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SABBATH AND DEVOTION.

"The Sabbath brings its kind release, And Care lies slumbering on the lap of Peace."
—O. W. Holmes.

"As down in the sunless retreats of the ocean, Sweet flowers are springing no mortal can see, So deep in my soul the still prayer of devotion Unheard by the world, rises silent to Thee."
—Moore.

Sunday Services in Smithfield.

Methodist church—Morning service, by the pastor, Rev. R. B. John.
Episcopal church—Morning and evening, by the rector, Rev. N. C. Duke.
Presbyterian church—Union service at night, with sermon by Rev. R. B. John.
Primitive Baptist church—Service Saturday and Sunday at eleven o'clock each day. Elder W. M. Monsees, of Wilson, is expected to be present and preach.
Baptist church—No service.

Services at County Home.

Services will be held at the County Home next Sunday afternoon, August 1st, at four o'clock, by Rev. R. B. John. The people of the nearby towns and the community are cordially invited to attend. Singers are especially invited to be present.

Services at Episcopal Church.

Services will be conducted at the Episcopal church Sunday morning at eleven and at night at 8:30 o'clock, by the Rev. N. C. Duncan, of Duke.

To Improve the Smithfield School for the Colored.

Prof. N. C. Newbold, of the State Department of Education, in charge of the Negro schools, was here Tuesday to meet with a committee of the school officials of the town and Supt. Royall, to inspect the colored school building and learn something of the needs there. Through the Southern Education Board and others interested in Negro Education in the South, the Smithfield School will get a few hundred dollars to supply needed equipment and other improvements. It is the intention of the State Department of Education to help to make the Negro school at this place one of the best of its kind in the State. John W. Byrd, who has been elected principal for another year, has been spending several weeks at Hampton Institute in Virginia, studying the best and most up-to-date methods of school work and management.

Man Attacked On Public Road.

Last Saturday, Jack Beasley and another man who lives about twelve miles west from Smithfield, were returning on a buggy to their homes from Benson when they met Talbot Stevens on a bicycle. Beasley, who was drinking that day, struck Stevens with a buggy whip. Stevens stopped to ask why he should be thus attacked on a public road. This seemed to enrage Beasley and he gave Stevens a severe beating with the club end of his whip. It is said that he held Stevens on the ground and struck him several licks on the head. For awhile it was feared that his skull was crushed. Beasley was arrested Saturday night and brought to Smithfield where he was placed under a five hundred dollar bond to appear in court. It is said that Mr. Stevens is a quiet man and there was no cause for this attack.

Capturing More Whiskey Stills.

On Monday and Tuesday of this week Messrs. George Moore and J. P. Stell, of the Revenue Department, captured two stills in the southern part of the county in the Barefoot Mill section. One of the stills was running and the other was hid away in a house at a place where there was a dwelling. Besides the stills, they caught John Henry Hayes and Minson Tart and one of his sons and a man named Moore.

Jitney Line To Raleigh.

The good roads between Smithfield and Raleigh has brought the two cities close together. A jitney line has been established and four trips each way are made daily. The jitney bus leaves here for Raleigh at 8 and 11 a. m. and 2 and 5 p. m. It leaves Raleigh for Smithfield on the same hours also. The line is under the management of Mr. R. A. Betts.

TOWN AND COUNTY TOPICS.

Rev. R. B. John spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Fayetteville.

Mrs. C. R. Turner is visiting relatives and friends in Kinton this week.

Miss Lalla Rookh Stephenson visited friends in Selma yesterday and today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Aycock and children, of Micro, returned home yesterday.

Miss Emma Sanders is visiting friends and relatives in Wilson's Mills.

Miss Ruth Jones left yesterday to spend some time resting at Fuquay Springs.

Miss Daisy Henderson, of Kinston, is in the city the guest of Miss Hilda Parrish.

Miss Mary Barbour returned home Wednesday, after a visit to her sister at Zebulon.

Mrs. E. O. Aycock and children, of Raleigh, are here on a visit to the family of Mr. W. M. Ives.

Miss Floy McCauley returned home Tuesday after spending several days with relatives in Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eason, of Zebulon, spent Wednesday here with the family of Mr. Albert Barbour.

Misses Lucile Johnson and Helene Ives returned home Tuesday from a visit to relatives and friends in Raleigh.

Miss Mildred Myatt has returned to her home in Raleigh, after spending several days here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. M. Richardson and children, of Orangeburg, S. C., is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gordon.

Rev. R. L. Smith will fill his regular appointment at Pinkney Sunday, beginning a meeting to continue through next week.

Mrs. W. M. Sanders went to Dunny Wednesday to attend the funeral of the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. F. Smith which died Tuesday at Duke.

Master Speight Barnes and little Miss Maude Barnes, of Raleigh, are spending some time here the guests of Master Edward and little Miss Sara Patterson.

Rev. R. L. Smith who has been conducting meetings at Hood's Grove and Canaan, returned yesterday. The meeting at Hood's Grove resulted in four additions. One was added to the church at Canaan.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Youngblood, of Greenwood, S. C., arrived in the city yesterday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Johnson. Mrs. Youngblood, noo Miss Mamie Herman, lived here before her marriage and has a number of friends who welcome her return.

We are requested to state that Elder Rom Jones will preach at St. Mary's church, Saturday and Sunday, July 31st and August 1st. He will preach at the school house in Boon Hill township, at the Patrick Creech place, the third Sunday in August at 11 o'clock.

Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Gillett, Miss Hazel Gillett and Miss Hilda Parrish most delightfully entertained a number of the "younger set" in honor of Miss Daisy Henderson, of Kinston. The time was pleasantly spent playing games, etc., until the charming hostesses served delicious refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Reaves and three boys, Roy, L. E. and Hallie, of Raeford, spent Wednesday and Wednesday night here with relatives. They left yesterday morning for Raleigh, making the trip in their Studebaker touring car. Mr. Reaves is a prominent druggist at Raeford, having moved there several years ago from Waxhaw.

Dr. Robert P. Noble a Winner.

From the Birmingham (Ala.) Age-Herald we learn that the city of Ensley, Ala., recently held a City-beautiful Contest in which Dr. Robert P. Noble was one of the winners. Prizes were given by the Ensley Land Company for the best kept and most tasteful premises in the city. Dr. Noble won the third prize of \$25.00. The Doctor's many friends in this section will be glad to learn of his success. This contest was a most interesting one and resulted in great improvements to many homes throughout the city.

DR. L. D. WHARTON IS CHOSEN.

To Fill Vacancy on School Board Caused by Death of Mr. W. L. Woodall. T. J. Lassiter Chosen Secretary.

The Board of Trustees of Smithfield Graded Schools met yesterday and unanimously elected Dr. L. D. Wharton to fill the vacancy on the Board caused by the death of Mr. W. L. Woodall who had been a member since the organization of the graded school system of the town. Mr. T. J. Lassiter was chosen secretary and treasurer of the Board. Mr. Woodall had filled this responsible position for the past several years.

The Board as now organized, is as follows: T. R. Hood, President; T. J. Lassiter, Secretary; F. H. Brooks, N. B. Grantham and L. D. Wharton. The last three named constitute the finance committee.

A committee consisting of A. Vermont, F. H. Brooks and T. J. Lassiter was appointed to draft suitable resolutions in regard to the death of Mr. W. L. Woodall and present the same at the next meeting of the Board.

IN MEMORY OF W. L. WOODALL.

On last Sunday evening the town of Smithfield and the surrounding community was shocked beyond expression when the click of the wires brought the news that "Les" Woodall was dead, and the stranger entering our little town saw at a glance that something terrible had befallen it. Citizens were grouped here and yonder conversing in bated breath, hardly above a whisper.

No one had dreamed that Mr. Woodall would be the next to be taken from us, but this is a verification of that scripture which saith: "In the midst of life we are in death," and "For in such an hour as we think not the Son of man cometh," which should behoove us all to be ready.

Mr. Woodall was one of the best allround men I ever saw—prudent, careful, thoughtful, conservative, firm—a fine business man and had the implicit confidence of every one.

He was born October 8th, 1858, in Elevation township, Johnston County, and his ancestors were of Puritan stock, noted for their integrity and unwavering faith in God and as firm as the hills.

There will be at picnic at Watson school house, in Beulah township, next Wednesday. Prominent speakers expected to be there.

A-LARGE LOT OF DRY PINE stove wood for sale. 4 feet length or cut right for stove. Paul E. Whitley, Smithfield, N. C., R. F. D. No. 1.

FISHING ATKINSON'S POND—I have purchased the fishing rights to Atkinson's Pond in Boon Hill township, and will begin a three days' fishing, Thursday morning, August 5th, at 10:00. Shares for the 3-days fishing \$1.00. Dempsey Daugherty, Pine Level, N. C., R. F. D. No. 1.

Smithfield Market.

Cotton	6 to 8 1/2
Wool	10 to 15
Fat Cattle	3 1/2 to 4
Fat Cattle dressed	8
Eggs	15 to 17 1/2
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Granulated Sugar	7
Corn per bushel	85 to 90
Feed Oats	70 to 75
C. R. Sides	13 to 14
Fresh Pork	10 to 11
Hams	16 to 18
Lard per pound	12 1/2 to 15
Timothy Hay	1.40 to 1.50
Cheese per pound	20 to 22 1/2
Butter per pound	30 to 35
Meal per sack	2.15 to 2.25
Flour per sack	3.50 to 3.75
Coffee per pound	15 to 20
Cotton Seed Meal	1.70 to 1.75
Cotton Seed Hulls	50 to 60
Hides, dry	10 to 12 1/2
Hides, Green	8
Cotton Seed	40
Beeswax	15 to 20

New Bern, N. C., June 29, 1915.

To Whom it May Concern:

For some time past my Auto has been giving me considerable trouble and I have tried men of experience in and out of the city to properly adjust my car; no one seemed to be able to locate the trouble; some would assign some reason while others would assign another, but no one would help the car. I was advised to see Mr. J. F. Spear. In a very few minutes he located the trouble and to my delight had my car properly adjusted and at a small cost too. Since then I have had the opportunity to observe some of his work and fully believe that he is a competent man. I regret to learn that he is going to leave New Bern, and trust that in his new field he may make many new friends. He is not only a competent man but he is a good fellow.

LINSTER DUFFEY, M. D.

Mr. Spear is now connected with the Smithfield Garage & Machine Company, of Smithfield, N. C., and would be glad to have all his old friends and the public generally to call on him in his new home.

FIRM OF W. L. WOODALL & SONS.

Messrs. Hubert and Edward Woodall to Carry on Business Established By Their Father.

Mr. W. L. Woodall, whose sudden death occurred last Sunday at Montreat, had for many years been conducting a nice business, carrying a most complete stock of dry goods, shoes and ladies' goods. When his eldest son, Mr. Hubert C. Woodall, became of age, a few years ago, his father took him in the business as a partner. A few months ago Mr. Edward L. Woodall, his second son, having attained his majority, also became a partner in the business which has since been conducted as W. L. Woodall & Sons. The business has been growing for the past few years until now they have one of the best and most up-to-date dry goods stores in the county. Messrs. Hubert and Edward Woodall will continue the business under the same name, W. L. Woodall & Sons.

Mr. Woodall was a practical man. He was also a great believer in education, but he believed in that kind of education which will best fit a man for the vocation in life which he desires to follow. For this reason he had helped to prepare his sons so that when the time came for him to lay down the labors and cares incident to a business career that they would be ready to take up the work. They were given a high school education and then a year at the State University. But through all these years they were kept in close touch with the business which they were planning to take up later. With the training they have had in school, college, and in the school of business they are prepared to take up the mercantile business which their father had so successfully carried on and prosecute it with every promise of success. They are capable and agreeable young men and have many friends who will wish them the greatest success in the business career they have chosen.

Fine Sweet Potatoes.

Mr. Albert L. Barbour has shown us some fine sweet potatoes of this year's crop, one of which weighs one pound. They are of the Nancy Hall variety and were taken from the field on the 27th.

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