

MILLS AND MARKETS

FASTER THAN THE SOUTH

New England Leading at Present in Cotton Mill Expansion.

Textile Manufacturers' Journal.

More new cotton mills, or additions to established plants, are projected or in progress of construction in New England to-day than at any period since 1890, says a magazine...

A RECENT DISCOVERY

Written for The Observer.

Now the following story you may not believe, I'm afraid you won't, but it was told me by one of the most truthful little boys I know...

EIGHT WEEKS' TEXTILE COURSE

Textile Department of A. & M. College Will Give Mills at least of \$50, Beginning January 5th.

Beginning January 5th, 1909, an eight week course for mill men will be given at the textile department of the A. & M. College at Raleigh.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

New York, Dec. 27.—The closing of the stock exchange last week on Thursday evening to remain closed until Monday morning made the week a short one in financial affairs...

WINNING OF THE SOUTH

New York Sun. One hears a vast deal these days about the great thing Mr. Taft is going to do for the South...

PERSONALLY CONDUCTED TOUR TO HAVANA, CUBA AND RETURN

January 11, 1909

And Includes Meals and Stateroom Berth on Steamer.

Leaves Charlotte 5:10 P. M.

SIX (6) DAYS IN CUBA

All arrangements completed for low hotel rates and side trips in Cuba, and stops will be made at Jacksonville, St. Augustine, Palm Beach and Miami and carriage drives may be taken at these points.

An attractive part of the trip through Florida is over the Florida East Coast Railway, Concrete Viaduct Extension, through the KEYS to KNIGHT'S KEY DOCK, where a steamer of the P. & O. S. S. Co. is taken to Havana.

Party will visit many points of interest in Cuba, including Matanzas, Guama, Guines, Morro Castle and Cabanas Forts, and through the sugar and tobacco plantations and will return about January 22d.

Those who do not desire to leave with the party can leave Havana as late as January 27th, 1909.

For details, write at once to the undersigned, as the party will be limited account lack of accommodations on steamer.

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thinks that will usher in the much desired transformation he could not do better than adopt this very attractive plan. It will save time and thought, and it possesses the conspicuous virtue of simplicity.

But we have inspected Mr. Taft to very little purpose if he approaches the problem in any reasonable manner. He must understand that Southerners of the class he wants to conciliate and reassure are not to be captured by so transparent a device and he must know that a distribution of place and perquisites among a few who are anxious for the preferment will affect exactly the beneficiaries of the arrangement and none others. It will banish one set of transmitters and replace them with another set. The old alignments will remain. Nothing will be changed. We may say in fact that there will be no improvement whatsoever. After all, the old elite was well enough. In their way the members were loyal and serviceable for all the purposes of their existence. They looked after the interests of the industrial convention and they have lived their lives according to the agreement with headquarters and subsequently partitioned the Federal patronage with reasonable fairness. To substitute a new oligarchy would answer no important end. Certainly it would not promote the conversion or engage the sympathies of honest and intelligent Southern Democrats. The fact that the Hon. Luther E. Wright of Tennessee, has held his office in the Far East and is now Secretary of War in the Roosevelt Cabinet has not changed a vote in his or any other State.

There are all sorts of Republicans in the South—Republicans by conviction, by inheritance and by faith, and Republicans by expediency and employment. In many cases the former are all right, but the latter are not.

By virtue of a decree of the United States Circuit Court for the western district of North Carolina, entered at Greensboro, N. C., on the 21st day of December, 1908, in certain suit in equity entitled Cane, Export and Commission Company, et al., vs. Southern Cotton Mills, defendant, I will, on Wednesday, 31st day of January, 1909, at the hour of 11 o'clock in front of the main mill building in Bessemer City, N. C., offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder for cash all the property, assets and effects, change in action, etc., of the Southern Cotton Mills, consisting of its real estate, manufacturing establishment, including all machinery, etc.; its bills and accounts receivable; its investments in other corporations, its franchises, and all of its other property of every kind and character except manufactured goods and cotton in bales.

The property consists of a substantially built brick spinning mill, two stories, containing 15,216 spindles, and immediately adjoining is a substantially built one-story brick building, containing 441 44-inch looms with all necessary intermediate and subsidiary machinery. This mill is equipped so that it can make yarn for market on section beams or in the bales, as it is equipped with both Denn and Beam warpers. It is equipped for both sheetings and colored goods, and it has a well-equipped dye house also bearing room and washers.

In addition to the mill there are ten tenant houses and approximately 37 acres of land unimproved.

In addition to the foregoing there will be sold, in conjunction therewith, bills, notes and accounts receivable aggregating something more than \$55,000.

The foregoing property and a list of the bills, notes and accounts receivable will be shown to full view of parties by calling upon F. F. Coble, agent, at Bessemer City, N. C.

The mills will be operated to and including the day of confirmation of sale, and the stock in process of manufacture together with all supplies and repairs on hand, will be included and sold with the mills.

The terms of the sale will be cash upon confirmation by the court, but a deposit of five per cent. (5 per cent.) cash or security satisfactory to me, will be required of the successful bidder or bidders. Purchasers may use Cane's assignors' Southern Cotton Mills to the extent of their dividend value in paying for this property.

This property is in first-class condition, and is especially located in one of the best growing sections of the South. Help is efficient and plentiful. The title to the property is perfect, and the purchaser will have quiet possession without any encumbrance or obligation from any source.

NOTICE By order of court all persons concerned as creditors, stockholders or otherwise in the sale of the above property, are hereby notified that the sale to be made as aforesaid, on January 27th, 1909, will be reported to the United States Court, at Greensboro, N. C., on Wednesday, February 24th, 1909, for confirmation, at which time and place any person interested in said property, as aforesaid, will have an opportunity to be heard in favor of or in opposition to the confirmation of the same, and they are expected to attend if they so desire, without further notice.

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