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Can They Afford 117

We have heard of a few tenants ecently who were offering seventyive cents per hundred to get cotton picked. Where men farm on halves this makes it cost them \$1.50 per hundred for their half of the seed cotton and about \$4.50 per hundred for the lint cotton. If to this is added the work of hauling the cotton to the gins and then to the market it will be seen that it takes about HOLD IT FOR THAT PRICE half the cotton crop to get it from the field to the buyers for the mills. Can tenants afford such prices for picking? Can they pay big debts at

We believe in fair prices for labor, but the prices for some work is too high now. The business of farming cannot and will not afford such wages. We hear of some who are boarding hands in addition to the high prices paid for picking cotton. Some say the pickers could get clothcertain about it all is that it will take two or three months to house the cotton. It can not be picked in growing State, declared in convena week or two no matter how fast tion today that the farmers' cotton it opens, nor how high a price is paid is worth fifteen cents a pound and for work. Farmers should do all resolved that the farmer should they can themselves and then get hold his cotton for that price. The help when it can be had at reasonable prices. A lesson to be learned port that the crop in America would is not to plant much if any more of not exceed 12,500,000 bales. any particular crop than can be

What To Do With Cotton Seed.

Last fall the oil mills offered igh price for cotten seed early in bonded warehouses. the season and consequently bought more than they could care for prop-erly. Almost every mill had to among them with the bankers and hall be done with the seed under ture of South Carolina. hauled from the gins and placed un- be followed by a similar convention der shelter. Once or twice a week in every Southern State, to be called dug in a pile of cotton seed almost them for less than thirty cents per Hughes of Geergia-bushel. We know this is good ad-It was Senator Sa vice. Our idea is that they will the speech which decided the conbring more than that later. - Smith-

Parson's Poem A Gem-

DECLARED FOR 15-CENT COTTON

Convention of Growers Take Important Action.

Co-Operation Among Farmers and with Bankers and Financiers Declared to Be Solution of the Problem That Is Vexing the Cotton Growers of To-Day.

the News and Observer from Montgomery, Ala., dated Sept. 13th, ing, too, as well as board, if they says:-"Five hundred farmers and would demand it. The one thing as many bankers, Congressmen, United States Senators and business men, representing every cottonresolution followed a committee re-

For financing the crop of this year housed with the help on the farm a resolution was adopted to the It is risky to depend on outside help.

effect that the farmer should deposit
his cotton in a warehouse and use his cotton in a warehouse and use his receipt as collateral until he could sell his product at not less than fifteen cents. There was also a resolution that the several State legislatures provide a system of

work thousands of bushels of dam- financiers was the solution of the proage seed. They rotted after they blem, the convention resolved itself had passed through the gins. This into a permanent organization te be year they are trying to avoid that known as the Southern Cotton Con-

The meeting in Montgomery is to

them get hot and rot. Do not seil and Clayton, of Alabama, and

at 15 cents for Congressmen Heflin fourteen cents, with fourteen cents

An Associated Press despatch to

It was Senator Smith who made

as the minimum. Congressmen

the reports of a bumper cotton crop; POOLING THE denounced the charge that the Farmera. Union was combine to hold up civilization, and asserted that there is a commission for the purpose of hammering down the price of cotton.

Montgomery yesterday evening President C. S. Barrett, of the Farmers' Union, announced today that a French-English syndicate has guaranteed any amount of money up to seventy five million dollars to finance TO ESTABLISH FACTORIES the South's cotton crop. The deal was made with the personal support of the syndicate. The money is to be loaned at six per cent and the cotton is to be put up as collateral. Details of the plan are to be perfected by a committee to b composed of one Southern banker two members of the Farmers' Union. The estimate of this year's cotton crop, recommended by the committee of state and adopted by the committee. is approximately 12,500,000 bales. This estimate was based on figures proposed to the committee by the call of States, each State being represented by its Agricultural Commissioner or his authorized assistant, and by figures furnished by the National Farmers' Union from its recent convention at Shawnee, Okla, and by revised figures submitted by President Chas. S. Barrett, of the

ROBBERS GET \$320,000 BOOTY

Farmers' Union.

Bank in British Columbia Cleaned Out-Three Men Entered Bank,

New Westminster, B. C., Sept. 15.-Three hundred and twenty thousand dollars in cash were stolen from the Declaring that organization of the bank by an approtected rear ed the bank byen, appretected, rear window, dug through the brick wall into the vault, wrecked the cage door, blew open the safe and took them under shelter and do not let cotton report; Congressmen Heflin the Chinese janitor arrived he found est care. gagged and tied to a chair.

TOBACCO CROP

As the result of a conference in Farmers Should Not Follow Kentucky Brethren.

A Farmer's Factory in Every County Would Leave the Money in the Community and the Farmers Would Thereby Be Much Benefitted.

The tobacco farmers of North Carolina are now discussing the wisdom of pooling their tobacco, very much on the order of their brethern in your mouth. You will feel better Kentucky, but unlike their Kentucky yourself, and you will be better, brethern, with reference to the law- too. - Waxhaw Enterprise. ssness indulged in by the latter.

The night riding and barn burning njured the cause of the Kentucky farmers. They could have accomplished so much more by peaceful methods than by handling the proposition as they did.

We hope to see the farmers in time organizing stock companies and manufacturing the product of their fields. This it strikes us could be handled better than in a big pool of tobacco for the entire state. Suppose the farmers of Wilson county would subscribe sufficient stock to locate a factory in Wilson. Those who could do so would pay for stock with the cash and those who could not could exchange tobacco for same.

A farmer's factory in every county would leave the money in the community and then every farmer would

Again, to the factory could be adapproximately \$320,000 in gold and ded a re-drying and storage plant currency. They left \$20,000 in gold and the manager of the factory mistake by not buying so many green gress and adjurned to meet in Atlan- on the bed where they piled their could receive this tobacco and look until it shall reach a price at which seed. The price offered is only ta at call of the president, E. J. loot, and \$80,000 more unmolested after it without additional expense. College of Agriculture about 221 cents per bushel. What Watson, Commissioner of Agriculin the safe. The Chinese caretaker Under this plan the farmer would appeared and gave the alarm, after get in touch with the consumer and working loose from the bonds with would not be at the mercy of specwhich he was tied. Chief of Police ulators, but could sell to the trade Four-year courses in Agriculture; in Civil, Electrical, and Mechanical Engineering; in Industrial Chemistry; in Cotton Manufacturing and Dyeing. Two-year courses in Mechanic Arts and in Textil. Arts. One-year courses in Agriculture. These courses are both practical and scientific. Examinations for admission are held at least of the season and scientific. Examinations for admission are held at least of the same gang which has been at which they rest so as to give them and cool them. A hole can be Smith, of South Carolina, who results are not as a season of the season of the consumer and they should be examined and if found by the Commissioner of Agriculture of available officers were pressed into available officers were pressed into service. From the thoroughness of the action of the Congress is to be the polar through the season of the field to secure the subscriptions of the consumer of the tobacco sent in for available officers were pressed into of each State. By these conventions service. From the thoroughness of the action of the Congress is to be they can be easily stirred, then to cool. If room is scarce so the action of the Congress is to be the polar through the season of the field to secure the subscriptions of the tobacco sent in for available officers were pressed into of each State. By these conventions service. From the thoroughness of the product, to the consumer as work in Vancouver did the work has been at work in Vancouver did the work here. It is impossible to say when of necessity be experienced tobacco sent in for available officers were pressed into day adiable officers were pressed into the field to secure the subscriptions to do so. In other words there would be two ways of disposing of the product, to the consumer as well as to the manufacture if the management saw the latter and the latter amount. According to the work way done, the officers believe the job and the tools with which the work ways of disposing of the product, to the consumer as well as to the manufacture of the consumer a Bradshaw hurried to the scene. All a part of the tobacco sent in for Smith, of South Carolina, who re- the men effected an entrance into men and these would understand the ceived the thanks of Congress for the bank. It is presumed it was proper re-drying and re-ordering tolike digging a hole for a post. Keep his attitude toward the government about 4 o'clock this morning. When bacco, a matter requiring the great-

> the robbers. He was sandbagged, Under the decision of the su-Then the robbers proceeded to col- separate the American Tobacco Comlect the gold and bills in the vault panies into separate and independent his farm he will certainly benefit gress in naming the price of cotton and left the building, taking more entities there is every reason to bethan a quarter million, and leaving lieve that the opportunity awaits wanted to make the price fifteen or about \$100,000 in the vault behind. new capital and energy in the man-Usually there is a watchman on ufacture of tobacco and why should the premises, but he was on a vaca not the farmer handle the product farmer, for a large population furn-

Say a Good Word About Your Town

This thing of saying a good wor about your town is a habit which the people of this community need to coltivate, and they need it badly. You just start out here some bright morning—yes, even on a bright morning when everyone ought to feel good-and mention some thing about every citizen, we don't care who he is, or how pure he is, and you will be suprised to know how many people have out their little hammers and how with their might they will be trying to use

Now, how much better it would be if we all had a good word to say of our neighbors. What makes your town but the people who live in it? When you hit them, don't you know you are striking your town, and when you strike your town don't you know that you are driving blows on your own little head? Say something good or keep your tongue in

WILL BUILD WAREHOUSES.

South Carolina Farmers' Union Seeking to Float a \$200,000 Co-Operative Corporation.

One of the most interesting developments among Southern cotton farmers is the big chain of warehouses which the South Carolina Farmers' Union is now getting ready to establish The project has attracted a great deal of attention and we are glad to give herewith a summary of its main features. In the last issue of the Farmers' Union Sun Secretary-Treasurer J. Whitney Reid puts the case in a nut-shell as fol "The officers of the South Carolina

State Union have set their heads together and go to work vigorously in the effort to establish a chain of warehouses for the storing of cotton the farmer is willing to sell. A cominitial capital stock of \$200,000, to be worked up to an ultimate capital of \$500,000. Canvassers are already and 40 per cent November 1, 1912.

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why shouldn't the farmer get it? if preme court which will eventually the farmer will place himself in a position to handle the products of his community by the encouragement of the location of factories. For factories build cities. The larger the city the more benefit to the Special Courses for teachers. Free tuition to those who agree to become teachers in the State. Fall Session begins September 13, 1911. They're such a health necessity, in every home these pills should be, address

INLIUSI FOUST, Pres., Greensboro, N. C.

From Rev. H. Stubenvoll Ia., in ten years the world would be used to deaden the noise of the exposition. It is evident the robbers knew from field to consumer? It is his praise of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They're such a health necessity, in every home these pills should be, in ten years the world would be used to deaden the noise of the exposition. It is evident the robbers knew from field to consumer? It is his property, because he made it "in the used to deaden the noise of the exposition. After a survey by the bank officials it was officially stated the like and from the farmer handle the product from field to consumer? It is his property, because he made it "in the used to deaden the noise of the exposition. After a survey by the bank officials it was officially stated the like and from the farmer handle the product from field to consumer? It is his in ten years the world would be used to deaden the noise of the exposition. After a survey by the bank officials it was officially stated the like and from the farmer handle the product from field to consumer? It is his belief that within the praise of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They're such a health necessity, in every home these pills should be. If other in the product from field to consumer? It is his in ten years the world would be used to deaden the noise of the exposition. After a survey by the bank officials it was officially stated the ticle and from the farmer handle the product from field to consumer? It is his in ten years the world would be used to deaden the noise of the exposition. After a survey by the bank officials it was officially stated the like and from the farmer, for a large population furntion. Clayton declared his belief that within the product from field to consumer? It is his in ten

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