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GRAHAM, N. C., March 19, 1914.

J. B. Duke, the genius who conceived the formation of the American Tobacco Company, commonly known as the "Tobacco Trust", has outlined a plan for a chain of cotton warehouses for the storing and the sale of cotton. The plan was outlined in Charlotte a few days ago to a meeting of leading business men and was highly approved. An organization will be capitalized at \$5,000,000. If the proposition is properly safeguarded, it will result in the elimination of wild speculation and a more uniform and steady price for "King Cotton."

Last Friday in New York the directors of the United States Express Company voted unanimously to dissolve and liquidate its affairs. The low parcels post rates and the lowering of rates by the Interstate Commerce Commission are given as the reason for the action. The express companies have fattened for a long time on arbitrarily high rates, and it is time the people were relieved of the extortion.

In the freight rate decision upon the movement initiated by the shippers of North Carolina, the Interstate Commerce Commission has decided in favor of North Carolina, and it is stated that the result will be a saving of \$2,000,000 to North Carolina. As the consumers ultimately pay the freight, every citizen in the State will share in the benefits.

Ex-President Taft is constrained to say that the Democrats are carrying out the Baltimore platform pledges, and praises the leadership of President Wilson.

DEATHS.

Capt. Cameron Witherspoon, for about forty years an engineer on the North Carolina Railroad, died last Friday at St. Leo's Hospital, aged 68 years. He was born in Orange county. At the time of his death his home was in Greenboro. He was widely known and highly esteemed. His remains were interred in the cemetery at Burlington Saturday.

Rev. Calvin N. Morrow, perhaps the oldest Presbyterian minister in the State, died last Saturday at the home of his brother, Mr. Geo. T. Morrow, near Oaks, at the age of 83 years. For a number of years he lived at Hawthorn, Florida, where his wife died, and then he returned to spend his last days with relatives in Orange and Alamance. The funeral and interment was at Bethlehem Presbyterian church Monday.

Mr. J. P. Arent, a prominent citizen of Jonesboro and a very estimable man, who died at his home last Friday, was buried at Elon College Saturday.

Mrs. Cook, wife of Mr. D. T. Cook, died last Thursday morning and was buried Friday. She is survived by her husband and two small children who have the sympathy of their many friends in their sad bereavement.

Mrs. Mary Frances Hedgepeth died last Saturday night here at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lee Fuller, aged 60 years.

Allen Ruffin Scott, a young man aged about 19 years, died at Haw River Sunday and the remains were buried there on Monday.

The Yadinville Ripple says that while Mr. Neally Cranfill lay dead in his home near Courtney, Yadinville county, a thief entered the yard and stole honey from a stand of bees.

A boat line will be put in operation between New Bern and Baltimore and it is expected to be a great help to the business interests of that section.

Senator Simmons, who has not been well for some time has gone to his home at New Bern to recuperate. He was accompanied by Mrs. Simmons and his confidential secretary Mr. W. W. Leinster.

E. A. Walker a truck farmer living near Winston-Salem is suing the city for \$2,000, alleging that his family contracted typhoid fever as a result of the city dumping garbage near his home. The garbage attracted flies and these carried the disease.

W. A. Hardstone, 70 years old, lived near Swannanoa, Buncombe county, was found dead in his room Sunday at noon. He had fallen in the fire, and being weak physically, was unable to extricate himself and was burned to death. Mr. Hardstone was a German, lives alone and had no family.

At Mars Hill College, Madison county, William Barkdale, a 15-year-old student, was in the room of a fellow student after the hour the college regulations permit visiting. Hearing a teacher coming Barkdale got out on the window ledge to hide and fell 15 feet to the ground, receiving serious injuries.

BOYS WHO WON PRIZES IN NORTH CAROLINA CORN CLUB CONTEST.

Lenoir county led all the rest in North Carolina in Boys' Corn Club work last year, it furnishing the State champion, J. R. Cameron of Kinston, who made 190.4 bushels on his acre, at a cost of 34 cents per bushel; Greene county furnished the second State prize winner, Benji S. McKeel of Walstonburg, who made 192.3 bushels at a cost of 20 2-5 cents per bushel, though cost be considered, Walter Creaman of Buncombe, who made 192 bushels at a cost of 16 cents per bushel, should have had second place. The other prize winners—five in each Congressional district—arranged by counties are as follows, the name of the boy being given first, then the number of bushels raised, and then the cost per bushel. (We omit fractions in both cases).

FIRST DISTRICT. Beaufort—Howard Smith, 96 bu., 27c; John B. Casey, 92 bu., 32c; Bryon Hastings, 84 bu., 19c; J. H. Dunbar, 84 bu., 20c; Chowan—Arthur S. Hollowell, 112 bu., 26c.

SECOND DISTRICT. Edgecombe—Robert Savage, 192 bu., 22c; David Andrews, 122 bu., 14c; Eddie Lanier, 124 bu., 20c; Frank Andrews, 115 bu., 14c; Northampton—Elfred R. Outland, 110 bu., 18c.

THIRD DISTRICT. Lenoir—Daniel Newsome, 151 bu., 23c; Paul Hill, 131 bu., 26c; Pender—Edwin Wells, 130 bu., 17c; Dozier Murray, 124 bu., 11c; Wayne—Leonard Brown, 137 bu., 13c.

FOURTH DISTRICT. Johnston—Major Williams, 132 bu., 13c; Bordon House, 129 bu., 17c; Tommie Aycock, 129 bu., 22c; Jas. Morley, 118 bu., 13c; Wake—Kob't Thompson, 118 bu., 11c.

FIFTH DISTRICT. Alamance—Roy Zell Hornaday, 73 bu., 17c; Forsyth—Raymond Butner, 81 bu., 17c; Wayne—Graham D. Monroe, 76 bu., 13c; Rockingham—Dewey Hudson, 80 bu., 16c.

SIXTH DISTRICT. Cumberland—L. B. Williams, 117 bu., 24c; New Hanover—Clarence Dempsey, 115 bu., 18c; Robeson—B. McK. Graham, 126 bu., 24c; Jessie L. Smith, 106 bu., 16c; Sampson—Coy Holland, 121 bu., 25c.

SEVENTH DISTRICT. Cabarrus—Bert Fisher, 80 bu., 15c; Mecklenburg—Red Rea, 96 bu., 35c; Montgomery—Clay L. Bruton, 97 bu., 38c; Stanley—Miss Emma Pickler, 89 bu., 27c; Union—Claud B. Tyson, 129 bu., 13c.

EIGHTH DISTRICT. Caldwell—Clyde Moy, 84 bu., 30c; McDowell—Rom Hank, 97 bu., 30c; Joseph Greenlee, 95 bu., 27c; Surry—Frank Johnson, 85 bu., 29c; Wilkes—Cold Elledge, 83 bu., 16c.

NINTH DISTRICT. Iredell—Clayton Hartness, 84 bu., 14c; Rowan—Ledford Hall, 100 bu., 18c; Dudley Hall, 100 bu., 18c; Rutherford—Jamey Honeycutt, 95 bu., 23c; Yadkin—Edgar G. Bell, 130 bu., 13c.

TENTH DISTRICT. Buncombe—Christian Luther, 111 bu., 40c; Haywood—Norman Singleton, 114 bu., 19c; Thomas H. Wells, 109 bu., 24c; Grady Wilson, 107 bu., 24c; Henderson—Geo. Ward, 102 bu., 24c.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury. As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good they can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by all druggists. Price 25c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Sentenced to the roads for ten months on the charge of retailing and with other charges pending against him, Nona Micheaux, a negro, made a spectacular escape from the officers by leaping from a second story window of Burke county court house, but was captured later.

Best Family Laxative. Beware of constipation. Use Dr. King's New Life Pills and keep well. Mrs. Charles B. Smith of West Franklin, Me., calls them "Our Family Laxative." Nothing better for adults or the aged. Get them to-day. All druggists or by mail, H. E. Packler & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis. adv.

Dispatch of two additional regiments of American Infantry to Eagle Pass and Laredo, Texas to ally fears of Mexican raids, and the appearance in Washington of Gen. Felix Diaz and friends for a new plan to solve the Mexican problem, were the chief developments in the Mexican situation Wednesday of last week.

Good blood prevents sickness and Scott's Emulsion will energize your blood and create reserve strength to endure changing seasons. Scott's Emulsion is not an experiment but has proved humanity faithfully for forty years; it contains the purest cod liver oil—free from alcohol or stupefying drugs. Scott's Emulsion is nature's greatest blood-maker and furnishes the elements necessary for body warmth, rich blood and healthy circulation. Shun alcoholic substitutes and demand the genuine Scott's Emulsion AT ANY DRUG STORE.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kid You Have Always Bought. Beware the Signature of Dr. J. C. Watson.

Why suffer the tortures of indigestion, sour stomach, gas, belching or other stomach upsets? There is a certain quick relief and permanent remedy for these disorders—Brown's Digestive Tablets will give relief almost instantly. One dose makes your stomach feel fine. It stops fermentation, prevents distress, digests all the food and restores your tired worn-out stomach to a healthy condition. Digestive is perfectly harmless—gives a

little child can take it without fear of bad after effects. Don't wait until you have another attack of indigestion, but get a package today. Try it after eating, and just see for yourself how it helps your stomach. We are so confident that Digestive is a perfect remedy for stomach upsets that we guarantee it to please you in every way—get a package and if you don't like it we will give your money back. ALAMANCE PHARMACY.

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Itch relieved in 30 minutes by Woodford's Sanitary Lotion. Never fails. Sold by Graham Drug Co.

CHICKENS AND GARDENS. Sanford Express. We hear much complaint in Sanford by citizens who are imposed upon by their neighbors who permit their chickens to run on their premises and gardens. According to law people have no right to permit their chickens to run at large and annoy their neighbors. It will soon be gardening time. A half dozen chickens can scratch up the seed of a whole garden in a few hours. Keep on good terms with your neighbor by keeping up your chickens. He has rights that should be respected as well as yours.

Geo. W. Vanderbilt Estate.

New York Dispatch: The will of George W. Vanderbilt, as filed for probate here leaves his entire estate, estimated at \$20,000,000, to his widow and his only daughter, Cornelia. Minor bequests providing annuities aggregating \$5,500 a year are made in favor of certain relatives.

Billmore, Mr. Vanderbilt's world-famous estate in North Carolina, is left to his daughter, Cornelia, who is 12 years old. She also receives \$5,000,000 in cash and is made residuary legatee.

Mrs. Vanderbilt, the widow, receives the estate at Bar Harbor, Me.; the Vanderbilt home in Washington; and \$250,000 in cash, a life interest in a trust fund of \$1,000,000, which she may dispose of at her death as she sees fit, and part of the real estate in North Carolina known as Pisgah Forest, containing about 80,000 acres, together with the contracts for the sale of timber therefrom, estimated to produce about \$50,000 a year. These bequests to Mrs. Vanderbilt are made in lieu of dower.

THIS NEW MEDICINE SAVES YOU MONEY.

We are druggists right here in your town and making a living out of the drug business, but it is because people have to have drugs and not because we like to see people suffer—we don't. Our duty is to render it the best service we can, and when some one is ailing, we are interested in seeing them take the best medicine there is for their particular trouble. We don't recommend "cure-alls," as we don't believe there are such things. We don't want you to spend more than you have to. Some of you get small wages, and when you are sick, none at all, and you should get the most you can for your money.

We recently came across a new remedy for increasing strength and building up people who are run down and emaciated. We know that a slight trouble or a few times grows into a serious one, and to stop it in the beginning will save you money in the end. This new compound is called Rex-All Olive Oil Emulsion. It is the best remedy when you are run down, tired out, nervous—no matter what the cause. It does not merely stimulate you and make you feel good for a few hours, but takes hold of the weaknesses and builds you up to a healthy normal condition. It is a real nerve tonic and bulder of good blood, strong muscles, good digestion. It contains Hypophosphites, which tones the nerves, and pure Olive Oil, which nourishes the nerves, the blood and the entire system. Pleasant to take. Contains no alcohol or habit forming drugs. We promise that if you are not perfectly satisfied with it, we'll give back your money as soon as you tell us. Sold only at the more than 7,000 Retail Stores, and in this town by Graham Drug Company, \$1.00. adv.

Mr. John F. Leeper, chairman of the Gaston county Board of Commissioners, died Friday morning at his home in Gastonia, in his 53rd year. For years he had been prominent in Gaston county affairs. He had been register of deeds, had served in the Legislature and as deputy collector of internal revenue under the last Cleveland administration.

The Mothers' Favorite. A cough medicine for children should be harmless. It should be pleasant to take. It should be effective. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is all of this, and is the mothers' favorite everywhere. For sale by all dealers.

Clarence O. Sherrill, a son of State Librarian, M. O. Sherrill and a native of Catawba county has been promoted from the rank of captain to major in the engineering corps of the United States army.

Chamberlain's Tablets for Constipation. For constipation Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent. Easy to take, mild and gentle in effect. Give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.

Three negro children, aged three, and six years and thirteen months, were burned to death in Union Friday a week. They were left alone in a two-room cabin while their parents were away at work and the house caught fire and was burned before they could be rescued. The bodies of the children were found in the rear of the dwelling, after the walls had fallen in. The older child was holding the baby in her arms and the 3-year-old was holding to its sister.

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25 Pounds of Granulated Sugar for \$1.23

PUBLIC SALE OF LARGE STOCK OF GENERAL MERCHANDISE AND GROCERIES, HATS, SHOES, DRY GOODS, LADIES' & GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, NOTIONS, Etc., Etc., Etc., AT DRASTIC REDUCTIONS

Sale takes place in the A. T. RIDDLE'S STORE Wednesday, March 25th Saxapahaw, N. C.

EVERYTHING REDUCED 30c TO 60c ON THE DOLLAR! CENTS WILL COUNT AS DOLLARS PRICES CHOPPED TO PIECES! COUNTRY PRODUCE TAKEN IN SAME AS CASH Highest Price Paid in Exchange for Merchandise, at the Reduced Prices

The Wizard of the Bargain Counter with the Gigantic Ripper will cut and slash prices to the very core. Here's your opportunity to save many dollars on First-Class Merchandise IT will pay to visit the many Bargains that await you

A. T. RIDDLE'S STORE Saxapahaw, N. C. The "Wizard" Will Give You 2 Articles for the Price of 1

THIS STOMACH REMEDY HELPS YOUR FRIENDS. Our big Harmony Laboratories in Boston have caught up with their orders now, and so we won't have disappointment any who are using Harmony Hair Beautifier and want more of it, or any who have been advised by friends to use it. We can now fill all demands, even if it becomes more of a rage than it is now.

Beef and Milk A-plenty. Bee Dee STOCK MEDICINE. Sits up the Liver—Drives disease poisons away.