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THE LEE COUNTY FAIR.

The Exhibits Good, but Not so Numerous as in Past Years—The Corn and School Exhibits the Features—The Fair Held Too Early for the Farmers.

When the fair opened on the 7th, people were here from all the surrounding country to take it in. The streets were crowded with people and automobiles. No parade was held.

Going to the exhibit hall we found farmers and others still making entries, the exhibits having been brought in late. On the left of the hall as one enters were exhibited the farm and field crops.

There was a good display of needle and fancy work. It would take too much space to mention all the articles of merit in this department.

The live stock exhibit was almost a failure, there being only a few cows and hogs exhibited. In the poultry line there were only a few pens of chickens exhibited.

Among the manufacturing establishments of the town which had exhibits were: The Phillips Broom Works, the Buffalo Broom Works and the King Auto Radiator Company.

TOBACCO SALES GOOD

High Grades Bring Bright Prices on Local Warehouse Floors. If possible there is now more activity on the Sanford tobacco market than at any time since the season opened.

The Yarboro warehouse sold 11,703 pounds Monday at an average of \$40; total, \$4,566 46. Tuesday, 13,040 pounds, average, \$69 35; total, \$7,788 14.

Growers Urged to Save Sweet Potatoes. The Irish potato crop of the north, from all reports, will be extremely short this season, and the usual quantity of potatoes will not be placed in storage.

Demands for food are still great, and it is regarded as essential that the sweet potato crop of the South be cured properly, in order at least partially to make up for the shortage of the Irish potato in the North.

Pure Bred Sheep and Cows for Farmers.

Mr. George Evans, Sheep Extension Worker of the Agricultural Extension Service Raleigh, has just returned from a trip to the farms of pure bred sheep breeders in different sections of the country.

This purchase demonstrated the growing popularity of pure bred sheep in the State, says Mr. R. S. Curvis, and is an indication of the growth of North Carolina as a better livestock state.

Mr. J. W. Sloss, Beef Cattle Field Agent, is also away on a trip at this time, trying to buy a carload of pure bred milking Shorthorn cattle for farmers in the western section of the State.

There was some drinking and a few arrests made during the fair, but upon the whole the people behaved themselves very well.

LEE COUNTY DIVISION

American Cotton Association. The Executive Committee of the Lee County Division of the Cotton Association met Saturday and appointed the Township Chairmen for the county, giving each chairman the power to appoint the secretary-treasurer and executive committee for his township.

West Sanford Township. A. A. Bowers, chairman; H. B. Conder, secretary. Executive Committee: D. C. Lawrence, R. A. Groce, J. C. Yarborough, W. E. McAnley, Charlie Lilly, A. D. Struss, O. M. Yarborough, and H. H. Ficker.

East Sanford Township. W. W. Roberts, chairman. Executive Committee: J. J. Campbell, J. S. Hunt, T. A. Mansfield, R. L. Watson, W. Harrington, T. J. Thomas, A. O. Harrington, G. W. Riggsby.

West Pocket Township. J. C. Pickard, chairman; J. M. Poe, secretary. Executive Committee: C. F. Leonard, R. W. Powers, Jimmie Coggin, G. M. Gilliam, Jim Allen, O. D. Palmer, and J. L. Tillman.

Deep River Township. G. F. Womble, chairman; T. E. Ferrell, secretary. Executive Committee: W. Wicker, J. N. Lee, Bud Watson, Sam Womble, D. T. Marks, and Jim Covert.

Cape Fear Township. D. E. Shaw, chairman; G. T. Chandler, secretary. Executive Committee: M. S. Bradley, J. J. M. Cox, Guy Cox, A. M. Kelly, W. E. Campbell, J. R. Howard, S. H. Mansfield, and L. L. Thomas.

Jonesboro Township. W. L. Brooks, chairman; S. F. Bowers, secretary. Executive Committee: A. R. Kelly, H. B. Bowman, Ed Thomas, J. B. Watson, W. C. O'Connell, James Yarborough, J. L. Covington, and M. C. McElir.

Greenwood Township. J. J. Campbell, chairman; J. E. Holler, G. D. Groce, E. J. Walker, J. S. Hilder, L. G. Shaw, N. C. McFadden, and M. Q. Lamons.

A Meeting of Great Importance. Mr. S. J. Rubinov, campaign director of the North Carolina Division of the American Cotton Association, requests "The Express" to say that the biggest meeting of the year will be held in Raleigh next Tuesday at 11 a. m.

The Protestant churches of America have entered upon a great forward movement to raise many millions of dollars for the extension of their work in all lines in this and in foreign countries. The Young Men's Christian Association is a servant of the church, and as such has tried to keep pace with the church.

The Red Cross. The fifty base hospitals organized by the Red Cross before the United States entered the war and turned over to the army during the war period now are back from the field and must be reorganized and held ready for any call, civil or military.

THE COTTON CONFERENCE

Cotton a Curse to the South, Declares J. S. Wannamaker of South Carolina—Makes Slaves of Women and Children—Demands Living Price.

Delegates from 31 nations are attending the world cotton conference in New Orleans, La. The conference is regarded as the first serious attempt to gather the cotton interests of the world into council.

Declaration by John A. Todd, professor of economics, and Oxford lecturer, that further restriction of cotton acreage in the United States would be "nothing short of a calamity" and a demand that cotton consumers pay "enough to make cotton as profitable as any other crop."

Mr. Todd's declaration was made in the course of an address in which he presented figures showing future needs of the world for cotton, past crops and the present prospects.

Further restriction of cotton acreage in America would be nothing short of a calamity. There now is and always will be a demand for all the cotton that can be raised anywhere.

Mr. Wannamaker prefaced his address with the declaration that cotton has been a curse to the southern states. "If it had not been for the raising of cotton in the south this section would have been thickly settled whites and there would not be the great percentage of illiterates in the rural communities."

There won't be an increased acreage until a price is paid for the product which will justify its being raised by well-paid man labor. It must be a price which will bring our southern negroes back to the cotton fields.

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