

## Early Fast-Growing Cotton Safer From Weevil Ravages



This picture shows the advantage of forcing cotton as a means of getting ahead of the weevil. The plant in farmer's right hand was taken from rows side-dressed with Chilean nitrate, while one at left received no side-dressing. The contrast is also apparent in the rows where the men are standing.

Realizing that the weevil is here to stay, planters have developed methods to grow cotton in spite of him. Improved seed, early planting, and a side-dressing of quick-acting nitrogen have made it possible to speed up the crop so that the bolls are set before

the weevil is able to do its worst damage.

A crop that grows off slowly is at the weevil's mercy, particularly in a season like this one when there is an abnormally heavy weevil infestation. A nitrate side-dressing is cheap and effective insurance this year.

## Kershaw County Day at Sand Hill Experiment Station

Tuesday, July 19, has been set aside as Kershaw County day at the Sand Hill Experiment Station. Everybody in the county is invited to attend. It is very urgent now that we learn and use every method which will make farming more profitable. The Sandhill Experiment Station has found out many practical and valuable truths which our farmers could and should use to their advantage.

Men, women, boys and girls from all over the county and business people are all urged to attend. The county officials, bankers, merchants, school trustees, teachers, 4-H club members, in fact, everybody in the county should attend. This Experiment Station is as much ours as anybody's and Tuesday the 19th has been officially designated as Kershaw County Day. Mr. J. A. Riley, Supt. of the Station and other officials there have extended the people of Kershaw County through your county agent a most cordial invitation to bring as many of our people as will come.

Some of the things to be seen and studied at the Experiment Station are: the excellent dairy cattle and how they are handled and their value; dairy barn and equipment; annual and permanent pastures both on low land and on dry sandy uplands (which so many people have thought impossible); a new lysimeter; peach orchard; grapes, grass, garden, aspara-

gus, dewberries, sweet potatoes, raspberries, watermelons, storage plants, cotton, corn, soybeans, soybeans in fertilizer experiments, placement of fertilizer, experiments variety tests of cowpeas, the use of commercial fertilizers as to kinds, amounts and methods of use should be valuable information for our people.

Everybody is requested to bring picnic lunch and have a big joint picnic.

Notable speakers have been invited to address the Kershaw County visitors during the lunch or picnic hour. Among the speakers invited are Mr. David R. Coker, Congressman W. F. Stevenson, Mr. S. L. Jeffords, Ext. Agronomist from Clemson College and Mr. A. A. McKeown, Dist. Ext. Agent.

We are requested to arrive at the Experiment Station not later than 10 a. m. All who will go through Camden are requested to assemble at the Court House at 9:15 a. m. in order that we may leave and arrive at the Experiment Station in a group which will help a lot.

It would be well to bring a note book and pencil.

Remember, it's Tuesday, July 19. Bring lunch. Bring your family. Notify your neighbors. Let's help ourselves and our families by learning more and more. Respectfully, Henry D. Green, Co. Agr.

## Need for Side-Dressing Cotton Is Greater Than Ever Before



A remarkable contrast. The heavy rows in the rear were side-dressed with Chilean nitrate of soda. Thrifty, fast-growing plants like these will set a heavy crop before the weevil has a chance to do its worst damage.

The light application of fertilizer under cotton makes side-dressing the most necessary thing to be done this year.

The need for side-dressing cotton is probably greater than ever before. Last year's crop, which averaged 200 pounds of lint per acre, removed a tremendous amount of plant food from the soil, which means that the present crop, with little or no fertilizer under it, started the season under a serious handicap. Everything points also to a heavy boll weevil infestation, as a

result of the mild weather of last winter.

Side-dressing with quick-acting nitrogen will supply the plant food the crop lacks and help it to get ahead of the weevil. The method most farmers follow is to use 100 to 200 pounds of Chilean nitrate per acre as soon as the crop is chopped. The young plants take up the nitrate as soon as it is applied, with the result that growth is speeded up and the crop is set before the weevil has reached its most destructive stage.

## Senate Candidates Speak Here Friday

Candidates for the United States senate will speak in Camden on Friday, July 15, using the regular itinerary by the State Executive Committee. The speaking will be held in the Camden high school auditorium beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning.

## TRIPLETS ARE BORN AT HEATH SPRINGS.

Triplets, two boys and one girl were born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Timman of Heath Springs, July 9, it was announced yesterday. The Timmans already had two boys.

## S. D. HAMMOND

Sam D. Hammond, 54, well known resident of Camden, died Monday afternoon at the Camden hospital following an illness of several days. For many years he had been a well known painter and green grocer. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American war.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Emma Mickle Hammond, and one son, Leonard Hammond.

Interment was at Springdale church in West Waterlee today.

The Union Meeting of Kershaw Baptist Association will hold its quarterly session with Cedar Creek Church, Saturday, July 30th. Watch the paper next week for program.

P. E. BLACKMON, Chairman

## Uncle Eben

"Some of dem kings dat had to give up thrones," said Uncle Eben, "gits to be so much like ordinary folks dey think dey kin be dey if dey gits a seat in de house."

## Second Ballot Bill



Will Rogers, cowboy humorist, doubts the correctness of "second guess being best." On the second ballot at the Democratic convention, Oklahoma switched its 22 votes from Murray to Rogers—"and still I didn't win out," says Rogers.

## Liberty Hill News

July 11.—The weather for the past week or ten days has been without rain and with a high temperature and brisk west to northwest wind most of the time. The effect on gardens and field crops generally has been very detrimental.

A house on the Cedar Rock farm of Mr. R. C. Jones, and occupied by Jim White, a colored tenant, was destroyed by fire one day last week. Part of the household goods were saved, but there was no insurance on the lost portion. We understand that Mr. Jones had some insurance on the building.

A meeting will commence on Tuesday night at the Presbyterian church and continue through Sunday. Rev. Mr. Patterson of Clover will assist the pastor, Rev. F. A. Drennan through the meeting. On Sunday communion services will be held.

The two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Willis was taken quite sick and was carried to the Camden Hospital on Thursday last for treatment. We hope the little fellow will soon be all right again.

Miss Lizzie Richards, the popular and efficient principal of the Liberty Hill school has returned home after a pleasant visit of two weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. K. Herriot of Bishopville. Her mother, Mrs. C. E. Richards and sister, Miss Sophie, went to Camden to meet her on Friday.

Mr. J. F. Johnston, who holds a responsible position with the Bell Telephone Company with headquarters in Atlanta is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnston.

Messrs. Wardlaw and Hugh May, of Augusta, Ga., are visiting their uncle, Mr. R. J. Wardlaw and family. Mr. L. P. Thompson and postmaster, C. D. Cunningham went to Hickory N. C. last week to visit a friend. Mrs. Emma H. Bush, who has been away attending summer school is now at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Hilton for the summer.

Rev. F. A. Drennan and Mr. N. S. Richards were in Camden on Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Blackmon of Rock Hill were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Hilton, sister of Dr. Blackmon.

Miss Mary P. Hay is in New York City taking a special course of study. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clements and children, Lucy and John, were in Lancaster Saturday, visitors in the home of Mrs. G. W. Ferry.

Miss Clara Johnston is on a visit to friends in Charlotte.

## A CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our good friends and neighbors for the sympathy and kindness they showed us during the illness and death of our beloved brother, Grover C. Abbott. We want to especially thank Miss Josephine Thomas for being with us in our hour of sorrow. May God's richest blessings rest upon each and every one of them.

Dida Abbott.

## DOZIER AND HILTON ADDRESS LEGIONAIRES

Adjutant General James G. Dozier and Department Commander-elect Richmond H. Hilton were the principal speakers at the regular monthly meeting of the James LeRoy Belk Post, American Legion last night. Mr. Hilton is a life member of the local post and the second member who has been elected State Commander.

In a short speech Mr. Hilton expressed his gratitude to his former comrades for their support and pledged his best efforts in behalf of the Legion. General Dozier made an interesting talk on National Defense with special emphasis on the National Guard. Several other visitors were present.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The following services are announced at the First Baptist Church:

Sunday school at 10 o'clock, Mr. C. O. Stogner, Superintendent. Public worship conducted by the pastor at 11:15 A. M. The evening service will be called in on account of the revival meeting at the Methodist church, B. Y. P. U Sunday evening at 7:30. Prayer and praise service Wednesday evening at 8:30.

The public is cordially invited to attend all the services of this church.

## REAR VIL FIGHT

The French Foreign Legion is called the Death Legion because it has been employed in many of the bloodiest and most dangerous campaigns.

## A Victory Smile



Mrs. Charles H. Sabin, New York President of the Woman's Organization for National Prohibition Reform, who went before both political conventions battling for a repeal plank.

## WATEREE TRIBE REDMEN ENTERTAINED VISITORS

Waterlee Tribe Improved Order of Red Men entertained its visitors from tribes in Winnsboro, Great Falls and Newberry at a banquet last Saturday evening at six-thirty.

The following degrees were conferred by the degree teams from Coho Tribe of Winnsboro. The adoption degree being conferred in public before a large crowd of spectators. The Warriors degree was put on in the hall. Six new members were received into the Order.

The principal speakers of the evening was Mr. O. S. Gow of Newberry, Great Sachem of South Carolina; Mr. H. A. Tibbs of Great Falls, Great Junior Sagamore of South Carolina; and Mr. G. E. Drawdy of Winnsboro. The following officers were installed to serve until December 31: B. E. Brigman, Prophet, W. R. Reeves Jr., Sachem, James Spradley, Sr., Sagamore, Archie Brewer, Jr., Sagamore, J. J. McDowell, Chief of Records, J. H. Hutchins, Keeper of Wampum.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Nettles and Mrs. Louise Cantey were visitors in Summerton Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Stevenson had as their guests for the week end Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Stevenson of Du West, Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Butts and son of Newbern, N. C. and L. B. Stevenson of Jacksonville, Fla.

## GEORGE V. EVANS

Died at Richmond, Va., at the Memorial Hospital at 4:30 P. M. Thursday, June 30, 1932 after an illness of several months. The body arrived in Camden Friday night and was carried to the Kernagay Funeral Home. Mr. Evans is survived by his wife and five children. Funeral services were held from Mt. Zion Baptist Church on 9th St. from Camden, Sunday July 3, 1932 at 11 A. M. with the Rev. S. B. Hatfield officiating. Interment was in the church yard.

Active pall bearers were: W. I. Sikes, J. B. McCoy, W. M. Brannon, J. E. L. Brannon, J. B. Marshall and W. T. Truesdale.

Appeal to Sheriff to use all power at his command to bring violators to justice.

There is quite a bit of expense connected with the convening of Court. The attorneys move the continuance on certain grounds and a great majority of requests are granted, thereby causing last time an useless expense.

"We therefore recommend that the Bar Association cooperate with Court to save this unnecessary expense and waste."

"We beg to thank your Honor and Court officials connected with Court for all courtesies extended us during this session."

## Bible School Closes

On Friday, July 15 the Daily Vacation Bible school which has been in session for two weeks at the First Baptist church will come to a close.

We are very anxious to have the parents and all others who will attend our commencement on next Friday evening and witness a demonstration of what your children and others have learned.

It will begin exactly at 8 o'clock. Please be in your seat on time so that you can witness the professional march. The program will last about one hour and will include demonstrations by every department of the school. After the program the school will keep house so that you can see exhibits of handwork. Please do not disappoint your children and the faculty by being absent.

The teachers have been deeply interested and tireless in their efforts to make these two weeks an epochal period in the child life of Camden. We are sure that you believe in a Daily Vacation Bible School now since you realize how much it has helped your children. We greatly appreciate your co-operation. It has been a joy to the faculty to give of their time and effort to make the boys and girls have a happy and profitable time.

but certain repairs are necessary at once and has been reported to County Board of Directors.

"Chairman Committee begs to report they find conditions in first class condition. Prisoners in fine physical condition and well taken care of.

"Road committee begs to report that taking in condition of finances of county, roads are well kept.

"Finance committee begs to report they have checked all loans from Sinking Fund and while there will be some losses they have urged County Board Directors to push for all amounts and do all in power to collect interest and taxes.

"We find County Board Directors are living within appropriation and anticipate quite a saving for year 1932.

"We inspected book of Judge of Probate to see that proper ledger was kept for all trust funds and found this matter had been straightened out by present incumbent.

"Had a talk with the Master in Equity and requested him to keep a more detailed account of all funds handled by him and to keep all accounts balanced to date.

"Had County Superintendent of Education in for a talk regarding school term 1932 and financing of schools. Her report to grand jury was very satisfactory.

"We recommend that all County Funds deposited in any bank be covered by collateral security for more than enough to take care of daily deposits. The official from each department to be personally responsible for his balance.

"We also recommend that there is an utter disregard for certain laws both State and Federal; that we ap-

## Important Cases Come to Trial

The case of J. B. Munn charged with killing O. L. Holley, on March 26 was called Wednesday morning and attracted statewide interest. M. L. Smith assisted the solicitor in the prosecution while M. M. The case lasted until Saturday morning, resulting in a mistrial. Munn being granted bail in the sum of \$5,000.

A. R. Mayers charged with killing R. S. Williams was called to trial Monday morning. The jury received the case about one o'clock Tuesday and after a short deliberation returned a verdict of not guilty.

Will Brewington, who attempted to kill Jim Truesdale, in that he badly cut him with a knife, was found guilty of assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature and drew a three year sentence.

Arthur Simmons and Mose Billops, Charlotte men, captured near Bethune with a car loaded with liquor drew sentences of six months each.

## Grand Jury Presentment

The Grand Jury presentment as handed to Judge Townsend makes a number of recommendations and is signed by W. F. Nettles, as foreman. It is as follows:

"Finance Committee with County Delegation have awarded a contract for a complete audit of all County books for year 1931-1932 prior to November term of Court.

"Jail committee beg to report jail in fair condition and over-crowded

## Wins Chairmanship



James A. Farley, New York City, was rewarded for the winning fight he made as pre-convention manager for Roosevelt by being elected Chairman of the Democratic National Committee to conduct the party campaign.