

MEASURES TO RELIEVE COTTON DEPRESSION

Southern Senators and Representatives Take Up Problem Which Threatens Grave Consequences.

MAP OUT INVESTIGATION Transportation of 1914 Crop Has Been Interrupted by War in Europe, and Some Means Must Be Provided.

Washington, August 4.—Measures to relieve the cotton industry of the United States from depression by the war in Europe were planned today by a committee appointed by the Southern Senators and Representatives in Congress.

At a meeting presided over by Senator Hoke Smith, chairman of the committee, the subcommittee was appointed to look into various phases of the subject.

Representative Lever, chairman of the House Agricultural Committee, will head a committee which will investigate the situation of the cotton crop in the United States.

Condition of Cotton. Washington, August 4.—Rains during the past week materially interrupted the cotton picking in the South.

Port Movement—Exports, 1,532 bales; stock, 25,234 bales.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS. New York, August 4.—Notwithstanding the absence of official figures, the market for cotton is reported to be active.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS. Chicago, August 4.—Reports from one of the largest buyers of wheat already had started a flurry that resulted in a spirited market.

WHEAT. September 1914 85 1/2, 86 1/2, 87 1/2, 88 1/2, 89 1/2, 90 1/2, 91 1/2, 92 1/2, 93 1/2, 94 1/2, 95 1/2, 96 1/2, 97 1/2, 98 1/2, 99 1/2, 100 1/2.

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CATTLE MARKETS. Richmond, Va., August 4, 1914. Following are the quotations on the Richmond Cattle Market.

RICHMOND LIVE STOCK MARKET. Richmond, Va., August 4, 1914. Following are the quotations on the Richmond Live Stock Market.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET. Petersburg, Va., August 4.—Peanut prices are steady.

COTTON GOODS MARKET. New York, August 4.—Cotton goods buyers were today purchasing heavy cottons to replace bargains which had rapidly risen in price in the past few days.

NAVAL STORES. Savannah, Ga., August 4.—Turpentine, rosin, and other naval stores are active.

PETERSBURG BANKS GET SHARE OF MONEY

Apportionment of What They Will Receive From Aldrich-Vreeland Currency Is Made.

LASSITER IS MADE AGENT Appointed by Treasury Department to Have Charge of Distribution.

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Two to Grand Jury. At a late hour last night trouble occurred on West Street between George Chappell and Sonny Patterson.

In the Hustings Court. The grand jury reported this morning to answer the charge of feloniously assaulting and wounding his wife.

Personal and Otherwise. Lelloy Hodges, of this city, who is abroad on government business, is unmarried in Paris with a number of other Americans.

Personal and General. The funeral services of Bernice O. Gilliland, of 25 East Fourth Street, who died on Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

Personal and General. Members of the Forest Hill Troop of Boy Scouts held yesterday morning exercises at the city hall.

Personal and General. The Rev. James H. Holloway, pastor of Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church, is with his family in Henderson, N. C.

Personal and General. Mrs. Maria Alexander, librarian of the Benevolent Mechanic Association, died yesterday evening from a stroke.

Personal and General. Miss Mary Sterling Smith and Miss Dorothy Roettger are visiting friends in Charlottesville.

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SOUTH RICHMOND BAPTIST ASSOCIATION OPENS AT SKINQUARTER

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RAILROADS

Richmond & Chesapeake Bay Railway Company SCHEDULE EFFECTIVE APRIL 14, 1914.

Superceding Schedule of May 30, 1912. Trains leave Richmond 4:30 A. M.

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