

Local Items

Concerning the People, Business and Progress of the Town and County

Mrs. T. L. Glinn, of Goldsboro, spent Friday here.

Mr. J. R. Ledbetter, of Princeton, was here yesterday.

Mr. Daniel Jones spent several days in Norfolk this week.

Mr. King H. Parker, of Benson, was here yesterday.

Mr. F. H. Parrish went to Richmond Wednesday on business.

Mr. A. M. Noble spent several days this week in Washington, D. C.

Mayor James A. Wellons made a business trip to Raleigh Wednesday.

Mr. Ed. A. Holt, of Princeton, was a visitor to Smithfield yesterday.

Miss Annie Crisp spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Wilson's Mills.

Mr. James H. Kirkman made a trip to Dunn this week in his new "Brush" Automobile.

Miss Alma Eason spent Saturday and Sunday in Fayetteville with her sister, Mrs. D. M. Hall.

Dr. Thel Hooks has recently purchased a nice automobile and is now using it in his extensive practice.

Mrs. V. O. Parker and little daughter, Josephine, of Raleigh, are spending several days here with relatives.

Miss Mary Elizabeth McCullers, a member of the senior class at Meredith College at Raleigh, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Miss Meta Luncford accompanied by her father, Mr. D. T. Luncford, went to Norfolk Tuesday to enter a hospital to become a trained nurse.

The County Board of Education will meet in called session on May 2nd this being first Monday. It is expected that a good deal of business will be transacted.

The Holt-Sanders Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy will hold their regular meeting next Tuesday afternoon, May 3, at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Sam. T. Honeycutt.

The next session of the ministers' and laymen's conference of the Johnston association will be held with Benson's Grove church the fifth Sunday in May and Friday night and Saturday before.

Prof. Ira T. Turlington, superintendent of the Turlington Graded School, has secured Dr. B. F. Dixon, State Auditor, to deliver the commencement address at the closing exercises of the school on Wednesday, May 18th.

The week in which occurs May 29th will be a great week for Smithfield and Johnston County. That will be Old Home Coming Week and many of the town's and County's sons and daughters who have wandered away into other lands will be here that week to renew the associations and memories of the days that are past.

Rev. Whitley Langston, one of Johnston's sons who has "made good" in another State, is expected to be here during Old Home Coming Week. He has been a minister in the Georgia Conference for many years and is at present a Presiding Elder living at Waycross. He is expected to respond to the address of welcome on Friday, May 20th.

Mr. George E. Thornton, of the Thornton Music House, made a business trip to New York City last week and is just carried away with the things that he saw. This was his first visit to the Nation's Metropolis and the magnificent city and the wonderful system of transportation, elevated, surface and subway cars, together with the tall and stately buildings were a revelation to him.

Dr. A. J. McKelway, of Atlanta, Georgia, will deliver the principal address for the "Old Home Week Celebration" May 20, in the Opera House at Smithfield. Dr. McKelway, who was the first pastor of the Smithfield Presbyterian church, is now one of the country's prominent citizens. He is at present Secretary of the National Child Labor Committee for the Southern States, and is known far and wide as one of the champions of the children. Let a great crowd be here to hear him.

Some Good Ball Games.

Wilson's Mis Base Ball Team are expecting to have some good games during commencement week at Wilson's Mills, May 10 and 11. They have booked games for both of these days with the team of the Atlantic Christian College. This is a strong team, having held Trinity, Oak Ridge and other good teams down with small scores and defeated the Wake Forest team. Those who attend the games may look forward to some fine playing. There will be a Basket Picnic at Wilson's Mills on the 11th. The game will be called promptly at four P. M.

Death of Dr. J. B. Robertson.

Clayton, April 28.—Early this morning as the eastern sun was rising in all his glory and illuminating the earth with the brilliance of his shining rays, the cold grim hand of death entered our midst and bore from time to eternity one of our loved friends, Dr. J. B. Robertson.

Dr. Robertson had been in usual health and his death came as an electric shock to our town. He had risen early in the morning and was returning to the house when he suddenly fell and died immediately.

He was about seventy-four years old and had been an actively practicing physician for about fifty years. He was a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia and served as an Army Surgeon during the Civil war. Most of his life had been spent in and around Clayton. He was loved and esteemed by all who knew him.

He united early in life with the Baptist church and was a consistent member of that church at this place when he died.

The funeral services will be conducted at the Clayton Baptist church Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services will be conducted by Dr. R. T. Vann, of Meredith College, under the auspices of the local lodge of Masons, and the interment will be in the cemetery here immediately after the funeral services.

Among the near relatives he leaves a wife and five children. The children are: Mrs. J. B. Blades, of New Bern, N. C., Mrs. J. J. Young, of Clayton, N. C., Mr. W. A. Robertson, of Goldsboro, N. C., Mr. J. A. Robertson, of Dover, N. C., and Mr. Roy Robertson, of Ashboro, N. C. Besides these he has a host of relatives in and near Clayton and numberless friends who extend their heart-felt sympathy to the bereaved in this sad hour.

Our Files Now Complete.

Some weeks ago we found that we were short three issues of The Herald for February, 1909, and inserted a notice in this paper that we would give a three-months subscription to The Herald for one good copy of each issue wanted. As was announced last week two of the missing numbers had been received already. This week the third copy was obtained from Mr. J. H. Lee, of Four Oaks, R. F. D. No. 1, and his subscription has been extended three months as per our offer. Our success in securing these three papers of February, 1909, shows two things: 1st, That it pays to advertise, and 2nd, That some people appreciate The Herald. Those having wants to supply or something to sell might learn a lesson from this. A word to the wise is sufficient.

An Interesting Game of Ball.

The Methodist Baracas defeated the Baptist Baracas in an exciting game of ball last Friday by the score of 2 to 1. The feature of the game was the twirling by both pitchers. Batteries, B. B.—Cabell and Ward. M. B.—Bingham and Hood.

Ice Cream Supper.

There will be an ice cream supper at Mr. Charlie Lynch's Friday night, May 6, for the benefit of Sardis Baptist church. Everybody invited.

YOU ARE INVITED.

Everybody in Johnston County is invited to come to the Johnston County Home Coming at Smithfield May 16th to the 21st, 1910.

JAMES A. WELLONS, Chairman Committee.

SMITHFIELD MARKET.

Cotton	13 to 14 1/2
Wool	15 to 25
Fat cattle on foot	3 1/2 to 4
Fat cattle dressed	7 to 8
Sweet potatoes per bushel	.70 to .75
Eggs	15 to 17 1/2
Chickens	20 to 40
Granulated sugar	6 to 6 1/2
Corn per bushel	1.00
Feed oats per bushel	.70 to .75
Fresh pork	10
C. R. Sides per pound	15 to 16
Timothy hay	1.25 to 1.50
Lard per pound	12 1/2 to 13
Cheese per pound	22 1/2
Butter, per pound	25 to 30
Dried apples per pound	10 to 12 1/2
Coffee, per pound	12 1/2 to 17 1/2
Sheep skins each	10 to 25
Salt hides per pound	5 to 6
Hides—dry flint	8 to 10
Tallow	3
Beeswax	17 1/2 to 20
Meal per sack	1.90 to 2.00
Flour per sack	3.25 to 3.50
Peas per bushel	1.75 to 2.00

OUR Mr. PARKER, THE PHOTOGRAPHER, is now in Smithfield. He will be ready for work tomorrow. Everybody come, examine his samples, and we feel sure you will have some nice pictures made. Sanders' Hall, adjoining League Room. WEAVER & PARKER, Wilson, N. C. April 28, 1910.

OLD HOME COMING WEEK.

Programme Closing Exercises TURLINGTON GRADED SCHOOL

May 16th, 1910, 8:30 P. M. Children's Night.

May 17th, 8:30 P. M. Contest in Declamation and Recitation by Representatives of the Jefferson and the Columbian Literary Societies.

May 18th, 11 A. M. Annual Address by Dr. B. F. Dixon, State Auditor.

8:30 P. M. Exercises by the Graduating Class. Presenting Diplomas, Medals and Prizes, Reading of Honor Roll.

Programme Reunion of Old Students in Assembly Room of TURLINGTON GRADED SCHOOL

Thursday, May 19th, 1910, 11 A. M. Addresses of Welcome by Miss Flossie Abell and Mr. A. M. Noble.

Responses by Miss Myrtle Harper, of Wilson, N. C., and Mr. D. J. Thurston, of Clayton, N. C.

Address by Mr. E. J. Barnes, of Wilson, N. C.

Evening Exercises, 8:30 O'clock Short Addresses by

Mr. J. R. Barbour, of Benson, N. C., and Mr. Henderson Cole, of Wilmington, N. C.

Reading by Miss Mattie Hudson, of Smithfield, N. C.

Address by Mr. E. B. Grantham, of Rocky Mount, N. C.

Programme Reunion of Old Home Comers at Smithfield, N. C. IN THE OPERA HOUSE

Friday, May 20th, 1910, 11 A. M. Prayer by

Rev. J. H. Shore, of Greenville, N. C.

Addresses of Welcome On Part of Town by Mayor Jas. A. Wellons; on Part of County by Hon. E. W. Poin.

Responses by Prof. R. A. Merritt, of Greensboro, N. C., and Rev. Whitley Langston, of Waycross, Ga.

Address by Rev. A. J. McKelway, D. D., of Atlanta, Ga. Subject: Some Changes in North Carolina in Twenty Years.

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