

LITTLE STARS

COTTON, per pound 23 1-2c
COTTON SEED 52 1-2c

Sale—Mr. J. L. Parker has purchased thought J. B. Nolan company the M. R. Weathers home on Hudson street for a consideration of \$3,500.

Opens Cafe at Chimney Rock—Mr. Bost McSwain a Shelby boy who formerly operated cafe here, has opened a cafe at Chimney Rock. The name of his place is "Mac's Cafe."

Box Supper—There will be a box supper at Beulah church Saturday night February 14th, the proceeds to go for the benefit of the church. The public is cordially invited.

At Sharon—An entertainment including an interesting play will be given at the Sharon school on Thursday night of this week at 7:30 o'clock. Admission will be 25 and 50 cents.

Dinner—There will be a birthday dinner at the home of S. R. McMurry on the 14th of February 1925. All friends and relatives are invited to come and bring well filled baskets. This will be Mr. McMurry's birthday.

Income Tax Dates—A representative from the U. S. Department of revenue will be in Shelby at the post office on March 2nd, 3rd and 4th to assist tax payers in filling Federal income tax returns.

Mrs. Hoey Ill—The many friends of Mrs. S. A. Hoey, widow of the late Capt. Samuel Hoey will regret to learn that she is quite sick at the home of her son Mr. Clyde R. Hoey on West Marion street.

Box Supper—There will be a joint box supper and Washington entertainment at the Stubbs schoolhouse next Thursday evening February 12, at 7:30 o'clock. There will be no admission charges. The public is cordially invited.

Mr. Gladden Moves—T. M. Gladden has moved into the Clyde Short house on the Cleveland Springs road which he recently purchased through A. M. Hamrick and Co., Mr. Short buying two vacant lots on E. Suttle street in the exchange.

Mr. McWhirter Returns—Mr. Roscoe McWhirter, popular barber at Austell's shop, returned Friday from the Rutherford hospital where he underwent several operations, suffering with his foot and eye. He is much improved, but his condition was serious for a while.

New Store Front—John S. McKnight owner of a two story brick building on West Warren street is having the old front torn out and a new plate glass front put in, the building to be occupied by the Shelby Cafe when completed. It was recently vacated by the Carolina Fruit and Produce Co.

Arrested Here—W. P. Terry, employee of the Katherine mill, was arrested Saturday afternoon at the Wilkins boarding house by Chief B. O. Hamrick and is held for Laurens, S. C., officers, who notified police headquarters here that they wanted Terry on a charge of transporting. Terry appears to be about 22 or 23 years of age.

Back From Hospital—Broadus Newman, senior high student returned Saturday from the Charlotte Sanatorium, where he underwent an operation on his foot. Last year young Newman accidentally shot off one toe while hunting and the injury never completely healed and because of complications made an operation necessary. His many school friends will be glad to see him out, although for some time he will be forced to travel on crutches.

Dr. Sikes Fails—Dr. E. W. Sikes, president of Clemson college, S. C., failed to arrive Sunday to teach the Men's Bible class and preach at the Sunday morning service at the First Baptist church. But Dr. Lomons, the pastor filled the pulpit, preaching a sermon of great power to a congregation that overflowed the main auditorium. Dr. Sikes' failure was no doubt due to a misunderstanding in the dates. The Sunday school had an attendance of 647 while there were 245 in the Men's Bible class taught by Max Gardner.

DR. PENTUFF TO LECTURE IN SHELBY FEBRUARY 13TH Arrangements are now being made by the Shelby high school to have Dr. J. R. Pentuff to deliver his great lecture here that he delivered a few days ago to a very large audience in Charlotte on the "Theory of Organic Evolution." February 13th has been named as the date. Dr. Pentuff is a former college president and professor of Philosophy and science and tests the theory on its own ground in a scientific manner and with convincing force. It is expected that Dr. Adlar Longy "The Dixie Caruso," tenor will sing here as he did at the lecture in Charlotte to the delight of all lovers of fine singing. It is practically certain standing room will be in demand at the high school auditorium on the 13th. Sale of tickets will be put on Monday.

TAX NOTICE. City taxes are now past due. Please call at office at the city hall and settle. O. M. Suttle, collector. Ad

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Loy Thompson spent last week end in Mooresville with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee B. Weathers were business visitors in Charlotte Friday. Miss Katherine McKinnon spent the week end in Laurinburg.

Mrs. Carl Thompson and Mrs. J. D. Lineberger were Charlotte visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Grady Lovelace and Mrs. Ladd Hamrick spent Wednesday in Charlotte.

Mr. Brevard McDowell, of Charlotte, is a guest at Cleveland Springs hotel.

Mrs. L. L. Crowell of Lincolnton, spent Saturday here with her daughter Mrs. Jean Schenk.

Mrs. Lizzie McNarey, of Morganton spent the week end with Mrs. Cepha Blanton.

Miss Kate Pearsall returned last week from a visit to relatives in Shelby.—Morganton News-Herald.

Mr. W. S. Buchanan, of the high school faculty, spent the week end at Davidson college.

Mrs. W. A. Murray was in Charlotte Friday where she went to visit a specialist who is treating her eyes.

Mr. S. S. Summey left Sunday for Anderson, S. C., where he is executing a road grading contract.

Mr. C. V. Henkel and daughter, Miss Virginia Henkel, of Statesville, are guests at Cleveland Springs hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Hovle Lea were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hovis of Bessemer City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schenk jr., and baby and Mrs. Pyle spent Thursday in Charlotte.

Miss Evelyn Dover a converse student spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dover.

Mrs. Kate North is visiting her daughter Miss Egberta North in Pine Bluff this week.

Miss Ruth Denton spent the week end in Charlotte with her sister, Miss Lillie Denton.

Miss Millicent Blanton has returned from a delightful trip to Cuba and Florida and is now visiting in Gaffney, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bittell, of Gaffney S. C., visited their friends, Mrs. Mary McBraver and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Miller last Monday.

Mr. R. C. Warren and son, Ernest, of Gastonia, spent Sunday here with Mrs. Warren's mother, Mrs. S. A. Hoey, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Love and children spent Friday here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dover. Miss Katherine Dover accompanied them home to Lincolnton for the week end.

Miss Mary Griffin accompanied Miss Margaret Moore, one of the Shelby school faculty, to her home in Smithfield. They spent the week end, returning Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McMurry and sister, Miss Anna Willis left Monday for a delightful Florida trip. They will visit the east and west coast before returning home.

Mr. Sam Blanton returned Friday to Raleigh and Mr. Harold Blanton left Saturday for Philadelphia, after attending the funeral of their mother, Mrs. J. H. Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoey and little daughter, Eleanor, and Mrs. C. N. Churchill left Sunday for Augusta, Ga., where they will spend 10 days or two weeks.

Mrs. C. H. Hardin and little daughter Louise, have returned from a week's visit in Kings Mountain with Mrs. Hardin's mother, Mrs. Annie Dilling.

Mrs. H. M. Pipin returned Saturday from Wrens, Ga., where she went to the bedside of her mother who died there last Monday morning. The many friends of Mrs. Pipin extend their sympathy in her bereavement.

Mrs. Bessie J. Gray who has charge of the millinery department at Fannings department store, is spending this week in New York buying spring and summer millinery. She was accompanied by Miss Ruth Mundy who buys ladies ready-to-wear for Fannings.

Judge James L. Webb and Mrs. S. R. Riley spent Sunday at Chick Springs with Mrs. J. L. Webb who is at the bedside of her sister Mrs. T. Davenport who has been quite ill. Mrs. Gardner and baby accompanied them as far as Gaffney, spending the day there.

Forbidding anybody to work there under eighteen years of age won't affect jokes.—Birmingham News.

Prohibition does some good. An English peat refuses to come to America on account of it.—Columbia Record.

A skeleton was recently found in an express train. We always take sandwiches if there is no dining-car.—Punch.

Ancient implements of torture recently realized large sums at a sale. Modern Saxophones are expensive, too.—The Humorist.

Twenty-two million letters were sent to the dead-letter office in Washington last year. And there probably wasn't a bill in any of 'em.—Marion Star.

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FARM POULTRY

GATHER EGGS OFTEN IN SEVERE WEATHER

Success in selling hatching eggs or in getting good hatching eggs for your own incubators to supply you with chicks for the baby chick trade is dependent a great deal upon gathering the eggs during the winter months at frequent intervals; but even market eggs require the same attention in order to get the best results.

In freezing weather the eggs may lie in the nest three or four hours before freezing, but there is no reason for subjecting them to such a temperature for any length of time. If they are to be used for hatching purposes, or sold for hatching eggs, you owe it to yourself or your customer to gather them as soon as laid, if possible. Any unnecessary exposure to the temperature will affect, more or less, the hatching quality and the vigor of the chick.

Where it is at all possible, especially in severe weather, it is advisable to visit the nests every 30 minutes and gather such eggs as can be gathered without disturbing hens on nests. So long as there is a hen on a given nest, the eggs under her are in no danger. Those who are fortunate enough to have double-walled and frost-proof houses are not in as much danger of loss as those whose hens are indifferently housed.

The ideal way to handle winter hatching eggs is to put them in the incubator the same day they are laid, says a writer in Successful Farming. However, this is not often possible, unless one has a large flock laying enough to fill the incubators. Some hatchers remedy the situation by having small incubators and setting them every day or two during the season; or, where large machines are used, setting separate compartments.

Where this is impossible and the eggs must be stored a few days before placing in the machines or shipped to customers, it is best to place them in a clean and dry, but well-ventilated place, where an average temperature of about 40 to 45 degrees is maintained. A regular incubator cellar is good for this purpose; but do not place the eggs in a damp, poorly ventilated or musty vegetable cellar. If you do not have a clean cellar, it is better to place them on a ground floor where the room is heated sufficiently to keep it from freezing.

In storing eggs for hatching purposes, it is best to place them in flat wooden trays. Incubator trays not in use are good for this purpose, or trays may be made along that style. A cabinet may be made of a number of these trays nailed together which will be handy and serviceable.

Turn the eggs every day from the time they are taken from the nest until they are placed in the machine. This is to prevent the germ sticking to the shell and rendering the egg worthless for incubation purposes.

Get the eggs into the machine or under hens or off to the customer at the earliest possible moment. Every day that passes lessens the chances of the utmost success. Evaporation is the constant enemy of the held-over hatching egg, and the longer this progresses the less the chance of getting a strong, virile chick.

Scientist Finds Goiter in Minnesota Chickens

Two cases of that rarest of poultry diseases, goiter, have recently been diagnosed by Dr. H. C. H. Kernkamp, assistant professor of veterinary medicine, University of Minnesota. Both were in White Orlington hens which came from the same farm in Ramsey county.

In one of the specimens the thyroid gland had become so enlarged that it pressed against the trachea and inferior larynx and caused the former to become flattened. The heart had also become slightly displaced by the growth and the lungs were pressed against the walls of the thorax.

Records of the veterinary medicine division at university farm show that of 2,400 autopsies on poultry sent in from all parts of Minnesota for investigation and study the last six years, these two cases were the only ones of goiter observed in birds. Carpenter, a veterinary scientist of California, did not find a single case of goiter in 1,000 autopsies on chickens.

Height for Perches

Dropping boards should be level, and the perches arranged about six inches above them. The perches should be on a level, also, and of 2-by-2 material. They should be fastened to 2-by-4 supports that are hinged at the back end of the house so that the roosts can be raised out of the way while scraping the dropping boards.

Damp Sawdust Is Bad

Damp sawdust is not very desirable to use as insulation in a wooden walled poultry house, not only because the dampness is likely to increase rather than decrease, and is bad for poultry, but because damp sawdust has only a small part of the insulating value of dry sawdust. If the coal cinders were crushed into fairly uniform small pieces, it probably would work very well for insulation, but the ordinary cinders are too coarse to have much value for insulation.

Marble head of Casar has been found under the Hudson river. Mystery is, who spilled the bean?—Brook

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70x150 feet joining the residence lot of Dr. R. M. Gidney and property of Roy Sisk, price \$2,250.00.

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