

WILL ISSUE COTTON SCRIPT.

Official announcement will be made tomorrow by E. C. Cahill, manager of the Farmers' Union Warehouse Company, that the company has decided to issue flat money at the rate of \$30 for every bale of cotton held in the Texas warehouses.

It is believed that the merchants will accept the scrip at its face value, depending later on the Farmers' Union Bank in Houston to take it up.

D. J. Neill, president of the Farmers' Union, and J. Thomas, a well-known New York operator, passed through Houston today en route to Louisiana and Mississippi, where they go to unify the sentiment of holding cotton. They refused to state their mission, other than this, but from local men with whom they talked it is learned that they will also attempt to prepare the cotton men of those States to accept the flat money to be issued by the Texas contingent.

Why are Prices Should Now Attract Buyers.

The only class of textile manufacturers that have been able to manipulate, and has been insufficient to fully absorb, is coarse-cotton yarns. Belated steps have now been taken by Southern spinners to correct this mistake.

GREENSBORO NEWS NOTES.

Freight Agents Meet to Become Better Acquainted—A Canadian Railroad Officer Visits the City—Youthful Negroes Run in For Gambling.

Special to The Observer. Greensboro, Nov. 25.—The freight agents at the most important points on this division of the Southern Railway held a conference in this city yesterday for the purpose of becoming better acquainted for their mutual benefit.

Mr. Fitzhugh, first vice president and general manager of the Greensboro Railway, and a party of friends are spending today here. They are traveling in Mr. Fitzhugh's private car, "Onion." Mr. Fitzhugh is here on business.

Policeman Causey ran in upon a crowd of boys playing a game of cards called "skin" in a room on the second floor on South Elm street this afternoon. Other officers were notified and they arrested Greek Emerson, Oscar Caldwell, Dudley Freeman and Douglas Hlatt and they will appear in police court tomorrow morning to answer the charge of gambling. The other players ran when the officers appeared, and the negro jumping out of a second-story window and landing on the concrete sidewalk. The other players ran and have not yet been captured.

Mr. W. P. Turner, foreman of the Greensboro Patriot, left today for New York to spend some time in the factory of the Argenthaler Lintotype Company to become a machinist-operator.

E. M. Malcolm, a brakeman on the Southern Railway, had the toes of one of his feet mashed off Saturday night on the yards in this city. He was taken to his home on West Lee street and the railroad surgeons attended him.

Col. Henry Blount, the famous lecturer of Wilson, will deliver a lecture at Jefferson Academy, McLeansville, Friday, November 29th.

A banquet was given at the McAdoo Hotel Thanksgiving night, complimentary to Mr. Marshall A. Eason, of Syracuse, N. Y., who will deliver an address that evening in the First Baptist church in the interest of the Baraca movement.

Mr. Hudson is a live wire and he is being looked forward to with great interest by the Sunday school workers of Greensboro.

Are't Two Verdicts Sufficient? Wilmington Dispatch. Says The Charlotte Observer: "It should be apparent to every enlightened observer that no small part of Colonel Bryan's strength for the Democratic presidential nomination lies in the practically universal conviction that he would never get any further."

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W. E. CURTIS DESCRIBES THE SITUATION.

Good Pay For Factory Jobs Means Population From the Country—Social Problems Complex—William E. Curtis Writes of the Changing Economic Condition in North Carolina.

Charlotte is almost as much of an educational center as it is a manufacturing center. There are two large colleges for women here which have a high reputation in the South.

The manufacturing development of North Carolina and other Southern States has drawn out of the mountains and from the isolated corners of the foothills that class of the population familiarly known as "poor whites." It has furnished the opportunity for the cotton mills almost exclusively because the negro cannot handle a spindle or a loom, and, therefore, they have become of great importance in the industrial prosperity of the State.

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When a man has an attractive home surrounded by a garden that he has planted and cultivated himself, he is not likely to leave it," said Mr. Baldwin.

There are many of these people never saw any cash in their lives until they came into the factory towns to work for wages," said Mr. Baldwin. "They lived on their truck gardens and their poultry and the credit allowed them at the cross-roads stores, which were the only places where the cotton was sold. The cost of living in town is, of course, much greater than in the country, and their standard of living has advanced in food, dress and the comforts and conveniences of their homes. Their standard has advanced largely upon their employers, however. The competent hands naturally drift to the well-managed mills, while the lazy and dissipated shift from one mill to another. Few of them can read, and write, and those who have these accomplishments can do very little more. They do not realize the value of education and are not anxious to educate their children, although at the good mills they are gradually learning that educated operatives command better wages."

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WINSTON'S NEW P. E. PREACHES.

Rev. Dr. T. F. Marr Delivers Two Sermons at the Twin City—Furphy Court Calendar of 350 Cases Arranged.

Special to The Observer. Winston-Salem, Nov. 25.—Rev. Dr. T. F. Marr, the new presiding elder of the Winston district of the Western North Carolina Conference of the M. E. Church, South, preached an abstruse sermon to a large congregation at Centenary church yesterday morning.

Dr. Marr will give his family to Winston-Salem this week, probably tomorrow. Rev. Mr. Scroggs, who has been presiding elder of this district, but who is stationed at Statesville for the present Conference year, will leave to-morrow with his family for Statesville.

Dr. J. E. Abernethy, the new pastor of Centenary church, will arrive here Tuesday with his family from Mount Airy, where he has been stationed for several years. He will conduct the Thanksgiving service at Centenary Thursday morning.

Dr. H. F. Christensen, the retiring pastor of Centenary, and Mrs. Christensen left Saturday for Sparrowsburg, S. C. to spend a few days before going to their new home in Monroe.

Rev. R. M. Rankin, of Greensboro, evangelist of the Orange Presbytery, filled the pulpit at the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning and evening, preaching two very thoughtful and practical sermons to large congregations.

The local bar association, met Saturday afternoon and arranged the calendar for the December term of Forsyth Superior Court for the trial of civil cases. There are more than 250 cases on the docket, but only a small portion of these will be reached. The term begins December 2d and is for 17½ weeks. Judge Fred Moore, of Asheville, will preside.

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Government Forester Pinchot Says if Present Rate of Cutting Continues Supply Will Be Exhausted in Twenty Years—Preservation Not Altogether the Government Task.

Mr. Gifford Pinchot, the government forester, says that at the present rate of cutting, the timber supply in the United States, on government reserves and private holdings, will be exhausted in twenty years.

Mr. Pinchot is a man whose cool judgment and discretion give him a high rank. For all that his judgment may be too pessimistic, if, however, he is right, the consumption will necessarily diminish, and that speedily, so that the actual exhaustion of supplies will no doubt be postponed to a date beyond that which he fixes. Nevertheless, the situation is very serious. The destruction of our timber is certainly going on at a tremendous rate. Provisions to renew it have been made, but on a scale so small comparatively that they afford no prospect of a continuance of the supply.

The consequences of the exhaustion of our supply of timber are calculated to be of the gravest character. Putting it at not more than twenty years is calculated to make it almost as restricted and the consumption so great, immediate steps are indispensable to avert the disaster.

There are two methods which appear on the surface to be demanded. The first is to do what can be done to stop the immense consumption of our timber. When the supply is all gone some other means must be found to furnish material for the purposes for which timber is now used. But it is obviously unwise to postpone this until the timber is exhausted. The substitute material should be found now, and the work of applying it should be at once commenced. The greater use of iron and steel and other materials is one resource, and there has been an immense increase in this respect, but apparently without sparing the timber. Our production of iron has increased phenomenally, but still the timber waste is enormous.

The natural resources of this country have been so great that until recently the prospect of their exhaustion was not seriously entertained. We had gone on cheerfully reducing them as they were inexhaustible. In recent years the note of warning has been sounded, but it has had little practical effect. The waste goes on and at an accelerated rate of speed. The population has greatly increased, and the demand on our natural resources has correspondingly been augmented. The greed of gain has dictated the destruction of our forests, without any reference to what is to be done when they are all gone.

Attention is naturally directed to the Dominion of Canada, where there are immense supplies of virgin timber. It is not, however, possible to offer a premium for the destruction of our own timber. If these were changed there would be less motive for the so rapid destruction of our timber, and in the West there has been a very real and genuine sentiment in favor of change in the laws. The difficulty in doing this is, of course, pretty well understood, but the creation of an overwhelming public sentiment in its favor is not impossible.

The second point to be noticed is that the timber which has been denuded of timber. This is a slow process, and it cannot be too soon begun in real earnest. For years we have had a good many people who insisted on the need of renewing the forests that have been destroyed. The planting of trees has been recommended, and to some extent accomplished. The point is that the work has not assumed such proportions as to supply the waste in any tolerable degree. A more general, more concerted effort to renew the supply of timber is not only necessary, but it is requisite that it be entered upon at once.

This is not altogether a work for the government. Mr. Pinchot says that one-fifth of the forest area is in the government reserves, but as the present rate of cutting is far in excess of that of the government, the government does not own one-fifth of the timber supply. The government may make an effort to preserve its forest areas, but it is known that attempts in this direction are subject to great difficulties. But however these efforts may succeed, it is necessary to bring to bear upon private owners such influence as may lessen the destruction of the timber. How this may be done is a hard question. So long as the destruction of timber is so profitable it will continue, quite in disregard of the evil consequences that are threatened. It would seem proper that both the Federal and State governments should make an effort to diminish the waste. Certainly they ought to see to it that the laws which offer a premium for the destruction of the timber.

THIRTY YEARS FOR DONOTHAN.

Man Who Shot to Death His Landlord Without Provocation Sent to the Penitentiary by Surry Court—Wife of Murdered Man Did Not Want to See Slayer Hanged.

Special to The Observer. Mount Airy, Nov. 25.—Surry Superior Court in session at Dobson has sent Donothan for thirty years for killing his landlord, Mr. Eades, near Slocum, three months ago. The wife of the murdered man said she did not want Donothan convicted of murder in the first degree, for that meant hanging, and she did not want him hanged, she said, because she felt that he was not prepared to die, but that if sent to the penitentiary for a long term she was sure he would have time and ample opportunity to get ready for death. Donothan did not show her husband a minute's mercy, but shot him to death and then beat his head to pulp with the butt of his gun.

Mrs. Eades is a true Christian lady and hundreds of people have been heard to speak in praise of her unprecedented kindness and humane feeling in time of great sorrow and trial. The judge in passing sentence upon the murderer told him he must serve thirty years, and not to make an effort to secure a pardon, as he would have the docket state that the full term of thirty years must be served.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM SPRAY.

Banks Still Handling Money and Mills Paying Off With It—Mr. J. L. McAllister Has Charge of Cedar Falls Mill.

Special to The Observer. Spray, Nov. 25.—The banks of Spray and Leaksville are still handling money over the counters, with indications that they will continue to do so indefinitely. All of the mills of Spray and Draper continue to pay off in the long green, and also continue to run full time, with no prospect of a curtailment.

Mr. J. S. McAllister, treasurer of the Nantuxet and Lilly Mills and one of the State's most esteemed and experienced cotton mill operators, is now devoting a part of his time to the operation of the Cedar Falls Manufacturing Company at Cedar Falls. This excellent piece of property Mr. McAllister recently acquired control of, taking over the holdings of Mr. O. R. Cox.

A letter has recently been received from Mr. Chisholm, who had charge of the textile exhibits at the Jamestown Exposition, stating that the collective Spray exhibit had been awarded a gold medal; also that the Rhode Island Company, manufacturers of fine cotton blankets, had been awarded a bronze medal; the German-American Company, a silver medal on cotton blankets, and the Spray Woolen Mills a gold medal on blankets and other wool fabrics.

The Spray Woolen Mills are making up large quantities of bath robe patterns, which they are selling direct. These robes are most popular at this season of the year.

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