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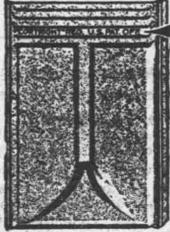
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## ANOTHER SOUTHERN FOLDER

Shows Yield Of Corn In Various Southern States And Other Matters Of General Interest.

Columbia, S. C., February 2.—"The New Corn Belt" is the title which has been accorded the nine Southern states east of the Mississippi and south of the Potomac. This honor is given the South in an attractive folder just issued by the Southern Railway Company which is being distributed among visitors to the National Corn Exposition here. Figures in the folder, compiled from latest official sources, give new proof of the increasing importance of the South as a corn growing section and fully substantiate the claim given this wonderful section as the "New Corn Belt."

Figures in the Dec. number of the Crop Reporter issued by the federal department of agriculture, show that the nine Southern states east of the Mississippi and south of the Potomac produced in 1912 a corn crop of 505,135,000 bushels, worth \$314,740,000 at prices paid farmers in that territory," says the folder. "Compared with the report of the 1900 census, when the crop of 342,464,737 bushels in the same states was worth \$137,079,603, the latest figures show an increase of 162,670,263 bushels, worth practically 1178,000,000 more than the earlier production."

"The greater yield in the Southeast has followed an increased acreage given to corn and a steadily increasing acre-yield. The general development of this agricultural region, aided by federal and state demonstration work and further helped by the educational efforts of such railroads as the Southern, which maintains a corps of agricultural experts whose services are at the command of all the farmers along its 7,000-odd miles of territory, has had a large share in stimulating attention given to corn. Prominent among the reasons for the increased acre-yield has been the organization of boys' corn clubs and annual corn shows in each of these nine states. Comparative figures show the increase in the average yield per acre over the 1900 record in 1912 alone amounted to \$103,981,221. Four hundred and fifty-four members of boys' corn clubs in the South in 1912 made over 100 bushels to the acre."

In addition to the wide circulation it is being given at the Corn Exposition, the folder will be distributed among of the North and West in an effort to attract desirable settlers to the "New Corn Belt."

## TRANS-CONTINENTAL RAILROAD.

Resolution to Investigate Its Operations Introduced by Representative Noland of Haywood County.

WHEREAS, By Chapter 305 of the Private Laws of North Carolina, Section 1905, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Western Railway & Power Company," and whereas, at the session of 1907 the said charter of the Western Railway & Power Company was amended by Chapter 493 of said Private Laws of 1907, changing the name of said railway corporation to The Tennessee Coal Field & South Atlantic Trans-Continental Railway Co., and whereas, a certificate was filed in the office of the Secretary of State on September 12, 1907 amending the said charter and changing the name of The Tennessee Coal Field & South Atlantic Trans-Continental Railway Company to the name of the South Atlantic Trans-Continental Railway Co., and whereas, on the 11th day of February, 1912, a certificate was filed in the office of the Secretary of State changing the name of the said South Atlantic Trans-Continental Railway Company to South Atlantic & Western Railroad Company, and whereas, the State is furnishing convicts at its own expense to aid in the construction of said road, and whereas, it is apparent that said railroad company has no means, either visible or invisible, or otherwise to complete said road, and that the said railroad company has worked for about eighteen months and is now working about eighteen convicts obtained from the state, and without the aid or assistance of any free labor, to construct a line of railroad from the coal fields in Tennessee to Greenville, S. C., and to Southport or Wilmington, N. C., and whereas, it appears by the charter of said railroad company that the State is to receive first mortgage bonds or stock in said railroad company for the use and service and expenses of said convicts, and whereas, it is apparent that first mortgage bonds or stock therein have never had nor at any future will they ever have any value. Now, Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

Section 1.—That it shall be the duty of the Speaker of the House to appoint a special committee of three, upon the part of the House, and that the President of the Senate shall appoint a committee of two, upon the part of the Senate, who shall sit together in joint session and who shall constitute a court of inquiry, and who shall have the right and power to subpoena witnesses anywhere in the State and compel their attendance, and said committee shall have power to issue subpoenas of duces tecum compelling any witness to bring any papers or records relating to the subject of this inquiry, and to produce said papers or records as evidence before said committee, if so required. That this committee shall have its sittings and make its report to the General Assembly on or before the 25th day of February, 1913.

Sec. 2.—That this resolution shall be in force from and after its ratification.

## An Agricultural Pointer.

A farmer who knows his business has just given us a little information on the farming subject. His advice is to plant Irish potatoes and onions among the corn, cotton and other crops when a drought is expected. His argument is that the onions will get in the potatoes' eyes and make them shed tears, which will put a season in the land.—Marshville Home.

## THE COLUMBIA SHOW.

Speakers Advocate Scientific Methods of Farming and Marketing Products.

Columbia, S. C., (Special).—Farmers were urged to adopt more scientific methods in marketing their crops by several speakers at the fifth national corn exposition, it was declared, are the only class of people who do not put a price on their products, but are forced to accept whatever terms are offered. As a remedy for this alleged evil it was suggested that farmers should cooperate in the direction of regulating the supply so as to stimulate the demand.

It was National Farmers' union day at the exposition, and the annual mid-winter conference of the organization convened at the grounds. Among the prominent speakers were Clarence Poe, Raleigh, J. D. Eggleston, Washington, chief of field service in rural education of the United States bureau of education; Dr. Bradford Knapp; Col. E. J. Watson, commissioner of agriculture of South Carolina; L. M. Rhodes, president of the Tennessee Farmers' union; E. W. Dabbs, president of the National Farmers' union.

Sir Horace Plunkett, Irish leader of agricultural reform, was unavoidably prevented from attending the exposition. He is expected to deliver an address tomorrow, which will be celebrated as "educational day." Among the speakers tomorrow is Walter H. Page, editor of World's Work, New York.

The principle awards today were the sweepstakes events in wheat. G. W. Demming, of Fairmont, Neb., won the grand champion sweepstakes. Mr. Demming also won the national sweepstakes for hard wheat, while John E. Potts, of Rea, Mo., won the national sweepstakes in soft wheat, J. F. Pollard of Greenville, N. C., won the grand champion sweepstakes in soy beans and Engerston brothers of Lake Park, Minn., in flax.

## DID NOT NEED THE MONEY.

A Million Dollars Does Not Interest Thomas A. Edison.

Cleveland, (Special).—Through negotiations ended by Thomas A. Edison's refusal of a check for \$1,000,000 to clinch an offer of millions for rights to his new talking picture inventions it was learned that the inventor has made two improvements which will result in making the phonograph a perfect instrument.

News of the inventions was gained from Attorney P. J. Brady, who has just returned from the Edison laboratory at Orange, N. J., and who offered the inventor the million-dollar check. Brady went to Edison on behalf of Cleveland and Chicago capitalists, presumably trolley magnates, who were desirous of looking into Edison's new storage battery with the idea of utilizing it on electric railways.

While there Brady, who was accompanied by one of the Cleveland millionaires, was given a demonstration of the talking pictures. Brady hurried back home and the next day returned to Orange with the check.

"Edison just laughed when we offered him the check as part payment on our offer of several millions for the rights to the talking pictures," said Brady. "We also offered him in addition large royalties on the machines. He turned us down."

## THE CRAIG COLONELS.

Numerous Appointments by the New Governor and Others Soon to Follow.

Raleigh.—Governor Craig, through Adjutant-General Young, announces the following appointments in the National guard on the governor's personal staff, with rank of colonel, John P. Kerr, of Asheville; G. A. Thomason, Asheville; T. L. Craig, Gastonia; Alexander Webb, Raleigh; J. E. Erwin, Morganton; J. D. Lankston, Goldsboro; George McNeill, Fayetteville; Dr. W. H. Cowell, Shawboro. The last two named are naval aides, and Colonel Kerr and Colonel Thomason are on the staff by virtue of the statute creating them private secretary and executive secretary.

As assistant adjutants-general: York Coleman, Rutherfordton; B. L. Alexander, Asheville; Alfred Williams, Raleigh; Hubert Lyerly, Hickory.

Judge advocate-general: T. L. Kirkpatrick, Charlotte; assistant judge advocates-general: W. A. Dextrin, Oxford; L. C. Sinclair, High Point; K. M. Land, Kinston

Surgeon-general and colonel, Dr. S. Westray Battle, Asheville; assistant surgeon-general and lieutenant-colonel, Dr. Baxter R. Hunter, Charlotte.

Chief engineer, T. B. Whitted, Charlotte; chief of ordinance, Thomas R. Robertson, Raleigh.

Other appointments will be announced later.

## FOR THE WEBB LIQUOR BILL.

House Committee Reports Favorably On It.

Washington, (Special).—The house judiciary committee ordered favorably reported the bill introduced by Representative Webb, of North Carolina, which would prohibit the interstate shipment of intoxicating liquors into "dry states." The measure would give states the right to exclude from their confines liquor intended for sale in communities where local laws forbid such sale.

Postpone All Hearings. Washington.—All hearings before the house commerce committee were cancelled because of congestion of business in the house. Investigations of the "long and short haul" provisions of the interstate commerce law and the uniform baling of cotton were among those proposed.

## The President Against.

Washington, (Special).—President Taft took a vigorous stand against lengthening steamship piers in the Hudson river at New York in a special message to congress, vetoing the proposal that he appoint a United States engineer to the joint harbor line commission of New York and New Jersey.

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