

Local Items

The News of the Week in and Around Town.

—The banks here will both be closed next Thursday.

—Dr. F. Smith, of Harnett, has been spending a few days here this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Watson and family made a trip to Richmond this week.

—Rev. B. G. Early is conducting a meeting at Pine Level Baptist church this week.

—Mr. C. R. Guy, of Richmond, spent Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Abell.

—Misses Mamie Ellis and Rosa Peacock have returned from a short visit to friends in Raleigh.

—If Madame Rumour is to be believed Smithfield is to have several marriages this fall and winter.

—Mr. Willis H. Austin went to Raleigh Tuesday to hear Daniel J. Sully speak on the cotton situation.

—Rev. D. F. Putnam, of Benson, is assisting Rev. J. W. Suttle in a meeting at the Cotton Mill Chapel this week.

—Miss Ellen Eldridge, of the faculty of Benson Graded School, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in this section.

—Mrs. C. B. Paylor has returned home from an extended visit to friends and relatives in Caswell and Person counties.

—Mr. Polie Gardner, who spent the summer in New York, has returned to Smithfield to look after his business interests here.

—Miss Gertrude Gunter, of Wake, has accepted a position here as stenographer for the Brooklyn Manufacturing Company.

—Mrs. Jane F. Spiers, who has been spending some months here with her son, Mr. J. D. Spiers, left yesterday to visit her old home in Virginia.

—Today is circus day in Smithfield. It will be well attended—so many will go just to take the children—not interested themselves, you know.

—Rev. J. W. Suttle requests us to announce that he will begin a series of meetings at Wilson's Mills on the fourth Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—Mr. N. A. Carter, local agent for Johnston county, of the Greensboro Life Insurance Company, has located in Smithfield. He will have an ad in this paper next week.

—The fall in the price of cotton is keeping the fleecy staple at home, the farmers being unwilling to sell under 10 cents. If they will continue to hold the price will surely be better.

—A valuable horse belonging to Prof. Ira. T. Turlington, while running in a field this week, ran into a wire fence and broke his neck. This is the second horse that Prof. Turlington has lost this year.

—Chief Marshal B. Frank Mebane has selected the following marshals from Johnston county: Z. B. Austin, L. H. Allred, H. D. Ellington, W. D. Hood, T. J. Lassiter, R. M. Myatt, R. M. Nowell, C. W. Richardson, Claude L. Sanders, J. W. Stephenson and P. C. Worley.

Watson can fit any size foot—try him.

Car American Fence, Smithfield Hdw. Co.

Bebbs heaters at Cotter-Stevens Co.

FARMS FOR RENT.

We have two 2 horse crops for rent. Also several 1 horse crops. We furnish good land, good houses, guano and soda, and expect the tenant to do the rest.

Holt & Austin.

NEED A ROOF?

I have located in Smithfield and am prepared to do your tin-roofing. All orders left with the Cotter-Stevens Co. will be given prompt attention.

J. H. Brady.

Big line children's Clothing. L. E. Watson.

Car American Fence, Smithfield Hdw. Co.

Felt mattresses at Smithfield Furniture Co.

THESE REASONS WON THE BUCK JR. RANGE.

Ten Reasons Why Buck's Stoves are the best made.

- 1. BUCK'S IS AN OLD COMPANY.**
The company has been making stoves and ranges for 58 years and endeavoring all the time to make their goods better in every respect.
- 2. APPEARANCE.**
Buck's stoves and ranges are built in good proportions. The ornamentation is in flowing curves, the nickeling is heavy and tastefully used and the white enamelled oven is beautiful and attractive to the neat housekeeper.
- 3. EASY KEPT CLEAN.**
The outside being free from complicated ornamentation is easily kept clean. The inside being white enamelled needs only to be washed off as one does a plate, the ashes are easily got at, pulled down into the ash dumps and left there to cool, then taken out at your leisure.
- 4. DURABILITY.**
The Buck's stoves and ranges are the most durable. I know of a large Buck's stove that has been in use for about four years, for half that time in the hardest of use, cooking for a school boarding house with from 30 to 35 boarders, and no repairs have even been made upon it. The fire box is still in good condition, the top of the stove is perfectly level, no part of it is warped, the damper works perfectly and the stove cooks as well as when it was new. This condition is due to the excellent construction. The grates are warranted for five years, the cross piece is made sectionally, allowing for expansion and contraction. The asbestos linings protect the parts and the connecting rods are on the outside of the stove.
- 5. IT'S EXCELLENCE AS COOKER.**
The internal construction is such that they bake evenly and quickly, and roast with out undue evaporation and loss of flavor in meats. The heat is easily regulated. The dampers control the heat perfectly. The reservoir is large and furnishes plenty of hot water and its top being flush with top of stove serves almost in the place of a little table in taking up a meal after it is cooked. The foot lever for opening the oven doors saves a great deal of stooping in attending to the cooking. The top being made of the very best heavy grey iron holds heat and makes cooking on top of the stove easy.
- 6. The heat stays in the stove and your kitchen is not heated.**
- 7. The amount of heat used in Buck's stoves is much less than that in ordinary stoves.** Buck's stoves and ranges annually save from 25 to 33 1/2 per cent. of fuel.
- 8. They will burn either coal or wood.**
- 9. The prices of these stoves and ranges in proportion to their excellence are very low.**
- 10. They are sold by a thoroughly reliable firm under an absolute guarantee and not one has been returned, and of course all these make Buck's stove the best stove made since it has been in use.**

AMELIA MYATT.

Hyomei Cures Catarrh Breaths it—

No dangerous drugs or alcoholic concoctions are taken into the stomach when Hyomei is used. Breathed through the inhaler, the balsamic healing of Hyomei penetrates to the most remote cells of the nose and throat, and thus kills the catarrhal germs, heals the irritated mucous membrane, and gives complete and permanent cure. Hyomei is the simplest, most pleasant and the only guaranteed cure for catarrh that has been discovered. Complete outfit, \$1.00; extra bottle, 50 cents. For sale by Hood Bros.

Trade at L. E. Watson's and be happy.

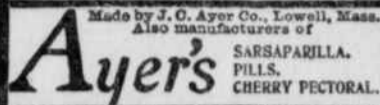
Everybody likes Dorsch shoes and they should—L. E. Watson

I want twenty-five car loads of cotton at once. Highest market price paid. J. R. Ledbetter.

Buy Hair at Auction?

At any rate, you seem to be getting rid of it on auction-sale principles: "going, going, g-o-n-e!" Stop the auction with Ayer's Hair Vigor. It checks falling hair, and always restores color to gray hair. A splendid dressing also. Sold for over sixty years.

"My hair came out so badly I nearly lost it all. I had heard so much about Ayer's Hair Vigor I thought I would give it a trial. I did so and it completely stopped the falling, and made my hair grow very rapidly."—MARY H. FIELD, Northfield, Mass.



When your bike is sick come to Peacock's Hospital. Sundries at your own price. New wheels cheap. See us.

R. C. PEACOCK & Co.

If you want the best Arm-Rocker in town for \$1.50 see Cotter-Underwood Co.

Got Rheumatism? Try A. H. B's Rheumatic cure. "Positively a sure cure, for all forms of Rheumatism. A. H. Boyett, the druggist, Smithfield, N. C."

Gents, go to W. G. Yelvington's store for your nice dress shoes, and every day shoes, for cold wet weather, cheap as ever.

Car American Fence, Smithfield Hdw. Co.

Watson wants to sell you your heavy underwear. Big line to select from.

NOTICE.

By virtue of the authority contained in a Mortgage Deed executed to me on 28th day of Nov. 1902 by Warren Holmes and wife Vermont Holmes and duly registered in the Registry of Johnston county in Book D, No. 8, page 382, I shall sell at auction for cash at the court house door in the town of Smithfield on Saturday 11th day of November 1905 the following real property:

Adjoining the lands of N. T. Ryals, Jno. Whitman, N. D. Morgan, D. H. Ivey and others, Beginning at a stake on canal bank Jno. Whitman's corner and runs E 22 poles to a stake in D. H. Ivey's line, thence S. 20 poles to Ivey's corner, thence W. 99 poles to a stake, thence S. 4 poles to a stake, thence W. 28 poles to a stake in N. T. Ryals line, thence with his line N. 110 poles to a stake in N. B. Barber's (deed) line, thence with his line E. 43 poles to a stake Jno. Whitman's corner, thence his line S. 22 E. 50 poles to a stake at Smithfield and Fayetteville road, thence N. 80 E. 30 poles to a stake at canal near the bridge, thence down canal to the beginning containing (50%) acres more or less. And fully described in said Mortgage.

This October 10th 1905.

J. A. MORGAN, Mortgagee.

WELLONS & MORGAN, Attys.

SMITHFIELD MARKET

Corrected this week by Austin-Stephenson Co

Cotton	9 1/2
Cotton Seed per bushel	20
Eggs	20
Chickens	15 to 35
Granulated Sugar	6 to 6 1/2
Corn, per bushel	80 to 85
Potatoes, per bushel	50
Peas	75 to 1.00
Feed Oats, per bushel	50 to 60
Fresh Pork	10
C. R. Sides, per pound	10
Old Hams	15
New Hams	15
Lard	10 to 12 1/2
Cheese	15 to 17 1/2
Butter	25 to 35
Dried Apples, per pound	7 1/2 to 10
Coffee, per pound	12 1/2 to 30
Sheep Skins, each	10 to 30
Salt Hides, per pound	5 to 6
Hides—Dry Flints	6 to 9
Tallow	8
Beeswax	20
Meal, per sack	\$1.60 to 1.70
Flour, per sack	\$2.25 to 2.50
Fodder, per hundred	90 to \$1.00
Hay, per hundred	75 to \$1.00

THE ELLINGTON BUGGY COMPANY.

Just a Few Things The E. B. Co. can Can Sell you if you Will Come to see Them

Horses Ponies Carriages Surreys

Thorn Hill Wagons, Buggy Harness, Double Surrey Harness, One and Two Horse wagon Harness, Extra Tops, Buggy and Carriage Poles, Collars, Bridles open and with Blinds, Any part of your Harness from the crupper to the bridle bit, Buggy Robes and whips.

Stock Food Guaranteed

Smithfield, N. C.

Saves Time Saves Labor Saves Clothes

Ten Year Old Child can do all your Washing. Take one and try it, if not satisfied return it.

Smithfield Hardware Company.

NOTICE.

By virtue of a power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed executed to the undersigned, on the 9th day of June 1903 by N. T. Boykin and wife, Mary Ann Boykin, and duly probated, acknowledged and Registered in the Registry of Johnston county, North Carolina, Book "11" No. 8, page 380. Said mortgage which secures a bond of even date has long since become due and the condition of said mortgage deed having been broken, the undersigned, as mortgagee, will sell at public auction for cash, at the court house door in the town of Smithfield, N. C., at 12 o'clock M. on the 1st Monday in November, being November 6th, 1905, the following tract of land situate in O'neals township, Johnston county, North Carolina and bounded as follows: Adjoining the lands of Henry Johnson, Hazy Johnson, Fredell Bentrow, Rufus Crocker and others, containing 80 acres more or less. The same being the lands conveyed to Branch & Hadley by A. H. Stillely. The object of this sale is to satisfy the amount due on said bond and costs of sale.

This October 5th 1905.

HALLEY BROS. & KIRBY, Attys.

JNO. A. NARON, Att'y. Mortgagee.

NOTICE.

By virtue of a power of sale, contained in a certain deed of mortgage, executed by N. T. Boykin and wife, Mary Ann Boykin, to the undersigned, on the 19th of October 1901, due and payable November 15, 1904, bond of even date under seal, executed by same parties, which mortgage is duly probated, acknowledged and Registered in the Registry of Johnston county, North Carolina, Book "11" No. 8, page 482. The condition of said mortgage being broken by said mortgagees, the undersigned, as mortgagee will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the court house door in the town of Smithfield, on the 1st Monday in November, 1905, being the 6th day, at 12 o'clock M. for cash, the following tract of land situate in O'neals township, Johnston county, N. C. and bounded as follows: Adjoining the lands of Henry Johnson, Hazy Johnson, Rufus Crocker and others and containing 80 acres, more or less. The object of the sale is to satisfy the amount due on said bond and mortgage and costs and expenses of sale.

This Oct. 5th 1905.

HALLEY BROS. & KIRBY, Attys.

JNO. A. NARON, Att'y. Mortgagee.

For fine furniture see Cotter-Underwood Co.

W. G. Yelvington's millinery store is the place to buy nice hats cheap.

Can : You : Judge : Drugs?

Can you tell by looking at a prescription whether or not it has been filled right? Can you tell by tasting it? You can't, can you? You are at the mercy of your Druggist entirely. For this reason you should select a Drug Store where Quality and Purity are watchwords; where accuracy is strictly observed in every detail. You will find these essentials combined with over 25 years experience in the drug business, at

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Buggies, Wagons and HARNESS

We are prepared to suit the public in Buggies, Wagons and all kinds of Harness. We sell the Hackney, the Parker, the Hummer and other well-known makes of buggies. We have them in stock, not to keep but to sell, and ask all who trade at Benson to call and examine our stock. Will sell for cash or on time.

G. W. & P. B. JOHNSON, BENSON, N. C.

IT'S A SILLY GOOSE

That comes to a Fox's Sermon without being prepared to stand up.

There's Style, Long Life, Comfortable Feet from the day they go on

Drew Selby Shoes

THE COUNTRY IS RINGING WITH THE PRAISES OF THE Southland Belle Shoes

FAMOUS BECAUSE MERITORIOUS. THE BEST IN AMERICA FOR \$1.50 TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE.

The Will H. Lassiter Dry Goods Company

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