

Local Items
The News of the Week in and Around Town.

Mr. J. T. Lindsay, of Wilson, was here Sunday.

Mr. A. E. Surlis, of Benson, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. J. O. Ellington, of Fayetteville, was here Monday.

Mr. D. L. Godwin returned yesterday from a visit to Kenly.

Miss Vessie Coats, who taught the Myatt school, is at home again.

Dr. Frank Holmes, of Clinton, was a visitor to our little city this week.

Messrs. Marshall Hall and Elijah Moye, of Goldsboro, were here Sunday.

Mr. W. D. Hood went to Raleigh yesterday afternoon to hear Dr. Chadwick.

Mrs. W. G. Weeks, of Rocky Mount, is spending this week here with relatives.

Smithfield has a bottling establishment now managed by Mr. I. B. Alexander.

Messrs. J. W. Moore and W. D. Massey have returned from a trip to Buie's Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. S. Abell, and little son, Edward, are spending a few days in Asheville.

Miss Minnie Lunceford, who has been teaching in Sampson county, has returned home.

Mrs. H. D. Godwin, of Murfreesboro, is here on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. B. G. Early.

Mrs. Thel Hooks and Thel, Jr., went to Clayton yesterday afternoon to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. L. W. Grantham, of Princeton, is spending this week here with her sister, Miss Ada Barnes.

Mrs. Lina Webb who has been spending the winter in Jacksonville, Fla., returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Lucy Lee, of the Glenmore section, is spending a few days here with her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Beaty.

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

Mr. F. T. Booker, THE HERALD'S wide-awake correspondent in the Polenta section, was in town Monday.

Rev. Samuel Hanff, rector of the Episcopal church here, has returned to Duke, after spending several days here.

Mr. E. O. Aycok, assistant cashier of The Bank of Smithfield, made a business trip to Tarboro yesterday.

Mr. Irvin Grantham, who is travelling for a Richmond wholesale drug concern, spent Tuesday here with relatives.

Miss Ora Pool has accepted a position in the store of Mr. W. G. Yelvington and will have charge of the millinery department.

Mrs. Robert A. Sanders, who lives near here, was taken to Wilson last week to undergo an operation at the Wilson Sanatorium.

There are several new ads in this issue of THE HERALD. Look them up and see if you can't find something to interest you in them.

Messrs Spiers Bros. will have their millinery opening next Tuesday, April 3rd. See their announcement elsewhere in this paper.

Bishop Cheshire, of Raleigh, conducted the morning service at the Episcopal church Sunday at which time four communicants were confirmed.

Mr. W. N. Holt, who has been spending a few days at home, returned to Raleigh Wednesday to resume his studies at the A. & M. College.

The Sunday School Convention of the Johnston County Baptist Association will be held at Pisgah church the fifth Sunday in April and Saturday before.

Sunday afternoon's fire showed the importance of a more thorough organization of the fire company. A meeting was held Monday night and all the responsible positions were filled so that each man will know just what his duties are in case of fire. Practice will be held once or twice a week for more thorough drill in the work.

Miss Fannie Freeman, who has been spending some days with the Misses Tomlinson at "Tanglewood," spent Monday here, enroute to her home in Wilson county.

Mr. H. D. Ellington has just returned from Wilson where he purchased a car load of Hackney Buggies and a handsome surrey for the clever hardware dealer, Mr. R. O. Cotter.

Miss Alice Carey, of Baltimore, arrived Tuesday to take charge of the millinery department of The Will H. Lassiter Dry Goods Co. Their opening will take place next Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Hiram Bell, of Racine, Wisconsin, and Mr. Oscar Lancaster, of Burlington, Vermont, were here last week, exhibiting two 45-horse power traction engines for the Smithfield Hardware Co.

We learn just before going to press that Mr. A. Hilb, who recently opened a store here, died at Goldsboro yesterday morning from blood poison. He left here Saturday. Fuller particulars next week.

Rev. J. H. Shore and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Hood went to Raleigh last Friday to attend Chadwick meeting. Services have been held at the different churches in Raleigh for the past ten days, led by Dr. Chadwick, a noted preacher of Leeds, England.

Miss Anna Parker, assistant postmaster here, is spending this week in Benson, having been called there by the illness of her mother, Mrs. K. H. Parker. Messrs. J. D. and J. P. Parker spent Wednesday night in Benson and report their mother improved.

We are surprised to note that THE SMITHFIELD HERALD is only twenty-four years old. It is a hefty youngster and is a most excellent newspaper and effective force in the development of the fine county of Johnston. Smithfield has every reason to be proud of THE HERALD—Wilmington Star.

THE HERALD, of Smithfield, has just entered upon its 25th volume. THE HERALD is a bright, clean and newsy paper and it is doing a great work for Johnston county. The best thing about THE HERALD is that it never loses an opportunity to strike a lick for temperance.—Warrenton Record.

Dr. Geo. T. Winston, President of A. & M. College, while waiting yesterday morning for the hour to address the Cotton Growers Association, visited the Graded School, and delighted the faculty and students with one of his jovial and common sense talks. It is the Doctor's custom to visit schools whenever he goes, and he may be assured that he is always a welcome visitor. He impressed upon the students the importance of an early training, and training along special lines.

A Card from the Mayor.

At the fire in Mr. Boyett's store last Sunday I noticed that the work of the young men who compose the fire company and who have had some training and experience in working their engine and hose was interfered with by many of our citizens and the work retarded.

I wish to thank all who helped in any way for their good intentions, even if they were in the way of the regular firemen, but believe the fire would have been sooner under control if the firemen had been let alone to manage the fire fighting apparatus themselves.

Don't think you are not wanted at such times—COME, at the first alarm, bring your buckets and supplement the work of the fire company.

E. J. HOLT, Mayor.
Smithfield, Mar. 28th, 1906.

Approaching Marriage.

The following invitation has been issued:

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Radford request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Addie Massey, to Mr. Willie R. Smith, on Wednesday evening, April the eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and six, at eight o'clock, Smithfield Baptist church, Smithfield, North Carolina.

For Buggies, Wagons and Harness of all kinds see Cotter-Underwood Co.

See Cotter-Underwood Co. if you buy Guano at Four Oaks or Smithfield.

If you want to buy the best Guano sold see Cotter-Underwood Co.

Revival Services at Baptist Church.

Rev. P. G. Elson, of Brevard, N. C., arrived Tuesday morning to assist the pastor, Rev. J. W. Suttle, in a ten days' meeting at the Baptist church. The meeting began Monday night with a splendid sermon by Rev. J. H. Shore, pastor of the Methodist church, on "Revivals and the Confession of Sins." Throughout his discourse, Mr. Shore held the undivided attention of his audience, impressing upon the church members present the great importance of living Christian lives.

Mr. Elson conducted his first service Tuesday afternoon from the text: "And there will be no more sea." The talk was a good one and greatly enjoyed. At the Tuesday night service the minister spoke on "what it means to be a Christian" using Paul's words—"For me to live is Christ; For me to die is gain"—as a text. Wednesday afternoon he spoke on "A Genuine Revival," and Wednesday night on "How I may know I am a Christian." At each service Mr. Elson held the attention of the audience and spoke the truth in a bold and fearless manner.

So far his sermons have been addressed to the professing Christians, showing how important it is for those who profess to know Christ to show Him forth in their daily lives.

Two services are held each day—one at 3:30 and the other at 7:45 p. m. Next Sunday there will be three services—at 11:00 a. m., 3:30 and 7:45 p. m. The Sunday afternoon service will be for men only and all the men of the town are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Elson is a pastor-evangelist whose work has been wonderfully blessed in the past and the Christian people of Smithfield are expecting his coming among us to result in much good.

Notice to Smithfield People.

If there are any copies of "Young Peoples Songs of Praise"—the song book with the red cover,—in any the homes of our town it will be greatly appreciated if those having them will return the same to the Baptist church. There are 20 or more copies belonging to the church that are missing. Please return it if you have one. The books are needed now.

T. J. Lassiter.

Services Here Sunday.

On account of the protracted services at the Baptist church Rev. J. H. Shore has announced that there will be no service at the Methodist church here Sunday morning and night. The hours for service at the Baptist church will be 11:00 a. m., 3:30 and 7:45 p. m. The 3:30 service will be for men only.

WANTED—A thousand bushels of peas and five thousand pounds of hams at The Austin-Stephenson Co.

Insure your property in the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Co. the Largest, Ablest and strongest Fire Ins. Co. in the world with J. H. Kirkman, the oldest experienced Fire Ins. agent in the county. Agency established by Dr. L. E. Kirkman in 1872—over 33 years ago.

Please Ask Mr. Joseph Lassiter who he bought that genuine Nissen Wagon from.

Read It Carefully

We are sole agents in Smithfield for the old reliable Geo. E. Nissen Wagon, made by the father of the Nissen Brothers. This is the best wagon sold in Eastern North Carolina.

We have sold the celebrated Hackney Buggy in Smithfield for six years and have the agency for them this year.

We are sole agents in Johnston County for the highest grade Buggy offered for sale in the State—The Celebrated H. H. Babcock Buggy.

We sold to one one of Johnston's leading farmers, a Road Cart and Harness as follows:—Cart \$65.00, Harness \$50.00 Cash. This is the handsomest cart and Harness ever sold in Johnston County.

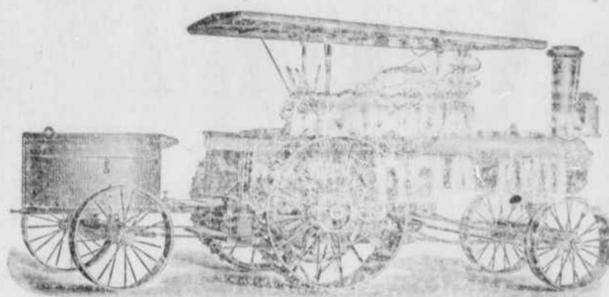
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Anything From A

Knitting Needle

TO A



Traction Engine or Saw Mill

From our large stock of Hardware, Mill Supplies, and Farming Implements. Call and see for yourself what we have.

3 Large Houses
Times Full of Goods

Smithfield Hardware Company.

Opposite Court House.

SMITHFIELD MARKET

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| Cotton | 11 to 11 1/2 |
| Cotton Seed per bushel | 22 1/2 |
| Eggs | 10 to 12 1/2 |
| Chickens | 15 to 30 |
| Granulated Sugar | 6 to 6 1/2 |
| Corn, per bushel | 80 to 85 |
| Potatoes, per bushel | 50 to 60 |
| Peas | 100 to 125 |
| Feed Oats, per bushel | 50 |
| Fresh Pork | 7 1/2 to 8 |
| C. R. Sides, per pound | 9 to 9 1/2 |
| New Hams | 10 to 12 1/2 |
| Lard | 10 to 12 1/2 |
| Cheese | 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 | 1.50 |
| Flour, per sack | 2.25 to 2.65 |
| Fodder, per hundred | \$1.00 |
| Hay, per hundred | 75 to \$1.00 |
| Wool | 15 to 25 |

SEED! SEED.

We have on hand a fine selection of Fresh Garden Seed in papers and in bulk, by weight and measure. Should you want any seed we haven't got we would be glad to order them for you. Did you ever sow German and Cat Tail Millet Seed? It is a fine crop for any one who has stock to feed. Try them,

Hood Brothers Druggists

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We want you to call and see our line of goods when you come to town. We have a nice line of Shoes and Slippers, Dry Goods and Notions, Hats, Cook Stoves, Buggies, Wagons, one and two horse; and a complete line of farming implements, all kinds of Feed Stuff, Seed Oats, Etc. When you bring any Produce let us have a chance at it. We will pay the highest prices for it and sell you our goods at a low price. Don't fail to come to see us, we will save you money.

Smithfield Supply Co.

Smithfield, N. C.

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**Millinery Opening
Thursday & Friday
April 5th and 6th**

We respectfully invite you to be present.

The Will H. Lassiter Dry Goods Company