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MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1912.

MOVEMENT OF COTTON. Secretary Henry G. Hester of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, an acknowledged authority, says that the amount of cotton brought into sight during the first month of the present season was 1,425,316 bales, a decrease under the same period last year of 176,158 bales.

ANENT APPLE GROWING. The Manufacturers' Record gives an interesting record of the actual results from apple orchards in Virginia for the past two years and the showing is decidedly in favor of the importance of the orchard.

The Siler City Grit speaks with wisdom when it says that the teachers of the Siler City schools are demonstrating the fact that they intend to have discipline and therefore are not sparing the rod.

Congressman Claude Kitchin will visit this country and deliver several speeches in the interest of the candidacy of his brother, Gov. W. W. Kitchin, who desires to be selected as United States Senator to succeed Senator F. M. Simmons.

Rev. Dr. J. Q. Adams, pastor of Main Street Baptist church in Greenwood, S. C., has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist Church at Forest City.

CONDITIONS IN KOREA. If the statements printed in The Koen Up Seen Moon, a Korean newspaper are true then conditions in Korea are most lamentable. This paper is published in Vladivostok because of the strict Japanese censorship.

IS MORE LAW NEEDED? The recent suggestion that hazing be made a crime by an act of the Legislature leads The Brooklyn Eagle to remark that the appeal of the trustees and faculty of the University of North Carolina to the Legislature of that State to make "hazing" in colleges a crime, though dictated by the best of motives, seems to spring out of the confusion of ideas.

Where Locke Craig Stands. The friends of Hon. Locke Craig, North Carolina Democratic candidate for the governorship, should not be disturbed by the report that hidden enemies in the eastern part of the State, the same gang, doubtless, that stabbed him in the back four years ago, are circulating reports to effect that Mr. Craig once voted for a Republican in Bertie County.

Mr. Harry G. Maupin, after a trip to Europe, has written a book. He strives to prove that water transportation is not as cheap as rail. He states that he has made extensive investigations while on the other side of the water and yet he does not explain why he went to Europe to study the question.

The Manufacturers' Record tells of five-road bond elections which were held in Texas during September, resulting in \$420,000 being voted for highway improvements.

Meeting With Success. The Knapp memorial committee is meeting with great success in its plans for Knapp Agricultural Day in the schools and colleges of the South.

ANENT THE CAMPAIGN. Mr. Roosevelt testified before the campaign fund investigating committee that he knew that Mr. Frick contributed heavily to the Roosevelt campaign fund in 1904.

A traveling man tells us that he spent last week in the fifth congressional district, which is considered Kitchin's stronghold, in Guilford and Forsyth, the two largest counties, Simmons is gaining so fast that bets are now at even money that he will carry those counties.

At a meeting of the county board of education Mr. J. P. Cook tendered his resignation as chairman of the board. Mr. Cook has been associated with school work in Cabarrus for 25 years and has been chairman of the board for a number of years.

At a meeting of the Commercial Club Friday night Messrs. W. L. Gilbert, G. E. French and R. L. Poston made reports of the recent meeting held in Greensboro to organize the North Carolina Chamber of Commerce.

The farmers are daily drawing big sums from the banks and paying their tobacco sales. Not a few of them had this money in their pockets and take it home with them, subjecting themselves to the danger of being robbed or losing it in some other way.

Genial and eloquent Francis D. Winston will speak in the court house here next Friday night at 8 o'clock. The bare statement ought to insure a full house.

NEWS AND VIEWS. (Siler City Grit.) Hon. F. M. Simmons, North Carolina's senior member of the United States Senate, will speak at Siler City the 16th.

The month of October is the dullest of the year in the produce business, the farmers being too busy to give chickens and eggs any attention, and besides there are few eggs during this month anyway.

The Hickory people are not blaming the Lenoir College boys for the Roosevelt incident half as much as some of the North Carolina papers. It would have been an innocent affair if one or two men had not started the scrap.

Mr. Kitchin was a member of the executive committee that prepared the 1912 handbook which says "Reciprocity looks like free trade, but tastes like protection. It is really a new sugarcoated pill prepared by the Republican tariff doctors for many patients who are refusing to take their protection straight.

Messrs. J. F. Pearce and J. V. Cooner of Greensboro, the Grand Colony, Order of Bees, Incorporated, with headquarters at Greensboro, arrived in Gastonia Wednesday and are engaged in organizing a local colony of this organization.

As Lieutenant Governor of North Carolina he was a worthy mate of Glenn as he presided over the Senate with consummate skill and singular tact.

Railway Section Master W. A. Hamlet of Statesville is thoroughly convinced that a man is never safe when standing

BRIGHT AND BREEZY. (OUT HUNTING.) The hunting season's open now. Bang, bang! Was that an ibex or a cow? Bang, bang!

Often the Case.—"Your daughter is taking music lessons?" "As you hear, she is pounding on the piano." "Yes, and she does seem to hate it." "Well, she would rather do that than help her mother with the dishes."

Quite So.—"Some of us claim that it is a cold world." "Well?" "And yet we think we are entitled to free calendars, matches, blotters, toothpicks, almanacs, ice water and hotel writing paper."

Memorial to Dr. Seaman A. Knapp. A living, useful memorial will be erected in honor of Dr. Seaman A. Knapp of the United States Department of Agriculture, founder of the farm demonstration work.

The Knapp memorial committee consists of the following members: Chancellor David C. Barrow, Athens, Ga. Dr. S. P. Brooks, Waco, Tex.

The committee has employed a financial agent, who has opened headquarters in the Southern building in Washington and has already begun to raise the \$150,000.

Hundreds of letters have already been received by the Knapp memorial committee approving the form of the memorial. There seems to be a feeling that it is in harmony with Dr. Knapp's usually reverent and dignified, and doing good. In fact, his own sentiments influenced the decision in regard to the memorial.

The Fountain Head of Life Is The Stomach. A man who has a weak and impaired stomach and who does not properly digest his food will soon find that his blood has become weak and impoverished, and that his whole body is improperly and insufficiently nourished.

Reckless Campaigning. Lack of space last week prevented our noting all the vulnerable parts of Governor Kitchin's very vulnerable speech. There are two assertions he made that we will refer to this week.

Under and by virtue of the power and authority vested in the undersigned by that certain deed of trust executed by Robert H. Peaseley and wife, Eleanor M. Peaseley, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for Mecklenburg County in Book 285, page 434, default having been made in complying with the terms and performing the conditions therein named, I will sell at public auction, for cash, at the County Court House in the City of Charlotte, N. C., on the 18th day of November, 1912, the following described lot of land, lying and being in Charlotte Township, Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, and described as follows:

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