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This definition of life insurance s found in this week's Saturday Evening Post: "Life Insurance orphans-of the directors."

Farmers, if you possibly can hold, do not sell your cotton under ten cents. Everything points to a short crop and cotton must sell higher. Much depends on holding.

The insurance investigation in New York has disclosed the fact that the Mutual Life of New York contributed large sums of money to aid the Republicans in the last election. Let the people of the South ponder these things well and hestitate before they pay out their money to big companies that use it to defend the ends they seek in a political way.

The State Historical and Literary Association will hold its annual meeting in Raleigh next Tuesday night. At that meeting a movement is to be set on foot to have a statue of Senator Vance, (who Savoyard, writing in the Washington Post, says is the ablest son of North Carolina) placed in Statuary Hall in the National Capitol. Every State is given a place in this Hall for two statues of its favorite sons. But North Carolina has neglected to do this and our bands at once. her niche is still vacant. But the State Historical Society never does things by halves and we expect to see the beloved Vance's statue in Statuary Hall J R. Ledbetter's. the next time we visit Washing.

Shoes! Shoes!!! The leading brands of shoes for fall and winter wear. Prices exceed ingly low. J. R. Ledbetter.

O. K. Washers, Smithfield Hdw. Co.

J. R. Ledbetter will buy your cotton seed and pay highest prices for them.

Two more public school districts in Beulah township have the special tax districts in Beulah prices attractive. to four. The action of these people show that they are in favor Entered at the Postoffice at Smithfield, of better schools. Let the good work go on until every white dis. Barnes & Co., are payable to trict in the county has voted a special tax for its schools.

in high prices and big averages. They have no drummer but do their drumming on the ware. Hdw. Co. house floor.

Below you will see what they -Providing for the widows and have been doing for their custo-

B. H. Hargis, 43, 40, 27½, 25,

8½, 7½. O. B. Hargis, 25, 10, 9½, 7½ J. F. Pool, 30, 17½, 16, 15½, 15, 14, 12½, 10, 9.

G. C. Wagstaff, 20, 12½, 10½. 8. J. M. Smith, 22½, 14¼, 10½ 9,

Edmondson & Graves, 37% 35, 30, 20, 17½, 15, 10¼, 8½, 7½,

W. J. Woodard, 35, 14, 9%, 7%. H. Massengill, 17, 13, 11, 10%,

R. E. Lee, 12½, 11, 10¼, 7. Geo. Jordan, 15, 10¼, 9¼, 8½, 8. A. Johnson, 35, 20, 15, 13½,

The better grades of tobacco have advanced, wrappers, bright cutters and bright strips are selling high. It will surely pay you to try Skinner & Patterson with your next load. They will surely send you home well pleased.

Country produce of all kinds wanted at J. R. Ledbetter's.

It will pay you to see Cotter-Underwood Co. for Robes and Harness before you buy.

Car load salt just-received at J. R. Ledbetter's.

TAXES!

must be paid. Come to my office trade. at the Austin Stephenson Co's store, and let us get this job off C. L. EASON.

Sept. 26.

Buggy and wagon harness a

Majestic Range exhibition 17 to 20th of October at store of Clayton Hardware Company. Everybody invited. Free Lunch

For guns see Cotter-Underwood Co. They have them at the right price.

Clothing to fit almost all. L. E.

Car O. K. Stoves, Smithfield Hdw. Co.

NAILS, NAILS, NAILS,

I have a car load of wire and voted a special tax for schools- cut nails on the road. Those Micro school, district No. 9, and who wish to buy nails should district No. 4. These increase call to see me. I will make

W. M. Sanders.

NOTICE.

All accounts due John S. Riley R. Guiley. Gulley & Gulley, Clayton, N. C.

TOBACCO FARMERS.

Keep your eye on the Banner Warehouse. They are leading very low at J. R. Ledbetter's.

Car O. K. Stoves, Smithfield

Good spring mattresses at Smithfield Furniture Co

Car American Fence, Smithfield Hdw. Co.

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Jap-a-Lac-Smithfield Hdw.

100 guns at Cotter-Stevens Co.

Car load of furniture of all kinds just received. Smithfield Furniture Co.

Car O. K. Stoves, Smithfield Hdw. Co.

Couches, lonnges, single and double, must be sold reasonable. Smithfield Furniture Co.

Guns to suit every one at Cot ter-Stevens Co.

LOST-8 weeks ago. Very small black fice dog puppy nearly grown. Liberal reward for his return or for information leading to his recovery.

J. E. STEVENS, Smithfield. A. C. L. Depot.

All kinds of Hats. L. E. Wat

Jap-a-Lac-Smithfield Hdw

The town taxes is now due, and! J. R. Ledoetter wants your

E. S. Edmondson sold yesterday at the Banner Warehouse one load of tobacco for \$344,20. Town tax Collector. He averaged over \$25.00 per

SKINNER & PATTERSON.

O. K. Washers, Smithfield Hdw. Co.

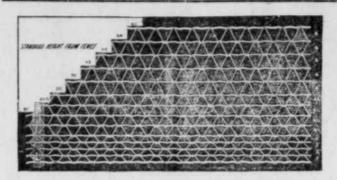
Car Devoe paint, Smithfield Hdw. Co.

Dan Valley and Stock's patent flour at J. R. Ledbetter's.

WANTED-your beef trade money. -your beef cattle, hides, furs, tallow, etc. Highest prices paid. D. F. Morgan.

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For Flour, Meet, Lard, Meal, Corp, Hay, Ship-Stuff And all other kind of Groceries, we can't be beat. We also cary a nice line of Dry Goods, Hats, Shoes, Crcckery and Tin Ware. All kinds of Hardware. It will pay you to see us if you want to make

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Cotter-Underwood

We have the largest stock of Clothing in the County. Can show more styles of Men's, Boys, and Youths' stylish up-to-date Suits than any firm in the entire County. Your eyes cannot wish for a color that can't be seen here,

> Speaking about hats, you can A special line of Overcoats at all prices, can suit the most fastidious. find any style or color at our store. Gents' Furnishing Goods of all kinds. Remember a special line of Fleece lined Undershirts 50c kind for 29c. Make our store headquarters while in Smithfield. We will always find room for you and you will be treated with the highest courtesy and respect while here.

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The King Clothiers

Smithfield, N. C.