiful violin solo by Miss Genevieve Thurlow of Marion College, Mrs. W. E. Francis, pianist. Sermon by the pastor. Services also at 8 o'clock. Everybody is invited.

NOTICE

We have recently purchased the MARION COAL CO., from Mr. J. Walton Thomas and will continue to run the business under the same name with officers at the Marion Foundry & Machine Works. After June 1st, 1919, we will be prepared to meet your requirements in any quantity with the best quality of coal obtainable.

HARRY TARTLER,
A. APPERSON.

FOR SALE
I have a quantity of good seed buckwheat for sale. Apply to
JAMES A. GROSECLOSE,
Marion, Va.



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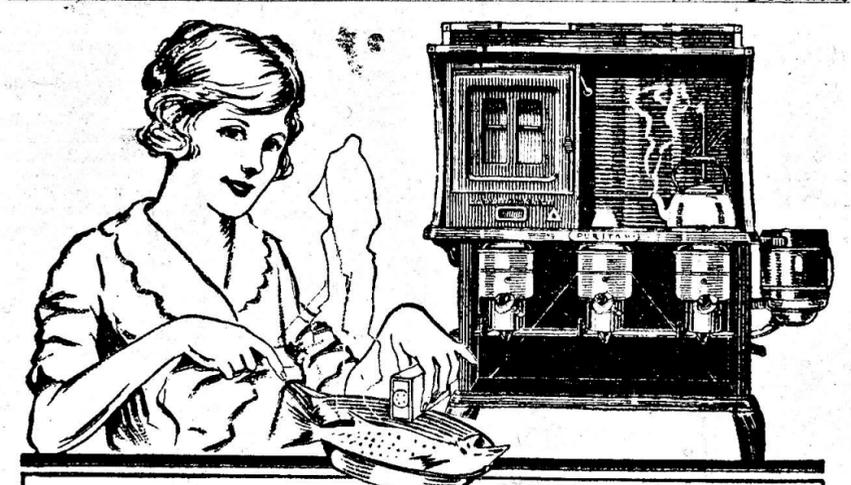
This is one of the good waist seam suits we're ready to show you: single and double breasted models

Six months from now

YOU'RE satisfied with whatever clothes you buy at the time you get them, or you wouldn't buy. If that's all the satisfaction you want, any clothes will do; they all look good when they're new.

We're trying to give you more than that. You want satisfaction six months from now or a year. That's why we offer Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes. They're guaranteed to satisfy you absolutely; money back if they don't.

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Any Cooking Heat Without a Hot Kitchen

Puritan Oil Stoves apply the heat just where it's needed—on the cooking utensil. The clean flame—like gas—gives quick even heat for frying, boiling, toasting, canning. You set the indicator at low, medium or high—and there it stays. In thousands of farms, bungalows, camps and country homes, Puritan Oil Cookstoves abolish the dirt and drudgery of coal and wood fires. They burn kerosene oil—economical fuel that's always available everywhere. They keep the kitchen comfortable in summer, and make cooking easy and successful the year round. Sold by dealers everywhere.

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Correct Styles
Substantial Quality
Reasonable Price

To men keen for good clothes, our lines stand out strong. They tell the story of our success. They tell why so many of well-dressed men in this town buy here regularly every season. Exceptional values; good fabrics, good tailoring plus style at moderate price. There is news for you in a visit to this store. Come today for that Spring Suit.

Our Lines are Styleplus and Griffon Clothes, known and worn the nation over. z z

Marion Clothing Co.

Next Door to Marion Hardware Company
Sam Alexander, Manager

GIFT FROM HENRY FORD

Robert E. Lee, of near Jonesboro, Tenn. whose wit impressed Henry Ford as he passed through here last summer, is to be the recipient of a brand new Ford car as the gift from Mr. Ford.

It will be remembered that while on a pleasure trip Thomas Edison, John Burrough, H. Firestone and Henry Ford and party pitched their tents for a night on the Lee farm, near Jonesboro, Tenn.

Mr. Ford offered to help the Lee lad saw wood. Presently he stopped sawing and asked of him:

"Do you know that you are sawing with Henry Ford?"

Unmoved and quick as a flash the boy replied, "Do you know you are sawing wood with Robert E. Lee?"

According to a written account of the camping trip of the national celebrities, nothing more impressed Mr. Ford than Master Robert E. Lee's "come-back."

DOWNUM & FUNK
Real Estate and Farm Loans.

Because we have sold many farms in the past few days, no sign we are out, come to see us about the following and lots of others not advertised.

231 acres in Rich Valley, price \$90 per acre with \$5000 cash.

72 acres in Rich Valley, price \$4500 with \$1500 cash.

104 acres in Sullivan County, Tenn. price \$10,000 with \$2500 cash.

210 acres on Maryland Border, Loudoun County, \$65 per acre.

350 acres in Albemarle County, price \$25,000.

201 acres in Albemarle County, price \$32,000.

We have a number of small farms in Smyth County and other counties. Also we do an extensive loan business with our Real Estate. If you can't pay for your farm see us about it.

MISS THELMA RICHARDSON GIVES HOUSE PARTY.

The social life of Marion's younger set was enlivened considerably on Saturday till Monday evening by the presence in town of a number of lovely young girls from Sullivan College, Bristol, four of whom were entertained at the handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Lee Richardson. Richardson, also a Sullivan College student, was the charming young hostess who did the honors of the occasion. Her attractive guests were greatly admired during their stay, and were the recipients of many social attentions, among them being a delightful dance at the home of Miss Elizabeth Copenhaver on Preston Heights. About fifteen couples were present at the dance, which was mother, Mrs. E. M. Copenhaver. Light refreshments were served during the evening, and the festivity was enjoyed by all.

The young ladies composing Miss Thelma Richardson's house-party were the following: Miss Lin Neill White, First City, Ark., Miss Mary Margreaves, Rogersville, Tenn., Miss Marie Scott, Clifty, Tenn., Miss Margaret Wilson, New York.

MARION COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT MAY 31 TO JUNE 3.

The first of the Commencement which will consist of a recital by the Music Department together with the presentation of diplomas to the girls graduating from the College, High School and Business Department will be held in the College Auditorium at eight o'clock May 31.

The Baccalaureate Sermon will be delivered by Rev. C. Elvin Haupt, D. D. of Lancaster, Pa., at 11 o'clock Sunday morning in the Presbyterian Church. In the afternoon Memorial Services for the late Dr. J. J. Scherer, founder of the College will be held in the College Auditorium at which time addresses will be delivered by Hon. B. F. Buchanan and Rev. W. H. Greever, D. D. of Columbia, S. C.

At one o'clock Monday afternoon the Alumnae Luncheon will be served in the College dining room and at four o'clock the Class Day Exercise will be on the College campus. The Art Exhibits will also be on Monday afternoon. Monday evening at eight o'clock the Annual Concert will be given in the College Auditorium.

President Henry Louis Smith, Ph. D. of Washington and Lee University will deliver the literary address Tuesday morning at ten o'clock and this will be followed by the awarding of medals, honors and the College diplomas.

In the evening at eight o'clock the Dramatic Club will present a Shakespearean Play, in the Court Square Auditorium.

Word has just been received that Miss Martha Ahard, graduate of Marion College and Missionary to Japan will reach here in time for Commencement and will probably have some part in the program.

NOTICE SMYTH COUNTY SOLDIERS

May 15th, 1919.

Editor, Marion News,
Marion, Va.

Dear Sir:

The American Legion, the national organization of the soldiers, Sailors and Marines who served in the great war, in organizing rapidly all over the country. A national caucus at which every State in the Union was represented, was held in St. Louis on May 8, 9 and 10th. A constitution was adopted under which local units called "Posts" may be organized with a minimum membership of fifteen. A "Post" should have a President, Vice-president, Secretary-Treasurer and a committee on credentials. No "Post" can be named after a living person, and it is expected that, in Virginia, most of the "Posts" will be named after soldiers or sailors of the particular neighborhood who lost their lives in the war. Any person was in the military or naval service during the war, and who has not been separated from it under terms amounting to dishonorable discharge, or who was not a conscientious or membership. A "Post," after organizing, should apply to the State Executive Committee, of which Andrew D. Christian of Richmond is chairman for a charter. The charter will be issued by the National Executive Committee upon recommendation by the State Executive Committee.

The Virginia Executive Committee expects that our soldiers and sailors will begin organizing at once, and that there will be at least one "Post" in every county before the month is out. So don't delay, boys, but start a "Post" in your community at once. Virginia's vote at the National Convention next November 11th, will depend on the number of the Legion she has. So get busy. The dues to the National Committee amount to twenty-five cents a year, and the State dues, "the not yet fixed, will probably be no more than that. You can decide for yourselves what your local dues will be.

The Legion will have four million members, and is going to be a great power in this country for the next half century. Let's make Virginia strong in it from the very start.

If any one desiring further information will write me direct, I will be glad to reply.

Wm. A. STUART,
Member State Executive Committee for Southwest Virginia.

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City or Country trader to act as our Local Salesman and Collector. To right man, permanent, pleasant and profitable employment. Apply, giving age and references.

Singer Sewing Machine Co.
Bristol, Va.

See my new line of Wall Paper, 8 cents per roll and up. Have added a line of Mattresses at attractive prices. Paints and varnishes of all kinds.

M. C. MORRIS,
The Undertaker.

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MARION, VA.

DEATH OF GORDIE

James Gordie Halsey
February 8th, 1871, died May 15th, 1919, He was forty-eight years and twenty-nine days old, a wife three children, and brothers, two sisters and a number of friends to mourn their loss. He professed faith in Christ about eight years ago, we feel that he has been true to his profession and faith in God. He had never joined any earthly church. On Wednesday morning at 1 o'clock his soul took its flight and his enfranchised spirit passed upward and onward through the pearly gates to meet loved ones now sweetly resting in the light of his Redeemers' love and to meet his darling baby. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. H. W. Bellamy.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MARION NATIONAL BANK AT MARION, IN THE STATE OF VIRGINIA AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MAY 12, 1919.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, (except those shown in b and c).....	653,455.54	
Notes and bills rediscounted, other than bank acceptances sold, see Item 67a.....	10,136.60	643,318.94
Overdrafts secured \$..... unsecured, \$918.91		918.91
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par v.)	40,000.00	
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value).....	1,000.00	
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged.....	50,000.00	
Premium on U. S. bonds.....		91,000.00
Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1-2, 4 and 4 1-4 per cent unpledged.....	33,400.00	33,400.00
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks, owned and unpledged.....	9,650.00	
Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent. of subscription).....		9,650.00
Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered. Equity in banking house.....	15,000.00	15,000.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,134.92	
Real estate owned other than banking house.....	90.00	
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	41,124.54	
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks.....		39,231.08
Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than including Items 13, 14, or 15.....		7,298.95
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18.....	46,530.03	
Checks on banks located outside of city or town as reporting bank and other cash items.....		2,461.39
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....		2,000.00
Interest earned but not collected—approximate on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due.....		6,395.79
War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned.....		863.31
Other assets, if any, advanced for customers on Liberty Loan Bonds.....		1,076.04
Total.....	\$899,763.87	

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in.....	80,000.00	
Surplus fund.....	80,000.00	
Undivided profits.....	21,554.81	
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid.....	6,019.37	15,535.44
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned, approximate.....		5,818.50
Amount reserved for taxes accrued.....		40,000.00
Circulating notes outstanding.....		2,619.94
Net amounts due to National banks.....		8.35
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies, other than included in items 31 or 32.....		2,458.00
Cashier's checks outstanding.....		48,266.34
Total of Items 32, 33, 34 and 35.....	53,352.63	
Individual deposits subject to check.....		493,329.04
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed).....		4,770.74
Dividends unpaid.....		
Total of demand deposits, other than bank deposits, subject to Reserve, Items 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, and 41.....	498,099.78	
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed).....	45,881.49	
Other time deposits.....	80,076.03	
Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Total.....	\$899,763.87	

Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (See Item 1d)..... 10,136.60

*Of the total loans and discounts shown above, the amount on which interest and discount was charged at rates in excess of those permitted by law Sec. 5197, Revised Stat., exclusive of notes upon which total charge not to exceed 90 cents was made, was \$600.00. The number of such loans was 1.

STATE OF VIRGINIA COUNTY OF SMYTH, ss:

I, W. L. Lincoln, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. L. LINCOLN, President

Correct—Attest

R. A. ANDERSON,
E. M. COPENHAVER,
JNO. A. GROSECLOSE,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of May, 1919.

T. J. MAXWELL,
Notary Public.

My commission expires August 14, 1920.

DR. SOMERS.

Dr. Somers will be at Marion on May 28th.

Teas on May 27th.

Sugar Grove on May 28th.

Troutdale on May 29th for the purpose of examining the eyes.

RICHARDSON AND ANDERSON, Law and Real Estate.

We have the following properties for sale:

No. 2—A splendid 6 Room House on Chestnut Street. Good out buildings and fine garden. Price only \$2850. House could not be built for the money.

No. 4.—25 acres of good level land 3 miles from Groseclose or Rural Retreat, in the Cabbage belt. Small residence, fine orchard of 200 young apple trees. Good water, well and spring. Price \$2000, one third cash and balance on easy terms.

No. 5—5 Room House and lot on good street. Only \$1050. Terms easy.

No. 5—200 or 300 acres, of fine, nice smooth land, on both sides of R. R. Old house, and two barns. Ideal place for raising grain and wintering stock.

No. 7.—About 4 acres of fine land, with two good dwelling houses, one 6 and the other 4 rooms, two barns and outbuildings, good orchard fine water, well and spring. In sight of Mt. Carmel School and Church. This is attractive property and the price, reasonable and terms easy.

No. 8.—98 acres of land, about 15 cleared, the remainder in timber, located on the headwaters of Hungers Mother. Enough extracted wood on land to pay for same. Price only \$750.00. Terms easy. A bargain.

No. 11.—20 acres of good land three and one-half miles from Marion on good public road, 3 room residence and nice young orchard, with in one mile of church and school. Price \$1100.00. This is a bargain. Terms reasonable.

No. 12.—120 acres fine farming land located in Rich Valley 1 and one half mile north east of Chatham Hill. 6 room dwelling thereon and good orchard. Well watered and adopted to grazing and grain growing. 30 acres of growing wheat. One-third goes to purchaser if the sale is made in 60 days. Nearly 100 acres of land cleared and which is smooth enough to work over with machinery. Price \$10000.

No. 9.—A fine farm, contains 250 acres; 175 cleared and in high state of cultivation. New 8 room house furnished and lighted with acetylene lights, 35 head of good cattle, 3 horses, 2 hogs, 600 bushels of corn, 100 bushels of buckwheat, 10 tons of hay and lot fodder. Complete outfit of farming implements, blacksmith outfit. Fifty acres of growing wheat. The entire outlay, real and personal property, located on a public highway and within two miles of a Railroad station, close to good school and many things not herein mentioned all for a reasonable price. Owner wants to sell now.

No. 10.—45 acres of good farming land, well watered, with a six room house, good stable, crib, poultry house and good orchard. Located about 5 miles from Marion, near good school house and close to two churches. Price of land \$75.00 per acre.

No. 14.—186 acres of good land, 9 room house, good barn, and outbuildings. 60 acres fine timber, mostly White Oak and Chestnut Oak. This is a bargain for some man, and now is the time to get it.

No. 15.—13 acres and over of land, with small house and fruit, in the lower end of Cleghorn Valley. A nice little home for some one.

No. 16. A good two story frame house, bath, and good concrete basement, on the McAdam road in west Marion. Lot 100 X 135. At \$3250. Less than the house can be built for. See us quick about this.

If you desire to sell your property place it with us. We will advertise it free of charge and secure for you the very best price.

RICHARDSON AND ANDERSON
Real Estate

FACTS PEOPLE NEED TO KNOW CONCERNING THE CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY OF VIRGINIA.

Ten thousands of Virginia's little children, many of them belonging to our soldiers and sailors, are in unfortunate conditions, and need homes.

The Society was chartered by the Virginia Legislature in 1900.

The Society receives no aid from the State. It is supported entirely by voluntary offerings.

The work is inter-denominational, and is worthy of the aid of every person.

Who would not help to save a helpless, innocent child?

The work of this Society is supplementary to the work of our Orphanages and other Children's Institutions. The work does not conflict.

In round numbers, Twenty-five Hundred (2500) little children have been gathered up, aided or homed.

Last year ending May 1st, 1919, One Thousand Six Hundred and Forty (1,640) were aided, handled or homed in one year.

Recent Epidemic of Influenza is sending hundreds of motherless or fatherless little ones to our doors.

This is a plea to YOU to help. The cause is in the Name of the ONE who said, "Suffer the little children to come unto ME."

Christian homes are found for these children.

The Society now has over Fourteen Hundred wards (1400) who belong to it legally.

"It is not the will of your Father which is in Heaven, that one of these little ones should perish." The Christ.

This need is imperative—A Receiving Home A NECESSITY.

The campaign for funds to purchase the Buildings is to be held June 10-25, 1919. Every one help.

IF VIRGINIA PEOPLE DO NOT SAVE VIRGINIA'S CHILDREN, THEN VIRGINIA'S CHILDREN WILL NOT BE SAVED.

NOT EVERY ONE THAT SAITH LORD, LORD, BUT HE THAT DOTH THE WILL OF THE FATHER?

State-Wide Campaign Headquarters
30 N. 7th St., Richmond, Va.
REV. C. E. PLEASANTS,
Gen'l. Chairman.
E. F. KAHLE, Fin. Secy.
J. L. C. ANDERSON, Co. Chairman.
R. G. GOOLSBY, Asst. Co. Chairman.
J. P. SHEFFEY, Asst. Co. Chairman.

The Society has taken 90 Children from Smyth County.

CONFEDERATE REUNION.

We are requested by Mr. W. E. Copenhaver, commander of the Gibson McCrady Camp of Confederate Veterans, to announce that there will be a Reunion of the Veterans held here on Friday the 30th day of May. Rev. J. Tyler Frazier has been invited to deliver an address on that day. Other speakers are also expected to be present. All the soldiers, who can be expected to bring lunch. All veterans in the county are expected to attend and the public is also invited. The exercises will be held in the Court House. During the day graves of comrades and Smyth County veterans buried in Round Hill Cemetery will be decorated.

List of Old Soldiers Buried in Round Hill Cemetery.

Dr. Jno S. Apperson, H. A. Buchanan, C. H. Cairns, Alex Campbell, David Debord, Nathan Dodd, Jacob Ewald, J. W. Fell, G. H. Fudge, John Fudge, John H. Folds, W. P. Francis, Andrew Gibson, P. J. Gregory, E. J. Haller, Jno. N. Hull, A. Henegar, Richard Haller, D. C. Miller, J. W. Mitchell, Bedford Overbay, A. G. Pendleton, J. S. Pendleton, F. W. Rider, Robt. A. Richardson, P. F. Russell, W. S. Staley, J. P. Sanders, J. P. Sheffey, G. W. Sprinkle, W. D. Wilmore and William Wymer.

Friends of the above Old Soldiers will please bring all the flowers they can, to decorate the graves, May 30th-1919.

FOR SUNBURNS THIS SUMMER

New, Greaseless, Healing Skin Cream
Big Improvement For Sunburn.

Fastidious women and young girls desiring to remain immune from sunburn and freckles this summer would do well to get a jar of the wonderful new combination healing skin Cream perfected by Dr. Bunting.

It is a delightfully refreshing skin catap and vanishing into the skin like magic. It holds powder perfectly too and keeps the skin soft and velvety throughout the day.

And—for sunburn it is beyond reproach. Apply it on the face or arms on going to bed and next morning all is healed. Takes sting and fever out at once. Does not soil the linen.

Well stocked druggists sell Noxzema Skin Cream in two sizes 25 and 50 cents, or send 25cents stamps or coin to Noxzema Chemical Co., Baltimore, Md.

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THE FEDERAL LAND BANK

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W. R. D. Moncure, Local Agent FOR SMYTH COUNTY

Conservation Groceries

Everybody are conserving in every way possible now. Yet you will never know what you save on Croceries until you try our Pure Food Groceries. We carry at all times a high-grade line of Staple and Fancy Groceries at Conservation Prices.

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Mrs. Marquis is but one of many thousands who know the value of Peruna for that catarrhal condition of the membranes responsible for many of the human ills.

If you object to liquid remedies ask for Peruna in tablet form.

