

CLASSIFIED ADS

GIRL WANTED—A GOOD WHITE girl or woman, as companion and to assist in house work. Good home and good pay for right party. Address Lock Box 68, City. 8-27-2tc

FOR SALE—SURREY, PRACTICAL new, in excellent condition. A bargain. Apply to Daily News office. 8-27-2tc

LOST SATURDAY NIGHT—LEATH-ER pocket-book, containing about \$65, three tens, three or four fives and several ones. Finder please return to Daily News or G. T. Mayo, and receive reward. 8-25-t.f.c.

YOUR TIME IS WELL SPENT looking over our merchandise, whether you buy or not. Ask to be shown through our full line Russ Bros' Variety Store.

FOR SALE—AT THE LOWEST Prices—Coal, wood and all kinds of feed. Let us serve you, Washington Feed & Fuel Co., Water street. Phone 50. 8-24-1tc

NEW LOT EVER-READY FLASH Lights, Batteries and Bulbs just received at Russ Bros' Variety Store. 8-25-4tc

FOR SALE—VALUABLE RESI-DENCE lot, corner Third and Washington street. Apply to W. C. Rodman. 8-19-t.f.

FOR SALE—FAMILY DRIVING horse, surry, buggy, harness and milk cow. Apply to W. C. Rodman. 8-19-t.f.

WE HAVE HAD A SUBSTANTIAL increase in our business every month this year. There is a reason. Our variety lines consists of the best. Our goods please. Russ Bros' Variety Store. 8-25-4tc

LOST—POCKET BOOK CONTAIN-ING two ten, three five dollar bills, receipts and one freight bill to E. D. Springer. Finder return to Daily News and receive reward. 8-22-5tc

WE GIVE YOU A CHANCE TO EX-ercise your judgment. Compare our prices. Our prices do the talking and your judgment the buying at Russ Bros' Variety Store. 8-25-4tc

WANTED—WHITE WOMAN AS housekeeper for small family. Write at once to Box S, Edward, N. C. 8-10-t.f.c.

WANTED—WHITE WOMAN TO keep house for two old people. Address Box K, Edward, N. C. 8-10-t.f.c.

To Get Rid of Red Ants, Red ants can make a house almost uninhabitable. One can get rid of them however, if one knows how. The first thing to do is to find the place they come from—i. e., where their nest is. If it be in an accessible spot a little kerosene will quickly stop the trouble. On the other hand, if the nest be in the wall or under the floor find the nearest accessible point, and kill the insects as they appear.



WE ARE AGENTS Iver Johnson, Reading Standard, Emblem, Hudson Dayton and Great Western Bicycles sold for cash or on time. We also have the most complete repair shop in the city all work guaranteed.

D. R. CUTLER Phone 233

COMPARE THIS BUTTER With the highest-priced butter in Washington, no matter what its name or how fine the grocer or butcher man says it is—and you will find **WILLOW FARM** more to your liking. We guarantee delicious **WILLOW FARM BUTTER** will please you, or your money back. **PUT IT TO THE TEST AT OUR RISK.** IN ONE POUND PRINTS, AT BEST GROCERS. M. N. BERRY, Wholesale Distributor, 8-6-Imoc Washington, N. C.

Population Has Doubled During Past 100 Years

(By John Lee Coulter, Professor Rural Economics, George Peabody College For Teachers.) It is an interesting fact forced upon our attention by historians that during the past 150 years the population of the United States has tended to double each thirty or thirty-five years. But 160 years ago, when the population doubled, the increase was from 2,000,000 to 4,000,000 people. If the population should double at the present time the increase would be from 100,000,000 people to 200,000,000 people. Thus during the next thirty or forty years the increase in population of the United States may very easily be equal to the entire increase in the population from the time Columbus discovered America until 1910, when the last census of population was made by the national government. Unless we think of this time after time and try to impress it upon our minds and think of its significance it will make little impression upon us.

Turning our attention now to the production of the food, clothing, beverages and other materials produced by the farmers of this country, we are impressed with the fact that in times past the farmers of the United States have produced much more than was necessary for the people of this country. As a result the policy of exporting the surplus developed, and year after year hundreds of millions of dollars' worth of products of the farm were shipped to foreign countries. Many people who had not studied the subject closely thought of the United States as a country which would continue to export farm products indefinitely. But to our amazement the change in policy is rapidly being forced upon us. The increase in population has been so rapid during recent years and the increase in farm production so slow during the same period that we have literally commenced to import small amounts of corn, small numbers of cattle and some other agricultural productions.

Turning our attention to another phase of the movement, we must be impressed by the fact that 100 years ago the amount of land in farms was almost insignificant, while during the past 100 years we have rapidly brought into farms hundreds of millions of acres of land. As late as 1850 the entire farm acreage was less than 300,000,000, while now it is nearly 900,000,000. Thus in sixty years there has been an increase of about 600,000,000 acres, but we cannot go on indefinitely bringing land into farms.

The South offers the greatest opportunity. Let us consider for a moment the possible development of the South and the great opportunities which now exist in this section of the country. Taking the South Atlantic States, we find that, according to the government reports, nearly 70,000,000 acres of land lie undeveloped, not even in farms. Here we have great stretches of swamp land, which, when drained, will produce crops equal to those of Holland.

But we need not stop with the statement that 200,000,000 acres of land in the Southern States may yet be brought into farms. A further fact stands out in a most striking way. Of the land in farms only about one-half is actually improved in one State after another. Thus, taking the South Atlantic States as a group, we find that more than 50,000,000 acres of land included in farms lie unimproved. In the east south-central States about 110,000,000 acres, although reported to be a part of the farms of that group of States, remain unused, except possibly in a small way for grazing purposes. Taking this whole Southland we may say in a general way that there remain 200,000,000 acres of land to be brought into farms and another 200,000,000 acres of land now in farms, but lying unused or used but poorly. This entire area elives a total not far from 400,000,000 acres.

From the brief just given above every Southerner should look with optimistic eyes upon the new industrial movement in the South. Great drainage projects should be encouraged wherever they are begun. Care must be taken, but with care the South can, during the next thirty or forty years, develop enough land and increase the farm production sufficiently to take care of the entire increase in population of the whole United States, even though this increase should be a hundred million people, thus doubling the population of the United States.

FOR FROST BITES AND CHAPPED SKIN For frost bites, chapped hands and lips, chills, cold sores, red and rough skin, there is nothing to equal Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Stops pain at once and heals quickly. In every home there should be a box handy all the time. Best remedy for all skin diseases, itching eczema, tetter, piles, etc. 25c. All druggists, or by mail, H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

GUESTS OF PARENTS. Mrs. William McDowell Eley, nee Miss Ada Joyner Rhodes, who was married Sunday last at Winton, N. C., to Mr. William McDowell Eley, of Wilson, N. C., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Rhodes, on West Second street.

NEARS COMPLETION. The residence on West Main street, recently leased by Mr. John B. Fowle from Mrs. Sarah J. Satchwell, and which is undergoing repairs, nears completion.

MILITIA WAR SCHOOL ENCAMPMENT IS OVER. Peekskill, N. Y., Aug. 27.—After three weeks of war study officers of the New York National Guard today broke camp and started for their homes. During the period they have been here the militia officers have received instruction in military law, infantry tactics, supply and transport, administration and field fortification under the direction of some of Uncle Sam's best and most proficient regular army officers. Some of the instructors were from the war college in Washington. Other courses at the officers' camp this summer dealt with signalling and communication, sanitation and first aid and post administration and inspection. During the three weeks, a provisional company of infantry, war strength, under command of Lieut. Thomas L. Crystal, U. S. A., was on duty as an object lesson for the student militia officers. In illustrating problems of attack and defense the company used ball ammunition, it being the belief that the use of the real thing would make the men more careful, more subservient to discipline and be a greater factor in teaching fire control.

TIRES BEING VOLCANO. **MT. LASSEN IS GEYSER.** Red Bluff, Cal., Aug. 27.—Having tried being a volcano for awhile, Mount Lassen today has resumed her old job of being a geyser. As a geyser it was something of a success before essaying the volcanic role. It began this experiment some weeks ago, throwing up hot stones as large, in some cases, as bushel baskets. For a time the rangers were afraid it would start serious forest fires. Gradually, however, the stone-throwing subsided and the squirting of steam and hot water began again. Some ashes are thrown up with them, which makes the emission look like smoke.

COTTON MEN MEET TO TALK AID FOR PLANTERS. New Orleans, Aug. 27.—Two thousand cotton growing counties were represented here today in a meeting called to formulate demands on the United States government for aid for the planters, through the banks, until the cotton markets are improved. Japanese buyers have bought a large part of the Texas crop.

NOTICE. Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co.—Auction Sale of Unclaimed and Returned Freight. Washington, N. C., July 22. By direction of the freight Claim Agent, notice is hereby given that the following listed freight will be sold at public auction for freight and other charges, at the A. C. L. warehouse in Washington, N. C. on Wednesday, August 26th, 1914. Goods sold without guarantee of quality, quantity or value. Sale will commence at 10 o'clock, a. m. Terms cash. J. A. HUSKE, Route Agent A. C. L. Railway, Fayetteville, N. C. One car Hay (I. C. car No. 23761) consigned to order, Notify E. Peterson Co., Washington, N. C. 7-22-law4wc.

EXCURSION RATES. TO THE SEASHORE VIA THE ATLANTIC COAST LINE. The Standard Railroad of the South. ROUND TRIP RATES: From Washington, N. C.— To Washington, D. C. \$11.35 To Baltimore, Md. \$11.35 To New York City \$20.35 To Boston, Mass. \$24.85 Tickets on sale every day until September 30, via Norfolk and steamer, with final return limit October 31, 1914. From Washington, N. C.— To Wilmington, N. C. \$5.00 To Norfolk, Va. \$3.75 Tickets on sale for all trains each Saturday and for forenoon trains each Sunday until September 13, 1914, limited returning to midnight of Tuesday next following date of sale.

For summer excursion rates to many mountains, lake and pleasure resorts and for any other information, reservations, etc., call on S. R. CLARY, Ticket Agent, R. A. G. BARNES, Trav. Pass. Agent, Washington, N. C., or address W. J. CRAIG, T. C. WHITE, P. T. M. G. P. A. Wilmington, N. C.

Receipts and Disbursement of County Commissioners For July

RECEIPTS.	
R. O. Weston, court costs	44.10
Geo. E. Ricks, fees	25.50
G. Rumley, fees	183.15
G. Rumley, marriage license	20.00
J. A. Leigh, court cost	6.00
W. H. Whitley, county's lumber sold	5.00
Geo. A. Paul, stenographer fees	34.00
Geo. A. Paul fees	190.50
Total	\$ 524.35

DISBURSEMENTS.	
Claims audited and allowed Aug. 4, 1914 (see list)	\$4,522.28
Poor list audited and allowed (see list)	173.25
Deficit as shown in July statement	1,642.60
Total	\$ 6,338.13

BRIDGE ACCOUNT.	
Balance cash on hand, as shown in July statement	\$18,134.19
Claims audited and allowed Aug. 4, 1914 (see list)	231.40
Total	\$18,365.59

CLAIMS AUDITED AND ALLOWED AUGUST 4TH, 1914.		
No.	To Whom For What Amount.	
1689.	W. E. Swindell, chairman county commissioners	16.60
1690.	W. S. D. Eborn, county commissioner	5.00
1691.	C. P. Aycock, county commissioner	7.00
1692.	H. C. Bragaw, county commissioner	5.25
1693.	W. H. Whitley, county commissioner	5.25
1694.	A. D. Miles, list-taker Belhaven	100.00
1695.	C. C. Cratch, making statement, etc.	12.50
1696.	Geo. A. Paul, C. S. C., salary	175.00
1697.	Geo. A. Paul, C. S. C., examining insane (use of county)	2.00
1698.	Geo. A. Paul, C. S. C., expense account	5.00
1699.	G. Rumley (use of county), clerk to board	10.30
1700.	G. Rumley, salary	200.00
1701.	G. Rumley, expense account	8.75
1702.	G. Rumley, freight on overhalls for convicts	1.11
1703.	H. L. Hodges, freight on overhalls for convicts	2.74
1704.	Geo. E. Ricks, sheriff, general county expense	46.00
1705.	Geo. E. Ricks, sheriff, court costs	6.10
1706.	Geo. E. Ricks, sheriff, chain-gang account	7.50
1707.	Geo. E. Ricks, sheriff, salary	333.33
1708.	Geo. E. Ricks, sheriff, jail fees	33.00
1709.	E. R. Mixon, treasurer, jury tickets	1,651.65
1710.	E. R. Mixon, treasurer, bond interest	636.57
1711.	E. R. Mixon, treasurer, salary	70.84
1712.	L. T. Thompson, reporting births and deaths	.50
1713.	J. B. Smithwick, reporting births and deaths	1.00
1714.	J. G. Mixon, reporting births and deaths	11.25
1715.	W. M. Cooper, reporting births and deaths	6.25
1716.	Thomas Green, reporting births and deaths	7.75
1717.	D. D. Harrison, reporting births and deaths	11.00
1718.	J. E. Taylor, reporting births and deaths	3.25
1719.	L. C. Warren, county attorney	12.50
1720.	W. B. Windley, recorder, Washington District	75.00
1721.	E. G. Weston, C. R. C., salary	25.00
1722.	E. G. Weston, one-half court costs	9.25
1723.	W. W. Mason, recorder for Bath	20.00
1724.	J. A. Leigh, Belhaven recorder	32.20
1725.	W. H. Hooker, Aurora recorder	25.00
1726.	F. S. Windley, conveying prisoner	3.50
1727.	C. H. Roberson, cost in Earl Overton case	31.85
1728.	A. D. Tanfield, making two ballot boxes	2.75
1729.	H. T. Latham, supplies for register's office	1.75
1730.	H. T. Latham, supplies for clerk's office	1.10
1731.	Washington Daily News, contract and convict notice	32.50
1732.	Washington Daily News, publishing notice	3.00
1733.	Washington Progress, printing for county	19.15
1734.	Washington Progress, printing for county	8.75
1735.	Worthy & Etheridge, supplies for register and clerk	.50
1736.	Everett-Waddy Co., paper fasteners for clerk	1.83
1737.	National Envelope Co., envelopes for clerk	7.50
1738.	Lucas Bros., supplies for register's office	12.94
1739.	Edwards & Broughton, blanks for clerk's office	2.99
1740.	W. B. Lewis, repairs on county wagon	4.75
1741.	R. L. Jones, repairing road plow for convicts	6.90
1742.	J. B. Hodges, work on chain-gang wagon	2.00
1743.	Spencer Brothers, supplies for chain-gang	58.30
1744.	Vant Wert Overall Mfg. Co., overalls for convicts	45.00
1745.	M. D. & H. L. Smith Co., shirts for convicts	36.00
1746.	Western Union Tel. Co., telegram in connection with convict Blount's Pharmacy, medicine for County Home and chain-gang	.48
1747.	J. J. Davis, superintendent County Home	21.15
1748.	S. R. Powle & Son, supplies for County Home	7.75
1749.	Carolina Tel. & Tel. Co., phone rent for County Home	3.00
1750.	H. W. Hyman, keeping Washington bridge	35.25
1751.	J. W. Crawley, keeping Bath and Back Creek bridges	21.60
1752.	V. W. Davis, keeping Pungo bridge	25.00
1753.	J. B. Keech, keeping Belhaven bridge	15.00
1754.	L. E. Toler, keeping Blount's Creek bridge	25.00
1755.	W. M. Parvin, work on bridges	3.25
1756.	S. L. Carter, lumber for Indian Run bridge	20.00
1757.	W. M. Parvin, acct. painting Aurora bridge	25.00
1758.	W. M. Parvin, work on bridges	3.25
1759.	Eureka Lumber Co., lumber for Yeatesville bridge	89.90
1760.	McKeel Rich. Hdw. Co., supplies for Aurora bridge	8.35
1761.	Harris Hardware Co., lantern shades for Blount's Cr. bridge	.50
1762.	Harris Hardware Co., bolts for Yeatesville bridge	1.40
1763.	C. P. Aycock Sup. Co., material and work repairing bridge	8.00
1764.	Municipal Elec. & Water Dept., lights on Washington brdg.	6.09
1765.	W. M. Parvin, bridge supervisor	75.00
1766.	Council Tuten, witness fees	7.10
1767.	Geo. A. Paul, C. S. C., witness fees (for use county)	42.01
1768.	E. G. Weston, C. S. C., witness fees (for use county)	4.78
1769.	Geo. E. Ricks, sheriff, recorder's court costs	4.85
1770.	Geo. E. Ricks, sheriff, court cost (use of county)	25.85
1771.	Geo. N. Howard, witness and constable fees	11.40
1772.	R. J. Roberts, constable fees	7.20
1773.	W. R. Tetterton, witness fees	.55
1774.	L. C. Tripp, J. P. fees	.83
1775.	C. H. Roberson, constable fees	1.06
1776.	W. A. Cratch, J. P. fees	3.20
1777.	F. C. Kugler, mayor's fees	1.95
1778.	A. Mayo, J. P. fees	1.55
1779.	O. J. Nye, witness and constable fees	22.45
1780.	J. A. Leigh (use of county), recorder of Belhaven	4.70
1781.	D. R. Tuten, witness fees	2.95
1782.	Celey Lupton, witness fees	2.35
1783.	C. G. Sparrow, witness fees	4.40
1784.	L. H. Radditt, witness fees	3.90
1785.	T. A. Crawford, witness fees	2.25
1786.	J. J. Marsalender, witness fees	2.10
1787.	Riley Willis, witness fees	8.80
1788.	Washington Jones, witness fees	5.30
1789.	Parcey Moore, witness fees	5.30
1790.	Sabrey Chatman, witness fees	5.30
1791.	Isaac Willis, witness fees	5.30
1792.	David Williams, witness fees	5.30
1793.	J. H. Clark, witness fees	5.30
1794.	Edgar Evans, witness fees	4.15
1795.	Virginia Brookings, witness fees	4.15
1796.	R. W. Adams, witness fees	1.10
1797.	W. B. Windley, witness fees	3.10

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