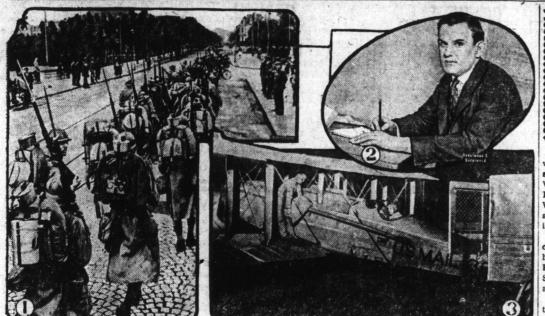
THE ALAMANCE GLEANER, GRAHAM, N. C.



1-French troops, evacuating the Ruhr, marching out of Essen. 2-Mayor L. F. Quigley of Chelsea, Mass. who was indicted, with 43 others, for conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws. 3-First unposed picture of the night air mail, showing a plane being loaded at Hadley field, New Brunswick, N. J.

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NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

France and Britain Agree on Reply to Germany -Crop Report of Government.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD FRANCE and Great Britain, in the persons of Foreign Minister Briand and Foreign Secretary Austen Chainberlain, have reached complete agreement as to the reply which the allies are to make to Germany's latest note a security pact for Europe. The text will not be made public until it has been submitted to Italy, Belgium and Japan, and then delivered to Ber-However, enough of its nature has leaked out to show that it is cordial in tone and calculated to persuade Germany of the friendly intentions of the other nations. Dealing with only a few points specifically, it suggests that the time is ripe for getting down to business, which presumably will take the form first of conversations among the ambassadors and foreign offices. It is hoped the foreign ministers can get together for the final arrangements in September, when the

League of Nations is in session, France still insists on preserving her leadership over central Europe and therefore still demands that the eastern boundaries of Germany, as well as the western, te guaranteed. This is not acceptable to Great Britain, any more than it is to Germany. France also clings to her claim to the right to send troops through Germany to help Poland in case the Poles are attacked by Russia. Germany doesn't concede this and the British are loath to insist on it.

The allies probably will insist that Germany first of all enter the League of Nations. This Berlin is willing to do only with special treatment in respect to Article 16 of the covenant. Also, the Germans will demand that they be given mandates over at least last year. some of their former African colonies. July and 20,000,000 from last In the reichstag last week the government was attacked for "making con cessions to the whole world that fail to take into account Germany's na-000,000 from last year. tional honor." In replying, Foreign Minister Stresemann said:

A corn crop estimate of 2,956,000,-000 bushels represented a loss of 139,-"As to our right to have colonies 000,000 as a result of heat and I can only state that the first time the question of our entering the drought last month, yet the promise is 22,000,000 above the average and League of Nations was debated Ger-

seek new ground. Evidently, the two | moving down from the El Arish recommissions were rather far apart in gion, have effected a junction and their views on Belgium's capacity to pay, which is the crucial point. There started a joint offensive with the puroose of rolling up the right wing of was still no doubt expressed that they would finally come come to an agree-Abd-el-Krim's army and pushing it toward Chechouan. This movement, according to dispatches from Fez, is ment. It has been decided that Belgium shall be granted a brief moragoing far toward destroying the powtorium, but the problems of the interr of the Riff leader, for some of the est rate, the annual payments on actribes have told him they will fight count of principal and the number of no longer outside of their own terriyears in which the whole debt is to tory, and others have opened negotiabe retired are yet unsettled. tions for peace with the French. It According to the government press

is announced in Paris that Marshal of Rome, Italy hopes the total of her Petain, the defender of Verdun, is be-American debt will be made a variable ing sent to Morocco to take the susum, somewhat like the German reppreme command there and to direct arations under the Dawes plan. Ama great offensive planned for September. The army of 200,000 has been reorganized by General Naulin, combassador de Martino will soon return to Washington with the proposition nander in the field, and most of the that Italy is ready to pay to the limit of her capacity, but that the matter infantry are being supplied with the should be considered in the light of new Chattellerault automatic rifles. possible participation of American The revolting Druses in Syria, after killing or capturing 817 French solcapital in Italian private and public

diers, are now on the defensive, hav UNCLE SAM made public last week ing been driven out of Suediah. OFFICIALS of the United Mine his guess at the total of crops that the American farmer will raise Workers announce that if the this year. . At current prices the wheat government interferes with the pro-

and corn crops, as forecast, will be worth close to \$4,000,000,000. The Deposed anthracite strike, the union will ask that the authorities first partment of Agriculture places the wheat crop at 679,000,000 bushels and consider alleged wage-cutting in the soft coal fields. In the background is the implied threat to call out the The 1,387,000,000 bushels of oats, at bituminous coal miners. farm prices, is estimated at \$416,000,-W. W. Inglis of Scranton, chair-

000, the 214,000,000 bushels of barley man of the scale committee of the at \$128,000,000, and the 52,000,000 anthracite operators, said: "We have bushels of rye at \$47,000,000. This feared that, as in the past, the anwould make the five grain crops at thracite industry would become the victim of soft coal necessities. Our Total for the five grains-wheat. industry is relatively a small part of corn, rye, oats and barley-was 5,285,-000,000 bushels, or 183,000,000 more the coal industry as a whole. The mine workers' union is dominant in than harvested last year and 67,000,000 both hard and soft coal fields, and less than suggested by the report Auhowever it may affect the feelings of hard coal producers and consumers

The most striking feature in the they have always come in for secondwinter wheat report is the smallness ary consideration whenever there has of the Kansas crop, 66,000,000 bushels, been a conflict of interests between the poorest showing with three exceptions in the last 20 years. Kansas hard and soft coal." PARDON for Warren T. McCray, Nebraska and Oklahoma combined

have 121,735,000 bushels, a drop, of I former governor of Indiana. Is urged on Attorney General Sargent in month and of 141,000,000 bushels from petition signed by 14 governors of states, seven of the jurors who con-victed him and 30 bankers who A spring wheat crop of 263,000,000 bushels decreased 13,000,000 from were victims of his fraudulent transyear actions. Many other persons also Minnesota, the Dakotas, and Monsigned the petition. McCray was sentana have 187,000,000 bushels, a loss tenced to ten years in prison and has of 12,000,000 from last month and 56,served but a year and three months. His long career of service to his state is cited in his favor.

lina Commerce and Industry.

DOINGS IN THE TAR HEEL STATE NEWS OF NORTH CAROLINA TOLD IN SHORT PARA-GRAPHS FOR BUSY PEOPLE

***************** Smithfield.-A severe electric storm visited portions of Smithfield township, and as a result a negro, Alex Williams, is dead and the home of W. B. Hobbs is burned to the ground. Williams lived on the McCullers farm and was struck by lightning as he sat in his house by the fireplace.

Greensboro .- A. J. Stanfield, of Biscoe was almost instantly killed near his home, when a truck, driven by W. H. Eolder, negro, and owned by C. B. Smith, of Greensboro, turned over against a bank on a sharp curve.

Winston-Salem .- In jumping from the running board of a heavily laden truck on the Zephyr road, Surry county, William Wilson, Jr., aged 55, fell under the machine and was terribly mangled. - He died shortly after be ing etracated.

Rocky Mount .-- Mrs. W. I. Perkins was wounded and the automobile of Matthews M. Riggsby, in which she was riding, bullet-riddled when men garbed in civilian clothes, but said to be officers of the law, opened fire on the machine as it was returning from Petersburg, Va.

Wilmington, - Authentic informa tion to the effect that Washington officials United States war department are to soon publicly offer for sale the entire government reservation at the mouth of the Cape Fear river, upon which is located Fort Caswell, has been received in the city.

Kinston .-- A body taken from Neuse iver here was practically identified as that of Casper Raynor about 37 years of age. Relatives said Raynor, an insurance man and prominently connected, left home Wednesday.

Ahoskie .- E. C. Hill, rural mail cartier on Route 2. Ahoskie, thought he had qualified as the champion town grower of cucumbers when he exhibited here one grown in his garden and weighing two pounds and fifteen cunces and measuring 14 1-2 inches in

ength. Wilmington .- Lloyd Hodge, fourteenyear old white boy, is in jail here knife wounds alleged to have been said to have started while the two

boys and others were swimming in Greenfield lake. Goldsboro .--- The total stock sales for he new permanent Country club was 21,300, according to announcement

nade by W. C. Denmark, secretary and treasurer of the Goldsboro chamber of commerce. A committee was appointed, consisting of J. C. Vanstory, Z. C. Brown and George Daniels to nominate a temporary board of directors with power to appoint officers. Rockingham .- W. B. Cole, promin-

ent textile mill executive and busi- ent owner by E. H. Simmons. ness man, shot and instantly killed William Ormond, as the latter sat in

an automobile near the heart of town. The shooting was said to have been Chapel Hill,-North Carolina ranks eventh among the 16 southern states in the total volume of new construct tion for the first six months of 1925. with a total volume of new buildings the August issue of the North Caro-

Wilmington .- Exports valued at \$14, near town and the chimneys of sev his post as secretary of war because of Wilmington during the fiscal year

Tryon .- A geyser shooting watter oa ********************** feet in the air is to be erected by the Tryon Development company at the main entrance of Lake Lanier properties, on the Spartan-Asheville highway just south of this city.

Oxford .- Frank Daniel, 35, who was paralyzed two weeks ago when he fell through a trap door in a tobacco barn. died at the home of his father, J. R. Daniel, near Berea. He was a very prominent farmer of Granville county Wadesboro .- The first bale of new otton to be ginned in this county and the first to be produced in the State this season, was a bale grown on a plantation of Dr. R. D. Ross in the southern section of this county.

Winston-Salem .-- Contract has just been awarded to Flora and company, of Danville, for the construction of the new Broadway theater on North Liberty street and work on the building will be started immediately.

Durham .- Completed plans for the erection of Orange county's new \$15.-000 jail, at Hillsboro, were sent to Hillsboro from the office of Milburn-Heister Company, architects. The plans are now ready to be given to the contractors at any time.

Lenoir .- Word has been received here of the death in Gainesville, Fla., of Edward Mattocks, oldest son of J. E. Mattocks. of Eustis, Fla., and Mrs. Mattocks, of Lenoir. Death was caused by injuries received in an automo bile accident.

Lexington.-Lexington to Jackson ville, Fla., in a single day without opened, sound, sweet and healthful stopping is the goal of C. C. Gray, of food.

this city, former racing driver of the American Automobile Association, and John L., Trice, manager of the local bureau of the Carolina Motor Club.

Chapel Hill .- There are at present only two states in the Union that have more farms under cultivation than North Carolina and only two states have a larger farm population. according to an article in the News Letter, publised weekly by the University of North Carolina.

Hickory.-Improvement .bonds the city of Hickory were sold to the

John Nuveen Company of Chicago, Ill., for \$130.820, the bid of the Chicago firm being the highest of seven bids submitted. Only one was below par, that of the Provident Trust Company of Cincinnati, O. The others ranged close to the successful bid.

Durham .- Three hundred of the advertsing signs stuck up along the Durham-Chapel Boulevard hav been taken without bail pending the outcome of down and the work of taking the others down is being carried on under nflicted by him upon Marion Meares, the direction of the civics division of thirteen, after an argument that is the Woman's Club of this city.

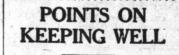
Oxford .- Five members of the family of J. H. Pucket, whose home is near Enon, four miles west of Oxford, which is being administered by Dr. Nelson Thomas, their family physician, as result of one of the cows on the farm having rabies.

Lenoir .- A pocket knife over 200 years old is now owned by James Piercy as, a descendant of Huriah Simmons, who moved to the United States from Ireland many years ago The knife has passed down through the family and was given to the pres-

New Elam.-A very sad accident oc-curred here when Hubert, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sauls, fell into a bucket of hot water and was the result of bad thing existing be fatally scaled. Frantic efforts were made to save the life of the liftle made to save the life of the little child, but to no avail. He died during the night, which happened to be his fourth birthday.

Elm City .- In a storm here the negro Methodist church was lifted amountin gto \$19,322.275. writes Wal- from its foundation and carried a dister J. Matherly, of the University of tance of about a block. A large plate North Carolina school of commerce, in glass window was blown from the front of a drug store. Roofs were blown from several tobacco barns

THERE is now little doubt that John W. Weeks will soon resign of Wilmington during the fiscal year Monroe. - A few hours after gi Monroe .- A few hours after giving birth to a baby daughter, Mrs. Lewis



DR. FREDERICK R. GREEN Editor of "HEALTH" (C. 1925. Western Newspaper Union.)

ARE GERMS REAL?

PROMINENT minister, a highly Α educated man, delivered an address recently in which he referred to present-day knowledge of disease as the "germ theory." Evidently the eminent gentleman regards our knowledge of disease and infection as theory.

I attended a meeting of big food manufacturers a few weeks ago and heard a discussion participated in by hard-beaded business men, managers of great corporations, but (didn't hear any of them refer to present-day meth ods of canning and preserving meats and vegetables and fruits as "germ theory of canning." To them it was not a theory but a proven fact, on the truth of which they had invested hundreds of millions of dollars in factories and equipment. No one ex-presses any doubt as to our ability today to put up, in tin or glass cans, millions of tons of food, to protect it from "spoiling," to keep it in ware houses or stores for years if neces stry and to find it, when the cans ar

Everyone admits that. If you doubt it you have only to step inside any grocery store, buy a can of any kind

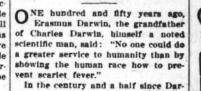
of food and open it. Yet the whole business of preserv ing foods is based on exactly the same "theory" as the 'doctor's knowledge of disease and the surgeon's ability to treat any wound in the human so that it will heal without infection. Our grandmothers knew only two ways of preserving food, drying and

pickling. These old ladies knew that if they put meat or corn or toma-toes in jars and put them away they would "spoil." Doctors knew that if they opened a patient's abdomen or skull or knee joint the patient would "spoil": that is, infection would set in that would poison the patient and endanger his life more than the origi nal disease.

ABout 1850 Louis Pasteur proved by long series of experiments that putrefaction in food and infection in the ody were both caused by little plant like bodies floating in and carried by the air; that if fruit or meat was heated enough to kill all these little plants and the food was then sealed up in air-tight cans, the food would keep indefinitely; and that if the pa tient's skin, the surgeon's hands and instruments and everything that came in contact with the wound were made absolutely clean, the patient would

"keep" and no infection would result. The germs that spoil the body are the same as those that spoil the house-wife's fruit. This isn't theory, it's fact.

> **OUR CHAMPION BABY** KILLER



win, no progress has been made in controlling this disease until the last two years. Scarlet fever has gone on destroying human life and principally baby life, without any human powe being able to stop it or even reduce it. In an article on scarlet fever and public health published in a recent ssue of the Southern Medical Journa

health service, estimates that there

were, in the three years from 1920 to

1923, 350,000 cases of scarlet fever in

United States for these three years

dren every year who suffer from this

disease. Nine out of every ten cases

are among children under ten. Most

of the deaths are among children un

Awful as these figures are, they do

not sl. k us as much as a moving ple-

ture treater panic or a schoolhouse fire, in which a handful of children are

killed or injured. Scarlet fever is such

accustomed to its ravages and re-

signed to the destruction of child life

But to.ay, for the first time in hu-

man history, there is real hope. Old

Erasmus Darwin's wish is about to be

realized. Scarlet fever hus distinctly

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which it causes every year.

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Dr. W. C. Rucker, assistant surgeon general of the United States public



Why Risk Neglect?

Are you lame and achy; weak hervous? Do you suffer backache, s bains, disturbing bladder irregulari

pains, disturbing bladder irregularitie This condition is often due to a slowin up of the kidneys. The kidneys, yy know, are constantly filtering the bloo Once they fall behind in their wor poisons accumulate and undermine one health. Serious troubles may follor If you have reason to suspect fault kidney elimination, try Doan's *Plit* Doan's area tested diuretic, recommen-ed by thousands. Ask your neighbor

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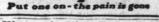
DOAN'S PILLS

STIMULANT DIURETIC TO THE KIDNEYS Foster-Milburn Co., Mig. Chem., Buffalo, N. Y.

Mra. R. H. Clarke, Morganiown, N. C., says: "My kidneys were weak and suffered a great deal with back-ach es. Headaches and dizzy speils made the trouble worse. My kidneys act ed irregularly and there were oth-er signs of the dis-

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Women in High Positions The government in France has re-cently decided that women shall be eligible for the highest positions in the postal and telegraph service in that country. In future, women may rise to be office chiefs, managers, inspectors, etc., and they will thus figure in all the promotions of one of the most important of the government departments.



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the stand that as long as the league distributes colonies and accepts the principle that fully civilized nations have the right to control the less progressive nations, the Germans have the right to be counted among the civilized nations. On this point too. Germany demands full equality and rights."

B ARON VON MALTZAN, German ambassador to Washington, uas handed to Secretary of State Kellogs e formal request of his government that the United States return the German properties seized during the war and now in the custody of the alien property custodian. The State depart ment's reply must be that it is necessary to await the action of congres on the matter. The properties were seized by act of congress and that body stipulated that they could be disposed of only under congressional authority. Those yet retained are valued at about \$300,000,000.

That Germany would make this claim was expected, but it is probable that it will reopen the whole matter of the collection of American claims on Germany for payment for damager istained ty American citizens during the war, including the Lusitania cisims, and for the expenses of mainsaining the American army of occupation in the Rhine country. There are many advocates of the proposition that the seized properties should be kept to liquidate these debts, in part. The entire matter is up to congress.

N'EGOTIATIONS for the funding of In Washington, were not especially satisfactory last week. Each side put forward a proposition which the other ude rejected so it was necessary te

year. The nine hig states where the surplus corn is raised have 1,995,000,-000 bushels, a loss of 85,000,000 from last month and a gain of 454,000,000 compared with a year ago. One of the blg surprises of the re-

port was the showing in oats, 1,387,-000,000 bushels, or 95,000,000 bushels more than last month and compared

in of 510 000 000 bushels over

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than 10,000,000 bushels

with 1,542,000,000 bushels last year. The five-year average is 1,328,000,000 bushels.

CHICAGO and the region round about was much stirred last week by the arrest of Col. Will Gray Beach, chief narcotic agent there, and three of his aids, on charges of trafficking in drugs. This action followed close croft. upon a raid in which Kitty Gilhooley, queen of the dope peddlers," was arrested and a great quantity of dope seized. Later many opium joints in Chicago were raided, and there were fears that a new tong war would

break out because members of one tong accused those of another tong of being informers. In the apartment of Colonel Beach were found many Oriental treasures, some radio sets Walker to oppose Hylan in the Demo nd other articles of value which it was suspected he had obtained in trade for seized narcotics. He asserts cratic primaries. A Republican-Fy sion ticket has been made up, heade they were legitimately purchased by him from addicts. It is alleged that the activities of the government agents in Chicago have smashed a

the country, and that the subsequent revelations will involve politicians,

hy Frank D. Waterman, but W. M nnett, a frequent Republican can didate in the primaries, announce that he will again try to get the nom

dope ring that operated throughout ination. MUSTAPHA KEMAL PASHA

ding June 30, 1925, according to fighealth ited President Coolidge at the White uses just compiled at the office of Courtney, of this city, died as the re-House last week, and while it was denled that he already had resigned, ad- toms for this district. This showing is previously when she fell from an auto ministration officials said there were deemed by the collector and his office small chance for his ever resuming assistants to be a splendid one, despite his duties in the cabinet. Indeed, the fact that it is not the port record. Mr. Weeks himself said that because Asheville .- W. E. Garrett, of Greensof the condition of his health followboro, was elected commander of the ing his operation last spring he was department of North Carolina, United doubtful whether he would be able to Spanish War veterans, at the state enreturn to Washington this fall, and campment held in Asheville. John H that it was possible he might not take

Davis and Col. E. L. Gilmer, also of up his cabinet work again. Greensboro, were appointed depart-

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE is said to ment adjutant and quartermaster, re spectively, L. M. Gipson, of Wilming-**I** be considering several men for the place of ambassador to Japan, made ton, and S. O. Smith, of Asheville, were elcted senior vice commanders. vacant by the death of Edgar A. Banrespectively. Among those mentioned as

Durham -Jim Herndon farmer of possibilities are Frank W. Mondell, William C. Boyden, a Chicago attorney, and William M. Bullitt, who was solicitor general for a time under outcome of the condition of William President Taft. Durham, who was seriously wounded

N EW YORK'S mayoralty campaign when shot in the back with a load of IN is interesting the whole country. Mayor Hylan, backed by Hearst, is ers entered a watermelon patch on the out after re-election and Tammany Herndon farm three miles from here. ant has selected State Senator James J Charlotte .-- Charlotte "mashers" will

ten years.

fare badly when brought into city rapidly on the new boys' dormitory court. Judge Currie intimated when he at the Pythian orphanage at Clayton, sentenced George Earnhardt to six and the structure will soon be ready aonths on the county roads for alleg- for occupancy, according to R. S. Mced remarks addressed to Mrs. W. H. Coin, of Henderson, member of the Grantham, 201 pretty Charlotte young board of trustees of the orphanage, oman

Raleigh -The tobacco crop in North home. Henderson .- Donation of a large Carolina was 74 per cent of a normal one on August 1st, showing a decline group of books by Rev. E. R. Nelson since July 1st of 7 points. It is 3 and the receipt of another large collection from the library of the late J. points below the condition at this time last year, and 4 points below the aver- C. Cooper, Jr., is announced by Miss age condition on August 1st fo the past Bertie H. Craig, librarian of the Perry

Memorial Library.

Col. A. L. McCaskill, collector of cus. sult of an accident sustained a week mobile in which she and her husband and two other persons were riding on the Charlotte highway. Her skull was fractured and she never regained consciousness.

> Rutherfordton. -J. A. Alexander of Forest City and St. Petersburg, Fla., well known manufacturer, banker, church worker and philanthropist, took over the Round Hill Academy at Union Mills and will make it a standard high school, industrial school and a home for motherless children. It will likely become "The Alexander Industrial School."

Dunn,-Joe K. Giddens, well known Sampson county farmer, is in the Durham county, was required to give Dunn Hospital with slight chance for bail of \$500 to hold him pending the racovery from wounds inflicted when fired upon in the yard at his home. Lunsford, 16 year old youth of East Mystery surrounds the shooting. Members of his family were away from home when he was shot and if small shot when he and several oth- he knokws who shot him he has refused to disclose the name of his assail-

The work of the Dicks of Chicago Henderson .--- Work is. progressing makes it possible not only to cure this disease but to prevent it. The serum which they have made is like diphthe ria antitorin. One drop injected into the skin shows whether the child is susceptible or immune. Nearly 80 per cent of children are protected by natural immunity. No need to worry about them. The remaining 20 per who has returned from a visit to the

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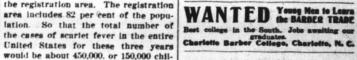
cent can be made immune by a syringeful of serum.

> Any county or any town, any schoo or any family can absolutely protect its children against this baby killer if it wants to. The remedy is there. It only needs intelligence enough to use it to wipe out this age-old scourge of child life.

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