

# Local Items

The News of the Week in and Around Town.

Mr. R. I. Lassiter, of Spilona Farm, was into see us Wednesday.

Miss Carrie Hyman has accepted a position as clerk in the post office.

Mr. L. G. Clingman, of Rocky Mount was in town Sunday afternoon.

Mr. W. S. Stevens visited his son, Dr. Ralph Stevens, in Raleigh Sunday.

Misses Helen Newbold and Julia Ethredge, of Selma, were in the city Monday.

Raleigh Fair, generally known as the State Fair, will open Monday, October 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Booker, and children spent Sunday with relatives near Goldsboro.

Mr. Ransom Blackman, of the Blackman's X Roads section, was in town yesterday.

Mr. R. D. Dunn, of Lower Johnston, called in recently and renewed his subscription.

Miss Annie Lou McGuire returned Saturday from a visit to Mrs. W. N. Holt in Raleigh.

Mr. Boyce Hargett, of The Journal force, is spending a few days with his parents in Wilkesboro.

Mrs. R. S. Stevens, of Raleigh, is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hood.

Miss Evie Wilson, of Wilson's Mills has accepted a position for this season with Mr. J. D. Spiers.

Mrs. T. R. Hood spent several days this week with her sister, Mrs. Gordon Weeks, at Rocky Mount.

The Baptist Sunday school has changed its opening hour from 9:30 to 9:45, beginning with next Sunday.

Mr. Mordecai Alford called at The Herald office yesterday. He renewed his subscription for another year.

Mrs. J. H. Easom and Mrs. J. E. Medlin and children left Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hall at Fayetteville.

Mr. Preston Phillips and Mr. Y. W. Strickland came in town Tuesday bringing eight bales of cotton on a wagon drawn by two mules.

Mr. Conday W. Brown, of Tabor, S. C., has been on a two weeks visit to friends and relatives near Selma. He returned home Tuesday of this week.

Rev. W. C. Royal began a series of meetings at Micro last night. Rev. Worley Creech will help him Sunday and from then on to the close of the meeting.

Mr. H. D. Ellington has received another lot of Banker ponies. Some people are very fond of these little animals and are always ready to buy when any are offered for sale.

The Woman's Union Prayer Circle will hold their weekly meeting in the Sunday school room of the M. E. church on Friday immediately after the afternoon service at the church.

Marie Pulley, the girl who killed her father near Selma some time ago, was carried to the Catholic Orphanage near Raleigh last Monday where she will remain.

The Smithfield tobacco market still attracts the golden weed this way. In the month of August its sales were large enough to give it the sixth place among the tobacco markets of North Carolina. It is selling now about a quarter of a million pounds per week.

Rev. J. M. Culbreth, the pastor, began a series of meetings at the Methodist church Sunday. Services are held each day at 3:30 and 7:30 P. M. Strong and forceful sermons are being preached and there is good attention at each service. It is hoped that much good may result from the meeting.

Mr. J. W. Corbett, of Oneals township, who was here at court last week says he has two stack poles which were given to him by his father. They were made of lightwood before the civil war and have been used every year since then. His father made them before he went into the war where he died.

The following item of interest is clipped from last week's Fairmont Messenger: "Last Sunday night the results of the recent meeting at the Baptist church were shown when Rev. D. P. Bridgers baptized twenty candidates. Most of these were scholars of the Sunday school, showing the good a live Sunday school can do."

We begin in this issue the publication of Dr. Cook's own story of "The Conquest of the Pole." The first two articles appear on pages two and three. No reader of this paper can afford to miss this interesting and graphic account of a trip over the northern ice to the top of the world. Dr. Cook tells many things of interest about the inhabitants of the polar regions. But read the story and learn many things new to you.

## Millinery Openings Yesterday.

Yesterday the beautifully decorated windows of Spiers Bros. and W. L. Woodall with the touches of autumn displayed in the leaves and golden red, with a few choice millinery models, bore witness that the season had changed from summer to autumn, and were a foretaste of the lovely creations of stunning hats shown within.

There is almost a revolution in the millinery world this season. The large Merry Widow is a thing of the past and new shapes and new shades have come in to take its place. The trimmings this season are especially pretty. Among those that are used are crested wings, plumes, fancy feathers, beanie strips, jet and chintilly lace. Gold trimmings also hold a large place. In the street hats all kinds of turned up shapes, turbans, and small hats, tailored hats with stiff wings and aigrettes are shown. Several fur hats were also on exhibition.

Stylish hats in the new raisin, olive and electric blue shades were shown. Misses Eleanor Myatt and Emma Patton, of Philadelphia, at Spiers Bros. and Misses Ora Poole and Sallie Beard, of Baltimore, at W. L. Woodall's spent a busy day explaining the mysteries of the new head gear. They have brought to Smithfield the most beautiful models from the northern markets, and have brought out such scores of becoming hats that every lady in town should be suited with a stylish winter hat.

## Primitive Baptist Association.

A session of the Little River Primitive Baptist association was held in this county last Friday, Saturday and Sunday at Salem church which is ten miles north of Clayton and about five miles south of Wendell. On Friday the usual business of the association was taken up and most of it was completed before the day closed. The introductory sermon was preached Friday morning by Elder J. E. Adams and Elder P. D. Gold preached in the afternoon. Saturday there was preaching by Elders Burnice Wood, Wiley Jones, C. C. Brown and T. C. Clark. On Sunday there was preaching by Elders W. M. Monse, P. D. Gold, Burt Williams and J. T. Coats. Elder J. T. Coats was moderator. Elder J. A. T. Jones was clerk with Elder W. A. Simpkins as his assistant. The new church organized at Coats, N. C., was admitted into the association. The next session will be held at Four Oaks beginning on Friday before the fourth Sunday in September next year.

## Mayor Wellons Gives a Barbecue.

Mr. James A. Wellons, one of the leading lawyers of the county and also the honored Mayor of Smithfield, gave a delightful barbecue Tuesday of this week at Holt's Mill, near Princeton, complimentary to his brother attorneys of the Johnston county bar and the aldermen and other officers of the town of Smithfield.

The barbecue, chicken stew and other viands were prepared by Chief Barham and the 35 or 40 guests present testified by their appetites that Mr. Barham "was onto his job."

Among those present were Messrs. E. J. Holt, W. M. Sanders, W. L. Woodall, J. D. Underwood, J. P. Canaday, J. H. Kirkman, W. B. Cole, Z. L. LeMay, Jack Broadhurst, E. S. Abell, Geo. L. Jones, J. A. Narron, W. W. Cole, C. H. Martin, E. F. Ward, S. S. Holt, A. M. Noble, F. H. Brooks, J. D. Parker and others.

## Selma Policeman Shot.

Last Friday evening a disturbance occurred at the Selma Lumber Company's mills just west of the town between some negroes. An officer was sent for and Mr. J. H. Griffin, Selma's chief of police, went to quiet the disturbance. He was trying to arrest one of the negroes and pursued him into a piece of woods nearby when the negro turned on him and shot him, sending twelve or thirteen shot into one of his hands and side. No very serious damage was done as he is going around attending to his business.

## Negro Shot in Church.

On Wednesday night of last week a negro walked into a colored church at Kenly, ordered the choir to cease singing, and walked up to Guernsey Davis, put four pistol shots into him, death resulting soon thereafter. John Atkinson, the murderer, is now in jail awaiting trial. He said Davis had invaded his home.—News and Observer.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has become famous for its cures of coughs, colds, croup and influenza. Try it when in need. It contains no harmful substance and always gives prompt relief. Sold by Hood Bros.

## JUST AMONG OURSELVES.

Among our advertisers this week our readers will find the well-known name of Mr. Preston Woodall, of Benson. For a long time Mr. Woodall has been one of The Herald's advertisers, and is now with us again, after a few weeks vacation. His advertisement will be found on page seven and contains items of interest to the prospective buyer.

See pages two and three for the first articles on "The Conquest of the Pole" by Dr. Cook. Begin at the beginning of this thrilling account of a journey across the ice-fields of the Farthest North.

The Sheriff announces that it is now time to pay your taxes. "Taxes and death are certain," says the old adage. See page seven for schedule of dates.

The Herald continues to gain new subscribers because the people like a paper of character. The Herald stands for the best interests of the people every week of the year.

The well-known Crossett shoe is advertised in this issue of The Herald. It is sold in Smithfield by Mr. N. B. Grantham.

A handy implement to have around the farm is a good drain drill. Read the "ad" of Cotter-Stevens Co. in this issue for further information on this subject.

In a short while The Herald will begin the publication of an intensely interesting story entitled "The Lure of the Mask." Look out for the opening chapters.

Smithfield has as nice ladies' stores as any town in Johnston county. A visit to Spiers Bros. will convince any one of the truth of the above statement. See their "ad" in this issue.

When in need of Wedding invitations or visiting cards remember The Herald office. We can furnish either printed or engraved in the latest styles. We represent some of the best engraving concerns in the country.

Among those who sell clothing the wide-awake firm of Davis Bros. are ever on the alert for bargains. See their "ad" on page four.

The splendid store of Mr. W. L. Woodall is filled with the choicest goods for the ladies. This store will compare favorably with any in the county. Mr. Woodall believes in advertising and has an "ad" in this issue.

Mr. J. Ryal Woodall, of Charlotte, was here Wednesday.

Mr. J. P. H. Adams and his helpers captured a brandy still last week near the road between Mr. Joseph Johnson's and Hannah's creek church. Last Monday evening they took a whisky still which was running on the Bright Holt land on the northern side of Neuse river about seven miles from Smithfield. Jonas Everett, a negro, was brought here and placed in jail. He lived near this still and had some material in his house.

It is in time of sudden mishap or accident that Chamberlain's Liniment can be relied upon to take the place of the family doctor, who cannot always be found at the moment. Then it is that Chamberlain's Liniment is never found wanting. In cases of sprains, cuts, wounds and bruises Chamberlain's Liniment takes out the soreness and drives away the pain. Sold by Hood Bros.

THREE BIG bundles for 5 cents. This price on old newspapers will hold good at The Herald office until November 1st.

SMITHFIELD MARKET.	
Cotton .....	12 1/2
Eggs .....	20
Chickens .....	15 to 35
Granulated sugar .....	5 1/2 to 6
Corn per bushel .....	1.00
Feed oats per bushel .....	60
Fresh pork .....	10
Barbecue pigs, 25 to 40 lbs. each	12 1/2
C. R. sides per pound .....	13 1/2 to 14
Hams per pound .....	19 to 20
Lard per pound .....	11 to 17 1/2
Cheese per pound .....	20 to 22 1/2
Butter, per pound .....	25 to 30
Dried apples, per pound ..	7 1/2 to 10
Coffee, per pound .....	12 1/2 to 17 1/2
Sheep skins each .....	20 to 40
Salt hides per pound .....	6
Hides—Dry flints .....	8 to 9
Tallow .....	3
Beeswax .....	20 to 22
Meal per sack .....	1.90 to 2.00
Flour per sack .....	3.25
Fodder per hundred .....	75 to 1.00
Timothy hay .....	1.10 to 1.20
Wool .....	15 to 25
Fat cattle on foot .....	3 to 3 1/2
Fat cattle dressed .....	6 1/2 to 7
Sweet potatoes per bushel	50 to 60

# Clothes For Men and Boys In Every Walk of Life

Our New Fall Lines Embrace the Best Products of the World's Recognized Leaders in the Art of Making Men's Correct Ready-to-Wear Apparel. Our Clothes are Designed and made by the Celebrated Master Tailors of Baltimore and New York. They represent the highest possible achievement in Clothes making. To sell good clothes at reasonable prices—that's the mission of this store. We like to do business at all times with men who know quality when they see it, and who expect to get value received for the money invested. We are prepared this season to cater to patrons of moderate means who want dependable stylish-appearing clothes at low prices. We have also selected with considerable care a large assortment of superbly tailored garments for our clientele among fastidious dressers—men who do not regard price, but insist on sterling quality and the very newest style ideas.

We are agents for Clapp, Crossett and E. & J. Shoes. Also agents for Pointer, Cabinet and Stetson Hats. Our line of Furnishings would be a credit to any city store.

Yours to please,

## N. B. Grantham, Head-to-Foot Outfitter for Men and Boys Smithfield, N. C.

# Our Fall Opening

Yesterday was a splendid success. A large number attended and our sales were beyond our expectations. We have the completest lines of Ladies' Goods we have ever shown, and cordially invite you to visit our store.

## W. L. Woodall

### Why Is It ?

Hood's Croup, Cold and Pneumonia Remedy

is a Summer as well as a cold weather remedy. Try it for Catarrh, cold in the head, sun burn, piles, sprains and bruises. Call at our store for a sample box.

Cold Drinks, Turnip Seed, School Books, Sewing Machine Supplies, Trusses, Shoulder Braces and everything in the Drug line.

Yours to show you why,

## HOOD BROS., Druggists

On the Corner. :: Smithfield, N. C.

Dr. J. Franklin Coltrane, DENTIST, Zebulon, - - - N. C.

# Grain Drills

Many of the best Planters will sow more wheat this fall than heretofore and to obtain the largest yield per acre possible you should drill it and use fertilizers. We are agents for the

## Superior Grain Drill

and want you to see it before you buy. Examine this drill on our warehouse floor. It is the best. Yours to serve,

## The Cotter-Stevens Co.