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Main Points in Treaty of Peace as Presented to German Delegates.

The main points in the peace treaty are as follows:

Alsace and Lorraine go to France. All the bridges over the Rhine on their borders are to be in French control.

The port of Danzig is permanently internationalized and most of upper Silesia is ceded to Poland, whose independence Germany recognizes. Poland also receives the province of Posen and that portion of the province of West Prussia west of the Vistula.

The Saar coal basin is temporarily internationalized. The coal mines go to France.

Germany's colonies are taken from her by the clause in which she renounces all her territorial and political rights outside Europe. The league of nations will work out the mandatory system for governing these colonies.

Belgium is conditionally given the Malmédy and Eupen districts of Prussia bordering on Belgium, with the opportunity to be given the inhabitants to protest. The league of nations has the final decision.

Luxemburg is set free from the German customs union.

All concessions and territory in China must be renounced. Shantung is ceded to Japan. Germany recognizes the French in Morocco and the British protectorate over Egypt.

German troops and authorities must evacuate Schleswig-Holstein north of the Kiel canal within 10 days after peace. A commission will be appointed to supervise a vote of self-determination in the territory, and the districts wishing to join Denmark will be ceded by Germany.

Heligoland must be demolished and by German labor the Kiel canal must be opened to all nations.

The German cables in dispute are surrendered.

Germany may not have an army of more than 100,000 men and cannot resort to conscription.

She must raze all her forts for 50 kilometers east of the Rhine and is almost entirely prohibited from producing war material. Violation of the 50 kilometer zone restriction will be considered an act of war.

Only six capital ships of not more than 10,000 tons each, are allowed Germany for her navy. She is permitted six light cruisers, 12 destroyers and 12 torpedo boats in addition to six battleships but no submarines.

All civilian damages are to be reimbursed by Germany, her initial payment to be 20,000,000 marks, with subsequent payments to be secured by bonds.

She must replace shipping ton for ton, handing over a great part of her mercantile tonnage and turning out new construction for the purpose. She must also devote her economic resources to rebuilding the devastated regions.

Parts of Germany will be occupied on a diminishing scale until reparation is made.

Germany must agree to the trial of former Emperor William by an international court for a supreme offense against international morality and to the trial of others of her subjects for violations of the laws and customs of war.

The allies and Germany accept the league of nations, Germany, however, accepting only in principle and not as a member.

All treaties and agreements with bolshevik Russia must be abrogated, as well as the treaty of Bucharest with Rumania.

ARMY CAMPS SOLD.

The war department announces approval of the sale of 12 army camps—8 national guard sites and four small miscellaneous camps—the total sales amounting to more than \$548,000.

Forty-four bids, were received from 35 individuals and corporations, the largest single proposal being from one large wrecking company, which offered to take all the camps for an amount approximating \$540,000. This proposal was rejected largely because of the desire of the department to turn over to the cities adjacent to certain camps the sanitary and other utilities which could be used advantageously for the benefit of their populations. Thus Augusta, Ga., will retain title to all underground improvements of Camp Hancock, all the improvements of Camp Sheridan go to the city of Montgomery, and the sewerage and water systems at Camp Wadsworth will be turned over to Spartanburg.

No satisfactory bid having been received for Camp Sevier, S. C., it was announced that this camp would be offered at another sale, minus the requirement that the buyer assume the damage suits of local property owners.

The city of Montgomery, Ala., secured Camp Sheridan, Ala., and the State of North Carolina will take over Camp Polk, N. C. The other camps went to individuals and firms except Camp Kendrick, N. J., which was withdrawn from auction and is to be retained for the navy.

The successful bidders in the other cases were: Camp Bowie, Texas, sold to Harry Marks & Son, Indianapolis, Ind; Camp Colt, Penn., to Lewis Bros., Rock Island, Camp Hancock, Ga., to J. P. Mulherin, Augusta, Ga.; Camp Logan, Texas, to G. P. Brown, Houston, Texas; North Camp, Jackson, S. C., to Lewis Bros., Rock Island, Ill.; Camp Wadsworth, S. C., to Frank Hodges, Spartanburg, S. C.; Camp Wheeler, Ga., to E. Fnes, Savannah, Ga.; Camp Shelby, Miss., to S. Steinberg Co., no address given; Camp Beauregard, La., to J. W. Alexander, Alexandria, La. In the case of Camp Beauregard the successful bidder must guarantee to the state of Louisiana, without cost, the building and improvements sufficient for one regimental camping area for use of the State troops. At Camp Hancock the underground improvements must be left intact for the benefit of the community.

At Camp Polk, N. C., the buildings were sold to the State to be used in connection with the State penitentiary. The city of Spartanburg will be given gratis the sewerage and water systems at Camp Wadsworth.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,

Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

FRANK J. CHENEY,
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

German prisoners of war are to be repatriated, but the allies will hold German officers as hostages for Germans accused of crimes.

BOONE

(By J. M. Downum.)

Heretofore about the only distinction that the town of Boone could boast was its being named for the most noted pioneer in the history of our country. It may open the eyes of some to know that Boone is now likely to claim attention from other considerations. Isolated for so long for lack of railroad and dirt road facilities, it could not be other than a little mountain town, but the present indications are that this isolation will soon be only a memory of the past. Already one railroad comes in and there are prospects of others at no distant day. Also the county having voted \$200,000 for good roads, a highway is now being constructed from east to west through the county—a link of a great national highway. This highway passes through Boone, and with others soon to be constructed will bring Boone into close contact with many of the larger cities of our own and other states.

The location of Boone makes it an ideal summer resort, and it will soon come into its own in this respect with its present and increasing facilities. No place contains more beautiful, inviting knolls for the building of summer homes, so situated that pure running water can be secured at small cost. It is free from the day fogs to which many other mountain resorts are subject.

Its climate makes it a fine place for all kinds of manufacturing, especially in the line of wood-working and fruit canning. The manufacture of maple sugar and cheese has already started up in this section, with prospects of greatly increasing in importance.

A number of buildings are now under construction. The volume of business has possibly doubled within the past few months, and other firms are seeking business opportunities here. The lumber business is assuming considerable proportions, no fewer than four companies operating here. The shipping of produce has started and will greatly increase, which fact will greatly stimulate production. The production of Irish potatoes, buckwheat and the now famous "Watauga cabbage" can be extended to almost unlimited proportions.

This fact is worth considering by those to whom an opening up of this business would be of great moment. I have said before, but would like to repeat with emphasis, that other sections of our state need this section more than this section needs the rest of the state. There are as fine sections and as fine people in this county as can be found in this or any other State. Those who doubt this should spend a little time and thought investigation.

The location of the Appalachian Training School at Boone is an important item in claiming for the place the unique distinction that its location and the circumstances merit. This school is comparatively in its infancy, and its possibilities are beyond the vision of many of its ardent supporters.

These are but a few reasons why people elsewhere will, before many do, be likely to turn their eyes to the little mountain town with the distinguished name.

For a Weak Stomach.
As a general rule all you need to do is to adopt a diet suited to your age and occupation and to keep your bowels regular. When you feel that you have eaten too much and when constipated, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets.

Federal Tax on Soft Drinks.

Soda water, ice cream, root beer and other soda fountain drinks are now taxable under the revenue act. 5 and 10 cent drinks or dishes are taxed one cent, while fifteen two cents, and the tax is collected by the purchaser unless the soda fountain keeper chooses to reduce his price to include the extra tax item.

The question of when drinks are taxable and when they may not be taxable and the precise method of collecting the tax were discussed at length in a statement issued by the internal revenue bureau for guidance of proprietors and patrons of soda fountains.

These examples were given of taxable drinks when mixed and sold at the fountain for consumption on the premises:

"Orangeade, lemonade, pineapple juice, cocoa cola, root beer, moxie phosphate, fruit and flavoring syrups mixed with carbonated water or plain water, milk shakes, malted milk shakes, cream and egg shakes, ice cream sandwiches, flavored ices."

These drinks are not taxable: "Hot beef tea, coffee, tea, butter milk, hot chocolate, hot cream broth, tomato bullion and bottled drinks sold direct from the container. Separate manufacturers taxes are imposed on drinks of the latter class.

Ice cream is not taxable when sold in containers to be carried away from the selling place to be eaten. Ice cream cones are taxable. Bromo selzer, rochelle salts, seidlitz powders, castor oil, epsom salts and similar medicines, often served at soda fountains are not subject to the tax.

Soft drink stands or push cart enterprises are subject to the tax, but restaurants or other places selling ice cream or soft drinks as an incidental feature of the business are not required to pay the tax. Church societies and clubs are exempt, but booths at country fairs, circuses or ball games must collect the tax.

Vada Perry.

Vada Perry was born Sept. 7, 1901 and died Nov. 27, 1918. She was liked by everybody, as she had a kind word and a smile for all she met. She leaves a father and mother, four sisters and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn her loss. May God's richest blessings rest on each and every one.

VIOLA WILSON.

Zionville, N. C.

CONFIRMED TESTIMONY.
THE KIND BOONE READERS CAN NOT DOUBT.

Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test.

The test of time—the hardest test of all.

Thousands gratefully testify.

To quick relief—to lasting results.

Boone readers can no longer doubt the evidence.

It's convincing testimony twice told and well confirmed.

Boone readers should profit by these experiences.

W. M. Childers, farmer, Le-noir, N. C., says: "I had kidney trouble for over four years and my back was in such bad shape at times I had to quit work. I tried everything I heard of, but got no better until I used Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Bal-ley's Cash Pharmacy. They fixed me up in good shape." Over three years later Mr. Childers said: "I have had no kidney trouble for some time and I am convinced Doan's Kidney Pills have cured me. They are a fine kidney medicine."

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

All Aboard for the Watauga County Fair.

Do we want it? Other counties are walking off from us. Do the people of Boone want a fair? If so, what inducements have they to offer? It is easy to lie dormant until we moss over, but it requires an effort to accomplish something. Saturday, May 24, at 11, a. m., is the time set for a meeting of committees and delegates to arrange for an organization and decide upon the time, place, etc., for the first of a series of County Fairs. Below are the names of a few suggested delegates and committees:

Supt. Smith Hagan, Vilas.
Aaron Church, Yuma.
C. W. Michael, Balm.
W. D. Ashley, Blowing Rock.
G. M. Henson, Sherwood.
G. H. Hayes, Vilas.
T. H. Coffey, Blowing Rock.
J. M. Walker, Triplett.
W. W. Hampton, Triplett.
Rev. S. E. Gragg, Shulls Mills.
B. J. Council, Boone.
A. J. Campbell, Mabel.
W. F. Winkler, Watauga Falls.
T. H. Taylor, Valle Crucis.
John Ward, Watauga Falls.
C. G. Hodges, Sands.
Harley P. Cook, Zionville.
J. P. Wilson, Reese.
W. L. Farthing, Reese.
T. L. Critcher, Boone.
Prof. B. B. Dougherty, Boone.
Mrs. W. S. Whiting Shulls Mills,
Mrs. D. F. Mast, Valle Crucis.
Mrs. R. C. Rivers, Boone.
Let every one named and as many others as possibly can attend this meeting, for if we intend to carry the project to a successful termination, it is high time we were making a start.

W. L. WINKLER.

Medals for Soldier Boys.

The following in regard to 'victory buttons' for the soldiers has been sent us for publication by the Army Recruiting Office at Knoxville, Tenn:

Victory button is of silver for those wounded in action and bronze for all others. It consists of a five pointed star surrounded by a wreath and with the letters "U. S." in the center.

A lapel button to be known as the victory button, for wear on civilian clothes will be issued to all officers and enlisted men (excluding members of Students Army Training Corps), field clerks, and members of the army nurse corps, who served honorably on active duty in the army of the United States for a period of fifteen days at any time between April 6, 1917, and November 11, 1918. The button will be of silver for those wounded in action and bronze for all others.

Discharged soldiers who wish the button may secure one by presenting or mailing to the Army Recruiting Station, their original discharge certificate or a true copy thereof. If discharged officers and men cannot personally present the original discharge or discharge order, they may mail it to the Army Recruiting Office, Knoxville, Tenn. for the proper notations by him, when it will be promptly returned by mail (be sure to give your present address) together with the victory button.

In case the original is not presented or sent, a true copy of the discharge certificate or discharge order must be executed by a civil officer empowered to administer oaths and be a full, literal and complete copy of the original and contain all written or printed

matter appearing on both sides of the discharge certificate or discharge order.

Advise that soldiers appear in person with original discharge certificate or mail same to Army Recruiting Office, Segwick Building, Knoxville, Tennessee, for quick action.

By direction of Colonel Kent:
RALPH H. FAULKNER,
2nd Lieutenant, F. A., A. R. O.

To the Citizens of Watauga County:

It has been reported to me that there is considerable liquor in some parts of the county and I wish to say that I am doing all I can. I want every citizen to aid me in putting this down. You will ever find me or any of my deputies, ready upon reliable information to discharge our duties to the best of our ability.

Yours to serve,
J. E. YOUNG, Sheriff.

About Rheumatism.

People are learning that it is only a waste of time and money to take medicine internally for chronic or muscular rheumatism and about ninety-nine out of a hundred cases are one or the other of these varieties. All that is really necessary to afford relief is to apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely. Try it. It costs but 35c per bottle. Large size 60 cents.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER MORTGAGE.

Whereas, on the 9th day of April, 1906, R. L. Hodges and his wife, Sarah Hodges, Lark Townsend and wife Mahala Townsend, jointly and severally executed and delivered to C. M. Culver, the undersigned mortgagee, four notes in amounts due as follows: A note of \$650 due Nov. 1, 1906; a note of \$305.00 due Nov. 1, 1907; a note of \$305.00 due Nov. 1, 1908; and one of \$307.50, due Nov. 1, 1909; also at the same time executed and delivered to the said undersigned mortgagee a mortgage a mortgage deed on the hereinafter described land conditioned with power of sale of said land in case default was made in the payment of any of the notes at maturity, and whereas default has been made in the payment of the last mentioned note, and whereas there still remains due and unpaid one said last mentioned note the sum of \$109.20, principal, and the sum of \$14.81 interest, aggregating the sum of \$124.01. The said mortgage deed was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Watauga county, State of North Carolina, in Book L, page 60, on June 20, 1906. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage deed, by reason of the default aforesaid, I, C. M. Culver, mortgagee aforesaid will on the 16th day of June, 1919, at the court house door in the town of Boone, Watauga county, North Carolina, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 4 o'clock, p. m., sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described tract of land situated at the date of the mortgage in the county of Watauga, but since 1911 located in the new county of Avery, adjoining the lands of J. W. Whitehead, R. L. Puckett, R. D. Balif and others, and bounded as follows:

Beginning on oak stump with pointers, and runs south 28 poles to a stake in the road, T. L. Lowe's corner; thence south 60 degrees west with Lowe's line and the turnpike road 12 1/2 poles to a stake; thence south 70 degrees west 22 poles to a stake at the culvert; thence south sixty degrees west 28 poles to a stake in Whitehead's line; thence west with his line 36 poles to a stake on top of the high bank; thence north 84 poles to a spruce pine, Whitehead's corner; thence west with his line 112 poles to a cucumber, old corner; thence north 66 poles to a stake in the branch; thence up with the meanderings of the branch east 36 poles to a stake in the same; thence thence south about 45 degrees west 36 poles to a stake at R. L. Puckett's corner, a spruce pine; thence south about sixty degrees east about 35 poles to a cucumber on the top of the ridge, Perry's corner; thence north 75 degrees east with Perry's line, 17 poles to a small chestnut in the gap of the ridge; thence north 73 degrees east 60 poles to a stake; thence north 13 poles to a stake, Perry's corner; thence east 25 poles to a stake, R. F. Brotherton's corner; thence south 14 degrees west, with his line 28 poles to a stake, his corner; thence south 16 degrees west 20 poles to a stake, thence south 20 degrees west 38 poles to a stake; thence south 35 degrees west 18 poles to a stake in the old line; thence west with said line 40 poles to the beginning, containing 175 acres.

Reference is hereby made to the record of said mortgage deed which will be found in the office of the Register of Deeds for Watauga county, and this sale is made for the purpose of satisfying the last note due for the purchase on the hereinbefore described lands and premises. This May 8, 1919.

C. M. CULVER, Mortgagee.