



Enormous Fund to Protect Cotton.

Five million dollars will be at the disposal of the farmers of Georgia to meet their outstanding debts by the middle of November—probably earlier. Of that amount \$3,500,000 has already been secured [and] is deposited in about 100 banks in different localities of the state, subject to the call of the 100 or more consolidated nation warehouses.

This fund, which has been secured by the Georgia division of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America marks one of the greatest successes achieved by that organization, and is one of the leading movements of co-operation.

By this plan the farmer will be enabled to meet all his obligations without the sacrifice of his cotton and through this plan Georgia farmers will be able to realize the value of his holdings.

This new financial method will enable the warehouses to draw money on deposit to their accounts and assist the farmer on his distress cotton, at the same time allowing him to receive greater value for his cotton when it is sold than if he was compelled to sacrifice it to meet his fall financial obligations.

Cotton May Go to 25 Cents.

The National Ginners' report showing the amount of cotton ginned to October 18 is out, and it says there has been ginned thus far 5,200,000 bales. This report

makes an estimate to the effect that 80 per cent. of the crop has been gathered and ginned. This being true, the 1909 crop will aggregate between nine and ten million bales, and if our crop does not exceed the expectations of the National Ginners' report, it will be of the utmost importance that the mills in this country and Europe curtail to a very considerable extent. Since cotton was greatly sought by European spinners—during the war years at \$1.00 per pound, and since there is a dearth of the staple this year, is it not well for those people who have cotton to hold it and to await the time when perhaps twenty or twenty five cents a pound may be bid for it?—Cotton Journal.

Democratic Victory in Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 3.—Dawn following the election found the Democratic party in possession of nearly all the ancient heritage in Kentucky. The next legislature will be Democratic by over two-thirds majority.

Late returns give the Democrats 26 senators; Republicans, 12; Representatives, Democrats, 69; Republicans, 27, with four districts not heard from.

Louisville restored the Democrats by the election of W. O. Hold, mayor, by nearly 2,700 majority.

With two exceptions all the important municipalities in the state followed suit.

SOUTH'S CHANGED CONDITION.

No Longer Entirely Dependent on the North For Money.

The New York Journal of Commerce of recent issue contained the following:

"The New York correspondents of Southern banks, according to statements made yesterday, during the past two weeks have received many requests from Mason and Dixon's line for the purchase of commercial paper in appreciable quantities. One large bank here within a week has received more than a dozen such requests, some of them aggregating as much as \$200,000.

The bankers here point out that this is an unusual condition in the South. In other years at this season, when the cotton crop is moving, the banks of this section have been hard put to it to find enough money to supply the pressing needs of their customers. The high price of cotton prevailing and the prosperity in the iron and steel industry are the principal reasons for the strong financial situation in the South, according to findings of those who have investigated."

This denotes a remarkable change in financial conditions at the South. In fact, it amounts to a reversal of the attitude of this section toward the money center. Heretofore the South has always been a borrower from the North in the crop season. It has always been considered a matter of course that money should be sent from Northern financial headquarters into the cotton belt each fall to be used in gathering and marketing the cotton crop. Without this aid the crop could not be moved. The buyers became debtors to the banks of New York and other centers of the east, the cotton crop being security for the loan made to permit its marketing. In fact, the crop was sold and paid for before it was moved, the Eastern bankers, of course, making a good percentage on the loans, whether the cotton buyers made a profit on their transactions or came out with a loss.

Such a thing as the South sending money to the North at this season was never heard of, because the South did not have the money to send except what was forced there, as the marketing of the crop proceeded, to pay debts contracted for the crop movement. Now the South is in the market with cash for investment in Eastern securities. It is emerging from the position, so long inevitable, as a heavy debtor to the East and even assuming that of creditor to some casual extent. True, the amounts invested in Eastern paper are yet small, as such investments are made, but it is remarkable that there should be any at all just now, and it is as gratifying as it is remarkable, because incontrovertible evidence of real prosperity—of that hearty prosperity which comes from being ahead of the game.—Charlotte Observer.

Shall We Have Macadam Roads?

The old idea that to have an improved road you must necessarily have macadam is now thoroughly out-of-date. Dr. J. H. Pratt who has done such a great work in planning the proposed system of improved roads for our Piedmont and mountain counties says that about the greatest difficulty encountered has been the idea that to get improved roads they must be macadam, costing \$2,000 to \$6,000 a mile. On the contrary he has told them that macadam is not the thing for them, that any road graded, drained, and surfaced is a good road, and even with their steep grades, splendid gravel or sand-clay roads can be made at from \$1,800 to \$2,500 a mile.

For the average county \$200,000 is certainly better spent for 100 or 200 miles of first-class sand-clay or gravel road than for fifty miles of macadam.—Raleigh (N. C.) Progressive Farmer.

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Cotton Picker Makes Good.

Bennettsville, S. C., Nov. 3.—The Brasington and Price Camp bell cotton pickers have both been demonstrated in the cotton fields of this county. The former gathers the staple by the suction process. The tubes can be multiplied indefinitely, each tube picking 500 pounds a day. It is claimed that the Brasington, or "Wizard Picker," will gather 75 per cent less trash than is done by

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