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FRUIT CROP IS GOOD MANY HOGS VACCINATED

Fruit Prospects In North Carolina 1920 Best In Many Years

North Carolina promises its best fruit crop in years, based on conditions of June 15th. Conditions indicated fifty per cent of a full crop of apples and 66 per cent for peaches. Practically all fruit throughout the State made a satisfactory growth of wood and a splendid set of fruit buds for this year's crop. Favorable weather prevailed during the winter, and with the exception of weakened peach trees very little winter injury occurred.

The spring was late and the early part was favorable, but frost, freezing weather, cold winds, and cold rainy weather during April and May were responsible for the reduction in the crop in the Piedmont and Mountain section.

The apple crop in these sections was injured by the frosts and cold that occurred in April around the 6th and 14th and during the 15th and 16th of May but the most general injury was caused by unfavorable weather at blooming time. The rainy weather and cold winds that prevailed in many sections during blooming time caused poor pollination by preventing the unrestricted work of insects. There was a heavy bloom in most sections but as a result of poor pollination a large amount of fruit dropped off.

Peaches in the Mountains and Piedmont sections were injured by frost and cold during April and in certain sections the frost and cold period in May reduced the crop. Practically a full crop of peaches is indicated throughout the Coastal Plain and the Sand Hills. However, in these sections, there has been considerable winter injury to the trees.

In the Sand Hill Section, which is the largest commercial peach district in the State, a splendid crop will be harvested. The number of bearing trees is increasing every year and the production this year will be in the neighborhood of 250 cars. Good prices are being quoted for peaches at this date on the different markets, and returns should prove satisfactory.

Grapes and small fruits indicate a very good crop. Pecans in Eastern North Carolina promise to be below normal because of the very heavy production of last year and the unfavorable weather in certain sections at blooming time.

A good fig crop is indicated throughout the eastern part of the state.

Oriental News

The whistle of The Oriental Lumber Company will be silent for an indefinite period. Work stopped Saturday the 10th inst. some twenty five men are thrown out of employment in the town proper to say nothing of many who have been rafting logs; the merchants in the town will therefore "Cash in" about \$2000 less every Saturday night. The ice plant under the same management is also closed it is hoped and believed this will be only temporary just at present we can dispense with lumber better than with ice the grown folks need ice water and the kids want cones.

The Oriental band was doing fine under the able leadership of Mr. Robeson and we are hoping for his return.

Remarkable Progress In Hog Cholera Work During The Past Year

The remarkable number of 125,000 hogs were immunized against hog cholera in North Carolina, during the year ending June 30. This and other interesting figures feature the report of Dr. F. D. Owen, Federal inspector in charge of hog cholera work, just given out from Raleigh. To treat these animals nearly 5,000,000 cubic centime ters of serum were sent out through the State Department of Agriculture and used by federal and state veterinarians and serum administrators.

In furtherance of the work, 87 meetings were held and 4384 farmers were told of the methods of treating and controlling hog cholera. Federal and state veterinarians visited 3359 farms for the purpose of assisting and giving advice to farmers on swine problems and a total of 11,843 farmers and stockraisers were interviewed in the course of the work. A total of 678 special investigations were made to determine and diagnose diseased conditions of swine at which 253 autopsies were held. Included in these figures is a large amount of work conducted by Dr. W. H. Wright, government veterinarian stationed in this territory.

Dr. Owen states in his report that the work of controlling hog cholera has reached its highest point of efficiency in the year just closed. Efforts have heretofore been concentrated on educational work but this phase of the work has about been completed. Nearly every portion of the state has been covered and farmers have been made thoroughly acquainted with the method of treating cholera.

The majority of hogs raised in the state come from the eastern section and it is therefore in this section that the majority of the work has been done. Inasmuch as 85 per cent of all losses in swine are caused by cholera, it can be seen that the control of this disease will place the swine industry on a safe and profitable basis and result in an enormous saving to the people of the state.

Marriage Of Interest

A marriage of much interest occurred at Roe Saturday afternoon about six o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Daniels when their niece Miss Lula Daniels who is one of the dearest little girls of Roe, became the bride of Mr. Roy Goodwin one of Lola's most popular young men.

The ceremony was performed by Reverend Wilson Lupton and was witnessed by many relatives and friends.

After the ceremony was performed the newly weds went to Lola to attend the Free Will Baptist church where they were warmly welcomed and greeted with heartiest congratulations.

Had A Fine Trip

Judge K. J. Respass returned last Saturday from his trip to Hendersonville where he attended a meeting of the State County Commissioners. He made a part of his trip by auto and had a fine chance to see the beautiful mountain country and the Piedmont section.

Cats a Source of Danger.

Cats are great carriers of disease germs, and scratches from their claws are sources of real danger, as those claws are generally coated with a mass of germs which may cause infection, and for these reasons one should not be allowed to associate too intimately with young children whether the latter are asleep or awake.

Republican Candidate for Governor of N. C.



JOHN J. PARKER

A Fine Showing Made

In this issue of the News there appears the quarterly statement, and an advertisement of the Beaufort Banking and Trust Company which is well worth reading. It shows the remarkable growth of this progressive institution. The business of the Beaufort Banking and Trust Company is now almost three quarters of a million dollars which makes it the largest bank in the county and one of the largest in the coastal country.

First Watermelons Arrive

Owing to the lateness of Spring this year, watermelons have been somewhat late in putting in their appearance. Last year some were on the market here the first of July, but the first load this year came in on Monday the 12th. They were of the Bogue Sound variety and were as usual nice melons. There were about 250 in the lot and they brought the grower 40 cents each. Now in a few days they will be quite plentiful.

Peculiar Disease.

Atkhemomama—the medical name for another disease—is full of interest. In this the patient has the irresistible impulse to count a certain number of times before doing anything. One case recorded is of a girl who had to tap on the edge of the bed nine times before getting into it; a hundred times before brushing her teeth; to knock three times on a window by the side of the door, and a similar number of times on the door itself before she would unlock it.

The Milk Bottle Only.

Skagit County Times: "The first duty of the American people is to prepare the youth of the land for the bottle of life."—Boston Transcript.

Let's Do It Here.

In Finland, lawyers, before they can secure government employment, must serve as policemen for the purpose of gaining practical experience.

Cranberries.

The best-known cranberry section in the world is in the Cape Cod district of Massachusetts, with an average yield of 30 barrels an acre.

Sadler--Springle

Last Friday evening at nine o'clock a very pretty but quiet wedding took place at the home of Reverend W. W. Lewis when Miss Sallie Sadler of Beaufort became the bride of Mr. Maniev Springle.

Only a few intimate friends witnessed the wedding.

Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses have been granted to the following named couples:

Roy Goodwin and Lula Daniels, Roe, M. F. Springle and Sallie Sadler, Beaufort, Jas. G. Weeks and Kate Jones, Bogue, Alex Lewis and Margaret Gillikin Otway, Samuel Smith and Delia Hargett Beaufort, Troy S. Brown Beulahville and Bennie Rita Herrington, Newport.

Bank Of Beaufort Statement

The statement of the Bank of Beaufort which appears in this issue of the News shows a very substantial increase over the one made some months ago. This bank which is the oldest in the county has not only retained the confidence of the public but is being favored with a steadily increasing patronage.

where is snow.

Chester was slow in wit, but he appreciated the aptness of speech in one of his playmates, evidently, for when asked why he was anxious to be in Jack's company so much he replied, "Oh, everything he says has a kick to it."

Pigmy Race.

The natives of the Andaman Islands, Bay of Bengal, average three feet eleven inches in height and weigh under seventy pounds.

Functions of the Heart.

The human heart is like a millstone in a mill; when you put wheat under it, it turns, and grinds, and breaks the wheat into flour; if you put no wheat in, it still grinds on; but then it is itself it grinds and slowly wears away.—Luther.

NEW REALTY COMPANY

Corporation Formed To Do General Real Estate And Development Business

A charter has been granted this week by the Secretary of State to the Carteret Realty and Company of Beaufort. This concern proposes to do a real estate and insurance business and will make a specialty of farm lands. The authorized capital stock of the company is \$100,000, of which \$1000 has been paid in. The officers of company are E. J. Becton, Kirston President, A. L. Wilson, Newport Vice-President, D. W. Morton, Beaufort, Secretary and W. G. Mebane, Beaufort, Treasurer.

The new company expects to handle real estate wherever the opportunity presents itself but will make a specialty of improved and unimproved lands in Carteret county. More than ninety per cent of the lands of this county are not under cultivation and while of course some of it cannot be successfully tilled, there is much of it that can be farmed profitably. The Carteret Realty Company will undertake to bring in settlers from the outside and establish them in this county.

A tremendous development has been going on for several years in the counties to the west of this section but here the fields has scarcely been touched. When the people up the State and in other states find that they can buy good lands here much cheaper than in their own communities they will gladly make investments here. The Carteret Realty Company will try to attract investors of this sort to this county. It will also undertake some important developments in the town of Beaufort and will do all it can to advertise and assist in the growth of both town and the rural districts.

Note of Suspicion.

"I notice," remarked Farmer Corn-tassel, "that you always go away up north when you make up your mind to go fishin' sure enough." "That has been my custom," remarked the enthusiast. "Well, I dunno, but it's a good idea to get so far away that the fish can't be expected to keep so's you could show your catch instid o' braggin' about it."

Peril of Growing Pains.

Little John had put in a very hard day of playing and that night he said, "Mother, oh, how my knee aches!" "That is just a growing pain and will be all right in the morning," replied his mother. At that John exclaimed: "But the pain is in just one knee, and is one of my legs going to be longer than the other?"

To Mend Broken China.

A cheap and easily prepared cement for broken china is lime mixed with the white of an egg. Only take sufficient white of an egg to mend one article at a time, and mix thoroughly with a small quantity of lime. Apply the mixture to the place where the article is broken, and in a short time the cement will set and become quite hard.

Music's Charms.

"I like plenty of music at a political gathering," remarked Senator Berghm. "You think it has a calming influence?" "Undoubtedly. The great beauty about a brass band is that it can't be heckled."

No Mystery.

"Why is Mrs. Millroy so sought after for bridge parties? She is a very bad player." "Yes, but she always loses money and she has so much to lose."

BIG TIME HERE TUESDAY

Republican Candidate For Governor Will Speak Here. Large Crowd Expected

Next Tuesday will be a big day for Carteret county Republicans. On that day John J. Parker their nominee for Governor of North Carolina will be in the county and will speak twice, at Beaufort in the day time and in Morehead City that night.

Mr. Parker is billed to speak in Wilmington the night before and by travelling a good part of the night can arrive in Beaufort on the morning train and will speak shortly after getting here which will be about the noon hour.

The Republican nominee is making a vigorous canvass of North Carolina having already spoken in quite a number of places. He is young and vigorous and is a forceful speaker. At the University where he graduated he was considered as one of the best debaters that ever went there. He has been practicing law now for about twelve years and has built up a good practice and made a fine reputation as a man and a lawyer. In Monroe, his home town, he enjoys the respect of all regardless of political affiliations. In his speeches Mr. Parker discusses such matters as taxation, agriculture, education, state and national politics and various matters of public interest.

Mr. Parker is the first candidate for Governor to visit Carteret county in a great many years and his coming is looked forward to with much interest by Republicans and Democrats. The speaking will take place in the court house unless the crowd is too large when it may be out of doors. An invitation to attend is extended to everybody. As women will be allowed to vote this year it is thought that they will be interested in hearing Mr. Parker's address.

The G. N. Class of the Methodist Sunday School, will give a lawn party in the front yard of J. A. Hornaday, Thursday July 15th. Cake, Candy, Lemonade and Ice-cream will be for sale after 4 P. M. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Birth Of Infant

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Russell have been the recipients of the congratulations of many friends on account of the birth of a fine boy baby which occurred last Friday.

Move The Fish Boats

The News has heard a lot of complaint from the public as to the practice of tying up the big fish boats right in the center of the town. These complaints come from both residents and visitors. The odor from some of the boats is highly offensive and it seems to be the general impression that the nuisance ought to be stopped.

Alarm Wrist Watch.

With an alarm wrist watch is supplied an electric battery to awaken a sleeper at a designated time by sending a current through and warming a strip of metal on his arm.

Turquoise Tallman of Safety.

Among army officers in some of the European countries the custom still prevails of wearing a ring set with turquoise as a talisman against a violent death.