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NOTE.—All correspondents should remember that we pay no attention to communications without the writer's name.

TOWN AND COUNTY TOPICS.

Mr. Ira Keene spent Sunday in Four Oaks.

Rev. W. D. Pridgen, of Micro, was here yesterday.

Dr. R. S. Stevens, of Raleigh, was in the city Sunday.

Mr. Clyde Pierce, of Micro, spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. J. S. Jones, of Goldsboro, spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. L. A. Smith, of Micro, spent a few hours in the city Saturday.

Messrs. Frank Fitzgerald and Luther Pierce spent Sunday in Micro.

Mrs. O. V. Booker and son, Julian, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Wayne.

Mrs. T. R. Hood has gone to Raleigh to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. R. S. Stevens.

Misses Julia Sanders, Julia Williams and Mr. E. C. Narron made a short trip to Selma Sunday.

Mr. Britton Smith, who is working for the Watkins Company in Brunswick County, spent Monday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Lassiter and Mrs. R. I. Lassiter spent Sunday with Mrs. E. L. Parker in the Spilona section.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vermont attended the reception given by the Selma folks Saturday night to the visiting teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dickeys have moved into one of the residences recently erected by Mr. E. P. Lore in Brooklyn.

Miss Elizabeth Kelly, Mr. J. K. Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ward went to Selma Sunday night to hear Dr. Potat lecture.

The buyer for the Bon Ton left yesterday for the northern markets to buy the stock of ladies only for the Bon Ton, the Ladies Store.

Mr. R. R. Holt, Dr. R. L. Tomlinson and Misses Mary Shaw and Gertrude Parker went to Raleigh Friday afternoon to witness the great film production "Intolerance."

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Woodall, Mr. E. L. Woodall, Mr. Paul Eason and Mr. J. E. Lasley, and Misses Bettie Watson and Virginia Puckett spent Sunday afternoon in Raleigh.

Mr. A. Vermont, Supt. L. T. Royall, Miss Elizabeth Kelly, Mrs. T. J. Lassiter, Misses Madeline Trotter, Irene Myatt and Annie Sue Winborne went to Selma Saturday to attend the Teachers Meeting.

Mr. J. R. Rives, of Lee County, assisted by the county Farm Demonstrator and Home Demonstration Agent, will hold a Farmers' Institute at Pleasant Hill school house this week, February 15th.

Miss Florence Dickson, a member of the faculty of the Benson State High School, spent Saturday and Sunday here with her sister, Miss Susie Dickson, who is teacher of the sixth grade in Turlington Graded School.

The hearing before the joint committee of the House and Senate on the proposed county of Jarvis will be had in the Hall of the House of Representatives next Friday afternoon at two o'clock. Johnston will be well represented.

On another page of this issue we are publishing a complete list of the books in the Town Library. The Library is open every Friday afternoon.

THE PROPOSED JARVIS COUNTY

The Boundaries of the New County the Dunn People Are Working For Showing What It Will Take From Johnston.

Beginning in the Cumberland and Harnett County line at its intersection with Cape Fear River, and running thence eastwardly with the Harnett and Cumberland County line to the Sampson County line; thence southwardly with the Sampson and Cumberland County line, that is to say, with the River called Black or South River, to Graham's bridge; thence a direct line to the junction of Little Cahorie with Caesar's Swamp; thence up Little Cahorie to the bridge at Newsom's Mill; thence a direct line to the ford of the Seven Mile Swamp on the Fayetteville and Goldsboro Road; thence a direct line to the intersection of the Dunn and Newton Grove Road, with the Johnston County line near R. S. Westbrook's residence; thence a direct line to the intersection of the northern boundary line of Banner township in Johnston County with the main line of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad; thence with the said Banner township line westwardly to the Johnston and Harnett County line; thence with the Johnston and Harnett County line in a northwesterly direction to the northeastern corner of Grove township in Harnett County and Johnston County line; thence with the western line of Grove township in Harnett County to the Cape Fear River; thence down said river as it meanders, to the beginning.

Sans Souci Club.

The attractive home of Mrs. A. Vermont was the scene, last Thursday afternoon, of one of the most delightful meetings in the history of the Sans Souci Club.

A large number of ladies were present, besides the club members, among them Mrs. Shaw, of Scotland County, and Miss Parker, of Asheville.

Rook was played at seven tables and a most delicious luncheon was served.

Meeting A Teacher of Years Ago.

The junior editor of The Herald was delighted last week to meet in Smithfield Dr. B. C. Caldwell, of Natchitoches, La., who came here on a tour of inspection of our colored school. Dr. Caldwell is connected with the work of the Southern Education Board as it relates to Negro Education in the South. Twenty-one years ago last April we had the pleasure of attending a teachers institute at Abbeville, La., conducted by Dr. Caldwell. In that same institute was our boyhood school-mate and friend, Mr. John M. Morgan, of Benson. We were highly pleased with the school work of Dr. Caldwell, who was at that time President of the Louisiana State Normal College at Natchitoches. In June of the same year we attended a summer school at Lake Charles, La., also under the leadership of Dr. Caldwell. He made a deep impression on the writer, and as already intimated, it was a great pleasure to meet him again after a lapse of almost twenty-two years.

Since that time Dr. Caldwell has filled many high educational positions and is now engaged in doing what he believes is the greatest work of his life.

Raising Tobacco In Johnston.

Some people talk more than they do. Sometimes men talk about what they are going to do and when the time to do it comes they are absent. They do not show their faith by their works.

Some people are talking about planting tobacco the coming season. Some others who talk about what they are going to do will plant some other crop when the time comes to plant. Not so with the Smithfield tobacco warehousemen. They believe that tobacco is going to be very high another season. And they are going to show their faith by their works. The warehousemen of this town have already planned to plant 235 acres in the golden weed this season. Last year they planted about 100 acres in tobacco. They believe so strongly that the price is going to be high and very high that they are willing to plant all they can cultivate. This shows their faith in the tobacco market for another year.

The Cotter-Underwood Company are planning to entertain their friends at their big department stores this evening from 8 to 10:30 with all kinds of high grade music on their Columbia Electric Grafonola. It is free and the public is invited to attend.

It is now against the law for any newspaper in North Carolina to advertise any "patent medicine" that claims to cure consumption, diabetes, cancer, and other diseases for which no cure has yet been discovered. The law is intended to protect the public against fake medicines.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Miss Marjorie Johnston Entertains.

A number of Smithfield's youngest society set spent a happy afternoon last Friday, at the hospitable home of Mrs. A. S. Johnston, the occasion being the birthday of little Miss Marjorie Johnston, her daughter.

Progressive games were played at several tables, a different game at each table, the score cards being dainty little Dutch girls.

Towards the close of the afternoon, the guests were invited into the dining room, which was lighted by the glow of a number of shaded candelabra. The table was decorated in a unique and tasteful manner, the centerpiece being a miniature lake, on which were swans and sailboats, surrounded by moss-grown rocks and tiny trees. The place cards were little crimson hearts.

A delicious supper was served, after which souvenir baskets of mints were distributed.

Those present were: Misses Rose Grantham, Nellie Grantham, Louise Parrish, Carrie Parrish, Irene Page Stevens, Marie Anderson Stevens, Mary Gattis Holland, Mattie Lassiter, Ava Wellons, Hilda Peedin, Sarah Adams, Arah Hooks, Thelma Medlin, and Fanny Louise Vermont.

Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale at Home.

On Thursday evening from 8 to 10 o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Ragsdale very delightfully entertained the Philathea class of the Baptist Sunday school, at their lovely home on Johnson street.

The hall, sitting room and parlor were beautifully decorated with potted plants and cut flowers, the color scheme being red and green.

Progressive Rook was played at five tables, while the Victrola, in care of Master Hugh Ragsdale, played some beautiful selections.

All the scores made were good, but that of Miss Madeline Trotter and Mr. Hunter Creech were highest. After the game was over, a delicious salad course was served.

Those enjoying the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale were: Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Brooks, Mrs. A. Vermont, Mrs. J. F. Komp, Mrs. D. H. Creech, Mrs. Paul Brown, Mrs. J. R. Keene, Mrs. J. D. Dickens, Misses Madeline Trotter, Lallah Rookh Stephenson, Jessie Phillips, Beulah Turner, Sallie Hooks, Lelia Underhill, Nellie Sanders, Bessie Johnson, Blanche Mizelle, Mary Shaw, Julia Williams, Alma Coats, Julia Sanders, Annie Sue Winborne, and Mr. Hunter Creech.

It was a gracious thing for Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale to remember the class in this way, and their hospitality will ever be remembered by all who attended.

Miss Florence Muns Entertains.

Miss Florence Muns delightfully entertained the Lanier Fidelis Class of the Baptist Sunday School, together with a number of friends, last Friday evening.

The guests were met at the door by the hostess and shown to the parlor. Many interesting games were played, Rook being the main feature, after which delicious refreshments were served. The guests departed promptly at eleven, declaring Miss Muns a charming hostess.

Those present were: Misses Florence Muns, Julia Sanders, Helene Ives, Paul Underhill, Ola Brady, Elizabeth Cotter, Grada Belle Turner, and Bettie Woodall; Messrs. Paul Johnson, Sam Stallings, Kenneth Parrish, Dixon Hood, Verney Peterson, John Chapin, Dwight Johnson, Leon Johnson.

Younger Set Enjoy Lively Week.

For the past week, the younger set of Smithfield have enjoyed quite a number of social events.

The first of the series was an entertainment at the Opera House, given by "The boys" complimentary to the girls of the town. The hall never bore a more festive appearance than at this time, with its banks of ferns and pine and its long rows of tables, arranged for games. Musical selections, presents, and dancing were enjoyed by all present and each and every one of the guests voted "the boys" the most excellent of hosts. At a late hour refreshments consisting of oysters, sandwiches, pickles and coffee were served to the guests, after which they took their departure. Those present were Misses Bettie Watson, Irene Myatt, Lalla Rookh Stephenson, Blanche Bailey, Corabelle Ives, Virginia Puckett, Retta Martin, Helene Sandler, Margaret Muns, Helen Wallace, Eva Bain, Mabel Wellons, Florence Muns, Annette Lawrence, Julia Sanders, Julia Williams, Margaret Moore, Jessie Phillips and Nellie Sanders; and Messrs. Edward Woodall, Paul Eason, De Shaw Parker, Hunter

Creech, Fitz Dickerson, William Wellons, Clifton Beasley, D. W. Parrish, Alger Byrd, John White, Ives, Kenneth Parrish, Dixon Wallace, Leslie Bailey, Graham Smith, Joe Johnson, E. C. Narron, Ryal and Hunter Woodall and Ed. Abell.

Miss Helene Sadler was hostess to the Delta Gamma Sigma Girls, on Wednesday evening from 8 until 11. The girls brought their work and for some time the needles were energetically plied. After a short business meeting a delicious salad course was served by Mrs. R. N. Holt and Miss Sandler.

On Friday evening the Delta Gamma Sigma Girls entertained at a masked party, at the home of Miss Irene Myatt, in honor of the boys of the town. Long before the day arrived, excitement ran high, and most especially when these invitations:

"If you like jollity
Fun and frivolity
Come then and play with me,
Below is the day 'twill be;
Further more each man and maid,
This is a masquerade!"

were eagerly read by those who were invited. So, after a week of expectation and wondering, Misses Ava Myatt and Annie Peacock, greeted at the home of Mrs. Myatt, everybody and anybody, from "The Cream of Wheat Cook," to "The Hero of the Wild West." After being served delicious punch by Mrs. Ed. F. Ward, in the lovely decorated hall, the masked crowd were ushered into the dimly lighted parlor where, from the Chinese Maid and Gale Henry to the Gypsy and Red Cross nurse, waited to receive them. And then came the fun of guessing the names of the masked and pulling off the masks. Then the games such as: Sweeter Roses, Shooting at hearts, stringing puffed rice, all kinds of contests—and lastly dancing, were entered into with much pleasure. To see all these gaily dressed people, wandering from room to room, amid decorations of spruce pine, long leaf pine, potted plants, dangling chains of hearts and soft lights, was indeed a lovely sight to the onlookers. But lovelier still was the dining hall, where on a long table banked with spruce pine, hearts and candles, covers were laid for twenty-four. Between the three courses of dinner, the lights were dimmed, and "the eyes of the Princess Azele," "the hand of the Indian Warrior," etc., were passed stealthily underneath the table.

At a late hour, the guests with many congratulations for Miss Myatt and the D. G. S. Girls, all took their leave after one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

Those present were: Misses Bettie Watson, Virginia Puckett, Irene Myatt, Lalla Rookh Stephenson, Corabelle Ives, Retta Martin, Blanche Bailey, Helene Sadler, Margaret Muns, Helen Wallace, Annie Peacock, Ava Myatt, Mrs. E. F. Ward and Messrs. Ralph Canaday, Ed. Woodall, Percy Youngblood, De Shaw Parker, Fitz Dickerson, Frank Davis, Walter Rand, Hunter Creech, Walter Parrish, Paul Eason, Luther Pierce, Alger Byrd and Clifton Beasley.

X. A. K.

Bridge Club Entertained.

Mrs. S. T. Honeycutt was hostess to the Friday Afternoon Bridge Club last week, and in spite of the stormy weather a large number of the members gathered together in her hospitable home.

The hostess, assisted by Miss Mildred Sanders, served an elegant luncheon with hot tea, after which the ladies, for two hours, played Bridge happily and quietly.

Miss Linda Hopkins, of Charlotte, was Mrs. Honeycutt's guest on this pleasant occasion, and Mrs. George R. Pou was unanimously elected a member of the club.

Mrs. Samuel Sipe, 104, friend of Molly Pitcher, of revolutionary fame, died at Carlisle, Pa., last week.

THE SMITHFIELD MARKET.

Table with market prices for Cotton, Cotton Seed, Wool, Fat cattle, Eggs, Fat cattle, dressed, Granulated Sugar, Corn per bushel, C. R. Sides, Feed Oats, Fresh Pork, Hams, per pound, Lard per pound, Timothy Hay, Cheese per pound, Butter per pound, Meal per sack, Flour per sack, Coffee per pound, Cotton seed meal, Cotton seed hulls, Hides, green, Sweet potatoes, Stock pears per bushel, Black-eye peas, Soup peas.

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