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General

World's greatest wheat area will be harvested in 1915 harvest as result of European war, predicts Department of Agriculture expert.

Dr. Henry Van Dyke, American Minister to Holland, arrived at New York, from Rotterdam.

Four hundred bales of cotton for delivery in Japan were purchased at Little Rock, Ark.

Justice Lamar of the United States Supreme Court refused to bring to the attention of the court the conviction of Leo M. Frank, for the murder of Mary Phagan, a factory girl, in Atlanta, Ga., in 1913.

L. M. Poe, who escaped from the West Virginia State insane asylum two years ago and has since been living in the woods, came into the town of Princeton and surrendered, sanity having returned to him.

The fire, which destroyed four hangars and aeroplanes valued at \$40,000 at the Hempstead Plains, (L. I.) aviation field is called a war measure by the police.

Jewelry worth \$20,000 was stolen from a Chicago jewelry store, when the burglar in secret code responded "O. K." to the inquiry of a burglar alarm agency.

While sleeping in her home in Newark, N. J., a maid was poured on Miss Rose Petric, a fall on her hair changing it from jet black to bright red.

The Sayre Library building and the Alumni Gymnasium building of Central University, at Danville, Ky., were destroyed by fire at a loss of \$60,000.

The Du Pont Powder Works will build a plant at Gibsons, N. J., to cost \$50,000 to manufacture chemicals that cannot now be obtained from Germany.

The Haverhill "Herald" Co. of Haverhill, Mass., publishers of the "Haverhill Herald" filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy.

Samuel Compers was re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor, the threatened socialist opposition failing to develop.

It is estimated that candidates and committees of the various parties expended more than \$1,000,000 in the recent Pennsylvania campaign.

The Rev. B. Apple, 72 years old, pastor of the Lutheran Church at North Water Gap, Pa., is dead. He was a preacher for fifty-two years and during that time married 1,054 couples, baptized 2,312 persons, officiated at 1,129 funerals and preached 6,434 sermons.

Ossipee and Cherokee are the names chosen for the two new revenue cutters authorized by Congress. The Ossipee will cost \$255,000 and the Cherokee \$250,000.

Under the auspices of Harvard University, a mammoth outdoor production of Wagner's "Siegfried" will be presented at the Harvard Stadium.

The steam schooner Hanes, wrecked near San Francisco, broke in two, 18 out of the 35 persons on board being drowned.

For the first time in several years the packing plants at East Worth

PITH OF THE WEEK'S NEWS

Latest Telegraphic and Cable Intelligence Epitomized.

OLD WORLD AND THE NEW

Political Pot is Bubbling Furiously—News About Wars That Are Raging and Rumors About Wars to Come.

War Bulletins

Six submarines and the German submarine base at Zebrugge were wrecked by a British naval squadron, which bombarded the Flemish coast.

An extraordinary appropriation of \$40,000,000 for the Italian navy was approved at Sunday's meeting of the Cabinet Council. It will shortly be sanctioned by royal decree.

The Cossacks are pouring through the passes of the Carpathians in large numbers and Hungary is again menaced by the Czar's hordes.

In the western war theatre it is reported that Germany has sent 80,000 fresh troops and 200 more guns into Belgium to make another attempt to break through the Allies' lines.

William Hempstead, an eight-foot English giant whose appetite alarmed the Germans, has been exchanged for two German dwarfs held in England. Census papers are being prepared in England to ascertain number of men under 40 available for active service.

A British force which attempted the capture of an important German railway terminus in East Africa retired after losing 750 men.

A revenue cutter seized the steam yacht Winchester, reported to have been sold to the British Government, as it was about to leave New York.

Washington

President Wilson is expected to lay stress upon Federal merchant marine proposal in his message to Congress next month.

The Governor and Governor-elect of Colorado ask the Federal Industrial Relations Commission to postpone its mine strike investigation.

President Wilson may sit with the Senate, and it is reported the House may be asked to amend rules to permit the Cabinet to join in discussions.

It was officially announced at the White House that there will be no social season at the Executive Mansion this winter.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels has started an investigation with a view of criminal proceedings against the Keith's Theatre in Washington because two soldiers were barred because of their uniforms.

Sporting

"Freddie" Welsh, lightweight champion, defeated Fred Yelle, of Taunton, in a twelve round bout at Boston.

John M. Ward, business manager of the Brooklyn Federal League Club, admitted that the Wards had engaged Leo Mason, of the St. Louis Cardinals. He will manage the team.

There will be no mixup in deciding the Eastern football title this fall. Harvard holds an undisputed claim to the championship, stands head and shoulders over other contenders and has a perfect right to all of the "gridiron laurels" for 1914.

It is reported that James Crofth and Tom McCarry, the California fight promoters, are going to test the constitutionality of the recent anti-boxing law in that State.

Foreign

The German War Office has ordered printed 1,000,000 pocket editions containing German war songs for distribution at the front.

At the opening of the Cuban House of Representatives, and a member made that the Administration has secured millions of dollars in graft.

William Redmond, M. P., brother of John Redmond, leader of the Irish Nationalists, joined the British army in Ireland, with the rank of captain.

Lieut. George Williamson, a graduate of the University, and a member of the Duke of Wellington's regiment, died of wounds received at front.

Sir Oliver Lodge of England president of the Society for Psychical Research, announced that he has conversed with the spirits of dead friends.

The opening of the Panama Canal is helping England, as it saves 23 days in the shipment of supplies from Pacific ports.

All the schools of Trieste, Austria, will be closed, as all the teachers have been called to the front.

The German Government has granted permission for six American army officers to witness the fighting.

The German navy has lost a submarine and a destroyer.

Burned Under Car. Wilmington, Del.—The body of an automobile driver found buried to death under his car at Newcastle, near here, was identified as that of Harry Doughty, of Franklin City, Va.

The body was found by the crew of a trolley car. It is believed Doughty was on his way from Wilmington to his home alone when the car turned turtle and pinned him beneath it.

Burned Cotton. Columbus, Ga.—Fire destroyed a cotton warehouse containing 1,200 bales at Georgetown, Ga. The loss is estimated at \$60,000 partially covered by insurance.

Blanco Arrested. Gen. Lucio Blanco, the last of the Constitutional leaders to evacuate the capital, has been arrested by his own officers and is on his way to Vera Cruz according to a report here.

LITTLE VIOLENCE IN MEXICO CITY

ONLY A FEW ISOLATED CASES OF ROBBERY WHICH WERE SEVERELY PUNISHED.

OTHER PLACES ARE QUIET

Except in Tampico and Conditions Are Believed to Be Relatively Good There.

Washington.—Except for a few isolated cases of robbery and violence which resulted in severe punishment to the offenders, the Zapata forces have maintained good order in Mexico City, according to advices to the state department from the Brazilian minister.

The minister mentioned no injury to Spanish, and officials here do not credit rumors that several Spaniards were killed.

The minister reported that the public was rapidly gaining confidence. The Zapata military command has issued a decree levying a tax of one-half the annual property tax, which he says is needed to pay troops and expenses of the police and the government. The Carranza administration, he says, left the treasury empty.

Nothing was known by the Brazilian minister when he fled his dispatch as to the time when Villa and forces would arrive. Previously he telegraphed that agents of Villa and the Agualientes convention were working in perfect harmony with Zapata officials.

The situation in other parts of Mexico is described in official reports as quiet, with the exception of Tampico, where the approach of Villa forces from San Luis Potosi has terrorized some residents. Reports are current that Gen. Luis Caballero, governor of the state of Tamaulipas, who now is aligned with the convention forces. If that materialize, a peaceful entry of the Villa troops is not unlikely.

ANTI-SUFFRAGISTS OPPOSE Mrs. Dodge Petitions President Wilson to Ignore Request of Women.

Washington.—In protest against the request of woman suffrage leaders for another audience with President Wilson to ask his support for a constitutional suffrage amendment, Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, president of the National association opposed to women suffrage, addressed a letter to the President setting out arguments against the proposals of the suffragists. Mrs. Dodge wrote that the attempt to get popular endorsement of suffrage at the last election was a "dismal failure."

"In the name of 200,000 mature women in America who are not suffragists," she protested against National legislation "that would nullify the expressed will of the majority of

men and women in the separate states to decide this issue according to their constitutional provisions."

"The 'Blacklist' against Senators and Congressmen was a suffrage boomerang" wrote Mrs. Dodge, "the war on Democrats" another.

Mrs. Dodge declared that, taking figures presented to the credentials committee at the recent suffrage convention in Nashville, there were less than 200,000 woman suffragists in the United States, "less than one per cent of the 24,555,754 mature women in America." She sent extensive statistics to show that a great majority of women do not want the ballot.

In Interest of Cotton. Washington.—Former Senator John L. McLaurin of South Carolina arrived here to confer with President Wilson and the Federal Reserve Board relative to recognition for the cotton warehouse bill recently passed by the legislature of his state. Later he will go to New York to make sure that financial interests there will recognize the warehouse receipts as security for loans.

Major Fonde Dead. Knoxville, Tenn.—Major Fonde, general agent of the Southern Railway, with headquarters in this city, is dead at age of 62.

Held in Quarantine. Colon, Panama.—The British colliers Kinross and Roddam, from Cardiff for Norfolk by way of Kingston, Jamaica, arrived here without health certificates and were placed in quarantine. The vessels cleared from Kingston but shipping men here believe they attempted to meet British cruisers and falling ran into Colon instead of returning to Jamaica. The canal officials have not yet determined what action should be taken other than to keep the ships in quarantine a few days.

Sum Not Correct. New York.—A banking house with influential British connections received a cablegram from London intimating that a wrong interpretation had been placed on the statement of Lloyd George in the House of Commons that this country's debts to Great Britain aggregated \$5,000,000,000. The message said British bankers estimate the amount of this country's obligations to London as not exceeding \$250,000,500. That also was the maximum named by Sir George Paish during his visit to America.

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STATE ITEMS

OF INTEREST TO ALL NORTH CAROLINA PEOPLE.

COMING EVENTS.

North Carolina Community Service Week, December 2-5.

Annual Live Stock Meeting, Statesville—January 19-21, 1915.

Tri-State Fair by Association, Charleston, S. C.—Feb. 17-19, 1915.

Miss Graham Heads Teachers. Miss Mary Owen Graham of Charlotte was elected president of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly at the concluding business session of

that body at Charlotte. Her name was proposed by the committee on nominations, headed by Chairman Howell and was greeted by applause. She was elected by a rising vote.

The election of Miss Graham, though not unexpected, as she had royally earned the customary promotion from the office of vice president, is none the less a high honor and gives peculiar gratification to her thousands of friends in this city and state. She is assistant superintendent of schools in Mecklenburg and was formerly a member of the faculty of the State Normal College. She is a daughter of Mr. Archibald Graham, Sr., of Charlotte, and sister of President E. K. Graham of the University, this is the first time a woman has been elected president. President Robert H. Wright of the Eastern Training School, was elected vice president, and Mr. Emmet E. Sama of the State Department of Education was re-elected secretary.

NORTH CAROLINA BRIEFS.

Sentiment is gradually growing for the proposed Henderson County Farm Life School and expressions pro and con are heard from various sources.

Producing 128 bushels of corn to the acre at a cost of a trifle more than 11 cents is an achievement that speaks well for the land that produces it, and for the energy of the farmer who does it, but this is exactly what a tenant has done on the farm of E. J. Hill near Warsaw.

Spencer Council No. 74, Junior Order United American Mechanics, and the Daughters of Liberty presented a flag and Bible to the Smith Grove school of Davidson County.

Southport had a \$10,000 fire recently, the Richard Doehar combination store and the Pilot office all being burned together. The origin of the fire is unknown, and the building was only partly insured.

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GOOD GATE FOR STOCK FARM

Plan Devised Whereby Cows and Horses Cannot Follow Person Who is Feeding Animals.

It is often desired to separate the smaller stock from the larger at feeding time and in providing a passage-way for the milk, it is desired to make the gateway so that it could pass through with a milk pail in each hand while the cows could not follow, writes H. S. Long of Bastle Mills.</