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THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

The address of President Wilson before the United States Congress Tuesday stating the war aims of the American people is such a clear and concise statement that no one can mistake its meaning.

"We have spoken now, surely, in terms too concrete to admit of any further doubt or question. An evident principle runs through the whole program I have outlined. It is the principle of justice to all peoples and nationalities and their right to live on equal terms of liberty and safety with one another, whether they be strong or weak.

SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT PASSES

The leaders of Woman Suffrage are rejoicing over the victory scored in the House at Washington yesterday. The vote was 274 to 136. The measure had to have a two-thirds majority and so close was the vote that a change of one affirmative vote to the negative would have defeated the Suffrage Resolution.

Messrs. Small, Kitchin, Pou, Stedman, Godwin, Doughton, Robinson and Webb voted against the Suffrage Amendment. Mr. Weaver voted for it and Mr. Hood did not vote.

Two days ago defeat stared the measure in the face, but the appeal to President Wilson to throw his influence on the side of the women was successful and this saved the day.

Of the 435 members of the House, 410 members voted. The vote stood: For the Resolution, Democrats 104, Republicans 165, Miscellaneous 5. Total 274. Against the Resolution, Democrats 102, Republicans 33, Progressives 1. Total 136.

This Resolution now goes to the Senate and the leaders of the movement will make a tremendous effort to have a vote on it during the present session.

Use the Word "Moment."

In some sections of the country almost everybody uses the word "moment." In this section hardly anybody uses it. Here, if one is getting his hat from the rack to go off on a trip with some one else it will be said: "I will be ready in a minute," when it is going to take only a few seconds to get ready.

AT THE CAPITAL OF BANNER.

Death of Mr. John Allen Moore, Age 65. Other Deaths Below Benson. School Opened Wednesday. Two Big Pigs Slaughtered. Many Items of Personal Interest.

Benson, N. C., Jan. 10.—Mr. W. D. Boon was a Lillington visitor Wednesday attending Superior Court which is in session there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Woodall returned Tuesday night from Richmond where they went for their son Isham Woodall who has been in Grace Hospital for several weeks. Isham returned with them much improved.

Miss Leona Martin of Yadkin County is visiting at the home of her brother, Dr. J. F. Martin for the past few days.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Turlington which has been sick for the past week with pneumonia is improving.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carson Clifton Tuesday of this week.

Messrs. Ezra Parker and R. T. Surles were in Lillington Tuesday on business matters.

Messrs. Loyd Parrish, William Parrish and David Barbour, of Elevation township, were Benson visitors yesterday.

Mr. Roy Smith was in Smithfield Tuesday for a few hours on business matters.

The school opened here again Wednesday after having suspended for the holidays and rough weather. The teachers have all returned for the Spring term except Miss May Belle Cobb, and Mrs. W. O. Rackley is substituting for her till her return.

Miss Oneita Crocker, of Dunn, recently visited friends here for a few days returning to her home yesterday.

Mr. L. E. Reaves, of Raeford, is spending a few days in town with his sister, Mrs. Nathan McLamb.

Judge F. H. Brooks, of Smithfield, was a visitor to Benson Wednesday on business matters.

Miss Florence Adams, of Four Oaks, was a visitor to Benson Sunday spending the day with Miss Mildred Parrish.

Mr. J. H. Boushall, of Raleigh, was in the city Tuesday for a short while on legal matters.

Mr. J. R. Williams, of Clayton, was here yesterday on legal matters.

Mrs. Estelle Bain, of Raleigh, has accepted a position with Parrish-Goddin Company as stenographer.

Mr. F. A. Woodard, of Wilson, was in the city for a few hours the first of the week.

Mr. E. R. Canady went to Raleigh yesterday returning home this morning.

Mr. R. U. Barbour is in Fayetteville today on business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Britt were in Raleigh yesterday returning home this morning.

Miss Dora Barbour who has been book-keeper for Chas. Johnson & Bro. for the past six years has accepted a position as stenographer for the Farmers Commercial Bank.

Mr. V. E. Towels who has been North on Road Construction work for the past several months was in the city yesterday for a short while.

Mr. Gaston Parrish, of Elevation, killed a pig which weighed 540 pounds last week. Mr. R. L. Langdon who lives near Benson killed one also last week that weighed 676.

Mr. John Allen Moore, father of our townsman J. Willie Moore, died at his home in Duke last Thursday and was buried Friday at Hodges Chapel near here. Mr. Moore was about 65 years old and was an upright industrious man. He has been in bad health for several months and his death was not unexpected.

He leaves a wife and several children, three of his sons being in the service of the United States at this time, in the army.

Mr. George Holley died at his home a few miles below here Tuesday and was buried Wednesday. He was about 60 years of age and had been in bad health for some time. Pneumonia was the direct cause of his death.

Mr. Tom McLamb a veteran of the Civil War died the first of the week at his home a few miles below Benson and was buried Tuesday afternoon. He left a wife and several children surviving him. His death was the result of a wound he received in the war, which produced a cancer.

Messrs. Tim and James Eldridge, of Rocky Mount, passed through here the first of the week on the way from their old home near the Sampson county line where they had been to the burial and funeral of their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Eldridge, who died Sunday and was buried Monday at the old Eldridge homestead.

Mrs. R. T. Surles and little daughter, Katie Gold, left this morning for Goldsboro, N. C., where she will visit friends for a few days.

Meeting of Farmers Union.

Smithfield Local No. 1600 will meet in regular session in the Court House Saturday, January 19th, at 2.30 P. M. All who wish to connect themselves with this Local, please be present. W. C. Harper, Secretary.

SOME SCHOOL NOTES.

By Supt. L. T. Royall.

COUNTY EDUCATORS IN JANUARY CONFERENCE.

The Board of Education met in regular session at the office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction Monday. A special petition from Ingram No. 6 asking for an election of 25 cents on \$100 valuation of property, and 75 cents on the poll was granted.

The Board decided to purchase a chart, "It Pays to Stay in School," and place in every school in the County.

A moving picture machine, which belongs to the State, was made arrangements for by the Board. Ten community centers will be selected. Each district, where it is to operate, must become responsible to the County Board of Education for \$100, which is two-thirds of the cost of running same. Two entertainments will be given each month, for a period of six months—making the cost a little more than \$8 per night.

An admission can be charged, and it is hoped by this means to cover all expenses. A new set of select pictures will be used at each entertainment. This will be a fine thing for the community where it is to be used. Already applications have come in from several places for this machine. It is the desire of the Board that this entertainment be given at places in different parts of the County, instead of any one township.

A Community League will be organized in each place where the machine is used, and the operator of the picture machine will have charge of the organization work.

Each program will consist of not less than six reels and will consume not less than one and a half hours time.

The Board apportioned the school funds as follows:

For white teachers' salaries, \$30,990.00.

For colored teachers' salaries, \$6,020.00.

No other issues of importance were dealt with at this meeting and the Board adjourned.

Below is given the plans and dates of the Group Meetings.

Archer Lodge, January 15th. Royall (Boon Hill), January 30th. Meadow, January 31st.

New Hope, January 18th. Pine Level, January 22nd. Polenta, January 23rd. Thanksgiving, January 24th.

Glendale, January 17th. Royal (Elevation), January 16th.

The Superintendent insists on all the teachers being present at one of these Group meetings. We hope, also, there will be a good attendance from the community, especially in the afternoons.

Township Meetings.

The following townships will meet to elect a Township Board of Agriculture on the following dates:

Wilders, at Archer Lodge school, January 15th.

Elevation, at Royall school, January 16th.

Beulah, at Glendale school, January 17th.

Ingram, at New Hope school, January 18th.

Boon Hill, at Royall school, January 30th.

Meadow, at Meadow school, January 31st.

These will be held in connection with County Superintendent Royall's meetings. The other townships have not yet set the date for such an election, but are asked to do so this month. I will be present at the above meetings to help out with them and to outline plans for the year.

A. M. JOHNSON, Farm Demonstrator.

Jurors for February Term of Court

The Commissioners at their session here last Monday appointed the following jurors for the February term of Johnston County Superior Court, which convenes here on Monday, February 18, for a two weeks' term:

First Week—A. H. Sullivan, S. T. Barham, M. C. Barbour, Wiley T. Grimes, J. D. Flowers, Nelson Lee (Bentonville), D. C. Smith, (Meadow), Perry E. Johnson, Alex L. Rae, D. D. Medlin, R. P. Corbett, L. C. Baker, N. G. Rand, E. J. Clifton C. B. Barbour, Arlander Barbour, L. P. B. Lee, W. S. Earp, Boaz Woodard, L. L. Creech, J. O. Jones, A. S. Johnson (Elevation), T. F. White, Z. L. Coats.

Second Week—Henry Brady, S. T. Blackman, J. S. Sullivan, N. B. Wall, L. F. Uzzell, R. A. Bain, Addison Lee, Jno. A. Hines, L. T. Ogburn, W. C. Watson, T. W. Ives, G. P. Dunn, W. V. Blackman, D. S. Parrish, G. K. Massengill, S. P. Wood, J. Tom. Barham, J. P. Eason.

SEE US FOR ASPHALT ROOFING and proslate shingles. Cotter Hardware Co.

IF YOU WANT CEMENT SEE THE Smithfield Hardware Company.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

REMEMBER THAT YOU CAN BUY your mules much cheaper by buying them from Mr. Galbraith who does not have to get his mules through dealers. Second car of Tennessee mules just received. W. M. Sanders.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS Desiring Peloubet's Notes on the Lessons for 1918 can get same from The Herald Office, by applying early. Our second supply will be in a few days. Price \$1.25, by mail, \$1.35.

SEED COTTON—DON'T LEAVE your cotton in the field. Money saved in picking scattered cotton. Highest prices paid for seed cotton by Farmers Mercantile Co., Selma, N. C.

THE JOHNSTON COUNTY BANK & Trust Co., invites you to join their Pin Money Savings Club for 1918. You can save amounts of \$5.00, \$12.50, \$50.00 or \$100.00 during year commencing January 1, 1918, which will draw 4 per cent. Books are open and Deposits are being received for 1918. Start right for the New Year by depositing your Surplus Monies in our Pin Money Savings Club. Johnston County Bank

MR. GALBRAITH HAS JUST reached Smithfield with his second car load of nice Tennessee mules. They may be seen at my Stables. W. M. Sanders.

OWN YOUR OWN HOME. YOU can do it by taking shares in the Smithfield Building and Loan Association. See J. J. Broadhurst, Secretary and Treasurer.

FOR A BIG FAMILY BIBLE, CALL at The Herald Office, where you can get a nice one for \$3.50. Big type so that old people can read.

TWO CAR LOADS OF ASPHALT roofing just received. Cotter Hardware Company, Smithfield, N. C.

I HAVE 7 BERKSHIRE SHOATS three months old for sale—full blood. J. C. Hockaday, Four Oaks, N. C., R. F. D. No. 2.

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RED DOG, MILL FEED, WHEAT Brand, Soya Bean Meal, Beet Pulp, Dairy Feed, Cotton Seed Feed, Cotton Seed Meal, Cotton Seed Hulls, Feed Oats, Burt and Appler Seed Oats on hand at the Farmers Mercantile Co., Selma, N. C.

FOR RENT—A GOOD TOBACCO farm 26 acres cleared, two miles from Peacocks Cross Roads, six miles from Dunn and Benson. Fair dwelling, one tobacco barn and good pack house. Shares or money. See L. G. Patterson, Smithfield, N. C.

CALL AT THE HERALD OFFICE and get your 1918 Turner's North each. By mail 12 Cents.

THE SMITHFIELD BUILDING & Loan Association has 1,922 shares in force. It now wants 78 more to make it 2,000. See J. J. Broadhurst, Secretary and Treasurer.

ONE OF THE FINEST ENTERPRISES in Smithfield is the Building and Loan Association. Now is the time to take shares. J. J. Broadhurst, Secretary & Treasurer.

"POINTS FOR EMPHASIS." ON S. S. Lessons for 1918. A nice little commentary by Hight C. Moore, D. D. Price 25 cents. Herald Office, Smithfield.

FARMERS WHO HAVE SEED peas and Soy Beans for sale can find a ready market by inserting a little ad in The Smithfield Herald. Price one cent a word each insertion.

TWO MORE COPIES ARNOLD'S Practical Commentary on the S. S. Lessons for 1918. Price 60 cents. By mail 65 cents. Herald Office, Smithfield, N. C.

THERE IS A GREAT DEMAND FOR good milk cows. The owner who has good cows for sale will find a quick sale by putting a little ad in this paper. Try one and note the results.

WANTED, TWO RELIABLE YOUNG men to work in store. Austin-Stephenson Company, 217 South Third Street, Smithfield, N. C.

SEE US FOR ASPHALT ROOFING and proslate shingles. Cotter Hardware Co.

SHINGLES. SHINGLES. We have two car loads shingles. See us before buying. Four Oaks Hardware and Grocery Company.

IF YOU WANT CEMENT SEE THE Smithfield Hardware Company.

LOST—AT CARTERS CHAPEL School Box Party, Ladies Gray mixed coat, plaids with orange and black, with small black collar, buttons up close to the neck. Half belt buttons in front. Patch pockets. Finder return same to R. B. Barnes or the owner, Miss Alva Barden, Micro, N. C.

IF YOU ARE READY TO PAINT see us. We carry a full line of leads and oil and ready mixed paints. Smithfield Hardware Co.

NITRATE OF SODA—BUY YOUR soda now. You may not be able to get it when wanted if you wait. Farmers Mercantile Co., Selma, N. C.

FARM MULES—WE HAVE SEVERAL good farm mules for sale, and can save you money. Farmers Mercantile Co., Selma, N. C.

DISTRIBUTION OF CHRISTMAS MONEY BY JOHNSTON COUNTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY.

Nearly 100 Depositors in our Pin Money Savings Club have received substantial checks on Dec. 15th, as a return of The Pin Money Deposits made by them during 1917, including interest at four per cent on amount deposited. These checks issued range from \$5.00 to \$52.00.

Our Pin Money Savings Club for 1918 will begin January 1st, 1918. We invite you to join our Savings Club and be one of the fortunate depositors for Christmas 1918.

With best wishes to all for a Happy Christmas and prosperous New Year, Johnston County Bank & Trust Co.

THE SMITHFIELD BUILDING & Loan Association has been a great success from the start. It has loaned \$55,672 to home builders. It can help you. See J. J. Broadhurst for particulars.

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