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ISSUED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

Cooperative Folk Are Well Pleased

SOUTH CAROLINA MAKES A SPLENDID SHOWING

(By S. D. FRISSELL.)

First advance payments to members of the Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association in South Carolina on home markets for the first nine delivery days this year, averaged more than the total receipts to growers under the auction system for the same period last year, according to figures just compiled by the South Carolina offices of the Association.

At Bamberg and Hartsville member growers averaged two cents a pound more in advance than the average paid by the "auction" system in 1921. In the face of these figures and the fact that the Association has increased its advance payments to South Carolina members and is urging them to make early deliveries in order to hasten the second payment, only growers with short memories find any reason to cling to the out-of-date "auction" system. That many of them still remember 1921 is shown by the way new contracts are being signed in the Palmetto State.

More than 20 Virginia counties have perfected local organizations in school districts or townships and the 500 locals are holding regular meetings at which problems of the member growers are discussed and plans made for holding the Association with a united front in its fight against the old auction system.

Growers in four counties in Western North Carolina have requested assistance from headquarters in perfecting some 200 local community organizations on the eve of the opening of warehouses in this territory.

Sentiment for cooperative marketing is overwhelming tobacco growers in Western North Carolina and leaders among the growers expect through their local organizations to assure 100 per cent delivery among members of the Association.

Aaron Sapiro is to speak in Danville, Va., Friday, Sept. 15, at a big mass meeting.

TRI-STATE GROWERS MEET AT GOLDSBORO

A special from Goldsboro says: Directors and officials of the Tri-State Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Association, in session here today, declared that they found good deliveries in both the North and South Carolina belts; that they anticipated a heavy increase next week, and that they didn't know when another cash advance would be made.

Warehouse Director T. C. Watkins said he was highly pleased with deliveries. Thirty-two markets are now open in Eastern Carolina and 40 in South Carolina, officials stated.

OPENING OF COOPERATIVE MARKETS IS DELAYED

A special from Raleigh says: The opening of the cooperative markets at Durham, Henderson, Oxford and other points of the middle belt of North Carolina, has been delayed one week owing to special arrangements being made by the leaf and warehouse departments of the association to receive the crop in this section where the sign-up is heavy.

THAT TOBACCO GROWERS LACK MANHOOD IS DENIED

A special from Raleigh to the Charlotte Observer says: Large deliveries running into the millions of pounds were made again this week to the association warehouses in South Carolina and the Eastern belt, and the resentment of the organized growers over the reports that they lacked the honor and manhood to keep their contracts with their own organization is resulting in daily letters to the association from tobacco growers who deny this charge.

"It affords me a lot of pleasure to write this letter of praise for my association," writes D. B. Hicks, of Cowards, S. C., who says: "I am doing all I can to be loyal to my contract. Here is a little of my success: I have pooled 847 pounds for \$71.49, an average of \$8.75 a hundred pounds. I sold my entire crop last year of 1,640 pounds for \$203.80, an average of seven and one-half cents, and my first draw this year so far has averaged me \$8.75 per hundred. I have half of my crop yet." P. C. Jones, of Nichols, S. C., whose FIRST cash advance averaged

GREEK ARMY HOPELESSLY BEATEN AND OCCUPATION OF SMYRNA IS CERTAIN

The Greeks have lost the battle around Smyrna, and the Greek administration has gone from Ionia.

The Greek army has been hopelessly beaten. The occupation of Smyrna was begun Sunday, the Turkish nationalists taking prisoner the remnants of the Greek forces remaining behind to cover the wild flight of the Greek army that a month ago held securely a large part of Western Asia Minor and talked of marching through Thrace into Constantinople.

ed over \$750 a hundred, offers to make affidavit that his tenant who failed to sign the marketing contract, received FINAL payment of his tobacco of but five cents a pound on the auction market. The fact that nine markets of South Carolina brought the growers more cash for their tobacco through the cooperative houses than they received last year on auction floors during the same period has greatly encouraged the growers, who have assurances of a second cash advance in the near future.

BRIEF REVIEW OF THE NORTH CAROLINA NEWS

Two new hosiery manufacturing concerns have been organized at Burlington.

Governor Morrison, speaking at the American Legion meeting in Greensboro, made an earnest appeal to the Legion to uphold the law.

If the Republicans lose the House this fall Claude Kitchin will ask for the Speakership. His health is very much improved. Representative Hull is also mentioned for the position, but indications are that Kitchin would win in a walk.

Resignation of Thos. W. Page, of Virginia, former chairman of the tariff commission, from his membership in that body has been placed in the hands of President Harding. The President has requested Mr. Page to reconsider his decision to give up the post.

E. G. Koontz, E. R. Henderson and Frank Briggs, striking Southern railway shopmen, were found guilty of assault and kidnaping by a jury in Superior court at Asheville. Judge Henry P. Lane sentenced the men to seven years each in the State penitentiary.

Detectives for the Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Association have been at Goldsboro watching alleged contract breakers who are believed to have sold some of their tobacco at public auction under the names of farmers outside of the association. Warehouse Manager Gillette said they expected to do as much for the contract breakers as Aaron Sapiro did for the contract breaker at South Hill, Va., where judgment was awarded the association for \$21,000.

MAIN BUILDING BURNS AT JACKSON TRAINING SCHOOL

A special from Concord says: Fire of undetermined origin early this morning destroyed the administration building of the Stonewall Jackson Manual Training and Industrial School, the State home of correction for boys. The fire was discovered about 2:30 o'clock and burned until after 6 o'clock, when practically the entire interior of the structure had been gutted by the flames.

About a dozen persons were sleeping in the building when the fire was discovered, one of the sleepers being aroused by smoke. All of the sleepers escaped.

The building was valued at \$75,000 and was covered by insurance to the amount of \$12,000.

JUDGE HARDING EXCUSES FARMERS FROM JURY

A special from Greensboro says: Recognizing the importance of tobacco as one of the "money" crops of the farmers of Guilford county, Judge W. F. Harding, in Superior court Monday morning, excused five jurors who said they were tobacco planters of the sort that do their own work, or a part of it.

An attorney representing one man summoned for duty stated the prospective juror was in the midst of attending to his tobacco crop and that he did practically all his work himself. The judge, after questioning the man briefly, asked all jurors already seated in the box if they did their own work on farms, and when answered in the affirmative, permitted them to go home.

Jewell Is Given Injunction Service

A special from Chicago says: An informal meeting of Western railway executives with Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore and Ohio, the return here from the East of B. M. Jewell, head of the striking shop crafts, and the failure of the roads to take any definite action looking toward peace marked the progress of the countrywide strike today.

As Mr. Jewell stepped from the train he was greeted by a United States marshal and a representative of the Department of Justice and was given the official service of the temporary injunction issued against the shopmen by Federal Judge J. S. Wilkerson last Friday.

He accepted service without comment. He was accompanied by William H. Johnston, president of the International Brotherhood of Machinists, who also was served with the writ, and Martin F. Ryan, of the Railway Carmen's Association.

Both the railway executives and the union leaders united in declaring that the text of what was termed the Willard plan for the settlement of the strike on separate roads was nothing but the proposals brought before the sessions of the executives at New York some three weeks ago.

ODDS AND ENDS OF THE NEWS HERE AND THERE

Col. Robert E. Lee, grandson of Gen. R. E. Lee, died in Roanoke, Va., Thursday.

The Greek government has resigned. King Constantine has asked Nikolas Kalogenopoulos to form a new ministry.

The special grand jury at Marion, Ill., investigating the Herrin massacre, has returned 38 more indictments, all for murder.

The Greek high commissioner in Smyrna has handed over the town to the allied consuls. Allied naval detachments have been landed.

Former President Woodrow Wilson has notified State Chairman Norwood that he thinks it best for him not to talk politics just now, so the outgoing Democratic handbook will not have the ex-President's address.

Selection of Senator Walsh of Massachusetts as chairman of the Democratic Senatorial campaign is announced by Senator Underwood, minority floor leader. Frank A. Hampton, secretary to Senator Simmons, was chosen secretary of the campaign committee.

A party of eight shouting and swearing negroes shot up the village of Clearbrook, Va., and wounded one citizen as they raced through the town in an automobile. Stuart Whetzel, garage proprietor, was shot in the leg and bullets narrowly missed a Saginaw, Mich., touring party.

Forcible occupation of American mission buildings and destruction of foreign property in disregard to rights of Americans by Canton military officials under General Chang Chung Ming in Kiating, is reported from Shanghai. An urgent protest against the depredations has been forwarded to the American consul.

Support of the American Federation in its efforts to bring about the impeachment of Attorney General Daugherty and Federal Judge Wilkerson, of Chicago, for their part in the issuance of the rail injunction, was pledged by Samuel Gompers, Federation president, in a telegram to the Central Trades and Labor Council.

Wm. G. McAdoo, former Secretary of the Treasury, is an avowed candidate for the Democratic nomination for President in 1924. Wm. C. Lyons, of Denver, Colo., declared, "I saw McAdoo in Los Angeles, less than a month ago," Mr. Lyons said, "and he told me very plainly that he would be in the race this time. He will enter the California Presidential primary unopposed and will have the undivided support of Gavin McNab and the Democratic organization in San Francisco."

EDWARD MOON LEFT \$15,000 ESTATE TO HIS WIDOW

A special from Richmond says: Edward Horne Moon, who disappeared from the Old Dominion transportation steamship Jefferson during his trip from New York to Richmond recently, and who is supposed to have fallen overboard during a spell of seasickness, left an estate valued at \$15,000.

His wife, Mrs. Catherine Scales Moon, qualified as administrator here today.

1922 Crops Show Big Value Increase

A special from Washington says: This year's important farm crops will be worth approximately \$1,250,000,000 more than their value last year. Production forecasts announced today by the Department of Agriculture indicate this year's important crops will aggregate approximately \$6,600,000,000, calculating their value on September 1 farm prices. Three crops—corn, cotton and hay—will exceed a billion dollars each in value, their aggregate comprising more than one-half of the value of all the important crops.

August growing conditions were especially detrimental to the bumper corn crop and to the cotton crop. Corn suffered a loss during August of 142,000,000 bushels, worth at September prices, \$59,000,000. The government's forecast today placed the prospective production at 2,775,000,000 bushels.

Present indications are that practically all of this year's crops will be worth more than last year, with the exception of wheat, rye and peanuts. Corn will be worth approximately \$496,000,000 more, cotton \$389,000,000, oats \$83,000,000 more, apples \$64,000,000, hay (tame) \$47,000,000, and peaches \$36,000,000.

CAUGHT JUST BEFORE GOING TO PRESS

Mrs. Warren G. Harding is desperately ill, but physicians think she will recover. It has not yet been decided whether an operation will be performed.

Railway shopmen's leaders and Federal attorneys are in Chicago for a hearing today. It is said the strikers have lost \$100,000,000 in wages during the time they have been idle.

Three hundred Japanese fishermen were drowned near Kamchataka Peninsula, Honolulu, several days ago when seven sampans capsized during the violent storm in which the Japanese cruiser Nitaka sank.

With coal moving on railroads, industry takes on new life. The steel industry, the chief sufferer, shows some improvement. Reports on railroad traffic show record number of loadings for the past week.

Hiram Johnson, LaFollette and Borah are mentioned as Republican candidates for President, and Harding's candidacy is regarded as certain. Talk in Democratic circles hinges around Former Associate Justice John H. Clarke, Sherman L. Whipple, Pomerine, Cox and McAdoo.

MRS. CANDLER STICKS BY HER HUSBAND

A special from Pasadena, Calif., says: Mrs. Walter T. Candler, wife of the Atlanta financier who was sued for \$100,000 damages by Mrs. Claude K. Byfield on charges in volving an alleged attack upon Mrs. Byfield by Candler, arrived here yesterday on the way to Atlanta. She recently returned from Honolulu.

"A wife's place is at her husband's side at a time like this," said Mrs. Candler, "and I am going to start for Atlanta just as soon as I can obtain reservations."

Mrs. Candler's mother and daughter probably will accompany her to Atlanta.

TAYLOR IS THE FOURTH VICTIM OF BILL FARRIS

A special from Gastonia says: Fred Taylor, aged 22 years, the fourth victim of "Fighting Bill" Farris' mad shooting last Wednesday afternoon at the Clover Mills, died Saturday morning in a local hospital at 5:30 o'clock. Young Taylor was shot by Farris in the chest and through the hip. The latter wound caused his death, blood poison having developed.

With his death the number killed has reached four. Two others also were wounded.

A CHEERFUL LOSER.

Hooker Rush, a Kentucky tobacco grower, in discussing the tobacco crop for this season, said that the tobacco worms had eaten the green tobacco in his crop, and he had come to the conclusion that the best thing to do was to buy them some paper and matches so they could smoke the rest of the crop.

The first rain in over two weeks fell Monday afternoon.

CAROLINA LEGIONNAIRES REDEDICATE THEMSELVES TO SERVICE OF COUNTRY

Crowding the day with varied activities the North Carolina department of the American Legion, in session at Greensboro late Saturday afternoon brought its convention to an end, after the election of officers, the formation of policies by means of resolutions, the staging of a magnificent parade, and the transaction of a mass of business.

James A. Lockhart, of Charlotte, was elected commander of the department on the first ballot. Bob Denny, of Greensboro, was elected adjutant by acclamation.

The next meeting will be held in Rocky Mount.

The convention was extreme in expressing its contempt for Brigadier General Sawyer, President Harding's physician. He was denounced by Dan Hollenga, of Hamlet, as having fallen in his duty, as being unfit, as being out of sympathy with the plans to help the disabled. The convention roared its approval of the condemnation of Sawyer.

A special from Greensboro says: American Legionnaires of the department of North Carolina, about 1,500 strong, representing every part of the State, swept into Greensboro today, completely capturing the city, opening their fourth annual convention. At the same time their sisters in service, the woman's auxiliary of the Legion, began their annual meeting, with nearly 200 in attendance.

From every nook and corner of the State they came, these men and women who had gone out together to answer the call of country, and today they rededicated themselves to the service of their State and nation, in peace as in war, to stand firmly for the principles for which their fathers fought and handed down and which they kept alive.

That that is the spirit of the Legionnaires and of their women comrades was evidenced by the ovation with which they greeted the name of Woodrow Wilson, lauded today by the Governor of their State as the first in state craft; evidenced again by their rousing assent to the appeal of Governor Morrison to determine that there be more respect for law, the constitution and the liberties so dearly bought; again by the wave of applause sweeping over their ranks when their commander, Thomas W. Bird, of Asheville, adjured them to keep the Legion clean of political taint. Men and women, halting their sessions to hear the Governor's address, showed that they hold the honor of their country dear.

The day was crowded with activities. Both conventions opened a little after 9 o'clock this morning, and the machinery was soon geared for the dispatch of business. Committees were appointed, reports of officers received and the decks cleared for action.

A touch of solemnity marked the morning session. For one minute the convention stood in silent prayer for the soul of Lieut. Belvin W. Maynard, North Carolina's premier aviator, killed in a fall at Rutland, Vt. Resolutions of respect and sympathy for his family were ordered drafted and sent to his wife.

TWO NEGROES CAUGHT IN A CAVE-IN AT MADISON

Two colored workmen, Sank Smith and Alf Hayes, were caught in a cave-in just below the Norfolk & Western crossing Tuesday morning. They were cleaning out the ditch for the sewer pipe when the cave-in occurred. Fortunately they were in an upright position and the dirt only reached half way from the waist to their shoulders. Other hands immediately began the work of liberating them, which required nearly two hours. As soon as they were liberated medical attention was rendered and they are now apparently getting on all right. Sank had a deep gash cut in his left leg just below the knee. This is the first accident since the installing of water and sewer systems began.—Madison Messenger.

PERU PLANS TO QUIT LEAGUE OF NATIONS

A Lima, Peru, cable says: Peru does not intend to participate any further in the work of the League of Nations and will reconsider her decision only in case the United States decides to join the League, according to a statement by Foreign Minister Salomon today concerning Peru's failure to send delegates to the present assembly.

Big Attendance At the Schools

All attendance records for opening day were broken at the city schools Monday when both the white and colored schools opened for the term.

Supt. Gwynn says that 40 or 50 students are expected to be enrolled on Tuesday. The attendance at the opening was as follows:

Table with 2 columns: School Name, Attendance. Includes Franklin Street, Lawsonville Avenue, High School, Colored Schools.

Total, 1,705

Double sessions are being held in order to care for both elementary and high school pupils until the new high school and additions are ready. Work on the high school building is being rushed with all possible speed, but it will hardly be completed before February.

All teachers answered "present" at the opening. Supt. Gwynn, 34 usual, has assembled an exceptionally splendid faculty, and a most successful session is anticipated.

T. E. WINN RETURNS TO TAKE CHARGE OF STREET WORK

Thomas E. Winn, Jr., who has been in charge of paving construction in Winston-Salem since early in 1920, has resigned his position with the city to go to Reidsville to take up similar work. Mr. Winn has had direct charge of a large amount of paving in this city, much of which has been done during the past year.

Mr. Winn goes to Reidsville to look after the \$300,000 paving job to be done by the Atlantic Bitulithic Company, which concern has done a large amount of work in Winston-Salem during the past few years.

Ms. and Mrs. Winn, who have been living at the Alexander apartments, will go to Reidsville the latter part of this week. The paving of the streets there has already been started and Mr. Winn will enter immediately upon his duties.

Those who know Mr. Winn are congratulating the town of Reidsville upon securing him to superintend the large job of paving that has been started. The entire job will be done with Warrenite-Bitulithic material, it is stated.—Winston-Salem Sentinel.

TWO REIDSVILLE NEGRESSES ARE HELD FOR MURDER

Edna Saunders and Ruby Chalk, two negroes charged jointly with the murder of Willie (Jock) Davis at a colored dance hall on Newton street Monday night, waived preliminary hearing in the police court this morning. The case will come up at the next term of criminal court in November. The sisters have not arranged bond and are still in jail. Probably 15 witnesses who were summoned in the case were recognized under \$100 bonds for their appearance at the trial in the Corporation court.

The case promises to be one of interest among colored people. The courtroom this morning was crowded, every foot of standing room being taken up and also large crowds in the hallway, who had come to hear the case.

Davis was killed during a dance by Ruby Chalk, after Edna, her sister, and the negro had some difficulty. After Davis had fallen dead both women are alleged to have beaten him with the pistol and with a knife.—Danville Bee.

THINGS CONTINUE TO HUM ACROSS DAN RIVER

The 35-ton capacity ice plant of the newly formed Merchants' Ice Co., will be in the plant ready for occupation by February 1, it was announced today by one of the incorporators. This company of \$20,000 capital stock has secured the lot belonging to Sam Rainey, on Boone road, next to the chute. Here in the next few months a two unit plant will be constructed. One unit will be of 11 tons daily capacity. Together these units will be able to furnish Leaksville-Spray and Dracer and surrounding towns with 35 tons per day. The plant will be run by electricity and will be modern in every respect.

An enterprise that is assured of immediate success has just been started at Spray by the H. R. Gibbons Box Co., of Chicago. Three men from the Chicago factory have just finished installing three box making machines in a building leased by the Marshall Field Co. in the American Warehouse-Spray