

NERVOUSNESS AND BLUES

Symptoms of More Serious Sickness.

Washington Park, Ill.—"I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, headache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous I could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies."

—Mrs. ROSE STOFFEL, Sage Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.

Camp Sevier Troops

Soon off for France

Greenville, S. C., Oct. 19.—The six training battalions to the 55th depot brigade, formerly the first, second and third battalions of the first Tennessee infantry, the second and third battalions of the North Carolina infantry, and the third battalion of the second South Carolina infantry, are to be incorporated with the regular regiments from their respective states, and all their commissioned officers of the rank of captain and above are to leave for France as soon as transportation can be provided, according to unofficial information here. The first inkling of the war department's intention to move the training battalions came in an order issued this morning to cease improvements on their camp site. The soldiers had just finished providing their tents with floors and sides.

Expect Good Response From Farmers in Local Campaign

In the First Liberty Loan Campaign many of the farmers of the country were not reached, and subscriptions from the rural committee were few. There were several reasons for this, the foremost of which was that the Loan was put out in the spring, when they were busy with their crops, and it was difficult for the canvassers to interview them. Then, too, they had to borrow money for their planting. Now their crops are in, and at the present high prices of food stuffs, they should have a large sum of money in their hands. For a loan of a portion of that money, the Liberty Bond campaigners are now appealing all over the country. The various farm bureaus and societies are co-operating and good results are expected.

Albert R. Dean of the New York College of Agriculture, is one of those who have been active in this work. Speaking of the Loan and the farmers' share in it, he said today:

"When liberty came to America, the farmer helped to bring it. He bore the gun, he contributed unsparingly of his substance, he fed the armies. In the present struggle for universal liberty, I am sure that he will do no less. He has already made splendid response to the demand for greater food production. I look with confidence on his generous contribution to the Liberty Loan. The first Loan largely overlooked the farmer; the efforts were concentrated in the cities. The second campaign should give every opportunity for farmers as individuals and in their organizations to support the Government in its financial program. It is the highest expression of Americanism that all the people should help carry the common load in this critical hour."

Have to Pay War Tax of Half Million Dollars.

Durham, N. C., Oct. 17.—Effective November 2, tobacco factories of Durham will have to pay a war tax of one half million dollars quarterly, the increased taxes for the manufacture of cigarettes and tobacco having advanced 60 per cent. with three months. Prior to October the tax on cigarettes was \$1.25 a thousand, but on October 4 the government advanced the levy to \$1.65 a thousand, and on November 2 the tax will be \$2.06 on the thousand. The war tax on the manufacture of plug tobacco has taken a corresponding jump. On October 4 the levy was advanced from 8 cents a pound to 10 1/2 cents.

TEACHERS' SCHOOLS CAUSING CONCERN.

Teachers Have Been Poorly Paid and They are Looking Out For Themselves.

Raleigh, Oct. 19.—Several hundred teacherless schools reported to the state department of education in part to college and teacher-training schools and to county superintendents, indicate the abandonment of the teaching profession on a scale never before known in North Carolina.

Prof. E. P. Hobgood, of Oxford, seminary, who was in Raleigh Thursday, declared that Wake county alone has made call upon his institution for 19 teachers. Wake may need even more for the county schools for an occasional quitter makes the embarrassment all the more acute. Harnett, Buncombe and other counties need teachers.

Dr. Hobgood explains the trouble: "So many of our teachers have found it more profitable to take government positions of special work incident to the war," he said, "and that has caused many to quit teaching. Our teachers who have been poorly paid at the best now find that board has advanced from 25 to 50 per cent, but there has been no corresponding increase in the salaries. They can't live, many of them, on the salaries paid them and they have taken the better opportunities ahead of them. Our school could place many teachers if we had them and they could leave. I regard the situation as very serious especially now when every boy and girl should be in school and preparing for the duties that will be laid upon us after the war. Our colleges have urged the patrons not to begin their economies with the schools and now we find many schools that will not open because there are no available teachers."

The city schools do not appear to have so many troubles but they have them all the same. Institute conductors who have come in for their winter's work, find the institutes depleted often by the dearth of teachers, though the institutes on the main have been remarkably well attended. It is in the county work that they learn of so many teachers who have given up their professional work. Poor salaries must be set down as the sole cause.

"The Birth of A Nation" Coming to Mt. Airy, Nov. 2 and 3.

It will be welcome news to dwellers hereabouts that D. W. Griffith's gigantic military spectacle, "The Birth of A Nation," is to be presented at the Broadway Theatre exactly as it was at the Liberty Theatre, New York for more than a year and all of the larger cities of America. The complete D. W. Griffith's touring organization, including a symphony orchestra of twenty selected musicians, is to be brought to the Broadway under a special guarantee arrangement with the local management for two days engagement, beginning Friday Nov. 2. A matinee will be given daily and seats for all performances are on sale now at Gwyn's Drug Store.

The engagement of "The Birth of a Nation" is the most important theatrical event undertaken in Mount Airy in recent years and unusual precautions are being taken to ensure the comfort of out-of-town patrons.

All the reserve seat tickets are dated and good only for the performance specified. Mail orders are now being accepted and patrons ordering seats by mail are cautioned to specify which performance they desire to attend. Mail orders must also be accompanied by remittance, payable to theatre, together with a self addressed envelope to be used in forwarding the ticket.

The night performances will begin at 8:30 and the matinee at 3:00. The prices will be nights, \$1.50, all seats reserved, Matinee \$1.00 all seats reserved.

WHEN HER BACK ACHES.

A Woman Finds all Her Energy and Ambition Slipping Away

Mount Airy women know how the aches and pains that often come when the kidneys fail make life a burden. Backache, hip pains, headaches, dizzy spells, distressing lameness, are frequent indications of weak kidneys and should be checked in time. Doan's Kidney Pills are for the kidneys only. They attack kidney diseases by striking at the cause. Here's proof of their merit in a Mount Airy woman's words:

Mrs. R. S. Harris, 316 S. Main St. Mount Airy, says: Doan's Kidney Pills have been a household medicine in our family for several years. Just as soon as I have felt any kidney trouble, such as backache, I have taken Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at the West Drug Co., and they have always done good work."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Harris uses. Foster-Milburn Co, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Police in Charge Of Job Hunting Crowd

Baltimore Md., Oct. 22.—Police were called out tonight to take charge of 523 mechanics who arrived here today on a special train from Newark, N. J., saying they had paid railroad fare and a \$3 for each to get jobs in an airplane factory here. Police informed them there was no such factory here and later Frederick W. Niemann, head of an employment agency, said to have been responsible for getting the men here, arrived with a statement that he would distribute among the men, giving them \$2 each. He also promised that when the men would return to Newark their transportation would be refunded.

Niemann, according to the police, said the \$1,200 represented part of the \$2 fees turned over to him by Charles Skinner, one of his employees, and that Skinner disappeared after a warrant had been sworn out for him in Newark.

Niemann and the \$1,200 were taken to police station, followed by the mechanics, many of whom had had nothing to eat all day and were in a pleasant humor. There the money was divided as promised. Niemann said he knew nothing of the advertisements which appeared in the Newark newspapers and which resulted in the men being brought here.

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The motor is of an improved design. The cooling is by water pump. The oil pump has been changed to the gear type. The pump is placed in the forward end of the cylinder casting.

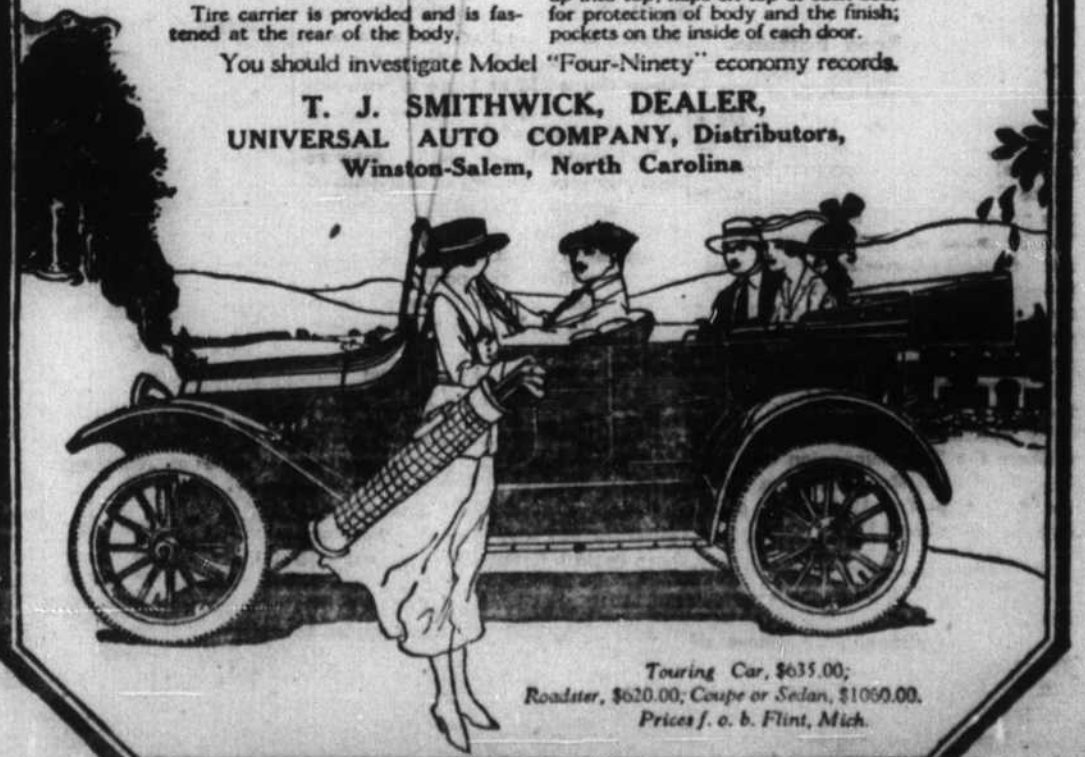
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Wheels are fitted with demountable rims, one extra rim is furnished. Other features of the New "Four-Ninety" are: New Oil Pressure Gauge; New Improved Radiator; foot rail; robe rail; tilted windshield; one-man top; improved type curtains, folding up into top; flaps on top of each door for protection of body and the finish; pockets on the inside of each door.

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