

OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Sodala. Dec. 9.—The news in this section has not been very interesting for the past three weeks and your correspondent has been too busy to gather up what little might have interested the readers of the Times.

More wheat has been sown than last year. The extreme drought in the early fall prevented the sowing of oats, consequently not many will be sown till January and February.

Measles is quite prevalent in the upper part of our Township and along the line of Union and Spartanburg.

A supposed mad dog passed through this neighborhood one night last week biting a good many dogs and creating considerable excitement. About midnight the rabid animal arrived at Cross Keys where Mr. G. T. Hollis hearing the noise of dogs fighting, went out with his gun and by a few well directed shots soon dispatched the dangerous traveler.

We are sorry to state that an unusual amount of stealing and house-breaking has been carried on in this section during the fall. Mr. I. T. Estes' cotton house was broken into twice and a seed cotton taken from the place. L. F. Bailey Esq. had about two wagon loads of corn taken off a pile he had hauled off his bottom and left lying for several days.

Each school is entitled to three representatives and it is hoped that full delegations will attend. The Flint Hill, Mesopotamia and other choirs respectfully invited to attend and assist the local choir in the music.

J. M. Greer, Sect'y. J. L. Strain, For Ex. Com.

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Mr. I. P. Bailey and son started to Atlanta yesterday to take in the exposition.

The Farmers are pretty much through with their work and nothing now remains to be done to build and repair houses, cut wood and do such other work.

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We are coming to a point in our national history when the all confederate soldier and his posterity will be glad that he is a member of the United Confederate Veterans.

The rank and file of the Federal soldiery hold in the highest esteem the courage and devotion to principle of the southern soldier and to say hundreds of thousands of hearts in the great North are throbbing in sympathy with the poor decrepit and battle scarred veterans who followed the southern cross for four years of faithful courage and when crippled by overexerting forces and resources required to their desolate homes bereft of every thing save their honor.

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2:00 P. M. Do heads of families who neglect family prayer live consistent Christian lives? Opened by Rev. Simpson Blanton, followed by others.

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David Betsill of Cross Keys. Minter Turner of Whitmire.

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Tomato suit hard times. S. M. RICE Jr., E. U.

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W. E. Ray.

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