

ALONG THE MAIL ROUTE.

Items of Interest Gathered 'Twixt
Scranton and Johnsonville.

SCRANTON, August 31.—Johnsonville is still forging to the front. Messrs S B Poston and Jeff Haselden are putting up a saw-mill, grist-mill and ginney. The saw mill is already in operation and the grist-mill and ginney will soon be completed. This enterprise—especially the cotton ginney—fills a long felt want for Johnsonville and vicinity.

Fodder-stripping is about over, though a few farmers are not yet through. Barring the intense heat the past week has been very favorable for gathering forage.

Some of the farmers are still busy grading tobacco. The cotton picking season is on and also the time for making syrup is at hand. For some time to come the farmers will be busy with the work of harvesting.

In a fox chase recently Mr W O Eaddy and other sportsmen near Leo succeeded in bagging two of the sly "varmints" after a hot pursuit of four hours.

Mr Nelson Prosser's young son killed a rattle-snake recently having three rattles and a button. Mr Prosser told me that on the day before that one was killed another of his sons assisted Mr J Davis Carter in despatching a large rattler with twelve rattles.

Mr E F Prosser is putting up a gin-house at his mill near Vox postoffice. The people of this neighborhood will have it very convenient for ginning their cotton, as this is the third outfit of the kind within a mile and a half of Vox.

Mr S Poston of Jay is equipping his ginney with new machinery.

Miss Janie Perkins of Single is teaching at the Gaskins school house.

Mr S Poston of Jay has been quite sick, but is up again.

Mr J J Brown of Florence will soon begin teaching school at Lake Chapel. Ego.

The State Fair affords a fine opportunity to sell and to buy, the variety is from a peck of peas to a pair of pacers, help swell the variety by making and exhibit at the next fair,—Oct 27-30th.

The foolish man works hard looking for a soft job.

Woe and Want are the twin children of Lust and Laziness.

Money may build a house, but money cannot make it a home.

A man is like an egg—best tested when broke.

MORRISVILLE MENTION.

(Written for last week.)

MORRISVILLE, August 23.—The prevailing rains in this section have caused some of the farmers to suspend work for a while.

On last Monday evening there was a social gathering at the residence of Rev and Mrs H B Jones, which was enjoyed very much by the young people.

Mr Ed Whalley returned to his home in Marion, after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs H B Jones.

Rev Mr Riley and wife returned last week from a visit to friends in Marion and, after a short stay at home, the latter left for Anderson, where she will remain for some time with relatives.

Several of our people have been down to Pawley's Island and report having had a pleasant time.

Mrs T H Breckinton is very ill at this writing. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

TUBE ROSES.

BENSON BRIEFS.

BENSON, August 31.—Mrs Ellen Haddock and Mr Jesse Tallevast of Turkey Creek were married at Cedar Grove church last Thursday evening by Rev H C Haddock.

Miss Hatie Snowden of Church is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr W E Snowden is home this week for a rest up.

The protracted meeting at the Methodist church commenced last night and will run through the week.

The hot spell was broken last night by a heavy fall of rain; the break in the weather is appreciated after nine days of suffocating heat.

Cotton is opening rapidly and picking has begun. W. S. G.

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