

"This ARGUS o'er the people's rights Doth an eternal vigil keep;

No soothing strains of Maia's son Can lull its hundred eyes to sleep."

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E. M'IVER WILLIAMSON REVOLUTIONIZES CORN GROWING.

"Southern Corn for the South" is What it Means--Result of Long Experiments by a Practical and Scientific Farmer--How He Plants to Make 100 Bushels to the Acre--Stunting the Stalk-- Fertilization Only After Planting--The Fertilizers to Use--A Gold Mine Opened Without Cost and Without Price to Southern Farmers.

The following highly valuable paper, prepared by Mr. E. McIver Williamson of Darlington county, S. C., has just been published in the Hartsville County Messenger...

best development, it will produce as well on loose open land, while corn does best on land thoroughly broken. A deep soil will not only produce more heavily than a shallow soil with good seasons...

By this method I have made my corn crop more profitable than my cotton crop, and my neighbors and friends who have adopted it have, without exception, derived great benefit therefrom.

I did not give up, however, for I knew that the farmer who did not make his own corn never had succeeded and never would, so I began to experiment. First, I planted lower, and the yield was better, but the stalk was still too large...

Never plow land when it is wet, if you expect ever to have any use for it again. Bed with turn plow in six-foot rows, leaving five-inch blank. When ready to plant, break this out with scooter, following in bottom of this furrow deep with Dixie plow...

Confident it can be made of great benefit throughout the entire South. In the middle West, where corn is so prolific and profitable, and where, unfortunately for us, so much of our has been produced, the stalk does not naturally grow large.

Last year (1905) I followed the same method, planting the first week in April, 70 acres which had produced the year before 1,000 pounds seed cotton per acre. This land is sandy upland, somewhat rolling. Seasons were very unfavorable...

Corn should not be worked again until the ground has been so retarded and the stalk so hardened that it will never grow too large. This is the most difficult point in the whole process. Experience and judgment are required to know just how much the stalk should be stunted...

Table with 4 columns: Item, Nitrogen, Phos-pho-phos, Potash, Value. Rows include 2,800 pounds corn, 300 pounds stalks, 490 pounds cobs, etc.

On land that will make a bushel and one-half of cotton per acre when well fertilized, 100 bushels of corn should be produced by doubling the amount of fertilizer above, except that 300 pounds of nitrate of soda should be used.

When you are convinced that your corn has been sufficiently humiliated, you may begin to make the ear. It should now be from 12 to 18 inches high, and look worse than you ever had any corn to look before.

I am satisfied with one ear to the stalk, unless a prolific variety is planted, and leave 100 stalks for every bushel that I expect to make. I find the six foot row easiest to cultivate without injuring the corn.

In each case there should be left on the land in corn-stalks, peas, vines and roots, from \$12 to \$16 worth of fertilizing material per acre, beside the great benefit to the land from so large an amount of vegetable matter.

Put half your mixed fertilizer (this being the first used at all) in the old sweep furrow on both sides of every other middle, and cover by breaking out this middle with turn plow. About one week later treat the other middle the same way.

"About ten years ago my scalp became badly affected with sore and itching humors, crusts, etc., and extending down behind the ears. My hair came out in places also. I was greatly troubled; understood it was eczema. Tried various remedies, so called, without effect. Saw your Cuticura advertisement, and got them at once. Applied them as to directions, etc., and after two weeks, I think of you was clear as a whistle."

"I have always been pleased to commend the Cuticura Remedies, and testify as to their efficacy. I am a veteran of the late Civil War, '61-'65, between seventy and eighty years of age. Yours truly, H. M. F. Weiss, Rosemond, Chester Co., Ill., Aug. 31, 1905."

"I would advise only a few acres, or until you are familiar with its application. Especially is it hard, at first, to fully carry out the stunting process where a whole crop is involved and this is the absolutely essential part of the process."

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NEWS FROM WALTER.

Chronicle of a Week's Events in That Thriving Neighborhood.

Miss Edie Swinson returned here Saturday from a visit to Mrs. S. H. Howell in your city. Miss Carrie Becton, of your city, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Becton.

Mr and Mrs Ed Gurley were out here Sunday afternoon on a short visit. Misses Mabel Smith and Julia Gurley of your city, were visitors here Saturday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Long Sasser, of Wilmington, and Mrs D. M. Jordan, of Raleigh, are on a visit to their parents Capt and Mrs A. L. Sasser, where their many friends are glad to see them.

Mr Lawson Neal's baby fell on the hearth with his hand in hot ashes, and was severely burned one day last week. The little one suffered intensely, and will probably have a drawn hand, but is some better, we are glad to say.

While playing around an old well, little Alva, the 3 year old daughter of Mr and Mrs D. A. Sasser, fell in and would have drowned but for the action of the cubing had father-in-law, and she is dged on this, from which perilous position she was rescued by her father, all of her being under water but her face.

Their many friends here deeply sympathize with Mr and Mrs Ed Gurley in the death of their bright and interesting baby boy, Nestus, which occurred in your city last Tuesday night. For several months the little fellow fought for life last year, and many times his life was despaired of, but since then he had seemed to take on new life and vigor until attacked with measles and pneumonia. He was the pride and joy of the home, and his death has stepped in deepest anguish the hearts of his fond parents. May He who said "suffer little children," comfort them in this hour of sad bereavement.

We are glad to know that the school near here has been named "Lafayette," and it was with no motive, other than that prompted by a desire to "honor to whom honor is due" that we suggested the name some months since. It does a man no good, from a personal feeling, to honor him, and heap flowers on his grave, and eulogize, and heap encomiums and panegyrics on him after he is dead. It would cause no feeling of gratitude on our part, for any one to put flowers on our casket who had not given us kind words in life or credit for our efforts. When the school was named in honor of Capt. Sasser, no prettier or more appropriate name could have been given. If we look at the career of those whom he employed to teach there for the past quarter of a century or more, we will see that there was wisdom in the selection, while from the old school among the pines, many of those who are now successful in life, secured the bulk of their education, while from it, we see Capt. Sasser himself represented in life in many of its avocations, agriculture, mercantile, medicine, and ministry, all the result of seed sown on good ground, and now in his declining years, as can now be seen in comfort and consolation in the thought that the "bread cast upon the water, returns after many days," in seeing his grand children and the grand children of his neighbors reaping the reward of his early labors. It is fitting and just, that we should thus honor him, and as his steps grow feeble, and his locks silver, it will gladden and cheer the evening of his life, and lend a halo of brightness to its sunset, which will help dissipate its darkness, and throw its light around the educational pathway of the children of this community, for generations to come. A more fitting and appropriate thing could not be done, to show our regard and appreciation, than that, suspended from the walls of our school should be the enlarged photo of our worthy and esteemed friend.

CONFEDERATE REUNION.

Will be Held in New Orleans April 25-27. Thos. Ruffin Camp of the United Confederate Veterans has received the following general orders from Stephen W. Lee, General Commanding:

"The General Commanding announces that, according to the custom heretofore in force, which have to the General Commanding and the Department Commanders the fixing of the date of the Reunion; the sixteenth Annual Reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will be held in the city of New Orleans, La., on April 25th, 26th, 27th, 1906; Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, respectively, those days having been named by our host as satisfactory."

"There are many reasons why the Reunion of 1906 should surpass any held before. The city of New Orleans is a cosmopolitan situated as it is on the easy access of a large section of our Federation. It is near the great Trans-Mississippi Department, with its thousands of enthusiastic soldiers, and the most picturesque and interesting Department in our Federation."

The fact of the high plane of the Reunion of 1906 is to be made to meet each other, which each year grows stronger, the peculiar character of the city with its innumerable attractions, its old-time streets, its antique buildings, its immense shipping with the countless craft that float on the bosom of the "great river," the beauty and refinement of its women, the hospitality of its people--ever the most enthusiastic Confederates--the exceedingly low rate made by the railroads, all coupled with the promise of its citizens (and with them promise is performance) that this gathering shall far surpass all heretofore held, combine to make this meeting a memorable Reunion. The General Commanding, then, most earnestly urges all camp officers to strive to have a large attendance from their camps, that these aged men may once more have the pleasure of meeting their old comrades in arms."

"General Commanding with much pleasure announces, at the request of its most energetic president, Mrs. W. J. Behan, that the Confederate Southern Memorial Association will hold its meeting at the same time."

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know It. How To Find Out. Fill a bottle or common glass with you water and let it stand twenty-four hours; if sediment or setling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

What To Do. There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and causes pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c. and \$1. sizes. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful discovery free of cost, and a book that tells more about it, both sent absolutely free by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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Blood Humors

Coursing the veins cause such disgusting and painful troubles as pimples, boils, carbuncles, abscesses, ulcers and other eruptions and sores, and also weakness, languor, general debility and great susceptibility to disease.

The best medicine to take is Hood's Sarsaparilla which thoroughly cleanses the blood, and effects radical and permanent cures by giving healthy functional activity to the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels and skin.

Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies, enriches and revitalizes the blood in its own peculiar and unequalled way, and this is the testimony of tens of thousands who have given this great medicine an opportunity to do them good. Accept no substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla.

It is peculiar to itself. It makes people well and keeps them well. SPECIAL--To meet the wishes of those who prefer medicine in tablet form, we are now putting up Hood's Sarsaparilla in chocolate-coated tablets as well as in the usual liquid form. By reducing Hood's Sarsaparilla to a solid extract, we have retained in the tablets the curative properties of every medicinal ingredient except the alcohol. Sold by druggists; or, if your druggist does not have them we will send them by mail, 100 doses one dollar. C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

MONTHLY MISERY is one of woman's worst afflictions. It always leaves you weaker, and is sure to shorten your life and make your beauty fade. To stop pain take Wine of Cardui and it will help to relieve your misery, regulate your functions, make you well, beautiful and strong. It is a reliable remedy for dragging down pains, headache, nervousness, irritability, sleeplessness, dizziness, fainting spells, and similar troubles. A safe and efficient medicine for all women's pains and sickness.

Mrs. J. L. Broadhead of Clanton, Ala. writes: "I have used Cardui for my disease, which was one peculiar to women, and it has completely cured me."

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Letter to S. H. Montague, Goldsboro N. C. Dear Sir: Clothing is just like paint; it fits or it don't fit wears or it don't turns weather and water or not; and goes out of fashion. What do we wear clothes for? Did you ever think of it? Different persons have different reasons, to do it, but one purpose. Dress for beauty, to be in the fashion, and keep-out water. Fashion says, "we all paint. There is beauty in paint; we paint a good deal for ourselves. And buildings are costly, and expensive; put-on a waterproof two or three coats of paint, and your buildings last as long as keep them dry. It costs nothing to paint; it costs your buildings not to. Devote is the paint that lasts; disappointing paints are the paints that cost.

Workman & Bros. Practical Painters. Don't pay 8 cents per pound for wood. If you buy 100 pounds of White Lead in kegs you get 88 pounds of White Lead and 12 pounds of Wood. When you buy L. & M. Paint you get a full gallon of paint that won't wear off for 10 or 15 years, because L. & M. Zinc hardens the L. & M. White Lead and makes L. & M. paint wear like iron. 1 gallon L. & M. mixed with 3 gallons Linseed Oil will paint a moderate sized house. L. & M. costs only \$1.20 per gallon. Sold in the north, east, south and west. C. S. Andrews, Ex-Mayor, Danbury, Conn., writes, "I painted my house 19 years ago with L. & M. Looks well to-day." Sold by Local Hardware Company Goldsboro, N. C.

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Under and by virtue of a certain mortgage given by William Grant- ham to John W. Edwards on the 7th day of December 1893, which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wayne County, N. C., Book 84, page--the undersigned will sell for cash at the Court House in Goldsboro, at twelve o'clock, on the 5th day of March 1906, the following described real land, to-wit: Beginning at J. A. Capps' or Altona Keen's Suburban corner, on the Fayetteville County public road, and from W. E. Edwards' northwardly to John E. Cox's line, or the line of J. W. Edwards and J. F. Cox; then with said Edwards and Cox lines to Edging Creek; thence with said creek, to the corner of Capps' or Keen's corner, thence with said Edwards, Capps or Keen's line, as it may appear to the best advantage, containing twenty-five (25) acres, more or less.

John W. EDWARDS. This January 30, 1906.

Notice Of Special Term Of Superior Court. Notice is hereby given that a special term of the superior Court of Wayne County, N. C., for civil cases only, will be held at the Court House in Goldsboro, for and during the week beginning on the 5th day of March 1906, at 10 o'clock, A. M. C. P. BECKING, Clerk of Court.

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