

Local News

Rev. J. M. Sullivan says he is suffering with la-sneeze, la-cough la-cold and la-grippe.

Mr. James Allen, of Ruby, who has been ill with fever for more than 6 weeks is reported a little better, and it is thought that he will live.

Miss Sallie McColl, teacher at Five Forks asks us to announce that there will be an oyster supper at Five Forks school house next Saturday night for benefit of school.

A merchant cannot omit his advertising without the fact being "noticed"—to his disadvantage. If he could, he could also close his store for a while now and then, to "save expense."

Mr. Robt. New left Saturday for Keyser, N. C., where he goes to take charge of a shingle mill for Dr. J. D. Ingram. His family will remain here, and he will probably return in 30 or 60 days.

Mr. J. Frank Griggs, of Mt. Croghan, Route 1, is under treatment for cancer of the arm at the Presbyterian hospital in Charlotte. He has been under treatment for about two months, and it is hoped that a cure will be effected.

Miss Connie Benton, of Wadesboro, will arrive in a few days to take charge of the millinery department of Pageland Mercantile Co. and Miss Euzelia Gullidge, also of Wadesboro, is expected to take charge of this department for the Carolina Supply Co.

The town and township boards of assessors are in session yesterday and today. P. H. Arant, J. R. ...

Arant and ... underburk the township board.

Polly Terry, the 14-year-old daughter of Mr. James A. Terry of Lanes Creek township, died last Friday night about 11 o'clock after a lingering illness of several months. The body was laid to rest at Zion church Saturday afternoon, services being conducted by Rev. J. A. McGraw.

Eva, the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Newman, of Taxahaw, fell on the ice during the recent snow and sprained an ankle so that she has been unable to walk since. Mrs. Newman is blind and Eva was the cook, and this accident has thrown double duty on the husband.

Rev. R. W. Cato asks us to publish his appointments at Mt. Moriah and Mt. Pisgah again as there were some mistakes in the list as published heretofore. They are as follows: Mt. Moriah 1st Saturday, 11 a.m. and 1st Sunday 3 p.m. Mt. Pisgah, 1st Saturday 3 p.m. and 1st Sunday 11 a.m. and he says "Everybody invited."

Mr. William Jordan, an aged citizen who lived several miles northeast of Pageland, died at his home Sunday night about 11 o'clock, after suffering with paralysis for about a week. He had a light attack which gradually grew worse. He was buried at Zion church Tuesday about 10 o'clock, after services conducted by Rev. J. D. Purvis. He was 63 years old, a member of Providence church and a good citizen, who will be missed in his community. He is survived by a wife and the following children: Lonnie, Lester, Mamie, Rena, Phronia, Minnie and Bertha. He was a native of the Brown Creek section of Union county, but moved to this section from the mountains of North Carolina about 18 years ago.

The schedules on the C. & L. are not the best at present, owing to the rush of the guano season and the poor condition of the roadbed. For some time there has been more business than the road could handle, and the rough weather and the heavy traffic has played havoc with the roadbed in many places, so that the trains are now required to travel slowly in many places. The white clay roadbed about the Cato siding below Ruby is in very unsatisfactory condition, and two or three small wrecks have occurred there lately, but little damage has been done.

A rather novel plan for raising the funds for the expenses of the church is in vogue at Union Hill church in the western part of the county. The members have cotton patches and give all the cotton raised on the particular patch dedicated to the Lord's work. As the cotton is gathered it is weighed and carried to the preacher, Rev. R. W. Cato, who has it ginned, sells it and credits each one with his part of the proceeds. He says this plan works admirably, and that no trouble is experienced in raising the necessary funds. Some more of the churches might do well to try this plan. Some who would not pay more than a dollar or two under the old plan pay as high as fifteen, said Mr. Cato.

Jim Baskins, a negro, was killed Sunday afternoon at the home of Jim Cato, near Taxahaw by Mr. Thos. Blackmon, a prominent farmer who lives on Flat creek near Taxahaw, according to reports that seem to be authentic, though the coroner's jury rendered a verdict saying the negro was killed by an unknown party. They had had trouble at Cook's mill about 3 years ago, and threats were made, but later they settled the trouble. Sunday they were to go to Cato's and Baskins followed him and again brought up the trouble, and it seems, was advancing on him when Blackmon struck him a terrific blow on the head with the stock of a gun, crushing in the skull and killing him instantly. When Cato came out from his hiding he found Baskins lying in the edge of the yard and saw Blackmon leaving. Coroner M. N. Johnson held an inquest Monday morning. Blackmon surrendered to the authorities at Lancaster yesterday morning and will try to have the case tried at the term of court now in session at that place. Baskins was a negro with a rather bad reputation.

Personals

Miss Adelaide Nelson, of Lancaster county, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her brother, Mr. R. H. Nelson.

Mr. D. E. Plummer, the popular traveling salesman of Darlington who is interested in the firm of D. E. Clark & Co., was in town Thursday and Friday.

Mr. H. V. Mungo is back from the markets where he bought goods for Mungo Bros.

Rev. J. A. McGraw, is in Asheville N. C., on business.

Arizona's 23-cent Cotton.

A portion of the 2,100-bale 1913 crop of Arizona long staple cotton of the Egyptian type, developed by the Department of Agriculture, sold in Liverpool recently at 23 1-3 cents a pound netting the Arizona growers 21 1-2 cents a pound at their shipping point in Salt River Valley, it was announced today by Secretary Houston. This was taken to indicate that English spinners consider this cotton equal to the best grades produced in Egypt. A quantity sold to American spinners brought prices which make this a very profitable crop for irrigated lands of the South-west.—Ex.

New Advertisements

Read very carefully following new advs. Pageland Mercantile Co. F. S. Royster Guano Co. T. W. Wood & Sons. Cortright Metal Roofing. Pageland Hardware Co. Cato Company. Carolina Supply Co. Sowell & Knight. D. E. Clark & Co. S. H. Laney. Mungo Brothers. Pageland Buggy & Wagon Co. And a number of business locals and notices.

New Registrars

The following gentlemen have been appointed by Gov. Blease as a board of registration for Chesterfield county: S. B. Timmons, Mt. Croghan; E. T. White, Chesterfield; William Belk, Cheraw, R No. 1. Also the following for Lancaster county: W. G. A. Porter, W. T. Morris and Wylie Q. Caskey.

Items From Route One

Salem Sunday school was re-organized recently with the following officers: W. T. Phillips, Supt., John Richardson, Sr., assistant, Preston B. Mills, Sec. and Treas., Geo. W. Watts and Miss Hattie Richardson, bible class teachers; Ella Richardson, card class teacher.

Mr. Preston Mills is just out from a case of measles, and James Mills has just recovered from an attack of lagrippe.

From reports there are a number of cases of measles and mumps in this section.

The colored people have finished the repairs on their church in this section.

Mr. Watt Rayfield spent Saturday and Sunday with his brother Carl, who is in school at Wingate and who happened to an accident during the recent big snow. He, with several others, were scouring when all fell together, one or more falling on Rayfield's leg and spraining it so severely that he is yet unable to walk.

BUSINESS LOCALS

All kinds of seed Irish potatoes; 35c per bush at Pageland Mercantile Co.

For Sale 3 or 4 settings of Barred Plymouth Rock eggs at 75 cents, T. W. Gregory.

I will soon be in position to do all classes and grades of picture work. Will be located over the Mercantile. Will solicit your patronage, also will handle all grades of frames. J. H. Whitmore.

For Sale—I am now making laths. Get my prices. H. H. Harral, Ruby, 26-3p.

All persons are hereby forbid to hive or harbor my son, Lacey Redfearn in any way. Any one violating this notice will be dealt with according to law. This March 2, 1914. Laura Lowery.

For Sale—Good draft mare; or would trade for cattle. Zeb V. Long, Monroe, Route 1.

Buy your doors and sash from Fox Lumber Co.

Found—Monday one gold pin. Call at this office and pay for this notice.

Wood—When you want wood of any kind see or call. R. F. Smith.

Wanted—to buy ten bushels of white nest onions at once. Cash Grocery Store.

For Sale—or Rent. A good 5 room dwelling in western part of town, two lots, good barn and good well of water. See R. F. Smith.

For Sale—Cotton seed hulls on your wagon for 55c; 60c delivered in town. Phone Cash Grocery Store. Watt Gregory.

Sash & doors; We have added to our line sash and doors, will be glad to serve you. Pageland Hardware Co.

Lost Saturday afternoon, pair of tooth extractors. Reward for return to H. B. Sowell.

For Rent, 3-horse farm 3 miles north of Pageland. Will furnish pair of good mules or will sell and rent for sure rent. W. B. Mangum. 24-2pd.

Wanted I am a bachelor of good reputation, and I want a wife. Am not particular. Most anybody above 16 years will do. Write or notify, W. B. Mangum, Pageland, R. 1.

Barrel and keg molasses, the very best. S. H. Laney.

Cotton Seed—My King's Improved cotton seed for planting are ready for delivery. If you want some of them, come now. J. A. Arant.

Buy Your seed oats from C. L. Gullidge at Guess.

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are choice, re-cleaned, heavy seed grain. We offer all the best and most productive kinds for spring seeding.

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T. W. WOOD Seedsman - Richmond, Va.

Notice of Decrease of Stock

At a call meeting of the board of directors of the Pageland Mercantile Co., held at Pageland, S. C., on the 17th day of February, 1914, said meeting being held pursuant to notice and a resolution was offered and adopted by a two-thirds vote that the capital stock of twenty five thousand dollars be decreased to ten thousand dollars.

R. H. Blakeney, Pres. Dr. J. M. Rallings, Sec. (Advertisement)

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We offer all the best prize-winning and profit-making varieties:

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Notice

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