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HALL COUNTY WILL HELP CONSERVE FOOD

H. P. Dial County Administrator, Judges County's Co-operation Conservation Week.

Hall county will do her part in "Conservation," stated W. P. Dial, Memphis, County Food Administrator, at the great meeting in Amarillo last Thursday.

Pledge Card Week

During the week of October 28 to 31, every home in this country visited by the Food Administrator and his assistants the purpose being to get all our people in the cause of saving all of the food which has been wasted or allowed to go to waste.

Our Food Administrator is a man this week making plans for a great drive beginning Monday morning, and his assistants will be busy with the opening of the campaign. The pledge card campaign will be carried on in every county in the United States, and will be pushed vigorously.

After the pledge cards are received in Washington, and every name registered, instructions in regard to saving food will be mailed out. The men and women who make the canvass in every county are instructed to take the names of those who refuse and the reasons for refusal. These refusals will be forwarded to Washington.

It was clearly pointed out in the meeting at Amarillo last Thursday when County Administrators from forty counties in this northwest section gathered for a conference with Porter A. Whaley, District Administrator, that the necessity of saving food had become so important to the government, that if every person refused to save the waste of food, our nation would soon be on a ticket basis as the nations of Europe are today. Necessity was the motive of that meeting. Saving the waste adds greatly to the whole. It is a question of whether our people will do or not—it is a question of the death of democracy, and in that our government will not shrink from compelling the person who refuses to save food for our boy and our Allies who are fighting.

The Food Administrator from Dallas issued a challenge to the Administrators in each of the forty-four counties, stating that his county would show the greatest per cent of people having signed he pledge cards for 4. Every county at once accepted the challenge, and every County Administrator and his assistants are doing their best to beat Dallas. All people of this county are anxious to win in this friendly competition, and all will assist our administrator in the work.

Condemn Feeding Wheat

Regarding the farmers who have been feeding wheat to hogs, the following resolution was offered at the meeting in Amarillo:

Amarillo, Texas Oct. 18, 1917. The honorable Porter A. Whaley, District Food Administrator for the District of Texas:

Your committee, appointed to investigate resolutions looking to the conservation of the food supply of America, particularly affecting the breadstuffs, beg leave to report as follows: We await your further commands:

It is a well known fact that there is a great shortage in wheat in the use of the allied nations and the farmers and stock feeders have been feeding wheat to hogs and other live stock and there can possibly be no improvement advanced in favor of this practice, either on account of relative cost or cost of feeding as compared with the standard stock grains.

Wheat, fats and sugar are the three necessities which are short in this country. Save every slice of bread that has hitherto gone into the scrap bucket; eat more corn bread; eat less meat; use less sugar; study the substitutes which the government offers for these foods. These are the things our people MUST do if we win the war.

The County Administrator has vital facts which he wishes each and every one in this country to know. You do not have to wait until next week to sign the pledge. Go to him and ask him for a card and the booklets he has for distribution. Let all in this county join with him in making a real success of this great food conservation campaign.

Vital Points in Campaign
No one is expected to be wasteful. No one is expected to be hungry; all are expected to eat only the good common

METHODIST WILL MEET WEDNESDAY

Northwest Texas Conference of Methodist Church Will Convene Here October 31.

The Northwest Texas Annual Conference will convene at the First Methodist Church in Memphis, Wednesday morning at nine o'clock.

The majority of those coming will reach here Tuesday Oct. 30th, some on the morning trains, but the great crowd will come on the night trains. Let those who have autos be at the depot to take them to their homes. If you have agreed to entertain delegates remember they have a card with the name on it with whom they will stay, and will be at your house. Should the trains be late, your delegate will be there when it does come.

The Presiding Elders and all the under-graduates will get here Monday night. Also the standing committees, so don't be surprised if they reach you at this time. We trust all that have agreed to take delegates will do so, as it is difficult to make changes now.

Should there be any errors or misunderstandings, phone T. B. Newwood or the pastor.

J. R. Henson, Pastor.

Parent-Teachers' Association

Program of Parent-Teachers Association to be held at the High School auditorium Friday, Nov. 2, at 4 o'clock. Dance of Greeting—Primary Grades Roll call answered with current events.

Reading—Miss McKinney.

Communities and their Duties—?

Summary of School Work, to date—Miss Neel.

Home Study and How to Enforce It—Mr. Bird.

Every parent in Memphis is urged to attend these monthly meetings.

Every one is interested in having the best school possible, but are you doing your part to make it so? Are you willing to spend one hour in each month in studying the needs of the school and helping to make it a success.

Many parents have not even met the teachers of the Memphis school and do not realize how anxious they are to please you, which without your cooperation is almost impossible. Come to this meeting, meet the teacher who has charge of your child all day, and every one concerned will be greatly benefited.

Rioters Await Trial at Ft Sam Houston

San Antonio, Oct. 22.—The sixty-three negroes of the Twenty-fourth United States infantry who are to be tried by court-martial here Nov. 1, on charges of mutiny and murder growing out of the Houston riot, arrived in San Antonio Sunday morning under heavy guard and were taken at once to the cavalry guard house at Fort Sam Houston, where a company of the Nineteenth infantry has been assigned to guard them.

Amarillo Street Car Service Suspended

Amarillo, Texas, Oct. 22.—Amarillo had no street car service yesterday. Instructions were received from G. G. Brownell of New York, who purchased the Amarillo Street Railway Company at auction, to indefinitely suspend operation of the cars.

Immediate action to resume the service will be taken by the city commission. The system has been under Federal receivership since 1916.

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LIBERTY DAY MEETING PRONOUNCED SUCCESS

The Liberty Day Meeting, Called and Held Here Yesterday at the Request of the President, Was one of the Most Successful Public Meetings Ever Held in Hall County.

\$40,000 SUBSCRIBED FOR BONDS

A Large Crowd was in Attendance and Judge Huff Made a Great Speech, In Spite of the busy Season None Regret the Time Taken and All are Enthusiastic in Offering Aid.

Considered from every standpoint the Liberty Bond meeting held here yesterday, in accordance with the suggestion of President Wilson, was perhaps the most remarkable ever held. A large crowd was present and there was not a discordant note, nor probably a thought.

Because everyone is so exceedingly busy just now, at the height of cotton gathering and marketing season, there was doubt in minds of some that a representative gathering could be assembled; but there is no doubt by any that the Hall county people can be depended upon, regardless of how busy they are, to take time to do patriotic duty to their government.

The meeting was addressed by the Hon. S. P. Huff, Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, of Amarillo in a string, logical and patriotic speech asserting and emphasizing our duty to our country.

Those who know Judge Huff, and there are very few of our readers who do not, need not be told that the speech was both eloquent and impressive in an argumentative way, anyway, it was pleasantly effective, and there was little hesitancy when subscriptions were called for, after local bankers had explained how easy it is for any one to buy a bond, even though they have little ready money.

We understand that something over \$40,000 worth of bonds were subscribed for at, and immediately after the meeting.

Those who were not present and who wish to do their bit in this way will be able to get full information, and liberal assistance at any of the banks.

Bonds Jump \$9,000,000 in Texas

Dallas, Oct. 24.—In a Liberty day spurt subscriptions received at the Dallas Federal Reserve Bank up to noon today totaled \$9,000,000, according to officers of the Eleventh Reserve District Bank. This brings the total subscribed to date up to about \$28,000,000, leaving \$47,000,000 of the total \$75,000,000 quota to be raised.

Most of today's early subscriptions were from small takers. Reports of every section indicated big rallies to be held this afternoon. Meanwhile the Dallas bank is being flooded with telegrams glancing subscriptions and promising oversubscription of quotas from many districts.

President Subscribes \$15,000 to Loan

Washington, Oct. 24.—When leaders of the district of Columbia Liberty Loan campaign went to call on President Wilson today, presumably to get his subscription to get his subscription to the loan, they learned that he had subscribed for \$15,000 worth of bonds through a local bank, paying \$13,500 immediately and agreeing to pay the balance before Nov. 14.

The President bought \$10,000 worth of the first issue direct from the treasury.

Miss Flora Snow returned Wednesday from Los Angeles, California where she spent the summer.

White House Picketers Get 6 Months

Washington, Oct. 22.—Alice Paul, chairman of the Woman's Party, and Caroline Spencer, Colorado Springs, were sent to jail today to serve seven months for picketing the White House in Police Court a thirty days' sentence for last Saturday's sentence was added to the six months' sentence for a previous offense of Oct. 4.

Church Notice

Sunday services at the Church of Christ.
11 a. m. "The Wise Man"
7:30 p. m. "The Mission of Christ"

If you have stoves or furniture to sell phone 25.
N. T. Stillwell, who is employed at the Tourist Garage, was called to the bed side of his mother at Whitewright Texas, Thursday.
Dr. W. C. Mayes visited Amarillo Thursday.

NEW DRAFT LAW ANNOUNCED

Calculated to Do Away With Virtually All the Complicated Machinery of First Draft;

Washington, Oct. 20.—A sweeping change in the machinery of the selection draft based on division of 9,000,000 remaining registrants into five classes in order of their eligibility for military service was announced today by Provost Marshal General Crowder. Details of the plan, which has been approved by President Wilson, are not disclosed. It is calculated, however, to do away with virtually all the complicated machinery of the local boards hereafter little more than rubber stamp proceedings.

Registrant to Know Position

The plan was worked out at conferences with local and district boards of this and approved by the various state authorities. Its chief features are that every registered man will know his exact position and be able to arrange his affairs accordingly and that no man deemed necessary in any important industry or needed at home to support his family will be called to the colors unless the military situation is desperate.

Distilled regulations to govern the new system are now being made ready for distribution to local and district board members. General Crowder in a formal statement assures them that they will be given ample opportunity to familiarize themselves with these regulations before the machinery provided is called into use. As the next call to the colors is to be made under the new plan this assurance is taken to indicate that the second call is not to be expected before the first of the year, although no authoritative statement on this point was available to-night.

Card of Thanks

I want to express my thanks to the ladies who worked so faithfully in securing homes for the entertaining of the North West Texas Conference which meets here next Wednesday. In behalf of the ladies who helped in securing homes, I want to thank all those whose homes are opened so freely, and trust that each home may get a blessing out of the Conference. This is the greatest gathering of prominent men Memphis has ever had to visit us. We want every one to help make this a great occasion, and get all the good out of it possible.

If there are any whose homes have not been offered, and you want to help a good cause, please report to J. R. Henson.

Again thanking everybody who is helping.

Chairman of Committee

Civil service examination for postmaster at Memphis, Nov. 14. Examination open to all citizens and appointment to competitor making highest mark. Complete course of instruction and sample examination papers obtainable from J. C. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner) Kenos Bldg., Washington D. C.

That broken chair, or other piece of furniture, can be made serviceable at little cost, phone 25.

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ATTEMPTED IMPEACHMENT, ITS CAUSES

James E. Ferguson Reviews Events Leading to His Trial and Impeachment.

In order that the record may be clearly made, I desire at this time to make this statement in reference to my impeachment trial which caused my resignation from the office of Governor. I will not speak in a spirit of bitterness but simply give my views of the facts.

When, in 1914 as an unknown man, I was elected Governor of the State over the protest of the politicians I incurred the enmity of a certain crowd who have never forgiven me.

Later when I insisted upon the enactment into law of my platform pledges giving some protection to the tenant farmer and a more liberal policy to the common schools of the country, I again incurred the enmity of designing politicians because they knew that these reforms would be duly appreciated by the people.

Later, when I urged the Passage of what is known as the "Gibson Insurance Bill" having for its purpose the bringing more and cheaper money to the home-seekers of Texas, a better opportunity to purchase and pay for their own homes, I again incurred the enmity of the local insurance companies who now enjoy a monopoly of the lending of money by defeating the Gibson Bill and their influence was very attractive in the demand for my impeachment.

Coming on down to the Regular Session of the Legislature, in the exercise of what I deemed to be a righteous request, I recommended to the Legislature the passage of what is known as the Full Crew Bill for the better protection of the lives of the trainmen who operate the railroads of the country and this brought upon me active opposition from the railroad companies, and the friends of the Senate were quite pronounced in the clamor for my political destruction.

Again, in pursuance of the Democratic Platform, I urged upon the Legislature the passage of a Text-book law in order that the children who patronize the various schools of the State might purchase their books at reasonable prices. This brought violent, active and corrupt opposition to me and their activities during the impeachment trial were so plain that everybody knows just where and how the book trust exercised its influence against me because they knew their monopoly heretofore enjoyed would not be perpetuated in the next school book adoption if I remained in the Governor's chair.

When I asked the Thirty-fourth Legislature to appropriate a million dollars for the benefit of the rural schools, University crowd, while not objecting at that time, nevertheless began to look upon such legislation with apprehension and fear that it might cause some decrease in the extravagant appropriations for the University and when in my message to the Thirty-fifth Legislature I stated that for every dollar appropriated for higher education I wanted three dollars appropriated for the common schools of the country, the silent fear and apprehension heretofore existing in the minds of the University crowd at once blazed forth into violent opposition to my tenure in office; and when the appropriation for the University of \$1,640,000.00 was presented to me for approval and when I respectfully requested the Board of Regents to meet with me to discuss this appropriation which was giving \$545.00 to the University student when the student in the common schools of the country was only getting \$15.00, the University faculty at once became frantic and organized a howling mob to storm me and the Board of Regents in my private office, hoping to intimidate and coerce me into approving the bill. And in order to further intimidate me and to deprive the members of the Board of Regents whom I had appointed to office from exercising their legal rights to control the University, they secured an injunction from an Austin Judge restraining the Regents from having anything to do with the management of the University. Because I refused to be intimidated, and vetoed the University appropriation bill, because of

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SUMMARY OF WORLD'S IMPORTANT EVENTS

AMERICA HAS ENTERED GREAT WAR WITH ALL HER POWERFUL RESOURCES.

EUROPEAN WAR IN BRIEF

Many Occurrences of Interest and Information Recorded Here in Condensed Form.

AMERICA'S PART IN WAR—

Less than 7 per cent of the \$5,000,000,000 which the government hopes to obtain in subscriptions to the second liberty loan had been subscribed at the close of business last Thursday night. The total was \$396,465,000.

Germany financed Irish-American propaganda organizations in the United States as early as 1909 to combat the newly developed movement for celebration of 100 years of peace between America and Great Britain. President Wilson has learned from leaders in the centenary celebration.

Declaring that efforts to disparage the work of the American Red Cross are being made in various sections of the country as part of an anti-patriotic propaganda, General Manager Harvey D. Wilson telegraphed all Red Cross division managers to begin a Nation-wide campaign to trace the movement of its source and combat it.

The southern department of the National Y. M. C. A. war council at a conference in Dallas pledged the states of Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona, Arkansas and Louisiana to raise \$1,100,000 toward the fund of \$35,000,000 which the National council will raise to carry on the Y. M. C. A. among the American soldiers training in this country and among the soldiers of the allies in Europe.

WASHINGTON

Announcement of the general method by which the American merchant marine is to be requisitioned by the government was made by Bainbridge Colby of the Shipping board in a notice sent to ship owners. The requisition will include at first only cargo ships of more than 2,500 tons dead weight capacity and passenger vessels of more than 2,500 gross tons register.

The food administration has made it plain that it did not propose to attempt the fixing of prices on the food and feed commodities under the president's licensing order, but that its energies, through regulations that are to be issued soon on cotton seed and its products, would be devoted to the elimination of hoarding and speculation.

A protest against the sending of 12,000 negroes of the draft army to Camp Funston, Kans., and the transfer of 4,500 white soldiers of the National army to other camps was made by Mayor W. H. Thompson of Junction City and other officials and citizens in a telegram to Secretary of War Baker.

The general shortage of labor in industries that must be kept going at top speed if the United States is to throw its whole strength into the war is giving considerable concern to government officials. Concessions in some parts of the country already threaten production of essential materials.

Food pledge week, set for Oct. 21 to 27, has been postponed to the week of Oct. 28 to Nov. 4 by Food Administrator Hoover at the request of President Wilson, so that it will not conflict with the final week of the second Liberty loan drive.

Admiral Mayo, commander in chief of the Atlantic fleet and his staff, have returned from England, where they participated in a naval conference with the allies. The announcement was authorized by the Navy.

Strict regulation of the baking industry has been promised by Food Administrator Hoover. Plans to control bread production and distribution are already under consideration.

To provide recreation for the 30,000 soldiers at Camp Doniphan, Logan, Ok., was asked to raise \$15,000 and the national campaign was to provide another \$15,000, making a total of \$30,000 for this purpose. Logan subscribed her allotment.

Senator La Follette of Wisconsin has been invited by the senate committee investigating his alleged disloyal speech at St. Paul to appear before the committee for a hearing regarding assertions in his address.

Discussion of the advisability of expanding the call for the second increment of the army now is in progress at the War department.

DOMESTIC—

Upon petition or several hundred voters the Shreveport, La., city council called a referendum election for Nov. 15 on the proposition of abolishing the vice district.

A petition filed in the district court at Oklahoma City to test the constitutionality of the bone-dry law makes the Santa Fe railway defendant. It seeks to compel the railroad to transport shipment of altar wine to be used by Catholic priests in their mass services.

Policeman W. H. McCray and Walter Clark, a negro, are dead, and six others wounded as the result of a gun battle at Danville, Va., in which Clark barricaded himself in his house and held a crowd of nearly 3,000 at bay for two hours. The negro was killed by a volley as he tried to escape, after the house had been fired.

Minneapolis flour mills are ordered to cut their production to 50 per cent of capacity until further notice in order to relieve the scarcity of wheat at eastern mills. The order was issued by the milling division of the food administration. Iowa, Montana and North and South Dakota mills likewise are affected.

There was a gain of \$11,000,000 in individual and time deposits in Oklahoma state banks from June 24 to Sept. 11, according to the consolidated bank statement issued by Bank commissioner. Resources of the 567 state banks are shown at \$110,809,444, the largest in the history of the Oklahoma state banks.

The Rockefeller foundation announced that it had appropriated an additional \$150,000 for works at American army cantonments by the Playgrounds and Recreation association of America. Its total year's budget for this work is \$200,000.

FOREIGN—

Vice Admiral von Capelle, the German minister of marine, has resigned, according to the Frankfurter Zeitung of Amsterdam.

A naturalized American citizen of German birth who escaped to Switzerland from a German seaport declared that events to which Admiral von Capelle referred in the reichstag include the sailor organization on many ships which dismantled and threw guns overboard, assaulted officers and refused to obey orders.

There is much concern among the people of Argentina over disclosures of German intrigues to bring about a conflict between Brazil, Argentina and Uruguay. The Argentine papers comment extensively on the disclosure that the German legation at Buenos Aires paid for the publication of a booklet predicting war between Brazil and Argentina.

France has for a year been producing 250,000 shells a day for the famous "75" guns as compared with 12,000 daily when the war began, it is said on high authority. The estimate of credits voted by France from August, 1914, until America entered the conflict, was nearly \$21,000,000,000, of which more than \$19,500,000,000 came from the savings of the French people.

EUROPEAN WAR HAPPENINGS—

A dispatch from the British headquarters says that a prisoner from the German reserve, in describing the discipline of his corps, declared that before the last battle a regimental commander addressed his troops with the warning that any who held back would be shot. The only answer was a general groaning, swelling into derisive laughter, upon which the commander rode away.

Along the Pakoff road in the Riga sector of the Russian front the Russians again have been forced to give ground to the Germans. Farther south, the Russians in counter attacks have recaptured trenches which the Germans took on Wednesday.

The Brazilian government proposes to utilize seized German steamers for the organization of international steamship lines. The vessels will fly the Brazilian flag and will be used in the interest of Brazil and the allies.

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QUICK AID GIVEN WOUNDED

Rapid Treatment After Battle and New Cleansing Methods Save Lives of Many Soldiers.

Lieut. Col. Gilbert Barling, C. B., a famous English surgeon who is consulting surgeon to the great base hospitals at Rouen, which accommodate 15,000 patients, says that since the war began immense strides have been made in the surgery of the battlefield. Two improvements that may be noticed as having taken place since the outbreak of hostilities, writes a correspondent of the New York Times, are in connection with the rapid treatment of the wounded after a big battle and the cleansing of wounds.

Five or ten miles behind the fighting sufficient casualty clearing stations—each holding about 1,000 men—have been organized to deal with all the casualties that may reasonably be expected, so that once a man is picked up by the stretcher bearers he receives adequate treatment within a very short time. Here also is a special hospital, perhaps of 50 beds, for abdominal cases, which are the most urgent.

In the old days such wounds, because of the delay before they could be treated and cleaned, were generally considered to be fatal; but under the new conditions, by which a man so hit is placed in an ambulance and sent off immediately, if necessary, without waiting for other wounded to be placed in with him, the dangerous delay is overcome, and the wound kept aseptic and more amenable to treatment.

One hundred thousand persons participated in a great demonstration in Montevideo in favor of the entente allies and in approval of the Uruguayan government's rupture with Germany.

Nicholas Romanoff, the former emperor of Russia and his family, have been transferred from Tobolsk, Siberia, to the Abolok monastery, 14 miles from Tobolsk. The transfer was made at the request of the former emperor.

The statements of Admiral von Capelle, the German minister of marine, turned the reichstag into a theater of wildcat scandal, says Vorwarts, discussing the exposure of mutinies within the German navy.

The inactivity of the German fleet in the Baltic Sea recently when there were obvious opportunities for attacking Russia, according to a dispatch from Amsterdam, was due to the mutinous outbreak in the German navy.

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"Well, why not?" asked the man with ferret eyes.
"That's monstrous."
"Oh, I don't know. Pigs are an asset. Children are a liability."

His Advantage.
Lawyer—I say, doctor, why are you always running lawyers down?
Doctor (dryly)—Well, your profession doesn't make angels of men, does it?
Lawyer—Why, no; you certainly have the advantage of us there, doctor.

High Art.
"Here is a picture," said Neurich, who has made his pile in munitions, "that I paid ten thousand dollars for in Paris."
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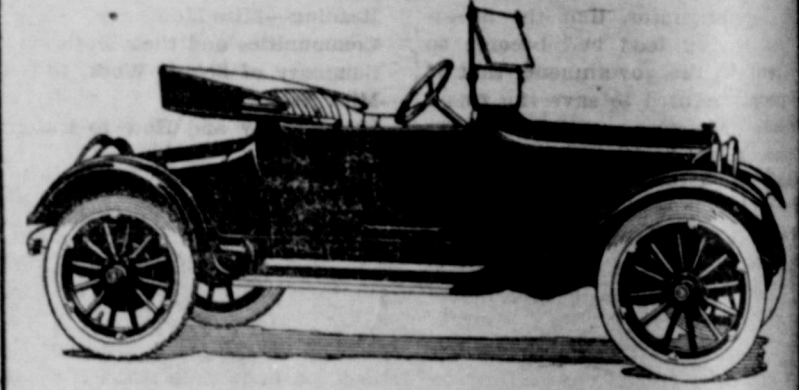
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- 1/2 teaspoon salt
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- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1 cup milk
- 2 tablespoons shortening

NUT BREAD

- 1 cup Graham Flour
- 1 level teaspoon Dr. Price's Baking Powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup milk and water
- 1 cup sugar or other sweet
- 1 cup chopped nuts (not too fine) or 1 cup raisins, walnuts and almonds

Mix thoroughly dry ingredients; add milk and melted shortening and beat well. Bake in greased mold for 45 minutes in warm place. Bake in moderate oven at 350 degrees.

FOR A FARMER

Read What a Well-known Man Said Recently, Talking to One Thousand Farmers.

"A few words to the man who says, 'I can do better with my money than buying Liberty Bonds.' 'Supposing everyone talked this way, the Loan would fail. Our Government, our allies, our soldiers, would be disheartened. Who knows but that our allies, weakened financially and physically by years of effort, might lie down, and the German fleet sail for these shores. Remember, if they do get by, they will be in New York and Galveston harbors within a week. You think I am talking nonsense. Had I told you four years ago, that this war would have happened, you would have called me a madman. Had I told you that the war, with all its horrors, would last three years, you would have laughed at me. Had I told you that Uncle Sam would call upon the patriotism of the people of your district, and that for three weeks, they would make no response, you would have been indignant. Yet all these things have happened, and I tell you that German invasion, with a consequent paralysis of trade, country-wide unemployment and taxes which stagger the imagination, are not mere possibilities, they are probabilities unless you wake up. I implore you for the sake of your business, your children, your home, your Country, and humanity to wake up."

SAY GOOD-BY BUT NEVER GO

Ukulele Boys From Hawaii Refuse to Depart Although They Are Always Singing About It.

Here (in New York's tearooms), during the past few months, one was reasonably sure of finding a delegation from the Hawaiian colony, consisting of stout persons attired as shirtwaist boys, all armed with the national weapon of their race, the ukulele, and all wearing about their throats necklets of colored paper; this last I take it being a precaution designed to save them from being mistaken for Pullman porters on an outing. Irvin S. Cobb writes in the Saturday Evening Post.

These persons sing. Frequently they also play; but always they sing. I have never even been to those fair islands whence they come, but I gather from my local observations of visiting natives that their land is principally populated by a race who spend their time telling you good-by and then never going. They do not practice what they preach. In mournful numbers, hour after hour they bid you a lingering musical good-by and then turn right round and disappoint everybody by continuing to stay there. To them parting is such sweet sorrow, they refuse to part. But they are willing to sing about it, world without end. I should admire to meet a Hawaiian minstrel some time who told you he was going and then made good, but I'm afraid I never shall; it would be contrary to his nature and his training.

Neglected Opportunity.

"This traveler says he has visited the site of the Garden of Eden." "Wonderful!" exclaimed Mrs. Frisber. "And what does the Garden of Eden look like now?" "Oh, it's rather desolate." "I shouldn't wonder. After the place acquired a bad reputation I don't suppose any real estate men cared to develop it."

Remember the fruit and vegetable man. Others go and come, but I stay. W. A. Basham, the fruit and vegetable man. tfe.

Softening Flannels.

Little glycerin added to the water with which baby flannels are washed will soften them. Make a strong lather of water and a good white soap, and lukewarm wash the flannels out. Do not rub soap directly on the flannel. To whiten flannels, make a solution of one and one-half pound of white soap, one-third quart soda and 12 gallons of water.

DAY-DAY COOKING HINTS

Steak is one of the finest selections for a main dish for a meal. A large piece can be used for three meals if properly prepared. The tenderloin can be served with a sauce of beef; the next cut used is the brisket, and the next is the top. The brisket can be served as hamburger steak, or as a real old-fashioned Irish stew. But don't forget the onions. A steak is better for the addition of onions. A steak smothered in onions is very delectable. There is not a woman in this country who can afford to be without a good pot. Hotel cooks always have a hand, and any soup can be made most readily from it. Add a tomato for tomato soup. If cream is wanted, add milk and a little butter thickening. If vegetable is desired, add some vegetables and so on through a variety of

of lamb is just as good as liver if properly prepared. Dip it in flour and add one cup of water for gravy. Instead of smoking up the house by fat from suet, put the suet in water.—Mrs. M. A. Wilson in Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Exerts a Beneficent Influence on Period of Adolescence.

Every child should own a tree. A tree is a symbol of life. It lives. It stands for everything that is noble. It is rooted in the soil and stretches itself toward heaven. It stands for patience, humility, persistence, beauty, courage and God. The child should plant the tree himself and thereafter watch it grow year by year. He should put his hands on its rough bark and say: "This is my tree. I will stand by it, and live up to it."

It is curious how blind we sometimes are to certain ideals because we cannot see and handle them. We need something to connect us with the invisible but none the less potent and formative world of aspiration and inspiration. What could be better than a tree?

There is something about the silent beauty of a tree that casts over us a spell of calmness and invincibility. The storms of life may sway and break our branches, the grim and melancholy autumn may strip us of our brilliance, but the spring will come once more and clothe us in a new glory. So we go on fulfilling the majesty of the law. If our child owns a tree, the memory of its beneficent influence will cling to him through life.—Country Gentleman.

The Argentine senate by a vote of 23 to one has declared for the breaking off of relations with Germany. There is strong public feeling in favor of its final passage in the chamber of deputies.

Peace would come from the recent proposals of Pope Benedict if the belligerent nations would enter into negotiations in the sense of the pontiff's suggestions. Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary says in his reply to the vatican note.

Casualties in the British ranks reported for the past week follow: Killed or died of wounds, 125 officers and 4,755 men; officers wounded or missing, 431, men wounded or missing, 21,843.

POLITICAL PRAYER MEETINGS

It is a sad day for Christianity when the church bells call the communicants together for a political prayer meeting. Such gatherings mark the high tide of religious political fanaticism, put bitterness into the lives of men; fan the flames of class hatred and destroy Christian influence in the community. The spirit actuating such meetings is anarchistic, un-Christlike and dangerous to both church and state.

The success of the nation is in the hands of the farmer.

Work for the best and the best will rise up and reward you.

Tenant farming is just one thing after another without a pay day.

THEMISTOCLES

When Themistocles was asked by his host at a dinner party to entertain the guests by playing the lute, he replied that he could not play the fiddle, but that he could make a small town a great city. We have in this nation many politicians who are good "fiddlers," but they cannot make a small town a great city. We are overrun with orators who can play upon the passions of the people, but they can't put brick and mortar together. We need builders. Let those who hunger and thirst for power understand that the highest glory of a statesman is to construct, and that it is better for a man that he should build a public highway than that he should become Governor of a state, and that he start a plow than that he become the author of a law. The true test of statesmanship is the plow and the hammer, so let those who would govern, first build.

BLACKBURN STOCK

ATTENTION TO COLT'S FEET

Untrimmed Hoofs Usually Grow Long and Uneven and Crooked Foot or Leg is the Result.

The care of a horse's feet should commence when he is a colt, that is, before he is weaned. Untrimmed hoofs usually grow long and uneven, and a crooked foot, or worse, a crooked leg is the result. Failure to regulate the length and bearing of the foot may make a straight leg crooked or a crooked leg worse, while intelligent care during the growing period can gradually improve a leg that is crooked at birth.

When picking up a colt's foot teach him to stand on three legs and not depend on the one holding up his foot for the fourth point of support. The handling of a colt's foot begins with the near front foot. Tie a rope around the pastern, grasp the rope close to the foot, push gently against the shoulder, and quickly lift the foot. The lifting of the foot must be simultaneous with the weight shifting to the other feet. Gentle the foot and leg and let it down. Repeat several times and then trim and level the hoof.

GOOD REMEDY FOR BLACKLEG

Disease is Easily Prevented by Vaccine—Can Be Obtained in Pellet and Liquid Form.

Blackleg affects principally young cattle. Rarely an animal over three years old is attacked. The disease is of bacterial nature which manifests itself by lameness and extreme swelling of one or more quarters of the animal. The swollen parts feel as though gas had accumulated underneath the skin and the disease is identified by a peculiar cracking sound given off when the affected part is rubbed with the hand.

Blackleg is prevented easily and inexpensively by vaccine. There is nothing in the old notion of putting a rowel under the skin. You can get commercial vaccine both in liquid and pellet form from various commercial concerns and you can secure it free from the bureau of animal industry at Washington in powdered form. Outfit for vaccination costs but little and one outfit will do for the whole neighborhood.

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(Continued from front page)

its extravagance, the faculty mob and the unwarranted injunction, the University crowd at once entered into conspiracy to remove me from office. Like all conspirators who form a unrighteous design they were willing to join forces with any influence that would help them accomplish their nefarious design. It took but a little time for the University crowd to align with them the book trust, the railroads, the disappointed politicians and disappointed office seekers, as well as those who have now future political aspirations to hold high office in Texas. Among the political has-beens and the political would-bes were those who were in friendly touch with and closely identified with the corporate interests of the State and they joined with the common purpose to remove me from office in order that one more acceptable to the various special interests involved might be enthroned in power.

It was more than amusing, notwithstanding the gravity of the proceedings, to see the prohibition politician, the anti politician, the railroad lobbyists, the school book grafter and corporate hireling with their arms around each other's neck, more times drunk than sober, in one mad howling clan, clamoring for the political life and private character of a Governor who had committed no wrong sufficient to justify the severe penalty of impeachment. I say this, because the counsel for the impeachment crowd admitted in his speech to the Senate that not one of the twenty-one charges urged against me were sufficient in themselves to justify impeachment but that impeachment was asked on the twenty-one charges considered together. In other words, the reasons were not sufficient but the outs wanted in.

And so when the day came to vote upon the charges, I was tried by a Senate who, though requiring its members to try me impartially, contained at least eight members who had openly and boldly declared they would vote for my impeachment before a life of testimony was ever offered in the House of Representatives, much less before the Senate. It must be a joke to every fair minded man to think of the complete membership of the Senate of Texas trying me impartially. I was denied the right to question the Senators as to their prejudice against me or to even object to my political and personal enemies sitting in judgement upon the trial of my case. In other words the Governor of Texas did not have the same chance of securing an impartial jury as is given to a "nigger" crap-shooter or a "nigger" boot-legger.

But, after the vote was taken upon all charges, the Senate did not dare adopt but ten of twenty-one charges, thus proving to every fair minded man that in the mad desire to impeach me they had more untrue charges against me than they themselves would say were true.

And more culpable still and more evident of the real design for my impeachment was the attempt to deprive me from holding any office under the State of Texas. One Senator said that I ought to be deprived from holding office because it would prevent me in the future from appealing to the masses and arraying them against the classes. Another Senator said that the main purpose of the impeachment was not only to remove me from the office but to remove from the domain of Texas politics and the men who expressed before way or another by a great majority of the Texas Senate who had always been politically opposed to me and were therefore incapable of giving me a fair trial and morally disqualified to sit in judgement upon the merits of my case. They were unwilling to allow the people of Texas to pass judgement upon their acts though they had exercised the right to pass judgement upon my acts. They wanted to exercise the right to

condemn me but deprive the people of the right to condemn them. They want to take from the people the right to name their public servant in the most important office within their gift. They arrogate to themselves that they can do no wrong. This idea, of course is but the result of the University idea of intellectual superiority of a few over the many, and of course when all the facts are taken into consideration it is quite apparent that it was possible for one man to thwart the wicked design of the special interests and the designing few to impeach a Governor. In other words, for the time being autoeracy has triumphed over democracy.

But thanks be to High Heaven, the people will yet rule and they will have the opportunity to pass upon the issue of this great controversy and in order that this right may be guaranteed, I, on September 24th, tendered my resignation as Governor to the Secretary of State in order that I might be left free to go to the people and lay in detail the facts which I have referred to herein, before the people in full assurance and hope that I will be vindicated and return to the Governor's chair once more to become their humble servant.

My friends can address me at Temple, Texas, and I will be glad to hear from them at any time.

JAMES E. FERGUSON.

The Slacker.

Now, since we've joined the army,

Do you think you are doing right

When you treat the slacker better?

Than the man who has to fight?

If he won't defend his country.

He is hardly worth a damn.

And nothing but a nuisance—

In the eyes of Uncle Sam.

From eighteen years to forty.

He's supposed to volunteer.

And buckle on his armor.

With but little sign of fear;

But you'll find him chasing dollars.

Playing games and at the dance,

For he'd rather go to hell.

Than take a trip to France.

We're not disposed to grumble.

But we think it mighty queer

That the soldier drinks the water

While the slacker gets the beer.

We must always be in quarters.

Rather early in the night,

And show up in the morning

With our faces clean and bright.

But the slacker is a piker.

And with no one else to please,

Save the one and forty pounder.

That he arms around at ease.

He is all for gain and pleasure.

For his country takes no chance.

But he ought to go to hell.

If he doesn't go to France.

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You have money that you do not

need until next spring. Loan it to

the government at good interest.

When you want the money back

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or sell it for what you gave for it.

Uncle Sam will take care of your

money until you need it and pay you

interest on it, and you will be pro-

tecting yourself and your business

by loaning him the money.

Go and buy a Liberty Bond tomor-

row. Don't put it off—things that

are put off often do not get done at

all. Tomorrow.

FOR WOMEN.

How does the war concern you?

The mothers who have a boy who

has gone to fight for his country,

will not ask such a question. But

if the war has not touched you yet,

you may ask this question.

There are feelings that only moth-

ers know, and only women under-

stand. Think of the mothers who

Rosalie's Rest

The very pale girl made straight for the hammock couch and relaxed into a spineless attitude of fatigue.

"Good gracious, Rosalie!" remarked the aquatic enthusiast, whose hair was still damp from her third swim that day. "I can't say that the country did much for you. You look limper than you did after the Red Cross course. What happened—typhoid, or something?"

Rosalie sighed and shook her head sadly.

"No," she said, "not just typhoid, not merely typhoid; it was typhoid and heart failure and scarlet fever and chronic rheumatism and jaundice and old age and sunstroke and paralysis and cholera infantum and—"

"Stop!" cried the pink-ruffled young woman who was embroidering napkins. "You were gone exactly one month. It would take a lifetime for all that to happen to you."

"I never said it happened to me," retorted Rosalie. "If it had happened to me I shouldn't have had to hear so much about it, and there would have been some satisfaction in that. You've no idea how perfectly killing second-hand illnesses can become. You see—"

"Rosalie," interrupted the aquatic enthusiast, "begin nearer the front. Where were you?"

"Certainly! Be systematic in giving the horrid details," urged the flat-heeled girl, who was polishing her bone-rimmed spectacles. "We are strong and can endure them. Besides, it sounds like a plot for a movie."

"If you'll make a movie scenario out of it I'll tell you." The very pale girl set up and grew unexpectedly animated. "You know, Weedport is miles from a railroad. You reach it by stage from Closter. I entered in the stage along with some country women whose rosy cheeks made me awfully envious. I couldn't help admiring them as much as I did the view. But presently they fell to talking. The older one said she had some mysterious disease that might mow her down at any time and I really became nervous for fear she'd fall against me and jab me with the stiff quill on her hat.

"Then the young one refused to be outdone, so she explained how she'd been doctorin' with Old Doc Ellis for months now and he couldn't tell whether she had kidney or a peritonitis. Next they got discussing various other invalids in Weedport—how Mr. Murphy would probably lose his mind, and Miss Hopkins looked as if she was going into a decline.

LIVE STOCK

SORE SHOULDERS OF HORSES

Don't Let Animals Work Single Hour in Ill-Fitting Collars—Be Watchful in Spring.

(By GEORGE H. GLOVER, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins, Colo.)

We know how annoying it is to be obliged to lay a horse off in the midst of spring's work, on account of sore shoulders or sore neck.

Do not forget that it is your own fault.

Some men always make sore shoulders, some never do. A good man is often seen in front of his horses, adjusting their collars and hames. Don't let a horse work an hour in an ill-fitting collar.

The greatest care is needed in the spring when work first starts, for the horse will shrink and the collar will soon be too large. A collar that is too large will injure the shoulders more than one that is too tight.

Imagine a man trying to play baseball before his hands have become toughened. A horse works with his shoulders. Keep them well. Look at them several times a day. Keep the shoulders and the collar clean. If a shoulder gets sore it is the driver's fault; hold him responsible.



Have you not, some where in the house, unused pieces of jewelry, out of fashion and possibly, out of repair? Do not let them lie idle longer! Bring them to us and let us show you how they may be remodeled, modernized and beautified. We will suggest Modern designs that will conform to your own ideas and taste



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On the same day, we received and unloaded a car of Wilson Heaters. This famous heating stove needs no introduction to the public, for they have been sold and used here for a long time.

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Now that is "going some," isn't it? Two carloads of goods in one day. But that is exactly what we did and now we've got to sell them. We have them. You need them. Simple, isn't it?

SLATON & MILLER

Local and Personal

Help us make this column a feature of our City. Let your wants and desires be known by using the telephone. Phone 15

John McGill left Wednesday for Dallas.

Miss Velma Neel returned Monday from Dallas.

Brody and cut-glass at R. H. WHERRY'S.

Miss Lillie Snow returned Monday from Dallas.

R. Stroud went to Dallas Wednesday night.

A. Womack went to Dallas Tuesday morning.

L. Tucker was at Hedley several days this week.

Polman of Paris spent several days here this week.

L. Hanna of Ft. Worth spent several days in Memphis.

Edman Kodak and Kodak supplies at R. H. WHERRY'S.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meyer, a girl Sunday.

Judge and Mrs. A. S. Moss returned Sunday from Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boswell returned Monday from St. Jo.

Howard Hill of Seymour spent Sunday of last week here.

Max King came down from Dumas Wednesday to spend a few days.

Mrs. Pearl Boykin and daughter, Gladie, left Tuesday night for Dallas.

Mrs. W. H. Roberts left Tuesday for Fort Worth to visit her son, Dale.

Jim Stephens of Tennessee came in today to visit his cousin, Henry Stephens.

Mrs. Raymond Ballew returned yesterday from Stanford. She was accompanied home by her mother Mrs. B. Dodson.

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Lump coal is better, and few as good as "Ravenwood" Nigger-Head costs no more than other kinds but is much further and gives more than many kinds offered at about same price. Buy of the Woodridge Lumber Company.

T. F. Benton returned Monday from Dallas.

Ollie Davidson returned from Dallas Monday.

Miss Inez Nelson returned from Dallas Tuesday.

J. A. Whaley returned Monday from Dallas.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Benton, a boy Monday.

Mrs. Lillie Davis came in from Houston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Ball returned Monday from Dallas.

Jot Montgomery visited Fort Worth and Dallas this week.

The very latest novelties in Jewellery at R. H. WHERRY'S.

John Deaver went to Waxahatchie Friday returning Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Stephens left Saturday for Houston to visit relatives.

Mrs. Andrews of Crowell is here visiting her son, C. W. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing spent several days at Dallas this week.

Mrs. C. H. Smith of Duncan, Oklahoma, came Sunday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Leon Montgomery and children are visiting relatives at Shamrock this week.

St. Richerson of Hedley was here Wednesday looking after business matters.

Mr. Joe Howard, a prominent Childress farmer and stock raiser, was here a short while Wednesday.

Mrs. M. J. Montgomery of Amidst New Mexico, came in Sunday night for several weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. L. W. Willis.

Mrs. Jim Wilson and little daughter Pauline, returned Sunday from Dallas where she has been visiting her son, Charles, who is in school there.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sheppard and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wilkins, accompanied Mr. Cooper to Clarendon Sunday afternoon, in his new Paige car.

OF INTEREST TO COTTON FARMERS

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Give us a fair share of your ginning and we will either buy your bale or make the man who does bull the market.

We claim that our samples will average you, on a number of bales, ten to twenty points above cotton ginned by any other system, and we guarantee you the best turnout.

This means the adding of some dollars to your bank account and ours too. We hope to gin a share of your cotton.

We promise you every courtesy at our command.

Very truly yours,
WHITE & WALKER

South Side Tailor Shop.

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We have opened a tailor shop in connection with our barber business on the south side of the square. Mr. W. M. Sessions, an experienced and proficient in this line of work is in charge and we guarantee that you will receive satisfactory service. Work will be called for and finished and delivered promptly. We ask a part of your patronage in this line. Phone No. 3. HOWELL & NEWMAN.

Notice to Taxpayers

By order of the Commissioners' court, and to avoid confusion, I wish to notify the tax-payers that the road tax has been raised from \$1.50 as it was last year, to \$3.50 for this year which is the original levy required by law.

J. M. Wilborn,
County Treasurer.

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MEMPHIS HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Items of Interest, Happenings and Personals, at the Memphis High School.

On account of the inconvenience on bad days to the grammar school students, who had to stand in line until the whole high school marched in, the method of marching in and out of the building has been changed.

Miss Velma Neef and several students went to Dallas last week. The north-bound train being several hours late prevented their getting back to school until about two-thirty that afternoon.

The high school is taking more interest in the games this week. Miss Peele is giving some of the girls military training; and if the basket-ball girls, directed by Miss Lee, keep up their practice with as much pep as they have at present, they will soon be champion players.

Lucian Burnett is giving the boys military training. Mr. McGee is training some of the boys in relay racing.

The grammar school has introduced center hall. Mrs. Bird's seventh grade girls are the participants.

New fountains installed at the Crockett Building has relieved the congested conditions in watering the children.

Some Land Bargains.

A section improved ranch about 200 acres in cultivation, fine mixed grass and protection. Price \$9.00 per acre on good terms.

970 acres improved about 200 acres in cultivation, that much more tillable which is the best soil the Panhandle affords all fine mixed grass, good protection. Price \$16.00 per acre for quick sale.

1635 acre improved stock farm, 200 acres in cultivation, at least, 1200 of this tract is the finest of soils, worth \$40 per acre. Price \$21.00 per acre, on easy terms.

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OUR PUBLIC FORUM

III---Julius Kruttschnitt On Financing Railroads



to say. Mr. Kruttschnitt, executive head of the Southern Pacific, has written an article dealing with the financing of railroads. He said in part:

The farmers of this nation need to become better acquainted with the railroad men and their problems. It is only those who know that can give us information and the farmers of America should listen attentively to what the men who manage railroad property have to say. Mr. Kruttschnitt, executive head of the Southern Pacific, has written an article dealing with the financing of railroads. He said in part:

"The financing of a railroad is a question which the people, through their servants, the Railroad Commissioners and the Legislators, have never attempted, but it is a most important problem, especially to sections of a State where new railroads are needed. The placing of securities has been left entirely with the promoter and owner of railroads.

"The immediate determination of what earnings the railroad shall be permitted to receive and what burdens it shall have put on it is in the hands of other servants of the public—the Legislators and the Commissioners.

"Managing a railroad is quite different from managing a government where the money is raised by taxation. When the expenditures, for good reasons or otherwise, increase, taxes can be equally increased. The railroads, while servants of the public, cannot raise money with such ease and facility. The railroads must keep their expenditures within their incomes because while they have some control over their expenditures they have almost no control over their incomes, their rates being fixed by public authorities.

"There is not a railway manager in the country today who is not fearful that under the press of increasing demands the transportation systems of the country will, in a few years, break down, unless the railroads are allowed to earn larger funds wherewith to build it up. There are vast sections of the country, especially in the West, where more railroads are needed and they cannot be built unless the railroads raise new capital.

"People invest money in order to make money, and they are skeptical as to whether they can make money by investing in concerns that are dealt with stringently and unfairly. Railroad securities must be made more attractive to invite investments, and in order that they may be made more attractive, the roads must be allowed earnings that will enable them to meet the increased capital charges

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For Sale—50 acres of land in the edge of Memphis, also 200 acres, 3 miles west of Quail, Texas, see 17-1 25 W. P. Cagle.

The very best and cheapest land in the Panhandle are located around McLean, Gray county where a failure of are unknown. For prices and particulars see or address the Regional Land Agency at McLean, Texas. 17-30

SALESMEN and AGENTS.
RESIDENT AGENT WANTED to represent automobile accessory house. Write room 910, Burk Burnett Building, Fort Worth, Texas. 17-4

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LOST—Pair of nose glasses, tortoise rimmed. Return to this office or Thompson Bros. and receive \$1.00 reward. 19-1

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All kinds of men's Shoes at very low prices
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Winter Fashions

This is the harvest season; the watchful waiting and the hard labor of the summer months are being rewarded. Despite the predictions of the pessimists, the unusual condition of the weather, and the shortage of labor, there has never been so wonderful a crop of wheat, of corn, or of fashions. The matter has been so carefully systematized, that the grade of efficiency reached in this patriotic endeavor is almost unbelievable. Speaking from the fashion standpoint, one can safely say that there never has been a time when the styles were so universally becoming and satisfactory. The Paris openings have brought



A Warm Coat Cool Days

out charming things. One hears of the marvelous materials, and one sees the models brought over by the inter-

pid buyers, and they are so interesting and wonderful that they seem too good to be true—almost!

Narrow Way of the Skirt

Yes indeed, skirts are narrow, and there is a very good reason for their being so. The Government has asked that wool be conserved and the patriotic designer and the fashionable woman alike cry, "Well, we can help by wearing skirts that are not too narrow they are, too, and short though perhaps not quite so short as last year. It is not comfortable to walk in tight skirts that is long, and so once more we find common sense aiding fashions. One must, however, not go to the other extreme and have the skirt too narrow for beauty.

The Fall Coat

One of the big Paris houses has decided that the fall would not be full without the coat suit, and so they are declaring with all their might and main that the smart thing is the suit, wristlength coat, and short tight skirt. Another equally famous house forswears all allegiance to this old standby, and designs nothing but coats and dresses for street wear. So, there in a nutshell you have it, and the advantage is with you for you are American and can decide for yourself this all-important question. There can be no doubt that the top coat has a place of its own in the wardrobe of the smart woman. If the coat be stylish and becoming of line and color, the dress of last year can be worn with perfect confidence. (That is, if you don't take off your coat!)

A splendid example of an all-embracing, all-covering coat is illustrated here. It is made of fur cloth, with the square collar that is considered so unusually smart. The pocket sections which give the wide hip effect, can be omitted, thus giving a coat built on straighter lines. As you see, it is full length, and is comfortable in every respect. The large buttons and the contrasting fur cloth for the collar and cuffs are the only trimming necessary.

The Coming-Out of Tucks

There is nothing more attractive than the tiny tucks you find on everything. They are taking the place to a great extent of the hemstitching so much used for the past three or four seasons. Georgette crepe dresses have clusters of these tiny hand-run tucks, in the waists, sleeves and skirts. They group themselves on satin collars, near the edges, on crepe de Chine and satin frocks, sometimes completely routing all other trimming. They must be hand run, and they must be very tiny; otherwise they may be used at discretion, whenever and wherever you please, and the more the merrier. Wider tucks can be found on dresses of serge and satin, running around the skirts, one, two, three and even four and five of them, placed several inches apart. They are usually from one to four inches wide.



Modish Coat Suit on Simple Lines

Braid is close second this year, and it is used in all widths. Black is preferred, or the color of the suit. One does not often see braid of a contrasting shade on the really distinctive costume. You see, everything is so simple this year, and all the more attractive on account of this simplicity.

Dated Autumn, 1917

News from the suit front declares that coats vary in length from the very short Eton jacket to the long three-quarter length coat. This coat-

yoke and deep hip pockets. The skirt is two-piece, comparatively narrow (measuring only two yards at the lower edge), and it has a high waistline. Warm in color, it is a real joy, and it will appeal to women of taste all over the country.

BILLIONS OF GERMS

Memphis People Should Learn How To Combat Them.

You can fight off the billions of germs which you swallow.

How about the uric acid which your own system creates?

Can you conquer that, too?

Yes if your kidneys work right.

But if they don't, backache, dizziness or discolored urine.

Soon warn you of graver peril.

You must live more simply—

That's what Mrs. Wood has found.

Use Doan's Kidney Pills to strengthen your kidneys.

Easy to verify local testimony.

Read this case:

Mrs. Jno. A. Wood, Eighth St., Memphis, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills, which I bought at Tomlinson's Drug Store, with good results. I advise anyone to get a box of this medicine and try it, if troubled in any way with disordered kidneys."

Mrs. Wood is only one of many Memphis people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS, the same that Mrs. Wood had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 60c at all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name."

The World on Wheels.

According to a report by the office of public roads, which takes notice of such matters, there were 3,512,000 automobiles and motor trucks and 250,820 motorcycles registered in the United States in 1916. This is an increase of 43 per cent over the registry of cars and trucks for the previous year. The gain was greatest in the Southern states, where it reached 50 per cent. On the estimate of the present population there is now an automobile for every 29 people in the United States. On the basis of comfortable seating capacity, this makes room for one-sixth of the inhabitants, says Thomas F. Logan in Leslie's. Or, in other words, if properly apportioned, every sixth or seventh family would be found supplied. The total license revenue derived from this source for 1916 was \$25,895,370, which represents an increase of \$7,069,659 over the receipts of the same character for the year before.

Preserving Food Without Ice.

An earthen jar or crock, with a cover, set in a box containing moist sand, will keep butter and milk in hot weather for some time. The sand must be kept moist at all times.

For Bargains in misfit clothing, Gents Furnishing and ordering, see McMillan, O. K. Tailor.

Save your old shoes! Sullivan can make them as good as new.

prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

BACKACHE SPELLS DANGER!

Action Today May Save Memphis

People Future Misery

A bad back isn't a bad thing if it serves as a warning of hidden kidney disorders. Kidney diseases are frightfully common today. We over-do so much. We don't give the kidneys a chance to rest up, and while a bad back, some urinary disorder, an occasional dizzy spell or a persistent headache may be the only outward sign, the kidney trouble that is behind it all may be overlooked or neglected. Put your signs to use. Take them as warnings. Fight off kidney weakness. It takes only a slight kidney disorder to start a case of fatal Bright's disease, from which 100,000 people die in the United States every year. Prompt treatment at first—that's all that's necessary to keep kidney weakness from turning into gravel, dropsy, heart trouble or Bright's. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—the oldest, the most widely used, the best-recommended Kidney Pill. Fifty thousand Americans recommend them publicly. Here's one Memphis case:

Mrs. W. A. Womack, Bryce & Seventh Sts., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills in the past few years several different times. My back has ached and my kidneys have been weak. I have had dizzy spells, too. I got Doan's Kidney Pills, at Rushing & Tomlinson's Drug Store, at such times and they have relieved me in a short time."

Mrs. Womack is only one of many Memphis people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you; don't simply ask for a kidney remedy ask distinctly for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS, the same that Mrs. Womack had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 60 cents at all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name."

All you who have torpid liver, weak digestion or constipated bowels look out for chills. The season is here and the air is full of disease germs. The best thing to do is to get your liver in good condition and purify the stomach and bowels. HERBINE is the right remedy. It answers the purpose completely. Price 50c. Sold by Pickas Drug Co.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System. The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 60c.

Prolong the Life of Your Wardrobe

This is a duty you owe yourself if you are anxious to get every dollar's worth of wear out of clothes. Our method of pressing clothes does not twist, pull or haul them out of shape but instead we put the natural body shape into the most misused garment better creases and a uniform finish.

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SHODDY STUFF IS EXPENSIVE AT ANY PRICE. WE CAN SELL YOU ONLY FIRST-CLASS GOODS. WE WISH YOUR CONTINUED PATRONAGE. WE KNOW WE CAN GAIN THIS ONLY BY ASKING YOU MODERATE PRICES FOR WHAT WE SELL.

MAKING MONEY IS ONE OF OUR AIMS, BUT WE SELLING OUR PATRONS GOOD GOODS AT FAIR FEEL THAT WE CAN MAKE MORE MONEY BY PRICES THAN IN ANY OTHER WAY.

COME IN AND "WE WILL SHOW YOU." WE WANT YOUR TRADE.

Memphis Dry Goods Company
INCORPORATED

Health About Gone

Many thousands of women suffering from womanly trouble, have been benefited by the use of Cardui, the woman's tonic, according to letters we receive, similar to this one from Mrs. Z. V. Spell, of Hayne, N. C. "I could not stand on my feet, and just suffered terribly," she says. "As my suffering was so great, and he had tried other remedies, Dr. — had us get Cardui. . . I began improving, and it cared me. I know, and my doctor knows, what Cardui did for me, for my nerves and health were about gone."

TAKE

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

She writes further: "I am in splendid health . . . can do my work. I feel I owe it to Cardui, for I was in dreadful condition." If you are nervous, run-down and weak, or suffer from headache, backache, etc., every month, try Cardui. Thousands of women praise this medicine for the good it has done them, and many physicians who have used Cardui successfully with their women patients, for years, endorse this medicine. Think what it means to be in splendid health, like Mrs. Spell. Give Cardui a trial.

All Druggists

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COUNTY WILL AID IN WAR WORK

REPRESENTATIVES FROM EVERY COMMUNITY IN TEXAS WILL ATTEND CONFERENCE AT DALLAS OCT. 22

RAISING \$35,000,000

Program—L. A. Coulter, Campaign Manager, Will Present Executive Secretary For This County

County, along with other in the state, will be represented at a conference of the Texas Council of the Young Men's Christian Association to be held at Dallas Oct. 22. The State is organized to secure its share of the \$35,000,000 national Y. M. C. fund to be raised within the next month to continue the U. S. troops, both in France, and among other war of other countries. Coulter, state campaign director, is arranging for an executive secretary for this county. Those interested in attending should let him know.

The big men of the state will be present for the conference. H. H. Simmons of Hillsboro will act as chairman; H. A. L. Burge, Rhodes S. W. Currie, W. C. Paige, Woodson, E. R. Brown, W. S. J. Brient and W. A.

Direct From War Front—Woodward Eddy, world traveler, from the front, where he viewed the destruction of famous Meuse River, who, next to John R. has spoken to more men in nations than any other living will be the chief speaker. He is personally engaged in war among the American troops in and with the French, Russian and Italian soldiers along the front and will bring a vivid picture of conditions existing there.

Big Men on Program—Some of the strongest men of the state will attend the meeting. L. S. Bennett, millionaire president of

1913 Study Club Meets

1913 Study Club met with Mrs. Fore Oct. 17th. The following program was rendered on Mexico—Mebeth Historical Sketch. Recent Revolutions in Mexico. The Present Outlook. Mrs. Adams. Special Feature Fiction. Mrs. Power.

An interesting discussion on conservation was led by the Mrs. Adams. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

V. O. Williams left Sunday for Snyder to visit relatives. Smith and wife left Sunday for Dallas to visit the fair.

Ruth Roberts went to Fort Worth Friday to visit her brother, Roberts.

Roberts went to Fort Worth.

Mrs. T. Kittinger went to Fort Worth Friday night to visit their son, who is in Camp Bowie.

Mrs. Ruth Arnold and Bess were at Lakeview Sunday.

SALE—Range, bachelor stove, and implements. Call or see Bennett at Ox-bow. 19.2*

Call for coal say: "Rush Nigger-Head. Woolbridge Company."

Best Cleaning, Pressing, and Hat work. See L. Mc. K. K. Tailor.

WAR WORK HELPS MORALE OF MEN

TEXAS ORGANIZED TO AID IN RAISING \$35,000,000 WAR WORK FUND

Greater Good Than Red Cross, Says One Worker, Because Makes Men Better in Spirit

What the Red Cross is to the imperiled bodies of our soldiers the Y. M. C. A. war work is to their endangered morals.

In every training camp, at every post, along the front line trenches, the Young Men's Christian Association has its workers, its buildings, its equipment for varied wholesome amusements and its uplifting spiritual influence.

Texas is being organized to secure its allotment of the \$35,000,000 national war work fund of the association. Under the direction of L. A. Coulter, Dallas, representative men are being secured for departmental conferences to be held in every section of the state, following the state gathering at Dallas on Oct. 22. The campaign will continue through Nov. 11-15, and the budget planned will maintain the war work to July 1st, 1918.

Raising Morale of Men—Napoleon used to say that morale is to other factors in war as three to one. The Y. M. C. A. War Work Council proposes to devote itself exclusively to raising, strengthening and preserving the morale of our men and of the Allied countries.

GOLF LINKS AS A LAW COURT

Some Important Cases Have Been Settled Far From the Recognized Halls of Justice.

The late Sir Thomas Bucknill, when vacation judge, once granted an injunction on the golf links while actually playing a round, relates Answers.

On another occasion he granted an injunction while out shooting. On the case coming into court counsel said: "Your lordship may recall the case." "Indeed I do," replied the judge, "because I nearly killed a pheasant, a barometer and a solicitor with one shot."

Quite lately one judge tried a motor accident case on the very spot on which it had occurred, and a few years ago a case concerning "ancient lights" was decided under a tree in a heavy storm.

Not long since a chancery judge heard an application in the waiting rooms of a railway station.

A woman charged with stealing was tried by a magistrate in the streets of Hoole, and it will be remembered that the late lord chief justice emulated Sir Thomas Bucknill by deciding a question in the Crippen case on the golf links.

And, doubtless, other judges would welcome the opportunity to do their work far from the stuffy courts.

FAIRME STOCK

GIVE BOAR GOOD ATTENTION

As He Matures, Litters Will Be Stronger and Larger—Keep Him Separated From the Sows.

It is not best to let the boar run with the rest of the herd. It is too common a practice to sell the boar when the season is over. This is largely the cause of so many small litters and weakboned pigs. It is best to get a good boar, and keep him for a few years, and as he matures his pigs will be stronger and litters larger.

Have a small yard of grass if possible, hog-tight and away from the sows, so he will not be worried. A quarter of an acre will afford plenty of exercise in the open air. When grass is not available, give him cut clover or any other good green feed that he will eat.

Feed sparingly of fattening feeds, but give him feed that will keep him growing if he is not fully developed. Mill stuff, skim milk, clover, alfalfa or anything that furnishes protein is advisable. At all times keep a supply of ashes, salt and charcoal where he can obtain it at will. It will do much toward keeping him in good health.

RAISE RAPE FOR PASTURAGE

Splendid Feed for Sheep and Hogs—Good Use Can Be Made of the Temporary Fences.

Rape is a splendid feed for sheep and hogs as well. It is usually pastured, but when the acreage is small and one wishes to get the most from the crop, it is cut and fed to the stock and then when it grows up again, is pastured.

Rape is generally broadcasted in the early spring on well prepared ground at the rate of five pounds of seed per acre. When the plants are about eight inches high turn the sheep into the field. Most pasturage can be obtained if temporary fences are used to allow only a part of the field to be pastured at a time.

GOOD POINTS ABOUT HORSES

Strong Constitution, Endurance and Action Are Associated With Well-Sloped Shoulders.

(By R. H. REESE)
In examining a horse there are several points about the shoulders to look into. Short shoulders do not generally indicate sufficient room for a large heart and for lungs capable of handling a maximum quantity of air.

Straight shoulders favor a low, short, stubby action of the front feet. A low carriage of the head, with a heavy irresponsible mouth are often associated with a long back and a cor-

A valuable dressing for flesh wounds, burns, scalds, old sores, rash, chafed skin, is BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It is both healing and antiseptic. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Fickas Drug Co.

If your child starts in its sleep, grinds its teeth while sleeping, picks at the nose, has a bad breath, fickle appetite, pale complexion, and dark rings under the eyes; it has worms, and as long as they remain in the intestines, that child will be sickly. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE clears out the worms, strengthens the stomach and bowels and puts the little one on the road to health and cheerfulness. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Fickas Drug Co.

"Alta-Vista" Ice Cream—You know it when you taste it—it's good. Rushing & Tomlinson Drug Co.

What is LAX-FOS

LAX-FOS IS AN IMPROVED CASCARA. A Digestive Liquid Laxative, Cathartic and Liver Tonic. Contains Cascara Bark, Blue Flag Root, Rhubarb Root, Black Root, May Apple Root, Senna Leaves and Peppin. Combines strength with palatable aromatic taste. Does not gripe. 50c

WHY YOU ARE NERVOUS

The nervous system is the alarm system of the human body. In perfect health we hardly realize that we have a network of nerves, but when health is ebbing, when strength is declining, the same nervous system gives the alarm in headaches, tiredness, dreamful sleep, irritability and unless corrected, leads straight to a breakdown.

To correct nervousness, Scott's Emulsion is exactly what you should take; its rich nutriment gets into the blood and rich blood feeds the tiny nerve-cells while the whole system responds to its refreshing tonic force. It is free from alcohol. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

Dr. F. B. Erwin, graduate and licensed veterinarian; office at Fickas Drug Store. Calls answered promptly.

Cheap money to loan on Farms and Ranches. Vendor's lien notes bought and extended. If you are interested it will pay you to see us. 11-17 GRUNDY BROS.

For Sale—A piano on easy terms. phone K W 3. 12-6

When the chest feels on fire and the throat burns, you have indigestion, and you need HERBINE to get rid of the disagreeable feeling. It drives out badly digested food, strengthens the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by Fickas Drug Co.

Pickling in the throat, hoarseness, loss of voice, indicate the need of BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP. It eases the lungs, quiets cough, and restores health in the bronchial tubes. Prices 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Fickas Drug Co.

Have you bought your winter's supply of coal? You might save money and trouble by doing so now. There is none better than "Ravenwood" Nigger-Head, at Woolbridge Lumber Company. 30

Bring your shoe repair work to Sullivan Shoe Shop. 25

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's.

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 60 cents.

"Alta-Vista" Ice Cream—You know it when you taste it—it's good. Rushing & Tomlinson Drug Co.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of H. W. GROVE. 20c.



Do you realize that in buying cut glass, especially the kind we sell, you are securing not only articles of use, but artistic beauty as well? Cut glass conveys an idea of taste and richness on any table or sideboard. See our large stock at reasonable prices considering superior quality.

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We have a complete line, and an assortment of sizes, in Kahki Suits, Overalls, Work Pants, Work Shirts and Woolen Shirts. Also a line of Work Shoes that we believe cannot be duplicated for the price. Heavy winter coats, with warm linings, in corduroy are special bargains. We can fit you in either over-sizes or slims. See our goods before you buy.

T. M. Little

SUMMARY OF WORLD'S IMPORTANT EVENTS

AMERICA HAS ENTERED GREAT WAR WITH ALL HER POWERFUL RESOURCES.

EUROPEAN WAR IN BRIEF

Many Occurrences of Interest and Information Recorded Here in Condensed Form.

AMERICA'S PART IN WAR—

Lieut. Raoul Lufbury of Wallingford, Conn., member of the Franco-American flying corps, is said to have brought down his thirteenth enemy machine.

Missouri and Kansas troops at Camp Doniphan have subscribed to \$440,000 of Liberty bonds and are now making progress toward the final goal of \$1,500,000.

Advances of \$25,000,000 to Great Britain and \$20,000,000 to France made by the government have brought the total thus far loaned to the allies up to \$2,766,400,000.

News papers and news syndicates were appealed to by the signal corps to release experts in photography for service in France in developing and printing photographs taken by the American air force.

The American Y. M. C. A. reports that a detachment of 99 American soldiers which had been "lost" in England for more than five weeks, has now rejoined the American forces. By some mistake these men were set down in a British camp without an officer or a penny.

Food Administrator Hoover has announced that subject to co-operation from the farmers and retailers, the corn has now been turned in high prices for food. He said retail prices had not come down to conform to wholesale reductions and that was a matter for public sentiment to correct.

Seven thousand sailors, receiving \$7.50 per month, took \$290,000 worth of the bonds of the first Liberty loan. The soldiers in our camps and camps have bought \$1,000,000 worth of the second Liberty loan bonds. They mean to pay with money and with blood the price of liberty.

WASHINGTON

Contracts have been awarded for a billion and a half pairs of boots for the Russian army, at a total cost of \$7,500,000. The awards were made by members of the Russian purchasing committee.

The historic seniority rule for army promotions formally was set aside to govern promotions in the National army and National guard. Officers of either the regulars, the National or the National army are held to be equally eligible for temporary appointment or promotion, which must be based on demonstrated fitness without regard to seniority.

Men in the American army have taken approximately \$27,000,000 in bonds of the second Liberty loan, according to a statement from treasury officials. The men at Camp Travis, San Antonio, have taken the third greatest amount among the National army cantonments, their total being \$903,950.

Six million Mexican silver pesos have been bought by the treasury department at 88 1/2 cents an ounce for minting into half dollars, dimes and quarters.

Boys between the ages of 16 and 18 years, inclusive, will be accepted for service as apprentice musicians in the United States marine corps, according to orders received at recruiting stations. Boys enlisting will be used as buglers and drummers only.

The government has set in motion the machinery to apprehend and punish Pro-German workers who have started an organized campaign in more than a dozen states to defeat the Liberty loan.

The Liberty loan has gathered fresh impetus throughout the entire country in its progress toward the \$5,000,000,000 goal. It is believed by the hardest sort of work during the days of the campaign which yet remain the goal may be attained.

One merchantman of more than 1,000 tons and one of less than that also were sunk by submarines or mines in the week ended Oct. 14. Arrivals at French ports numbered 265 and clearances 340.

William D. Coolidge, formerly of Sydney, Australia, and last heard of in San Francisco about 30 years ago, is said to be at least \$100,000 as his name in an estate in Australia. If he can be found, the British consul announced.

DOMESTIC—

As a result of the passage of a city ordinance fixing the maximum price of milk at 11c a quart in Oklahoma City, several dairymen discontinued deliveries to their customers and announced their intention of shipping their product out of the city.

Adolph Germer of Chicago, executive secretary of the National Socialist party, and ten other persons, were acquitted by a jury in the United States district court at Grand Rapids, Mich., on charges of conspiracy against selective draft.

With the market practically bare of Cuban cane sugar, the new crop not available in New York before December, half of the big refineries shut down and the others running only half time. New York is facing the most serious sugar famine in its history.

Ten Belgians pleaded guilty to charges of complicity in a conspiracy through which it is estimated Germany received \$25,000 worth of contraband goods each week, when they were arraigned in Federal court in New York. It is alleged the goods were carried to Holland in Belgian relief ships and clandestinely shipped by the Dutch across the border.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the Arctic explorer, and a crew of 19 sailors were among those marked for assassination by the leaders directing the alleged plot to foment a revolution in India to embarrass Great Britain during the war, according to testimony given by a Hindu priest at the trial of G. H. Jacobson, wealthy Chicago real estate dealer, and his three co-defendants, charged with conspiracy.

FOREIGN—

At midnight Friday six or seven airships raided the eastern and north-western counties of England, dropping bombs at various points, including a few in the London area, according to an official statement.

James Slevin of the Societe de Colonization Americaine of Paris announced that arrangements are being completed for the purchase of an immense tract of land within 100 miles of Minneapolis, where a colony will be established for several thousand Belgian refugees.

EUROPEAN WAR HAPPENINGS—

The Norwegian steamships Barbro, of 2,365 tons gross, and Hovde, 1,195 tons gross, have been sunk by German submarines.

Twenty bombs were dropped by German aviators in the region of Dunkirk. No victims are reported. Two German airplanes were brought down," says a Paris dispatch.

Two German torpedo boats were sunk in the mine fields in Moon sound, the Petrograd war office announced. The sailors of the main Baltic fleet are reported to be keen to fight.

The French attacked the German lines on the Aisne front after a heavy bombardment. The war office reports that the German positions were penetrated and that 100 prisoners were taken.

While Emperor William and King Ferdinand of Bulgaria have been exchanging assurances at Sofia of the unshakable loyalty of Bulgaria and Germany to each other and of the permanent nature of the alliance of the two countries, Bulgarian agents abroad have been endeavoring to get into touch with the entente powers on the subject of peace and subsequent relations.

Sonora state troops have 800 Yaqui Indians and their families surrounded at Vican, a settlement on the Yaqui river, according to a telegram received by Mexican consular officials.

The Slava was unable to follow the other Russian ships retiring northward and was sunk by her own crew in order to bar the way to the enemy vessels," says Minister of Marine Verdeevski, just before starting to join the Baltic fleet.

Through trains are running from Berlin to Riga, the trip consuming 24 hours. A person can now travel from the Baltic seaport to Ostend, Belgium, with one change of cars at Berlin in 66 hours.

Zepplin airships appeared in the gulf of Riga and the gulf of Finland Thursday night, according to an official communication. Twenty bombs were dropped on Pernau, on the western shore of the gulf of Riga. Ten persons were killed.

Two Russian infantry regiments, totaling 5,000 men, were captured on Moon island in the gulf of Riga, it is announced officially. The island is now completely in possession of the Germans.

Robert Fitzsimmons, former champion heavyweight pugilist, who has been dangerously ill of lobar pneumonia at a Chicago hospital for several days, was reported that his chances for recovery were not improved.

STORY MINUS PLOT

By LOUISE OLIVER.

It was half-past ten on a dreary, languorous, moonlight night in mid-summer, a night on which hearts instinctively seek a mate and linger longingly.

Bertie Patton on the Fords' front porch, swinging slowly in the green willow seat, shifted uneasily when he heard the town clock strike the half hour. He knew that the lights in the parlor chandelier now filtering through the finely webbed curtains and tracing a graceful pattern on Rose's round cheek would snap out in somewhat less than five minutes. Ten-thirty was Papa Ford's hour. Never had Rose looked so adorable, never had parting seemed cruel. Bertie sighed.

"Well, Rosie, I guess I'll have to go. Time seems awfully short."

"What time are you talking about?"

"Why, the time I've been here this evening, of course."

"Oh! I'm glad you've enjoyed it."

"Well, haven't you?"

"M—yes. It's been very pleasant."

"Pleasant! You talk as though you'd been at a sewing society."

"Say, Bertie, if you're trying to pick a fight you may as well go. I hear papa, anyway."

Bertie was instantly contrite. "Excuse me, I didn't mean it, Rose."

There was a step in the vestibule. But it was Rose's mother this time who called.

"Rose, your papa went out with the Reinemans in their new car and hasn't come home yet. My head isn't any better, so I think I'll go to bed. I wonder if Bert would mind staying a little longer. I sort of hate to close up the house till papa comes. I don't think he'll be late."

Oh, ecstasy! Oh, blessed words! Bertie longed to kiss the hem of her gown. He cleared his throat manfully.

"Yes, I'll stay, Mrs. Ford. Don't you worry."

And Rose supplemented: "You may as well turn out the lights, mamma. They seem to hurt my eyes."

The lights went off and there was quiet, ecstatic peace.

Bertie wondered if he could possibly be awake. To test reality, he lighted a cigarette.

"Nice, isn't it?" he remarked.

"What?"

"Just to be here." He had thought of casually, quite accidentally, laying a hand on hers as it lay beside him in the darkness, but he lost courage.

"Say, Rose, do you want to go to the Stepmore club picnic?" he supplemented instead.

"I'm going."

"Excuse me."

"That's all right. Thanks for asking me anyway."

"I thought there was plenty of time—two weeks."

"I promised a week ago."

"I hadn't an idea there were so many worshippers at your shrine."

"That's not polite. Besides there aren't so many dozen that you can't count. I'm going with the same person to both, if that's what you're dying to find out."

"That—that Dixon, I'll bet a jitney!"

"Don't call him 'that Dixon.' He's been awfully nice to me."

"Why, he's old—too old for you, Rose."

"He isn't—he just looks distinguished, and you're—you're jealous."

"Distinguished! Good night! Just because he's mustached like a Magyar and wears glasses and lives in New York."

"Bert Patton, you're horrid! I think I'd better go in and look after mamma, anyway. Good night."

He caught her hand in both of his. "Rose, Rosie, dear, don't go. Sit down, won't you?" He pulled her gently toward him. She yielded finally and sat down. He slipped an arm boldly around her.

"Rosie, dear, I love you!"

"Why, Bert Patton?"

"Yes, I do, Rose. I adore you. Clear crazy about you. You don't care about that New York fellow, do you?"

"I don't know. Papa seems to like him. That's what he's here for. Papa wanted somebody reliable for a good place he has open, and Mr. Dixon came to see about it."

"Lucky dog!" sighed Bertie.

"But you, Rose? Oh, say, Rose, be my girl, won't you? Can't you say you—love me? I love you!"

"I don't know. You see, papa—"

Suddenly a horn sounded and a car stopped at the curb.

"There's papa now! Rose sprang up.

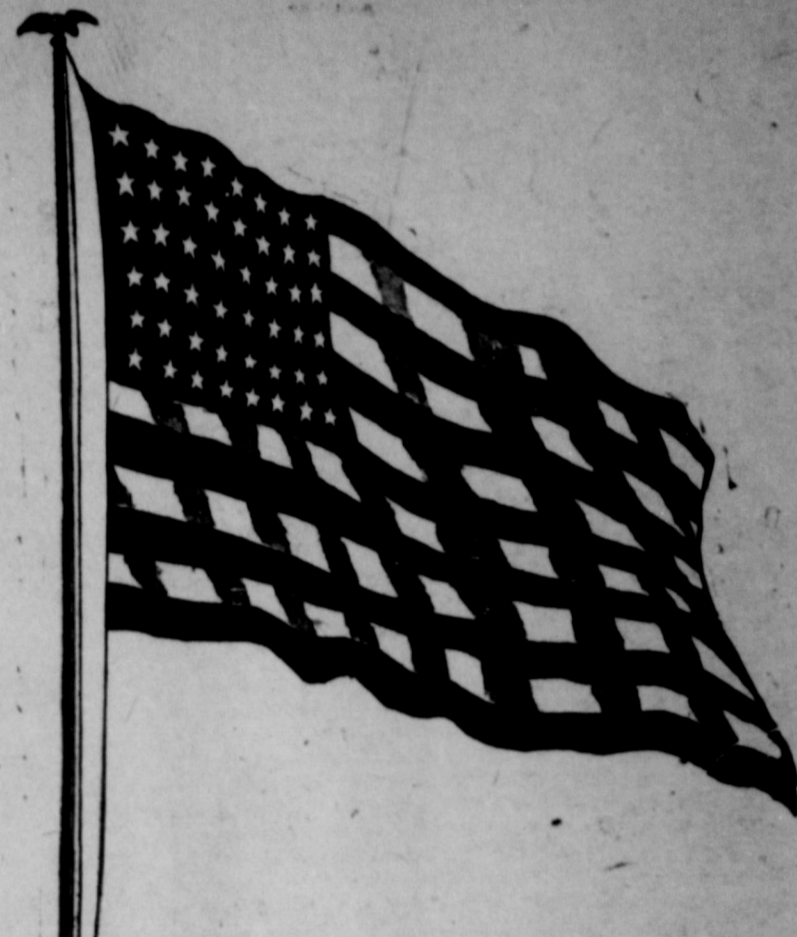
Mr. Ford came up the path slowly limping, and the car slid away.

"Oh, that you, Rosie? Waited up, did you? That's a nice girl. And Bert Patton? Well, I declare! Mamma in bed? Don't tell her. We had an accident. No, not much hurt—just my foot, but we might have been killed, all of us. It was that young ass, Dixon, out joy riding, ran into us, the fool! Catch me giving a good job to a scatterbrain like that. Don't have him around again, Rosie. I don't like him. Come in now, giraffe. It's late. Say good-night to Bert!"

"I wonder," said Bertie that night as he stepped blithely homeward through the darkness, "if I just couldn't lasso the particular star I sat under tonight and wear it on my lapel. Such luck!"

Sometimes there is a story without plot!

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