

THE FRANKLIN TIMES

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TAR DROPS

Cotton sold for 29 1-2 cents a pound in Louisburg yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Shearin of Greensboro, a little girl, Marian Elizabeth, Jan. 30, 1923.

The big improvement made on the jail yard is a source of pride to all who are interested in our public property.

We have just received an allotment of garden seed from Hon. E. W. POU that we will be glad to distribute among those who will call for them.

CEDAR ROCK HIGH SCHOOL

News Of Interest To Teachers, Pupils and The Public Generally

By School Correspondent

After many days of unfavorable weather it is indeed delightful to see these sunny days, and to see the school rooms filled with bright eyed children who come to prepare themselves for the duties of tomorrow.

Who knows what geniuses we may be harboring in our midst, or what future citizens of fame we now call comrades. What the future holds for us we know not, but it is our duty to train ourselves so that we may be able to take advantage of the opportunities that may be presented.

Miss Beulah Stallings spent last week-end with her mother in Bunn.

Mrs. J. T. Inceoc has been ill for the last few days.

The Seniors are progressing nicely on their class play. The date of presentation will be announced at an early date.

We regret that Clyde Leonard, one of our high school pupils, has been absent this week on account of illness.

Misses Mary Smith and Oma Bliss Lewis and Messrs. Richard Jennings and W. L. Harris motored to Wake Forest Saturday night to see the basketball game between Wake Forest and N. C. State.

Do not forget the Sunday school and preaching services next Sunday morning.

Student Editorial—OPPORTUNITIES (By Bonnie Griffin, 9th Grade)

What are opportunities? And when do they present themselves?

They come to us every day, and some of us never make any efforts to grasp them until it is too late.

Thousands of opportunities come to girls and boys in school, yet they never seem to think that there is really any good in doing little deeds of kindness that are needed so much in our schools of today.

Just a smile sometimes can carry so much joy into a heart that is sad and heavy and perhaps a kind word spoken in a dark hour will win for us the everlasting love and friendship of a worthy friend.

We should all be on the lookout for golden opportunities, for if we are careless and neglectful we will not realize what they meant to us until they have flown and when once an opportunity presents itself and we fail to make use of it, it never comes again.

So when we have a chance to do a kind deed or speak a word of cheer let us not slack on the job for the small deeds done in everyday life are the deeds that shall rise to greet us in that new world to come.

Lavoisier Chemical Society THE SUGAR INDUSTRY (By Boone Sykes)

If we will trace it back we will find that sugar in former years was more of a luxury than a necessity, but its uses are increasing rapidly.

Now let us first consider the plants that contain sugar. The most important are cane and beets, but there is sugar found in carrots, parsnips, plums, sorghum, maple trees and even onions during their early growth.

Cane being the most important of the group must be grown in a warm climate, as is found in Cuba, India, Java and Brazil, where the temperature remains from 75 to 80 degrees the year round, and has a rainfall of 60 inches, or an equivalent amount of water by irrigation.

The growth of the cane depends more on the climate than the soil. From one planting in Cuba they are able to cut from eight to ten crops.

This cane is also grown in Natal, New Zealand, Cape Colony, Hawaii and Louisiana, but on account of our freezing winter, there is but one good crop grown in Louisiana.

Although the second and third crop is cut. The third is used mostly for plants for another year. The reason why Louisiana grows more cane than any other State in the Union has been due to the overflowing of the Mississippi river and this is a very narrow strip of land lying about one mile from the river, just a few feet higher than the bank of the river.

This cane does not require much work, it is cultivated with plows while no hoe work is needed, and the beets are different entirely. They need much hoe work.

The cutting from the third crop is placed in the bottom of a furrow and covered, then the stalks sprout from every joint, giving a complete stand for the new crop.

After about eight months of growth and cultivation the leaves are stripped off by hand and the stalks are cut and carried to the factory. Here the cane is crushed to extract the juice.

This juice contains many impurities along with the sugar. These impurities are removed partly by precipitation and partly by filtering through bone black (this is a substance that consist of carbon and calcium phosphate found in animal bones).

Then the resulting solution is evaporated until the sugar crystallizes. This evaporation is conducted

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ed in closed vessels from which the air is partially exhausted. The boiling point of the solution is then lowered.

The Hawaiian crops have averaged over 9,000 lbs of sugar per acre. And in 1911 Hawaii shipped to the United States 506,000 tons of sugar.

Beets are more difficult to raise than cane, as it takes a climate just a little too cold for corn.

The West where irrigation is used and where they have cold nights, fertile and mellow soil, rich in lime and neither too clayey nor too sandy.

The beets require much plowing and hand work. And due to this difficulty in production, it is thought that sorghum will take the place of beets in the near future.

This plant is a member of the corn family and resembles both corn and cane. It is grown in the central and southwestern United States.

The juice is extracted and treated in the same way as that of cane.

Maple sugar is quite different from any of the other sugar producing plants and is manufactured by the evaporation of the sweet sap of several varieties of maple.

Which is grown in the eastern and northern United States. This sugar has a peculiar flavor and is of very fine quality.

These maple trees begin yielding at the age of 20 or 25 and continue until they are 75 and even 100 years old.

This is of course a slower process of manufacturing sugar than any of the other processes just mentioned.

But the sugar industry is increasing rapidly. The United States produces yearly, nearly one hundred pounds of sugar to every inhabitant, even if it does take about seven tons of cane to make one ton of sugar.

The other minor sugar plants are of no great importance in the production of sugar.

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7-21st SYMPTON OF PEACE ON EARTH

In Japan the sixth-grade histories and readers used in the public schools have just been rewritten and thoroughly revised.

In keeping with the new spirit which prevails in Japan the textbooks have been demilitarized and demobilized.

The "reader" is a collection of short stories of great men. Of the 400 stories contained in the "reader" only a very few formerly were of foreigners.

Nearly all the sketches were of Japanese military heroes, who were praised for wading through blood to success.

In the new "reader" more than fifty of the characters described are non-Japanese. Among them are Washington, Lincoln, Edison, Watt.

Many non-military great persons are included, and the military heroes who remain are praised for their peaceful qualities rather than for their ability to kill on a large scale.

Japanese educational authorities, who are decidedly anti-militaristic, believe that these changes will tend to foster a spirit of international good will.

How Have the Mighty Fallen? Royalty Toiling on a Farm



DURANT HISTORY IN MADE IN 1922

Move From Top Floor to First In One Year at New York Show.

From a little space with a new car on the top floor at the 1922 national automobile show at New York, Durant Motors, Inc., advanced to a coveted position on the main floor in the 1923 show.

In this rise lies one of the really big romances in the automotive industry. It is the first time since the manufacture of automobiles began that a car has moved from the top floor to an honor position on the first floor in the short space of a year.

Hitherto for a new car to land in the first twenty was considered almost phenomenal, but in view of the other achievements of the Durant organization during the past year, this feat might be called only incidental.

The growth of the Durant Motors, Inc., in the past year has been remarkable. It was only a little over a year ago that Durant produced only one model, the Durant four, which was first shown to the public on August 15, 1921.

There was only one complete plant in existence, and that was located at Long Island City, New York.

Six Different Units Today the Durant organization comprises six different motor car units, all of which are on the market.

Eight factories, of which all but one, are producing cars. Of the Durant four and six, more than 52,000 have been sold in less than 14 months.

More than 500,000 orders for Star cars have been taken, and a production of 500 Stars a day to meet this demand will begin January 1.

There are more than 185,000 stockholders in Durant interests.

The separate Durant motor car units include the Durant four and six; the Locomobile; the Star car, the Flint six, and the Mason Road King.

Of the eight factories, four are new. The plants are located at Long Island City, Elizabeth, N. J., Flint, Mich., Lansing, Mich., Leaside, Canada, Muncie, Ind., and Oakland, Cal.

The Flint plant is rapidly nearing completion and the demand for Durant products is so great in Canada that large additions are being made to the Leaside plant.

Records Are Shattered The past year's annals of the Durant organization have started the automotive world with many achievements.

The year 1922 was closed with the fitting celebration of shipping 500 Durant fours across the continent, which was the largest single shipment of any single commodity sent by rail from coast to coast.

In December, 1921, only six months after active production had started, Earle C. Anthony operating five retail stores on the Pacific, found it necessary to have a shipment of 500 Durant fours to meet his rush orders.

On December 31 a solid trainload of 100 freight cars one mile long, carrying 500 Durant fours left Long Island City for California.

This was the largest shipment ever sent to a retail dealer since the manufacture of motor cars began.

During the early months of 1922, the plants at Oakland, Cal., Muncie, Ind., Lansing, Mich., and Leaside, Canada, were completed and completely equipped, thereby assuring the Durant Motors, Inc., national distribution facilities.

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YOUR TOWN A traveling man was talking the other day about two towns, which he visits frequently.

"Both are splendid towns," he said, "but there is this difference: In Blankville everybody speaks well of everybody else.

His statement was overdrawn, of course, but there was probably just enough foundation in fact to give it force.

You know towns that remind you of Blankville and Dashburg. What sort of a town do you live in? What are you doing to make it that way?

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Advertisement for Red Seal Lye, featuring an illustration of a woman cleaning a surface and a list of names and addresses for whom the product was used.

WANTED A young man of 22 desires a permanent position as clerk, does not drink or use tobacco, has had eight years experience. Address H 305, FRANKLIN TIMES, Louisburg, N. C. 2-16-23