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BOYS' CORN CLUB.

As has already been announced, the Board of Agriculture at its December meeting appropriated \$500 for premiums to Boys' Corn Club contestants. The contestants are to be between the ages of 12 and 17 years. Any boy becoming 17 years old by June first will be eligible, and any boy who is now 17 but will be 18 not later than August first will be eligible.

Only \$10 worth of commercial fertilizers may be used on each acre. The plot of land must be a full acre. Less than an acre will not be considered. The plot of land must not be less than a half acre in width. Square plots are preferred. Only boys living on the farm can compete for these prizes. The contestant may use all the home raised manure he can get. Cotton seed, cotton-seed meal, city garbage, fish or fish scrap will be considered as commercial fertilizers.

The State has been divided into five districts and prizes aggregating \$500 will be given to the winner in each district. First prize, \$25; second prize, \$15; third prize, \$10.

We want a hundred or more boys in each county to enter the contest. Application blank and descriptive literature will be ready in a few weeks, but the boys can begin work now and send in their applications later. Blanks, etc., will be sent to the Superintendent of Public Instruction in each county, or direct to boys applying for them. Mr. I. O. Schaub, of the A. and M. College, is co-operating with me in the Boys' Corn Clubs, and between us we hope to visit Boys' Corn Club meetings in quite a number of counties in the State. Letters of enquiry or for application blanks should be addressed to the undersigned. T. B. PARKER, Demonstrator, Raleigh, N. C.

THE ITALIAN BOYS AND FOLAND.

This company will be at the Auditorium in Roxboro, Feb. 2, at 8:15 P. M. We have never offered to the public before an entertainment on as mammoth a scale as this. This company will not only give their high-class program of instrumental solos, duets and concerted numbers, impersonations, readings, etc., but will present for the first time, the musical and literary fantasy:

"A NIGHT IN VENICE"

The name itself suggests beautiful costumes, delightful vocal and instrumental selections, blended with a story of an American's life in the city of art and music.

My friends, if you appreciate my efforts and the adverse circumstances under which I have labored to give the people of Roxboro and community high class entertainment, I will greatly appreciate your patronage at this magnificent show. Buy a ticket. A good many tickets will be sold through the school children. Don't deny the little fellows the privilege of seeing the show. One good shove by everybody and thank you.

R. H. Burns, Mgr.

Please Call and Settle.

Having made a change in our business we earnestly request those indebted to us to call and settle. We have carried you for some time and now we are needing the money to enable us to still extend to you the same liberal line of credit as in the past. If you are indebted to us this is an earnest request for you to call and settle up.

Yours truly,
J. L. Garrett & Co.

The corporation commission has ordered a general reduction of about 33 1/3 per cent. in the freight rate on coal in carload lots. These rates can of course apply only to and from points within the State and not to coal shipped from outside of the State.

LEE-JACKSON DAY OBSERVED.

On last Wednesday night the exercises of the Lee-Jackson Day were held under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy, Mrs. J. A. Long, president.

The exercises were held in the Auditorium and were opened with music, and led in prayer by Rev. E. M. Soipes. The speaker of the evening, Mr. F. O. Carver, was introduced by Prof. R. H. Burns. Mr. Carver delivered an interesting address of about 30 minutes duration on the subject "Some of the Far Reaching Effects of the Civil War."

Mrs. J. A. Long made a statement in regard to the Confederate Museum at Richmond and asked for a collection to help maintain the North Carolina room in same.

Mr. W. T. Bradsher who had recently visited Richmond, gave a graphic and entertaining description of this museum and made all feel proud of the part taken in the late war by the Tar Heels.

The exercises closed with music by a choir made up of school children under the management of Miss Annie Long.

Please Sir:

Read this notice, and if you owe me for fertilizers or otherwise for last year, or any previous year, please call on me without delay and pay me same. These accounts are all past due, many of them are long past due. I must have the money to meet my bills with.

Mr. Hugh Foushee has access to my books and will collect for me in my absence and receipt for same.

I am still selling fertilizers and will be glad to have your trade.

Yours to please,
A. R. Foushee.

Roxboro, N. C.,
Jan. 26th, 1910. 3 ts.

The weather for the past week has been very bad but the following have added their mite to the press fund: L. D. Veazey, E. H. Satterfield, W. R. Blalock, Ira Horton, R. W. Wilkerson, Ralph Cole, C. H. Garrett, Zach Villines, E. H. Holloway, W. A. Carver, W. H. Stewart, Doc Walker, J. W. Allgood, W. H. Phillips, Mrs. R. C. Carver, J. J. Lee, S. C. Tillman, H. J. Hester, J. A. Clayton, J. A. Pointer, W. W. Harris, S. G. Hamlin, M. T. Clayton, and W. G. Rogers.

Wanted.

If you have any nice fat beef cattle or pork we want it and will pay you for the beef 3 cents a pound on foot, and will pay 10 cents a pound for the pork dressed.

Do not sell until you have seen us for we want to trade with you and will treat you right.

Yours truly,
Shoemaker & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. O'Briant have the sympathy of their friends in the death of their little girl, which occurred at their home last Sunday night. The interment took place on Monday at Storys Creek. Little Mabel was only 19 months old but in her short life she had won the hearts of father and mother, who are now sad on account of her absence.

"Ask yourself these questions."

Am I insured. If not, why? Would a fire seriously damage me, would a small premium ruin me? Tomorrow is the day you burn, let your answer be, I am insured with the SATTERFIELD INSURANCE AGENCY.

GO TO H. J. ROGERS' Special Bargain Sale.

For a few days you can buy Shoes, Hats, Caps, and Heavy Winter Goods at COST. I find that I am over-stocked on Shoes, Hats, Caps and Heavy Winter Goods, and to sell them in a few days I will sell them at cost. If you want to get good bargains and save money buy at cost on this Special Sale. Sale starts January 12th at the store of

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Coles' Corn Planters.

In the Steal Beam Plows we have the Oliver Chilled and The Vulcan.

You will be in the market for some of the above, why not call on

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AND GET THE BEST.

Pay! Pay! Pay!!

Why Don't You Pay?

Many of you still owe us accounts brought over from 1909 and the years before. Let us again urge you to settle these promptly. We need the money, can't do business without it. It's far more pleasant to us to have you come in and settle voluntarily than to have to ask you for it repeatedly or even once.

Some of you who think you are too good to be "dunned" had better come across soon or you will meet "Mr. Dunn." Nobody who fails to pay within a reasonable length of time without a mighty good excuse, is too good to be dunned from this shop.

We thank you in anticipation and are always ready to serve those who pay.

Harris & Burns

Everything to Wear
and
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