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CONCERNING OUR TOBACCO MARKET.

There are always two sides to all questions, and the same is true of the mode in selling your tobacco. Probably one half of the tobacco farmers in this County have joined the Tobacco Growers Co-operative Association, and no one will deny them the right to sell their tobacco in the manner prescribed by their rules and regulations, and the other half prefer the old way, the independent way they call it. Now, there is absolutely no reason why both classes should not dwell together in peace and harmony, but recently there seems to have sprung up considerable ill feeling, and, as is usually the case, the innocent have to suffer. Many of the Co-ops say they will deliver, in fact some of our very best farmers did deliver last year, to other markets. Roxboro is the logical point for delivery for every pound of tobacco raised near by.

If there is any plausible reason or excuse for delivering elsewhere we have not been able to find it. We believe with all our heart that the grader, Mr. J. Shields Harvey, is one of the best tobaccoists in this State, and will vouch for his honesty, and he will give you the very best grading your tobacco will carry. The force in charge of the Co-op warehouse is just as accommodating and will look just as close after your comfort and convenience as any one could, then why should tobacco raised in Person county be carted off to other places, thereby helping to enrich those places at the expense of your county seat?

And the same thing applies to the independent class, they have no more excuse for selling their tobacco elsewhere than the other class. We would not advise any farmer to labor to make a crop and bring it here if we did not feel absolutely sure that he would receive just as much money here as he will on any market. We should have County pride enough to make us want to see our own section prosper, and this can not be if we spend our money and give our influence to other sections.

If you are a member of the Co-op Association, deliver your tobacco to Roxboro, and if you sell the independent way, bring it to Roxboro. The County has provided good roads for you to travel over and the business men here will give you a hearty welcome—always have and always will. They are your friends, they stand by you in times of trouble and they will stand by you in every crisis.

Farmers, we cordially invite you to COME.

Mr. Meekins the Republican candidate for Governor, delivered his opening speech at Asheboro last Saturday. He is a fine speaker, and, really a fine gentleman, but he knows he is defeated and knows full well if elected he could not carry out the things he proposes. But, before the campaign is over he is apt to ask some mighty interesting questions.

From every indication the Democratic majority in this State will hang around the usual one hundred thousand, and—our guess is, the "boat" bill will be defeated about by the same majority.

Catawba County farmers make money by saving and selling good crimson clover seed. This year they have from 6000 to 8000 pounds for sale.

"Rains have ceased and crops, especially cotton, are improving, is the cheerful news sent in to State College by many county farm agents now.

YOU NEED NOT FAIL

Frank Manning was one of the "boys with no chance." He was born a hunchback in a poor section of Charlestown, Mass. His father was a freight handler on the docks; his mother took in washing. He was the ninth child. Slow to develop and weak of physique, his only schooling was three terms in a public school. When he was thirteen he was earning \$1.00 a day as a dishwasher in an all-night lunch wagon in Boston. He walked to and from his job—a distance of over four miles—daily. In the summer of 1901, when he was 17 years old, he conceived the idea of offering tempting and wholesome luncheons to Harvard students in Cambridge. The students were "specials" attending the summer

courses. He had saved \$115 from his meagre pay and with this he rented a "hole in the wall" which faced Harvard University on Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge. An attractive sign over his tiny door read, "Eat Well—Think Better." His specialties consisted of home-cooked meats, pies, iced coffees, teas and lemonade. A widow living across the street did the cooking. He bought the food and paid her ten per cent gross of his earnings. Before winter of that year he had salted away \$1,100 in cash and all his bills were paid. Before the winter was over he had enlarged his place to accommodate 150 persons, employed nine waiters—girls—and a French chef did the cooking. Four years later his bank

balance amounted to \$16,500. During the four years student friends who patronized his place took enough interest in him to tutor him and at the end of the four years his education was equivalent to that of a high school graduate. Incidentally he learned shorthand and became a law reporter. He sold out, moved to Chicago and opened a large law reporting office where he made a small fortune. Selling this business he moved to Southern Italy, where he and his wife now live in comfort

Select those cotton plants with the most mature bolls and save enough seed from them to plant an acre next year, remembering that scrub seed will produce scrub crops, say agronomy workers for the State College extension division.

Gained 60 Pounds

E. S. Hardy of Marshall, Texas, writes: "I had a bad case of Bright's Disease and was told that I would never be able to work. I lost flesh till I only weighed 140 pounds; my blood pressure was so high that I had to be careful of my exercise."

I took Hobo Kidney & Bladder Remedy and I think I am entirely cured; the doctors say I am. I am running a locomotive engine every day and weigh 196 pounds. I feel for the suffering of others, and it does me good to inform others of the faith I have in Hobo Kidney & Bladder Remedy."

For sale by all druggists. Prepared by Hobo Medicine Co., Beaumont, Texas.

Wants

FREE—With each 50 cent package of MAG LAC Tooth Paste we will give a 50 cent Tooth Brush FREE. 9-3, 2ts. Hambrick, Austin & Thomas

Accidents will happen. It may be you next. Before you leave on a trip call by Satterfield's Insurance Office and get an accident ticket. \$5000.00 for 25c a day. SATTERFIELD INS. AGENCY.

WATCH FOUND, on the streets of Roxboro. Owner can get same by calling at The Courier office, describe watch and pay for this notice.

ARE YOU GOING TO TRAVEL?

Trunks, steamer trunks, wardrobe trunks, hat boxes; automobile trunks, in fact the best line of travelers goods we have ever shown, and the price is ridiculously low. Come in and let us show you. E. D. CHEEK & CO.

TWO WAKE COUNTY Farms For Sale, both adapted to cotton and tobacco. Eight room dwelling on 63 acres. Good five room dwelling and tenant house on 58 acre farm. Good outbuildings, packing house, stripping room and pit. Reason for selling, other business requires my attention. See or write Dr. O. E. Finch, Apex, N. C. 9-3 4ts.

Tobacco is nearing its prime. A hail storm in ten seconds would cost you maybe thousands. See S. P. Satterfield and get that hail policy to-day. Six dollars per acre for entire season. SATTERFIELD INS. AGENCY "OLD AND TRIED".

JEFFERSON. Get the best, it costs no more than the other kind. LIFE, ACCIDENT and HEALTH all in one policy. Get it fixed before the trouble happens. SEE SATTERFIELD. "Do it now".

SCHOOL BOOKS—A complete line School Books and School Supplies at 9-3, 2t Hambrick, Austin & Thomas.

FIRES, FIRES. For twenty-five years we have paid every loss satisfactory to insured. You may be next. See us at once. SATTERFIELD INS. AGENCY. "OLD AND TRIED".

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is a Prescription for Colds, Grippe, Dengue Fever, Constipation, Bilious Headaches and Malarial Fever.

Look now at your fire policies. Not one in ten has enough insurance on his property. Phone No. 135. Do it now, to-morrow may be too late. SATTERFIELD INS. AGENCY.

NOTICE—For Sale one lot of pure bred Berkshire pigs, and one lot of grade, Berkshire and Poland Chicks. Also several extra good brood sows, especially good mothers. Extra large prolific stock. C. G. Daniel, Roxboro, N. C., Route 4. 8-27 3td

We handle School Books. Longhurst Mercantile Co. 9ts

HENRY FORD AND THE SOUTHERN FARMER.

(Continued from page one) under the rule of the children of Abraham, a warning which went unheeded, he has turned his attention to saving American farmers from the grasp of Aaron Sapiro, a descendant of one of the tribes of Judah.

Mr. Sapiro, as is pretty generally known, is counsel for numerous farm co-operatives in the south and west and is credited with writing a co-operative marketing contract that holds a farmer to what he sets his name to. This shrewdness of Mr. Sapiro, it appears, has deeply grieved Mr. Ford, who also seems to think that Mr. Sapiro has been paid too much for his legal ability at contract writing. Therefore, Mr. Ford has hired himself a writing man who writes at so much a write of the alleged failure of all those co-operatives with which Aaron Sapiro is connected.

These pieces of Mr. Ford's writing man are printed in the Dearborn Independent, which claims to print the "truth without prejudice." From a reading of some of the Independent's articles, however, it would seem that "prejudice without truth" would serve equally as well as a slogan.

For the paper is owned by Henry Ford and his hatred of the Jew is too well known for anyone to suppose him capable of giving a member of that race an unprejudiced hearing. It is more than probable, then, that it is not the alleged failure of co-operative marketing that has strated the ink to flying but rather an earnest desire to administer a knockout blow to Sapiro, the discrediting of co-operative marketing being essential thereto.

Apparently the fact that the ruin of Sapiro would mean the ruin of nearly a half million farmers means nothing to Ford. He has a dollar for every farmer he would ruin, so why should he worry? He is gunning for Jews with a blunderbuss and those who are hit may take it for their share. Most assuredly, moreover, if Ford has any interest in the farmer it is of very recent origin. His actions hitherto have not indicated any solicitude for the welfare of cotton and tobacco growers, certainly.

For Ford's attempt to gobble up Muscle Shoals was not in the interest of the farmer. On the contrary, it was in the interest of those who hitherto have profited by the farmer's labor. He believed cheap fertilizer would mean cheap cotton and tobacco, hence his desire to produce the former. Because the maker of 10,000,400 motor cars thinks farmers should produce just twice as much as they do and sell it for prices only one-half as high as they now obtain.

Notwithstanding the fact that already the farmer is growing more than he profitably can sell, Mr. Ford's advice is to produce! produce! produce! He forgets that the farmer knows as much about growing crops as he does about making cars and seeks better marketing methods only.

But as said a moment ago, Mr. Ford is rich and can afford to ride any hobby he chooses. The Dearborn Independent, furthermore is one of these hobbies. With it he seeks to hasten the millennium, a worthy undertaking but one not likely to succeed. The peace ship he sent to Europe to get the boys out of the trenches was another Ford hobby. In fact, if hobbies were horses Mr. Ford would be considered a hard rider.

The Dearborn Independent is independent and can afford to be; it is backed by five hundred million dollars, which accounts solely for its continued existence. Remove this financial backing and it wouldn't last six months. For it carries no advertising, its circulation is forced and it is responsible to no one except Ford. There are southern farm papers however, which depend upon their readers for a livelihood and which render a service that is real. Almost all of these papers, moreover, advocate co-operative marketing as the way out for the farmer; they are willing to rise or fall with the issue. Not so The Dearborn Independent. It doesn't have to be careful, for it is the pet of the richest man in the world. And though the paper has

many commendable qualities, it is nothing more than a freak, a don quixote of the periodical world seeking to redress wrongs that exist only in the mind of its owner.

Finally, few men succeed brilliantly in more than one line of endeavor and Ford's success as an automobile manufacturer is so outstanding he is not likely to duplicate it elsewhere. Consequently, if a farmer seeks advice on how to make an automobile let him go to Ford, but if he wishes advice on how to grow and market crops let him go to those who have made a study of these subjects. Madison. LIPTON G. WILSON.

Meat Scrap Is Essential to Production of Eggs

That rations for laying hens should contain approximately 12 per cent of meat scrap for efficient egg production is brought out by tests at the Ohio experiment station.

This amount of meat scrap has decreased the cost of feed more than 20 per cent and increased the egg production more than 50 per cent as compared with a ration containing only 2 per cent of meat scrap. This was true of both the heavy and light breeds of poultry.

A ration in which the grain mixture was made up of three parts corn, one part wheat and the dry mash mixture of two parts, by weight, ground corn, one part bran and two parts meat scrap, has proved satisfactory. The fowls consumed twice as much grain as mash.

Plow Legumes Under for Building Up Fertility

Over 652,000 acres of legumes were plowed under for green manure in 1922 by farmers following the advice of agricultural extension workers on methods of building up soil fertility, according to reports to the United States Department of Agriculture.

Finding that the fields in which they desired to plant legumes had acid soil, some 48,000 farmers in 1922 followed the recommendation of their county agent to apply lime on these fields. They used for this purpose, according to reports to the United States Department of Agriculture, about 627,000 tons of lime or limestone.

Especially Worth While to Save Supply of Corn

Prof. R. M. Green, marketing head at the Kansas State Agricultural college, believes that it is especially worth the farmer's while to conserve corn. Cattle roughed through the winter and corn fed for the spring market promise better. While cattle prices may work to a slightly lower level than last season, storage holdings of beef are no more burdensome than last year and production is in no way as much overdone as in the case of hogs.

Tom Tarheel says he knows how farming should be done but he can't always do just like he wants to; but at that, the county agent is continually suggesting good ideas that were overlooked.

DON'T MISTAKE THE CAUSE

Many Roxboro People Have Kidney Trouble and Do Not Know It.

Do you have backache? Are you tired and worn out? Feel dizzy, nervous and depressed? Are the kidney secretions irregular? Highly colored; contain sediment? Likely your kidneys are at fault. Weak kidneys give warning of distress.

Heed the warning; don't delay—Use a tested kidney remedy. Read this Roxboro testimony.

R. L. Laws, carpenter, Roxboro says: "My kidneys acted too freely and I had to get up several times at night because of their weakness. The secretions burned in passage and were highly colored. My back got to hurting me right bad and when I bent over it was an effort to straighten again. Sharp twinges shot through my kidneys and morning my back was stiff and lame. I procured Doan's Pills at the Davis Drug Co., and they fixed me up in A-1 shape. I haven't been troubled with my kidneys in a number of years."

60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Genialo, N. Y.

Important! ANNOUNCEMENT

Change In Millinery Department.

We will not employ a high priced Milliner to sell hats for us this season. We can sell better hats for less money without one. Our stock will be kept up to the highest standards and the hats will be sold by the sales girls in the store just as dresses, coats and other articles are. The great majority of the leading stores in the country have adopted this plan and find it far more satisfactory than to have expensive trimmers come down from Baltimore or elsewhere to handle this department. It means a big saving to our customers and they will get just as nice and stylish hats as are to be had. We already have on display a fine showing of popular priced hats for Fall wear. Come in and see them, note the styles and prices and you will be convinced that you will save money by buying here.

New Goods In All LINES.

Our buyers are back from market and the new Fall goods in all lines are coming in rapidly. New things will be shown every day from now on. We are ready and always pleased to serve you with the best that the market has at the most reasonable prices for reliable merchandise.

Harris & Burns

ROXBORO'S BEST STORE



Have you got One?

If you have a bank account and are REGULARLY adding to your balance, we congratulate you and say "keep it up."

If you have no bank account, we urge you to come in and open one. The satisfied, confident feeling it will give you to know you are getting ahead, will strengthen your determination to make your balance grow.

Come in today.

We will welcome you.

THE Peoples Bank

"The Bank of The People"

SCHOOL DAYS

Yes we have the supplies on hand, pencils, tablets etc. Our earnest endeavor is to carry at all times what you will want and need at Honest-To-Goodness prices.

FOX'S CASH STORE

At the Crossing.

Opening Postponed

Miss Pleasants of Greensboro, who is to be

in charge of the

Ladies Parlor

has arrived, but owing to delay in receiving

my fixtures have been forced to delay

our opening.

Watch this space for announcement.

J. R. DOARES.