

**HICKORY TAVERN NEWS.**

Hickory Tavern, March 31.—The farmers all are very busy at this writing preparing their land for planting. Nearly all of our young men have returned home from the army, and we will gladly welcome the rest at an early date.

The grain crop through this section is not very good.

Mr. T. B. Sumerel, of Laurens, was in our midst last week demonstrating the "Anderson Six", and also the "Overland".

Miss Hazle Bolt is spending a few weeks with her aunt who is sick in Piedmont.

Quite a number of our people went to Laurens Saturday.

From what we can get from the daily papers, our allies are going to get into another little fight.

Miss Maggie Beeks, a teacher at Friendship, was the welcome guest of Mrs. W. M. Abercrombie last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Addie Bolt spent Thursday afternoon with her sisters, Misses Fannie and Sallie Brownlee, of Dials.

Misses Corrie Knight and Geneva Pitts, who are attending the normal college in Ashville, returned home for a few days, this being their Christmas holidays. A bit late but better late than never.

Misses Marie Jamison and Imo and Emma Cheek passed through here Saturday on their way to spend the week-

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end with Rev. W. A. Baldwin and family.

Miss Edna Owings, of Rabun, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Claude Wasson last week.

Several of our people attended the singing at Hillside Sunday and they all report a good time.

The sick in our community are all better at present.

Mr. Culver Sumerel is sick at present, but hopes to be well soon.

Mr. Gilie Sumerel and Master Mancell dined at Mrs. Florence League's Sunday.

Mr. Ludie Abercrombie and brother, Ivan Abercrombie and wife, were the welcome guests at Mr. Walker Chestnut's Sunday.

**COLD POINT NEWS.**

Cold Point, March 31.—Mr. Byron Nicholls was over Saturday from Belton. He was accompanied by Mr. Jones Cunningham, who is helping put up the Liberty Cotton Chopper.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Duncan and son, H. P., from Greenwood county, were over recently to see Mr. O. C. Duncan, who has been in bad health for some time. Mr. Duncan wants to thank the good people of the community for the good things they have been bringing him to eat since he has been sick.

We were not surprised to see Mr. H. F. Wheeler plowing with his Ford, for he has done most everything else with it.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bailey and Mr. Bailey's brother, from Greenville, took supper with Mrs. E. L. Leake Sunday evening.

Mr. J. D. Hunter, of Barksdale, was here on business Saturday. He was accompanied by Master William Hunter.

Mr. Marcus Laquire, of Laurens, spent Saturday night with Mr. O. C. Duncan.

Mr. F. T. Duncan was here visiting his father Sunday.

Misses Carrie, Annie and Julia Nelson spent the day Sunday with Mr. Ed. Fuller near Lisbon.

Little Mose Madden, after being sick for some time, is out again.

Mrs. Tom Martin, of Spartanburg, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Della Cunningham.

Mr. Larry Martin, of Spartanburg, was down Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Guy E. Moore went over to Greenwood last week.

**MT. BETHEL NEWS.**

Mt. Bethel, March 31.—The Improvement association of Mt. Bethel school will give a box supper on Friday night, April 4th, the proceeds to go to the improvement of the school.

Miss Mazie Knight, the principal of Mt. Bethel school, went shopping in Greenville Monday, while Miss Polly Davis was filling her place at school.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Abercrombie were the guests of M. J. A. Wood and family Sunday.

Mr. Marvin Seibert, of Greenwood, was the week-end guest of Mr. Howard Carlisle.

Messrs. Jeff and William Wood were the guests of Mr. Manning Bolt Sunday of the Mt. Olive section.

We wish to extend our congratulations to the newly married couple, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Prior.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gambrell and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McDonald were the guests of Mr. B. E. Crawford and family Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Letner and children, of Columbia are visiting parents in this section.

Mr. Haskell Henley, of Greenwood, was the week-end guest of J. H. Henley and family.

Mrs. Ida Stone and son, Marshall, were the week-end guests of Mrs. S. C. Killingsworth, of Donalds.

Mr. Ernest McWhorter, of Pickens, was visiting his mother Mrs. H. E. Hughes, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cook and Mrs. M. E. Morrison were visiting Mrs. M. E. Morrison's sister, near Princeton, Sunday.

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**NEW ENGLAND MILLS WILL PAY FAIR PRICE**

Eastern Manufacturers Showing No Objection to Proposed Reduction of Cotton Acreage.

Shreveport, La., March 28.—Asserting that Eastern mills will as readily pay a high price for Southern cotton as a lower price, G. H. H. Souls, of the Cotton Exchange department of the Shawmut Bank of Boston, told members of the Louisiana Bankers' Association in session here tonight, that there is no reason to believe the proposed reduction in acreage in the South will decrease the output of the Eastern mills for the year.

"We must consider the fact that an immense portion of the 1918 crop is yet being held," he said. "This left over crop is sufficient to make up for the decrease in production from the farm; and yet so much of it being in the hands of the farmer with the cooperation of the Southern bankers and merchants, he should be able to obtain a fair price for both his 1918 and this year's crops."

New England cotton manufacturers, Mr. Soule said, are showing no objections to the proposed reduction in Southern cotton acreage.

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27-in. Dress Gingham, mill ends, formerly sold at 35c yd., sale price	15c
27-in. Dress Gingham, mill ends, formerly sold at 25c yd., sale price	15c
Yard-wide Bleaching, mill ends, formerly sold at 25c yd., sale price	15c
Yard-wide Bleaching, mill ends, formerly sold at 30c yd., sale price	19c
Yard-wide White Poplin, mill ends, formerly sold at 50c yd., sale price	25c
Yard-wide Shirting, mill ends, formerly sold at 40c yd., sale price	25c
Heavy Shirting, mill ends, formerly sold at 35c yd., sale price	25c
Fancy Voiles, mill ends, formerly sold at 35c yd., sale price	25c

**READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT!**

Ready-to-Wear Department—Silk Dresses in Taffeta, Crepe-de-Chine and Georgette \$17.50, \$20.00, \$25.00, to \$35.00

Capes and Dolmans \$15.00, \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00

Spring Suits in the new styles \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00

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Yard-wide Poreale in mill ends, formerly sold at 30c yd., sale price 15c

Yard-wide Sea Island, mill ends, formerly sold at 25c yd., sale price 15c

White Lawn, mill ends, formerly sold at 25c yd., sale price	19c
White Voiles, mill ends, formerly sold at 35c to 40c yd., sale price	19c
9-4 Bleached and Unbleached Sheeting, formerly sold at 65c to 75c yd., sale price	49c
Heavy Sheeting and Chambray in mill ends, formerly sold at 35c yd., sale price	19c
Men's heavy Overalls, formerly sold at \$2.50, special	\$1.98
One lot Men's Grey and Brown Overalls, formerly sold at \$2.00, special	\$1.49
One lot Boy's Overalls, special	98c
One lot Sheets, special	\$1.39
One lot Mercerized Napkins, special at per dozen	\$1.19
One lot Bath Towels, special	25c
Extra large Bath Towels	49c
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