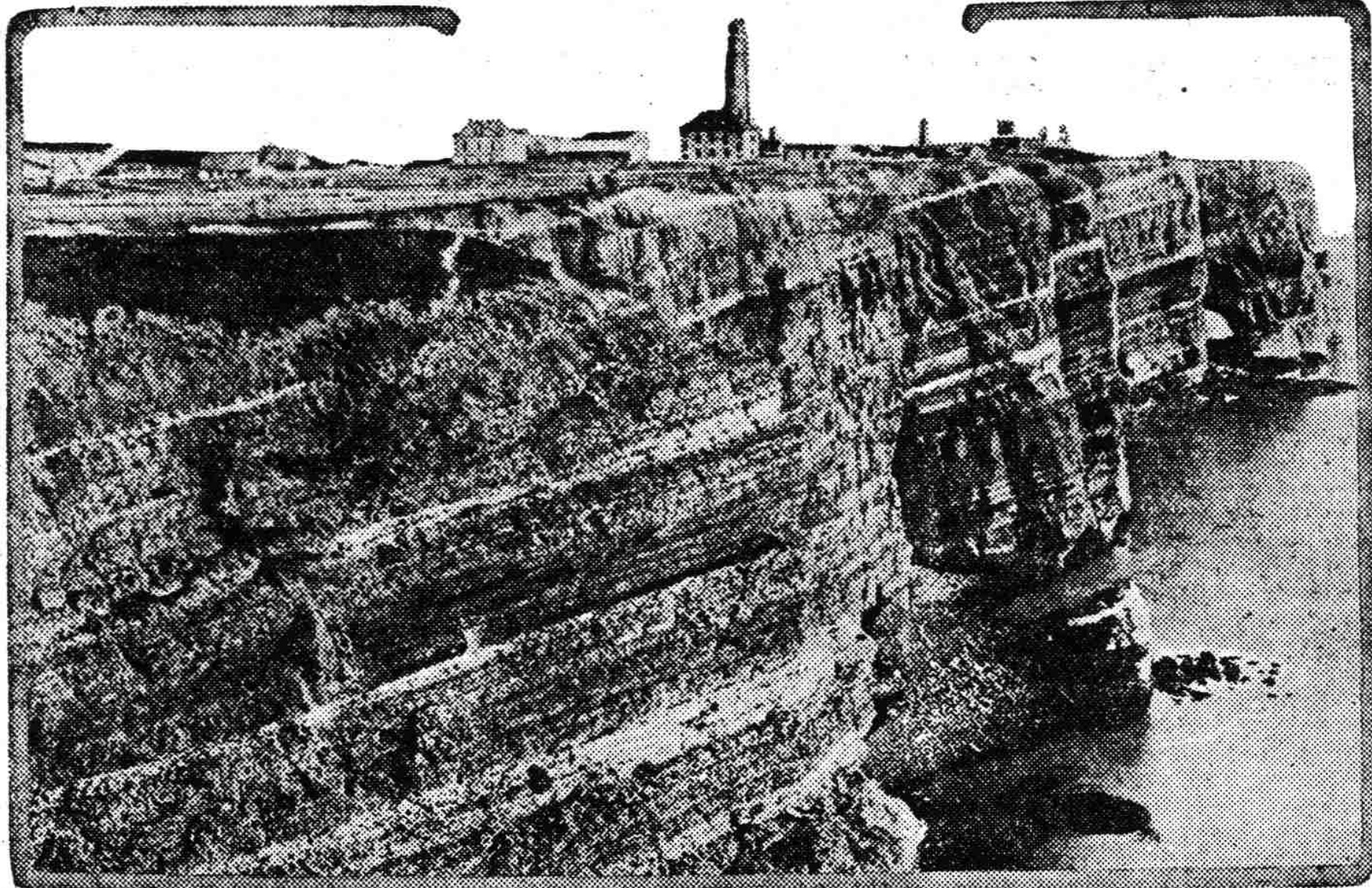
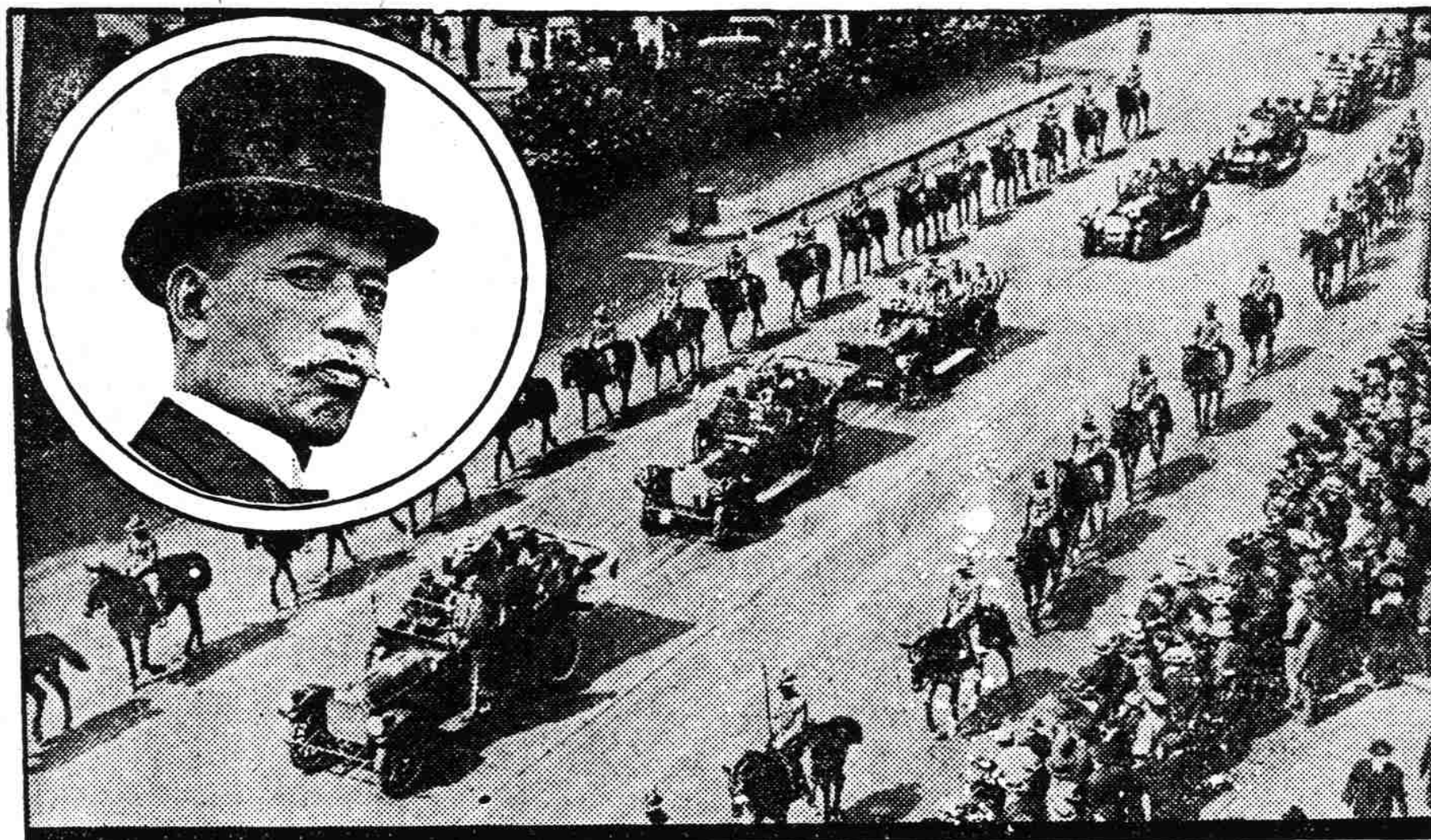


GERMANY'S STRONGHOLD IN THE NORTH SEA



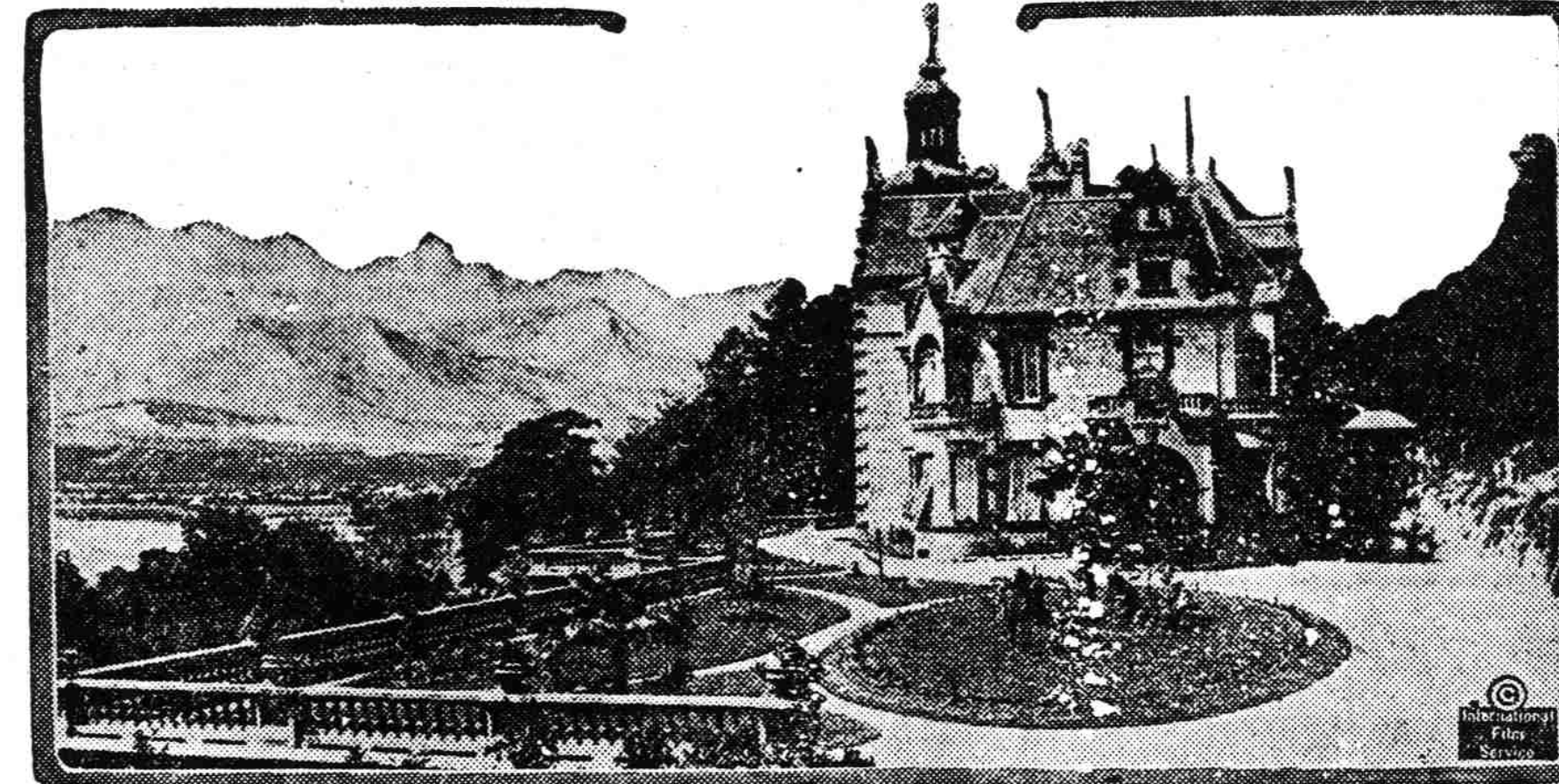
View of a part of Helgoland, the island in the North sea which England traded to Germany years ago and which the Teutons made into a powerful naval base.

SAN FRANCISCO HONORS JAPANESE MISSION



Military parade in San Francisco in honor of the Japanese mission to the United States. Inset is a photograph of Viscount Ishih, head of the mission.

EX-KING CONSTANTINE'S BEAUTIFUL HOME



View of the beautiful Castle Chartreuse, near Thoun, Bernese Oberland, Switzerland, which has become the home of ex-King Constantine of Greece and his family. The castle commands an excellent view of the surrounding country, with its high mountains, fields, and rivers.

TAG FOR AMERICAN SOLDIER



No matter what precarious position or circumstances Uncle Sam's fighting men get themselves into, it will be next to impossible for them to lose their identities. Suspended around their neck every man will wear a metal tag. On this will be all the necessary data for his identification. This photograph shows the tag as it is worn around the neck.

SAMMY IS GALLANT IN FRANCE



American chivalry to the fore. Gallant Sammy gives a lift along the road to a charming French miss. Who wouldn't?

A. J. FIELD CHOSEN AS STATE LIBRARIAN

HE IS EXPECTED TO CONTINUE AS PUBLISHER OF STATE JOURNAL—SALARY \$1,250.

DISPATCHES FROM RALEIGH

Doings and Happenings That Mark the Progress of North Carolina People, Gathered Around the State Capital.

Raleigh.

The State Library Commission selected Col. Alex J. Field, editor of the State Journal, as state librarian, pending a general reorganization and coordination of the library interests of the state by the next general assembly in consolidating the legislative reference library, the state library and the state library commission under one management.

The commission cut the salary of the state librarian from \$1,700 to \$1,250 and applied the remainder of this salary fund to increasing the salaries of Miss Carrie Broughton, first assistant librarian, to \$1,100, and that of the second assistant, Miss King, from \$500 to \$300. There were quite a number of applicants for the place.

It is understood that Colonel Field will retain his control and editorship of The State Journal. He has always been keenly interested in library management and has the distinction of having started and successfully operated about the first circulating local library in the state. This was at Oxford, while he was teaching school there right after he came out of school.

S. A. L. Allowed to Curtail.

Big delegations from Sanford, Hamlet, Cary, Raleigh and Oxford were in Raleigh for the hearing before the corporation commission in the matter of the request of the Seaboard Air Line that it be allowed to take off the Raleigh-Charlotte shoe-fly train service and change materially the Henderson-Oxford service. The hearing began at 3 o'clock and W. L. Stanley, representing the Seaboard Air Line, presented the reasons for the request, explaining that the necessity of contributing the company's part to the government demands for troop movement and special freight service, really necessitated the curtailment of the train service asked.

Mr. Stanley believed that the patriotism of the people of North Carolina would constrain them in the face of necessity to go back to the service of the mixed trains and box cars if the requirements of the war necessitated such a thing. He believed that we are just on the threshold of the war demands and that train curtailment is really in its inception. The saving of not a penny or a paltry dollar was involved in the curtailment asked, he said, but simply necessities of the hour in serving the country in its hour of need for waging the war. There must be 30,000 men of the national guard moved at once by the Seaboard requiring 6,000 cars, and this is only the beginning of the movement.

The Oxford delegation agreed to the proposed changes in the Oxford-Henderson-Durham service and the commission indicated that a probable solution of the Raleigh-Charlotte service would be that the Raleigh-Charlotte shoe-fly will be taken off and the Raleigh-Norlina shoe-fly run extended to Hamlet, and that with a double daily service between Charlotte and Hamlet will meet the transportation necessities and give the Seaboard an additional engine and car for troop movement. The commission wants it understood that there is no intention of disturbing the present Charlotte-Rutherfordton shoe-fly service.

State Dental Board Announced.

Announcement was made by W. H. G. Logan of the War Department that North Carolina's Dental Examining Board consists of Drs. F. L. Hunt of Asheville, J. H. Wheeler of Greensboro and J. Morris Fleming of Raleigh. Either member of this Board is authorized to examine dentists professionally, while for their physical examination they are required to go before the Medical Examining Board.

Enrolling at A. & E. College.

The North Carolina State College of Agriculture and Engineering opened with a registration of freshmen equal to last year's registration and with a slight decrease in the number of old students. Exact figures were not available, but it was estimated by President Riddick that the registration would exceed the expectations of the officials. However, it is not believed that the enrollment will exceed 800.

New Chapters Granted.

Auto Transfer Company, of Concord, to manufacture motor tractors, with \$10,000 authorized capital and \$3,000 subscribed. The incorporators are Joe Paris, Anna R. Paris and O. A. Blackelder, all of Concord.

F. D. Hyams Company, of Charlotte, to conduct billiard parlors, with \$5,000 authorized capital and \$300 subscribed. The incorporators are F. D. Hyams, Mabel Hyams and Elsie Hyams, all of Charlotte. Claremont Hostery Mill, of Hickory, with \$6,000 authorized capital.

Bigger Better Babies' Contest.

The biggest Better Babies' contest ever held in the state and probably in the South will be held here at the state fair next month, October 15-20. For this purpose a wing or section of the new Woman's building, recently constructed and used this season for the first time, has been set apart and specially equipped. The interest of the babies has been well looked after in the new building, and their presence with that of their mothers is counted on as being one of the biggest features of this year's fair.

The babies are already enrolling. Miss Mae Reynolds, who is secretary of the Better Babies' contest, is receiving applications and requests for information almost daily and says that such interest in the contest has not been shown this early before. The names of one-hundred fine babies have already been placed on the list.

The contest will be again under the management of the Woman's Club of Raleigh, with Mrs. W. A. Withers as chairman. The same rules and regulations as those governing the contest last year and previous years will be observed this year. Babies from six to thirty-six months old will be admitted and the same system of making the examinations and keeping the scores will be used. The services of expert physicians, baby specialists, and trained nurses will be secured.

Food Administration" at \$2.20 f. o. b. Chicago, which means, freight added, approximately \$2.40. It is a crime, under the law to exact more; it cannot sell for less, because the government will pay that price for it. The price of the 1918 crop is fixed by the Food Act. Approved August 10th, at not less than \$2.00, Chicago—which means \$2.20 in North Carolina. It cannot be less, this much is guaranteed; it may be more. It would therefore seem clear that we can produce in North Carolina a much larger crop of wheat than we have been producing—at a profit. Every consideration of humanity would urge us to do all we can (whether at a profit or a loss) to keep fed a hungry world. In many countries women and children are dying of hunger; many thousands every week.

Patriotism calls for "Special Effort" each of us in the sphere of activity for which we are best fitted, and thousands of us here in North Carolina can best do our war bit in the line of food production and food saving.

Let us double our wheat acreage this year:

First: It will pay us in dollars and cents.

Second: It will help to save millions of starving people.

Third: It is our line of service to our country; a concrete and worth while expression of patriotism.

I wonder if every minister in North Carolina who preaches weekly to land owners will, for the next three or four Sabbaths, briefly urge his people to this duty?

State is Best Hog Market.

"North Carolina farmers have a better market for hogs than the farmers of the Central West have." This striking declaration was made by Mr. L. W. Shook, of Edgecombe county, who was in attendance at the State Farmers' Convention. Mr. Shook ought to know what he is talking about because he raises and sells several carloads of hogs every year. The Richmond and Baltimore markets pay 50c. to 75c. per hundred pounds more for hogs than the Chicago markets, according to Mr. Shook's observation.

It will surprise most North Carolina people to know that farmers of Edgecombe county have shipped during the last twelve months twenty carloads of hogs. A carload of hogs, generally 80 to 100 head, at present prices is worth from \$3,000 to \$4,000, depending upon the weights of the animals. The twenty carloads shipped by Edgecombe farmers were sold at an average of 15 or 16c. a pound, netting the farmers of the county approximately \$50,000. It is the opinion of live stock men that it will be a long time before the price of hogs drops much below the present level of \$20 a hundred.

North Carolina farmers are preparing to take advantage of the high price of hogs by largely increasing the number of hogs produced upon their farms, old breeders enlarging their herds and farmers who heretofore have paid little or no attention to hog raising establishing herds. Agricultural and livestock exports, however, are warning both classes of breeders to plant for their hogs forage crops which may be planted at this time and grazed during the winter and spring.

Crops suitable for this purpose are rape, clover, vetch, and rye and other small grains. The profits that may be derived from hogs are great where they are raised largely on pasturage, but it has been demonstrated that hogs cannot be profitably raised by the lot method.

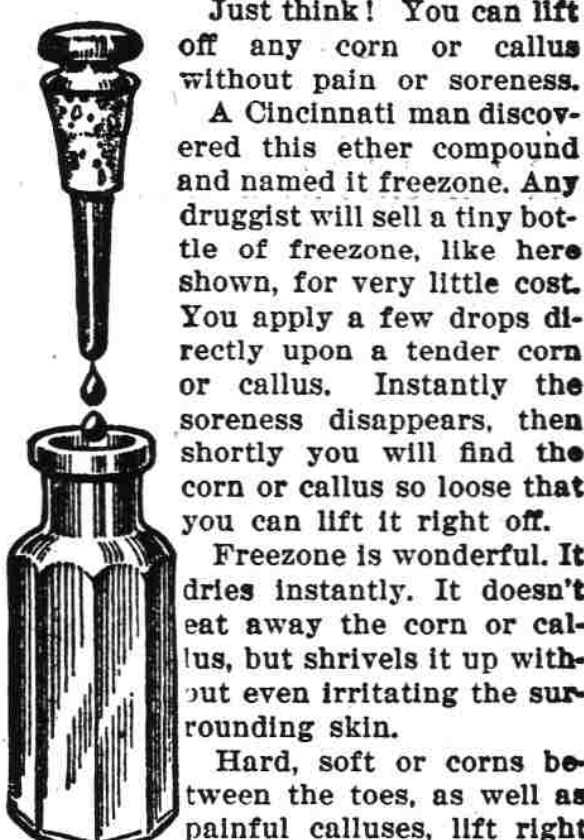
Experts Urge Saving Seed.

The North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service is emphasizing upon the people of the state the necessity of saving seed for planting purposes. This, too, in spite of the fact that acreage of a number of crops, during the present year, had to be curtailed because of the high prices which had to be paid for seed.

Good seed of recommended varieties, grown and acclimated to the home section yield better where they have been properly selected than do other seed.

WOMEN! IT IS MAGIC!
LIFT OUT ANY CORN

Apply a few drops then lift corns or calluses off with fingers—no pain.



Just think! You can lift off any corn or callus without pain or soreness. A Cincinnati man discovered this ether compound and named it freezone. Any druggist will sell a tiny bottle of freezone, like here shown, for very little cost. You apply a few drops directly upon a tender corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears, then shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it right off. Freezone is wonderful. It dries instantly. It doesn't eat away the corn or callus, but shrivels it up without even irritating the surrounding skin. Hard, soft or corns between the toes, as well as painful calluses, lift right off. There is no pain before or afterwards. If your druggist hasn't freezone, tell him to order a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Went to Extremes.
A young man walking through a foreign quarter of New York stopped with an amused smile in front of a small eating place, on the window of which was painted in whitewash "Lam stev."

The proprietor from his doorway, asked what the joke was and the young fellow explained about the missing "b" in "lamb" and was thanked for the correction.

The next day, passing the same restaurant, he found that while the bill of fare had changed, the spelling lesson had not been forgotten. The proprietor was now offering "Clamb chowder."

Whenever You Need a General Tonic
Take Grove's

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

Wastefulness.
Some families take pride in serving lavish and overbountiful meals and overgenerous service of food. This leads inevitably to waste of food on the table and is a temptation to over-eating which often impairs health and efficiency.

Just From College.
"How very seedy your friend looks!" "Naturally. He's just come out of an agricultural college."—London Answers.

Dr. Peery's "Dead Shot" is not a "tonic" or "syrup," but a real old-fashioned dose of medicine which cleans out Worms or Tapeworm with a single dose. Adv.

Only a woman of superior intelligence is surprised at nothing.

Back Given Out?

Housework is too hard for a woman who is half sick, nervous and always tired. But it keeps piling up, and gives weak kidneys no time to recover. If your back is lame and aching and your kidneys irregular; if you have "blue spells," sick headaches, nervousness, dizziness and rheumatic pains, use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have done wonders for thousands of worn out women.

A North Carolina Case
Mrs. I. L. Straughn, "Every Picture Tells a Story" says: "I was so bad off for over two years I couldn't walk much and had to give up my work entirely. My kidneys acted irregularly and I had awful backaches. Nights I couldn't sleep and mornings I got up feeling all tired out. I was awfully dizzy and nervous. My head ached and the least thing upset me. Doan's Kidney Pills made me strong and well and get the entire credit for my cure!"

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