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TOWN AND COUNTY TOPICS.

Miss Emily Smith was in the city Saturday.

Smithfield will have a "Dollar Day" on February 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Sasser spent Sunday with friends in Selma.

Being uncharitable toward others makes one narrow and unhappy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dickens spent Sunday with friends in the country.

Mrs. Estelle Moore, of Dunn, spent Sunday here with Mrs. C. V. Johnson.

Miss Hazel Doles, music teacher in Turlington Graded School, spent Saturday in Raleigh.

Who dug the grave and buried the Smithfield Chamber of Commerce? Or hasn't it died yet?

Miss Blanche Paddison, of Burgaw, N. C., was the guest of Miss Susie Dixon for the week-end.

Miss Daisy Green, of Raleigh, arrived Monday to spend a few days with Miss Cornelia Sanders.

Mr. Bob Smith, of Sampson County, visited relatives and friends in and around the city last week.

Messrs. W. H. Sanders and M. L. Sanders, Mr. Hawkins and Master Reuben, Jr., spent a few hours in Clayton Sunday.

Mr. Hunter Woodall left Sunday for Angier where he will spend some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. H. Woodall.

Representative Rufus Sanders was in town Friday evening on his way to Bentonsville to spend a day or two with the home folks.

Smithfield merchants and business men are planning a "Dollar Day" on February 23. Watch Friday's paper for further particulars.

Mrs. R. N. Aycock left Saturday for Raleigh to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Myatt, and returned to the city Monday afternoon.

Miss Lassie Kelly, who has a position in the Engrossing Clerk's office of the Senate, spent Sunday here with her sister, Miss Elizabeth Kelly.

The merchants of Smithfield are wide-awake these days in the race for business. They have planned a "Dollar Day" for February 23rd.

Mr. R. W. Freeman, District Agent, of Wilson, will be here Wednesday. On that day he and Mr. Lacy John, County Demonstration Agent, will give a demonstration in fruit tree pruning on Mr. Robert A. Sanders' farm in Smithfield township.

The cloudy rainy weather for the past few weeks has had a bad effect on the roads of this county. Only the best sand-clay roads which have been heavily graveled have been able to stand under the conditions prevailing.

Mrs. Flora Hyman, of Richmond, Va., spent Friday night and Saturday in the city with her daughter, Mrs. Lee Sanders. She was accompanied to Goldsboro by Mrs. Sanders and little sons, Alfred, Jr., and Hyman, Saturday afternoon to spend Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Collier.

We learn that the Presbyterian churches of Smithfield and Selma will probably be grouped together and be served by the same preacher at an early date, or as soon as a man for the work can be secured.

Some men are born little, some achieve littleness, some become little by really being little, while others are little because it would be unnatural for them to be any other way.

We had a delightful little visit Saturday afternoon from Supt. M. B. Andrews and Mrs. Andrews and Miss Sasser, of Kenly. Mr. Andrews is the live superintendent of the Kenly State High School.

Last Sunday proved a Red Letter Day in Sunday school attendance in Smithfield. The Methodist Sunday school had an attendance of 211, the Baptist 178, with good attendance at the Presbyterian and Episcopal Sunday schools.

The Presbyterians of this section are going to hold a Laymen's Convention at the Smithfield Presbyterian church next Friday, February 2, beginning at ten o'clock.

Last Thursday afternoon, from three o'clock until five, Mrs. L. E. Watson entertained the Sans Souci Club, in her accustomed cordial manner.

The house was tastefully decorated, the color scheme being green and pink, and the soft light from the shaded electroliers, and the sweet notes of a well selected musical program, lent enchantment to the scene.

The ladies were met in the hall by Miss Bettie Watson, and Mrs. L. E. Watson, with Mrs. Watson, her mother, received in the music-room.

Lanier Fidelis Class.

Miss Pearl Underhill entertained the Lanier Fidelis Class from 8:00 to 11:00, last Friday evening, at her home on Third Street.

Those present were: Misses Helene Ives, Florence Muns, Gradabelle and Roberta Turner, Ola Brady, Lucile Johnson, Pearl and Lelia Underhill; Messrs. John Chapin, Paul Johnson, Howard Stephenson, Dixon Hood, Verney Talton and Lewis F. Adley, of Dunn.

Entertained at Cards.

On Friday afternoon, Mrs. T. C. Evans entertained a few friends at cards, in honor of Miss Linda Hoskins, of Charlotte.

The simple decorations of Narcissus and Galax leaves were most effective, and the game of Auction Bridge was greatly enjoyed.

Scene at the Post Office.

It was about 8:20 and a number of men were standing in the lobby waiting for their morning paper. As soon as the first one was handed out some person standing near, saw the big headlines in red, and thinking that some big news event had happened, snatched the paper from his neighbor's hand, exclaiming "Let's see what has happened."

Rook Tournament.

The U. D. C. will hold a "Rook Tournament" at Sanders Hall Thursday, February 1, 1917, 3:30 to 6:00 P. M. Every one cordially invited.

Johnston County Laymen's Convention.

This convention will be held at the Presbyterian Church in Smithfield next Friday, the second day of February.

Subject: Stewardship of Self, of Service and of Substance.

PROGRAM. Christian Stewardship Defined—Rev. W. C. Brown, of Raeford.

How to Develop—Dr. J. J. Hill, of Red Springs.

God's Measure—Rev. L. T. Wilds, of Cumberland.

The Biblical Motives—Rev. J. J. Murray, of St. Pauls, Robeson County.

The Obstacles—Rev. E. Alexander. Practical Application—Rev. G. E. Moorehouse.

Convention will run from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., with one hour recess at noon.

God's people of all denominations, and especially Sunday School workers, are most cordially invited.

Afternoon Bridge Club.

The last meeting of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club was with Mrs. T. C. Evans, and the occasion was one of unalloyed happiness to all the guests.

The game was played enthusiastically for two hours, and an elegant supper was served.

Besides the regular members of the club, Miss Hoskins, of Charlotte, and Mrs. George R. Pou, of Smithfield, were present.

To Hear Maud Powell.

The announcement that Maud Powell, the great American Violinist, is to be at the Raleigh Auditorium next Tuesday night, is good news to a number of Smithfield folks who are anticipating attending.

Minstrel at Wilson's Mills.

On Friday night, February the second, the boys of the Wilson's Mills High School will give a "Negro Minstrel." Music will be furnished by the Wilson's Mills String Band.

Progressive Rook was played at seven tables, and an elegant supper was served.

Besides the members of the club, many other ladies, to the number of twenty or more, shared Mrs. Watson's hospitality on this delightful occasion.

THE SMITHFIELD MARKET.

Table listing market prices for various goods: Cotton 15 to 17 1/2, Cotton Seed 80, Wool 15 to 22 1/2, Fat cattle 5 to 5 1/2, Eggs 25 to 30, Fat cattle, dressed 10 to 11, Granulated Sugar 8 1/2 to 9, Corn per bushel 1.00 to 1.10, C. R. Sides 17 1/2 to 18, Feed Oats 75 to 80, Fresh Pork 12 1/2, Hams, per pound 17 1/2 to 20, Lard per pound 17 1/2 to 20, Timothy Hay 1.25 to 1.30, Cheese per pound 30, Butter per pound 30 to 35, Meal per sack 2.50 to 2.60, Flour per sack 4.50 to 5.00, Coffee per pound 15 to 20, Cotton seed meal 2.25 to 2.30, Cotton seed hulls 1.00, Hides, green 12 1/2 to 15, Sweet potatoes 65 to 75, Stock peas per bushel 1.50 to 1.60, Black-eye peas 2.25, Soup peas 3.00.

BUSINESS LOCALS

HAVE FOR SALE A YOUNG COW with first calf two weeks old. Price \$50.00. Apply to Hardy Hatcher, Selma, N. C., R. F. D. No. 3.

SEE OUR LINE OF STOVES AND Ranges—we have them from \$10.00 up, with all the ware. Cotter Hardware Company.

CAR LOAD SALT JUST RECEIVED by W. M. Sanders, Smithfield, N. C.

TWO CARS OF TOBACCO BED Guano just received. Austin-Stephenson, Smithfield, N. C.

IF IT IS GARDEN OF FIELD SEED or Flour, or anything in Groceries you want, you can get them from Floyd C. Price at Pine Level.

FOR GRAFONOLAS AND COLUMBIA double disc Records, call at Cotter Underwood Company's.

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SEE STEDMAN STORES COMPANY for Groceries and Feed Stuff, Smithfield, N. C.

200 TONS OF 7 1/2 PER CENT Cotton Seed Meal at \$43.50 per ton—Cash. Austin-Stephenson Co., Smithfield, N. C.

NOW IS AN IDEAL TIME TO paint and we have it—either Lead Oil or ready prepared. Cotter Hardware Company.

TOBACCO CANVAS FOR SALE AT Cotter-Underwood Co., Smithfield, N. C.

FARM MULES FOR SALE—WE have about a dozen farm mules which we are offering at bargains, ranging from \$150.00 to \$250.00 each and cheap at the price. See us before buying. Farmers Mercantile Co., Selma, N. C.

FOR SALE—I HAVE FOR SALE A nice young mule, weighing about 1000 or 1100 pounds, terms to suit. Floyd C. Price, Pine Level, N. C.

IF YOU NEED A GOOD MULE, see Cotter-Underwood Company, Smithfield, N. C.

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SEE OUR WINDOW FILLED WITH 25-cent books. There are many choice titles in the lot. Herald Book Store.

TWO CARS FINE FURNITURE just arrived at Cotter Underwood Company's Store. It will pay you to look before you buy.

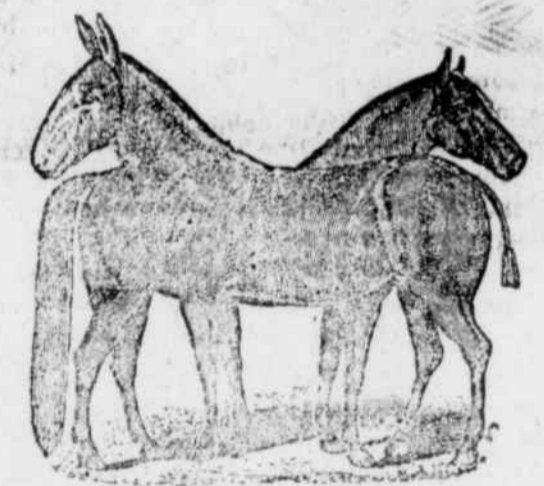
IF YOU HAVE A FARM YOU wish to sell, write Box 123, Smithfield, N. C.

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John Monaghan, deputy sheriff of Cumberland County under four sheriffs, and at one time Chief of Police of Fayetteville, was found dead in bed at his home in Fayetteville Sunday.

W. L. Woodall & Sons Friday Bargain. Just received the Largest Assortment of Children's and Misses Dresses ever shown in Smithfield, all of which goes on sale. BARGAIN FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2ND. 50 to 60-Cent Values 46c, \$1.00 Values 89c, \$1.50 Values \$1.29, \$2.25 Values \$1.79, New Assortment of Waists 89c, All 5c Lace 4c, 36-inch Percales, 15-cent Values 13c. 25 Per Cent off on All Silks. There will be no goods charged at these prices. New Spring Suits and Dresses arriving Daily.

W. L. Woodall & Sons Smithfield, N. C. Shop With Us By Mail Write For Samples We Pay the Postage. Third - Car - Load. My third car load of Nice Mules Received to-day. This is one of the nicest loads of Mules seen in Smithfield. Come to see me when in need of a Mule or Horse.



W. M. SANDERS Smithfield, N. C. We Pay 4 Per Cent. FIRST NATIONAL BANK SMITHFIELD, N. C. Condensed Report of Condition as at Jan. 1, 1917. Resources: Loans and Discounts \$332,159.76, Overdrafts 1,956.31, Banking House and Fixtures 21,000.00, Stock owned in Federal Reserve Bank 2,250.00, Cash on hand and in other Banks 147,447.13, Total \$504,813.20. Liabilities: Capital Stock paid in \$50,000.00, Surplus 25,000.00, Undivided Profits 10,061.42, Dividends Unpaid 2,500.00, Reserved for Interest 5,203.00, Deposits 412,108.78, Bills Payable NONE, Rediscounts NONE, Circulation NONE, Total \$504,813.20. Our Growth: Deposits Jan. 1st, 1915 \$135,090.55, Deposits Jan. 1st, 1916 195,651.79, Deposits Jan. 1st, 1917 412,108.78. T. R. HOOD, President, R. N. AYCOCK, Cashier, L. T. PIERCE, Bookkeeper, N. B. GRANTHAM, Vice-Pres., C. V. JOHNSON, Asst. Cashier, F. O. FITZGERALD, Collector. Resources Over Half a Million Dollars. We Charge 6 Per Cent.

\$1.00 SALE. Any Hat in my Show Room for \$1.00. Any Child's Hat in my Show Room for 50c. Big Lot Hats from 25 to 50c each. Miss Ora V. Poole The Exclusive Millinery Shop Smithfield, N. C.