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### PERSONAL AND LOCAL.

Mr. H. C. Woodall went to Goldsboro Monday.

Miss Nancy Rand is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Cotter.

Dr. J. B. Person, of Selma, was a visitor to Smithfield yesterday.

Mr. Troy Myatt spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mary B. Myatt.

Mr. J. C. Collier, of Goldsboro, was in the city Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Pool, of Lumberton, are here on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. C. E. Bingham and son, James, have returned from a visit to relatives at Wendell.

Dr. Thel Hooks and family spent Sunday in Goldsboro and Fremont with relatives.

Mrs. N. B. Grantham and children returned Sunday from a visit to relatives in Raleigh.

Mrs. S. A. Cotton and children have returned from a short visit to her mother's near Tarboro.

Master Borden Hooks, of Goldsboro, is spending some time here with Master Thel Hooks, Jr.

Let the men of Smithfield show their patriotism by being at the Court House tonight at eight o'clock.

Miss Emma Wellons returned from Richmond Saturday where she has been at St. Luke's Hospital for treatment.

Messrs Edith and Ethel Lineback, of Mount Airy, N. C., spent last week here visiting their aunt, Mrs. E. F. Crump.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Walton returned to Raleigh Saturday, after a short stay in the city with Mrs. W. H. Sanders.

Mrs. W. M. Richardson and children, of Orangeburg, S. C., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gordon.

Mrs. Bertha McNeill and Master Carl Wilson, of Dunn, have been spending a few days here with Mrs. J. E. Mahler.

Mrs. B. B. Adams, of Four Oaks, was in the city Monday afternoon attending the organization of the Red Cross Chapter.

Mr. G. C. Langdon, of Coats, Harnett County, was here yesterday and had his name enrolled as a subscriber to The Herald.

Mrs. M. L. Sanders and little son, Reuben, Jr., left Tuesday morning for Norfolk, after a two weeks' visit with Mr. R. A. Sanders.

Miss Ruth Jones returned home Sunday afternoon from a short stay with her sister, Mrs. Rufus Creech, in the Stevens Chapel section.

Messrs. Jess Ellington, Eustace Yelvington and Edward Booker, of the Polenta section, were in the city Sunday evening with friends.

Mr. Herschell V. Rose, of Bentonsville, was in town yesterday. He has been selected to represent his township in Uncle Sam's new army.

Quite a number of people were in town yesterday, many of them being here to present their exemption claims to the local exemption board.

Lightning struck a barn belonging to Mr. Alex Eason, of Boon Hill township last week and after tearing up the roof slightly, killed a fine horse for him.

The Mayor has called a mass meeting of the citizens of the town to be held in the court house tonight. It is of the greatest importance. Let every man attend.

Mrs. W. H. Sanders and Miss Corinna Sanders spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. Robert A. Sanders and family in the Elizabeth church section.

When the men who gather at the court house tonight get through with the business that calls them together, would it not be a wise move to reorganize our Chamber of Commerce?

Miss Ava Myatt returned Thursday from New York City where she has been taking a course in Home Economics and Domestic Science in the famous Columbia University.

Miss Elizabeth Kelly of the State Department of Education at Raleigh, spent yesterday here, having come down to visit friends and consult with Supt. Royall about some educational matters.

Quite a number of ladies from Benson were in the city Monday afternoon to be present at the Red Cross Society, Mrs. Royall, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Whittenton and Mrs. Jackson being among those present.

Mr. W. H. Heisleman who recently went to Brooklyn, N. Y., with the expectation of being called before the exemption board of that city, has returned and is back on his job with the R. G. Lassiter Company.

The mass meeting of the citizens called by the mayor to be held in the court house tonight to consider plans for the patriotic rally next Monday is an important one, and it is hoped every man in the town and community who can possibly attend will be present.

Miss Nell Pickens, home demonstration agent for Johnston County, spent most of last week in Raleigh, looking after the work of the girls who were attending the short course at the A. & E. College. She came home Saturday, accompanied by Miss Rankin, home demonstration agent for Mecklenburg County. They both returned to Raleigh yesterday to attend the State Farmers Convention where they will take part in the work for the farm women of the State.

### For Service on Submarine Destroyer.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Pou and Mr. James H. Pou, Jr., of Raleigh, visited Mr. Pou's mother, Mrs. Anna M. Pou, Sunday. Mr. James Pou, Jr., enlisted in the Navy as soon as a state of war was declared. He has received orders to report for duty upon a submarine destroyer in the Brooklyn Navy Yard September 1st. He will leave for his post tomorrow and came down Sunday to bid his grandmother goodbye.

### Fodder Pullers in Demand.

Mr. Richard A. Howell, of Bentonville, Route One, was in to see us Saturday and said that fodder pullers were much in demand in his community. He said that at least 75 people had called on him in the last few days to help them pull fodder. He was unable to help them because he had his own fodder to save.

### Sudden Death in Smithfield.

Sunday evening about eight o'clock, while sitting on her porch on Second street, Mrs. Sue Eason Parker suddenly passed away. She had been in poor health for a long time and while her death came as a shock to her family and friends, it was not altogether unexpected.

Mrs. Parker ate supper as usual and after supper went out on the front porch where she sat and talked with her daughter, Mrs. Davie, and Mrs. E. G. Smith. After awhile she ceased talking, and noting how quiet she had become, her daughter called her and not getting an answer, suspected that death had come, and called in some of the neighbors who saw that she was dead.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at four o'clock from the home conducted by her pastor, Rev. S. A. Cotton, after which the remains were taken to the new Oakland Cemetery and laid to rest. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. T. R. Hood, S. C. Turnage, T. C. Jordan, N. B. Grantham, F. H. Brooks, and J. D. Spiers.

Mrs. Parker was the last of a large family of nine who lived to be grown to pass away. She was 66 years, seven months and one week old. She leaves one child, Mrs. Clida Davie, and two grand-children, Misses Floy and Thelma McCauley. She was a sister of the late Chas. L. Eason.

She joined the Methodist church when a young girl and had lived a faithful member since. She was a good woman loved by all those who knew her. Her work on earth is over and she has gone to receive the reward of the faithful.

Among those of her relatives who were here to attend the funeral were Mr. C. W. Eason, of Princeton; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee, and others of Southern Johnston.

### MASS MEETING TO-NIGHT.

In order that we may make suitable plans for a great patriotic rally in Smithfield next Monday and do honor to the young men who are soon to be called to the colors in accordance with the proclamation of the Governor, I hereby call a mass meeting of the citizens of Smithfield to be held in the Court House to-night at eight o'clock. Every citizen of the town and community is earnestly urged to attend this meeting. Let's show our interest in our boys who are to go into the army by being present. This is a time when every man has a part.

H. L. SKINNER, Mayor.  
Smithfield, August 28th.

Mr. R. E. Thomas, of Ingrams township, was here last week with 450 pounds of tobacco to sell. This was a part of his 1917 crop from four acres. He had before this sold one thousand and twenty dollars worth from this four acres.

### Union Patriotic Service.

Tentative plans are under consideration for a general patriotic service on next Sunday night at which all the congregations of the town will unite as suggested by Governor Bockett.

### The Negroes Are Faithful.

Yesterday a young negro man, hardly more than a boy, was in Smithfield, having come all the way from Philadelphia to present himself for examination before the local exemption board No. 1. His name is Butler Merritt. He is a boot black. His name was printed in The Herald last Tuesday as one who was called to come before the Board last Friday. He did not receive his notification but some of his folks or his friends saw his name in the paper and sent him word. As soon as he received it he hastened to Coatsville, Pa., to get money enough to come home on and hastened here. He was faithful in coming and should he be called to serve in the army it is believed that he will do the best he can.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Liles, of Rocky Mount, arrived yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gordon.

### Tobacco Prices High.

The past few days has witnessed a large lot of tobacco on the market. Prices are ruling high. There were good breaks here yesterday. Farmers are coming here from far and near attracted by the high prices. The prospects for good breaks today are good as we go to press. Averages of 30 cents a pound are being made daily.

The Johnston County Council of Defense is back of the plans for a big patriotic rally at Smithfield next Monday.

### KITCHEN PARTY.

Benefit of the Red Cross.

There will be a "Kitchen Party" given at some convenient place (to be announced later) for the benefit of the Red Cross, on next Friday afternoon, beginning at 4 p. m. Refreshments free. Premium given to each person present. Admission 10 cents.

### Vocal Union.

The singing school which is being taught at Johnston Union church, four miles northwest of Smithfield, will come to a close second Sunday in September, 1917. All classes are invited to come and sing with us.

There will be a prize of one dollar given for the best quartet from our class. The singing will commence about 10:00 o'clock.

Everybody cordially invited. Come one, come all.

J. M. JONES, Writer.  
C. B. THOMAS, Teacher.

### Death of Mrs. Elisha Wallace.

Mrs. Lou Wallace, wife of Mr. Elisha Wallace, died at the home of her son, Mr. C. W. Wallace, at the Smithfield Cotton Mill, Sunday afternoon after several months illness. She had been a sufferer with consumption for a long time and the end was not unexpected. The remains were taken to the family burying ground six miles west of Smithfield yesterday afternoon where the interment was made. Before her marriage she was Miss Lou Ormond, of Greene County. When a young woman she united with the Methodist church and had lived a good and upright life. She was a good neighbor as long as she was able to help those about her and will be greatly missed in her community. She was sixty years or more of age. She leaves a husband and one son, Mr. Charlie W. Wallace.

### THE SMITHFIELD MARKET.

Cotton	22
Cotton seed	1.00
Wool	20 to 30
Fat Cattle	5 to 6 1/2
Eggs	25 to 30
Fat cattle, dressed	11 to 12 1/2
Granulated Sugar	10 to 10 1/2
Corn per bushel	2.00
C. R. Sides	26 to 27 1/2
Feed Oats	1.00 to 1.10
Fresh Pork	12 1/2 to 15
Hams, per pound	27 to 29
Lard	22 1/2 to 27 1/2
Timothy Hay	1.40 to 1.50
Cheese per pound	35
Butter per pound	30 to 35
Meal	4.75 to 5.00
Flour per sack	6.00 to 6.25
Coffee per pound	15 to 20
Cotton seed meal	2.25 to 2.50
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A. L. FAULKNER,  
Williamston, N. C.

### NOTICE.

My son, Harvey M. Lee, aged 16 years, left my home on August 19th, 1917, without my consent. This is to warn all persons against hiring him, feeding him, clothing him, making trades or contracts with him, or giving him aid in any way.

IRA LEE, SR.  
Four Oaks, N. C., Route No. 3.  
August 27, 1917.

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