

# ALDERMAN'S 20 STORES IN ONE

To Be Opened in MANNING About October 6th, 1919.

## SOME DISTINCTIVE FEATURES

30,000 square feet floor space, the equal of 20 Stores, 20x75.

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*We Plan to Make this a Store Complete with Merchandise and Replete with Interest.*

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R. J. ALDERMAN, Vice-President.

CHARLES WOODS, Manager.

## What Change

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### HOME BANK & TRUST CO.

### NEGROES LYNCHED BY ALABAMA MOB

Two Men Taken From Officers Riddled With Bullets

#### CHARGED WITH FOUL CRIME

One of the Negroes Lynched Said to Have Been Returned Soldier.

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 29.—Two negroes, Miles Phifer and Robert Croskey, the latter a returned soldier, were taken from Montgomery County officials about five miles from this city and lynched this afternoon. The negroes were being carried to the State prison at Wetumpka for safe keeping when a masked mob of about twenty-five men held up the automobile in which they were traveling, forced the officers to lay down their arms, and then led the negroes about 100 yards into the woods and opened fire on them with shotguns and pistols. Both negroes were charged with criminal assault on a white woman.

#### Trial Dates Set.

Earlier in the day the two negroes had been granted a preliminary hearing; behind closed doors and their trials had been set for next Friday. After the action of the trial judge had been known, it was said that formation of the mob was undertaken, and with a tip that the negroes would be held in Montgomery, but probably would be carried to some other jail nearby, the leaders surmised that the Wetumpka prison would be the one selected. The party, numbering twenty-five men all masked, made its way to a point on the Wetumpka road about five miles east of the city and there awaited the arrival of the sheriff's car carrying the prisoners.

#### Riddled With Bullets.

When the car carrying the two negroes, which was accompanied by three deputy sheriffs, rolled up to the spot selected by the leaders of the mob, the latter blocked the road and demanded custody of the prisoners. Resistance was useless in the face of

shotguns and pistols, Deputy Sheriff Frizzle, one of the guards declared. They were disarmed, a guard left with them and the negroes rushed out of the car about 100 paces off the road, where they were loosed and told to run. Thoroughly frightened and realizing the fate that was upon them, the negroes made little or no effort to get away, and the men opened fire on them with pistols and shotguns. Phifer was almost instantly killed, being riddled from head to foot, while Croskey was likewise shot up, but survived for five hours.

### COTTON CONDITION IS ESTIMATED 52.7

Columbia, Sept. 29.—The American Cotton Association's crop report gives the condition of cotton as of September 25, for the entire belt, as 52.7 per cent. The indicated yield with frosts of average date is given at 9,767,000 bales, not including linters.

Early frosts will curtail this yield, the report says, while late frosts will not increase it, as the top crop is declared to be extremely poor, being only 10 per cent subjects to injury by early frosts.

The acreage abandonment is placed by the report at 9 per cent. The report says: "On account of diseased root system caused by poor preparation and cultivation from shortage of labor, also adverse seasons and due to four continuous years of nonuse of potash in South Atlantic States, the bolls opening are undeveloped."

"A test of the yield of lint cotton from the seed shows a marked short-

age due to premature opening. The crop is two to four weeks late. The insect damage is the most serious ever known the boll weevil and boll worm being especially disastrous. The boll weevil is invading the largest area ever recorded in any previous year.

"Under the present unsatisfactory labor conditions, it will be impossible to gather the crop without serious damage to grades caused by cotton being permitted to stand in the fields this resulting in record-breaking shortage in good grade cotton. As a result this crop will show probably the lowest average grade on record. The American Cotton Association probably has the advantage of the largest, most thorough and complete crop reporting department in the belt today. The corrections are being startlingly verified today as to accuracy.

### GREEN FEEDS IN WINTER

Green feeds, such as sprouted oats, alfalfa meal, chopped alfalfa and clover hay, cabbage, and mangled beets should be supplied hens confined in small yards and also to all hens during the winter season when no green feed is available. Cabbages may be hung up in the poultry house. Beets are usually split and stuck on nails on the side wall of the pen about 1 foot above the floor. Frozen vegetables can be thawed out and fed to fowls, but usually do not keep well after thawing. Clover and alfalfa may be fed as hay, cut into one-fourth or one-half inch lengths, or they may be bought in the form of meal.

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### NOTICE OF DISCHARGE

I, will apply to the Judge of Probate for Clarendon county on the 16, day of October 1919, at 11 o'clock a. m. for Letters of Discharge as Executor of the Estate of Mattie Rhame Lunn, Deceased.

W. M. Lunn, Executor.  
Timmons ville, S. C. Sept. 15, 1919.