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### TOWN AND COUNTY TOPICS.

Mr. Bailey Williamson, of Knightdale, was in the city Sunday afternoon.

Dr. Farquard Smith, of Dunn, is in the city, the guest of Mrs. W. M. Sanders.

Mr. J. E. Atkinson, of Beulah township, was here yesterday and gave The Herald office a call.

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\* \* \* Miss Margaret Lee Austin went to Richmond Saturday to visit her mother who is still in that city.

. . .

Miss Sarah Sanders, a student of Peace Institute, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Sanders ...

Miss Ruth Jones who has been teaching the school near Corinth church, is at home for the vacation. \* \* \*

Mrs. Sam Spence, who has been spending several days here with Mrs. C. R. Turner, has returned to her home in Kinston.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Woodall spent Sunday in Burlington with relatives. Mrs. N. T. Holland and little Mary Gattis Holland accompanied them.

\* \* \* Mr. and Mrs. James Pou, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bailey, of Raleigh, spent a few hours in the city Sunday afternoon with relatives and friends.

\* \* \* The matter on page eight of this issue of The Herald was all contributed by the members of the Ninth Grade of Turlington Graded School.

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The Student Body at U. N. C. Has Great Coming Together of the Peo-Elected Him President of the University Athletic Association.

A. M. COATES AGAIN HONORED.

(By J. L. Stuckey.) Chapel Hill, April 30 .- Albert M. Coates was elected president of the Athletic Association of the Univer-

tion is the only organization in col- and patriotism. Patriotism can be people of the township and county lege of which every student is a expressed in a number of ways. Have could read the bill and familiarize

body, and Mr. Coates received prac- Johnston County are going to have a ly vote on the question.

\$50,000 annually.

round men of the Junior Class.

contests have been called off, which will prevent Mr. Coates having another chance in the contest this year.

### Kirby-Creech.

that the Association handles about tain you, instruct you, and leave money to the counties and townships

tion is composed of the ten best all- patriotism in Old Johnston County and townships.

that time both the group and national whether or not you are.

certain day notify them and ask each township.

them much happiness. Pleasant Grove Fair Officers.

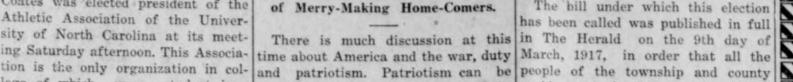
More About the Road Bond Issue.

THE SMITHFIELD MERALD

BIG HOME COMING WEEK.

of Merry-Making Home-Comers.

There seems to be some misunderple of Johnston County to Be Char- standing in Smithfield township as acterized as Patriotic Week. Elo- to the proposed Good Roads bond isquent Address by An Ex-Governor sue, and I agree that there is excuse of Nebraska, Intermingled With for this, as the matter has not been Music and the Chatter of the Hosts generally discussed.



member. The president of the Associ- you stopped to think as to whether or themselves with the provisions of the ation is elected by the whole student not you are patriotic? Smithfield and bill in order to be able to intelligenttically a unanimous vote. The presi- big Home-Coming Week beginning on This bill was worked out and indency of the Athletic Association is June the 10th and lasting for five troduced by Representative Clark the highest gift in the power of the days. One of the big features of this and is considered one of the most whole student body. Mr. Coates is Home-Coming Week will be a Patri- constructive pieces of legislation enthe first Junior ever elcted to the otic Day. Ex-Governor Shallenberger, acted by the last General Assembly. position, which speaks well for him. of Nebraska, will be the principal This bill provides that the State Some idea of the importance of the speaker of the day. He is a speaker shall semi-annually sell \$400,000 four office can be seen when one learns of note. He will enthuse you, enter- (4) per cent bonds and lend that

something with you that will be help- of North Carolina at five (5) per cent, Mr. Coates has been elected to and ful through life. The day will be fill- for forty-one years, and this would was initiated into the Golden Fleece ed with patriotic displays of differ- automatically pay off the bonds for last Saturday night. This organiza- ent kinds. We intend to stir up the money loaned to the various counties

and see whether or not we are wide- In Smithfield township we have a On the 20th of April in Greensboro, a-wake or just slumbering. Are you levy for roads of 25 cents on \$100 Mr. Coates won the State prize in patriotic? Come to Smithfield for worth of property and 75 cents on the Peace Oratorical Contest. Since this great patriotic day and see poll, and collect in round numbers \$6,800 annually. We can take from

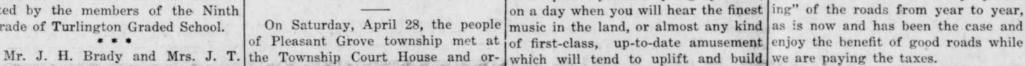
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Raleigh, N. C.

You mothers ask your boys to come this \$2,500 annually to pay the 5 per home and meet all the folks in Smith- cent interest on the \$50,000 proposed field during this week. Why not plan bonds for Smithfield township and to have a family reunion. If you want then have \$4,300 left to put in buildto have all your family here on a ing and keeping up the roads of this

On Sunday, April 22nd, Mr. P. H. one to bring a big basket and make a We will always have the levy of Kirby and Miss Carletta Creech were memorable day out of it. If you want 25 cents and 75 cents for roads in married by Justice of the Peace N. G. a nice place to spread your dinner Smithfield township, in my opinion. Wiggs, near Pine Level. After the just notify the President of the Com- It looks it would be a pity to not marriage Mr. Kirby brought the munity Chatauqua and he will ar- take advantage of the provisions of bride back to Smithfield where she range it for you. Summer time is this bill and vote the proposed \$50,resumed her work in the telephone coming on and everything will be full 000 of bonds in the election next resumed her work in the telephone coming on and everything will be full 000 of bonds in the election next office which she carried along unil and fresh with life and promise dur-yesterday when Mr. Kirby came and ing the second week in June. It will probably build all the 80 miles of yesterday when Mr. Kirby came and ing the second week in June. It will probably build all the 80 miles of took her to his home near Selma. be the time when you will enjoy be- road in this township, and as a large It seemed to have been their plan ing with friends, relatives and loved part of the roads of the township to keep the marriage a secret until ones. This will be a Johnston County have already been prepared, graded about May first, when Miss Creech week. You folks in Johnston County and considerable already gravelled was expected to leave the telephone help to make it a big one. Come and and in good condition. If this should office, but some one from the neigh- meet your friends from all over the prove insufficient to build all the borhood where the marriage took County. A special effort will be made roads, there could be another elecplace let the news get over to Smith- to have every possible man or woman, tion called and more bonds issued, field. Mr. Kirby is a son of Mr. C. F. boy or girl, formerly from Old John- as Smithfield township could vote Kirby and will live near Selma. His ston to come back home for just this \$75,000 and still have left out of wife is well known here, having been week. You can select almost any kind present taxes collected \$3,050 for upin the Smithfield telephone office for of a day for amusement which you keep of the roads in this township a year or two. Their friends wish may desire. You can meet here on a and yet the present rate of taxes for day when there will be a big patriotic roads would not be increased. Then display, or on a day when there will why not get this \$50,000 and build be eloquent speeches by big speakers, good roads instead of merely "patch-



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Gurley attended the Union Meeting ganized for the Township Fair to be up a community. Make ready and join I have no interest whatever in this at Creech's church, about eighteen held on October the 11th. The fol- the crowd! All together! folks of Old matter except that interest that every miles from here, Saturday and Sunday. \* \* \*

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Johnson, with children, Misses Lily, Susie and Margaret, went on Tuesday last to a reunion at Mr. Josephus Johnson's home in Elevation township.

\* \* \* Mr. D. H. Stancil and son, Wade C. Stancil, of Garner, accompanied by in the way of a Fair than it did last Miss Lula Stancil, passed through the city Sunday en route to Elevation township to visit relatives. Messrs. J. C. and M. L. Stancil accompanied them to Elevation.

\* \* Mr. O. P. Dickerson, Mr. E. S. Sanders and Edwin Sanders, Jr., motored to Goldsboro Sunday to visit the soldier boys in camp. They were Song of The Johnston County Rifle accompanied home by Mr. George Sanders who will spend a few days with his father in the city. . . .

Several of the young men of the town visited Raleigh yesterday. Some (By Lawrence C. Longstreet, retired offered their services to the government and among the number was one In the land of German-ee of Smithfield's young attorneys, Mr. Far away; across the sea, Robert A. Wellons. He will soon go Where the Kraut is getting scarcer to Fort Oglethorpe and spend some time in training.

the Eastern district of North Caro-

agent here. Mr. Freeman is urging the planting of all food and feed Brush the cotton from your clothes,

after the seed that we will need next fall.

...

ton, D. C., were here for a short time a place that has about one or two acres in the plat. We hope that these experiments will prove successful as this grass is one of our bad pests.

### Rather Lonesome New.

been seen on the streets and front No visitors allowed. flower yards. No longer do autos have to dodge them.

lowing officers were elected:

G. Willie Lee, President. Victor Penny, Vice President. J. C. Langdon, Secretary-Treasurer. These three are among the most progressive young men in the township. With the enthusiasm and back-

give us as great or greater surprise offerings. year. There is more real good in one of

these Community Fairs as far as the people are concerned than there is in any other Fair .-- L. J.

THE "CAN" SONG.

Association, "The Smithfield Home Guard."

Tune: Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, the Boys are Marching. officer U. S. A.)

every day.

### Then there is a submarine,

Mr. R. W. Freeman, of Wilson, the Then there is a war machine, district demonstration agent for If the can; they'll hit us in their fall.

lina, spent Monday with the county So! It's up, up, Tar Heels; let's be doing,

crops that can be taken care of. He Plant your corn in long straight rows; also suggested that we begin to look Then clean up your gun and drill; you may be called!

### El Envoi:

Mr. H. R. Cates and Mr. Albert We have lots of Starry Flags: A. Hansen, from the United States We have lots of good old "Krags"; Department of Agriculture, Washing- That we carried just a few short years ago. yesterday looking for suitable place We've enough to shoulder hoes, to put in some experiments on the For to feed the man who goes, eradication of nut grass. They want Throw your head up boys, and just do all you can.

Notice Home Guard.

The drill of The Home Guard has been postponed from Tuesday night at 7:30 until Wednesday night at 7:30,

The streets of Smithfield in one at which time Lawrence C. Long-

GEORGE ROSS POU, Captain.

Johnston, and let's make a big week good citizen should have in building F. H. C. of it! Fishing Days Are Here.

These past few days have made thorough campaign for the issue. some of our sportsmen feel like real have not and do not expect any ating of all the people in the township fishing time was here. However, the torney fee or any reward except the we can look for Pleasant Grove to market is not yet overrun with their consciousness of knowing that I have

Medical Officers Reserve Corps.

The doctors of the State are being called on to do their part toward getting ready for the war. Meetings have been in various centers and the Physicians, many of them, have joined the Medical Officers Reserve Corps. Dr. Thel Hooks, of Smithfield, and Dr. George D. Vick, of Selma, have Cotton Seed ...... 85 to 90 been appointed President and Secre-Reserve Corps, and the physicians of Fat cattle, dressed ...... 10 to 12 this county who desire to enroll can Granulated Sugar ...... 9 to 10 send their names to either, Dr. Hooks Corn per bushel..... 1.65 to 1.75 or Dr. Vick.

### Look Out for the Flies.

busy with a swatter there will be Cheese per pound ..... millions of the pesky creeturs before the coming of dog days.

Hens at Some Price Now.

Six hens for \$7.77 is some price for hens, but that's what they brought in Benson last week, according to the Benson Review.

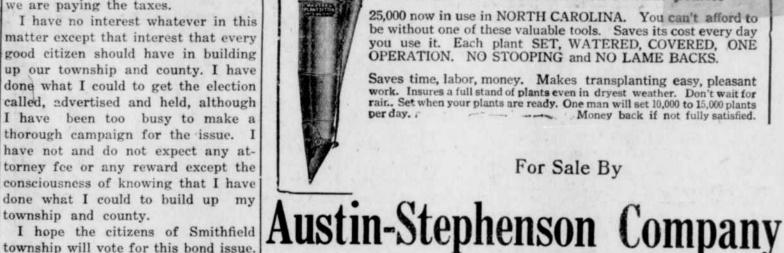
### Enlisted in the Navy.

Since April 1, 1917, the following young men have enlisted in the navy from Johnston County: William E. Driver, of Selma, and Walter Caudle, of Benson. The call of the navy for an only 70 had been accepted from this \$1.25 books going at 50 cents: State.

WORLD ALMANAC FOR 1917.

We have on hand a few copies of the New York World Almanac for particular have had a lonesome ap- street, ex-United States Officer and 1917. It is a paper bound book of pearance for some days now. Since Drill master, will drill the boys. All nearly 1000 pages, filled with valuable the chicken ordinance went into ef- member are urged to be present at and interesting information. Price 35 fect on April 16th no chickens have The Banner Warehouse at 7:30 sharp. cents. Get a copy and see how many things worth while you may learn.

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I hope the citizens of Smithfield township will vote for this bond issue. Very respectfully,

F. H. BROOKS. April 30, 1917.

THE SMITHFIELD MARKET. Cotton ..... 17½ to 20 Wool ..... 15 to 221/2 C. R. Sides ..... 21 to 22 Feed oats ..... 90 to 95 Fresh Pork ..... 12½ to 14 Feed oats ..... 90 to 95 These past few days have been fine Hams, per pound...... 20 to 22 Lard per pound...... 20 to 24 Butter per pound ..... 80 to 35 Meal per sack ..... 4.00 to 4.25 Flour per sack ..... 7.00 to 7.25 Coffee per pound ......15 to 20 Cotton seed meal ..... 2.25 to 2.30 Cotton seed hulls ..... 1.00 Ship Stuff ..... 2.60 to 2.75 Molasses Feed ..... 2.60 to 2.75 Hides, green ..... 12¼ to 15 Sweet potatoes ..... 75 to 80 Stock peas per bushel..... 2.00 Black-eye peas ..... 2.25 Beef Pulp ..... 2.50 3.00 Soup peas .....

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We have on hand a few books of increase of 30,000, allots to North great value which we are pricing down Carolina about 400. Up to April 24th very low. Here are some \$1.00 and Rienzi: The Last of The Trib-

unes, by Bulwer Lytton. A story of Rome of the 14th Cenury. A book worth reading. 438

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