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A plant, with capital stock \$5,000 at Warrentonville to handle the green fruit and vegetables in that section.

A factory to manufacture boxes, barrels and packages at Winston-Salem, J. W. Stout making the plans. A packing company, capital \$150,000, at Columbia, S. C., organized by John W. Lillard.

Yorkville Cotton Oil Mill, capital \$50,000, Yorkville, S. C.

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Roller mill, owned by Chas. Moody and others, at Charlotte, to cost \$60,000.

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\$75,000 improvement of gas plant at Wilson, N. C.

Colleton Rice Co., capital \$10,000, at Charleston, S. C.

Valley River Lumber Company, capital \$10,000, at Murphey, N. C.

Black Cypress Lumber Company, capital \$250,000 at Sardinia, S. C.

American Lutheran Survey, at Eau Claire, S. C., printing plant to cost \$10,000.

Guilford Creamery Co., capital \$25, at Hickory, N. C.

Additions costing \$100,000 to the Penn Tobacco Company, at Reidsville, N. C.

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A mill built by Rex Spinning Co., capital \$500,000 at Raino, N. C.

IMPROVEMENTS OF NORTH CAROLINA FARMS AS COMPARED WITH THE VALUE OF THE CROP YIELDS

According to Mr. J. M. Johnson, of the North Carolina Experiment Station, the improvements on the farms of North Carolina during the period from 1900 to 1910 was seven per cent. annually of the value of the crops produced during the year.

"According to the census of 1910," says Mr. Johnson, "the value of the crops grown in North Carolina during the previous year amounted to \$142,890,192. The increase in value of farm buildings, equipment, and live stock on the farms was \$102,672,412. This amount is 70 per cent. of the value of the one year crop as given above, and if we distribute this per cent. increase in value over the ten year increase in value over the ten year period, it seems that the farmer has been able to put at least 7 per cent of the value of his crops into better equipment, more and better live stock, and improved farm buildings.

Putting this money into these improvements is equivalent to making that much profit above his living expense. Not only has the farmer bettered himself by improving his farm, but his land has increased in value during the same length of time about 142.5 per cent. or \$202,209,105 so he has the value of this unearned increment in addition to the other profit. The other profit of 7 per cent. is not on total capitalization of his farm either but is on his annual earnings."

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THE TEST OF PROGRESSIVISM

If Chauncey J. Hamlin of Erie county and Theodore Douglas Robinson of Herkimer have correctly interpreted the sentiment of the recent conference of Progressives in this city, the third party, so far as New York State is concerned, is dead. Both are to recommend to their associates at home that they ally themselves with the Republicans, in the belief that Progressive principles may be carried along by that organization.

In all our political history we have never had a more noteworthy triumph of hope over experience. The Republican party in New York, as everywhere else, is the same in leadership, purpose and organization as it was when the Progressives were denouncing it from a thousand stumps. It has professed no change of heart; it has embraced no new ideas. On the contrary, it is preparing for a reactionary campaign next year that will make Mark Hanna's standpat enterprises of 1896 and 1900 look like an advance all along the line.

Circumstances have made the Democratic party progressive. It has done the things that other parties, through treachery or lack of power, failed to do. It is in a position to go much further. True Progressives, abandoning a separate organization, will not ally themselves with a party that habitually rejects new ideas when another that is remarkably receptive of them is at hand.

The honesty or dishonesty of the Progressive movement of 1912 is to be determined not so much by the great moral precepts which it then laid down as by its actual political performances now and hereafter.—New York World.

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CONTROVERSY AMONG CATAWBAS

The Catawba Indians on a reservation near Rock Hill, S. C., are having a controversy among themselves relative to which among their number may participate in the \$7,500 appropriation annually made by the State for their living expenses. As a result the State is considering cutting off the allowance. Some of them contend that if the father of a child born on the reservation be an Indian and the mother not an Indian, the child is not eligible to participate in the appropriation. The Catawbas claim the land on which the city of Rock Hill is built and also that upon which Winthrop College stands, and the State makes an annual appropriation for their living expenses as a sort of compromise. Some of them have sworn they will "never work, for the State must support us".

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He is the backbone of the community, and without his aid and encouragement we would be an unsuccessful business community. The townsman is no better than the man from the farm, and the farmer can claim no superiority over the townsman.

We are all human beings, with the same aims and purposes in life, and endowed with the same brands of intelligence.

In fact, we are brothers of a common community, the only difference being that the one lives in town, where life is a little more diversified, while the other breathes God's pure air in the green fields of the country.

Let us remember that we are brothers and sisters, and cousins and that the welfare of the one is vital to the success of the other.

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