

County News

Kenly

By MRS. A. J. BROUGHTON
KENLY, Jan. 16.—The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Postem is doing nicely after being run over by a car and having his leg broken.

Pine Level

By MRS. J. C. FUTRELL
PINE LEVEL, Jan. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh White and Mrs. Raymond Hollingsworth, of La Grange, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. F. White Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Darden and daughter, Miss Eloise Darden, visited Mrs. Dora H. Gilbreth in Wilson Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Harris, of Smithfield, and sister, Miss Harris, of Lillington, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Futrell Saturday night.

Misses Rose Grantham, Mildred Creech, Elma Lewter, Frances Price and Mr. F. C. Price attended the "Show of Shows" in Raleigh Saturday.

Mrs. B. Godwin is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Blanche Austin of near Clayton.

Misses Mary and Hettie Edwards, of near Glendale, were at home for the week end.

Mrs. Maude Hamner and children, of Burlington, recently spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. A. M. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jones and children and Mrs. Flora P. Rae visited relatives near Clayton last Sunday.

The Pine Level Berean class together with the Dorcas class of the Baptist Sunday school will give a play Friday evening at the school auditorium for the benefit of the Baptist church. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Geo. Strickland and Mrs. A. F. Futrell shopped in Smithfield Friday afternoon.

Rev. J. G. Crocker held his first services in New Bern Friday. We are very glad he is able to be in service again, having been out for such a long time due to serious illness.

Miss Eleanor Gorley and Miss Rains, of Princeton, spent the week end here with Mrs. Jesse Yelverton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Grizzard and son, Herbert Jr., and Mrs. Katie M. Hooks spent Sunday in Wilson with Dr. and Mrs. L. V. Grady.

Misses Lou, Dobbie and Nettie Bailey attended the funeral of Miss Leone Ashworth Bailey in Selma Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Strickland spent the past Sunday with relatives at Fitzgerald.

Miss Lenora Patterson who is teaching in Four Oaks, spent the week end at the teacherage with friends.

Misses Mildred Creech and Beulah Woodard spent the week end at their homes in Selma.

Dr. Mike Bradshaw, president elder of the Raleigh district, was in town Sunday and held the first quarterly conference for the new year in the Methodist church at three o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The Pine Level girls' basketball team is playing with an unusually good record this season. They played Selma, Four Oaks and Micro last week and won two of the games, namely, from Selma and Four Oaks, and only a small score was carried away by the Micro winners. We feel very proud of our team in several ways. They not only know how to appreciate the winning of a game, but how to take defeat also.

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet with the leader for his month, Mrs. D. B. Oliver, at her home Friday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock.

Mrs. W. L. Creech and Mrs. J. C. Futrell shopped in Smithfield Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boyett, of Goldsboro, were visitors in town Saturday evening.

The Pine Level school feels very proud indeed to have one of its students, Miss Lela Robbins, a winner in the essay contest put on by the State Highway Commission last year.

The Pine Level music class has recently met and organized a music club. The club meetings will be sponsored by the teacher, Mrs. J. C. Futrell, and will be of much help to the children. The next meeting will be held at the school auditorium at seven o'clock the first Friday night in February. All who were absent before are urged to come.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Vann will learn with regret of the automobile accident they had while returning home from here last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Vann had visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scroggins and were returning to their home in the western part of the state when the accident occurred. Definite facts concerning their injuries are not known at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fitzgerald of Princeton, were in town Sunday to attend the quarterly conference at the Methodist church.

Mrs. W. L. Creech and Mrs. J. C. Futrell shopped in Smithfield Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Martha Darden and two sons, Dural and Simeon Darden, Mrs. Lessie Darden, Mrs. Adams and Mr. Peterson, of Rocky Mount, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Darden Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Penny near Benson.

Misses Elva Lee Hardee and Wilhelmina Johnson, students at E. C. T. C., Greenville, recently visited their parents here.

Messrs. Thurman and Victor Lee, of Coats, were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. Paul W. Johnson who is with the U. S. Navy recently visited relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Johnson visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Janius Hobbs near Smithfield recently.

Messrs. Orvin and Hugh Johnson were visitors to Coats Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vaughn Johnson visited relatives near Angier Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Johnson and little son, Braxton, visited at Mrs. Louie Allen's in the Allen school section Sunday.

Messrs. Tyron George and Ernie, of New Hope, were here Friday night.

Mr. Calvin Massengill entertained his friends with a world-trotting Thursday night after which refreshments were served.

Wilson's Mills

By MRS. S. L. BARBOUR
WILSON'S MILLS, Jan. 16.—Mrs. E. T. Sutherland and little son, Roger, have returned to their home here after visiting her parents in Carrolsville, Va.

Mr. Howard Parrish, of near Clayton, spent the week end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Bailey had as their dinner guests on Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Barney Henry of Selma, Mrs. Annabelle Massey of Clayton and Messrs. Bill and Millard Parrish.

Mr. Fowler, of Carrolsville, Va., has returned to his home after visiting his daughter, Mrs. E. T. Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Childers, of near Smithfield, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Beatty, who live near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson and Mrs. Sally Spurrill, of Taylorsboro, spent Wednesday in Raleigh.

The many friends of Mr. Jack Vinson will regret to learn that he is in Watts Hospital, Durham, due to a bus accident. At this writing he is slowly improving.

Mrs. W. T. Wilson and Miss Evelyn Wilson spent Saturday in Wilson the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Howard S. Hille.

Mrs. Jack Vinson has returned from Durham where she has been spending the week end with her husband who is in Watts Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Wilson and son, Jesse, spent Wednesday in Raleigh.

Mrs. Joe Mitchner and little daughter, Doris, spent Wednesday in Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hardee and children, of Clayton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Branch.

Miss Katy Lee Ellis, of near Middlesex, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Betty Wilkins.

Rev. J. O. Carter, of Wake Forest, filled the pulpit at the Baptist church here Sunday morning in the absence of the regular pastor, Rev. Mr. Andrews.

Little Creek

CLAYTON, Route 3, Jan. 15.—We are glad to welcome to our community Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Johnson and children of Benson and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Evans of near Pine Level.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Adams and Mrs. M. M. Casey spent Friday near Clayton with Mrs. J. W. Johnson.

Misses Inez and Nina Mae Kennedy, Ettie Peedin, and Mr. Dalma Johnson attended a party given by Misses Betsy and Pennie Rhodes Saturday evening. They reported a very enjoyable time.

Mrs. Rogers Hathaway, of Selma, spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Kennedy.

Mr. Thomas Sasser, of New York, recently visited friends in this section.

Benson

MRS. SHERRILL UTLEY
BENSON, Jan. 17.—Friends of Mr. Alfred Parker will be sorry to learn that he is not doing so well since his operations a few weeks ago, and has gone to the Johnston County Hospital for further treatment.

Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Woodall attended the show in Raleigh Friday night.

Mrs. Donald McLaughlin, of Fayetteville, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Paul Johnson, for several days this week.

Miss Louise Butler, of Dunn, spent the past week end as guest of Miss Kate Johnson.

Miss Neta Turlington was the guest of her sister, Miss Sarah Turlington in Smithfield, the past week end.

Miss Kate Johnson was guest of Miss Lucile Lee in Smithfield this past week end.

Miss Lallah Rookh Stephenson and Mrs. A. M. Calais, of Smithfield, spent Thursday here with Mrs. Paul V. Brown.

Mrs. Irbin Smith and children, Katherine and George Thomas, of Coats, spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. Leon Talton.

Mrs. Nettie Mills, of Raleigh, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Utley for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shaw visited relatives in Raleigh Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Houston, Messames W. R. Denning, Howard Denning, J. R. McLamb, W. F. Smith, W. O. Rackley, Ezra Parker, Mack Barbour and J. P. Lane spent Monday in Raleigh in attendance at the Missionary study which was conducted at Edenton Street Methodist church.

Johnson Union

By IRENE GOWER
CLAYTON, Route 3, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Adelaide Underwood is spending some time with her son, Mr. H. H. Underwood, near Wilson's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gower made a business trip to Smithfield Monday.

Mrs. Alma Coletrain, of Selma spent the past week end the guest of Miss Norma Gowan.

Mr. Owen Underwood spent the past week end the guest of friends near Clayton.

Misses Georgiana, Gladys and Louise Harper and Mr. Wasington Harper, of Sandy Ridge, spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hoggard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wood and daughter, Shirley, of Wilson's Mills, visited friends and relatives near Clayton Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Wood and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wood spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wood near Wilson's Mills.

Miss Velma Parrish is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Lancaster, at Yelvington's Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coates, of Johnson school section, spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coates were recently called to Clayton on account of the illness of their mother, Mrs. Ellen Dodd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wood and Mrs. Minnie Wood made a business trip to Clayton last Tuesday.

Corbett-Hatcher

SELMA, Route 1, Jan. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore Blackmar and daughter, of Live Oak, spent Sunday with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Brown spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boyette, near Glendale.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whaley and family, of Zebulon, spent last Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Raper, of Wilson, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Price.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bailey and daughter, of Smithfield, spent last Sunday afternoon here with their parents and attended services at Fairview Sunday night.

Mr. Herman Woodard, of Glendale, and Miss Anne Whitley, of Stancell's Chapel, spent a short while Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Brown.

Dixie

MIDDLESEX, Route 1, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Marceline Corbett, of the Friendship section, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Omega O'Neal at Antioch.

Misses Annie Price and Bessie Naron went to Wilson Saturday.

Several of the people in this community attended the society program given by members of the high school last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naron and children have recently moved into the Glendale section where they will make their home this winter.

Miss Ella Hocutt returned home last Friday afternoon after visiting friends in Zebulon.

We were sorry to know of the death of Mr. William Strickland who had been sick for several weeks. He was laid to rest in the burying ground at Antioch last Thursday afternoon.

Misses Gladys and Sadie Grace Whitley, of near Zebulon, attended church at Antioch Sunday.

We are very glad to know that Mr. D. E. Naron is improving after being sick for several days.

Mrs. Onnie Godwin, of Rocky Mount, spent the week with relatives in this section.

Mr. Odis Parker, of Rocky Mount, spent the week end at home with his mother, Mrs. Adeline Parker.

The young girls and boys of this community gave a surprise party in honor of Miss Myrtle Naron last Friday. Each one reported a very enjoyable time.

Four Oaks

and Mrs. Lloyd Griffin and daughter, Susan Brown, of Goldsboro, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sanders Sunday afternoon.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. E. F. Strickland who is ill with pneumonia, is gradually improving.

Mrs. Carson Adams is spending a few days in Raleigh with relatives.

Miss Sarah Sykes, of Dunn, visited friends here Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. P. Sanders is spending a few days in Goldsboro with her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Canaday and Mrs. W. J. Lewis spent several hours in Raleigh Friday.

Quite a number attended the basketball game in Goldsboro on Tuesday evening.

Friends of Mrs. Hunter Strickland will be glad to learn that she is able to be out again after being confined to her room for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis went to Goldsboro Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Mary Cochran, member of the school faculty, was called to her home in Hamlet Sunday on account of the death of her aunt.

Mr. Johnnie Hobbs spent the week end in Hamlet with friends.

Princeton

PRINCETON, Jan. 16.—Misses Mattie Mazingo, Mattie Whitley and Mabel Overby, of Kenly, were the guests of Miss Leora Cooke at the dormitory Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Suggs and Mrs. Henry Fitzgerald went to Goldsboro Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williamson, of Wilson county, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Holt Monday.

Mr. Norman Hinton, of Wilson county, was a visitor in town Monday.

Miss Ina Godwin, of Kenly, is spending the week with Mrs. Neasa Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Greer Glenn, of Meadow, were visitors in town Sunday. Mrs. Glenn is very pleasantly remembered here as Miss Constance Hammetson and was a jolly teacher.

Full Rows Virginia-Carolina Chemical Corporation

Co-ops to Market Cotton

By delivering cotton to a state cooperative cotton marketing association instead of selling it in the open market, the grower now can get almost the present local selling price as an immediate advance from their time-honored custom of staling phosphoric acid first to the international system of staling nitrogen, phosphoric acid, potash.

PUT POOR LANDS BACK

"Marginal and sub-marginal land is of low productive power, low standards of living, low social standards. Sound policy must exclude such land from agriculture and assign it to its legitimate uses such as timber production and grazing."

New International System

"Several states of the south will this year transfer their allegiance from their time-honored custom of staling phosphoric acid first to the international system of staling nitrogen, phosphoric acid, potash."

Diversification at Last

"The report that farm conditions are generally excellent is further proof that business conditions are sound. Improvement has been marked, despite local slumps. This is partly due to diversification, which is no longer at being practiced. No longer are farmers completely wiped out when any single crop fails."

Canada Is Learning Too

"As the plant food content of the Canadian soils slowly diminishes, farmers realize more and more the value of fertilizers in obtaining increased yields."

Hydrogen Gas will harden peanut oil so it will stand even tropical heat without melting.

Death of Mr. J. Z. Jones

On Monday, November 25 at one o'clock our town and community was shocked and saddened by the death of our father, Mr. J. Z. Jones.

Our dear father was in his 60th year and had been in bad health for the last six years. He came to this community about 20 years ago from Selma.

He had been married twice. His first wife was Miss Rebecca Jane Batten who preceded him to his grave ten years before. He leaves to mourn his departure a faithful wife, Mrs. Della Jones, and seven children: Mrs. S. R. Hinnant of Smithfield; Mr. R. C. Jones, of Ambrose, Ga.; Mrs. Howard Creech, Mr. N. B. Jones, Ora, Mae and Mary Jones, all of Micro. Two sisters and one brother also survive.

He was a kind husband and

father and a good neighbor and was liked by all who knew him.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. T. Collier of Micro. He was laid to rest in the family burying ground near Micro. The floral offerings were very beautiful. His grave was newly covered with pretty flowers. A large course of friends and neighbors present attested the high esteem in which the deceased was held. He is sleeping, calmly sleeping. In his new made grave today. We are weeping, sadly weeping. Four our dear one gone away. A broken-hearted daughter, MARY JONES

CABBAGE PLANTS, 20 cents a hundred. Smithfield Mercantile Co., Smithfield, N. C.

BLACKSMITH SHOP MOVED!

I have moved my blacksmith shop from the Jenkins White shop to the Hyman Fort cafe near the Banner Warehouse and am now ready for work. DAVID JONES

Notice to Tax Payers

This is to advise the taxpayers of Johnston County that under Section 805 Public laws of North Carolina, Session of 1929, beginning February 1, 1930 a penalty of one per cent will be added to all unpaid taxes for the year 1929. This penalty is not put on by the County Commissioners but is specifically prescribed in the above section.

D. W. Parker Tax Collector for Johnston County

BACKACHE

If functional Bladder Irritation disturbs your sleep, or causes Burning or Itching Sensation, Backache, Leg Pains, or muscular aches, making you feel tired, depressed, and discouraged, why not try the Cystex 48 Hour Test? Don't give up. Get Cystex today. Put it to the test. See for yourself how quickly it works and what it does. Money back if it doesn't bring quick improvement, and satisfy you completely. Try Cystex today. Only 60c. Hood Bros.

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We are now running an Oyster Roast along with our famous barbecue and brunswick stew at the old mill near Princeton. J.T. Canady, Mgr. Look for the arch on No. 10