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COTTON GROWERS NOT COMPELLED

To Answer Questions of Agents as to Recourse.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Advice received here indicates that in some parts of the south the opinion prevails that the last congress passed a law compelling cotton planters to report, on demand from agents of the census bureau, their acreage, condition, number of bales ginned, etc.

This is not the case. The only legislation affecting cotton statistics enacted by the fifty-eighth congress was the following joint resolution introduced by Representative Burleson, of Texas, and finally passed as a part of the bill providing for the collection of marriage and divorce statistics:

"Be it resolved, etc., That the director of the census be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to collect and publish on the same dates and at the same time he makes publication of the ginners' reports of cotton, production, statistics of the consumption of cotton, the surplus of cotton held by the manufacturers and the amount of cotton exported, the statistics to be summarized as September 1 of each year, so as to show the cotton production and consumption of the preceding year."

Information regarding this legislation was given in detail in these dispatches during the time it was progressing through the two houses. It is obviously to the interest of the farmer to know something definite as to the amount of cotton consumed, exported and on hand, and the statistics which will be published as a result of the passage of Mr. Burleson's resolution will bring out the fact.

It seems impossible to convince the planters of the south that it is equally to their interests to have accurate statements as to acreage, condition and production issued by the government, despite the weight of the evidence in that direction. The census bureau had a considerable amount of trouble last season with ginners who refused to make reports for use in the six ginning bulletins issued during the fall, winter and spring, and yet the facts tend to show that conditions would have been materially improved had this information been freely given by all ginners. It is argued that such information gives the speculator a club wherewith to hammer down prices, but if this be the case, it should be obvious that in the event of a short crop the farmers would be given a lever wherewith to push the price up. In the opinion of experts here it is difficult to see how any legitimate interest can be harmed by having the exact facts made public.

Value of General Culture.

EX-GOV. AYCOCK in National Magazine.

"We must educate everybody in our respective neighborhoods, in order that we may have the benefit of competition and of appreciation. You may educate your son and daughter to the fullest extent possible, giving to them the learning of all the world and put them after their education, in a community where there are no other educated people, and they will fail to develop and grow as they would if they lived in a community where there was general culture. The man who stands easily head and shoulders above his neighbors will never be very tall. If he is to surpass his neighbors and be really great he must have neighbors who are almost great themselves. He cannot work out himself the best there is in him until he is forced to do so by the competition of others almost or quite as strong as he.

The Same One.
A young country minister who had been presented with a horse by a rich farmer pariahioner, rode the animal home to exhibit him to his father. The old gentleman studied the horse carefully, and observed that he seemed very aged and infirm.

"Well father," said his son, "I don't think you ought to complain of him, even if he is old and feeble. It is a good deal better animal than our Savior rode into Jerusalem nineteen hundred years ago."

"I don't know, John," replied the father; "I think it's the same one."

How to Ward Off Old Age.
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Very few people care as much about succeeding over other people as they do about not having somebody else succeed over them.

NOT THE KIND OF PASTOR THEY WANT.

They Asked for a Mixer and a Crank, and Lippin Says No to Both.

Peoria, Ill., Dispatch.

This is the kind of a clergyman the Central Christian Church here had to have.

- "1. He must be a young man.
- "2. He must be a married man.
- "3. He must be an evangelist.
- "4. He must be a lodge member.
- "5. He must be a mixer.
- "6. He must be a crank.
- "7. He must be the burden-bearer of the flock."

The Rev. S. S. Lippin, of Atlanta, Ill., was called on his affidavit, as follows:

"1. I am thirty-five years old. I can set my foot on a wall ten inches higher than my head and can 'chew a limb, ten times.

"2. I have been married twelve years and my wife and I are still living together.

"3. I am an evangelist and never turn persons away if they want to join the church where I am preaching.

"4. I am a lodge man. I belong to four lodges.

"5. I am a mixer, and can talk politics or sports with the boys or theology at the right time. Whoever comes near my church, near service time, must be fleet of foot, if I don't make him shake hands before he gets away.

"6. I am a crank; not a fool, understand, but the kind of crank that moves things. If I cannot make them move, I generally get some of the cranky brethren or sisters to lend a hand till the thing starts. On several occasions I have succeeded so well in moving things that my family, household goods, and all were moved into another pastorate.

"7. Now, as to being willing to assume the burdens of the flock, I had best be a little less positive in my answer, for I am not sure what you mean by that. I do not propose to take care of the pocketbooks of the brethren, while they go fishing, or to speak knowingly about the bigness of the hats worn by the good sisters at Easter time. I will not engage to solve the consciences of the brethren who 'hurrah for Jesus and vote for the devil,' and I will not usher any such up to the pearly gates."

Story of Washington Duke.

Faithfuls Everything.

All that can be said of Washington Duke, and it is enough to say of any one, is that he was a good man and an honest man. He made much money and laid the foundation for the magnificent fortune which came to him, but which he never enjoyed. He was sturdy, sympathetic, whole-souled and honest to the severest test. His riches came after his habits and character were formed, and this is why he said to us upon his return from Europe, a dozen years ago that "I felt telling them to hurry up—to finish the trip; that I wanted to get back to Durham where I could get some bacon and greens."

In other words bacon and greens strongly appealed to him, and meant more to him than all the lingo which he could not decipher found on a card at a table d'hote.

Cold Deliberation.

"Why, good morning, Harker; let me congratulate you."

"On what?"

"On your marriage."

"Why, I'm not married."

"But, man, you told me several weeks ago that you were seriously thinking of matrimony."

"That's just it. I thought seriously of it and decided to remain single. Those that marry do so without thinking."

It's New Meaning.

Mr. Squallup stood at the foot of the stairway, waiting.

"Maria," he called out, looking at his watch, "how much longer is it going to take you to get ready? We'll miss the train if you don't hurry."

"I'll be down immediately," replied his wife.

"That wan't do!" he roared. We've got to start right now."

"I thank the Lord!" cried Hannah Plant, of Little Rock, Ark., "for the relief I got from Buckle's Arnica Salvo. It cured my fearful running sores, which nothing else would heal, and from which I had suffered for 5 years." It is a marvelous healer for cuts, burns and wounds. Guaranteed at all druggists.

Stewardess—Madame is unreasonable, I know she is, and she wants too much—she asks for impossible things.

The Bufferer—It's not true—all I want is the earth!

A woman has an awful hard time making herself believe she can't trust a man she knows she can't.

DON'T HELP THE DEVIL.

Raleigh Post.

A great many suggestions nowadays are attributed to advanced thought, when in truth most of them are more correctly to be charged up to sensationalism. Rev. Sam Jones is reported in an Atlanta paper to have said in a late sermon that he favored easy divorces. He started his congregation by saying that he wanted to see the laws so arranged that when any married couple found it difficult to live in peace and harmony, they could go to a Judge and secure an absolute divorce on the payment of one dollar.

"There were almost audible murmurs of disapproval among the auditors, until the Rev. Sam announced that he would not have the decree of divorce end with that, but that he would have it so that the Judge would write down on the bottom of the sheet of paper an order that if either party should ever remarry during the lifetime of the other the party so marrying must be confined in the penitentiary for life. Then there were murmurs of approval.

The evangelist said he was not unmindful of the fact that the good Book said "what God hath joined together let no man put asunder," but he did not think God had anything to do with the marriages that turn out bad, and in which divorces are sought, but that they are the work of the devil.

Didn't Remember That One.

A very good story is told of Judge Sherman, before whom was tried the Tucker case at East Cambridge, says the Boston Herald. He was walking through the Boston streets recently, returning a shabby cotton umbrella to its owner, looking for all the world like a countryman, when a bunco steerer stepped up to him and claimed acquaintance.

"I don't seem to remember you," said the judge.

Upon being urged to refresh his memory, the judge, seeing through the little game, calmly said: "Well, my friend, I have sent so many of you boys to jail I can't remember you all, you know."

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Perhaps So.

"And if I should break the engagement," said the Hyde Park Romeo, "tell me truly, what would you do?"

"I—I should take poison!" cried the beautiful girl.

"You would really go to the nearest pharmacy and get poison?"

"No, no! Worse than that. I should allow a young man who smokes cigarettes to kiss me."

How He Made It Out.

Clerk of the Works—Look here, Dennis, I can't understand how you put in 17 hours on Thursday.

Dennis—Shure, Oi started two hours before I began, an' Oi wurruked all dinner time when Oi was restin', an' after Oi left off Oi wurruked for two hours more, an' that makes me toime out.

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Comedian—"Mayor, brass band, etc."

Minstrel Man—"No, sheriff."

Sickley I spoke to Dr. Herb and he advised me that I could—

Dr. Shellfish (interrupting)—O, he gave you some idiotic advice, I don't doubt.

Sickley—He advised me to see you.

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Wife—Did he look at your tongue?

Husband—No. I told him about yours.

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All that town lot which Jno. A. Cline and wife conveyed to W. K. Lyles on the 31st day of January, 1903, by deed which is duly recorded in Register's office for Cabarrus County, in Book 60, page 10, and described as follows: Situated in Ward No. 3 of Concord, N. C., being the southeast corner lot formed by the intersection of Franklin street and Mt. Pleasant road. Beginning at a stake, the southeast intersection of Franklin street and Mt. Pleasant road, and runs with said street a 120 feet to a stake John A. Cline's corner; then with his line N 81° 25' E to a stake; said Cline's corner; then with his line N 150 feet to a stake in south edge of Mount Pleasant road; said Cline's corner; thence with said road S 20° 25' E to the beginning.

Title to said property is supposed to be good, and the purchaser may take such title as I am authorized to convey under said mortgage.

This 25th day of May, 1905.
J. W. M. SMITH, Attorney.
W. M. SMITH, Trustee.

North Carolina, Cabarrus County
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Edward Means, Propounder,
vs.
Lafayette City, Creator.

NOTICE.
James Moore, a party in interest in the above entitled action, will take notice that a caveat has been entered to the probate of a paper-writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Caroline Means, deceased; and the said James Moore will further take notice that he is called to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of Cabarrus County to be held on the 1st Monday, before the 1st Monday in September, 1905, at the court house of said county, in Concord, North Carolina, and make himself a party to said proceedings if he chooses so to do.

This 25th day of May, 1905.
JNO. M. COOK,
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