

THE WAREHOUSE SYSTEM.

Raleigh, Aug. 13.—With the approach of a second season, general manager, U. B. Blalock, of the N. C. Cotton Growers Co-operative Association announces plans for the improvement of the services rendered for the benefit of the members. A competent corps of representatives, limited in number, will be selected for the purpose of representing the association in the various cotton counties. The warehouse system, found inadequate last season will be enlarged. Some new warehouses are being built and old ones are being enlarged. Arrangements are being made for warehousing cotton at the ports of Wilmington and Norfolk in order that sales can be made to better advantage. The association begins the season with a competent corps of classifiers and warehouse receipts can be completed with the proper grades promptly. The sales department has been strengthened and it is the purpose of the management to have a representative whose duty will be to call on the manufacturers of the two Carolinas and advise them of the plans and purposes of the Co-operative association.

The close of the first year of operation, shows that the North Carolina Cotton Growers Co-operative Association has received 135,420 bales of cotton, approximately eighteen per cent of the total crop of the state—a fair showing for the first year and a larger per cent than is shown in the reports of any cooperative cotton association in the south.

A FALSE REPORT.

A report was circulated on the streets of Pittsboro Monday to the effect that Mrs. Lula Jones and Miss Emily Taylor, who left here last Friday by automobile for Newberne, had been struck by a truck in Goldsboro, and that Mrs. Jones had received a cut about her head that required several stitches. Miss Pauline Taylor has received a telegram from her sister stating that they are having the big time of their lives.

WANTS

FOR RENT—Five room house, near depot; lights in house. Apply to Mrs. Mattie Pierce, Pittsboro. Aug-23p.

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YOUNG JERSEY Milk cows for sale. See or write A. E. Cole, Riggsbee, N. C. It-p

HEADACHE IS CAUSED BY EYE strain. See Dr. J. C. Mann of Apex, at Dr. Thomas' office in Siler City next Thursday if you have headache signs and have your eyes thoroughly examined. He will tell you frankly whether or not your headache is caused by eye strain.

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SEE DR. J. C. MANN, of Apex, at Dr. Thomas' office in Siler City next Thursday if your eyes give you trouble.

ANYTHING IN OUR STORE at and below cost except groceries. If you fail to get a bargain, it is because you fail to come. Now is the time. Mrs. J. Henderson. tf-c

THE SQUARE FILLING STATION in court house square in Pittsboro has those good Auburn and United States Tires and Tubes that give real service. Prices below the average. See them. tf.

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EVERY DAY we are selling dry goods, shoes and notions at and below cost. Many people have taken advantage of our offer. We are closing out everything except the groceries. First come is the first served. Everything we have is going at a sacrifice. Mrs. J. T. Henderson. tf-c

NUMBER OF ALL KINDS and quality. Florida kiln dried ceiling and flooring; we buy cross ties standing in woods or delivered to road. W. F. Land. tf

WEAK EYES OF CHILDREN should secure expert attention. See Dr. Mann in Siler City next Tuesday.

FOR SALE—House and lot at a bargain; one block new school W. A. Wilmington, Pittsboro. Aug 9th.

GASOLINE that furnishes miles to the gallon can be had at the Square Filling Station in Pittsboro. tf.

MONEY TO LEND FARMERS; interest 5 1/2 per cent. Chatham Realty Co., Johnson, A. M. Riddle, Pres., V. Johnson, Secretary. Oc 13 tf

ARM FOR RENT—Known as the Powell place, is for rent for 1924. Good houses on the place. Woodson L. Powell. A2tc

NORTH CAROLINA EVENTS.

News in Concise Form For The Busy Reader.

Durham—Durham's tax rate is \$1.05 a year.

Maxton—The drought is broken. Heavy rains, attended by heavy winds and electrical storm, lasted several hours.

Prospect—A farewell service was given Thursday to Miss Mabel Cherry who is going as a Missionary to Korea.

Chapel Hill—John L. Foister, of this place, was elected president of the state firemans association last week at Durham.

Maxton—The melon and cantaloupe season is about over, both have been of fair quality and fairly good prices have been realized for both crops.

Raleigh—Mrs. Palmer Jerman has been appointed a director of the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad. She is the first woman in this state to hold such a position.

Greensboro—Mrs. Lacy B. Groves, of Danville committed suicide in the O'Henry Hotel Saturday night by shooting herself. She had been sharing her room with a man named Paul Brown.

Fayetteville—Protest against the construction of a bridge across the Cape Fear river at Wilmington by the State highway commission has been made by the board of commissioners of Cumberland.

Maxton—The cotton crop in this immediate vicinity is the best ever grown. The boll weevil may and perhaps will get the balance of the crop but a two-third crop is on the stalk now if it will mature.

Oxford—The old well near Railroad street has been out of commission for sometime on account of drilling the well deeper. The well according to a test, affords 65 gallons of water per minute, and is 505 feet deep.

Raleigh—The State Teachers Association, as an inducement to get the teachers of the state to write about their work, is offering three awards of fifty dollars each for the best articles on some phase of the educational work of the state.

Thomasville—The safe which was removed from A. W. Fuller's store at Fullers on Sunday night by unknown parties was found Tuesday morning about two miles north of the store, having been blown open by the use of explosives. A search for money had evidently been made among the contents, but fortunately for Mr. Fuller

he had not left any money in the safe.

Wilson—John Townsend, negro, has confessed to the cutting to death his sweetheart in Wilson Saturday.

Lumberton—A car load of cooperative poultry is to be shipped from Lumberton about the middle of September.

Shelby—In digging a well on the court house square here gold has been found in the rock through which the well digger's bit is passing.

Raleigh—The storehouse of Mrs. Z. A. Jackson, 12 miles north of Raleigh, was blown up by dynamite one night last week. She had been sent a warning signed K. K. K. to leave the neighborhood, but did not go. The Ku Klux of Raleigh has offered a reward of \$250.00 for the apprehension of the person signing the warning letter.

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Two Kinds of Polygons.

A portion of a plane bounded by a broken line is called a polygon, or, in other words a many-sided figure. A polygon that has all its sides and all its angles equal is known as a regular polygon. Triangles, squares, hexagons, etc., are polygons.

Evil in Cunning Mind. All my own experience of life teaches me the contempt of cunning, not the fear. The phrase "profound cunning" has always seemed to me a contradiction in terms. I never knew a cunning mind which was not either shallow, or, on some points, diseased. —Mrs. Jameson.

Ancient Sundials.

The Greeks were extraordinary adepts at sundialing, as were also the Egyptians and the Arabians, and one specially interesting thing about these ancient dials is that it is always possible to tell, approximately, where they were made. Every sundial, to be accurate, has to be made for the latitude of the place where it is to be set up. Thus, a sundial discovered at Pompeii in 1782 was one designed for the latitude of Memphis, and from this it has been deduced that it was made by an Egyptian craftsman, possibly in the school of Alexandria.

READ THE LABEL ON YOUR PAPER.

Fishermen Use Electricity.

What would Izaak Walton say to an artificial minnow, made luminous by electricity, and resembling a wriggling worm when cast into the water, which will attract fish day or night? Such is the latest refinement in electrical fishing. The bait is protected from breakage by fine wires and the current is supplied by an electric battery.

All in the Point of View. In all things throughout the world the men who look for the crooked will see the crooked, and the men who look for the straight will see the straight.—Ruskin.

What the World Is Doing

AS SEEN BY POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE

Racing Auto Takes Gas and Oil "On the Run"

While racing along at a speed of nearly 60 miles an hour to break a record, an automobile recently was supplied with gas, oil, water, and relief drivers without stopping the car during a 3,155-mile run made in 50 hours 21 minutes. Although three stops were made for tires during this time, the engine was kept going without



pause. All the other supplies were taken aboard, without stopping the machine, from another car which ran alongside during the period of delivery.

Radio Speeds Up Taking of Moving Pictures

Radio carried orders of the movie director to 5,000 members of the cast in a big scene in a western studio recently. Where, usually, the megaphone is used to shout instructions, while camera men are turning the cranks, this director, standing at a point from which he had a clear view of all the actors, spoke his orders calmly into a sending instrument, which made it heard clearly all over the lot. The directing, somewhat difficult because of the number of people employed, was simplified by use of radio, and the movie man predicted that it will be repeated in other big scenes. The same system was used to increase the carrying power of broadcast messages and concerts at the receiving end. Use of

Equipping the Wheelbarrow with Shock Absorbers

The shocks suffered when pushing a wheelbarrow over rough ground can be largely eliminated by providing the wheel with shock absorbers made from buggy-spring leaves. The leaves used for this

purpose have eyes at the ends; each is cut to a length of about 8 in., and has three or four screw holes drilled through it. The eyes are reamed out so that they will accommodate the axle of the wheel and allow it to turn easily, and the springs are screwed to the underside of the wheelbarrow frame, the eyes being turned down.

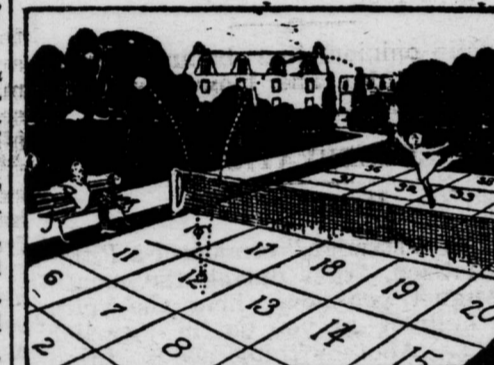


Make Poison-Gas Test in Three Minutes

Simple tests to find the degree of poisoning from a gas known as carbon monoxide are now possible with the invention of an instrument that shows how much a person has been affected within three minutes, where formerly it took from 24 to 48 hours before this could be accurately determined. The apparatus may be carried in the pocket and is expected to prove of particular value in mines, where this gas is a much-dreaded menace. Because of the compactness of the new instrument and the fact that it can be applied to a patient by one who has had no special training, it will be of broad general service, it is predicted. Government experts, who tried it on a young girl, assert that it is the quickest method known to detect the gas.

Tennis Court in Squares to Teach Accuracy

Looking like a great checkerboard, except that each square has a number, a tennis court has been devised to teach accuracy. While an instructor calls out



the numbers, the player is required to place the ball in the required section. The practice provides training not only for the hands and feet, but also for the mind, because of the quickness with which the numbers are called.

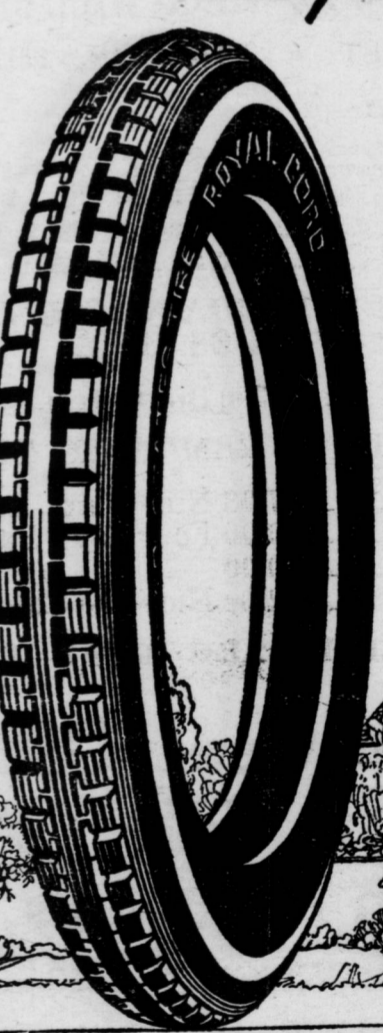
Secure Latch for Paddocks

It is desirable to have the gates of stables and paddocks provided with a latch that cannot be opened by the horses.

A good latch, that is absolutely secure, and has been found to be very useful on the stallion paddock at the University of Illinois, is shown in the drawing. The gate is made so that it touches the gatepost at the bottom first, and the top must be sprung in order to hook the latch. There is no chance for the gate to open when the latch is in position; the harder the stallion rubs or pushes against the gate, the tighter the latch becomes.

Oil-burning ocean vessels without large funnels are said to be regarded skeptically by Russians, Poles, and their neighbors, when about to emigrate to the United States. More often than not, in spite of explanations, they insist on using boats with smokestacks.

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