

PRODUCES GREEN COTTON.

Claim of Farmer Residing Near Dalton—Texture Fine.

Dalton, Ga., Feb. 15.—C. F. O'Bryant, a farmer residing in the Pleasant Grove district of this county, claims to have produced cotton the staple of which is a pronounced green, thus attaining the objective long sought by agriculturists and scientists.

The staples of this "iridescent cotton" is a beautiful green color and of very fine texture and fiber, resembling lambswool.

Mr. O'Bryant has experimented for years in his effort to produce a cotton plant bearing a colored fiber and has announced his intention of producing a full crop of his new staple the coming year.

GERMAN BANK ROBBERS.

Burglars Said to Be Operating in Many Sections of Fatherland.

Bank robbers have been operating in parts of Germany recently under the pretext that they were collecting money for the allies for damages caused by the German army during the war.

In one instance, according to stories published in the German newspapers, at Cologne, Germany, a man in the uniform of a Belgian captain and accompanied by five guards and six Belgian soldiers, entered the bank of Probst and Company in Aachen a few days ago, saying he was seeking stolen money. The man showed papers purporting to have been stamped by the Belgian minister of justice, and insisted upon making a search of the bank's vault to "determine whether the institution held any coin stolen in Belgium in 1915."

The man dismissed the entire force of clerks and then directed the owner, Probst, to open the vaults. Afterward the man locked Probst in his private office and helped himself to about 370,000 marks and 75,000 Belgian francs.

Probst reported the affair to the authorities. The robber was arrested and the money recovered.

League of Nations Victory.

Excelsior Springs, Mo., Feb. 14.—The election of Capt. J. L. Milligan, Democratic candidate and league of nations advocate, over John E. Frost, Republican and league opponent, as representative in congress for the Third district was conceded at 9:30 o'clock tonight by W. L. Coles, chairman of the Republican state committee.

Captain Milligan's majority, Chairman Coles said, will be between 1,700 and 1,800.

The election was to choose a successor in congress to Secretary of Commerce Joshua Alexander and the league of nations was the dominant issue of the campaign.

REPTILE'S SKELETON FOUND.

Large Fossil is Found in Chalk Beds of Kansas.

The skeleton of a huge flying reptile, probably the largest flying creature that ever existed, which in its prehistoric day was as wide ranging an ocean traveler as a modern seaplane, has been placed on exhibition at the American Museum of Natural History, it was announced in New York right recently. Study of the mechanics of the creature's flight, which is planned by scientists, may throw light on the practical problems of aeronauts, it is declared.

The clumsy, toothless animal—a pteronodon—which flourished in the age of reptiles, many millions of years ago, had a wing spread of 16 feet from tip to tip, but because of its curious dimensions may not have been as heavy as a modern condor, which sometimes attains a 15-foot spread. It was nearly all wings and head, with a small body, slender hind legs, and a mere stump of a tail.

The specimen was found by Haniel T. Martin, curator of the Geological Museum of Kansas University, in the cretaceous chalk beds of the Smoky Hill river of western Kansas. It was believed to be the only mounted specimen of a pteronodon in any American museum.

Just Work.

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Slander.

Counsel—"Was the prisoner sober?"
Witness—"No, sir; he was as drunk as a judge."
The Judge—"You mean as drunk as a lord!"
Witness—"Yes, my lord!"—London Tit-Bits.

Of Course.

"See the dancing snowflakes."
"Practicing for the snowball, I suppose."—Boston Transcript.

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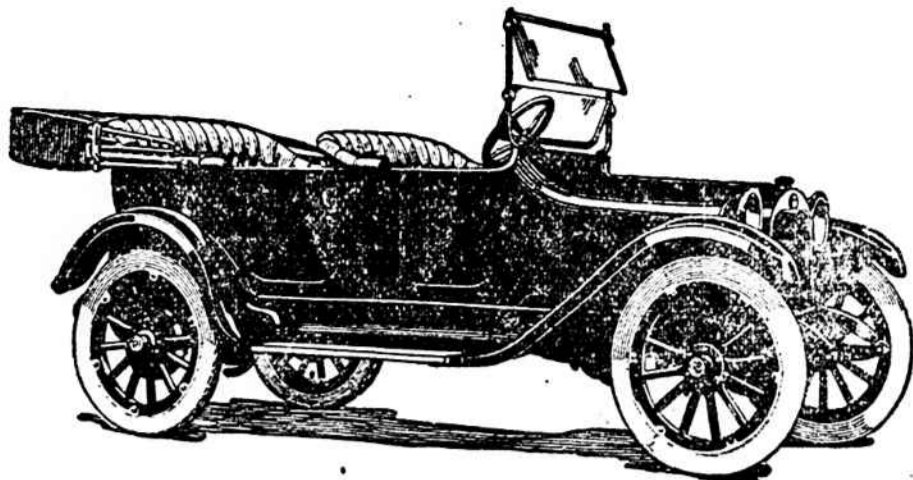
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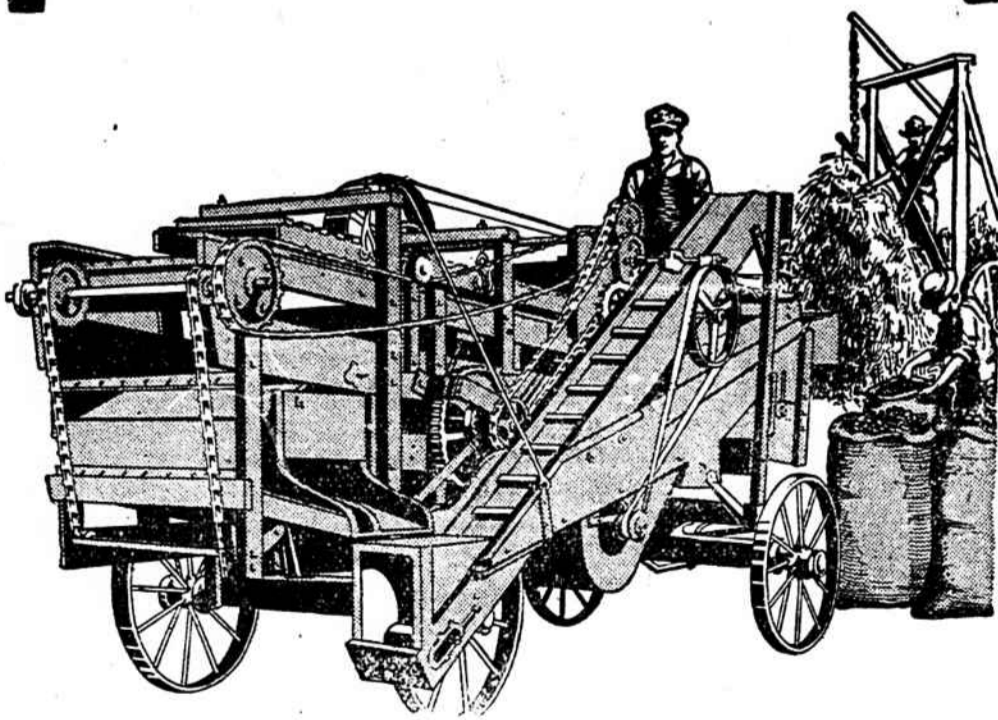
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"OUR HATS ARE OFF TO HIM"

The following is from a bulletin issued by Horace J. McGee, general agent of the New England Life Insurance Company, Anderson, S. C., to the agents in the State, in which I am credited with the first rank among the agents in South Carolina:

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THE "FLU" EPIDEMIC IS HERE

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