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## HALL COUNTY CONSERVATION CLUB ORGANIZED

MEETING OF WOMEN HELD LAST SATURDAY IN ANSWER TO CALL BY COUNTY JUDGE RESULTS IN PERMANENT ORGANIZATION.

## ASK FOR LADY DEMONSTRATORS

The Commissioners' Court Makes an Appropriation of \$100 to Conservation Fund to Secure Demonstrators.

In compliance with the call of county Judge Alexander, published in last week's Democrat, for a meeting of Hall county women to form an organization for the purpose of promoting systematic and scientific conservation of food supplies and for securing the services of trained demonstrators to teach the best methods, ascertained by experiments of experts employed by the government, a considerable number of ladies, and a few men, met at the court house Saturday afternoon.

The meeting was called to order by Judge Alexander, who stated its purpose. Temporary organization was effected by the election of Mrs. W. L. Beatt, as president and Mrs. C. A. Gatzert, secretary and treasurer. This organization was then made permanent.

It was decided that the organization should be known as the "Hall County Conservation Club." The matter of securing the services of the young lady demonstrators for this county, as suggested by Col. Staley in the communication published last week, was taken up and was unanimously decided to accept an offer under the conditions named in a committee of three, Messrs. Bryant, Walker and Rosemond, was appointed to confer with the commissioners' court and ask the assistance of the county in financing the work to be undertaken.

It was decided that efforts should be made to secure organizations in each precinct of the county and the president was instructed to name a chairman in each precinct or neighborhood. It was decided to make an effort to secure the co-operation of every woman in the county, possible, and a committee on membership, consisting of Messrs. Houghton, Wood and Webster was named. The services of the men present were offered and their co-operation was accepted. Jerry Dalton was named as press reporter and publicity agent for the organization.

On Monday afternoon the committee named above, appointed for the purpose conferred with the commissioners' court with the result that an appropriation of \$100.00 was made by that body to assist in paying the expenses of the work.

A number of officeholders in York-N. Y., have just been indicted and charged with forgery in road condemnation proceedings.

## League Program May 20, 1917

Subject: Growing as Christ Grew. Scripture lesson: Luke 2: 41-52. Prayer. Remarks by leader. Reading—Blanch Temple. Address—(by Intermediate) Duke Leach. Address—(by Junior Superintendent) Ila Hammond. Address—(by Senior) Graddie Ker. Address—(by honorary men) Francis Prosser. Questions asked by leader. Special music Ila Jones. Meeting open for discussion. Reading of next Sunday's Program. Leader—Ila Belle Sloan.

A business meeting will be called for Sunday evening, and every member and officer is urged to be on hand at the Methodist Church at 6:45 for important business!

## TEDDY RESOLUTION PASSES CONFERENCE

Senate and House Conference Committees Agree to Senate Provision.

Washington, May 15.—Senate and house conferees on the army bill today agreed to report the measure with the provision authorizing the President to raise the volunteer division Col. Roosevelt desires to lead to France. No other changes in the bill were made by the conferees.

The conferees accepted without change the house provision for the Roosevelt volunteers. The senate by a large vote previously had approved the volunteer force amendment.

Whether Colonel Roosevelt and a volunteer force will go abroad however remains for the President to decide, as the provision agreed to by the conferees makes it optional and not mandatory upon the President. Conferees decided not to reopen other questions.

Many senators are dissatisfied with the proposed increase of the maximum conscription age to 30 years and an effort to reduce it to the original senate figure of 27 was anticipated.

## 1913 Study Club Meets.

The 1913 Study Club met in regular session May 16, with Mrs. Tom Harrison as hostess.

Interesting and inspirational reports of the meeting of the district Federation meeting were made by Misses Madden and Adams, after which the program of the day was rendered.

Subject, "The Home." "Music in the Home," was presented as a beautiful asset and a necessity by Miss Kate Arnold.

Mrs. R. C. Walker then told "How the Club May Help the Home," impressing, and making us feel, the duty of benefiting our homes through our club connections.

Informal, and interesting comments were made on "How the Club has Helped My Home."

A vocal solo, by Mrs. D. L. C. Kinnard, was much enjoyed.

## McLemore Would Conscript Wealth.

Washington, May 15.—Wealth would be conscripted just like men for the prosecution of the war should Congress adopt an amendment to the income tax section of the revenue bill offered by Representative McLemore today. The Texan's plan greatly increases the proposed war tax on incomes less than \$20,000 and taxes one hundred per cent on incomes exceeding \$20,000.

Five per cent is the tax on incomes between four and ten thousand and ten per cent between ten and twenty thousand under the McLemore plan.

## Notice.

The Farmers' Union Supply Company, of Estelline, now a stock company, unincorporated, has applied for incorporation under the statutes of Texas. The capital of the organization will be \$4,500, half of which is paid in. The officers of the organization are: L. C. Payne, president; E. E. Wright, secretary and J. W. Butler, manager. 47-4\*

## A. H. Thornton Dead.

Prof. A. H. Thornton, of the Newlin school, died at his home at Newlin Saturday.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church here Sunday afternoon, Rev. R. B. Morgan, of Goodnight and Rev. D. M. Gardner, of Memphis, officiating. Interment at Fairview cemetery.

## Wheat \$3.15 a Bushel at Vernon.

Vernon.—Wheat is being quoted on the local market at \$3.15 a bushel. This is the highest price it has ever reached in this section. The new crop, according to farmers, will yield about 10 bushels an acre, perhaps more.

## Amarillo Man Killed by Live Wire

Amarillo, Texas.—John L. James, aged 35, married, was instantly killed here Friday when he came in to contact with a live wire.

## HALL COUNTY WOMEN CALL CONSERVATION MEETING HERE JUNE 2

Hall County Conservation Club Calls Meeting of Hall County Women to Consider Best Methods of Preserving Food Supply.

## PROMINENT SPEAKERS EXPECTED

Use of Milo Maize, Kaffir and Feterita "Flours" for "War Bread;" Most Economical Methods of Cooking and Serving; Will be Discussed

The Hall County Conservation Club at its meeting held last Saturday issued a call for a meeting of the Hall county women on Saturday, June 2. It is hoped that by that date the club may have local organizations in each precinct and neighborhood in the county and that a great gathering of the women of this county and immediate section, may be had.

The fact that this country is going into a war in the face of a food shortage, a thing no other country, perhaps, ever did, makes it imperative that precautions be taken to prevent want.

Efforts will be made to have experts, who have made a scientific study of methods for preventing waste and for using to the utmost our home-produced resources, address the meeting. Besides this much help is expected by an exchange of ideas among our own people.

There is no doubt that the meeting can be helpful and profit able to all who attend and it is hoped and urged that every one who possibly can will attend; and that all who are prepared to do so will freely offer useful and practical suggestions.

## MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM

Program Arranged by Daughters of The Confederacy to Be Held at the Baptist Church.

A memorial service will be observed under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy, at 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon May 20, at the Baptist church. All veterans are urged to be present and take part. Every body invited to come and all who can bring flowers. The following program is to be rendered:

Invocation.—Rev. Swain. Scripture reading.—Rev. Bailey. Song.—America. Reading, "The Old Blue Coat."—Sam Frank Wright. Song.—"Shall We Gather At The River."

Reading, "The Blue and the Gray" Song and Flag Drill.—By Children. Memorial Address.—Rev. D. M. Gardner. Quartette.—"Tenting On the Old Campground." Benediction.—Rev. Henson.

## Training Camp Named for Funston

San Antonio, May 14.—Honoring the late Major General Frederick Funston, the postoffice and the training camp for reserve officers at Leon Springs, Texas, will hereafter be known as Camp Funston. Selection of the name was made by George D. Amistad, San Antonio postmaster, and Major General Presbury at the request of the United States postal authorities.

## Ball Placed on Defense Council.

Austin, Texas, May 14.—Governor Ferguson today tendered to Thomas H. Ball of Houston the appointment as a member of the State Council of Defense.

## PANHANDLE GRAIN DEALERS MEET

Reports Indicate Good Crop in Panhandle. Memphis Man President.

Amarillo, May 12.—The Panhandle Grain Dealers' association held a session here Thursday with a large attendance. According to reports received from various points in this section, the grain crop this year promises to be exceptionally good although the start was late. Reports were received from Plainview, Memphis, Lubbock, Chardonn, Hereford, Canyon, Lockney, Happy, Tulla, Miami, Lela Lake, Pampa and Higgins.

The following officers were elected: President, W. P. Dial, Memphis; vice president, L. E. Cobb, Plainview; executive committee, L. C. McMurry, J. E. Bryant, L. C. McMurry, W. P. Dial, W. K. Dickson, L. F. Cobb and C. W. Bennett.

## W. C. C. Celebrates Birthday.

The eighteenth birthday of the Memphis "Woman's Culture Club," was celebrated by a patriotic porch party at the home of Mrs. Frank Finch Wednesday morning, May 18, with Messrs. Houghton, Quigley, Dial, F. E. Montgomery and Finch as hostesses.

The stars and stripes were everywhere, and cut flowers were tastefully placed throughout the house. Unique contests, explanations preparatory to entering college, and other interesting features of this birthday program, afforded much pleasure to the guests.

The "physical culture" course consisted of a march to the "mess hall" tent for brick cream and cake, where the red, white and blue color scheme was also carried out. Several musical selections appropriate to the occasion were enjoyed.

## SUGGESTIONS FOR SAVING FOODS

Miss Mary E. Gearing Offers Suggestions to Housewives, Essential that There Be No Waste.

Austin, Texas, May 5.—Miss Mary E. Gearing of the University of Texas faculty has been designated as publicity chairman of the Texas division of the United States Army Food Service, an organization which is under the direct supervision of Secretary of Agriculture David F. Houston. In her first statement to the public, Miss Gearing says:

"It is most essential that there be no waste of food in the state. By proper co-operation at once the women can prevent it." She urges all women to attend the county meetings now being called by county judges throughout the state, and urges that those attending the meetings pledge themselves to eight propositions as follows:

1. To eliminate all waste from the household by using the most abundant foodstuffs as far as possible, by preparing only such quantities of food as may be necessary for consumption; and by serving simple refreshments at all entertainments.

2. To begin serving of war portions at all meals, serving no more upon the plate than will be eaten.

3. To make or purchase war bread, bread which has other cereals or foodstuffs submitted as far as possible for wheat flour.

4. To reduce the amount of fresh meat consumed in the home at least one-third, and not to purchase or use in any form, as the slaughter of the immature animal will further reduce the beef supply.

5. Not to purchase foods in large quantities with a view of holding them for future use in expectation of scarcity or high prices, as such hoardings will reduce the available food supply and make prices highest for those who can least afford to pay them.

6. To urge national prohibition of the manufacture of alcoholic liquors during the war, in order that the 600,000,000 bushels of grain used annually for this purpose may be available for food.

7. To further the conservation of all perishable food products: (1) by home preservation, (2) by co-operation with qualified agencies working in the fields for this purpose.

8. Co-operating with those engaged in the teaching of the practical selection, preparation and serving of foods.

## U. S. for Irish Home Rule

Washington, May 14.—Representative Mason of Illinois (Rep.) introduced today a joint resolution which would declare Irish freedom one of the purposes of the entry of the United States into the war, commit the United States to stand for home rule in peace negotiations and to purchase \$100,000,000 of Irish Government bonds and provide for the appointment of an American commission to Ireland if the Irish people request it.

## Texas Inventor Called to Washington

Amarillo, Texas.—D. J. Munsey of Wayside, 20 miles south of Amarillo, has been summoned to Washington by the war department. Munsey recently submitted to the war department plans of an invention for protecting ships against torpedoes.

The plans are said to have caused a sensation among war department officials.

Miss Marguerite Clark, in "Miss George Washington," plays a return date at the Princess Theatre, Thursday night, May 24.

## Attention Please!

We are pleased to announce that we have secured the services of Mr. Geo. Forgy in our sales department. His many friends will find him on the job with a glad hand of welcome. Joe J. Mickel & Son.

"The Mystery of the Double Cross" A new serial at the Princess tomorrow

Commercial Club Banquet, Tuesday night, May 22. This affair will mark the end of the sixth year of the club's activities. An interesting program is promised. Don't fail to get your tickets by noon Tuesday.

## FAIR WORKERS BUSY. SUCCESS NOW ASSURED

OTHER MATTERS TEMPORARILY ECLIPSE FAIR WORK; BUT ENTHUSIASM HAS NOT WAINED. STOCK BEING READILY PLACED.

## EVERYBODY IS TAKING STOCK

Premium List, Soon to be Published, Will Offer Special Inducements to Promote Saving of Food Supplies.

The work of completing the organization has been somewhat interfered with by other matters recently; but it has never entirely ceased and considerable progress has been made in spite of interruptions.

The enthusiasm for the fair seems undiminished; everybody seems to realize that the conditions brought about and threatened by the war make the necessity for the fair even more imperative. The element of competition engendered by the giving of prizes and the showing of exhibits will put additional spirit and "pep" in to the needed conservation work, as it will stimulate production.

The few who have been working in the distribution of fair stock say that there has been no difficulty in placing it; everybody seems to be willing and anxious to be identified with the organization and to help insure its success and permanence.

The work of preparing the premium lists can not, of course, be taken up until the stock is disposed of and the organization permanently formed; because this is true, and because time presses, we are asked to urge those who have not yet taken stock to a wait to be solicited, but to immediately call on, or write, to Mr. A. W. Read, or any of the precinct chairmen of the temporary organization, and secure their stock. Only 20 per cent is to be paid in cash, so the money needed is inconsiderable even if several shares are taken.

## Circle No. 2 Entertains.

Twenty-eight girls of the "Lillie Delaney" Young People met in abundance and social meeting at the home of Miss Lena Belle Sloan, Friday evening May 11, 1917. The meeting was opened by a short devotional service, after which the regular business meeting was conducted by our president, Miss Ira Hammond. As this was the last business meeting before the woman's annual Missionary Conference, the election of a delegate was in order. Miss Hammond was chosen and elected by acclamation as the representative of the "L. D." Y. P. to the annual conference at Chillicothe.

It was decided by the girls that we, the "Lillie Delaney" Young People, join in with the other young peoples auxiliaries in giving a miscellaneous shower for Miss Mirtle Shelton, our Missionary from China, who will be present at the Conference. There being no other business to come before the house, we were at liberty to enjoy a social time.

Our hostess, Miss Lena Belle, had prepared some interesting contests, in which every one took an active part. We were then permitted to enjoy a short program consisting of a piano solo by Miss Ila Jones, a reading by Miss Blanch Temple, and a vocal solo by Miss Esther Johnson. Alternating with members on the program were the refreshments served—a salad course followed by an iced desert.

The "Victrola" also afforded us music to which we listened until a late hour. We finally agreed to go home and unanimously declared that our hostess, with her circle, had made the meeting an "all-round" success.

## Oklahoma Boosters Here.

The Oklahoma boosters, 125 strong, were here for forty-five minutes today. They were accompanied by a military band.

## AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY

9:45 a.m. Sunday School. 11:00, Morning Service  
3:30, Junior B.Y.P.U. 8:00 Evening Service

## SPECIAL MUSIC AT BOTH SERVICES

Your best friend will be with us, will you?

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This system with its immense resources is a tower of strength to the banks which are members of it, and will assist them in any financial requirements which they may be called upon to meet. By depositing your money with us you receive the protection and the new facilities which our membership in the system enables us to offer you.

Buy a little of Hall County Fair stock, plant every foot of available land and raise every bit of food possible.

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
Memphis, Texas

## BOARD REGENT'S INVESTIGATION OF UNIVERSITY

EVIDENCE AND REPORT OF THE INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED BY BOARD AT AUSTIN LAST OCTOBER

### THE GOVERNOR AND UNIVERSITY

This Publication Will Make Clear the Issues Between the University Faculty and the Governor

Mr. Sanger: You check it that way?  
Mr. Polk: Yes, I sometimes call up Mr. Lawless or the H. & T. C. man and he gives me the correct rate.  
Mr. Sanger: You get the right rate. Do they take a round trip ticket—  
Mr. Polk: When they travel on a round trip ticket they indicate that and I put that on the face of the voucher.  
Dr. McKeynolds: They don't sell round trip rates except on excursions?  
Mr. Polk: They don't now.  
Mr. Long: They don't do it any more.  
Mr. Hurrell: They used to take ten per cent off but they cut that out.

(Discussion)  
The Chairman: I think that is all Major Littlefield: What are the names of the people that have been doing this traveling?  
Mr. Polk: The people in my department.  
The Chairman: We have the names here, Major.  
Mr. Polk: I can call them off.  
The Chairman: This all goes in the record like it is. This is part of the Governor's memorandum that was made up. That is all unless you gentlemen want to ask some questions on that.

**Auditor Long Questioned Again.**  
The Chairman: Dr. Ellis is in this Extension Department?  
President Vinson: Not now.  
The Chairman: Dr. Ellis was up until recently?  
President Vinson: He was until September.  
The Chairman: Charge No. 2. (See page 144.) "It has been the custom for members of the Extension Department to charge twenty-five dollars for those group lectures, as they are called." Has that money been turned into the treasury?  
Mr. Long: No, sir.  
The Chairman: Do you know of any circumstances about that?  
Mr. Long: When that matter was called to my attention Dr. Payne came to my office and said, "I understand you have heard rumors about my lecture system." I said I had. He sat down and explained. He said, "We let certain men of the institution go out and make four lectures per year. I won't allow them to make over four." I says, "Dr. Payne, do you think it is right for the University to pay their traveling expenses and charge twenty-five dollars for each lecture and put it in their pocket?" He said that they did that way. I told him I did not think it was right and I thought it was illegal for them to do it. I said I thought he had better look into it and give a serious consideration. He said, "I can't agree with you" and he said "we have always done that and I think it is nothing but right they should have the twenty-five dollars." I says, "I don't agree with that, and some day the Legislature will trim our appropriations for things of that kind and I think it would be best for us to correct those things."

The Chairman: Did you discuss it with Dr. Battle?  
Mr. Long: Yes, I went and told Dr. Battle that I had talked to Dr. Payne about the matter and I wanted him to look into it and decide what he thought best to do with it. He said he would and sometime after that Dr. Payne came back. He said, "I understand there is more criticism about my charging for lectures." He told about Dr. Wharey's going off and making a lecture to some club and showed a newspaper with a two column report of it. He said, "I think it has got to come off, it seems—"  
Dr. Jones: Who pays that twenty-five dollars?  
Mr. Long: The locality where they go to make the lecture.  
Major Littlefield: Who gets the money?  
Mr. Long: The man that makes the lecture.  
The Chairman: Does he make that lecture trip at the University's expense?  
Mr. Long: Yes, sir.  
The Chairman: Did you mention that subject to Dr. Vinson also?  
Mr. Long: Yes, sir. And he has stopped it.  
The Chairman: What do you know about it, Doctor?  
President Vinson: I just asserted through Mr. Long that that had been the custom, that these professors got the twenty-five dollars which was paid to them for the lecture. I issued an order to Mr. Long that hereafter all fees received by any member of the faculty who was traveling on the expense of the University must be turned to the Auditor.  
The Chairman: That has been a practice that has been indulged in for a long time.  
Mr. Long: That is my information. I presume it was started when the Extension Department was organized. I don't know that it was previous to that time.  
Mr. Sanger: Do I understand that they have charged it—that they have a right to charge it at all for that—for a lecture?  
The Chairman: My impression is that it grew up in this way—before the Extension Department was organized as it is now—lots of times a special man would be important through the President of the University to come out and make a group lecture. It might be number of persons interested in a certain line of history study and language study and they would write Professor Callaway or Professor Somebody here to come out and make them a special lecture. They had at that time, in order to engage in the extension work—the expenses were paid by the University and they were given an honorarium by those people whom they visited and afterwards when the Extension Department was established I presume it was kept up like lots of things always do. The University always paid them a salary and they were called out for special purposes.  
Dr. Jones: I had some of that when I taught school. I have had a dozen of them.  
President Vinson: These group study courses constitute a specific part of the Extension Work of the University. That means that in a certain town we will take, for instance, a certain number of people wanting this winter to study a certain subject. They write up here to the University and enroll as a group and pay the regular fees which the Extension Department charges for it. Then they go ahead and study and they are conducted in this study by a professor in the University under whose department that work naturally falls. And at the end of the year, about in the spring of the year, he goes to lecture to them on the subject on which they have been studying all winter, out of the fees which they have received from this class for the study. One of the parts of the understanding is when they pay the fees that the traveling expenses of the lecturer to them shall be paid out of

the fees received and it does not come out of the legislative appropriation. That is one of the understandings that they are to have a lecturer and to have his fees paid out of that fund. Now when he comes and lectures to that group they pay him an honorarium of twenty-five dollars for the lecture. I understand that he has been taking that as his own and the Extension Department through the Group Study Course has been paying his expenses.

Mr. Long: You mean his traveling expenses?  
President Vinson: I mean his traveling expenses.

Mr. Long: No, sir. That is the legislative appropriation. That is my objection.

Mr. Sanger: In other words they pay you for traveling expenses and they collect it on the other side too.

Mr. Long: No, sir. They do this. They make this trip and they make the lecture. The people where they make the lecture give this man twenty-five dollars for making the lecture and he puts that in his pocket and he comes back and renders me an expense account and I take it out of the legislative appropriation. That is where the traveling expenses come from.

Mr. Sanger: In other words, we furnish the lecture?  
Mr. Long: Yes.

Mr. Sanger: I understand in Dr. Jones' time they paid the expenses?  
Dr. Jones: Yes, sir.

Mr. Long: When a man enrolls (Continued on page 6.)

### CITATION.

#### STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon W. C. Scott, the unknown heirs of W. C. Scott; J. M. Reese and the unknown heirs of J. M. Reese, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Hall County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Memphis, on the first Monday in June A. D. 1917, the same being the fourth day of June A. D. 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the ninth day of April A. D. 1917 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 896, wherein O. J. Tucker, is Plaintiff, and W. C. Scott, the unknown heirs of W. C. Scott; J. M. Reese and the unknown heirs of J. M. Reese, are defendants, and said petition alleging that on or about the first day of January, A. D. 1917, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following lands situate in Childress and Hall Counties, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee-simple, to-wit: 160 acres of land known as the J. M. Reese Survey, Patent No. 237, Vol. 28; and 160 acres of land, known as the J. E. Knight Survey, Patented to W. C. Scott, Assignee of J. E. Knight, by Patent No. 212, Vol. 26. Plaintiff alleges that he is the owner of said land under the five and ten year statutes of limitation; that on the day of the year last aforesaid, defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld said premises from plaintiff's possession to his damage of \$10,000.00.

That the reasonable annual rental value of said land and premises is \$500.00.

Plaintiff prays for citation, for judgment for the title and possession of said above described land, for writ of restitution, for his rents, damages, costs, and general and special relief.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing, how you have executed the same.

Witness, Francis Roberts, Clerk of the District Court of Hall County.

Given under my hand and Seal of said Court, at office in Memphis this ninth day of April A. D. 1917 Francis Roberts Clerk, District Court, Hall County.

Buy a S. H. Wills Cotton Chopper, J. M. Blackshear, agent will call on you, or you may write S. H. Wills at Turkey, Texas for literature. 44-6

### He Almost Fell Down

A. M. Hunecker, Bogue Chitto Miss., writes: "I suffered from rheumatism, kidney and bladder trouble, also dizziness; would almost fall down at times. Foley Kidney Pills gave me entire relief." Disordered kidneys give warning by pains in side and back, sore muscles, swollen joints, tired and languid feeling. Fickas Drug Co.

Bad breath, bitter taste, dizziness and a general "no account" feeling is a sure sign of a torpid liver. FICKAS' BILKINE is the medicine needed. It makes the liver active, vitalizes the blood, regulates the bowels and restores a fine feeling of energy and cheerfulness. Price 50c. Sold by All Dealers.

### CITATION.

#### STATE OF TEXAS.

To the sheriff or any Constable of Hall County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hall if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 46th judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 46th judicial, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, W. H. Mollicott and the unknown heirs of W. H. Mollicott, deceased, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Hall at the Court House thereof, in Memphis on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1917, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 26th day March A. D. 1917, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 895, wherein Mrs. Mary Wands is plaintiff and W. H. Mollicott et al are defendants. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit: That on Jan. 1st, 1917, plaintiff was and now is at date of filing of suit lawfully seized and possessed of all of Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block 6 of Ansley's addition to the town of Memphis, Hall County, Texas; that on the day and year last aforesaid defendant entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld from plaintiff the possession thereof, to her damage \$500.00. That for more than ten years last past plaintiff has held peaceable adverse possession of said land and premises above described, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for said period of ten years before filing of this suit. Plaintiff prays that defendant be

served by citation by publication for eight weeks as provided by law and that upon hearing she have judgement quieting her title to said lots and for relief general and special, etc.

Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Memphis this, the 4th day of April, A. D. 1917. Francis Roberts Clerk District Court Hall County, Texas

In the whole field of medicine there is not a healing remedy that will repair damage to the flesh more quickly than BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. In cuts, wounds, sprains, burns, scalds and rheumatism, its healing and penetrating power is extraordinary. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Fickas Drug Co.

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Overwork, lack of fresh air, mental strain or any sickness disturbs their functions. Stubborn coughs tear and wear the sensitive lung tissues.

# SCOTT'S EMULSION

should be taken promptly for hard coughs, unyielding colds, or when strength is lowered from any cause. Its high nutritive value creates resistive force to ward off sickness. The rich cod liver oil improves the quality of the blood to relieve the cold and the glycerine is soothing and healing to the lung tissues. Refuse Alcoholic Substitutes Which Exclude the Oil.



# THE BIG TENT THEATRE

THAT ALWAYS ALWAYS GOOD

## Franklin Show



# All New People Vaudeville Plays

OPENING NIGHT

# The Westerner

Monday Night, May 21, 1917

**LADIES FREE!**  
THAT IS TWO LADIES ON ONE PAID TICKET

## ON THURSDAY NIGHT

That Franklin Snow will present for the first time in your city  
**SERGEANT TREVORS, U. S. A.**  
a 4 act military drama. For the benefit of the  
**RED CROSS LADIES** of Memphis



**TWENTY IN ONE**

By EARL REED SILVERS.

When Dick Rowland left for his two weeks' vacation in the Catskills he resolved to have the best time in his rather uneventful young life. For three years he had labored for a big brokerage firm in one of New York's largest office buildings, and he was tired of working.

Sitting comfortably on the upper deck of the river steamer, he looked forward with the pleasant anticipation to two weeks of unalloyed pleasure. The boat slipped out into the stream, and Dick, sighing contentedly, lighted his briar pipe and settled himself comfortably for the long ride, for the steamer was not due in Kingston until the early afternoon. He drew the prospectus of the Glenwood hotel from his pocket and glanced over it speculatively. He liked the picture of the hotel, with its glimpse of wooded lake and laughing girls, who looked down upon him from the steps of the spacious porch. And as he gazed, Dick Rowland made a resolution. During the next two weeks he promised himself that he would become acquainted with at least twenty girls in the Glenwood hotel.

Having decided this rather momentous question, he knocked the ashes from his pipe and strolled along the shaded deck of the boat. It was late in August, and the steamer was crowded with vacationists. In one corner he spied a man talking earnestly to a girl with black hair and crimson lips. Dick smiled happily; he would be doing the same thing himself before another day had passed. Idly he wandered from place to place. Everywhere were girls—thin ones, fat ones, happy ones, and ones. But suddenly he stopped in his tracks, eyes staring. In a remote part of the steamer, sheltered by one of the overhead decks, he discovered the prettiest girl he had ever seen. She looked up suddenly and caught Dick's enraptured gaze. He blushed, mumbled something to himself and passed on.

Shortly after noon he wandered idly to the dining room. The tables were nearly all filled, but in one corner the head waiter discovered a vacant seat. He motioned Dick into it, and Dick's heart stood still. Directly opposite him sat the girl he had thought about for the past two hours. The colored gentlemen whose duty it was to preside over that corner of the room evidently believed that Dick and the girl were friends, for he served both of their orders together.

Ten minutes or so elapsed before Dick gained the courage to address a word to his companion. Even then his remark was most commonplace.

"May I trouble you to pass the salt?" he said.

She handed him the commodity in question, and Dick discovered the hint of a twinkle in her eye. He grew bolder.

"Is this your first trip up the river?" he asked.

"Oh, no." She smiled at him, frankly, easily. "I have been spending my vacation in the Catskills for the past three years."

"Are you on your vacation now?"

"Yes, just starting."

"So am I." Dick looked up hopefully. "I wonder if it could be possible that we are going to the same place."

"I hardly think so. The mountains are pretty large, you know."

"Yes, I know." He sank back, discouraged. The girl evidently did not want him to know where she was going. "I don't know very many girls in New York," he said, "and now that I've started on a vacation, I'm going to try to be friends with just as many as I possibly can. I'm going to the Glenwood hotel."

He drew the booklet from his pocket, turning to the picture which had made such an impression upon him earlier in the day. "There are twenty girls in that picture," he announced, "and I hope to know everyone of them."

She reached across the table and, taking the book, examined the photo closely. Finally she handed it back to him.

"Do you see the girl from the corner?" she asked.

"Yes, why?"

"I know her."

"You do?" He spoke eagerly.

"What's her name?"

"Gladys Graydon."

"It's you," he gasped.

"Yes," she answered, enjoying his surprise. "I spent last summer at Glenwood."

"And are you going there now?" He leaned forward in his eagerness, his eyes shining.

"Yes," she answered. "I'm going there for two weeks."

"To think," he said finally, "that I'll be with you for two whole weeks!"

She smiled into his eyes.

"Oh, no! You are going to meet twenty girls. Don't you remember?"

He shook his head emphatically.

"Not this time," he announced.

"Since I've met you, it's a case of twenty girls in one."

And the smile she gave him in answer meant more than any twenty smiles he had ever seen.

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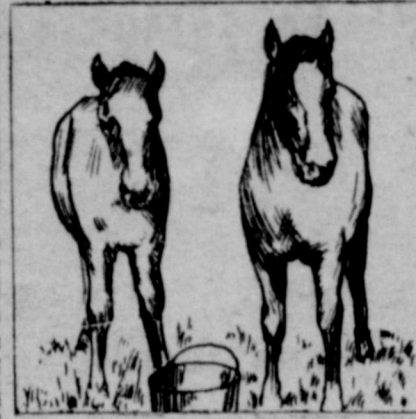
Matter Requires Careful Feeding and Management—Four to Six Months is the Usual Age.

(By M. COVERDELL.)

Weaning the colt is not simply an act of separating the colt from its dam, but it is a matter that will require careful feeding and management of both, just the same as changes in other conditions demand different rations and handling.

From four to six months is the usual age at which the colt should be weaned. Of course, there are exceptions to this rule, some doing better if weaned earlier, where the mare's milk does not seem to agree with the colt, and some wanting the dam's milk for a longer period on account of the colt being puny or unhealthy, but in most cases this is the proper range of age for weaning.

However, if the mare has been rebred and is thought to be pregnant, the colt should not be allowed to suckle over four or five months at the farthest, as the composition of the milk begins to change at this period and will wield a deteriorating effect on the health of the suckling colt, at



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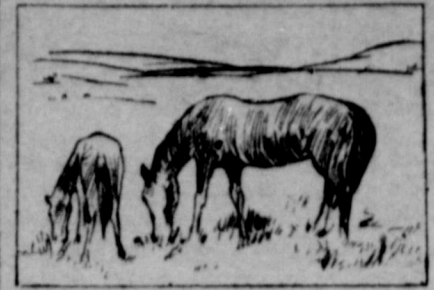
the same time tending to rob the colt in foal of the nourishment that should be transmitted to it, while the complications caused by these unfavorable conditions also detract from the health of the mare.

In weaning the colt, one must be guided partly by the amount of milk produced by the mare; her adaptability to dry up quickly and properly, without damage to the udder.

These are the points that should

given special attention in connection with handling the mare, and, while some will require several days of gradual separation from the colt before the weaning is made permanent, most dams will stand the more sudden weaning.

To guard against mistakes in this respect, let the colt suck only at night



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and in the morning for two days, then allow it to suck only once a day for a couple of days. Next, let it suck every other day for four days, then shut it away from the mare permanently.

All this time the mare should be milked three times a day, or oftener if necessary. Milk her just before the colt sucks every time.

It is not intended that the colt secure much milk. The object is simply to make the weaning gradual for both dam and colt, and to keep the fever and heat sucked out of the udder.

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Practice Has Been Largely Abandoned Because Digestibility Has Been Reduced—Potato is Exception.

(By G. R. SAMPSON, Oregon Agricultural College.)

Cooking feed for swine has been largely abandoned, since the digestibility of most feeds is diminished by cooking. The potato seems to be an exception to this rule. When cheap enough to be fed to pigs, potatoes will stand the expense of cooking and pay a profit if installing equipment does not make too large a proportion of the feed cost. At the present time one hardly seems justified in installing an expensive cooker for potatoes, since ordinarily potatoes are more valuable for human than for pig feed. Other crops also usually furnish more nutrients at less cost per acre than potatoes. Steaming is more desirable than boiling potatoes, since the purpose of cooking is to decrease the water content and burst the starch cells. If potatoes are boiled the water should be drawn off and the potatoes left over the fire long enough to give them a dry and mealy appearance, when they split open.

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Over-ripe, but sound peaches, plums, figs and quinces may be pared, freed from seeds, etc., then mashed with a potato masher or ricer and spread in thin sheets, on boards, platters, glass etc., and dried in the sun or in a warm oven.

Preserves of all kinds and jams, marmalades and butters may be spread and dried as "fruit leathers."

Remaining strips may be bottled. Dried preserves, especially watermelon rind preserves, are excellent for plum puddings and use as confections.

Dried butters and leathers when soaked several hours are excellent for puddings and other dessert, or they may serve as confections.

Fruit juices and berry pulp (cook berries freed from seeds) cooked quickly in shallow enamel pans until thick, sweetened and perhaps thickened with a little flour, corn starch or rice flour may be dried as peach leather.

Care must be taken in drying fruits and fruit products by hot air not to get them too hot. The flavor and quality will be impaired. Tomato pulp paste may be dried as fruit pulp.

Memphis, Texas, May 3, 1917 To Whom it may concern: The premises and the following live stock, all hogs, belonging to G. D. Huffaker, Memphis, Hall county, Texas, have today, been quarantined on account of hog cholera.

ORDINANCE No. 137. An Ordinance Declaring a Certain Wagon-Yard, Feed-Yard or Breeding Stable a Nuisance.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Memphis, Texas.

Sec. 1. That the Wagon-Yard, Feed-Yard or Breeding Stable which is now located on Lots 13 to 24 inclusive in Block 24 in the original town site of the City of Memphis, Texas, is hereby declared a nuisance.

Sec. 2. All persons, firms, corporations, and companies who are maintaining such Wagon-Yard, Feed-Yard or Breeding Stable are hereby given 35 days in which to discontinue such Wagon-Yard, Feed-Yard or Breeding Stable and after the expiration of said time all persons, firms, corporations and companies failing to comply, or to discontinue, said yard shall be subject to abatement by the city of Memphis as in the case of other nuisances.

Sec. 3. All persons guilty of maintaining a nuisance of the kind mentioned in this Ordinance either directly or indirectly from and after the time mentioned in Sec. 2, of this Ordinance, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be fined in any sum not less than \$10.00 nor more than \$100.00. And each day such nuisance is allowed and maintained shall constitute a separate offense.

Passed and approved this 11th day of May, A. D. 1917.

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# Local and Personal

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W. B. Quigley went to El Paso Sunday night.  
 Robert Cummings returned Sunday from Bakersfield, California.  
 Homer Herrick of Estelline was here Monday.  
 George Tipton went to Hedley Sunday.  
 W. L. Wheat was at Giles Monday.  
 If it's a Kodak, it's an Eastman sale by Madden—Rushing Drug.  
 H. W. Riehy of Clarendon attended business matters here Monday.  
 Eugene Nolan and wife of Clarendon were here Sunday visiting friends.  
 Miss Vera Sloan of Pampa was here Sunday.  
 Ed and Frank Fore were at Clarendon Saturday.  
 Joe West of Clarendon was here Sunday of last week.  
 Gibson Ballou of Lela Lake visited friends here Sunday.  
 E. T. J. Worrell, went to Amarillo Friday.  
 Amusement is Kodak-time-Eastman Kodaks at Madden—Rushing Drug Co.  
 F. R. Jones of Fort Worth was here Friday and Saturday.  
 A. Boswell spent Sunday in Dallas.  
 L. G. Combs was at Childress Sunday.  
 Ed Andes of Clarendon was here Sunday.  
 H. M. Prince and baby went from Sunday.  
 Carraway of Clarendon was here Thursday.  
 Shell Wallace was at Dalhart Sunday and Sunday.  
 Sloan went to Amarillo Monday.  
 Lucy McCollum visited relatives at Estelline Sunday.  
 Many articles suitable for graduation and commencement at Madden—Rushing Drug.  
 Anderson was here from Estelline Sunday.  
 Russell of Estelline was here Sunday.  
 McKenney of Amarillo was here Sunday.  
 Good Montgomery went to Amarillo Saturday.  
 Powell returned Sunday from Okemah, Oklahoma.  
 Messer of Clarendon visited here Saturday and Sunday.  
 Popper of Childress, was a visitor here Monday.  
 Stallings of Childress, was a visitor here Tuesday.  
 Barnes of Childress, was here Sunday.  
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 Belle Parks of Clarendon is here sister, Mrs. Tom Will this week.  
 Mad Williams returned Friday a visit with her parents here.  
 Taylor who visited friends here returned to Clarendon Sunday.  
 Williams and daughters, Misses Letha, were at Clarendon Sunday.  
 Maggie Wilson entertained a party of friends at her home Saturday.  
 Mrs. Price McKinsey and Mary, of Amarillo spent here.

Commercial Club Banquet, Tuesday night, May 22.  
 Miss Fannie Montgomery left Friday night for Bowie to spend the summer with relatives.  
 Mrs. Longbine and daughters, Zada and Lillie, of Goodnight were here Sunday.  
 I will sell all my sample garments at great reduction. Silk dresses and skirts and childrens dresses, hose, silk, ribbe, and cotton in white and black and colors. Mrs. N. C. Herod.  
 Mrs. J. H. Lord was called to Elk City Oklahoma, Saturday by the death of her sister, Mrs. A. C. Bryant.  
 Commissioner Jno. R. Barnes of Estelline, was here several days this week attending a meeting of the court.  
 You should not only live at home but you should have your dying done at home. We can do your work in this line and guarantee to please you. Newsome & Hammond.  
 Commissioner S. P. Lacy of Turkey came over Sunday afternoon, remaining until Wednesday, in attendance at a meeting of the court.  
 Dad Harrington and son, Jerry, of Childress were here Thursday afternoon on their way home from Clarendon.  
 Miss Ona Slaton entertained a number of the younger set Friday night honoring Miss Judith Adair, who left Sunday for her home at Plainville.  
 T. J. Cope of Parnell, was here Saturday looking after business matters. Mr. Cope and family have just returned home from Mineral Wells where they spent the summer.  
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 Rev. W. H. Ashcraft, who preaches at Rollie each second Sunday, reports the organization of a Sunday school, with a good membership, at that place last Sunday. He also reported a good rain in that vicinity Sunday.  
 If you have any article of clothing you want dyed let us do the work, don't send it out of town we can please you. Newsome & Hammond.  
 Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Robinson and Misses Lindel and Marjle Robinson, of Wellington, and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Waddell, of Kopperl, spent Sunday here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Holmes. Mrs. Waddell will remain for several days.  
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# THE GOVERNOR AND THE UNIVERSITY

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Dr. McReynolds: They pay the salary, etc.

Mr. Long: Yes.

Dr. McReynolds: In addition to the honorarium they receive?

Mr. Long: Yes.

Dr. Jones: The only irregularity here is the University paying the expenses.

Major Littlefield: You think it is all right for him to get twenty-five dollars?

Dr. Jones: Yes.

The Chairman: You are aware of the fact that Dr. Vinson requested that not to be done?

Major Littlefield: If it is right now that he should not have the twenty-five dollars it was right before they were aware it was wrong.

Dr. Jones: I don't think they have a right to charge the University with any expenses.

Major Littlefield: The University is paying their expenses for having them do this.

Dr. McReynolds: That custom was supposed to have been approved by the Extension Department?

President Vinson: I suppose it was.

Dr. McReynolds: It was not discouraged?

President Vinson: I am not prepared to say.

Mr. Long: Dr. Payne said he thought it was proper. We discussed it two or three times.

The Chairman: Number 4. It is a custom ever since the University started—

President Vinson: Yes. It involves a great number of members of the faculty.

Mr. Long: Dr. Payne told me they called for these lectures and sometimes, "I haven't got a man to go and I have to send to other schools."

The Chairman: It is a custom that has grown up.

Dr. Faber: The fees for the extension work—do these fees go to the professors who does the work entirely or does part of it—

President Vinson: The bulk of it is paid to the man.

Dr. McReynolds: He gets his salary besides?

President Vinson: Yes.

Dr. McReynolds: He gets his salary and he gets his fees for the lecture?

President Vinson: Yes.

Dr. Faber: I want to get the information—I enter for a correspondence course, the fee which I pay for these various courses,—do these fees go direct to the professor who gives the course, the entire fee, or to the University?

Mr. Long: The entire fee comes to the professor who gives you the course when you have completed the course. It is a small fee that he gets for giving the course.

Dr. Faber: The entire fee is paid to the professor giving the course.

Mr. Long: Yes.

President Vinson: Understand, that means extra work. It means work beyond that which the Board employs the professor for.

Dr. Jones: It comes to the old

question of what you mean by the full time of a professor.

Mr. Long: I have been told by the professors that it is the hardest work they ever did in their lives.

The Chairman: Number 4 in this memorandum. (See page 145.) The Auditor raised the point with Dr. Battle concerning the practice of allowing certain members of the faculty to go off to other colleges for a year or so to finish in their respective branches of work or perhaps to do post-graduate work on other subjects and at the same time allowing them to draw full pay from the University. The point urged was that this was wrong in principle. Dr. Battle's reply was that this custom is well established in all first class universities and colleges.

Major Littlefield: It may be an established policy, but I want to tell you it is a very bad one in my opinion. I want to say this, that it is a very bad policy because a man will go and make use of it and quit you and employ to another institution.

The Chairman: Major, pardon me just a minute. You have been present at board meeting where we have voted favorably on the recommendation of the President for just this sort of thing. I don't remember a case, except one, since I have been on the Board where a man was given a full year's pay and that was an acknowledgement of the term of service—I forgot the word for it—where he hadn't had any vacation for many years—a sabbatical year. The man was a full professor and he was allowed a sabbatical year. I remember a few cases and you were just as much in favor of it as I was, where on good showing a professor or associate professor or special student or special member of the faculty, special in some minor position, wanted to go away to prepare himself for advancement in a technical subject in which he was employed, we gladly permitted it or encouraged it in order to get the benefit of the bringing in of new teaching ideas and for the advancement of learning in our institution. That is a practice that is followed throughout the entire United States and particularly in Europe. It is a sure, since you have been on the Board and you came on at the same time I did. We have been on it about three years, and I remember a few instances where it was allowed, but only one where it was a sabbatical year.

Major Littlefield: We have allowed them on the recommendation of the president. I feel much easier in the present case than I have before. Dr. Vinson will not mislead us.

President Vinson: We have a professor here in the University of Texas who has been chosen by the representatives of all the universities in Germany to prepare an official history of the German language. No greater honor, as I know, has ever been bestowed on the University of Texas than to have a member of the faculty chosen to prepare a book of that sort, which is to be published in several volumes. He came to me the other day, not long ago, and asked me to recommend to this Board this fall that he be given a leave of absence for the spring term of the session of 1916-17 to enable him to go away where he can get adequate library facilities for doing this work. In the meantime, he will take on an extra amount of teaching through the fall and winter terms so that he will cover as much time and do as much work in those two terms as he would do normally through the whole session, in order to get away. And his colleagues in that school will take up his work in the spring term while he is away and will do the work so that the University is getting the work done and at the same time it is not costing the University one cent extra

to supply his place while he is gone. At the same time, we are getting the advantage of having it known that a professor in the University of Texas is doing this work. Now, I would like to know—I am asking for information and for the establishment of a policy on the part of the Board in reference to these matters. This is customary; this kind of thing is customary in every important institution that I know of in the United States. It has become a custom that these men do these things and so far as I know no man has ever gone away from here either on full pay or half pay or any pay at all without the action of this Board, and I am seriously interested to know whether the Board is going to say that the men who come here to teach must come here and must stay here from the time they come or until they die without ever being allowed to go away to do additional study and to equip themselves further and to come in contact with new ideas, to rub up against other institutions and to bring them back to this institution fuller of life than they would ever have been if they got into a rut in this institution. I want to know that.

Dr. McReynolds: This kind of a proposition does not appeal to a doctor who has to do this kind of a thing and has to do it at his own expense, and does not draw pay for the time that he is absent.

President Vinson: If our professors could make as much—

Dr. McReynolds: I expect they make more.

Dr. Faber: I don't remember—I haven't been a member of this Board long. Has the University of Texas been following the custom of other universities all over the country of giving professors a sabbatical year? Is it customary?

President Vinson: It's a custom. Dr. Faber: I know it is in other universities and I asked the question whether the University of Texas has followed the established custom of giving the professors a sabbatical year. Has it been the custom?

President Vinson: I think not.

The Chairman: It has been done in instances but is not a custom.

Dr. McReynolds: I think we have been too liberal all along the line, but I believe the responsibility is on the Board. I think we should use some other time in discussing it. At our next meeting will be time enough.

The Chairman: As a matter of information, how many men are absent on pay at all, with or without the consent of the Board?

Mr. Long: The only man I can recall to mind is Dr. Payne.

The Chairman: Is he on half pay?

Mr. Long: Full pay.

The Chairman: For how long?

Mr. Long: For the fall term.

The Chairman: That is a period of about three months?

Mr. Long: A period of about three months—on full pay.

President Vinson: Let me say one other man is absent until the first of December on account of the sickness of his wife. His work is being done by his colleagues.

Major Littlefield: That is not at the expense of the University?

President Vinson: He is receiving his salary but the University is not paying anything extra.

Major Littlefield: Let a man go out and you pay him his full salary—we pay for it and when he comes

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here and takes up his duties—I don't believe in it and I don't think we ought to equip them with it.

The Chairman: I agree with Dr. Reynolds—that is a matter that should be adjusted as it comes up by the Board.

Dr. McReynolds: We have been liberal along that line too.

Mr. Harrell: There has never been leave of absence granted without the consent of the president.

(Discussion.)  
The Chairman: No. 5, of the memorandum here (see page 146): "The requisition system was urged by the auditor on Dr. Battle but this was never adopted until the last week of the administration." When did you first raise the question of a signed requisition for supplies?

Mr. Long: That system has been in use for several years. As soon as I came out here I discovered it and of course I can't explain to you the trouble we had in checking the accounts unless you really understood the system. We buy things that the Purchasing Agent would have control over, and we have a time to let him to pass it. I told the boys the only thing I can do is to go to Dr. Battle and have him to stay with and every man that has authority to spend a nickel of this institution's money, to make out his bill and present it to my office, and we can keep check of it, and we can keep these boys from getting into trouble with the State Purchasing Agent.

The Chairman: Didn't Dr. Battle agree with it?

Mr. Long: He told me at first, "I don't understand your system." He did not. He did not understand it—I think he was sincere. After the Purchasing Agent told the Business Manager that he was going to create trouble for us if any body went down and bought furniture without coming through his department, he was going to create trouble for us. I went and told Dr. Battle about it and he said "Mr. Long"—that was before Dr. Hanson was elected—he says, "I am going to realize myself the force of your recommendations. I see these men haven't any check on what is being done here unless it is in force in toto." He says that if anybody tries to buy anything don't pay them, you send them to me. I says, "All right."

The Chairman: He agreed to do it did he?

Mr. Long: Yes.

(Discussion.)

The Chairman: Here is charged—item No. 6 of the Governor's memorandum (see page 146)—"A false entry on expense account," referring to an expenditure of \$1000 for Home Economics Week, which has heretofore been held in Austin. It seems this year, in February, a meeting was held in Fort Worth. Dr. Ellis and Miss Mary Gearing were seeking to get some lecture on that work for which they would have had to pay services and expenses,—in which they were disappointed, however, and applied to Prof. H. G. James who hesitated to go on the grounds that he could not afford to leave his wife and young baby. He agreed finally to provide the expenses of himself and wife were defrayed. On his return from Fort Worth Professor James presented Dr. Ellis with a bill for his expenses amounting to \$43.10. This account was turned in by Sam E. Polk, Secretary of the Extension Department, who approved it for payment by the Auditor.

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### EUROPEAN WAR IN BRIEF

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

#### AMERICA'S PART IN WAR—

The London Times' military correspondent says that France's need at the earliest possible moment is military aid from the United States.

Charges for collections on checks and drafts to the maximum of 1% on each \$100 or fraction thereof, through the federal reserve system, will be permitted, in view of adoption by the house of an amendment to the reserve act adopted by the senate.

That 127 Americans still are held prisoners in Germany, probably removed from captured armed merchantmen is revealed in Washington. The men are held not because of their American nationality, but because they took part on enemy armed merchantmen.

The long dead-lock of senate and house conferees on the selective draft military bill was broken Thursday with an agreement on a compromise measure under which a great war army would be raised by selective conscription of men between the ages of 21 and 31.

Enrico Arlotta, head of the Italian commission to the United States, says: "We do not need men at the front, but we shall be glad to arrange a war loan in America, with which to pay for what we have purchased here without disturbing the exchange rates."

#### WASHINGTON

Sensational charges that a lobby of "food gamblers, some of them men of immense wealth," already is at work in Washington seeking to defeat the administration food control bills, were made in a formal statement by Assistant Secretary Vrooman of the department of agriculture.

Fire of unknown origin totally destroyed the International Harvester company's offices and warehouse buildings at Sioux Falls, S. D. The loss is in excess of a million dollars. More than 1,000,000 pounds of oiled binder twine ignited, spreading the flames to all parts of the structure.

Oklahoma farmers will require the help of 5,000 men from outside the state to help harvest her wheat crop this year, according to D. F. Ashton, state labor commissioner. Two and a quarter millions of acres of wheat in the north-central section of the state, Mr. Ashton said, are in excellent growing condition.

London.—Great Britain's meatless day is to be abolished because it augments the demand on breadstuffs and other substitutes, which are less plentiful than meat. This was announced by Baron Davenport, the food controller, in the house of lords. He declared that a diminution in the consumption of breadstuffs was of vital moment and a main factor in the situation.

That Theodore Roosevelt will be strongly considered for appointment as a brigadier general for duty with the first cadre of troops to be called by the government is a story that reached Washington from New York.

The National council of women, representing 7,000,000 members of women's clubs of the United States, in session in Chicago, decided to devote all its energies to performing the maximum of services to the country during the war.

Resumption of British gold imports assumed large proportions when another consignment of \$18,400,000 from Canada to J. P. Morgan & Co., was deposited in the New York federal reserve bank last week.

The \$1,800,000,000 tax bill carrying war-time assessments on a multitude of everyday necessities and luxuries has been taken up in the house with leaders of both parties behind it, but with scores objecting vigorously to individual sections.

Secretary McAdoo has sounded a warning that unless every person who could "dig his bit" toward subscribing to the liberty loan that it might fail.

Business men are awake to the fact that a resumption of the check collection system provided for in the amendments to the federal reserve law pending in conference, would fall heavily upon them, and members of congress have received many protests against the provision.

The third regiment of the railway engineers being recruited in Chicago for early service in France, and representing perhaps the greatest aggregate of engineering talent ever gathered in such a military unit, is practically full, according to Samuel Felton of the Chicago Great Western, who is forming the regiment.

Herbert C. Hoover, who recently came from Europe to advise the government on food conditions in Europe, said that without control we may see flour at \$20 a barrel before the year is over, but that with control "the present price of flour can be reduced 40 to 50 per cent and at the same time the producer be treated in a liberal manner."

An armed American Army enlistments from Kilm, Miss., a small town in which a large lumber mill is located, have been so numerous that it has become necessary to employ women for work formerly done by men at the plant, according to information received by the Southern Pine association.

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#### DOMESTIC

Voluntary recruiting, the British war offices announces, soon will be extended to men up to 50 years of age, both single and married.

The increasing efficiency of the allies in submarine destruction is recognized in a speech by the German secretary of the navy in the reichstag on May 10, according to reports reaching this country.

The British government has issued a grave warning to munition workers now on strike and gives notice of punishment for the inciters of the strikes, which were not authorized by the trades unions of England.

Thursday being the anniversary of the opening of the first Russian duma, an extraordinary session of delegates and ex-delegates was held. Prolonged applause greeted a speech by President Rodzianko, in which he repudiated any idea of a separate peace. There was an enthusiastic demonstration when he proclaimed the loyalty of Russia toward her allies.

The report of the finance committee of the French chamber of deputies on the bill providing for a new income tax as a substitute for all other direct taxes emphasizes the

Both French and British statistics on submarine sinking during the last week show a certain improvement in the situation, says Marcel Hutin, a usually well-informed French writer on the subject.

Twenty-four British merchant vessels of more than 1,600 tons each were sunk during the last week, it was announced officially. Twenty-two vessels of less than 1,600 tons and 16 fishing vessels also were sunk.

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