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EACH COUNTY'S SHARE.

The First One Hundred Thousand to Schools.

The calculation of the number of white and colored school population of North Carolina, with the proportion of the first \$100,000 to go to each county, was completed yesterday in the office of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

The table, which gives each county's share of this fund, is published below. It shows that in the State there are 678,599 persons of school age. Wake leading, with 19,375; Mecklenburg second, with 18,794; Buncombe third, 14,889; Robeson fourth, 14,501, and Guilford fifth, 13,652.

The division of the fund is made on a per capita of 15 cents, and is as follows:

COUNTIES.	White and Colored Children.	Apportionment at 15c Per Capita.
Alamance	9,167	\$1,375.05
Alexander	4,016	602.40
Alleghany	2,996	449.40
Anson	8,054	1,208.10
Ashe	7,433	1,114.95
Beaufort	8,428	1,264.20
Bertie	7,650	1,147.50
Bladen	6,573	985.95
Brunswick	4,477	671.55
Buncombe	14,889	2,233.35
Burke	6,336	950.40
Cabarrus	8,238	1,235.70
Caldwell	5,979	896.85
Camden	1,861	279.15
Carteret	4,259	638.85
Caswell	4,917	737.55
Catawba	8,370	1,255.50
Chatham	8,594	1,289.10
Cherokee	4,708	706.20
Chowan	3,284	492.60
Clay	1,742	261.30
Cleveland	10,113	1,516.95
Columbus	8,092	1,213.80
Craven	7,604	1,140.60
Cumberland	10,423	1,563.45
Currituck	2,203	330.45
Dare	1,564	234.60
Davidson	8,483	1,272.45
Daye	4,400	660.00
Duplin	7,848	1,177.20
Durham	10,129	1,519.35
Edgecombe	9,017	1,352.55
Totals	678,599	\$101,789.85

Forsyth	11,061	1,749.15
Franklin	8,368	1,255.20
Gaston	10,686	1,602.90
Gates	3,807	571.05
Graham	1,837	275.55
Graunville	7,785	1,167.75
Greene	3,993	598.95
Guilford	13,652	2,047.80
Halifax	10,407	1,561.05
Harnett	5,800	870.00
Haywood	6,508	976.20
Henderson	5,404	810.60
Hertford	5,477	821.55
Hyde	3,161	474.15
Iredell	10,424	1,563.60
Jackson	4,270	640.50
Johnson	11,809	1,771.35
Jones	2,867	430.05
Lenoir	6,209	931.35
Lincoln	5,726	858.90
Macon	4,473	670.95
Madison	8,302	1,245.30
Martin	5,395	809.25
McDowell	4,659	698.85
Mecklenburg	18,794	2,819.10
Mitchell	6,383	957.45
Montgomery	5,152	772.80
Moore	8,554	1,283.10
Nash	8,437	1,265.55
New Hanover	7,799	1,169.85
Northampton	7,714	1,157.10
Oswalo	4,158	623.70
Orange	4,779	716.85
Pamlico	2,976	446.40
Pasquotank	4,417	662.55
Pender	4,966	744.90
Perquimans	3,612	541.80
Person	6,130	919.50
Pitt	10,617	1,592.55
Polk	2,503	375.45
Randolph	10,281	1,542.15
Richmond	5,267	790.05
Robeson	14,501	2,175.15
Rockingham	11,055	1,658.25
Rowan	10,835	1,625.25
Rutherford	9,223	1,383.45
Sampson	9,369	1,405.35
Scotland	4,216	632.40
Stanly	6,090	913.50
Stokes	7,154	1,073.10
Surry	9,816	1,472.40
Swain	2,900	435.00
Transylvania	2,492	373.80
Tyrrell	1,682	252.30
Union	10,712	1,606.80
Vanue	6,306	945.90
Wake	19,375	2,906.25
Warren	7,000	1,050.00
Washington	3,623	543.45
Watauga	5,293	793.95
Wayne	10,962	1,644.45
Wilkes	10,342	1,551.30
Wilson	8,063	1,209.45
Yadkin	5,232	784.80
Yancey	4,563	684.45
Totals	678,599	\$101,789.85

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A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on the affected parts, is better than a plaster for a lame back and for pains in the side or chest. Pain Balm has no superior as a liniment for the relief of deep seated, muscular and rheumatic pains. For sale by all druggists.

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The Pride of Heroes.

Many soldiers in the last war wrote to say that for Scratches, Bruises, Cuts, Wounds, Corns, Sore Feet and Stiff Joints, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best in the world. Same for Burns, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Skin Eruptions and Piles. It cures or no pay. Only 25c at Spruill & Bro's, store.

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Slave To Morphine From Doctor's Orders.

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Dr. Miles' Nerve Cured Me.

When the nervous system has been shattered by the use of deadly drugs there is nothing to equal Dr. Miles' Nerve in restoring it to health and normal activity. "I feel so grateful for what Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve has done for me that I must tell it for that part of humanity that suffers as I have. During the three years I suffered from nervous prostration I found no relief except when doctors gave morphine. To get rid of suffering I took morphine myself as it was the only thing that would give ease, and now you, who point with scorn at morphine using, how could you, when in such agony, knowing it about the only thing that would give relief, resist it? I knew it was a terrible habit and I knew of its deadly grasp, but I never fully realized its significance until I had used it a number of months. Oh, the misery of being addicted to such a habit. I resolved then and there to quit it and resolved I would never be a slave to any such demon. About this time I happened to notice Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve advertised and ordered a bottle. After using five bottles I can truthfully say I am cured of using morphine. Now, however much persons may doubt it, God is my witness I am cured. This testimonial is unsolicited but I feel it my duty to give it for the benefit of the suffering."—MATTIE PHILLIPS, Prescott, Ark. All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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First make up your mind that you have something worth advertising, something that the public really needs or wants, something that will appeal to those who have intelligence to appreciate and means to buy—advertise it in THE ROANOKE BEACON and results are assured.

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UPON TOTAL PORT RECEIPTS OF COTTON
1st SEPT., 1902, TO 10th JAN., 1903.
CONTEST CLOSES DECEMBER 31st, 1902.
MAGNIFICENT TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLAR OFFER.

To the one Making the exact, or the nearest to the exact, estimate of the receipts of cotton AT ALL UNITED STATES PORTS from Sept. 1, 1902, to January 10, 1903..... \$5,000
To the next nearest estimate..... 2,000
To the second next nearest..... 1,000
To the five next nearest..... \$300 each..... 1,500
To the ten next nearest..... 200 each..... 2,000
To the fifteen next nearest..... 100 each..... 1,500
To the twenty next nearest..... 50 each..... 1,000
To the fifty next nearest..... 10 each..... 500
To the one hundred nearest..... 5 each..... 500

For distribution among those estimates (not taking any of the above 203 prizes) coming within 1,000 balos either way of the exact figures \$15,000
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Grand total..... \$17,500

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- Send \$1.25 for WEEKLY CONSTITUTION and SUNNY SOUTH, both one year, and send two estimates in this contest—that is one estimate for the SUNNY SOUTH and another estimate for THE CONSTITUTION.
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- Send 50c for SUNNY SOUTH one year and with it one estimate in the contest.
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- The money and the subscription and the estimate must come in the same envelope every time. The estimate, the money and the subscription go together. This rule is positive.
- No estimate must be mailed later than December 31st, 1902.
- In case of a tie upon any prize estimate, the money will be equally divided.

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(To be changed if subscriptions and estimates both are sent.)
PUBLISHERS CONSTITUTION, Atlanta, Ga.
Enter THREE estimates for me, for \$1.00 enclosed, in your current contest as follows:

1st	2d	3d
Upon Total Port Receipts		
September 1, 1902,		
to January 10, 1903.		

Name.....
Postoffice.....
State.....

NOTE—If you wish only ONE estimate in the contest, send FIFTY CENTS and fill out only one line of blanks. If you wish TEN estimates in the contest send THREE DOLLARS and write your own figures plainly. If you wish to subscribe to THE WEEKLY CONSTITUTION or SUNNY SOUTH, or both, as above offered, make remittance indicated and send estimates FREE—one estimate, or each yearly subscription, or two for the combination, changing this coupon accordingly, and enclose with remittance.

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STATISTICS OF LAST SEVEN CROPS.
THE PORT RECEIPTS for the past few years, from September 1 through the first ten days of January, are given to aid you in making an intelligent estimate in this contest. It is not necessary to itemize your estimate, give it in one plain sum expressed in figures only; let them mean just what you mean to say.

Cotton Year—	Total Port Receipts from Sept. 1 to January 10.
1895-6.....	2,862,180
1896-7.....	5,139,272
1897-8.....	5,951,253
1898-9.....	6,156,283
1899-1900.....	4,207,856
1900-01.....	4,804,514
1901-02.....	5,137,819

Secretary Hester, of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, will furnish the official figures to decide this contest.

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