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Bee Culture in the United State.

The Census Bureau has issued a bulletin showing that for the United States as a whole on June 1, 1901 there were [illegible] farms keeping bees, [illegible] colonies for every eight [illegible] farms reported 4,109,626, [illegible] valued at $10,-[illegible] a little less than six [illegible] farm reporting. The [illegible] the first to report, [illegible] value of bees or the [illegible] reporting them. [illegible] 1889 there were [illegible] pounds of honey [illegible] of wax, of an [illegible] $[illegible]904,904. Of the [illegible] honey Texas reports [illegible] 4,780,204 pounds.

Headache

[illegible] arily suddenly, [illegible] preys upon the [illegible] more than [illegible] consumes the [illegible] nature can [illegible] we cannot tell [illegible] a temporary [illegible] of the [illegible] Headache and [illegible] promptly re-[illegible] Many [illegible] harmful [illegible] Beware. If [illegible] take

Pain Pills.

[illegible] I list the [illegible] the pain I [illegible] be-[illegible] Dr. [illegible] promptly re-[illegible] Fox and [illegible] They have [illegible] nervous [illegible] recommend [illegible] CORLEY, Bre-[illegible]

[illegible] Doses, 25c.

[illegible] Co., Elkhart, Ind.

J. H. QUINN

[illegible] Counsellors at Law, SHELBY, N. C.

[illegible] careful attention to all [illegible] to the Collection of [illegible] Partition of [illegible] Executors and [illegible] of Estates, exami[illegible] Deeds, Wills and [illegible] the transaction of [illegible] and loans negotiated [illegible] Practice in all the [illegible] and west of the court [illegible] Winton & Cole's bank [illegible] of J. W. Gidney.)

[illegible] C. Y. WEBB.

[illegible] Counsellors at Law, SHELBY, N. C.

[illegible] given to all business in[illegible] ways in the office [illegible] given to filing petitions for [illegible] adding up estates, advising [illegible] Executors, and selling [illegible] among heirs, &c., &c. [illegible] and Federal Courts. [illegible] to attend to your business [illegible] building fronting and [illegible]

[illegible] Attorney at Law, SHELBY, N. C.

[illegible] to all business en[illegible] Commercial Hotel building.

[illegible] at Law, SHELBY, N. C.

[illegible] Upstairs in Miller Block

[illegible] at Law, SHELBY, N. C.

[illegible] given to all business [illegible] Will practice in both [illegible] Courts. Office in STAR [illegible]

[illegible] Dentist, Shelby, N. C.

[illegible] work done. Prices satis[illegible] work and [illegible] Blanton Drug [illegible]

[illegible] Shelby, N. C. [illegible] church.

[illegible] BARBER, Cooleemee, N. C. [illegible]

Notice to Non-Residents.

[illegible] Superior Court, [illegible] the Clerk

[illegible] Notice.

[illegible] Sheppard [illegible] Abathy, Rena [illegible] Sheppard, defendants [illegible] that a proceed[illegible] commenced in [illegible] County to sell [illegible] N. C., for assets to [illegible] W. R. Sheppard, dec'd [illegible] will further take [illegible] red to appear at the [illegible] Superior of Cleve[illegible] on the 21th day [illegible] and to the com[illegible] the relief therein [illegible] This 11th day of [illegible]

L. J. BOYLE, Clerk Superior Court. Attorneys.

Reduced Rates in The West.

Commencing March 1st and daily thereafter, until April 30th, 1902, the Wisconsin Central Ry. will sell Settlers' tickets from Chicago to points in Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Washington, and British Columbia, at greatly reduced rates. For detailed information inquire of nearest Ticket Agent, or address T. P. CAMPBELL, D. P. A. 218 Dearborn Building, Cincinnati, O., or JAS. C. POND, Gen'l Passenger Agent, Milwaukee, Wis.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Shelby graded school will close in a few weeks. It has been a successful session and the teachers have done good work. We trust that it will go out in a "blaze of glory" with an appropriate and creditable closing entertainment, and not simply die away and fade out of existence in silence as has been the custom for several years past. If the school is worth running, then it is of prime importance that it should be popularized by having a closing entertainment. It is the veriest rot to talk about wasting time in preparing for such exercises; no time during the past year has been spent half so well in the school room. To be able to acquit one's self creditably in public places, together with the acquisition of a free and easy style, is one of the most important features of an education, and one that is more often neglected than any of the others. Such has been the case with reference to public entertainments, or the lack of them, in the Shelby graded schools. Last year the colored graded school gave a very pleasant entertainment, but the white school went out in the stillness of death. Let us hope, for the good of the school, that such a thing will not occur again. The teachers are well paid and they can convince the patrons and the public that they have earned their salaries in no way so well as by having capital commencement exercises, and get some prominent educator to come here and make a stirring educational address. In this way the school will be popularized and opposition to it will melt away. The present course of inaction along this line encourages opposition and gives people an excuse to say that the teachers are not taking proper interest in the welfare of the school. The school board ought to act in the matter, but whether it doest or not, the faculty of the school should decide to have a good entertainment, and have it, and the board would certainly interpose no objections. This is written in the kindest spirit and only for the best interest of the school.

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THE retirement of Prof. Dred Peacock from the presidency of Greensboro Female College removes one of the brightest and strongest men in the State from the field of active educational work. His failing health forces him to take this step. Mrs. Lucy H Robertson, the experienced principal, succeeds him as the college president. The institution has flourished greatly under Prof. Peacock's administration during the past eight years.

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IT IS well to bear in mind the fact that "tear-eyed April" is nine days old and unless you pay your poll tax within the next 21 days you will be debarred from voting. And you will have to pay the tax later just the same.

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ONE remarkable thing about our grand jury at the last term of court was that only one member of the body had ever served on the grand jury before—Mr. A. P. Spake—and yet the work was disposed of in an intelligent and expeditious manner.

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THE good roads agitation will surely produce fruit. Let the way be paved for a convict force and the necessary machinery provided, so that active work may commence during the summer. At any rate get the convicts from the July term of court for our road force.

We have lived in the South as long as we can on the bounties of nature, and have reached the point at which we must study science, learn the arts, use our material resources and accumulate wealth, or else fall behind and go down.—President C. W. Dabney.

Over-Work Weakens Your Kidneys.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

All the blood in your body passes through your kidneys once every three minutes.

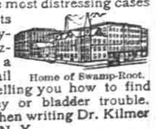
The kidneys are your blood purifiers, they filter out the waste or impurities in the blood. If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do their work.

Pains, aches and rheumatism come from excess of uric acid in the blood, due to neglected kidney trouble.

Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady heart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries.

It used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root**, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.



Home of Swamp-Root.

To Rent.

One 6 room house, to reliable party. Extra good water and fruit trees. Apply to J. S. MARTIN.

—SCRAPS.—

—Rev. T. Dixon is having his house covered.

—Mr. W. B. Palmer is having his residence painted.

—Messrs. Lattimore & Doggett are repairing their livery stable, and fitting up a neat office.

—Mr. W. W. Hawkins has moved from the Belmont Mills to the Bostic house, near the new mill.

—There will be memorial services at Ross' Grove on May 10th. An interesting program is being arranged.

—Mr. H. B. Ellis is having another room added to his residence in Shelby, which is occupied by Mrs. B. S. Suttle.

—Mr. Geo. A. Blam has moved to the Williams house on the square, recently occupied by Webb & Webb's law office.

—Mrs. W. J. Alexander and children left last Thursday for their future home in Gastonia. THE STAR wishes them well.

—Mrs. Eliza J. Webb is having her residence in the western portion of Shelby re painted, which adds much to its general appearance.

—Lincoln court is in session this week, Judge H. R. Starbuck ably presiding and Solicitor J. L. Webb vigorously prosecuting. The docket is a light one.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. B. F. Dixon and Miss Pearl Dixon left yesterday for Gastonia and Shelby to be gone two months.—News & Observer.

W. H. Eskridge, a prominent lumber man of South Carolina, has been spending several days at his home in Shelby.

Mrs. J. H. Austell, of Blacksburg, visited her parents at Waco last week. She also spent a day or so with friends in Shelby.

J. M Birmingham went to Spartanburg, S C., on a business trip last week.

W. B. Palmer and Clyde R. Hoey were in Blacksburg on business last Thursday

Dr Chas. P. Price and wife, of Nealsville, McDowell county, spent several days last week visiting Dr. R. B. Price at Grover.

Jno. R Dover, the experienced and successful cotton buyer, came in from Georgia last week to spend the summer with his family here and on his farm and gold mine near Grover.

Shade News.

Correspondence STAR.]

Will you give me space in your valuable paper for a few items from Shade?

The farmers in this section are all busy fixing for planting. They have been plowing very rapidly until the recent rain, which of course stopped them for a few days.

There was a Sunday School rally at Clover Hill church Sunday, Mar. 30. A large crowd was present, and all enjoyed the day.

Mrs. Bruce Whisnatt, of Polkville, is spending a few days with her brother, Mr. Jesse Warlick, of this place.

Mr. M. W. Sellers, of Cherryville, visited relatives at this place last Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs. James Elmore and Ambrose Horton visited friends near Belwood last Sunday.

Long live THE STAR and its many readers. BILLY.

The Money Received.

the County Board of Education met last Wednesday and apportioned the extra money received from the State to all the districts so as to raise a sum sufficient to run each school for the term of four months. This money is now all in the hands of County Treasurer Newton and the teachers can get their pay by calling on him.

We Must Have Them.

Gastonia News.

Cleveland county, our progressive neighbor county, is going to have good roads. A large body of leading citizens met at Shelby recently and organized a local road association and they will go to work with a determination to improve the roads of the county by levying a road tax and putting paid labor on their highways.

Dog Stories.

Wilkesboro Chronicle.

The Chapel Hill News tells of a dog owned by J E. Clark which hunts rabbits by itself and brings to the house all it catches, sometimes three and four a day.

A Mr. Welborn, in the vicinity of Osbornville, has a mill stocked with fish. He has a little black dog. When the pond is drawn off, the dog will watch below, dive and catch the fish and pile them on the bank. This is vouched for by men who have seen the performance, and it beats anything on record.

Not Paid For It.

Epworth Herald.

"Are you paid anything for swearing?" Eli Perkins once asked a commercial traveler.

"No; I do it for nothing."

"Well," said the lecturer, "you work cheap. You lay aside your character as a gentleman, inflict pain on your friends, break a commandment and lose your own soul—and for nothing! You do certainly work cheap—very cheap."

A Letter from Slidwell, Texas.

ED. STAR:—I am located in Wise county, 12 miles northeast of Decatur. Decatur is 1200 feet above the sea level. On either side of the city are beautiful landscapes; pleasing to the eye and teeming with fruits, vegetables, farm products and cattle. For health, wealth and beautiful scenery, Decatur can not be surpassed.

Our court house is one of the finest in the state. One of the best cotton seed oil mills in the country. The Lillard Milling Co. have one of the best flour mills in the state. With elevator capacity of 100,000 bushels. We have two national banks. A commodious public school building with an attendance of over 500 students. The Decatur Baptist College is situated on a beautiful campus, just south of the city. This is a magnificent three story-cut-stone building, erected at a cost of over $60,000; nicely finished and furnished with all necessary appliances.

Texas is the only state that could be walled in by a Chinese wall, and still run as though nothing had gone wrong. This is a broad assertion, but it is a fact. Where is another state that can grow sugar, rice, coffee, tea, bananas, oranges, figs, dates, apples, pears, peaches, apricots, grapes, plumbs, and berries of all kinds. Gold and silver are found in paying quanities in Sono county, all kinds of ore, and fuel is no object here. We use the beaumont oil, it has taken the place of wood and coal. Lands that were considered worthless three years ago, only as grazing lands, are worth to-day $25 to $50 per acre to grow rice. I had rather be in Texas to-day without a foot of land, as to own an average farm in Cleveland county. Why, because I can rent land for $2.50 per acre, I can cultivate 260 acres myself. Sow 150 acres in wheat, 25 acres in oats, 25 acres in corn, this I can do without any help. All our farming is done by machinery, thus enabling one man to work so much land.

The cattle business is a paying business here now. Registered cattle is very high, they sold as high as $800.00 last week at Fort Worth, Texas, I saw a 5 month old calf sell for $500.00. How does this sound for high cow meat?

Messrs. Swift & Co., and Messrs. Armour & Co., these two great packing companies, are now at work at Fort Worth. These packing houses, when completed will be the best equipped plants in the entire country. Fort Worth paid these companies $200,000 to come to Fort Worth.

Come to the old soldiers re-union at Dallas, and see for yourself. Col. C. C. Slaughter has just returned from Washington, where he secured 1000 army tents for the reunion. Texas will feed the boys in gray on Buffalo meat furnished by Charles Goodnight, the cattle King of Texas. The rates will be a cent per mile. You can visit Fort Worth while at Dallas for $1.00. The street cars leave Dallas over 15 minutes, and the distace from Dallas to Fort Worth is 45 miles.

Hoping to meet many of my old friends at the re-union, with best wishes to all my old friends in Cleveland County, I remain,

Yours very truly,
W. R. HUNT.

March 24, 1902.

Church and S. S. Union

The Annual Church and Sunday School Union of the Eastern and Western divisions of the King's Mountain Association was held with the New Bethel church, March 29 h and 30th.

On Saturday, 11 a. m., Dr. Vann, of the Baptist Female University, preached a most excellent sermon. Those who were present were very glad indeed to have the privilege of hearing President Vann. After the sermon a recess was taken, and refreshments were served.

The body organized by electing Bro. A. P. Spake Moderator and the writer secretary. Being ready for business the program was taken up. Splendid discussions followed. Such speakers as T. Dixon, A. C. Irvin, J. V. Devinney and Dr. Vann, of the ministry and T. J. Ramseur, Carme Elam of the laity occupied the time in a very instructive and highly spiritual manner to benefit those present.

Saturday night, the writer preached in the chapel at Cleveland Mills to a fairly good congregation.

On Sunday a large concourse of intelligent and attentive people gathered again at the church and a most interesting session was held. The forenoon was given to discussion of the Baptist Orphanage and Sunday School work, until eleven o'clock, when by vote of the Union Dr. Vann, was given an hour in which to present the claims of our University. His was a splendid effort. People listened with rapt attention and many cheeks were bathed in tears as this great and godly man played upon their heart strings with burning eloquence and pathos. I do so much wish all our people in the King's Mountain Association could hear Dr. Vann, then much prejudice and disbelief would be dispelled with reference to our college for our girls. We hope much good was accomplished by Dr. Vann's coming with us. At the close of Dr. Vann's address Rev. A. H. Simms preached a very helpful sermon on the sufferings and joy of Christ. After the sermon a collection was taken for Foreign and Home Missions. Adjournment and dinner followed the sermon. All seemed to be happy as they partook of the many nice things prepared by the good ladies of the church and community. After spending some time in social intercourse and friendly greetings we dispersed for home, hoping to be better men and women for having attended this meeting.

I note that several of our pastors were not present and a number of churches were not represented. Brethren do we need to come together and confer and pray together about the King's business? If so the fifth Sunday is an opportune time. I have spoken to several pastors about a pastors conference in the King's Mountain Association. With the editor's kind permission, I will suggest that we meet once a month in a pastors meeting to discuss such problems as confront us on our various fields of labor. Kindly let us hear from our pastors. Fraternally,

D. F. PUTNAM.

Pou Flings Defiance at the Republicans.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Congressman Pou made a ringing twenty minute speech in the House to-day in defence of himself and his state. His remarks were directed especially to his resolution for the investigation of the expenditure of money in political campaigns. He twitted the Republicans about fusing with the Populists and the expenditure of large sums in recent national campaigns. Not a Republican stirred himself to reply. Mr. Pou's speech was a magnificent defense of the Democracy of North Carolina. He said in substance:

"There has been so much misrepresentation of resolutions introduced by me for the purpose of investigating the corrupt use of money in elections that I feel it my duty to submit a few remarks:

"Ridicule is the reply of the Republican press. The papers mention the fact that I am a new member and that my committee assignments are not very important. My reply to this is that I came here as soon as I could and that a Republican speaker of this House is responsible for my committee assignments, and not myself. In 1894 and 1896 Republicans and Populists united in our state at the sacrifice of principle and political honor. As a result, more than 900 negroes walked in and took positions of honor or profit. We adopted a constitutional amendment intending to eliminate the negro vote, which the gentleman from Indiana wishes to investigate, and I wish to say here and now that there is not a Democratic congressman from North Carolina who would not willingly surrender his seat in this body rather than endure the curse of negro rule.

"If you Republicans think it is right to punish our state for protecting its homes, then do your worst. We defy you. We never expect to submit to negro rule for one single day in our state.

"But, Mr. Chairman, while we are investigating the suppression of the negro vote in the South, let us ascertain, if possible, how much money has been used to purchase the votes of white men in other sections. It is charged, and not denied, that millions of dollars were raised by the Republican national committee in 1896 and 1900 for the purpose of purchasing votes in doubtful states. I believe the election in 1896 was carried by the use of money. If my party used money let the truth come out.

"The belief is expressed on all sides that the presidency of this great republic goes to the party which can raise the largest amount of money. I care nothing for your ridicule. It shall not seal my lips. My resolutions have been referred to the Committee on Rules. I challenge that committee to inaugurate this investigation. The solemn fact remains that there is one real danger to this republic. It overshadows us all, like a dark cloud. Neither party can defend itself by saying that the other party is guilty, nor can the individual shift responsibility upon his party organization. This danger, this threat, this ever-present menace to liberty is the corrupt use of money in elections."

Duplin Journal: Onions are the leading article of perishable stuff now being shipped to the Northern markets. There has been quite a demand for them this season, and from the hundreds of packages that have been transported to the cities of late, we must believe they are highly perfumed by now.

Requisition for Rufe Howard.

News & Observer.

The Governor has made a requisition upon Governor M. B. McSweeney, of South Carolina, for Rufe Howard who is wanted in Cleveland county for assault with a deadly weapon. The agent to whom he is to be delivered is W. H. Pitts.

His Lordship—Prisoner, you have the right of challenging any of the jury if you desire to do so.

Prisoner—Right y'are, guv'nor. I'll fight that little black-whiskered bloke at the end, if he'll step outside.—Tit-Bits.

HAPPY DAYS ON THE FARM.

Chicago Record-Herald.

Oh, the happy, happy farmer! He is
getting ready now
To harness up the horses and attach
them to the plow;
The wheat upon the hillside's patched
with yellow here and there.
Where the frost has done things to it;
and he hears, high in the air,
The wild geese flying over—flying free
and flying far—
Ah, the happy farmer's dreaming
where earth's greatest glories are!
The sheep are calmly browsing with
their busy noses low,
And they leave their wool in bunches
on the briars where they go;
The pigs are in the orchard, rooting
'round the apple trees,
And the rooster in barnyard suns himself and takes his ease.
While the colts are gayly frisking in the
seven-acre lot,
And the paint peels from the bobsled
where the sun is shining hot.
Oh, the happy, happy farmer, working
all the day,
Gets old Bossy, in the corner and proceeds to milk away;
Anon he holds the bucket where the
calf is in the shed,
While it frisks its tail and gayly bumps
the vessel with its head;
It slops the milk and slobbers what it
doesn't want around
And upsets the happy farmer when it
has him nearly drowned.
Oh, the happy farmer's dreaming as he
always dreams in spring,
Of the crops that he will harvest and
the prices they will bring;
The wind has bleached his whiskers and
the sun has tanned his hide;
He is rough upon the surface, but his
heart's O. K. inside—
His overalls are baggy and his boots
are splashed with mud,
Still his liver's working fairly and
there's iron in his blood.
Ah, the happy, happy farmer! How his
buoyant spirit soars.
As he hobbles, rather slowly, out to do
the morning chores!
His boys are in the city; they're emancipated now;
They have gone to make their fortunes
and left pa to guide the plow!
Oh, the glad, the lucky farmer! He
goes toiling all his days,
And the boys are always calling for
what money he can raise.

Sun Is Seldom on Time.

Ladies' Home Journal.

The sun does not keep good time. He is almost always too fast or too slow. Once about the middle of April he is just on time, then not again before the middle of June. At the beginning of September he joins the clock a third time, and lastly once late in December. Now it would seem as if he were startled at the fall back until he was fifteen minutes late. By the beginning of March he had made up five minutes of his loss, and before the month is over he will have caught up to within five minutes of schedule. Meanwhile the days have been growing longer very rapidly. We begin March with our nights longer than our days. We end it with our days longer than our nights. In one month we have added to the length of our day an hour and twenty minutes, a bigger gain than any other month can show.

News Notes.

King's Mountain Democrat.

Harrison Blalock, the old colored man who was sent to jail some days ago in such a demented condition, has recovered and has been released from custody by our sheriff.

The many acquaintances in this section of Allison Black, a veteran who left his family here years ago, will be interested to know that he is at the Soldier's Home in Raleigh, and is well and appears contented.

Miss Mary Patterson, who has been teaching the school at the Dixon school house, closed her school on last Friday, and we are informed that she has taught a good school. The districts are all teaching out their money.

When you can read your title clear
To mansions in the sky, beware!
Celestial mansions oft', I fear,
Are simple castles in the air.

Oil for the Children.

Give them oil—cod-liver oil. It's curious to see the result.

Give it to the peevish, fretful child, and he laughs. Give it to the pale, anæmic child, and his face becomes rosy and full of health. Take a flat-chested child, or a child that has stopped growing, give him the oil, and he will grow big and strong like the rest.

This is not a new scheme. It has been done for years. Of course you must use the right oil. Scott's Emulsion is the one.

Scott's Emulsion neither looks nor tastes like oil because we are so careful in making it pleasant to take.

Send for free sample.

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HO! WANDERING PILGRIM!

Why be homeless, when I can sell you a 5-room cottage on Graham St., in Shelby with good well, and 7 acres of land. Land in parcels if parties desire. B. R. HUNTER, King's Mountain, N. C.

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For Sale!

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S. C. DALTON,
Waco, N. C.

The Place.

The place to get doors, sash, blinds, door and window casing, door and window frames, door steps, window guides, mantle mouldings, brackets, balusters, columns, flooring ceiling, siding, weatherboarding, shingle laths, wainscoting caps and anything you may want in the building line

Is at Thompson & Co's Door and Sash Factory.

We will also sell you Paint, Oil, Glass, Putty, Wood Stains, Varnishes, Door locks and Latches. We want your trade in our line and must have it, we can't get along without it. We will say right here now that this is the proper time for any one to build or repair their buildings. Some say times are hard; that may be so, but the man with the money can build now with less money, than when times are better, and these are the fellows we are looking for. If you need or will want any lumber in the near future give us your orders now and not wait till the weather gets better and every one will want something at the same time, if you do, mark it, you will pay more. We are in a position now to make contracts for the future at prices that we will not be able to make sixty days from now. If you want anything in our line come in when you are in Shelby and we will talk the matter over and come in and see us when in town, we like to have our friends and the public visit OUR PLACE. "We will do more than we promise," this is our motto.

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