

COTTON GROWERS ADOPT RESOLUTION FOR FUTURE WORK

State Branch of American Cotton Association to Direct Campaign.

ONLY ORGANIZATION WILL BRING DESIRED RESULT FOR PLANTER

Important Steps Taken for Future Activities in Meeting Held in Raleigh.

The following resolutions were adopted at a meeting of the State Branch of the American Cotton Growers Association conducted in Raleigh last Thursday. Prominent cotton planters and business men from practically every section of the state attended the meeting which featured in profitable suggestions and addresses by men well informed concerning conditions everywhere:

"Be it resolved by the North Carolina Division of the American Cotton Association that we endorse the program of the American Cotton Association at Montgomery, Ala., September 1-2-3, 1920, and especially urge the following program for affecting its purposes.

"First: We urge our people to spread the information that the present disastrously low price of cotton is due to temporary and artificial conditions, just as the disastrously low price in the fall of 1914 was due to a temporary condition of demoralization. The price advanced over fifty per cent before planting time, and we look for a strong upward trend in prices as soon as conditions can be adjusted. The financial world is disturbed by new Federal Reserve regulations, but the country at large is sound and prosperous, and hence the present demoralization must cease. Europe is at work, and for the most part, at peace, so relief from that quarter must be expected. The size of the cotton crop has certainly been fully estimated, and we believe overestimated, and any change here must help the bulls rather than the bears. The end of the Presidential election will also tend towards steadier and better business.

"For all these and other reasons we urge our people to denounce the propaganda of panic and fear, and preach the sound doctrine of confidence. If we fight we will win and save the profits on this year's crop. If we lie down and surrender before the propaganda of bear speculators we simply throw the profits of our labors into their hands.

"Second: What is to be done must be done not at Montgomery or Raleigh, but by the folks back at home. We therefore, urge the largest possible attendance for the cotton meetings in every county seat at 11 o'clock Monday, September 20th; and that such meetings immediately get down to the business of supporting the program set forth by the Montgomery meeting and repeated in the Governor's proclamation, to wit: the holding, warehousing, and financing of the country's cotton crop; the organization of co-operative marketing associations, and the cutting of next year's cotton acreage right now by tremendously increasing the fall-sown wheat and oat acreage. The cotton grower, large or small, who refuses to increase his acreage in food crops in this way, but who perversely continues to plant excess acreage in cotton while purchasing supplies that he might grow for his farm, should be branded publicly as the worst of all cotton bears. Also the pledging of ten cents a bale as membership dues from the cotton grower to be collected by the grower. This charge of ten cents per bale on cotton ginned during the season of 1920 pays the membership dues of the cotton grower for 1921.

"Third: North Carolina is declared to have the best warehouse system in the south financed by the farmers themselves, its receipt guaranteed by a great State fund, and made as safe as gold bonds. We urge every county next Monday to decide on some definite plan for increasing the warehouse capacity of that county. An immediate State meeting should be held to which

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Prince Aage of Denmark, who was compelled to renounce all his royal prerogatives, as well as his place in the line of succession to the Danish nobility with the title of Count Rosenberg, because of his marriage to the daughter of Count Galvi de Bergoglio, Danish ambassador to Copenhagen.

HELEN MORRILL TO APPEAR IN CONCERT HERE NEXT FRIDAY

Famous Young Soprano Has Program of More Than Unusual Interest.

Miss Helena Morrill the talented young soprano with the world's famous Artists Company, who will appear at White's Theatre, Friday evening has the distinction of being on the same program with the famous Caruso and other Metropolitan Artists and was unanimously proclaimed by the press as having a voice of rare quality. Miss Morrill comes from a highly educated musical family. Her grandfather having sung many times before royalty, while her father has been identified with concert and church work for many years, being noted in the East for his excellent bass voice. Miss Morrill studied piano from the early age of eight. At eighteen she was given a scholarship at the New England Conservatory of music where her talent for singing was discovered and developed, making her debut in concert work her success has been marvelous. Her attractive personality and great charm has won for her, thousands of admirers.

Miss Morrill was leading prima donna with the Boston English Opera Company last season and as one critic expressed himself: "Helena Morrill once more captivated; it is a pleasure to see her on the stage and when her rich sweet voice is heard, everybody becomes enamored with her."

FORTY BUILDINGS DESTROYED BY FIRE IN TAMPICO SECTION

Mexico City, Sept. 18.—Forty buildings were destroyed by fire here today, including the wharf and several stores.

SLIGHT DROP NOTED IN REPORT OF AUGUST WHOLESALE BUSINESS

Washington, Sept. 18.—A drop of 4 1/2 cents in the general level of wholesale during August has been reported by the Department of Labor. Foodstuffs showed greatest price reductions, the decrease averaging more than 12 per cent. Farm products declined nearly six per cent, and clothing five and three quarters. Fuel, metals and house furnishings showed an increase.

MARKET WILL NOT BE CLOSED DURING FAIR WEEK.

The local tobacco market will not be closed next week during the fair, but will follow the regular sales cards all the week.

AMERICAN ABROAD PROTESTS AGAINST EXCESS PROFIT TAX

American Business Firms in Argentina Depot Resolution Against Uncle Sam

DECLARE HEAVY TAXES IS PROVING OBSTACLE IN FOREIGN COMMERCE

Assessments Have Already Caused Many American Firms to Change Identity

Buenos Aires, Sept. 18.—Protest against the assessment of the United States income and excess profits tax upon American citizens and business firms residing and operating abroad is voiced in a resolution adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States in Argentina and sent to the government at Washington. Amendment to the law is asked on the ground that it is proving an obstacle to the development and extension of United States foreign commerce.

Collection of the tax not only increases the heavy expenses of American residing abroad, but constitutes a serious handicap to them in trade competition, the resolution states, since no such tax is collected from the nationals of other countries. It is further pointed out that American citizens and business houses must pay heavy taxes levied by the country in which they are located and are thus taxed twice without representation either in the government of that country or their own.

Already the assessment of the excess profits and income tax has caused many American interests operating abroad to change their identity by organizing as concerns of the countries where they conduct business it is asserted, "thus causing a serious loss to the prestige of American-commerce in foreign markets."

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DECLARES POSTAL SERVICE MUST BE ABOLISHED IN ROME

Member of Italian Cabinet Charges that Present Service is Demoralized.

Rome, Sept. 18.—Complaint that the government postal and telegraph service is poor is crystallized in a statement by Professor Ugo Ancona, member of the recent Italian cabinet, who declared that the Ministry of Posts and Telegraphs must be abolished and organized anew. The Professor suggests also that subsidiary branches of the Ministry, except the savings banks, be given over to private enterprise, declaring that it is impossible to go on as things now are.

Professor Ancona charges that the Ministry is a hopeless "maid of all work" which tries to operate the postal service telegraphs, telephones, savings banks, loans and national lotteries and that it does all of these services poorly. The public is rapidly learning to send parcels by private firms since of those confined to the state more than 20 percent do not arrive, while 30 percent of those received are without their contents, says the Professor. He charges also that the Ministry of Posts is enormously overstaffed with about 60,000 employees, some of whom are "terribly underpaid," and that both discipline and organization are sadly wanting.

The Ministry had a deficit equivalent to \$13,000,000 in its budget for last year owing to greatly increased operating expenses and wages. The deficit is expected to reach \$30,000,000 for the current year.

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HIGH BREAD PRICES EXPECTED TO MOUNT HIGHER IN ENGLAND

With Bread Selling at 25 Cents Per Loaf Situation Becomes Real Acute.

WHEAT CROP SAID TO BE THE SMALLEST IN SEVERAL PAST YEARS

Professor Long Shows Crops Have Been Reduced 679,000 Acres

London, Sept. 18.—With bread selling at 25 cents a loaf and soon to be raised to 30 and later perhaps to 35 cents, England is harvesting this season the smallest wheat crop since the early days of the war. Production of barley, on the other hand, will show a material increase over that of the last few years.

The reasons for this state of affairs, according to Professor James Long, a well-known agricultural expert are government control and beer. The price of wheat and oats is regulated, but no restriction has been placed on that of barley. As the market price of barley is exceptionally high, farmers planted that grain instead of wheat and oats.

Professor Long shows that since 1918 wheat has been reduced by 679,000 acres, or more than one-third of the present area, while oats, also an important bread stuff, has fallen off by 512,000 acres. "On the basis of wheat," he says, "this means a loss of bread grain equal to some 38,000,000 bushels, or sufficient to feed 7,500,000 persons. It is a curious commentary on the fact that the barley crop has considerably increased, and that in consequence beer has so far occupied the position of bread."

The country has fewer cattle than in any year since 1903 and 5,330,000 less sheep than the average of the 10 years from 1904 to 1913. The decrease in cattle since last year is more than 500,000 head.

REVISION OF LABOR LEGISLATION ASKED BY EDEN SOCIALIST

Government Committee Recommends Suspension of Law Until Amended.

Stockholm, Sept. 18.—A government committee which has investigated the operation of the eight-hour law enacted by the Liberal-Socialist Eden government has just recommended that the law be suspended and revised. It advocates that the length of the working day should be made dependent upon a mutual agreement between employers and employees and that some provision be made for longer working hours under certain circumstances.

The committee was unanimous in finding that the expectation that the measure would encourage industry on the part of the workers has not been realized. It reports that in no single line of work have the employees shown any greater efficiency or energy, that there has been a considerable decline in production. It says that several big plants are on the verge of closing down because they can not be made to earn profits owing to heavy charges for increased housing facilities for workers, higher payrolls and the high cost of machinery.

The committee's investigation covered a period of eight months. Under the law heavy fines on employers were authorized for infringement and councils of employers, employees and government representatives were established to consider any departure from the eight-hour working day established under the law.

When the measure was introduced, Hjalmar Branting, the Socialist leader and labor leaders declared it would not reduce production.

POLICE DECLARE RADICALS PLAYED PRINCIPAL PART IN GREAT EXPLOSION

New York, Sept. 18.—Convinced that explosion which resulted in the loss of thirty-five lives and injury of three hundred in Wall street Thursday was deliberately planned by radicals, officials of the Department of Justice, headed by Attorney General Palmer himself, today spread a dragnet over the country to trap originators. A reward of five hundred dollars spurred police and others to ferret out all clues.

Detective and witnesses continued to crowd police headquarters where officials are still seeking to identify the death wagon. Apparently more progress was made from examinations of horse than wagon. Officials declared they were unable yet to identify the wagon or owner. Confidence that American anarchists fighters who are believed now to have caused the explosion would be brought to justice was expressed by Chief Fynn of the Department of Justice officials who are investigating under the personal direction of Attorney General Palmer. Chief Fynn said that military circulares found in a mail box near Wall street at the time of the explosion were similar to those found at the scene of various explosions in June of last year, and that they indicated the same crowd of terrorists responsible for both outrages.

"We solved mysteries of last year's bombs but were frustrated in bringing criminals to justice when Alfredo Salede jumped from a fourteen story window during the night and committed suicide. That tipped our hand and the crowd got safely out of the country before we could nab them."

AYDEN NEWSPAPER EXTOLS FAIR TO BE BEGIN NEXT WEEK

Is Persuaded That the Attraction Will be Staged for Benefit of Everyone

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Editorial Comment Declares That It Will be Much Needed Attraction.

(Ayden Dispatch.)

It is strange that a county as progressive as Pitt, should have failed to have arranged for a fair until this late date. Edgecombe, Lenoir, Martin, Craven and other counties around here each held their fair week during the fall.

It is one great forward move that nearly all the most progressive counties are taking. We trust that the fair that is known as the Pitt County Fair will be a county fair in deed and in truth. That the people of the county will take a deep interest in its management and that exhibits will be displayed from every section of the county. The chief promoters of the fair should be representative men from every community in the county and a premium list should be in every home within the bounds of the county so that the people might be induced to make exhibits and encourage every industry within the limits of the district.

We understand that there has been an outlay of \$100,000.00 erecting suitable building and in tilling the grounds for the great display. There will doubtless be exhibits of the best stock in the county, the best yields of grain, cotton and tobacco and other products as well as samples and names of these various varieties produced.

Exhibits of the best farm implements and machinery should be shown and doubtless will be. Exhibits of domestic science should be an attractive feature. Martin county offers \$5.00 for the best biscuit that is carried to the fair. Our wives and daughters should be encouraged along every line that

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PREPARATIONS FOR OPENING OF COUNTY FAIR ARE COMPLETE

Chief Marshall Kittrel Receives Notice of Additional Floats for Parade.

MERCHANTS AND LOCAL ROTARIANS PLANNING TO HAVE FINE FLOATS

Street Dance Will be Staged Wednesday Night on Evans Street.

Preparations for the opening day of the Pitt County Fair, September 21st, are still under way and there is every indication that this will be a real banner day for Pitt county. Chief Marshall Kittrel advises that he is receiving notifications almost daily that more floats and decorated cars will be included in the parade. Two of the recent notices comes from the Merchants Association and the Rotary Club. They expect to have especially attractive floats, which will add much to the parade. The float of the Merchant's Association will represent practically all the merchants in town, and several from nearby towns, and they will have something out of the ordinary. Everyone that contemplates having a feature in the parade should bear in mind that it will begin at 11 o'clock Tuesday A. M. the 21st, from the court house square, and be there on time. You should also bear in mind the valuable prizes to be given away. First prize \$25; second prize \$10; third prize, free admission to the fair grounds.

Due to the inability of the marshals to secure a suitable place in which to give a dance Wednesday night they have decided to give a street dance. This dance will be given on Evans street in front of the Graded School and bids fair to be one of the most interesting social features to be pulled off during the week. Music will be furnished by the 28th. Infantry band composed of twenty five pieces. This dance will be informal and all the dancers are requested to be on hand with the old time pep, looking for nothing less than a real large time. In case of rain this dance will be given in one of the tobacco warehouses.

Pied Piper orchestra will furnish music for the marshals' ball vitations, with admission cards, are being sent out by the marshals, and they expect to have one of the best dances ever held in Greenville. Several attractive favors will be given out, and some new features have been arranged to make the dance as interesting to the spectators as to the dancers.

The management of the Amuzu Park have also arranged for a real big dance to be given Thursday night the 23rd. Music will be furnished by the famous Pied Piper orchestra, and besides plenty of dancing from 9 o'clock to 3 o'clock. Members of the orchestra will do some stunts that will be very interesting to the spectators. The personal of this orchestra is exceptional and the class of music they render is yet to be equalled in the south. This will make the third dance of the week, but the more the merrier, and Manager Tunstall says he is making every possible effort to have one of the best dances at all Thursday night. He is doing lots of decorating, and will give out attractive favors.

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John L. Horne and Company, outfitters for men and boys, have offered a suit of clothes as a premium for the best five pounds of tobacco exhibited at the Pitt County Fair next week. This new firm has recently opened for business in the Long building on Dickinson avenue, and have one of the most modern and up-to-date stores in the State.

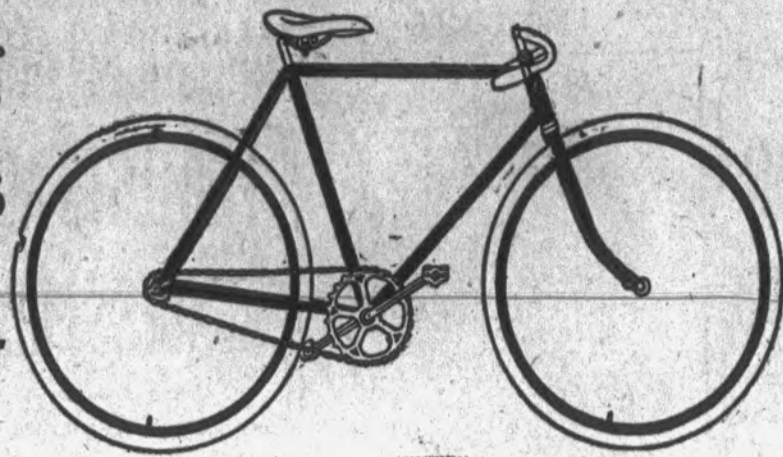
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TEACHER SHORTAGE MENACE.

The teacher shortage remains a menace to the public schools according to preliminary reports made public today by the National Education Association. Replies to questionnaires sent out by the association have come from all sections of the United States. These reports show that in places where teachers' salaries have been increased one hundred per cent or more the situation is netry always satisfactory. But such places are comparatively few, and in localities where salaries have been increased fifty per cent or less the teacher shortage is commonly greater than a year ago. Rural communities are hardest hit. Signed reports from superintendents of many counties indicate that a third of their rural schools cannot open for want of teachers. Tens of thousands of schools will be in charge of teachers who have had no professional preparation and whose academic training barely exceeds that of the children they teach.

Relief from this serious situation, which imperils the stability of American rural life, will be sought from the next session of congress. Renewed efforts will be made to obtain the passage of the Smith-Towner Bill, which creates a department of education with a secretary in the president's cabinet and provides federal aid of \$100,000,000 for education.

WOMEN GETTING BUSY.

Women's clubs in this state which are members of the General Federation of Women's Clubs are preparing for renewed activity this fall and winter in the campaign for thrift in co-operation with the government, according to announcement just made. Mrs. Samuel Lumpkin of Atlanta is national thrift chairman for the general federation and will have charge of a large share of the work the object of which is to promote wise spending, systematic saving and safe investment as permanent habits among American women.

The thrift work of the federation has been thoroughly organized by districts and states. More than thirty-five state thrifts chairmen have been appointed and they in turn have continued the organization into the cities, towns and rural communities. In the 5th federal reserve district, which composed of the states of Maryland, Vir-

ginia, West Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina, and the District of Columbia, the work in behalf of the government is being conducted by Mrs. Eudora Ramsay Richardson, director of the woman's division of the district War Loan Organization. There is a state thrift, chairman in every unit. Practically every woman's club in this district is taking an active interest in the work, it is said, and through the instrumentality of the woman's division nearly all have named thrift chairmen to direct the movement among their members.

CHESTNUT BARK DISEASE IN WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA.

The invasion of North Carolina by the chestnut bark disease is a very serious thing for this State. Chestnut is an important timber tree, amounting to more than one-quarter of the total stand in all the mountain counties, which includes perhaps one-sixth of the State's area. In 1913, when a thorough study of the chestnut situation was made, it was estimated that there was a stand in these counties of about 3,370,000,000 bd. ft.; and at the low prices then obtaining the annual cut of chestnut brought in something like \$1,250,000. Undoubtedly it is bringing in double that amount at the present time.

The chestnut bark disease, for which the U. S. Department of Agriculture, co-operating with the State Geological and Economic Survey, has been on the

lookout for several years, has recently been located in seven of our northwestern counties, Stokes, Surry, Yadkin, Wilkes, Ashe, Watauga, and Avery. It is undoubtedly present also in Alleghany. So far as anyone knows there is no remedy for this disease, the only measures suggested being possible ways of postponing the fatal termination of the scourge.

It is probable, however, that the disease will spread somewhat slowly, so that no great difference may be noticed in the general appearance of the forest for some years. It is possible that there will be no great loss of merchantable timber because chestnut trees, after they have died, often remain standing for fifteen or twenty years, the tannic acid in the wood preserving it from decay. This characteristic will enable owners to market and no consequent fall in prices.

It is the future forests of western North Carolina which will suffer the most. Chestnut is one of our most valuable trees. It comprises an average of more than one-fourth of the stand in the twenty-six chestnut counties. It reproduces readily, both from seeds and sprouts; it grows rapidly; becomes available for various uses, such as ties, poles, pulpwood and tanning extract when small; and for this last purpose no available substitute is known. Many of our largest wood-using industries plants are absolutely dependent for their existence on a supply of chestnut, and when that is exhausted they will have to go out of business.

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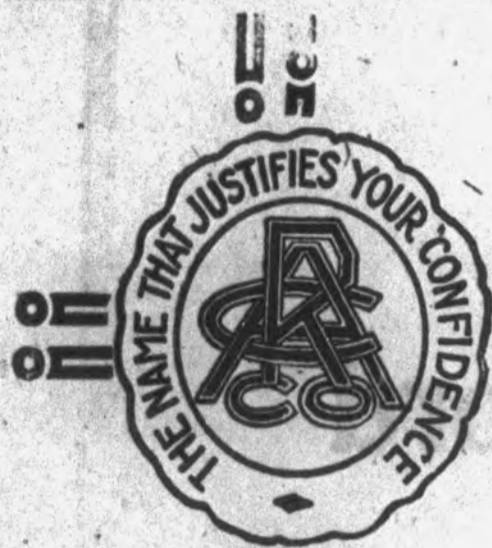
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If you are no good to some one and you drift and drift away?

What the use of living if your life is close and thin,
With the radiance of your manhood narrowed down and shut within,
And you have no smile or sunshine for the crowds along the way?
You forget a word of kindness grows in sweetness day by day.

What's the use of living if you cannot launch and sing,
And toss the darkened shadows like a skylark on the wing;
Thus live and love and labor till the closing of life's day,
Then fold our tents like the Arabs and softly steal away.

—W. M. Clema.

Mrs. George Cooper, of Bristol, England, is visiting, her father, Col. Harry Skinner.

Mrs. W. W. Phelps, of Henderson, is visiting here.

AEROPLANE IN TOWN

Down at Quinn Miller Co's. you will find a real aeroplane fling inside of the store. This plane is the greatest we ever saw and if you have not seen it it will be worth your while to drop down and take a look at it. It is something you have never seen before and as press agent for The Reflector will say I never saw anything like it in all my life.

MAYOR'S COURT.

The following cases were tried in the mayor's court this morning.

J. R. Vann, driving automobile in excess of speed limit, in careless and reckless manner, fined \$25 and costs.

J. R. Vann, driving Buick automobile with a Ford license, fined \$10 and costs.

Wiley F. Jones, driving automobile while in intoxicated condition, fined \$50 and costs.

William H. Jones, drunk and disorderly, fined \$10 and costs.

Elmo Price and Johnnie May, disorderly conduct, paid costs.

The Willy's Six auto which was stolen last Thursday from Mr. George Diamond, in Washington, was recovered yesterday by Chief of Police Jones, a few miles from Winterville.

FALL AND WINTER DISPLAY

Tuesday, September 21st we will have with us Mr. T. E. Martin, of the well known firm of Fred. Livermore, of New York City, with the most attractive line of suits, coats and dresses ever shown in Greenville. This line of merchandise has been carefully selected from all of the leading manufacturers in the United States and we will guarantee each and every garment as represented. Come down and give us a look. If you don't buy you will at least get an idea of what will be worn this fall and winter. Watch this paper for an ad Monday.

Adv. C. HEBER FORBES.

**SPECIAL FAIR DANCE
AMUZU PARK
SIX PIED PIPERS
THURSDAY NIGHT
9 TO 2 A. M.**

**SPECIAL FEATURES AND SONGS,
MEN DANCERS \$3. MEN SPECTATORS \$1. LADIES FREE**

SOCIETY GIRL RISKS HATRED TO AROUSE MAN SHE LOVES AND MAKE HIM WIN FIGHT

Diana Tennant Feigus Scorn Toward Lover to Excite Ambition for Useful Career.

Rather than see James Edgerton, a society youth, waste his life in mere pursuit of pleasure, Diana Tennant, played by Katherine MacDonald in "The Turning Point," which appears at White's Theatre, Sept. 20, holds her love in abeyance and risks his hatred to point out the way of manhood to him.

"The Turning Point," is the third and declared to be the best of the productions of "the American Beauty" following the forming of her own production unit and the negotiations with First National Exhibitors' Circuit to distribute her attractions.

The story, which is an adaptation of the Robert W. Chambers' novel of the same title, tells the story of the failure of the firm of Edgerton-Tennant Company, as a result of which Diana Tennant and James Edgerton, daughter and son of the dead partners are thrown on their own resources. By chance they meet in New York City.

A mutual love interest is checked when in order to be constantly with Diana, Edgerton decides to assist her in her career as a professional hostess for fashionable affairs. To save the man she loves, Diana forces him to declare his love and then points out the right way for him to earn the love and admiration of a woman.

Succeeding incidents lead Diana to strongly suspect that her great love has robbed her of Edgerton forever. Meanwhile a shadow of the most unfortunate incident in her life is constantly cast before her by a disreputable Col. Cumew who seeks to frighten her into taking steps that would make her unworthy of her ideals.

The exciting moment comes when all evidence is against her. A revelation of the true Reno event has been made. And Edgerton who has been listening at a open door walks into the room.

WANTS

WANTED TO RENT—FIVE TO 8 room house. One with water and lights preferred. Any one desiring to rent please notify H. B. Johnson, Blount-Harvey Store.

WANTED — AGENTS TO HANDLE latest map of United States and World. Best sellers yet. Standard Sales Corporation, High Point, N. C. 13-4t

FOR SALE—HOUSE WITH SEVEN rooms and bath in good condition. Large lot. Desirable location. Also one adjoining vacant lot. J. B. Johnston. 16-1f.

LOST—BY TENANT ON MY FARM \$162 in Greenville, Sept. 16th. Finder please notify me and receive reward. M. O. Blount. 17-2t

TAKEN UP ONE COW — MOLE color weight about 175 pounds. Under bit left ear. C. N. Nichols R. F. D. 6, Greenville, N. C.

The tobacco sales Friday were the largest since opening day and prices were some better.

Monday will be the day for holding meetings in all the cotton growing counties.

WHITE'S THEATRE

Monday Matinee and Night
Coming Monday Katherine MacDonald
in "The Turning Point.

Idle gossip has caused many a person's character to be questioned. Do you ever repeat to your friend some scandal, that some friend told you?

Don't fail to see Miss MacDonald in this picture. Matinee 3:45. Admission 10 and 25c.

TONIGHT

William Duncan and Edith Johnson

'The Silent Avenger'

Also comedies for the "Blues."
Matinee 2:30

Memorial Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. W. T. Lipscomb, Jr., Supt.

Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. with sermons by Rev. J. D. Moore, of Raleigh, state secretary of the B. Y. P. U.

All cordially invited to these services The B. Y. P. U. meets at 7 P. M.

Church Notes.
Rev. Frank H. Scattergood, Pitt County Evangelist, Presbyterian church Services for Sunday, September 19th.

Morning service, Ayden 11 o'clock. Theme—"Men Indispensable to God." Afternoon service, Masons School House.

Sunday School 3 o'clock.
Lesson—Evils of Intemperance.
Sermon—4 o'clock.

Theme—"The Unfolded Banner of Salvation."

Evening service, Ayden 7:30 o'clock. Theme—"Written in Granite."

These services are for the public. All are most cordially invited to attend, both Sunday school and service for worship.

Christian Church.

Eighth Street Church of Christ. William Preston Shambart, pastor. 9:45 Bible school, W. E. Hooker, Supt.

11 A. M.—Lord's Supper Communion. 11:20 A. M.—Devotional sermon, subject: "The Crown and the Command."

6:30 P. M.—Christian Endeavor. 7:30 P. M.—Evangelistic sermon. Subject: "Is Christian Union Possible and Needed?"

S. K. Phillips, pastor.

Presbyterian Church.
9:45 A. M.—Sunday school.
11:00 A. M.—Morning worship. Sermon: "The Rest-Giving Christ."

6:30 P. M.—Christian Endeavor. Subject: "Good Work, Finding It: Doing It."

7:30 P. M.—Evening worship. Ser-

mon by the pastor. Find the frame church on Dickinson avenue, at 8th street, and worship with us tomorrow. Travelling men especially invited.

St. Paul's Church.
Rev. C. H. Bascom, rector. 16th Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion 7:30 A. M. Church school 9:45 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon 11 A. M. Evening prayer and sermon 7:30 P. M.

A cordial invitation extended to all. **Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.** 9:45—Sunday school. A place for every member of the family.

11:00—Preaching. Subject: "The Christian Pilgrimage."

4:00—Sunday school at the Cotton Mill.

4:00—Sunday school at Joyner's House.

6:45—Epworth League. Miss Mary Ruth Ailsbrook, leader.

7:30—Preaching. "The Aut-tides of Life."

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Having qualified as administrator of Wyatt L. Brown, deceased, late of Pitt county, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned within twelve months from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This September 7th, 1920.

WHIT L. BROWN,
Administrator.

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OUR MARKET CLOSED FRIDAY WITH PRICES AVERAGING ABOUT THE SAME AS IT OPENED ON MONDAY. ORANGE COLORS WITH TODAY SHOWED UP STRONGER. THIN WHITE NO IMPROVEMENT. COMMON BLUE LUGS 3 TO 7 CENTS HAVE VERY FEW FRIENDS. COME TO SEE US WITH YOUR NEXT LOAD. WE WILL ALWAYS SELL IT FOR THE HIGHEST DOLLAR.

Tues. 2nd sale
Wednesday 1st
Friday 3rd

CENTRE BRICK WAREHOUSE

Brinkley and Spain

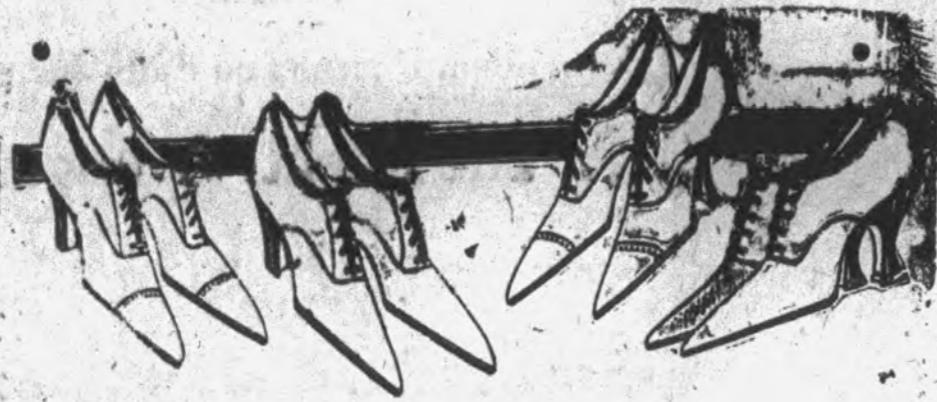
Proprietors

SELL WITH Smith & Sugg at the Star

Friday's sale showed more strength than any day this season. The better grades were stronger. Common grades also picked up. You will make money by selling with us marketing your tobacco slowly.

SALES SCHEDULE

Monday, September 20th.....2nd Sale
 Tuesday, September 21st1st sale
 Wednesday, September 22d..... 4th sale
 Thursday, September 23rd 3rd sale
 Friday, September 24th 2nd sale



Extraordinary Shoe Offering

ALL PUMPS and OXFORDS

Especially Priced at

\$2.98 a pair

While they last

Formerly priced from\$7.50 to \$12.00

EVERY PAIR BRAND NEW

We have put this ridiculously low price on them in order to move 'em QUICK to make room for our big Fall stock, which are arriving daily.

Gather in savings here, folks. This is an opportunity. Come early while assortment of sizes are complete.

Willard-Smith Co.

"Greenville's Biggest & Best Store."

COTTON GROWERS ADOPT RESOLUTION FOR FUTURE WORK

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all warehouse men should be called with a view of arranging uniform and fair rates of storage, so as to increase the use of the present warehouses to their full capacity. After this arrangement has been made, every effort should be put forth to increase local bonded warehouses. Temporary bonded warehouses can be constructed at low cost in which cotton may be stored, protected and insured. The warehouse is the vital center of a marketing unit. The storing of cotton in the seed on the farm not only improves the turnout, and the quality and condition of both cotton and seed, but just now presents a valuable means for holding cotton. Cotton pens or houses can be easily and cheaply constructed and will aid in the warehousing problem.

"Fourth: Never before has there been such widespread price differences in grades as now. Every farmer must get the full benefit of all grades above middling, or lose tremendously. We urge the employment of competent disinterested grades to grade and classify all cotton and that warehouse receipts show the marks, brands, weight, grade and length of staple of the cotton as a basis for financing it in storage, and its ultimate and orderly, and gradual sale. The state should pass laws making it a felony for any warehouse man to sell or otherwise deal with stored cotton except on the written order of the actual owner. The difference in the value between the different grades of cotton has become so great that the grower cannot longer ignore the necessity of harvesting the maximum percentage of the better grades; and in the picking of cotton that part of the crop which has fallen to the ground, or become otherwise damaged will result in injury to the grade value of the bale, more than the value of the damaged cotton at the present prices for the lowest grades.

"Fifth: We specially endorse the report of the Committee on Cotton Acreage and Price Recommendation submitted at Montgomery, Ala., which report recommended the price of middling cotton at 40 cents per pound, with an increase of one cent per month after November 1st, 1920.

"Cotton Seed: \$60 per ton or one ton of seed for one ton of 7 per cent meal.

COMMENDS PROMOTERS FOR EXCELLENT WORK IN COUNTRY'S BEHALF

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tends to promote better housekeeping and the making of the homes of the country more attractive.

Horse-racing and other public at-

tractions will abound at the Pitt county fair. They will draw immense crowds and are great funicularies in these state and county fairs that are held over the country. We are satisfied, however, that the managers of the Pitt fair will see that nothing of a debasing character will be allowed to be exhibited on the grounds.

County fairs and all public exhibitions should be conducted as we are persuaded the Pitt county fair will be, for the advancement of the people on all commendable lines. This fair is to be held on the grounds near Greenville on the 21, 22, 23 and 24 of September.

All are looking forward to the Pitt county fair next week.

Everybody will be coming Greenville way next week.

White's Theatre

One Night Sept- 24

CURTAIN AT 8:30

METRO OPERATIC & MUSICAL SYNDICATE

PRESENT

WORLD'S FAMOUS ARTISTS

From the Principle Opera Organizations of Europe and America

Helena Morrill Colorature Soprano, late prima dona with the Boston English Opera Company; Carlo Ferretti, Italian Baritone of the LaScale Grand Opera Company of Milan, last season with the Creatore Grand Opera Company; Celeste Seymour renowned American Violinist and Antonio Voccoli noted Italian Pianist. Seldom has an organization presenting four celebrated soloists ever appeared at one concert-recital given here. Received by capacity houses wherever they have appeared. Early reservation is recommended as seating capacity is limited.

MANAGEMENT F. V. PETERSON & T. I. SKEOCH
 METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE, N. Y.
 PRICES\$2, \$1.50, \$1, 75, 50c
 SEATS ON SALE AT WHITE'S PIANO STORE

FIFTY COMPANIES OF MILITIA HAVE GOOD EFFECT IN ALABAMA

Birmingham, Sept. 18.—The presence of five companies of militia together with reports that the legislature plans speedy consideration of the bill providing for a state commission to regulate coal inquiry had a quieting effect in the coal strike districts.

LUTSK CAPTURED BY POLISH TROOPS WITH TWO OTHER TOWNS

Warsaw, Sept. 18.—Lutsk has been captured by the Poles who have won successes along a front of approximately two hundred and forty miles. Kamien and Kaspizki towns have been taken, the Soviets losing a thousand prisoners.

Gentry & Gorman

All sales finished Friday.

With 2nd sale Gormans sold 135,180 pounds which was nearly half of what was in town, averaging \$19.66 for the entire sale. We had in this sale a large per cent of very common tobacco, many lots which should never have been tied up as they sold from 1 to 2c. The grades with body were much stronger than they have been, as you will see by the sales attached.

We advise grading the tobacco with body, leaving the first primings and common tobacco until later. It pays to throw out the green and black dead leaves in grading your tips.

We advise selling slowly, spreading out your sales as we believe money will get easier and when it does the market will be stronger.

We look for small sales next week, and believe on any sale Gorman's has that we will be able to get you sold around the dinner hour. We have first sale Monday, third Tuesday, second Wednesday, first Thursday.

THE LEADERS OF GREENVILLE

| Name | Pounds | Price | Amount | Average |
|--------------------|----------------------------|-------|----------|---------|
| Vandiford & Hines | 518—38, 60, 63 | | \$312.64 | \$60.35 |
| J. L. Warren | 414—38, 60, 65 | | \$197.46 | \$47.63 |
| Vandiford & Duncan | 554—22, 35, 48, 60 | | \$255.16 | \$46.05 |
| Ernest Clark | 740—22, 37, 45, 52, 59 | | \$338.78 | \$45.78 |
| Moore & Allen | 716—37, 45, 56 | | \$309.94 | 43.23 |
| Jones & Winslow | 778—25, 38, 40, 49, 50, 50 | | \$316.36 | \$40.66 |
| C. M. Jeffreys | 334—23, 41, 48 | | \$130.62 | \$38.82 |
| Moye & Hines | 1204—15, 25, 44, 45, 46 | | \$445.05 | \$36.96 |
| Louis Gurganus | 290—25, 38, 47, 46 | | \$106.24 | \$36.62 |
| Smith & Jolly | 332—24, 39, 43 | | \$114.02 | 34.03 |

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GENTRY PULLS AND GORMAN PUSHES—THE STEAM PLANT DOES THE REST