

# News of the County

Happenings of Interest Gathered for THE HERALD by Our Regular Correspondents

## HAPPENINGS AT CLAYTON.

Mr. W. H. Poole and Miss Genora Wall went to Thanksgiving Sunday to attend the Vocal Union at that place. They report a day pleasantly spent.

Mr. Victor R. Turley, of Archer, was in town Tuesday for a few hours on business.

Mr. J. A. Sanders, of Raleigh, was here Monday to attend the funeral of his father, Mr. Jordan Sanders, which was held near here.

The Clayton Telephone Company has moved their central office to the new building next door to the Clayton Enterprise.

Work on the new stores of J. G. Barbour and Sons is going on rapidly.

Mr. J. J. Ferrell has had the Reaves house on Oneal Street repainted and remodelled generally which adds to the attraction of the street as well as the house.

Mr. A. F. Whitley, of Archer, spent Saturday and Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. R. S. Penny, in the city.

Mr. Jordan Sanders, and aged gentleman living near town, died last Sunday night from the effects of a stroke of paralysis. The interment was at the family burial ground Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The funeral services were conducted by Elder John W. Gardner of Goldsboro, N. C.

Mr. L. W. Jones, from Powhatan, was in the city several hours Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse M. Battle, of St. Louis, Mo., arrived Monday to spend some time with the family of Hon. Ashley Horne and others in the city.

Mr. J. G. M. Cordon, the popular and efficient manager of the Clayton Drug Co., received a very painful sprain in his ankle Tuesday afternoon. However he is much improved and is able to be out again.

A very interesting play, Jumbo Jam, was given at the school Auditorium Tuesday night by local talent. The play was a decided success, the proceeds of which will be used to build a back stair way to the school building.

The Old Time Fiddlers Convention will be held tonight (Wednesday) in West Clayton Hall.

The subscription for the next series of the Clayton Building and Loan Association continues to soar and by April 2nd, when the series begins it will be the largest in the history of the Association.

Mr. R. D. Knott, of Knightsdale, spent Wednesday here on business.

Clayton, March 9, 1910.

## WENDELL BREEZES.

Prof. J. E. B. Davis is having a handsome residence erected on Third Street, on his beautiful lot, adjoining the M. E. church.

Mr. E. V. Richardson is having lumber placed on his lot—also on Third street,—preparing to erect a large residence during the summer.

Mr. Lonzo Creech and Todd Brothers are building cottages in North Wendell. Mr. M. A. Griffin is also building two cottages. There are several stores being built, and in all, twenty buildings going up. This is no fairy tale. We are surely moving on and holding our own as we move. We do not intend to be left behind in the race. In a few years, people will say they can remember when this was only a calf pasture, and did what a thriving and beautiful city they will see.

Mr. Wayland Todd moved into his new home last week. It adds much to that portion of town. Perhaps real estate has advanced faster in this section than any other place in North Carolina. A tract of fifty acres that sold for five hundred dollars three or four years ago changed hands a few days ago for three thousand dollars and there has not been a building put on the land, and possibly a thousand dollars worth of timber taken off.

Mr. G. T. Brigstock, lumber inspector for the James River Lumber Co., was in town Sunday. His many friends are always glad to welcome him back, for he is still missed by many.

Mrs. Lonzo Creech came home from Rex Hospital, Raleigh, where she was successfully operated upon by Dr. Royster.

We will soon have telephone connection with the outside world. A local system is being installed, and the Wendell Telephone Company and Southern Bell Company we learn, have signed a contract.

Mr. Tice Liles and Miss Lalia Liles, daughter of Mr. Avera Liles, were married last Saturday.

Rev. W. C. Nowell filled his regular appointment in the Baptist church last Sunday morning, and in the afternoon at three o'clock he began a series of lectures on the Book of Revelation. These lectures will be continued on the first and second Sunday afternoons of each month for several months, until all are given time to complete the book. We look forward to them to be pleasant and profitable to our people, and glad to say that he was greeted by a large audience at the opening lecture.

Rev. Mr. Muse, an Episcopal minister, preached in the Methodist church last Sunday morning.

Measles still holds its own in flaming colors on many faces, and quite a number are out of school.

We are pained to note that Mrs. J. W. Hinnant has been very ill for several days.

Wendell, March 8.

## KENLY NEWS ITEMS.

Miss Lilla Winstead, of Elm City, is visiting at Mr. L. O. B. Alford's.

Mrs. F. C. Richardson returned home Saturday from Wendell.

Mrs. Sarah Woodall has been spending a few days in Smithfield returning yesterday.

Miss Lou Godwin spent a few days this week with her brother, Mr. Loyd Godwin.

Miss Beasley, Miss McDonald and Prof. Rollings attended the teachers' meeting at Smithfield Saturday.

Mr. Wade Brannan spent Saturday and Sunday at his home near Thanksgiving, also Mr. Fred Wellons, near his home near Pine Level.

Mrs. J. R. Sauls went to Wilson Sunday.

Miss Leone Edgerton's school close today and she returned home this evening.

Mrs. Martha Mathews and Mrs. S. J. Darden spent yesterday in Wilson.

Mr. Z. V. Snipes made a short business trip to Dunn yesterday.

Miss Dora Babou, of Smithfield, is spending a few days here this week with friends.

Messrs. Bailey and Kirby's miller, Miss Ceneste Holloway, of Baltimore, has arrived with their new stock of spring goods.

We are sorry to note this week on our sick list, Mr. R. H. Alford's baby who is very sick. Dr. Moore, of Wilson, spent Sunday with it. Pneumonia is the trouble we understand.

Mr. Will Aycock, of Black Creek, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. Jack.

The new side track has been put in at Messrs. Aycock Bros.' planing mill.

Mr. W. A. Barnes is putting in a new saw mill in town and expects to start up tomorrow. Kenly is noted this year for its saw mills in and near the town. It is now estimated that the daily out put of lumber shipped from here runs from 75,000 to 100,000 ft.

Kenly, March 9. REPORTER.

## HALES SCHOOL HOUSE DOTS.

Mr. Carl Hales and sister, Miss Mamie, of Zebulon, spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of Mr. W. D. Hales.

Mr. A. Q. Narron, accompanied by Mr. J. P. Eldridge, passed through our vicinity last Saturday enroute to Zebulon.

There will be prayer meeting at Hales school house the third Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Glad to see Mr. Clem Creech out again after a few days illness.

Rev. P. D. Woodall filled his regular appointment at Watkins Chapel Sunday.

Right many of our people attended the vocal union at Thanksgiving Sunday.

Miss Daisy Hales is visiting Misses Mamie and Ada Hales this week.

Mr. Hubert Rayford, of Princeton, was in our midst last Friday.

The school at Hales' school house last Friday night with appropriate extraught by Miss Lizzie Rayford closed exercises.

The Emitt ball team played the Hales school house team on the latter's ground last Friday afternoon, the game being 10 to 7 in favor of Hales school house.

Miss Lizzie Rayford has returned to her home near Princeton.

Sorry to note that Mr. Stephen Driver is on the sick list.

Mr. Richard Oneal and Miss Omega Corbett were united in the holy bonds of matrimony Sunday. We wish for them a happy future.

Our farmers are very busy now preparing to plant.

March 7.

## POLENTA NEWS.

Dr. E. N. Booker is quite sick, confined to his bed.

Miss Mina Johnson is sick with measles. She contracted the disease whilst teaching at Four Oaks. She is improving.

Miss Hene Jones and Master Eustice Yelvington are kept at home from home by sickness. It is thought they have the mumps.

Mr. Floyd Stevens and Miss Mabelle Coats stole a march on the old folks on last Wednesday evening by driving up to Squire J. E. Jones', and having him to tie the knot which made them man and wife. They are both clever young people, and we wish them all happiness.

Mr. Robert Price went over into Elevation on the Fourth Sunday in last month and took unto himself a better half, by inducing Miss Fannie Barber, daughter of Mr. Daniel Barber, to join him in life's struggles. They were happily married and are now domiciled at the home of the mother of Mr. Price Happiness to them.

Preaching at Shiloh next Sunday by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Horrell.

Mrs. Lou McIver, who has been at her old home for several months, with her little infant girl, left for home in Lee County last Monday.

Mr. James Edmundson happened to a painful accident recently. He went out into the back porch, and walked so close to the edge of same, that he lost his balance, breaking and fracturing one of his arms. Dr. McLemore was called in and rendered the necessary aid, and he is now resting quietly. Mr. Edmundson several years ago had a tree to fall on him and break his other arm, which has given him a great deal of trouble. We all sympathize with him in his trouble, and hope the fractured limb will soon get well.

Some fertilizers is being hauled out by the farmers nothing like as much as usual, however, at this time of the year. The farmers seem in no hurry to haul, or it may be they have determined to use less.

Mrs. Lula Cherry and children are on a visit to friends and relatives in Edgecombe County.

The Farming & Mercantile Co., have moved into the new store, and are now in a position to better serve the public.

Miss Ava Yelvington is on a visit to friends in Smithfield.

Shiloh church has a new organ of the Kimball make. The ladies of the church raised the money and paid for it.

Pretty weather, and the farmers are making good use of it by turning over the soil.

Seed sweet potatoes in this section will be scarce. Most all of those who killed them say they have rotted.

Mr. J. O. Ellington, of Fayetteville, spent a day or two visiting Messrs. D. T. and G. B. Smith, this week.

Mr. G. B. Smith spent Thursday in Fayetteville, visiting Mr. J. O. Ellington.

The tobacco crop hereabouts will be considerably short this year. We know of a number of farmers who planted last year who say they are out of it this year.

Polemta, March 9. TYPO.

## MASSEY CHAPEL ITEMS.

The farmers of this section are making preparations for a new crop.

Mr. David Boyette and Miss Flossie Lamm spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. G. T. Boyette.

Messrs. Walter Crumpler and Wiley Wellons, of near Micro, were in this section Saturday night.

Miss Lizzie Rayford returned home Saturday from near Wakefield where she has been teaching public school.

Mr. Fletcher Futrell and sister, Flora, of Pine Level, were in our burg Sunday.

Misses Eva Wellons and Sadie Fitzgerald visited at the home of Mr. S. A. Wellons Saturday night.

Mr. Jim Massengill visited his brother, Mr. Needham Massengill Sunday.

Mr. Joel Godwin and family visited at the home of Mr. R. J. Fitzgerald Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. J. F. Wellons, of Kenly High School, spent the latter part of last week with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wellons spent Sunday night at Mr. N. B. Hinnants.

We are sorry to note the death of Mrs. H. F. Peedin which occurred last Thursday.

Rev. Jerry Howell filled his regular appointment at Bizzell Grove Sunday.

The entertainment at Massey school house last Saturday was enjoyed by all.

A large crowd attended the party at Mrs. Dona Rayford's Saturday night and report a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Yelvington spent Saturday night with Mrs. Yelvington's mother, Mrs. Dona Rayford.

Princeton, R. 3, March 8.

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## HARE'S STORE ITEMS.

We are having very much sickness in our vicinity.

The Green vocal singing that met at Thanksgiving church Sunday was a fine success and enjoyed by all present. Several choirs were present and every choir seemed to be full of the best of music.

Mr. J. R. Talton and Mr. W. H. Godwin and wife spent Sunday in Selma.

It is thought that the stock law fence wire cutters will be cut of a job now until after court.

After a limited courtship Mr. Richard Oneal brought his bride Maggie, home with him Sunday. Mr. Oneal is a fine young man and his wife is a popular young lady. We wish a happy future for them.

Mr. Wesley G. Narron and Ruell, a son of his, spent Monday in Smithfield.

Mr. J. M. Maden and Miss Effie Bunn went to Thanksgiving Sunday. They report a very pleasant trip.

Mr. Ed. W. Narron has been very sick with some kind of throat trouble, but is able now to be about his work.

Selma, R. 2, March 8.

## GODWIN SCHOOL HOUSE DOTS.

The farmers are getting busy preparing for another crop.

We are glad to see Mr. Buck Deans who has been very sick, out again.

Mr. Joe Blackman was in our section last week.

Mr. Tommie Godwin, who is attending school at Bules Creek, came home last Thursday to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wellons visited Mr. D. T. Godwin last Friday.

Mr. D. T. Godwin made a business trip to Kenly last Saturday with his ticket hoping he would get the range.

The Godwin school taught by Miss Malissa Wellons closed last Friday night with much success. All seemed to enjoy it fine. The music was made by Mr. Joe Wall. Those winning presents were, Etta, Lottie and Inie Godwin.

March 7, 1910.

## PITTMAN'S X ROADS NOTES.

Miss Larena Godwin, of Pine Level, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Omega and Claude Brown.

Miss Annie Faulkner, of near Wilson's Mills, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Leone Foster.

Mrs. Joe Brown and little son, Leon spent Sunday in Pine Level.

Mr. Phil Faulkner spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Charlie Smith.

Mrs. N. A. Pittman, of Selma, is visiting Mrs. W. H. Avery's people.

The Vocal Union at Thanksgiving was largely attended from our neighborhood and everybody reports a nice time.

These nice spring days make everybody feel like humping around.

March 7.

## North Carolina Maps Arrived.

I am glad to announce to teachers and committeemen that the sixty-two maps ordered last fall have arrived. They can be obtained at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools.

J. P. CANADAY.

## Masonic Funeral.

We are requested to announce that the funeral of Mr. Wesley Batten his old home near Micro. It will be held on the Third Sunday in April by Elder J. W. Gardner at conducted under the auspices of the Masonic order.

## A Picnic.

There will be a picnic at Bunn school house Friday, March 18th. The public is cordially invited to come and bring well-filled baskets.

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