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Post and Flag's Cotton Letter.

New York, July 24.—The market has shown a generally firm tone, rallying easily from the early dip on buying attributed chiefly to the same sources from which contracts were being quite freely supplied not so long ago. Selling is naturally restricted by the report yesterday, though some realizing has been in evidence as well as a moderate amount of hedge selling. The selling, what there has been of it, has looked better than the buying, and it is of the sort that is destined to be more and more in evidence as the crop begins to move in any volume, which some expect in the near future. Just how those hedges will be taken care of remains to be seen, but unless trade demand is strongly stimulated by further improvement in goods it looks that the weaker technical position will become painfully apparent as soon as real pressure develops.

With conditions as they exist raw material, based on contract prices, is quite out of the reach of mills for the purpose of stocking up, and can be used only to fill actual orders for goods on a full parity with the price of cotton. The advance seems due to a revulsion of feeling in more speculative circles, as a result of the extremely disappointing figures of the report, leading to buying for both accounts, for which there is as yet as little soil foundation as there was for the selling so freely indulged in several weeks ago. The next report may prove a surprise the other way and come in a market poorly equipped to offer resistance.

These violent changes based on figures compiled by an unknown method are responsible for the strong objections to these reports on the part of the trade. The advance looks far from safe to follow, regardless of what happens later.

When the relation between supply and demand can be more accurately estimated.

Words of a Christian Judge.

In accepting the apology of Darrow, who had insulted the Court, the Judge presiding said:
The man that I believe came into the world to save men from sin, the man that died on the cross that men might be redeemed, taught that it was Godly to forgive and were it not for the forgiving nature of God himself, I would fear for man.

The Saviour died on the cross pleading with God for the men who crucified Him. I believe in that Christ, I believe in those principles. I accept Col. Darrow's apology.

Polar bears have been reported swimming 1000 miles from land.

Stewart's Washington Letter.

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WASHINGTON—The big cities' revolt against rural rule begins to look like war to the knife.

Representatives of some of the country's greatest centers of population have been popping in and out of Washington lately every day or two, conferring together, whispering mysteriously, evidently laying mighty important plans, and now it's reported a national organization of urbanites is being formed to launch secession movements in a good many states, like Chicago's, against the commonwealth of Illinois.

UNDER the federal constitution no fraction of a state can cut loose from the other fraction and set up as a state by itself without the original state's consent.

Now, the cities' whole complaint is that they're run by rural legislators which make laws the city dwellers don't like and levy taxes in the rural districts' interest but at the cities' expense. This arrangement is as nice for the ruralites as it is painful for the city folk.

Are the former, in control of the

legislature, going to give up their good thing at the latter's request? The cities know better.

It's because they do realize their rural disadvantage that the municipalities are organizing. In union, they figure, will be strength. And here's where the advantage is on their side.

The cities are compact and it's easy for them to combine. The ruralites are scattered, their forces dispersed, impossible to draw together into an effective body for aggression or defense. The cities have money, too—great accumulations of capital, such as the country can't match.

SPEAKING conservatively, it isn't, honestly, very likely that a dozen or twenty of this country's foremost cities actually will set up in business as independent states.

There's an excellent prospect, on the other hand, that, by attending secession, they'll chide most of the concessions they demand from their various states—essentially fuller representation in their legislatures—control of some of them. Which will mean considerable difference in future laws. Urbanites and ruralites don't make the same kind.

A VALUABLE CITIZEN

Such a Man Is Q. E. C. Coble, Chairman of Stanly's Board of Commissioners.

It is refreshing to find an industrious, enthusiastic man—one who is interested in providing for his family, educating his children—and incidentally upbuilding the very best constructive way the community in which he lives. Such a man is Q. E. C. Coble, who lives in Stanly, just across Rock River from the northeastern part of New Salem township. For many years this man has all but begged and plead with his own County and Road Commissioners and that of Union County as well, to build a road to Coble's Mill, which he owns and operates. The commissioners were slow because the river country topographically is rough, a long ways from town, and no doubt because the people down in that section had waited so long and patiently they could wait a little longer.

But Mr. Coble got busy. He built a good bridge at his own expense across the river, which supplanted a makeshift and dangerous underwater crossway. Then it was that the Stanly County Road Commissioners saw the necessity of a road to Coble's mill and built a graded road to that point. Union County's Road Commissioner, H. K. Helms, saw the light, and with the assistance of Jas. C. Winchester, aided by Sandy Thomas, New Salem's road electorate, a fine road on the Union county side of the river now leads to Coble's Mill.

Often more than 200 vehicles a day cross the Coble Mill bridge. As many as 100 hales of cotton, in the busy seasons, has come to Monroe from Stanly County in a day by the way of the new bridge. The bridge is a direct route from Oakboro to Monroe, Marshville and Wingate, and the public is using that route more and more as the days go by. Mr. Coble is known throughout his section as Quince Coble. He is chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Stanly. He believes in good roads and good schools, not only in his immediate neighborhood, but throughout the county he serves in a fine way. Stanly County is to be congratulated in having this broad-minded, level-headed man of vision at the head of her affairs.

In Russia kerosene costs five and one-half cents a gallon, while gasoline sells for eleven cents.

A hive of bees brought by the manager and released quelled a free-for-all fight which developed in a Berlin Inn.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Saturday, July 25, 1925.

Centenary of the birth of George H. Pendleton, U. S. senator from Ohio and Democratic nominee for Vice President in 1864.

One hundred and seventy-five years ago today was born Gen. Henry Knox, Revolutionary commander and first Secretary of War under the Constitution.

The Rt. Rev. A. F. Schinner, bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Spokane, today celebrates his twentieth anniversary in the episcopate.

The third annual Northwest Sportsmen's Show and Outdoor Exposition will be opened in Seattle today and continue for one week.

The 500,000 Polish citizens of Chicago have prepared a great welcome for Count Alexander Skarynski, the Polish foreign minister, on his arrival there today.

Economic problems confronting Mexico are to be considered at a general conference of representatives of chambers of commerce from all parts of the republic, beginning in the City of Mexico today.

Newest society is all agog over the wedding of Miss Muriel Vanderbilt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, and Frederick Cameron Church, Jr., of Boston, which is to take place in the Rhode Island city today.

Dressed in gala attire, Seattle today will open here gates to an invading army of Knights Templar, who will gather from all sections of the country to attend the 36th triennial convocation of the Grand Encampment of their order.

Deputy Discharged Following Arrest.

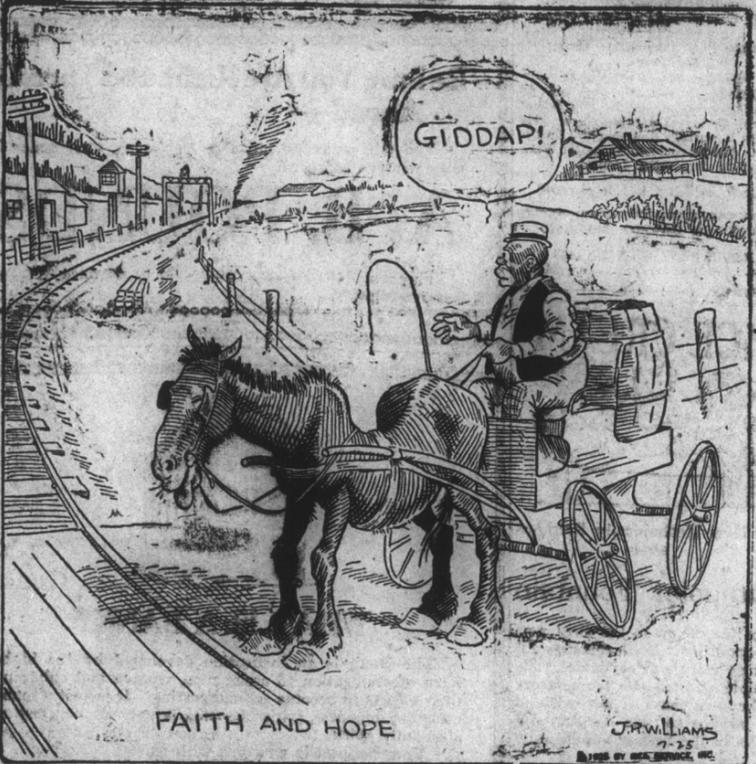
Asheville, July 24.—John Y. Dillingham, deputy sheriff of Buncombe county, was discharged by Sheriff E. M. Mitchell here today following his arrest early this morning on a charge of selling and manufacturing liquor. Claude Dillingham, son, and Mrs. Etta Harwood, a daughter of John Y. Dillingham, were also arrested. The elder Dillingham made bond for \$1,000 while the others were placed in the Buncombe county jail to await a preliminary hearing which will be held here tomorrow afternoon.

The Sheriff's men and Ben Draper, federal prohibition agent, made the arrests on Haw Branch, in Big Ivy township. They took possession of a 60-gallon distillery outfit, 180 gallons of beer and a small quantity of liquor.

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