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**LOCAL ITEMS.**

James Williams, of Tom's Creek, was a visitor to the Gap last Saturday.

The Boss Kitchen Range with glass oven door fully guaranteed by W. G. Coutts.

J. A. G. Hyatt, of Jonesville, and C. C. Hyatt, of Norton, were among the prominent business men in town last week.

M. D. and J. W. Marsden, of Philadelphia, were guests at the Monte Vista Hotel on last Thursday.

"Wright's Health Underwear," is right (the price) at Horton's.

J. A. Muncy, a former business man of this place, but who for several years has been traveling for a Bristol house, was among the traveling men in town last week.

Miss Olga Horton, who is teaching school at Onaka, spent Sunday with homefolks in the Gap.

Work on the fine new residence of W. H. Polly, on Shawnee avenue, is nearing completion, and will be ready for occupancy in a short time.

D. P. Hyatt came up from Soldiers' Home at Johnson City Saturday and spent a few days visiting his wife at this place.

W. G. Coutts has a few left over heating stoves he is selling at cost.

Miss Minnie Dorton is spending this week in Norton visiting relatives and friends.

M. F. Hurd and wife, of East Stone Gap, were in town Saturday and gave this office a very pleasant call.

Mrs. A. T. Tally and daughter, Miss Fina Bell Tally, of Jonesville, spent Saturday and Sunday in the Gap visiting Mrs. Tally's daughters, Mrs. W. T. Hudgens and Miss Elizabeth Talley.

Miss Elizabeth Gilly and daughter, Miss Maggie, left Thursday for Roanoke, where they will spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. F. G. Payne.

Guy H. Gilmer, of Bristol, spent a few days last week in Turkey Cove hunting and visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Gilmer.

A 51 piece "Coin Gold Illuminated" China Set for \$3.92 that retails for \$10.00, at Horton's. For conditions see the "Squire."

James B. Hoge, editor of the Herald, at Hazard, Ky., came over Sunday for the purpose of looking after business matters and casting his vote in the election Tuesday.

Ryland Craft, who is studying law at Washington and Lee University at Lexington, Va., came in Sunday to spend a few days with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Craft, and cast his vote in the election Tuesday.

J. D. Dorton, of Wise, spent the first of the week in the Gap.

The Big Stone Gap High School baseball team defeated the Norton school team on the local diamond Friday by a score of 11 to 2.

Work on W. H. Polly's residence on Shawnee avenue is being held up temporarily, due to lack of finishing material, though Mr. Polly expresses a belief that it will be ready for occupancy by the 20th.

Mrs. Frank Berry, of Atlanta, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. E. E. Goodloe, in the Gap.

For Tyoga, Astoria, Concord, Brussels and Damster Velcet and Colonial Axminster Carpets give Horton your orders. The price is right.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Civic League will be held in the Federal Court room Friday afternoon at four o'clock. All members and others interested in the work of the League are urged to be present.

It is clearly evident that the liquor being drunk in Norton is made out of Bengal tigers and wild cats, as every bottle has a dozen "scraps" in it.—Norton News.

G. L. Pugh, of Bristol, was in town Tuesday.

James E. Mears, business manager of Sullins College, Bristol, came over Monday evening to cast his vote in the election Tuesday.

Poudre de Riz "Madeleine" is appreciated by every lady. It does not hurt your complexion.—Kelly Drug Co., Sole Agents.

Mrs. Rhoads and Mrs. Irvine both entertained at bridge Friday afternoon at their respective homes.

D. C. Wolfe, the feed store man, is having a new addition built to his residence on Pearl street and a long double porch added to the front.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Saxton, on Wednesday, a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Saxton are with Mrs. Saxton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maness, who occupy the Harper property, on Imboden Hill.

Orlando Amburgey and Jno. W. Brotherton were among the Appalachia people who spent Sunday in the Gap.

Mrs. Roland L. Kite and little son, Adrian, have returned to their home at Eggleston after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. J. P. Hendricks, and family.

E. C. Mainous, cashier of the Citizens Bank, of Appalachia, spent Sunday in the Gap.

Contractors Joshua and John F. Mullins have completed Marvin K. Kelly's fine new residence, and Mr. Kelly expects to occupy it some time this week.

Mrs. Lucinda M. Skeen is visiting her grandchildren at East Stone Gap for several weeks.

Miss Cora Hyatt returned Wednesday to her home at Jonesville, after a visit of several days with Miss Bess Burrow at "Greystone," her home on Holston Heights.—Bristol Herald Courier.

Mrs. Henry Taylor and children returned Friday from Tazewell, where they have been visiting relatives.

"Madeleine" Poudre de Riz comes in flesh, white and brunette. This powder is of a quality which may perhaps be equaled, but cannot be surpassed.—Kelly Drug Company, Sole Agents.

Rev. George H. Gilmer, of Pulaski, will hold services for the Presbyterian congregation in the Episcopal church at this place on next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to come out to hear Mr. Gilmer, and members of the Presbyterian church are especially urged to be present at this meeting. This church hopes in the near future to be able to secure the services of a pastor regularly.

Groceries, Notions, Clothing, at Horton's.

We notice a statement in the Big Stone Gap Post of November 1, which says that Bill Mills died at the county poorhouse, where he was recently sent at his urgent request. This is a mistake, as Rev. I. N. Mills, his brother, went to Big Stone Gap some time ago, having been informed he was sick, brought him to his own home at Maytown and administered to his wants as a brother should.—Coeburn Journal.

The Sewing Circle of the Southern Methodist Church will meet Thursday afternoon at two o'clock with Mrs. H. A. W. Skeen instead of Mrs. Orr.

Miss Fannie Bass, of Stonega, was a guest of friends at this place this week.

Miss Sarah Cochran has returned to the Gap, after an extended visit to her grandmother at Charlottesville.

W. G. Coutts, the local plumber, who has several contracts at Harlan, Ky., came over from that place to spend Sunday in the Gap.

Mrs. J. M. Willis will leave the first of the week for Cincinnati to purchase toys and holiday goods.

Mrs. J. A. Morrow, of Gate City, spent a few days in the Gap the past week visiting Mrs. J. W. Rader.

W. B. Carnes, Congressman Slemp's private secretary, arrived in the Gap Monday from Washington, and is spending a few days with homefolks here.

Just received an import shipment of "Madeleine" Rice Powder from A. Bourgeois & Co., of Paris. Ladies appreciating a good complexion will do well to use this exquisite powder.—Kelly Drug Co., Sole Agents.

The following out-of-town ladies were noticed in town last week shopping: Mrs. H. P. Phillips, Keokee; Mrs. C. G. Duffy, Stonega; Mrs. Dabney, Dryden; Mrs. R. E. Taggart, Keokee; Mrs. C. W. Allen, Dryden; and Miss Tally, of Jonesville.

Mrs. Isaac Blanton died at her home in East Stone Gap Sunday night at eleven o'clock of kidney trouble. Her remains were laid to rest in the cemetery at East Stone Gap Tuesday. Funeral services were conducted by Revs. Wagner, McDowell and Wampler. Mrs. Blanton was 72 years of age and was a consecrated Christian woman, being a member of the Southern Methodist Church. She is survived by her husband and one son, Mr. C. F. Blanton, of this place.

Kymbric, Nier Axminster, Candahar, and Rose Rugs 27x54 to 39x72 are now offered by Horton so low that it will make you think of Canadian reciprocity.

**Already A Success.**

We are glad to note that the Magazine Subscription Agency established at this place last month by Mrs. Robt. D. Morrison, for many years connected with the Big Stone Gap Post, has made a splendid start, having met with a ready and encouraging response from the good people of the Gap, particularly from business and professional men of the town, who regard the opportunity to save magazine money by subscribing for their favorite magazines and newspapers through a home agency simply as a money-saving business proposition.

**Masquerade.**

Miss Jule Bullitt was the popular hostess at a charming Masquerade given on the night of Halloween.

The arriving guests represented a variety of interesting characters, and were received by Miss Jule herself as "Folly" in a jester's costume of red and black with cap and bells. Other interesting characters were John Allen Goodloe, George Rhoads, Henry McCormick, Billy Mathews and Tom Cochran as more or less laughable clowns; Peter Wolfe as "Sir Galahad," a Knight of King Arthur's Round Table; Margaret Pettit as "Night;" Ruth Prescott as "Bo Peep," (who lost her sheep, you remember); Florence McCormick, the most realistic of witches, even to her broomstick; Louise Goodloe, another "Night;" Bess Young, as a pumpkin; Kitty Horton, as a Spanish Gypsy; Ruby Kemper and Glessie Gilly, as "Colonial Dames;" Grace Wolfe, as a "Black Cat;" Byron Rhoads, as "His Satanic Majesty," with horns and all the usual characteristics; Henry Bullitt and Jas. Kelly in conventional dominos; Mabel Willis, as a "Deck o' Cards;" Mary Skeen, as an apple; and Caroline Rhoads, as a "Fairy." Josephine Kelly and Virginia Beverley were not in costume, but simply masked.

The usual Halloween amusements, including dancing, were indulged in by the merry crowd of masquerades until a late hour, when particularly delicious refreshments were served from a table in the center of which was a witch's kettle with characteristic Halloween favors arranged in a circle around the kettle, and further decorations of autumn fruits. Some of the prizes received were a box of candy by Miss Mabel Willis in the Guessing Contest; a witch doll by Miss Glessie Gilly, who was able to secure a bobbing apple in her mouth from a tub of water in the least time; and a Brownie doll by Tom Cochran, who of the boys performed the same ludicrous stunt most speedily.

The sensation of the evening, however, was a mysterious ghost who wandered about after the recognized custom of spooks, and refused to be identified with any mere human known or unknown to any of the guests present, but final developments proved the uneasy soul to be Mrs. Ralph Taggart, greatly to the surprise and amusement of the gay company, and not one of whom had guessed her real identity.

Rev. and Mrs. I. S. Anderson will return today to their home at Rose Hill, Va., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John C. Anderson. At a home gathering of the relatives Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Anderson christened Robert Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson's young son.—Bristol Herald Courier.

**Standing of Candidates in Piano Contest.**

Name	Votes
Miss Hannah Alsover, Big Stone Gap, Va.	13700
Miss Frances Sayers, Big Stone Gap, Va.	4400
Mrs. H. E. Fox, Big Stone Gap, Va.	19600
Miss Mary Skeen, Big Stone Gap, Va.	14800
Miss Mary Lee Kilbourn, Big Stone Gap, Va.	14200
Miss Margaret Pettit, Big Stone Gap, Va.	11200
Miss Hattie Bruce, Big Stone Gap, Va.	17600
Miss Georgia Bostwick, Big Stone Gap, Va.	10900
Miss Edna Gilly, Big Stone Gap, Va.	76900
Mrs. S. A. Bailey, Big Stone Gap, Va.	3700
Miss Pearl Mann, Big Stone Gap, Va.	5500
Miss Sarah Cochran, Big Stone Gap, Va.	3900
Miss Laura Marrs, Roda, Va.	7900
Miss Flossie Hobbs, Stonega, Va.	29300
Miss Margaret Martin, Jonesville, Va.	1000
Miss Thelma Baker, Big Stone Gap, Va.	14900
Miss Nemo Vineyard, Big Stone Gap, Va.	10700
Mrs. J. C. Nesbit, Big Stone Gap, Va.	3700
Mrs. E. C. Taylor, Big Stone Gap, Va.	2800
Mrs. R. E. Taggart, Keokee, Va.	6400
Miss Nettie E. Senter, Appalachia, Va.	29500
Miss Kittie Collier, Stonega, Va.	1050
Miss Christie Jones, East Stone Gap, Va.	6600
Miss Louise Goodloe, Big Stone Gap, Va.	8500
Mrs. D. D. Akens, Cadet, Va.	11000
Miss Frances Long, Big Stone Gap, Va.	8900
Miss Rebecca Wade, Big Stone Gap, Va.	10000
Miss Mable Willis, Big Stone Gap, Va.	4900
Miss Flora Wygal, Dryden, Va.	2000
Miss Evelyn Richmond, Ewing, Va.	1000
Miss Wave Herndon, Dryden, Va.	1000
Miss Mattie Polly, Appalachia, Va.	3500
Mrs. P. H. Barron, Big Stone Gap, Va.	9500
Miss Melissa Myers, Big Stone Gap, Va.	2600
Miss Devada Heason, Olinger, Va.	4000
Miss Mable Barker, Olinger, Va.	3200
Miss Marian Taylor, Big Stone Gap, Va.	8400
Miss Ruby Flannery, Stonega, Va.	29000

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