

The Memphis Democrat



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GOVERNOR IMPEACHED SENATE SUSTAINS TEN AND REJECTS 11 COUNTS

of Twenty-Seven to Four on First
Count. Eleven Counts Rejected.
Governor Makes Speech.

SENATE ASSESSES EXTREME PENALTY

Attempts to Mitigate Sentence are Defeated.
Majority Report is Adopted by Vote of
Twenty-Five to Nine.

Texas, Sept. 22.—The Senate, sitting at a high court of justice, this afternoon sustained twenty-one articles of impeachment against Governor James E. Ferguson. Eleven of the charges sustained through failure of the majority to disclose two-thirds of the votes to sustain, and the majority vote to sustain was three charges, these being eleven and twelve, referentially, to the payment of a \$5,000 out of the Canyon building fund, to the loan of currency to the Government, and to the disclosure of persons and his account for the same, and the payment of \$3,000 belonging to the State General's Department for the Normal School.

The Governor began his address with a quotation of verse to the effect that it requires skill and truth to sail against a gale. Early in his speech he said: "Men come and men go; issues come and issues go, but principles live forever. Whether you acquit me or not is a matter of little consequence to me. It is with your conscience—between you and your God."

Full Penalties Assessed.
Austin, Sept. 25.—James E. Ferguson was formally declared removed from office as governor of Texas and barred from hereafter holding any public office "of honor, trust or profit" by the adoption late today in the senate high court of impeachment of the majority report of a special committee of the senate. The majority report was adopted, after a minority report, recommending only removal from office, had been defeated.

The vote on adoption of the majority report was 25 to 9, with one pair and one absent.

The senate court of impeachment adjourned sine die, this afternoon at 5:35 after having adopted majority report.

All efforts to mitigate the sentence imposed on Ferguson were in vain. The court refused to adopt the minority report by a vote of 17 to 9. The adoption of the majority report would not have disqualified Ferguson from holding office in the future.

Senator Dayton then made an effort to have an amendment adopted which would permit subsequent legislatures to grant full citizenship to Ferguson. This was held to be out of order.

Senator Bailey then made an effort to limit the extreme penalty of disqualification to five years. This met with defeat by a vote of 18 to 10.

Senator Hudspeth then made a final plea to divide the question; that is, to vote on removal and then on the question of disqualification, but this was held out of order.

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We would also recommend such simple gingham dresses, middie and woolen skirts and medium priced low heeled shoes be worn. Therefore be it resolved that a copy of these resolutions be read before the Parents Teachers Association and the various clubs of the city.

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The above resolution has the endorsement of the following ladies' clubs: "Woman's Culture Club," "Mystic Weavers," "Bayview Club," "Parent-Teacher Association."

HALL COUNTY UNION TO MEET SATURDAY

Arrangements Being Made for Entertaining Visitors. Good Attendance Expected

A good attendance is expected at the meeting of the Hall county farmers' unions to be held here Saturday and the members of the local here are arranging for the entertainment of a big crowd of visitors.

These meetings are always well attended but more than general interest is expected in this meeting because of the wide-spread concern in regard to prices of cotton and cotton seed and the attitude of the government in regard to same.

Another matter of unusual interest is that of conserving the supply of feed-stuff for stock, which, because of the short grain crop and the extraordinary demand for grain because of the war, is a matter of almost paramount importance both to the farmers and to the stock raisers.

The program for this meeting, published last week, follows:

10:30—Assembling and Opening.

10:40—"Possibilities of the Union Through Co-Operation in Legislation and Business," J. L. McCollum, Estelline; J. F. Bradley, Memphis.

11:20—"The Union's Work in Education," Prof. W. A. McIntosh, Hulver.

11:50—"What the Union Has Done for Hall County," Jack Owens, Lodge.

12:15—Noon Recess.

1:30—"What the Lodge Local Has Done in a Business Way," J. C. Malloy, Lodge.

1:55—"What Estelline Has Done in Business," J. W. Butler, Estelline.

2:20—"What Memphis has Done in Business," E. M. Ewen, Memphis.

2:45—"What I should Do as a Union Man in View of My Obligation," J. C. Bryant, Memphis.

3:15—General Business; Discussions, Resolutions, Place of next meeting and etc.

4:00—Close of meeting.

SENSIBLE DRESSES FOR SCHOOL GIRLS

Conservation Club Pass Resolution Other Organizations Indorse Proposed Reform.

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NOTICE OF THIRD CALL FOR SELECTIVE DRAFT

Soldiers Notified to Hold Selves in Readiness For Call to Join Colors.

The local board has this week mailed "blue cards" to the following list notifying them to hold themselves in readiness for a call to service in the national army:

- W. H. Ballew, Memphis, Texas.
- Harley P. Evans, Lakeview, Texas.
- J. E. Knox, Memphis, Texas.
- R. D. Gilgewater, Memphis, Texas.
- M. M. Moore, Newlin, Texas.
- J. L. Ballew, Memphis, Texas.
- N. L. Patterson, Memphis, Texas.
- D. E. Wells, Lakeview, Texas.
- A. R. Cherry, Memphis, Texas.
- Dow Turner, Memphis, Texas.
- Newman Galloway, Memphis, Texas.
- F. H. Power, Estelline, Texas.
- Oscar L. Morris, Lakeview, Texas.
- Ernest Franks, Memphis, Texas.
- J. E. Galloway, Memphis, Texas.
- John D. Read, Lakeview, Texas.
- J. C. Wall, Memphis, Texas.
- T. E. Rudolph, Lakeview, Texas.
- Robert E. Duren, Lakeview, Texas.
- L. C. Hollis, Newlin, Texas.
- E. F. Duckett, Memphis, Texas.
- J. A. Chumey, Memphis, Texas.
- H. E. Newton, Hulver, Texas.
- Roy Yarbrough, Memphis, Texas.
- W. D. Thompson, Lakeview, Texas.
- L. R. Chunn, Turkey, Texas.
- Clarence Gosdin, Lakeview, Texas.
- John K. Milam, Memphis, Texas.
- Horace A. Leggett, Memphis, Texas.
- S. S. Davis, Lakeview, Texas.
- O. D. Fields, Memphis, Texas.
- J. F. Solomon, Memphis, Texas.
- J. B. Russell, Turkey, Texas.
- J. F. Vardy, Estelline, Texas.
- R. L. Wilkerson, Estelline, Texas.
- Horace Shafer, Memphis, Texas.

This call is expected for about October 3; the men answering to be sent to Camp Travis, as were those sent last week.

"Skinner's Baby" at the Princess Wednesday, Oct. 3.

GIVE LIBERTY BOND TO THE RED CROSS

Ladies of 1913 Study Club Give Liberty Bond to Local Red Cross Organization.

At a meeting to the "1913 Study Club," last week the ladies present voted unanimously to present the "Liberty Bond," recently purchased by the club, to the local Red Cross, the proceeds to go towards paying for the comfort bags to be furnished the Hall County soldiers.

The club was entertained by Miss Imogene King, the program being as follows:

Roll call, answered by quotations from "As You Like It." "The Pan American Protectorate," prepared by Mrs. Kinard and read by Miss Houston Special topic, "South American Composers," Mrs. Power.

A salad course was served by the hostesses.

The club adjourned to meet, on October 3, with Mrs. W. W. Clower.

The two new brick buildings on the west side of the square are nearing completion and are both handsome structures, adding much to the appearance of the block. The building on the south, belonging to Dr. Wilson, will be occupied by the Arnold & Gardner meat market and W. A. Bash an, the fruit and vegetable man, they expect to occupy the building by the first of the month.

"BEATS THEM TO IT" RESIGNATION IS FILED BEFORE COURT DECREE

Was Not Governor When Judgement Was Rendered So Is Not Disqualified to Hold Office

WILL RUN FOR GOVERNOR AGAIN

Says Trial Farce Because Personal and Political Enemies Sat as Judges. Nigger Crapshooters Are Given Fairer Trial



James E. Ferguson

Austin, Sept. 25.—Former Governor James E. Ferguson, who was impeached and disqualified from holding public office hereafter in Texas by action of the senate today, issued a lengthy statement tonight reviewing the causes which he says brought about his impeachment and declares he does not propose to be eliminated from politics, but will go before the people in full assurance that he will be vindicated and returned to the governor's chair. It became known for the first time tonight that Mr. Ferguson filed his resignation as governor with the secretary of the state Monday evening, about twenty-four hours before the senate finally acted on the impeachment matter.

In his letter of resignation Mr. Ferguson says in part: "In order that I might have sufficient time and proper opportunity to present the merits of my candidacy for the office of governor of Texas for a third term and in order that there may be no interference with the right of the people to elect me to that office,

which belongs to the people, I hereby tender my resignation as governor of Texas, same to take effect immediately.

"I take this action only because I have been reliably informed that the senate of the state of Texas is attempting to pass some pretended and illegal order or judgement for the purpose of preventing the people of Texas from electing me governor for a third term and to prevent my holding of said office by virtue of their election.

The former governor declares his impeachment was brought about by a combination of politicians, lobbyists and others and that he was not tried by an impartial body of men. "I was denied the right to question the senate as to prejudices against me or even to object to my political and personal enemies sitting in judgment of my case," Ferguson states in his resignation. "In other words," the former chief executive said, "the governor of Texas did not have the same chance of securing an impartial jury as is given to a 'nigger' crapshooter or a 'nigger bootlegger.'"

A letter from Rankin Russell, captain in charge of the Hall county contingent of soldiers sent to Camp Travis, San Antonio, last Wednesday night, says that the boys seemed generally well pleased with the camp and the treatment accorded them.

Water Notice

All water rents will be due October 1st. Call at our office at First National Bank and pay promptly and avoid the cut-off charge. Memphis Waterworks Co.

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?

DAVID M. GARDNER, Pastor

"Skinner's Baby" at the Princess Wednesday, October, 3rd.

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Memphis, Texas

HER ALOOFNESS

By ISABEL FROST.

If there was one thing more than another that Virginia prided herself on it was her aloofness, which in this particular case, showed itself in her ability to live months at a time in a New York apartment house without becoming acquainted with any of her neighbors.

In spite of the fact that she had to earn her own living now, she never forgot for one moment that she was Miss Carrington of Carrington Hall, Ga.

She occupied the back suite on the second floor. In the front there was a young sculptor whom she did not even know by sight. The rooms above her own were occupied by Wells Lewis, an incipient dramatist; the floor below, by an interior decorator and his wife. On the very topmost floor were little skylight rooms where several birds of passage lived, students for the most part.

The only personal mail she received was from Terry. He usually wrote once a week, a brief, jerky, boyish epistle, full of complaints, football, "ests" and railings at Latin, English and everything else under the sun except mathematics and herself.

This did not bother Virginia at all. She felt herself responsible for Terry and his proper upbringing as a Carrington. If she could work and support herself, their slender income would suffice to send Terry through school and turn him out a civil engineer, as her father had wished.

She had not realized until these days of early summer how fagged out she was getting.

"Miss Carrington, you'll break down if you don't stop working so hard," Peggy said at the office, as Virginia waited to see the buyer for the art goods department.

Virginia went home that day feeling rather puzzled. Was that what was the matter with her? She studied her face in the mirror carefully, and then thoughtfully opened a letter she had picked up from the table in the lower hall. It was an invitation from the Chaplins, for her to visit them on their houseboat over the week-end.

She left that Friday night for the shore with a feeling of elation, as though she had escaped from a mild sort of prison. On the front steps she passed Wells Lewis. He was personally conducting several paper bags of surreptitious groceries that Virginia knew represented light housekeeping.

Terry arrived at Mrs. Finnegan's at nine o'clock. Lewis heard the altercation in the lower hall while Terry tried to explain his relationship to Miss Carrington and his rights and privileges in her absence. But Mrs. Finnegan was obdurate. It might be so and then again it might not. She would take no chances.

"I saw Miss Carrington go away about 6:30," called Lewis over the banister rail. "Anything I can do? Won't you come up with me until she gets back?"

Terry accepted with alacrity. He not only came up, but he pitched into the remains of Lewis' supper and cleared it up to the last crumb.

Lewis listened sympathetically to everything, even when Terry told how he had been "bounced" from the "prep" school. There had been a little affair of guinea pigs, many guinea pigs hidden all around the assembly hall on a certain evening when the younger boys were excluded from a senior dance.

"Some fellows can't take a joke," Terry concluded, scathingly. "I'm glad to be out of it. I'm sixteen and I ought to be at work instead of letting a girl sister support me. Wish you could get me a job before she gets back."

Lewis considered the matter. He liked the boy. It was the age of specialization.

"I'll help you on your 'math' at night. I don't think your sister has room for you downstairs. I'd like it if you'd bunk up here with me, old man, and keep me company."

Terry loved him for that phrase, "old man." He went to work the next morning, and walked in on Virginia that night a full-fledged business man, with a steady job and a salary. She listened to his explanations in silent

amazement.

"Why, Terry, I have only a bowing acquaintance with this person."

"Well, we'll fix that," replied Terry, comfortably. "I'm going to share his room, and pay my bit, so you'd better get acquainted, Ginnie. If it hadn't been for him, think where your little brother might have ended up—lost in a great city, while sister was house-boating gaily. I invited him down for dinner tonight with us. Of course, if you don't want him, we can go out."

Virginia stood at the open window, looking down at the courtyard where one lone sumac tree braved the city's summer heat. From the windows above floated a whistle that had become familiar—Lewis, holding forth on his favorite melody, "I'm going back, back, back to Carolina; back where I was born."

All at once she knew that she had been lonely. That isles of safety could be very desolate when one is a stranger in New York. Even Terry could not realize that the walls of Jericho had tumbled down, as she said:

"You'd better run up and tell him it's all right, before he starts getting his dinner himself."

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FARM ANIMALS

WHOLESONE FEED FOR SOWS

Special Attention Should Be Given to Animal Expected to Farrow Strong, Healthy Pigs.

The brood sow that is expected to farrow good, strong healthy pigs should receive a little special attention. During the first few weeks of pregnancy there is little extra demand on the mother, but later in the period the fetus is developing rapidly, and the extra care is necessary.

The brood sow must have plenty of clean, wholesome feed. The feed



Extra Fine Specimen.

should not be fattening, but succulent and somewhat laxative. Roots, kale or fine clover hay are good winter green feeds. The hay is not green, but has the same effect on the digestion. Clover or alfalfa hay may be fed in racks where the sow can help herself at will. Do not force her to make her living altogether from this diet, but it supplements the grain very nicely. Don't starve the sow and expect to get a strong litter of pigs.

It is best to have the sows separated from the rest of the hogs, and if the old sows fight the younger ones make a further separation. It doesn't pay to subject the pregnant sow to punishment. Oftentimes they are found in the steer feed lot, where they are bunched around too much. Of course it is best not to shut them up in the farrowing pen until a few weeks before farrowing. They should be in there, however, long enough beforehand to become accustomed to the place. If you wait until the sow has picked her bed or nest, trouble may result. Keep the sow well fed, well exercised, and in clean quarters for best results when it comes to farrowing time.

BRITISH WAR EXHIBIT AT TEXAS STATE FAIR

IMPLEMENTS OF WARFARE USED BY EUROPEAN NATIONS TO BE SHOWN IN NUMBERS.

GREATEST DISPLAY OF KIND

Long Range Cannon, Submarine Torpedoes, Howitzers, Gas Masks, Trench Periscopes, Etc., Will Be Demonstrated.

Implements of warfare used by the fighting forces on the European battle fields will be shown in great numbers in the mammoth British War Exhibit which will be placed at the State Fair of Texas, October 13-25.

Larger than any exhibit of the kind that has ever been shown by the British Government, and probably greatest war display ever exhibited in the world, this British War Exhibit is expected to form one of the chief attractions of the State Fair.

Long range cannons, submarine torpedoes, howitzers, gas masks, trench periscopes, machine guns, and scores of other death-dealing weapons that are snuffing out the lives of soldiers across the sea, will be shown and demonstrated in this exhibit. Pieces of a wrecked German Zeppelin which created consternation by its flight of death over England, have been preserved and will be accorded a prominent place in the exhibit. Many trophies of the "Tomnies" march against kaiserism are found in the German equipment shown. These specimens were all captured from the German army, and around each could be woven a story of courage and bitter suffering that would read like romance. Large shells taken from the German and Turkish troops, German tunics and steel helmets picked up from the field of carnage, will be arrayed in mute testimony of bloody battles along the trenches.

Chief among the interesting specimens will be guns from the famous raider ship "The Emden." The meteoric career and death-dealing record of this boat will lend added attractiveness to any piece of equipment that might once have seen service thereon. Paraphernalia from many other ships which occupy a prominent place in history to date of this great world struggle, is listed in the display.

German naval machines, dragged from the depth of the sea where they were placed in the hope of seeking destruction upon allied ships, will be shown complete, and the workings thereof demonstrated. Zeppelin incendiary bombs, hand grenades, rifle grenades, and explosive devices that have been produced by this great war are included in the exhibit.

One division of the exhibit that is expected to be of peculiar attractiveness, is that of the East Indian troops, which have had an important part in the war. A score of uniforms of those picturesque fighters, models of rope bridges built by the natives of the Himalayas, frontier towers along the northwest line of India, Mappur equipment, bridges, mortars, and bombs will be exhibited.

Indian swords and daggers taken by the Thirteenth Lancers at Subanshar Mohmand Border, rifles, Afghan gun, from the Cantt Indian Museum, and other specimens will be a part of the display.

The British War Exhibit weighs approximately twenty-five tons, and will require an immense amount of floor space. It will be located in the Educational Building, where special quarters have been set aside.

The exhibit was secured by the State Fair of Texas only after the posting of a heavy bond, and at a very considerable expense. It will be shown at the State Fair of Texas as a benefit for the Red Cross Society. Attendants will be at the exhibit constantly, to explain in detail the interesting points.

Traveling Men's Day October 20th.

Saturday, October 20th has been designated as Traveling Men's Day at the State Fair of Texas, at which time it is expected not less than 5000 "Knights of the Grip" will be on hand for the occasion.

Opening the day with a parade through the downtown business section, the traveling men will go to the Fair in a body.

No set program has been arranged for these guests of the Fair, but the Committee in charge of arrangements for the day has announced that a number of novel and surprising stunts will enliven the time spent at the Fair Grounds.

Complete Milk-Making Plant.

Complete in every detail a milk plant will be operated at the State Fair of Texas, October 13-25, in connection with the Dairy Demonstration work. The operation of this plant will be an innovation for the State Fair; heretofore only butter and creamery products have been demonstrated. The plant to be installed this year will demonstrate methods of producing and marketing pure milk.

Origin of Conscription.
Conscription originated in France in 1793, at a time when the country had just passed through the long and bloody war of the French revolution which the monarchs of Europe had banded together to crush. France, under Bonaparte, had come forth victorious, but her army was exhausted and it was evident that some new system of recruiting would be necessary, as voluntary enlistment no longer sufficed.

It was then that General Jourdan brought forth and had passed the law establishing conscription. Since then it has been the basis of all French military legislation, and, to a certain extent, of that of other countries.

Concerning Girls.
Two sentimental college youths were discussing the quality of girl they would choose as life companions. The more sentimental of the two asked: "Which kind of girl do you prefer, 'the one who can walk and walk and walk without ever having to stop and rest, or the girl who has to stop every now and then in a shady place by the roadside?" "I like the girl," said the more conservative youth, "who can walk and walk and walk without ever having to pause by the wayside every now and then."

The Idea!
Mrs. Neaurich was talking to her broker over the telephone. "Kindly buy me a hundred shares of steel at the market," she said briskly. "Certainly, with pleasure," the broker replied, "common or preferred?" "Preferred!" replied Mrs. Neaurich, jolly. "I never purchase anything common."—The Lamb.

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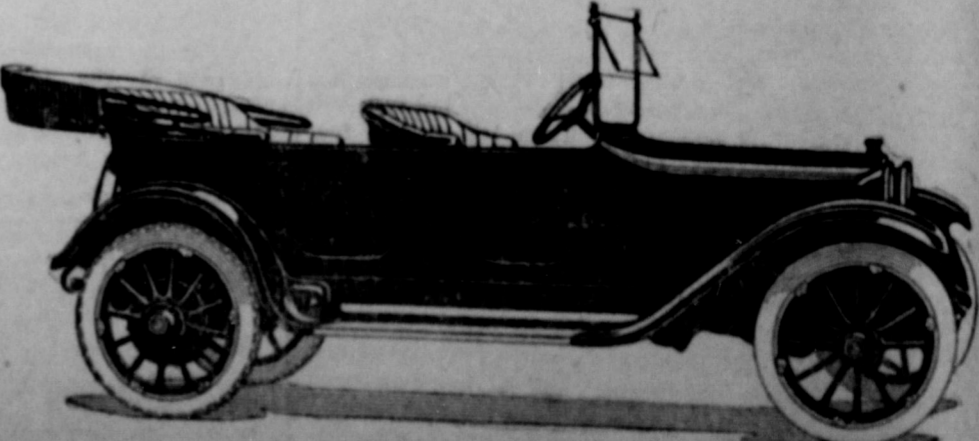
A shortage has continued, now, for two years and a half, in the face of a large steady increase in output.

The shortage may not be local, or sectional, or seasonal, but it is national, universal and continuous.

It will pay you to visit us and examine this car

The gasoline consumption is unusually low. The tire mileage is unusually high.

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C. L. SLOAN

Sloan's Garage Memphis, Texas

The Longing Heart

by Victor Redcliffe

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"She must have wandered away and perished in some lonely spot; perhaps her distracted mind has driven her to suicide," wept the anguished Mrs. Reeves.

But Drury took heart of hope. He started forth on a systematic search for his missing wife. He found traces of the bereft mother here and there. She had been seen, miles away from the home village, by a number of people. Ever and always her lips framed the plaintive cry: "Have you seen anything of a little stolen babe, with blue eyes, just like its father's?"

Thus, wandering from farmhouse to hamlet, Nellie had gone. Where the darkened gloom of her mind was suspected, she was tenderly treated and given food and shelter, but she would be found missing the next morning, and each succeeding day more fully obscured the trail of her wanderings, for each day presented a wider distance from her starting point.

It was at noontide one lovely day that Nellie, her attire torn with brambles, grown thin and wavering, but her eyes ever peering ahead and around with the one wild hope of her heart of finding the lost one, came upon a forest glade and sank down exhausted beside a spring to cool her parched lips and rest. She swayed in a slumberous way, her tired lids were closing, when there came floating on the ambient air a cry, to her soul clear and directing as a trumpet voice. It was the faint echoes of a child. In an instant Nellie was on her feet, eyes distended, her full soul in their depths, suspense, eagerness, awe, and exultation in her wan face.

"Oh, my baby, my darling lost one!" she breathed longingly: "I come! I come!"

She dashed through the tangled wild-wood in the direction whence the cry had come. She cleared some bushes. There, lying in a baby carriage, moving about restlessly on its soft pillow, was a little babe perhaps six months old.

Nellie Wayne stood irradiated. Her glance fairly devoured the tiny mite. The little one looked up at her.

"Oh, pretty blue eyes! Oh, my own, own baby!" cried Nellie, and she had the little one in her arms, hugging it, kissing it, covering its sweet soft face with kisses, laughing, crying—in a heaven of joy ineffable.

A man had arisen from a fallen tree twenty feet away, partly screened by intervening foliage. He was pale, feeble-looking, and his face expressed the most absolute bewilderment as he stared at the startling scene presented to his view. Then he was taken with a violent fit of coughing that racked his attenuated frame. After this spasm he was about to proceed, when a hand was placed on his shoulder. He turned to face a man fully as much agitated as himself.

"Don't speak—don't let yourself be seen!" hoarsely whispered the intruder, and he was Nellie Wayne's husband.

Both stood intently watching Nellie and the child. The little one had started



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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."

GREAT VARIETY OF SPARROWS

Idea of Killing Them for Food Good One If Hunters Can Distinguish Pests From Others.

"Eat sparrows," says a government biologist, and composes a bulletin to prove the excellence of his advice. It is well and good to eat sparrows, if only the pest sparrows, the "English sparrows," are served. Anything to get rid of them. Eating them is as good as any other way to dispose of them.

But to send pot-hunters promiscuously gunning for sparrows would be most deplorable, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. There are sparrows and sparrows, of endless variety, and they are all dnn, brownish, grayish little birds, with no striking color markings to make them really distinguishable. The song sparrow and the field sparrow are two of our commonest and most accomplished songsters, clean-living, admirable little birds, friends of the farmer; and no one but a student could distinguish them from the gutter pests. There is the white-throated sparrow, the "Peabody bird," whose plaintive call is a unique feature of forest music of spring; and there is the friendly little "chippy" of summer, who cannot sing at all, but who can discourse an abundance of good cheer. A sparrow potpie made of birds collected by a rural or suburban pot-hunter might contain an English sparrow or two, but it would more probably be made up entirely of song sparrows and field sparrows and white throated sparrows and chipping sparrows and vesper sparrows.

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JERRY DALTON, Editor.

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The Democrat accuses Johnson of being a prophet. We are rather of the same opinion Thursday night we received from the Senator a letter stating that twenty-three Senators would perhaps vote against the Governor. This letter was written Wednesday night Friday morning's daily papers announced that the Senate on Thursday had voted that Ferguson should tell who loaned him \$150.00 by a vote of twenty-three to seven. There may be something in that prophet business after all.—Hall County Herald.

This is no evidence of prophesy; it is proof of conspiracy.

The Big Circus

Fighting as the pleasure of the circus itself, the contract man of the Al G. Barnes circus paid a visit to Memphis hurrying from city hall, to various newspaper offices, hunting up grounds on which to place the "big top" reserving billboard space and attending to the thousand and one things necessary to placing the big amusement plan in our midst.

Tuesday October 9th is the day set for the exhibit of the biggest and best wild animal circus. The Barnes Circus has made a distinct place for itself in the amusement world by adhering to a standard rule of having only animals performing, hundreds of people are required to carry on this exclusive animal actor program, as each set of animals must have a teacher and helper. Pretty girls have been chosen mostly for this work, as their sensitive natures give them a clearer understanding of the brutishness of the forest jungle beasts. They are less prone to confusion than the man and present a prettier picture. The strength of wild animals is so tremendous that mere man strength amounts to nothing; it is the courage, fearlessness and self-assurance that counts most, and these are the qualifications women seem to possess.

Over 1000 wild and domestic animals are carried by this big animal wizzard and a program of dash and ginger is given in 65 feature acts. A brand new feature is a big animal pageant by the entire ensemble A jungle nursery, where the baby animals, of which the show has a number, are placed together. A personally conducted tour of the animal tent, under the guidance of a competent lecturer and attendants, designed especially to give children and teachers the big educational value, such a number of animals, as only the Barnes circus carries, are a few of the features that mark Barnes Circus as the "Show That's Different."

Mother Kills Child

Amarillo, Sept. 23.—John Schafner, aged 11, and his sister, Sophie, aged 13, were victims of a murderous attack on the Bush place, three miles west of Amarillo Saturday night.

A razor was used and the boy's throat was cut from ear to ear. He died immediately.

The sister's wounds are not dangerous.

The coroner's inquest this afternoon returned a verdict charging the mother of the children, Mrs. Hattie Schafner, with the crime.

Mrs. Schafner is held without bail.

To the Cotton Farmers.

Gentlemen: We thank you for any patronage you have given us in the past and beg to say that you will find us at the same old stand, better prepared than ever before to give you the best service.

We have now one of the best and most up-to-date gin plants in Texas, with a number of improvements that are offered by few others.

The latest and most improved cleaning machinery, that removes the dirt, trash and bolls before the cotton reaches the gins, insures the cleanest possible sample for either picked cotton or bollie. An automatic packer arranges the cotton in uniform layers offering the best sample from the packed bale. A weighing machine weighs your seed without a single chance for waste; every seed in your bale is weighed and there is no ESTIMATING, you get pay for all your seed. Because of these and other advantages we claim to be able to give you better service than is possible with any other ginning system on earth.

First—A better sample.
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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.

"Civilization"

The great \$1000,000 Spectacle at the Princess Oct. 16th and 17th.

Many critics declare the big attraction, "Civilization," is better than "The Birth of a Nation."

Reserved seat tickets will be on sale shortly for "Civilization" at The Princess.

We are offering 11,000 acres choice, smooth, short grass land, solid body, close to railroad, for quick sale at \$11.00 per acre patent on good terms with six per cent on deferred payments. House, well and mill, 25 miles fence and other improvements. Grass now good.

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WAR TANK AIDS ARMY

Formidable Vehicle Turned Over to Government by Dodge Brothers Dealer.

Recruiting officers in the Chicago district have been assisted materially in their efforts during the last few weeks by a specially constructed armored car of the tank species. The tank, a formidable looking object with heavy guns mounted in genuine war-time fashion, an American flag flying from the top and a recruiting banner on the rear, has attracted interest to such an extent that streets are often blocked when it pauses for a moment on a corner. The pauses are frequent, incidentally, for the tank is used by recruiting officers as a platform from which addresses are delivered. The tank is built over a Dodge Brothers motor car, the entire outfit having been placed at the disposal of the government officers by the Dashiell Motor Company, Dodge Brothers dealers in Chicago. Through an arrangement just made by the Detroit factory, the same tank will appear in many other leading cities of the country where recruiting for various branches of service is still in progress.

N. E. BURK

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When a Name is Capital

An appropriate and significant name for the farm gives the owner considerable advantage. The name adds dignity to the farm and gives the owner and his family standing in the community.

The farmer who has something to sell besides the general crops—and every farmer should have—will find that a name for the farm has considerable advertising value and will enable him to sell to better advantage. He can standardize his products and get better prices for them where he names the farm and sees that the name stands for honesty, purity and quality in what is offered for sale.

The name of the farm should be appropriate, easily remembered and fitting its environment. Every member of the family should be proud of the name and each should be anxious to maintain its reputation in the products offered for sale from it. In this way, the name will have great value and enable the products to be sold to good advantage.—Farm and Ranch.

Goes "Batty" About War

Sheriff Mitchell of Crosby county passed thru Slaton Sunday on his way to Austin to take Al Stewart of Crosbyton to the insane asylum. Stewart is a young farmer living near Crosbyton. He is about twenty-five years of age and seems normally to have been a brilliant young man. He was drafted in the first call and was to have reported at the training camp this month. Stewart became deranged several weeks ago from worrying over the war. He became violent last week and was placed under care of the authorities Friday. He was unmarried.—Slatonite.

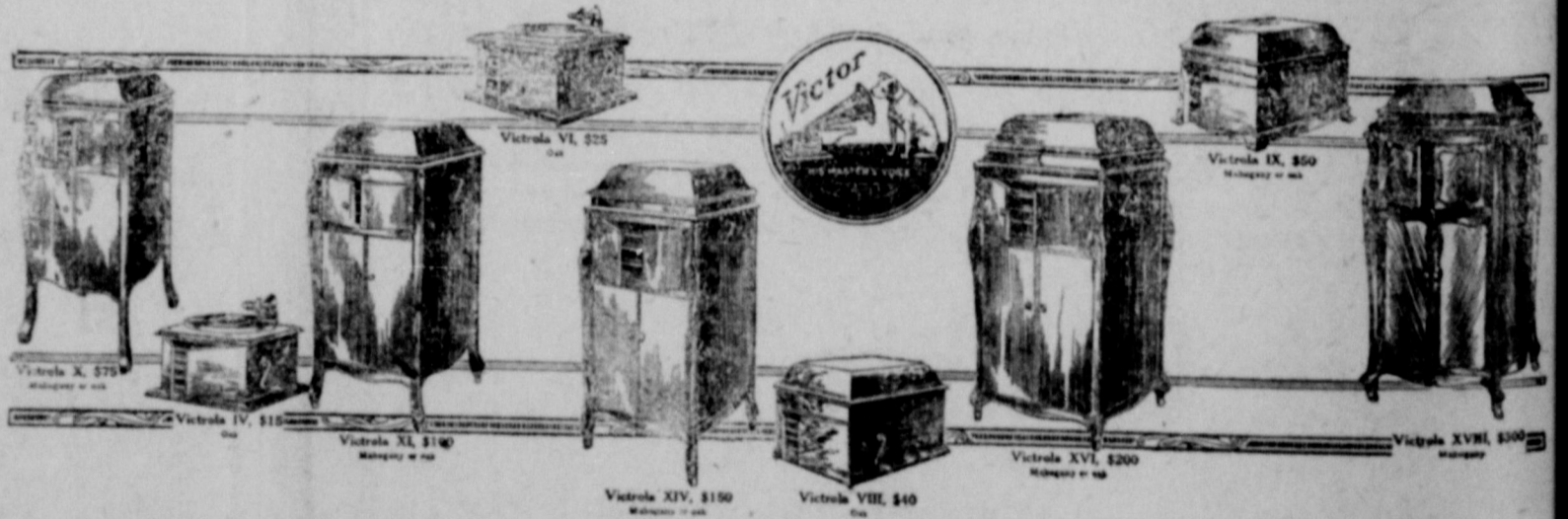
Sheriff's Sale

By authority of the stock law passed by the 34th Legislature and adopted in Commissioner's precept No. 1 of Hall County Texas. I have taken into my possession one brown filly about 3 years old, owner unknown which I will proceed to sell, within the hours presented by law for Sheriff's sale on Monday the 1st day of October 1917 at Mrs. B. F. King's farm 2 miles S. W. of Memphis, Texas
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MEMPHIS HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

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

On Monday of this week the senior class was moved to room No. 27, where they are to remain for the immediate present.

High School teachers are working upon a new schedule, which, once arranged, is expected to be lasting.

Asked to compare the adjective good a seventh grade student gave the answer: "good, gooder goodest."

Two ex-students were visitors at the school Monday afternoon. They were just in time to witness the correlated movements of the primary pupils. They visited various rooms, particularly the last one they occupied as students.

A faculty meeting was called Tuesday afternoon.

Supt. Bird is not, as yet, thoroughly familiar with the appearance of all of his teachers; on seeing two girls enter the Crockett building before eight thirty he hastened over to investigate and learned, to his surprise, that the "girls" were Misses Hill and Wilson, teachers.

The senior class in physics have begun laboratory work, the first experiments being made Tuesday, September 18.

Some of the High School boys did not quite understand the policy of now in force at the school, so when they were seen walking and riding to school with the girls this policy was fully explained to them.

Wednesday morning a certain student frightened his teacher very much by answering a history question correctly; the shock was so great that she dropped her glasses and broke them.

Signs of a growing enthusiasm among the athletes are plentiful. The girls are organizing basket-ball and tennis teams and preparing for future contests.

The water fountains at the Crockett building are being installed in the front instead of at the back of the building.

A temptation (the "smiling girl") is to be removed from the eleventh grade room, that the senior boys may have an opportunity to study.

"Skinner's Baby" at the Princess Wednesday, October, 3.

Bevo

With a Cold Supper

Try this delicious combination of dainty food and appetizing drink:

Cold salmon on lettuce leaves—mayonnaise dressing—cottage cheese—Bevo.

Every one of the foregoing foods will give you an added enjoyment if you sip Bevo as you eat. But while thinking of Bevo as the ideal table beverage, do not overlook its goodness as a refresher at all times. Unusual and unusually good.

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We Knew

that Suits and Overcoats would be very high this fall and purchased early all the good bargains we could find.

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Local and Personal

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Grand Leader, leads in quality prices. Grand Leader is on the north side. Look us up. Mr. Pierce, of Hedley, was a new visitor Saturday. Knitting needles-10 and 12 at the Necessity Store. Woodridge Lumber Company offer "Ravenwood" nigger-head

T. M. Little spent Wednesday looking after business.

R. Stroud and family returned from a visit to Altus, Okla.

Woodridge Lumber Company offer "Ravenwood" nigger-head

F. Holland and Sam Hale of were visitors here Monday

Brannan came in Tuesday where he had been relatives.

Grand Leader has one price to variations.

Josephine McGill and daughter, Ollie, returned Friday night from Mineral Wells.

Williams Jr., of Childress, was yesterday afternoon on his way from Bitter Lake.

grade Fiber knee pads wear better. 50c pr.

The Necessity Store.

W. Duncan, R. A. Ewing and Grady, of Estelline, were here while Monday afternoon.

lot of men and boys' clothing tomorrow. The price is right.

The Grand Leader.

very thing that men and boys you will find at the Grand Leader

W. L. Wheat and daughter, Ella Pearl, left Friday night for where Miss Ella Pearl will Baylor University.

"Ravenwood" nigger-head coal will you satisfaction. Order a ton or better your winter's supply from Woodridge Lumber Co.

Office, of Sulphur, Oklahoma, Tuesday. He is up visiting children, and looking after his interests near Newlin.

Others go and come, but I stay in Basham, the fruit and vegetable

shipment of men's and boys' suits, just came in to day from New York, old time prices \$1.50 up.

The Grand Leader.

Land, of Collinsworth county, here last week. He said that in his neighborhood were good, especially so, and that cotton will make a fair crop.

men's and boys' suits made to order. We can show you the finest patterns, in Memphis, for the money. The Grand Leader.

A. Scott was here Tuesday from Houston. He said that crops there fairly good but that very little is made in the Tell country, in Texas, where he has farming interests.

P. Cagle made a trip to the country Monday afternoon to after matters at his farm near . He says that crops in that section are very late, because of hail, but prospects for good yields are fine.

Coal may be scarce next winter, play safety-first and practice preparedness by ordering your winter's supply now. Get "Ravenwood" nigger-head from Woodridge Lumber Co.

foundation work of the city is about completed and the buildings to be one of the handsomest buildings in town; the construction, re-enforced with steel, is four feet above the ground.

is beginning to come in rapidly. Prospects now indicate considerably more will be made, probably a few weeks.

The price is advancing and

\$50 Reward
I will give the above reward for information leading to the recovery of watches, lavalliers, brooches, stick pins and other jewelry stolen from the jewelry department of Stocking's Store last night.
J. D. Stocking.
Hold the thief—G. R. Doshier, Sheriff, Donley County, Texas.
Clarendon, Texas, 9-13-17.

South Side Tailor Shop.
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 man 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, tf.



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now looks as if the farmers may get fair returns for this year's labor.

FOR SALE—Three sections good grazing land near Tucumcari, N. M., good improvements, plenty water. Terms \$5.00 per acre, half cash long time on balance. See or write

J. R. Kutch,
Memphis, Texas.

S. Merrick was here Saturday and had the address of his paper changed from Lakeview to Clarendon, near which place he has bought land. He yet has a big cotton crop to gather at Lakeview and was hunting for a big bunch of pickers, to get it gathered as early as possible.

Coal may be scarce next winter, play safety-first and practice preparedness by ordering your winter's supply now. Get "Ravenwood" nigger-head from Woodridge Lumber Co.

Cotton pickers are said to be rather scarce and a number of Mexicans have been brought in from Mexico to help pick the crop. Prices for picking vary with the quality of the crop, \$1.00 being paid where the picking is good and as much as \$1.50 being paid where the yield is light.

"Ravenwood" nigger-head coal will give you satisfaction. Order a ton or better your winter's supply from Woodridge Lumber Co.

An excellent picture of the soldier boys who were called to join the colors at Camp Travis last week was taken by photographer Orr, also a picture including the crowd present at the court house. Friends who want either of these pictures may get them by calling at the studio or writing Mr. Orr.

Conservation Club Meets Oct. 6

The Hall County Conservation Club will hold its regular monthly meeting at the district court room, Saturday Oct. 6th at 2:30 o'clock.

Every Chairman in the county is urged to attend, as this will probably be the last meeting of the Club during the winter, and as this is to be strictly a business meeting it is very important that we have a good attendance.
Mrs. W. L. Wheat Pres.
Mrs. C. A. Crozier, Sec.

Reading Notice

Don't fail to read the advertisement appearing in this issue of the sale of Herefords by the Panhandle Hereford Breeders' Association.

\$20,000.00
In Prizes
Panhandle State Fair
Amarillo, Oct. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13
The biggest cattle show in the southwest, \$10,000 in premiums in this division alone. Agricultural exhibits second to none. \$4,000 this division. Splendid racing program, \$4,000 in purses hung up for this. Varied amusement attractions something doing every minute.
Mlle. La Belle and Dare Devil Hurley, in their great Automobile Cloud Swing. Bell and Eva, acrobatic and clown performers. Grace Ayer, the premier roller skater of the world and others. Remember this is the Panhandle State Fair—your fair help make it a bigger success than ever this year, by exhibiting the best you have, and having every member of your family attend at least one day. With proper cooperation this fair can be made as big as the Dallas Fair in a few years.
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25 Words, four insertions.....75c	For Sale—Registered Poland-China and Duroc pigs, male or female, A 1 stock. T. C. Delaney, 12-4	MICELLANEOUS
25 Words, six insertions.....\$1.00	FOR SALE—Well Improved stock ranch 4000 acres all agricultural land, plenty grass and water. Price right and good long terms. Enquire Box 183, Dalhart, Texas.	Listen—we have a few 14ft wagon beds, two sets of 12 inch side boards of no 1 selected lumber, bolted, painted complete, \$22.50 while they last. 12-3 D. W. Jones Carriage Works
NO AD FOR LESS THAN 25c		For Sale—15 acres land, 5-room house, storm cellar, eastern and other improvements. For price and terms see Mrs. E. L. Mervis, Giles, Texas.
A man once advertised a second-hand automobile for a certain price. In the Democrat, the ad brought two buyers who bid against each other with the result that he received \$15.00 more than he asked for the car. Moral: He made \$14.50 profit on that ad.		LOST —Light colored coat between Lakeview and Memphis Saturday morning. Masonic and Odd Fellow badges on lapel. Leave at Harrison and Clower's Store. W. R. Davis, Lakeview, R. 1.

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This wonderful cabinet—finished like a piece of parlor furniture—built for years of service—with more conveniences than any you ever saw, costs no more than ordinary cabinets. See it today.
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Summer Fashions

"Fashion will out" is a new adaptation of an old saying that is perfectly true these days of strenuousness. Fashion has ever shown herself to be an ever ready ally of "Preparedness" that she has advanced ideas for fall wardrobe of the Woman Patriotic.

The windows along Fifth Avenue are filled to overflowing with all the latest designs of the Fashion world. There are smart dresses to be worn on the street without a coat, there are stunning coats, and there are suits to please the most fastidious. So, you see, we can all plunge into the planning of our wardrobes with the assurance that the styles of early autumn are ready for our inspection.

Conservatism is the keynote, con-

servatism developed to the nth degree. A charming example was a blue serge and satin dress I saw the other day. The narrow skirt was of satin, with a tunic of the a serge slashed in the front. Instead of a collar, there was a band of white Hercules braid following the line of the surplice closing. This square meshed braid takes the exact shape of the bias collar, making it especially suitable for this use.

Side Drapery Versus Straight Silhouette

The side drapery and the straight silhouette are still battling for supremacy. The long tunic is particularly smart for the walking costume. The beige serge dress illustrated here is stunning, each detail being so carefully worked out as to make a perfect whole. The long tight sleeves are quite a feature this autumn. The novel shaping of the collar, the use of tassels instead of buttons, and the touch of embroidery on the skirt, all make for that distinction so eagerly sought by the women of taste.

Heroes and Colorings

Just at present there is quite a vogue in Paris for naming the suits and dresses after prominent Americans. Wilson, Pershing, Roosevelt and Lincoln have all been so honored. In the lovely new collars decreed by Fashion they are quite irresistible. Smoke, mist, steel, chinchilla and the gray browns, such as castor and beaver, are the dominating colors for street costumes. Muniton gray, rust brown, and terra cotta are especially smart. I saw a charming dress, at one of the big hotels the other evening of champagne-colored Jersey cloth combined with raven-blue satin. Indeed, the softness of the vivid autumn colorings is one of the most striking things about the present mode. Of course, our national colors are displayed everywhere, but not so obviously as at first. We are using a great many of the different shades of red and blue, so that one need not go dressed as the American flag in order to "show one's colors."

Beads and More Beads

Everything is beaded, from slippers to hats and back again. It is not really surprising, for the effect gained by a handful of beads in harmonious colorings against a somber background is delightful. Tube-shaped beads are the latest arrivals. Sometimes the formality of a belt is entirely dispensed with these tube-shaped beads simulating a belt and buckle. Iridescent beads, bronze, green and green purple, made a simple little frock of dull green crepe de Chine quite marvelous. Braiding and embroidery promise to play as important a part in the scheme of things this year as last.

The All-Black Costume

Beige is being worn for street costumes almost as much as the ever popular blue. Favorite combinations are navy blue or black and beige. All white dresses are also very popular. Made on youthful lines they are as becoming and proper for the debutant as for her mother. Of course, black satin, Georgette crepe and velvet will be worn in great deal this winter for the more dressy costumes. The black gown illustrated here has long hip-drapery which seems to emphasize



When The Tunic Points the Way to Slenderness

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 cured me. I know, and my doctor knows, what Cardui did for me, for my nerves and health were about gone."

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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 eleven billion dollar war credit bill conference report has been adopted by the house and the measure sent to the White House for the president's signature. The senate had already acted.

A campaign to raise \$25,000,000 by July 1, 1918, to carry out the vast war work of the Young Men's Christian association, both at home and abroad, was started at a meeting in New York by the national war council of the association.

While mobilization of the first major increment of the national army was proceeding throughout the country Secretary Baker and chiefs of the war department appeared before the senate appropriations committee to present requests for an additional \$237,416,000 with which to provide equipment for a total force of 2,396,000 men.

WASHINGTON

A. E. Peden of Houston has been appointed food administrator for Texas by the food administration.

American firms conducting enterprises in Mexico are feeling keenly the new embargo proclamation of President Wilson, which restricts the shipment of coin, bullion and currency to points outside of the nation, according to H. L. Van Zandt, governor of the federal reserve bank of Dallas.

The war department may be expected to report on the location of the artillery school within 30 days, Lawrence Miller, president of the Dallas real estate board, says. Mr. Miller represented the board and accompanied the officers and representatives from the chamber of commerce when a site near Dallas was inspected.

The Farmers and Laborers' Protective association had a membership of 136,000, all over the United States, G. T. Bryant, state organizer, told a local lodge organized at Elkhart, Frank Gilmore testified in the trial of 50 members of the organization on charges of seditious conspiracy at Abilene, against the government.

Wheat is being fed to hogs and

other live stock as a substitute for corn in many counties or northern Oklahoma, and, pending governmental action, very little additional wheat will be marketed from these counties at the price fixed by the food administration, according to a statement by the state board of agriculture.

The London press bears on high naval authority that the new defensive measures against submarine warfare are meeting with success, justifying the hope of a further reduction of losses and says that the results of the methods adopted in the last month give cause for getting confidence.

Seven hundred kegs of dynamite were hidden near Rotan, and it was planned to burn the railroad bridges out the telegraph and telephone wire and "take the president," Nora Cloud, one of the defendants in the trial of 50 members of the Farmers and laborers' protective association on charges of seditious conspiracy, told the Hawley lodge last May, according to testimony given in the federal district court at Abilene by R. R. Grisham, a member of the lodge.

Employees of a Green Bay, Wis., cooperage company hung Senator La Follette in effigy to a smokestack at the plant. The workers then signed a loyalty pledge.

Annual estimate of the cotton crop by the Interstate Trust and Banking company at New Orleans forecasts a crop of 15,282,000 bales for 1917, including lint, 11,000,000. It places the Texas crop at 3,200,000, Oklahoma 1,125,000 and Louisiana 58,000 bales.

A correspondent at Christiania says that the armed steamer which sank a German submarine in the North sea while the U-boat was shelling a neutral sailing ship was an American steamer.

The Costa Rican government by an official act has severed diplomatic relations with Germany. Passports were handed to the diplomatic and consular representatives of Germany and the Costa Rican legation and consuls in Germany were notified.

The American Oil and Refining company has brought in a new gas well near Ada, Okla. The flow is 17,000,000 cubic feet under the gauge.

The nineteenth annual convention of the National association of retail druggists closed at Cleveland, Ohio, William H. Cousins of Dallas, Texas, was elected president.

Dr. J. C. Mahr of Oklahoma City, former state health officer of Oklahoma, has been appointed a captain in the medical officers' reserve corps.

Senator Gore of Oklahoma has purchased a residence in Washington, for which a consideration of \$6,100 was paid, according to the announcement of real estate transfers.

One of the wildest advances in recent months occurred in the cotton market at New Orleans Friday as the result of heavy sheet coverings induced by reports of continued improvements in the spot situation in the Southern markets and unfavorable crop reports. A net gain of about \$7.50 a bale was made.

The United States Steel corporation has announced a 10 per cent advance in the wage of its workers to take effect Oct. 1. This is the fourth increase granted the corporation's wage earners since the beginning of the war in Europe and will bring the total advance in that time up to 45 per cent.

Before United States Circuit Judge Batts and District Judges Russell and Smith, argument was begun at Austin in a case connected with the Shreveport rate case, it being an action brought by the railroads of Texas for an injunction to restrain the attorney general of Texas from prosecuting a suit filed by them in behalf of the state of Texas the Texas lines.

Prisoners taken by the Italians on the Carso front include several Turks. This proves, Italian army officers say, that Austria is getting reserves from every possible quarter in making a last desperate effort to stem the Italian advance.

Two French merchantmen of more than 1,400 tons and two vessels of less than that tonnage were sunk by Teuton submarines or mines in the week ending Sept. 19, according to a official statement.

Bombardment by the British artillery of the German lines in the Ypres sector in Flanders continues most intense. Berlin is apparently much exercised over the ever-increasing volume of shells from the British.

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