

POLENTA NEWS.

Mr. L. R. Martin, is down sick with malarial fever.

Mr. W. M. Sanders and wife, spent Tuesday night at White Oak.

Mrs. Myrtle Smith, of Benson, is on a visit to relatives in this section.

Miss Rosa Peacock, one of Smithfield's charming young ladies, was at Oakland Sunday.

The hog cholera continues to destroy the prospect of a meat supply for the coming year in all this section.

Mr. W. T. Adams and Mr. Broadwell, two of Smithfield's young gallants, were out on a visit to us Sunday.

Mrs. Susan Powers has returned from her Greensboro trip. She gives a glowing account of her trip and of the future prospects of the city.

Mr. Alf Thompson, one of Smithfield's energetic cotton buyers, was out in attendance upon divine services at Oakland Sunday morning.

The addition Mr. F. M. Weeks is making to his residence is nearing completion. When finished he will have a conveniently arranged home.

Mr. Claude Price will again operate Mr. Jos Parrish's gin. Mr. Price gave entire satisfaction last year, and our farmers should patronize him liberally.

Sorry to chronicle the illness of Mrs. T. W. LeMay, of the LeMay section. She has been quite sick with typhoid fever, but it is reported that she is improving.

It is rumored that Mr. John A. Stephenson, of Pleasant Grove, contemplates locating in this immediate neighborhood. Our gates stand open for all such as he is made of.

Mr. Hardy, the News and Observer representative, passed through this neighborhood Tuesday. His paper has a nice list of subscribers out this way, and with more freedelivery routes his list will increase.

Mr. C. T. Young and lady, of Clayton, were out in the neighborhood visiting relatives Sunday. Cadmus used to be one of us, and we are always glad to shake his hand. Also pleased to note the fact that he is meeting with success in the drug business in his new home.

The Cleveland Sunday School Township Convention will meet with Mt. Zion church on the first Saturday in October. Hon. N. B. Broughton, State Senator from Wake, and Hon. B. F. Dixon, State Auditor, both great Sunday school workers, will be present and will speak on the Sunday school work. The Sunday schools are urged to have large delegations present. Let us turn out in large numbers and give the cause our sanction and the speakers a warm reception. It will be an all-day affair.

Rev. Mr. Hines, the pastor, preached to a large congregation Sunday morning and night at Oakland. Both were sermons of great power. His theme at night "Is my son Absalom Safe?" is pronounced by all who heard it, to have been the best he has ever preached at Oakland. It was directed especially to the young men of the neighborhood, of which a large number were present, and all paid close attention to the discourse, which was couched in elegant language and conveyed the impression to the assembled crowd that the speaker was deeply in earnest. Such sermons are calculated to inspire our young men to a higher and more pious standard of living. Mr. Hines is greatly beloved by all our people, regardless of denomination.

TYPO.

Stood Death Off.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henrietta, Tex., once fooled a grave-digger. He says: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try Electric Bitters, and he was soon much better, but continued their use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters saved his life." This remedy expels malaria, kills disease germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50c. at Hood Bros. drug store.

I am receiving a car salt this week, in nice clean cotton bags, also a lot of stock salt in lumps.

W. M. SANDERS.

If you want the latest thing in a tie go to W. L. Woodall's.

CLAYTON NOTES.

Miss Sadie Jones is visiting her sister, Mrs. N. B. Hales.

Miss Pearl Robertson is visiting friends in Goldsboro.

The Hotel Robertson is undergoing a considerable change. Its Miss Jetar Penny is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. O. G. Smith.

Mrs. W. A. Robertson is spending a few days with her mother in Goldsboro.

Miss Mamie Penny, of Garner, spent a few days this week with Mrs. J. E. Page.

Miss Eva Johns spent Tuesday in town attending the revival at the M. E. church.

Mrs. C. H. Belvin and Mrs. Jerman, of Raleigh, are the guests of Mrs. Ashley Horne.

Mr. A. D. Creech recently had a severe attack of appendicitis but is now able to be out again.

Prof. Ira T. Turlington, of Smithfield, was in town last week the guest of Mr. John M. Turley.

Dr. N. T. Holland and Miss Emma Durham went to Four Oaks Sunday, returning Monday.

Mr. C. W. Carter gave us an excellent lecture on temperance Sunday morning at the Baptist church.

Misses Cleve and Nova Barnes and Miss Verta Graves spent a few days in town this week attending the revival.

Rev. S. A. Cotton, assisted by Rev. A. J. Rowland, of Texas, is conducting a series of meetings at the M. E. church.

The cotton market is opening up here with very favorable prospects. Cotton always brings a good price in Clayton.

The Clayton Cotton Mill is now in full operation, marking the hours by its incessant hum and the occasional blast of its mighty whistle.

Mrs. Joe Hinnant died at her home here Sunday night about 10 o'clock. We extend our sympathies to the bereaved husband and host of friends.

Mrs. Ashley Horne is back from an extended tour through the principal cities of the States and Canada. She stopped over at the Pan-American as a side line, already commodious quarters have been enlarged to a capacity equal to twice what it has been.

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AROUND SANDERS CHAPEL.

Mr. B. Carr, of Duplin, is visiting relatives in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Hill, of Wilson, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Z. B. Hill.

Misses Zilla Stevens and Mamie Toler spent Sunday with Misses Clyde and Clara Smith.

Rev. K. D. Holmes commenced a protracted meeting at Sanders Chapel last Monday night.

Messrs Smith and Austin, of Smithfield, attended services at Sanders Chapel last Sunday.

Mrs. Rose Richard left for Gastonia last Friday, where she will accept a position in the new graded school at that place.

Miss Leona Whitley went to Raleigh a few days ago to consult Dr. Lewis. We regret to learn that her eyes are giving her so much trouble.

On Saturday evening, September 14th, Mr. and Mrs. C. Godwin gave another one of their delightful ice cream suppers to a few friends. Good music and interesting games were enjoyed for quite a while.

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In Memory of Our Dead Brother's Wife, Mrs. Joe T. Hinnant.

We the members of Clayton Lodge No. 191 I. O. O. F. extend our heartfelt sympathy to Bro. Joe T. Hinnant and his loved ones, and pray God's blessings may rest upon and comfort them in their sad bereavement.

In obedience to the Divine will our brother's wife has been removed from earth and its associates. In the home on earth we shall meet her no more; but her faithfulness, friendship, love and truth will ever remain fresh in our memories.

We consign her body to the grave, earth to earth, ashes to ashes, dust to dust, but by faith in Him who died to redeem us from death.

We hope to join her in that celestial home above where the Supreme Architect of the universe presides.

H. A. McCULLERS,
W. E. STALLINGS,
W. E. BARBOUR,
Committee.

SELMA NEWS.

The crop of cotton seems to be even shorter than the farmers at first thought.

Prof. T. T. Candler spent last Saturday and Sunday with friends at Princeton.

Miss Rosa B. Richardson leaves this week for Yadkin College to teach English and Elocution.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. McKinn, of Concord, N. C., who have been visiting relatives and friends here and at Princeton, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. W. L. Talton has bought the stock of groceries of P. A. Richardson, and will keep a nice stock of fancy groceries. He hopes to merit a fair share of the trade by strict attention to business.

Messrs. R. B. Whitley and C. W. Richardson went to Clayton Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. R. Hinnant, a sister of Mr. Richardson. She was buried at Clyde's Chapel. The funeral was preached by the Rev. Mr. Cotton of Clayton.

Jim Brown, the negro rapist, was hanged in the Asheville jail last Friday.

FINE MILLINERY AT SPIERS BROS. Their milliner has just returned from the north.

The Celebrated Parian Paints in all colors, turpentine, pure linseed oil, varnishes and paint brushes for sale by J. E. PAGE, Clayton, N. C.

Salesman wanted to sell Anti-Rust Roof Paint, Compounds and Lubricants. Salary or Commission. VULCAN CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, O.

Those who bought mules and horses from Gardner & Galbraith must remember their papers are now due and are requested to come forward and settle promptly.

I am receiving my fall stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes and Hats. *Look out for my large ad soon.

W. G. YELVINGTON.

JUST A POSTAL CARD.

If you want to buy a sewing machine it takes just a postal card to let me know it. When you write to me say what kind of machine you want, tell me how much of the price you can pay cash, and give me the neighborhood you live in so we can easily find you.

J. M. BEATY, Agent for the New Domestic, New Home and other sewing machines, Smithfield, N. C.

HOUSE FOR RENT.

A five-room dwelling house in Selma for rent. The house has an iron roof with new porch in front. For particulars see Mr. J. A. Spiers at Union Depot or write to me.

T. R. FULGHUM, Pine Level, N. C.

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COFFINS, CASKETS,



Burial Robes, Shoes, gloves, etc., For sale by J. E. PAGE, Clayton, N. C.

LEAVE WORD FOR ME.

If when you come to Smithfield to see about a sewing machine, I happen to be out of town, leave word for me with Mr. Thomas J. Lassiter at THE HERALD office and I will carry or send you one at once. He is authorized to collect money on sewing machines and give receipts for me.

J. M. BEATY, Agent for the New Domestic, New Home and other sewing machines, Smithfield, N. C.

TOBACCO LAND FOR SALE.

Here is an opportunity for tobacco farmers. I offer for sale a tract of land in Bentonville township, Johnston county, containing about 300 acres, belonging to the estate of John Harper, deceased, including the residence. The land is especially adapted to the growth of tobacco, corn, peas, potatoes, and most other crops. It is well watered, and has plenty of timber. The dwelling is a large, two-story, eight-room building, with a fire place in each room, and is in an excellent state of preservation. I will sell the land in smaller tracts, if desired, and on easy terms.

For further information, address, or see,

J. J. HARPER, Executor, Smithfield, N. C.
WELLONS & MORGAN, Attorneys, S-27-4t.



W. G. Yelvington has put in a nice line of Clothing for Men and Boys, in all sizes and prices, give him a call if you wish to save money.

All who owe Polie Gardner for buggies and wagons must remember your papers are now due and unless you come and settle soon they will be placed in the hands of the sheriff for collection.

I have used Dr. F. E. White's Worm and Condition Powders as a blood purifier for horses. It improves the appetite, fattens the horse, expels worms and gives a glossy coat.

POLIE GARDNER, Guaranteed and sold by Allen Lee, Druggist, Smithfield, N. C.

TEACHER WANTED.

We will meet at Wentworth school house on Saturday evening, October 12, for the purpose of employing a teacher for the next term of public school for District No. 7 white, Meadow Township. Those desiring to teach school will please be present on that day.

J. B. SMITH,

T. J. MASHBURN,

J. H. BAREFOOT,

Committee.

TEACHER WANTED.

On Saturday, October 19th, 1901, at 3 o'clock, p. m. the School Committee of District No. 4 white of Bentonville Township, will meet at Mill Creek school house for the purpose of employing a teacher for the next school. Those desiring to teach will meet us on the day above mentioned or come to see us before.

E. F. WEAVER,

ISAAC W. LANGSTON,

N. D. MASSENGILL,

Committee.

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of returning our thanks to all who have been patrons of our excursions the past season, which has been a very gratifying one in every particular. It affords us great pleasure to state that our patrons have been gentled in deportment, courteous to one another and considerate of the difficulties of the management. That we have aided in giving our patrons an occasional day of healthful pleasure is a matter that affords us no small degree of satisfaction. With best wishes, we are

Respectfully yours,

HATCH BROS.,

Excursion Managers,

Mount Olive, N. C.

FLAVORIAC EXTRACTS.

Every ingredient we use in compounding medicine is as pure as it is possible to obtain. The same oils, extracts, &c., we use in medicine we use in preparing our flavors for culinary use. The lot includes

Lemon, Banana,
Vanilla, Raspberry,
Pineapple, Strawberry.

We have a complete line of the different flavors, and are sure about their purity. We sell them in bottles or in bulk. Also

Spice, Pepper,
Cloves, Cinnamon,
Ginger, Chocolate,
Nutmeg, Mace.

We do not compete in price with cheap, artificial articles, but we do compete in quality.

MONTAGUE, Druggist,

GARNER, N. C.

BARBER SHOP.



When you come to Smithfield be sure to get a first-class shave and an up-to-date haircut at my shop. Mack Hawkins,

An Experienced Barber, is with me.

Prof. Matthew McCauley,

The Old Reliable Barber, MARKET ST., SMITHFIELD, N. C.

NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL BOOKS

At State Contract and Exchange Prices.
Paper, Inks, Slates,
Tablets and all school supplies at

HOOD BROTHERS,
DRUGGISTS.

NEW FALL GOODS.

My new stock of Dry Goods, Notions Millinery, Cloaks, Capes, Shoes, Hats Caps, Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods is now complete and up-to-date in each department.

IN DRESS GOODS.

I have a full line of the latest weaves and colors in dress goods. Also a full line of trimming in silks, velvets, gimps, braids, jets and applique.

SHIRT WAIST GOODS.

My line of shirt waist goods is 'bang-up.' I have a nice line of silks, flannels, all-wool Albatross, Percales. All in beautiful shades.

My Millinery Department is Full and Complete.

I have put in a full stock of the latest shapes and colors for fall and winter. Also full line of CAPS for misses and children. Ladies wishing anything in this department will find Miss Beckwith at her post ready and willing to serve them in a strictly up-to-date style.

SHOES, SHOES. SHOES, SHOES.

I carry a full line of Zeigler Bros.' fine shoes for ladies, misses and child en, the best shoes made for wear. Every pair warranted. I also carry a full stock of other makes of fine shoes for men, ladies, misses and children, which are first quality and you can buy them very cheap.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!

I have put in a full stock of clothing of newest make-up styles in all sizes for men, youths and children. Prices from \$1 to \$12.50 per suit. Also a nice line of PANTS from \$2 to \$5. Also I have a good line of FINE HATS, all colors, and a good line of

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Don't buy your goods until you get my prices, as I am sure that I can save you money, as I discount all of my bills and will give my customers the benefit of it.

W. G. Yelvington,
SMITHFIELD, N. C.

KNOCK OUT PRICES.

CLOTHING. We have just received the largest and most complete stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing that has ever been brought to Johnston county.

Here are a Few of our Prices.

MEN'S SUITS		BOYS' SUITS.	
\$5.00 VALUES	\$3.00	\$1.25 VALUES	\$.85
6.00 VALUES	4.00	1.50 VALUES	1.00
7.00 VALUES	5.00	1.75 VALUES	1.25
8.00 VALUES	6.00	2.00 VALUES	1.75
9.00 VALUES	7.00	3.00 VALUES	2.50
10.00 VALUES	7.50		

These are a few of our clothing prices. Our line of other Gents' Furnishings is complete at correspondingly low prices.

FULL LINE

Ladies' Trimmed Hats.

LATEST STYLES.

OUR DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT IS COMPLETE. SHOES. OUR STYLES AND PRICES ARE RIGHT.

GROCERIES. We have received one car load Salt. We have received one car load Flour. That we are selling at extremely low prices. We have everything else in the grocery line you want.

WE HAVE Bagging and Ties That we are selling at prices to suit the times.

HARNESS. We have the best and cheapest line of buggy and wagon Harness in the county.

Wagons and Buggies.

We have just received a car of wagons and our stock of buggies is complete. Will sell them cheap for cash or on time.

BRING YOUR COTTON TO SELMA.

Mr. J. B. Hudson is on this market buying, and everybody knows Buck will give the highest price for the staple. We also have three other buyers on this market and we will see that you get the highest price for your cotton.

Yours to please,

M. C. WINSTON & CO.,
SELMA, N. C.