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ADDRESS TO FARMERS

Advices Farmers Not to Sell Cotton Seed to the "Tons at Less Than Value"—A Golden Opportunity.

In accordance with a resolution at the recent meeting of the State Farmers' Alliance authorizing the appointment of a committee to issue an address to the cotton farmers, growers and others interested in procuring better prices for cotton seed, this committee met in the city of Raleigh and authorized the following letter:

HILLSBORO, N. C.,
Aug. 31, 1901.
To the Cotton Farmers and Growers of North Carolina:

Gentlemen—This letter is issued for the purpose of awakening in you an interest in and appreciation of the value of the cotton seed crop this coming season. As is well known the cotton crop in the corn growing States is short; in fact, it is short in most sections of the United States. We all know that a short crop means higher prices, which in turn means higher priced hogs, cattle, etc., and their products. As these products advance in price, substitutes, such as compound feed, oleomargarine, butterine, etc., largely take their place. These substitutes contain cotton seed oil, hence the demand for that will probably be greater than ever before, consequently higher prices. The cattle feeders of the West will have to substitute some other feed for corn, and as cotton seed meal has proven to be better than corn for this purpose it is but natural that they will largely substitute cotton seed meal for corn the coming feeding season. In consequence of these demands cotton seed meal and oil will both bring higher prices than heretofore—this being true cotton seed also should bring higher prices than they have been selling for.

Within the past few months a syndicate has been taking options on oil mills, and now, it is reported, they own more than 50 per cent of the mills in the South, or its equivalent in output. The American Cotton Oil Company, it is claimed, owns forty per cent, so there are less than 10 per cent in output, according to their calculation, that are independent mills.

From recent occurrences it is probable that these two oil companies, controlling over 90 per cent of the cotton seed oil products of the South, may combine or have an understanding as to the prices to be paid for cotton seed. The situation is such that, in our opinion, the farmers should take some action to protect themselves and have voice in naming the price their own products will sell for. This can best be done by cooperation in selling, which can be accomplished. The cotton seed crop of North Carolina will probably be at a low estimate, 10,000,000 bushels. Of this crop 7,000,000 bushels will probably be sold. If the cooperation of the farmers, the price can be advanced 10 cents on the bushel, it will give to the cotton farmers of this State \$700,000 more for the crop than they otherwise would get, but consent of action will be necessary to obtain the desired result. It is to be hoped that the farmers in all the cotton growing States will take similar action. To that end this letter will be sent to every cotton growing State that success may be assured.

We deem this of enough importance to suggest that the farmers meet in their respective counties at the court house on Saturday, September 21, and select delegates to attend a State meeting to be held in the city of Raleigh, Wednesday, September 25. If it is deemed advisable township meetings can be held earlier than September 11, each township or neighborhood can determine this for themselves.

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high prices consequent thereon have made this a golden opportunity for the cotton farmers. It is for them to say whether they will take advantage of it or leave all the profits arising from these conditions to the cotton seed oil mills. You may rest assured that they will not turn them down. In justice to your own interests you should step forward and offer to share these profits with the mill men.

This letter is addressed to every cotton farmer and grower in the State, from the least to the largest. Let them all cooperate. Let no responsible excuse keep you away from the meetings.

T. B. PARKER, S. B. A.

Successful Colored Farmer

(Scotland Neck Commonwealth.)

Mike Hardy, a colored man who lives three miles from Scotland Neck, has set an example of successful farm operations, which may well be followed by any and all of both races.

Some days ago the editor of the Commonwealth bought some nice peaches from Mike, and knowing something of his thrift we asked him how he is getting along. He said that he is doing very well, and upon further questions and his ready answers we agreed with him.

In 1872 Mike bought 50 acres of land near Smith's mill, and built a nice home. Hundreds and hundreds of people pass his home every year and it is almost always a subject of comment.

In 1878 Mike purchased 240 acres of river land. From this he realized good profits. In 1880 he purchased 375 acres more of river land, and in 1887 he purchased still 135 acres more. He thus owns 800 acres of land which he rightly regards as a good possession and of which he is justly proud. When asked if his lands are worth ten dollars per acre Mike said he thought they are worth more. He said he thought his entire possessions worth about ten thousand dollars.

He said he will never pay one cent of his indebtedness this fall, he thinks. He rents out his lands and said his annual income is about a thousand dollars. He has reared a family of four children, all grown now, and has given them a fairly good education. He sent one girl to Richmond to school and one boy to Raleigh. The other boy and girl he did not send away from home but says they have secured a reasonably good education at home.

The Commonwealth submits that Mike Hardy's example is a faithful toiler for his own success is worthy the emulation of any and all persons. One remarkable thing about his career is his disregard of politics. He says he has paid little or no attention to such things farther than to vote at every election.

Short Crops.
The Messenger is persuaded that there will be a very short crop in North Carolina this year. It will be alarmingly short. It may be one third off. It certainly looks that way now. We see it mentioned that our able governor says that he does not think the people of this State realize the shortness of the year's crop. It is the poorest crop in a great many years. He says his brother who is a farmer, is now selling corn at \$1 a bushel and he expects to see it go to \$1.25. Last year was not considered a good cotton year. A large farmer who has tenants says that on the land filled by one which last year yielded thirteen bales, there will be only three bales this year, with the same acreage, and another crop of fifteen acres will not yield over two bales.

It is not cotton so much that distributes us bread for the bus day. Our large eastern farmer says he cannot make more than will take him to April. Another is willing to turn over his net crop to the man who is willing to pay his bill for fertilizer. We do not believe five counties in the State will make an average crop.

—Wilmington Messenger.

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The Education That Counts

It is a fact that many of the surplus millions of the United States are scattered to the colleges and universities. Education will become more and more possible for the great majority of our people every year. Mr. Morgan's million dollars to Harvard and the bicentennial fund of two million dollars to Yale, and other aggregating millions more money of the six hundred and thirty colleges and universities of the United States, not to mention the donor of a fifty million dollar fund for the University of Chicago, mean that the door is open to the country at large to get as much money as they can reasonably expect. How is it possible for the poor boy to get through a university without asking aid from his parents, and if he develops ability and much capacity he will find helping hands all along the pathway to a higher education.

In the midst of the offering of these opportunities comes a warning from men of more practical vision. To hold that too much time spent in post graduate work is a handicap on success in the world, they may not accept their doctrine entirely, but there is wisdom in pointing to what they have to say. A man naturally inclined to a student often gets to love knowledge simply for the sake of knowing. He accumulates a vast amount of information without developing practical ability to apply it to a world which looks for results. Such a one may live and study all his life, and when he dies the world has lost little. There is no difference how much of a man may be developed. He must be a man, and when he dies the world has lost little. There is no difference how much of a man may be developed. He must be a man, and when he dies the world has lost little.

The student, therefore, should go deep in his books that he may get the right of the world. Top university is different from the average high school, but in final result the aim must be the same. It is not men who are better and higher work in the world.

It is gratifying to see that modern education is not rushing to overdevelopment in mere study. There are some who fall victims to the quiet of the classroom, or who find their greatest happiness in the corner of a library where they may never be disturbed, but the great majority while at their books hear the call of the world and see its duties in everything that they study.

This is the kind of education that the rich men want to increase by the encouragement of their generous millions. They themselves belong to the active bustling world of trade and commerce. They know that the growth of business and better management of affairs in public as well as in private life depends upon having educated men in the practical work of the world. Their gifts thus become investments upon their own estates, for as the quality of service improves, so does the value of all belongings increase.

Business has changed. No longer does the merchant who merely knows his own corner of the square, and the few things that happen in front of his store, make a great fortune or control the destinies of the time. He must know what is going on in the world. He must be able to estimate the relative values and influences of events. He must use the knowledge and wisdom of the past as guides for the

present, and a trained foresight for the difficulties and opportunities of the future.

Therefore, there is a wider horizon in public life. With steam and electricity the world has grown very small. Its people have been brought closer together, and their histories, their characteristics, their prejudices and their needs make up a necessary part of the public man's education. The real statesman no longer represents a district or a State. He must look even beyond his own shores. In the sciences and in the professions this broadening has no limitations. Every where, in all departments of effort, there is a freer and a greater opportunity, and the final verdict is not based on what a man knows or what he has studied, nor on what he has hoarded either in mind or in treasury, but on what he does that contributes to the good of mankind and which exercises influence in the upward advancement of the human race.

Saturday Evening Post.

Pass It On
Once, when I was a schoolboy, going home from the far away little town in which I dwelt, I arrived at Bristol, and got on board the steamer with just enough money to pay my fare, and, being settled, I thought in my innocence that I had paid for everything in the way of meals I had what I wanted as long as we were in smooth water. Then came the rough Atlantic, and the need of something more. I had been lying on my berth for hours wretchedly ill, and past caring for anything, when there came the steward and stood beside me. "Your bill, sir," said he, holding out a piece of paper.

"I have no money," said I in my wretchedness.

"Then I shall keep your luggage," said he. "What is your address?" I told him.

Instantly he took off the cap he wore, with the gilt band about it, and held out his hand.

"Should like to shake hands with you," he said.

Then came the explanation—how that some years before some little kindness had been shown his mother by my father in the sorrow of her widowhood. "I never thought the chance would come to me to repay it," said he pleasantly, "but I'm glad it has."

"As soon as I got ashore I told my father what had happened."

"Ah," said he, "see how a bit of kindness lives! Now he has passed it on to you. You remember, that if you meet anybody that needs a friendly hand, you pass it on to them."

Years had gone by, I had grown up and quite forgotten it all, until one day I had gone to the station of one of our main lines. I was just going to take my ticket when I saw a little lad crying—a thorough gentleman, he was, trying to keep back the troublesome tears as he pleaded with the booking clerk.

"What's the matter my lad?" I asked.

"If you please, sir, I haven't money enough to pay my fare. I have all but a few pence and I tell the clerk if he will trust me I will be sure to pay him."

Instantly it flashed upon me the forgotten story of long ago. Here then was my chance to pass it on. I gave him the sum needed, and then got into the carriage with him. Then I told the little fellow the story of long ago, and of the kindness to me. "Now today," I said, "I pass it on to you; and, remember, if you meet with any one who needs a kindly hand, you must pass it on."

"I will, sir," I will," cried the lad, as he took my hand, and his eyes flashed with earnestness.

I reached my destination, and left my little friend. The last sign I had from him was the handwriting fluttering from the carriage, as if to say, "It isn't right, sir; I will pass it on."—Home and School Visitor.

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The North Carolina Normal

(Raleigh Post.)

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