

SOUTH MUST RAISE FOOD CROPS

Evils of One Crop System Evident and Atlanta Chamber of Commerce Working to Make South Self Supporting

Atlanta, Georgia, September 15th—The Southern Food Crops Conference to be held in Atlanta October 5 and 6, will be from all indications one of the most notable events in the history of Southern agricultural and commercial progress. Called by James D. Price, the Commissioner of Agriculture of Georgia, on the suggestion of the Georgia Chamber of Commerce, the Commissioners of Agriculture of the Southeastern states are responding cordially by appointing delegates from every Congressional District in their respective states.

Many letters are being received by the Georgia Chamber of Commerce from the appointed delegates heartily approving the purpose of the Conference and assuring their presence and personal support of the movement to increase the production of food crops in the cotton states east of the Mississippi River.

It is expected that the result of this conference will be the organization of each county in the cotton states of the south-east to raise a far greater quantity of foodstuffs than has ever been produced in the past. The Georgia Chamber of Commerce in co-operation with the State and Federal Departments of Agriculture, has been working to this end in Georgia for the past year in order to prepare the farmers for the advent of the cotton boll weevil. The cotton emergency produced by the war has simply changed an impending danger to a crisis, making the production of vastly greater food supplies an imperative necessity.

In advance of the conference Georgia is going ahead with her own plans to organize every county in the state for increased production, and building the foundation for providing cash markets in every town for the farmers foodstuffs, so that he will have as ready cash sale for these products as he has had heretofore for his cotton, which he can neither eat nor sell during these times.

ROPER BRIEFS

Roper, N. C. Sept. 15—Miss Nellie and Mamie Tarkenton from near Skinnerville have been visiting at the home of Miss Ethel Clayton.

Quite a number of Roper people motored over to Cherry Sunday to hear the dedicatory sermon at Phillipi Christian Church which was delivered by Dr. Coggins.

After a pleasant visit to friends here Mr. George Sawyer has returned to his home at Morthead City.

Miss Hattie Taylor has returned to the city as teacher of music in the Roper High School.

Mr. J. B. Harris has moved his family back to Pungo to his old home. Many friends in Roper regret their departure.

Mr. Geortg Jacobs has been ill at his brother's home but is improving.

Mr. Robert Cooper of Creswell is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. R. Roughton this week.

Mr. Leon Swain of Plymouth is spending a while here.

Mr. J. T. McAlister is having gas lights installed in his home and in all of the out houses on his place.

AT FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. G. F. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist church, will preach at eleven o'clock Sunday morning and at 7:30 Sunday evening. His morning subject will be "Mutual Obligation of the Public School and the Community;" his evening subject will be "Like the Children of a King." The public is extended a cordial invitation to these services.

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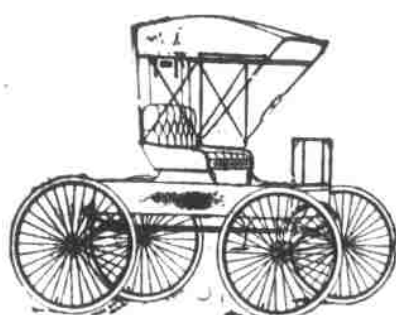
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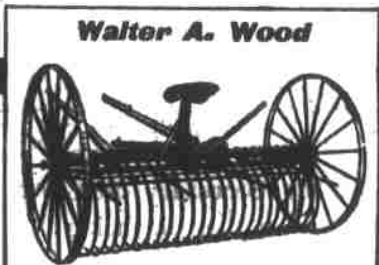
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