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U. S. Senator Carter Glass of Virginia is the unopposed Democratic candidate to succeed himself.

Did Senator Simmons wait till all hope of Judge Parker's confirmation had vanished before saying a word in his behalf?

State Insurance Commissioner Dan C. Boney has just given out that, on the 31st of last December, North Carolinians had in force 1,891,984 life insurance policies, totaling \$1,314,229,629.99. Nearly one-fourth of this was written during 1929.

With an expenditure of \$337,036,000 recommended by House Appropriations Committee for naval purposes, if favorably considered, it does not appear that the London treaty for naval limitation is being taken very seriously. This action on the part of the Appropriations Committee seems to presage a fight on the approval of the report of the Naval Conference.

What's the matter with Mr. Hoover? For one thing, he does not appear to "stand in" with the bosses in his party. They supported him for President. Some of them took the stump for him and sung his praises from start to finish, early and late. When he starts in one direction, the same is a signal for a counter move. If Mr. Hoover had Teddy's "Big Stick" and knew how to wield it, he might get somewhere, but he appears lacking in the use of such a scepter.

Immediately upon the heels of the defeat of Judge John J. Parker's confirmation for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, the ultra sanguine came forward again with the name of Chief Justice W. W. Stacy for the post. Just so much time, energy and breath wasted. If Judge Parker, a Republican, qualified and fitted, with a record that should not have been a hindrance in the light of unbiased reason, could not pass, then a real Southern Democrat, matters not what his qualifications might be, or how blameless in speech and judicial conduct, stands not a ghost of a chance at the hands of such a combination as defeated Parker.

A notion had gained some currency that a voter, offering to register for the June primary, could be quizzed rather unduly about his politics. Recent rulings by Attorney General Brummitt and Judge J. Crawford Biggs, Chairman of the State Board of Elections, put a limitation to what a voter may be asked. Brummitt rules that only one question may be asked, to-wit, "With which party do you affiliate?" Judge Biggs rules that "independents" cannot vote in the primary of either party; that no voter can vote part of the ticket of one party and part of the ticket of another party; and that a voter becoming of age before the general election can vote in the June primary. The question of separate ballot boxes for each party has not yet been determined.

Two hundred pounds of cucumber seed have been delivered to growers in Hoke county. More than 150 acres of the crop will be grown this season.

The cabbage crop of eastern Carolina, particularly Carteret County, has begun moving in bulk with good demand and fair prices so far.

Alleghany farmers purchased two pure bred Shorthorn bulls, two Shorthorn heifers and one pure bred Angus bull in April.

JUDGE PARKER LOSES.

The sunny elements in the United States Senate "devilized" the eggs in a way that Judge Parker's confirmation failed by the close vote of 39 to 41. Voting for confirmation were 29 Republicans and 10 Democrats; against, 17 Republicans, 1 Farmer-Laborite, and 23 Democrats. Sixteen members were paired. Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina Senators were for confirmation.

What induced some of the Senators from the South and Southwest to enter a combination to defeat the nominee is scarcely understandable. It was a political tragedy and a species of unspeakably unseemly politics.

EGGS AID HEALTH, SAYS FOOD USE MODERN MACHINERY

One tractor, two mules and three men now do the same work formerly accomplished by eight mules with eight men on a Camden county farm belonging to G. G. Markham of Elizabeth City.

"Mr. Markham has a 400-acre farm typical of those usually found in the northeastern section of the state," says A. T. Holman, agricultural engineer at State College. "A few years ago he grew cotton and corn with some livestock as did the other men about him. Within the last few years, however, the farm has been completely changed. Large areas of cleared and cutover lands have been developed into pasture which Mr. Markham says gives the biggest return of any part of the farm. The pasture land is ditched, fenced and kept free of coarse growth. The planting system has been changed from cotton to hay, soybeans, corn, and sunflowers."

Mr. Holman says that six mules have been replaced by one general purpose tractor. Now this one tractor, two mules and three men do the same work formerly done by eight men and eight mules. The tractor is used for plowing, discing, listing, planting and cultivating as well as harvesting.

While the new plan has not been followed long enough to determine its advantages over the old, Mr. Markham says it cannot be less profitable. He has secured little or no profit in cotton growing for some years. Now he finds his crops of hay, soybeans, corn and sunflowers to be easily marketed. Many of the products are turned into cash through the livestock route. Cattle and sheep cost very little to feed as they are carried on pasture throughout the summer and use much of the roughage and other by-products in winter. The soil is growing more fertile instead of poorer and Mr. Markham appears to be satisfied with his reorganization, says Mr. Holman.

EGGS AID HEALTH, SAYS FOOD EXPERT.

Eggs rank high in the list of foods to be included in a well selected diet. The yolk is a gold mine

of health and the white is almost a pure protein food.

"When we use eggs in the diet, we are availing ourselves of one of nature's richest storehouses of food," says Miss Mary Thomas, nutrition specialist at State College. "Not only does the yolk contain a fine quality of protein and fat for building material and energy but it also contains a rich store of minerals and vitamins necessary for growth, health and vigor. The egg yolk is one of the richest sources of iron so essential in making red corpuscles in the blood. This yolk contains the vitamins A, B, D and E. It is particularly rich in vitamin A needed for growth and for building up resistance to pulmonary diseases."

Miss Thomas says also that egg yolk is the best of all the common foods for vitamin D which is now known to be necessary in building strong, straight bones, sound teeth and to prevent rickets in children.

Formerly it was thought wise to substitute other less expensive foods for eggs in winter when they are high. This is a mistake, says Miss Thomas. Eggs contain such vital food elements that every effort should be made to include them in the diet at all times. Particularly is this true of small children. She recommends that the baby's diet include some egg yolk each day and that the child two years old and older have at least one egg each day.

Eggs are easily and quickly digested if cooked so the protein is not toughened or coated with grease. To cook eggs well they must be cooked at a low temperature, that is, below the boiling point of water, and cook them for as short a time as possible, advises Miss Thomas.

DOGWOOD BEAUTIFUL BUT ALSO VALUABLE.

The dogwood tree adding so greatly to the beauty of North Carolina forests may be harvested as a crop without destroying the beauty of the landscape.

This is the opinion of R. W. Graeber, extension forester at State College, who was recently requested by an official of the State Federation of Women's clubs to aid in the movement to prevent the destruction of dogwood trees. This official expressed great concern because of the dogwood tree being used for commercial manufacturing purposes.

"Dogwood in bloom presents a beautiful scene," says Mr. Graeber. "So does a field of golden grain; but, we do not ask the farmer to refrain from harvesting his wheat crop. A new crop will take its place next season. The same thing applies to dogwood. It is a commercial necessity, supplying wood from which shuttles are made for use in weaving cotton, silk or rayon. No practical substitute for this wood has been found, but since trees less than five inches in diameter are not merchantable, the owner leaves his younger and more vigorous trees for future crops."

This means that there will be left plenty of dogwood to add beauty to our forests in the future. The tree

THE THINKER LEADS MODERN PROGRESS

By JOHN G. LONSDALE President American Bankers' Association

THE greatest need of the world today is interpreters of our times — modern Daniels in agriculture, finance, politics, industry — who can see through the fog and haze that enshroud our difficult problems and advise, instruct, and influence those who are either indifferent or limited in their perceptions.



John G. Lonsdale

Through the thinker and the interpreter, unknown situations are disclosed or puzzling conditions explained in logical light. The American people are so constituted that they can meet and combat any situation once it is known and understood. It is the unknown that comes like the thief in the night and brings disaster.

Some one has defined prosperity as something the business men create for the politicians to take credit for. But America's present-day prosperity can be defined as a product resulting from the business man's ability to study and to interpret. Huge corporations maintain research staffs and special bureaus to interpret the times for them. Disaster looms in the offing for any industry that goes blindly on its way day after day without due regard to significant trends in trade and business.

Keeping Up With Change Leaders of finance have discovered that they cannot remain passive in an age when all the rest of the world is in a transitional stage. The modern banker not only must know about the changing styles in other lines of business, but above all must be alert to the transformations which are taking place in his own. He must be a man of keener, broader vision, because the order of the day is for larger units of service. Mergers and consolidations have taken place in great numbers. We now talk of billions where a few years ago we talked of millions.

We have only begun our changes. What disposition is to be made of the many problems that they bring will depend in large measure upon our leaders, upon the students and the interpreters who can read accurately the signs of the times, so that we may base future actions and hopes upon their wisdom. The quickest way to go to the top is to go to the bottom of things, and let us hope that among them will be found many who will not be disappointed in their goal.

seeds freely and reproduces from sprouts and suckers. When one tree is cut, several take its place. In the management plan advocated throughout the state by Mr. Graeber, dogwood is left protected as an understory beneath forests of pine, oak, hickory and other larger trees. It is shallow rooted and does not interfere with the growth of the deeper rooted trees.

Mr. Graeber says that dogwood grows on 87 different soil types in North Carolina but only on a few does it produce wood of commercial quality. In such areas it is protected by the landowners.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE GLEANER

Seventeen five-acre corn contest demonstrations have been surveyed in Chatham county by the county surveyor. Those who grow the corn will keep a careful record of all expenses and returns, says the county agent.

For the House of Representatives.

I hereby announce myself a candidate to represent the County of Alamance in the House of the next General Assembly of North Carolina, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on June 7th.

I am "bone dry", for lower taxes, and economical government from top to bottom.

W. L. SPOON, Burlington, N. C.

Sale of Real Estate!

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by M. M. Hallman and wife, Clara B. Hallman, which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County in book of mortgages and deeds of trust No. 109, at page 548, then undersigned will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door in Graham, N. C., at 12:00 o'clock, noon, on

MONDAY, MAY 19th, 1930,

the following described property: The following land and premises, lying and being in Graham Township, Alamance County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Clendenin Street and others:

It being lots numbered 3 and 4 of what is known as the Fair Ground property, on the South side of Clendenin Street fronting on Clendenin Street 50 feet and running back between lots numbered 2 and 5, 150 feet, and being the same conveyed to Sallie Stockard by deed recorded in book 89 of deeds at page 74, and upon which there is a cottage.

This the 16th day of April, 1930. H. J. STOCKARD, Mortgagee.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as Executor (Administrator) of the estate of Gray McPherson, late of Alamance County, this is to notify all creditors to file their claims with the undersigned Executor, duly verified, on or before the 15th day of May, 1931, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 1st day of May, 1930. LONNIE McPHERSON, Executor, Graham, N. C., R. 1

Commissioner's Re-sale Of Real Property.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Alamance County, made in a Special Proceedings whereto all the heirs of L. B. Ward, were made parties for selling the lands in Alamance County, of which he died seized, the undersigned will offer for resale to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court house door in Graham, on

SATURDAY, MAY 24, 1930, at 12:00 o'clock, M., the following valuable real estate:

Lying and being in Pleasant Grove township, Alamance County, adjoining the lands of S. N. Ward, Dr. Watson and others and bounded as follows: Beginning at pointers with the old Hesse line, thence 1 deg w 22.85 chs to a black oak, Watson's line; thence S 89 deg E 21 chs to a white oak; thence N 7 deg E 22.70 chs to a rock with the old Faucett line 88 deg W 23.50 chs to the beginning and containing 50 acres more or less.

Second tract: Beginning at a large rock by the branch corner with the old Hesse line (now Ward), running thence S 24 deg 8.25 chs to a rock, corner with Z. B. Ward's lot; thence with his line 88 deg w 14 chs to a rock, corner with the old Lea line; thence with said line 2 deg E 14.76 chs to a rock; thence S 68 deg E 18.55 chs to the beginning and containing 21 acres more or less.

Both tracts adjoin and are the same upon which L. B. Ward lived at the time of his death.

On this place are 4 tobacco barns, pack barn, feed barn, crib, smoke house, dwelling house and kitchen and tenant house. This land lies well for cultivation, has two good wells, and is a good tobacco farm and will grow grain.

Terms of Sale: Cash. The sale will be left open 20 days for advance bids and sale subject to confirmation of the Clerk of the Court.

Bidding will start at \$2,415. This 8th day of May, 1930. J. S. COOK, Commissioner.

Trustee's Sale of Real Property.

Pursuant to the power vested in the undersigned Trustee by a certain deed of trust executed by Cecil H. Isley and wife, Grace Isley, to the undersigned Trustee, dated November 21, 1929, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, North Carolina in deed of trust Book 114 page 24, said deed of trust was given for the purpose of securing the payment of a certain note of even date therewith; and whereas default was made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction the following described real property to the last and highest bidder at the court house door in Graham, North Carolina, on

SATURDAY, MAY 10, 1930, at 12:00 o'clock, noon, the following land, lying and being in Graham Township, Alamance County, in said State, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Adjoining the lands of Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 18, of Jas. N. Williamson property, Herman Andrews, and Fairground School lot (formerly Midway), and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron bolt on N side of Williamson St., corner of lot No. 8; running thence with lines of lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 thence N 42 deg W 273 ft to an iron bolt, corner with lot No. 14 and in line of Herman Andrews; thence with line of said Andrews S 34 deg W 42.4 ft to an iron bolt; corner with said Andrews and Fairground School lot; thence with line of School lot S. 9 deg 50' W 42.3 ft to iron bolt, in line of said School lot and corner with lot No. 18; thence with line of lot No. 18 S 42 deg E 233 ft to an iron bolt on N side of said Williamson St. and corner with lot No. 18; thence with line of said St. N 50 deg 10' E 75 ft to the beginning, and being lots 15, 16 and 17 of the James N. Williamson property as surveyed by A. I. Shisler, C. E., July and August, 1922, and Lewis H. Holt, County Surveyor, Alamance County, June, 1923, as plated and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, in Plat Book No. 2, at page 35.

Terms of sale. CASH. This sale is subject to advance bids as provided by law.

This the 9th day of April, 1930. CLARENCE ROSS, Trustee.

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Mortgagee's Sale!

Under and pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage deed from John Roberts and George Roberts to the undersigned, dated January 7, 1928, and recorded office Register of Deeds, Alamance County, in Mortgage Deed Book 109, page 307, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door in Graham, Alamance County, North Carolina, on

MONDAY, MAY 12, 1930,

at 12:00 o'clock, noon, the following described real property, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land in Alamance County, North Carolina, Burlington Township, adjoining the lands of Claud Cates, Southern Railway Company and others, and bounded as follows: Being a part of Lot No. 6 as shown on plan of Central Loan & Trust Co., property near Glen Raven Cotton Mills, bounded as follows: Beginning at an iron bolt on the line between Lots 5 and 6; running thence 150 ft to the concrete highway leading from Burlington to Greensboro; thence with said Highway 75 ft to corner with Lot No. 7; thence with line of Lot No. 7, 150 ft to an iron bolt; thence about 75 ft to the beginning.

Default has been made in the payment of the note secured by said mortgage deed, and this foreclosure is to satisfy said note and will be made subject to advance bids and confirmation by the Court, as provided for sales under mortgage deeds.

This the 9th of April, 1930. GEORGE W. DAVENPORT, Mortgagee.

J. Dolph Long, Atty. Large Desk Blotters, 19 x 24 inches Colors—white, cherry, orange, red, pink, moss green, dark and light blue, Nile green, gray buff and purple, for sale at THE GLEANER Office.

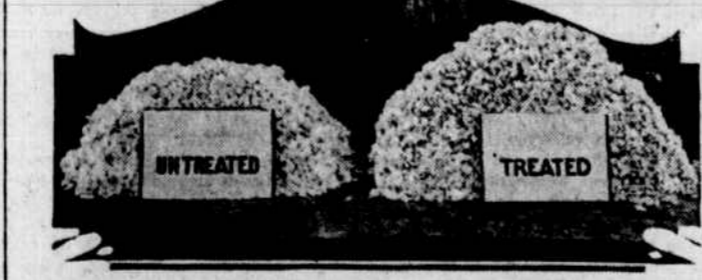
DISINFECTING COTTON SEED HELPS DEFEAT BOLL WEEVIL

SCIENCE has evolved new means of assisting cotton growers in combatting the boll weevil. The new method is to treat the seed for the purpose of obtaining an early stand of vigorous cotton plants, capable of setting bolls in advance of heavy weevil infestation. It has also been shown that disinfecting the seed results in reducing damping-off or "sore shin;" controls seed-borne anthracnose; decreases damage from angular leaf spot, and protects against certain seed-borne boll rots. It, therefore, is unnecessary to follow the common practice of planting an excess amount of seed in order to secure good stands.

In treating the cotton seed, an ethyl mercury chloride dust is used. It is inexpensive and is easily and quickly applied to seed by agitating the seed and the required amount of the disinfectant for a few minutes in a home-made duster or dusting outfits such as may be obtained from seed dealers.

The compound was developed by scientists of the Bayer-Semesan Company working in cooperation with experiment stations in several leading cotton states. For means of identification, the disinfectant has been given the name of "Ceresan."

Reporting the results of tests with seed disinfectants on cotton, the North Carolina Experiment Station says: "The least effective treatment resulted in an increase of 95 per cent in number of seedlings, while the most effective treatment increased the stand by 355 per cent. The average increase of stand in all treated rows over all untreated check rows was 146 per cent."



Cotton produced by an equal number of rows of plants from untreated seed and seed treated with a new disinfectant. Above—The effect of seed treatment as shown by the vigorous cotton plants at the right, and those from untreated seed at the left.

The North Carolina report further states: "It is now believed that the use of these disinfecting dusts on cotton seed will in many cases give sufficient protection to enable the grower to plant his seed from a week to ten days earlier than otherwise would be safe."

In cotton tests made at Sumter, South Carolina, the Ceresan treatment increased the yield from 1,147 pounds per acre on the untreated plots to 1,337 pounds on the treated plot, an increase of 190 pounds per acre. At Orangeburg, the treatment increased the yield by 9.3 per cent.

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