

Local Items

The News of the Week in and Around Town.

—Mr. Reuben Myatt spent Sunday in Raleigh.

—Mr. H. P. Stevens spent Sunday night in Goldsboro.

—Dr. McGee Tucker, of Raleigh was in town Sunday evening.

—Don't forget that farmers convention here next Monday.

—Mr. L. G. Patterson returned Sunday from a trip to Oxford.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanders returned from New Orleans Monday night.

—Mr. J. W. Stephenson spent two or three days at his farm in Elevation this week.

—Mr. J. A. Galbraith returned Saturday from a visit to his home in Tennessee.

—New ads this week—Barnes-Edgerton Company and McKinnis Brothers. Read them.

—Dr. W. T. Turlington and little son, William, of Fremont, were in town yesterday.

—Mr. Sydney Deans, of Goldsboro, spent Sunday in town with his sister, Mrs. O. V. Booker.

—Miss Mildred Young is spending a few days here with her sister, Mrs. Sam T. Honeycutt.

—Mr. B. A. Hocutt, a student at the University Medical School at Raleigh, was in town Wednesday.

—Miss Ruth Young spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Sanders in the country.

—Mrs. E. W. Edwards, who spent a few days here with Mrs. Coley at Tuscarora Inn, has returned home.

—Messrs. Busbee and Worth Pope, of Dunn, spent Sunday night here and left Monday for Richmond, Va.

—Richmond Bell, an industrious colored man, of Selma, killed two hogs a few days ago that weighed 804 pounds.

—Mrs. N. T. Holland and little son Norwood, is spending a few days with Mrs. E. P. Baker at Four Oaks this week.

—Miss Mary Hadley, after spending several days here with relatives returned to her home in Wilson Wednesday.

—Mr. John A. Smith and Miss Mildred Sanders spent Sunday afternoon with the family of Mr. J. H. B. Tomlinson in the country.

—Mr. J. H. Smith and daughter, Miss Emily, of Elevation, spent Friday and Saturday here with Mr. Smith's son, John A. Smith, clerk at Tuscarora Inn.

—Mrs. Phebe Deans, who has been spending several months with her son in Oklahoma, has returned to Smithfield and is stopping with her daughter, Mrs. O. V. Booker.

—Let all farmers who are interested in getting better prices for their cotton meet in Smithfield next Monday at 11 o'clock and hear speeches from several prominent speakers.

—Hon. C. C. Moore, Hon. H. C. Dockery, Hon. James H. P. G. Glenn, Hon. Ashley Horne, Mr. W. M. Sanders and others are expected to address the farmers at their meeting here Monday.

—The farmers convention to be held here next Monday will be an important meeting and should be attended by every farmer in Johnston county who is interested in the welfare of his brother farmers.

—Turlington Graded School celebrated North Carolina Day last Friday by carrying out the program arranged for the occasion by the State Superintendent. A collection, amounting to \$3.60 was taken for the Wiley Monument.

—THE HERALD office is prepared to furnish all kinds of Mortgage and Lien Blanks at short notice and at low prices. We can also furnish guano delivery tickets in books on short notice. Read our ad elsewhere and send us your orders.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Ellington went to Raleigh Tuesday to attend the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. W. J. Young, who died early Monday morning. Mrs. Young was a daughter of the late J. C. Ellington, and a sister of Mrs. E. L. Hinton and Mrs. J. M. Turley, of Clayton.

—Mr. J. M. Jernigan, who has been in the mercantile business in Smithfield for the past year or two has closed out his business and returned to his farm in Sampson county. Mr. Jernigan has made many friends during his stay here who wish him much success as he returns to the farm life.

—The farmers of Johnston county are called to meet in the court house here next Monday at eleven o'clock to perfect their organization. Mr. C. C. Moore, President of the North Carolina Branch of the Southern Cotton Association, will be present and make an address. Other prominent speakers are also expected to be present and deliver addresses. All farmers and everybody who is interested in the welfare of the agricultural interests are earnestly urged to be present. Let it be the largest gathering of farmers that ever assembled in the county with such a great object in view.

—It always gives us pleasure to note the success of Johnston county boys who have cast their lots in other sections. Only a few years since one of our bright young men, after completing a law course at the State University, moved to a thriving town in the western part of the State where he has met with success on every hand. We refer to Mr. Z. V. Turlington, brother of our townsman, Mr. Ira T. Turlington. Since locating at Mooresville he has identified himself with the business interests of the town and a few days ago he was chosen one of the directors of the Mooresville Loan and Trust Co. As is already known he ably represented his county in the House in the last General Assembly. Not only has he taken a high stand as a lawyer, business man and legislator, but he has taken an active interest in church work, and was a few days ago elected superintendent of the Mooresville Presbyterian Sunday School. It is only another evidence of the fact that Johnston county boys are taking high stands every where they go.

A New Mercantile Concern.

Mr. D. L. Godwin went to Raleigh yesterday to secure a charter for The Smithfield Supply Company, Smithfield's latest enterprise. The incorporators are: B. L. Stevens, J. W. Stephenson, D. L. Godwin, Dr. Holland, Will H. Johnson and others.

The new concern will have a capital stock of \$10,000 and will open up a general mercantile and supply store, the new building of Mr. W. S. Stevens, opposite the hotel having been secured for this purpose. We welcome the new concern to our town and wish it much success. We understand they will open up about February 1st.

Alliance Speaking.

Mr. H. M. Cates will speak at the court house in Smithfield on Saturday January 27th at 11 o'clock.

Primitive Baptist Appointments.

Elder Henry Taylor, a Primitive Baptist minister, is scheduled to preach in Johnston county at the following times and places:

- Benson, February 6.
- Smithfield, February 7.
- Little Creek, February 8.
- Clement, February 9.
- Union, February 10.
- Bethany, February 11.
- Salem, February 12.
- Clayton, February 12, at night.

Cullom Music School.

Prof. A. N. Cullom, of Wilson, will open his school of vocal music at the Baptist church here next Monday, Jan. 22, and continue 10 days. For further particulars see Mr. D. H. Jones, Secretary and Treasurer, at W. G. Yelvington's store.

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Pensacola, Fla.; New Orleans, La.; Mobile, Ala.: Account Mardi Gras, February 22nd-27th, one fare plus 25c round trip, tickets sold February 21st-26th inclusive, final limit March 3rd. Tickets can be extended until March 17th.

Louisville, Ky: Account Department of Superintendents National Educational Association, February 27th-March 1st, one fare plus 25c round trip, tickets sold February 24th-25th-30th, final limit March 4th.

Niagara Fall, N. Y.: Account National Association of Retail Grocers January 23rd-25th, one and one-third fares plus 25c on Certificate Plan Basis.

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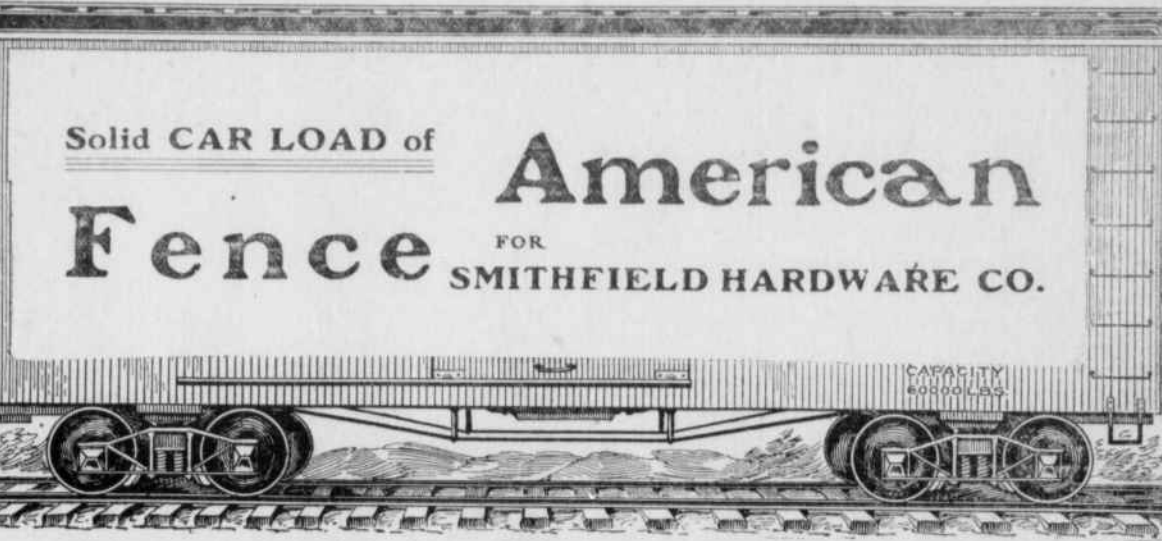
The following poem accompanied by a handsome Babcock Buggy, sold and delivered by the Ellington Buggy Co., was presented by Mr. Walter Rand, to his wife, on the 14th anniversary of their marriage.

For fourteen years you've blessed my life
And shared my every sorrow—
Been what you pledged, a faithful wife
In sunshine and in shadow.

Accept this token, now, my dear,
To show in some slight degree
The thanks my heart will always bear,
For what you have been to me.

And may your skies be always blue,
No dark clouds o'er you lower,
While hearts of friends both tried and true
Their blessings on you shower.

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Cotton Seed per bushel	25
Eggs	15
Chickens	15 to 30
Granulated Sugar	6 to 6 1/2
Corn, per bushel	75 to 80
Potatoes, per bushel	35 to 40
Peas	75 to 1 00
Feed Oats, per bushel	50
Fresh Pork	7 1/2 to 8
C. R. Sides, per pound	8 1/2 to 9
Old Hams	15
New Hams	10
Lard	10 to 12 1/2
Cheese	17 1/2 to 20
Butter	25 to 30
Dried Apples, per pound	7 1/2 to 10
Coffee, per pound	12 1/2 to 25
Sheep Skins, each	10 to 30
Salt Hides, per pound	6 to 7
Hides—Dry Flints	10 to 12 1/2
Tallow	3
Beeswax	20
Meal, per sack	1.40 to 1.60
Flour, per sack	2.25 to 2.65
Fodder, per hundred	\$1.00
Hay, per hundred	50 to \$1.00
Wool	15 to 25

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