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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1913.

The Gazette is pleased to note that the colored woman's Betterment Association of the city has established a floral fair...

The Gazette finds among the business men of the city a strong sentiment favoring the establishment of a county fair for Gaston. All are agreed that we have the agricultural and commercial resources sufficient to enable us to establish and maintain a county fair second to none in the State.

Chronic Dyspepsia. The following unsolicited testimonial should certainly be sufficient to give hope and courage to persons afflicted with chronic dyspepsia.

IT'S UP TO JIM MORGAN.

Governor Craig Agrees to Shovel All Asheville Man Will Pick.

Asheville, Oct. 24.—Gov. Locke Craig will serve his two days' term on "Good Roads Days" in Buncombe county, having announced yesterday afternoon that he will shovel dirt in this county during the holidays.

Next week the Thomson Mercantile Company will have with them all week Miss Blount, representing the manufacturers of the well-known Gossard corset.

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SEED THOUGHTS FOR NORTH CAROLINA FARMERS.

- 1. Send samples of your seed to the North Carolina Seed Laboratory for examination and test before you buy. It will pay you; there is no charge.
- 2. The North Carolina Seed Laboratory is all yours. Use it for your own personal gain.
- 3. Know what you are about to buy before you get it. You can't take seeds out of the ground after they have been sown.
- 4. Send your tobacco seeds to the North Carolina Seed Laboratory and have them re-cleaned—it will pay you and we bear the expense.
- 5. Ask your seedsmen why he refuses to guarantee the purity or the germination of his seed.
- 6. Send three or four tablespoonfuls of your grass, clover and other small seeds and about a cupful of corn, wheat, oats, peas and other seeds of this size when submitting a sample to the Laboratory for examination.
- 7. Do not buy or use "feed" oats for seed oats they may have been heated in the bin and fail to come up.
- 8. Seeds containing wild onions, wild mustard, couch grass, Canada thistle, wild oats, clover or alfalfa dodder, corn cockle, dog rennet, cheat, or wild carrot are unlawful for sale for seeding purposes in North Carolina.
- 9. Would you sell your neighbor seed too impure and dirty to sow on your own land? Then do not sell such seed to the seed dealer—your neighbor or some other man's might get them from the seedman.
- 10. It is an agricultural sin, if not a moral crime, to sell clover seed containing dodder or seed wheat containing onions or cockle from your farm to a seedsmen. Better sell such seed to your neighbor, who will then know whom to sue for damages.
- 11. All legitimate seed dealers in North Carolina have a license.
- 12. Watch the man who is willing to sell you seeds without having a license. If he is willing to break the law for YOUR benefit, he might be willing to sell you inferior seeds for HIS benefit.
- 13. How many of your clover seeds will come up from every hundred planted?
- 14. When your seed fail to come up you lose doubly.
- 15. The North Carolina Seed Act fixes the standard of germination and purity for the following agricultural seeds. Purity means freedom from weed seeds and other foreign seeds; viability means germinating power or the ability to come up when planted.
- 16. Wheat does not "turn to cheat" but seed wheat containing onions and cockle will cheat you out of a first-class crop.
- 17. Pestiferous weeds, like other troubles, are generally imported. See that you do not "import" weed seeds along with your other seeds from your seed dealer.
- 18. Dodder, wild carrot, cheat, wild onions, wild mustard, ox-eye daisy, bristly thistle, bracted plantain, Canada thistle, Russian thistle, nut grass, knawel, spiny pigweed, crab grass, sheep sorrel, smart weed, Spanish needles, dog rennet, and most other bad weeds are all imported into this country from Europe, or some other country. In impure seeds.
- 19. How long did it take you to rid your wheat fields and pastures of wild carrot and wild onions? These pests were imported from Europe in impure seeds.
- 20. Sow only good, clean seed.
- 21. Are your seed oats and seed wheat clean, or are they full of dirt, cheat, and onions?
- 22. Any plant in your field different from the crop you are trying to grow is a weed.
- 23. Wash your wheat before sowing it. It will pay you.
- 24. Treat your wheat and oats for smut by immersing the seed for five minutes in a solution of a pint of formalin in fifty gallons of water.
- 25. What is your method of ridding your fields of dodder, or the "yellow clove vine"? This pest was also imported from Europe.
- 26. Those yellow spots of dodder in your clover fields are carriers that out of the vials out of your clover crop. Quarantine this pest as you would smallpox.

AFTER THE CATHOLICS.

Presbyterian Synod of Virginia Adopts Resolutions Calling on All Protestant Denominations to Unite Against Aggressions of Rome. Danville, Va., Oct. 24.—The Presbyterian Synod of Virginia adjourned finally tonight, after three busy sessions into which were crowded much of the real work of the session to meet on the third Tuesday of October next at Lynchburg.

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Meat Markets on Cash Basis November 1st

Beginning with November 1st the undersigned firms will sell meats of all kinds strictly for cash. In making this step we have had the welfare of the buyer in view as much as our own interest.

For the convenience of regular customers to whom it would be an annoyance to have to pay for every order of meat when it is delivered at the door, we have had made metal checks in denominations from one to 100 cents.

We believe that the present tendency in Gastonia to put all lines of retail business on a cash basis promises great things for the people and we are so firm in our belief that it is the right and proper course to pursue that we have decided, as above stated, to inaugurate it in our own business.

Boyd and Wilson J. O. Fayssoux.

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