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Pope Benedict of Rome has sent a peace note to the Allied powers that is receiving some attention...

There has been desperate fighting on the West front in France and important advances have been made...

The doctors of Cleveland county met and pledged themselves to look after the practice of their brethren...

Rev. S. D. McAbee, a preacher of Valdese, was made to leave the mess hall of Company A, Hickory...

Henry Lewis, colored, wanted in Rowan county, for the murder last February at East Spencer...

A. L. Westbrook, an over-seer in a cotton mill at Smithfield, charged with making threats against the President...

Houston Robinson, colored, of Catawba county, shot at his half-witted boy, not to kill him but to "skewer" him...

While making a balloon ascension at Cherryville, Gaston county, Mr. Bugbee of Greensboro was killed...

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Crashes into sour bile, making you sick and you lose a day's work.

Calomel salivates! It's mercury, Calomel acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a 50c bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic...

Report of Alamance County Life Extension Work.

In compliance with a contract between the State Board of Health and the County of Alamance, a three months' campaign of Life Extension Work was completed August 3, 1917.

During the first week of this campaign a series of eight illustrated lectures were given in the more important towns in the county. The remainder of the three months was spent in conducting free medical examinations.

Over 800 persons between 25 and 65 were given a complete physical examination including a blood pressure test and urinalysis. Both printed and verbal advice were given each individual examined.

The percentage of nose and throat conditions also ran high. Infected tonsils, nasal obstructions, and sinus involvement were frequently found...

Twenty-eight per cent. were found with marked derangement of the nervous system, chiefly neurasthenia. These neurasthenics were invariably working eleven to fourteen hours a day...

Among the abdominal conditions, visceroptosis (falling of the abdominal organs) was frequently found. These persons complained of backache and indigestion while a little daily exercise and an abdominal support or well-fitted corset would have given great relief or a cure.

Over a hundred cases of active tuberculosis were found, and many, being unaware of their condition, were living under the most adverse conditions for a cure.

Nine unoperated cancers, and forty-three cases of unoperated rupture were found. Number males examined, 495; females, 309; total, 804.

Results per cent. in detail are as follows: Normal, 1.2; Physically imperfect, 98.8; Not aware of any impairment, 32.0.

Sick without consulting doctor six months or more, 28.0; Referred to physicians, 59.8; Referred to dentists, 56.9.

Classification of diseased conditions, moderate to serious: Organic heart disease, 17.9; Arteriosclerosis (thickened arteries), 11.8; High or low blood pressure, 45.1; Urinary (glucose, albumen), 4.2; Nervous system, 28.8; Lungs, possible tuberculosis, 13.6; Abdomen (chronic appendicitis, gall bladder, visceroptosis), 6.4; New growth, 1.1; Minor to moderate: Functional circulatory (rapid, slow or intermittent pulse), 17.7; Teeth and gums, 29.6; Nose and throat, and sinuses, 60.2; Genito-urinary, 11.0; Skin, 4.8; Thyroid gland, 1.1; Constipation, 48.8; Indigestion, 51.4; Physical defects: Faulty vision, (uncorrected), 47.1; Faulty hearing, 11.0; Flat feet, 00.1; Rupture (unoperated), 5.3; Lower limbs (chiefly varicose veins), 4.3; Overweight, important, 14.6; Underweight, important, 19.7; Errors in diet (pronounced), 71.8; Errors in personal hygiene, 90.0.

Robert Charles Whirlow, Jr., aged 9 years, died at his home in Salisbury from the effects of a horse kicking him in the stomach.

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A strike of street car men in Lima, O., which has been in progress since July 11, resulted in a riot on the night of the 9th, in which three men were shot. One was dangerously wounded.

The news says a Mt. Holly man is engaged in breeding blood-hounds; that he recently shipped dogs to California, Maine, Michigan and Georgia, and that his receipts for the beasts averaged one thousand dollars a year.

Mrs. Maggie Wilcox, widow of Wm. Wilcox of Ashe county, committed suicide Sunday by hanging at the home of her brother J. A. McLean, in Wilkes county. She was about 66 years old. The unfortunate woman left a note which opened with the pathetic words, "No place to stay."

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LAST CALL FOR PLANTING.

What to Plant Now For Use This Fall and Next Spring and For Transplanting Under Glass.

By F. F. Rockwell, Author of "Around the Year in the Garden," "Home Vegetable Gardening," etc. Copyright 1917, by W. Atlee Burpee & Co., Seeds to Grow, Philadelphia, Pa.

Only a small proportion of home gardeners take advantage of the several opportunities which late planting offers for adding to the contents of the fall end of the season's gardening, and the front end of next year's garden. While the majority of vegetables can be put in now, the few which can be made it well worth while.

Anote of opportunity frequently overlooked by the home gardener is to neglect to get at least one fall crop out of his hot bed or cold frame. By waiting until late fall or early winter weather before planting it is to utilize a number of things which are available if planted now, so that they can be well along by the time it is necessary to get the glass over them.

Raddishes and lettuce are of course the two popular vegetables which are ready for use the soonest from seed sown in the open. For planting at this time only the earliest sorts should be used, such as Scarlet Globe, White Icicle, etc. in the raddishes, and Grand Rapids and Black Seedling Simpson in lettuce. The headed varieties take a little longer to mature in all but the more northern states if sown immediately.

The two quickest growing turnips, and what is usually not true of earlier varieties, two of the best in table quality—are extra early White Milan and Petrowski; the latter especially is not so widely known as it should be; while it attains only medium size, it grows very quickly and is extra fine and sweet in flavor. Kohl-rabi takes a little longer to mature than turnips but as it should be used when very small to be at its best, it may still be planted.

In beans two of the quickest maturing varieties are Stringless pod and Longfellow. Beans are more tender than any of the things mentioned above, but in the home garden it is not a difficult matter to protect a row or two planted late from the first light frost, after which we usually get a couple of weeks of good weather during which they bear freely.

GETTING QUICK GERMINATION. With all the above of course time is a vital element in these late plantings. In most sections of the country we have had ample rain to keep the ground moist right up until the present time. But unless the soil is actually damp at planting time, several days or a week can be gained with all these things by simply soaking the seed before planting. If you have never tried this, do it and note the difference. Simply let the seeds soak in enough water to keep them covered for 24 to 48 hours before planting. When ready to plant, drop them in a little dry soil and in fine ashes to absorb the surface moisture, so they will not stick together.

GARDEN GALLEY TWO. GETTING A START FOR SPRING. Who doesn't like the first tender green onions, and the first mess of spinach in the spring? The way to get them earliest is to plant this fall. Onion seed planted now will make strong little plants by freezing weather that with a little protection will go through the winter where the climate is not too severe as in most of the northern states. Even harder however are the several "perennial" onions such as the Egyptian or Perennial Tree Onion and the Potato and White Multiplier, some of which should be grown in every home garden.

Asparagus and rhubarb roots may also be set out in the fall as well as in the Spring, this not only getting an earlier start the following Spring, but saving the time when the gardener has more to attend to than he can usually find time for. The advantage of both these things is that they yield year after year without replanting, and they should be given a place in every home garden.

GET THE FRAMES BUSY. In many gardens there are a few "sash" for starting plants early in the Spring. If the soil in these is prepared and planted now using crops that would not be ready to mature out of doors in your section, a good many dollars worth of vegetables can be got from a very small space—and they will be much better than stuff that has been shipped long distances to market.

Such things as beans, beets, carrots, raddishes and turnips, and onion sets can be planted where they are to grow; while lettuce, endive, kohlrabi, cauliflower, etc., may be started to be transplanted later. The soil should be made very rich; but should be fresh and clean, avoiding old compost from other frames and all other possible sources of plant disease. One of the most common mistakes in frame gardening is to let the vegetables grow too thickly together. A simple thinning is even more necessary here than in the garden, as there is less circulation of air and sunshine. Lettuce, etc., on the other hand can be planted closer than in the garden, the plants being set seven to nine inches apart each way.

READER'S COUPON. This coupon, when properly filled in will entitle the reader of THE GLEANER to one copy of the Mid-Summer Garden Book. Mail to: W. Atlee Burpee & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Street or R. F. D.: \_\_\_\_\_

RECORD CORN CROP.

Also Other Crops—Short Wheat Crop.

According to the August 1st crop report of the Department of Agriculture the corn crop will surpass any ever before grown in this country. Wheat is the only one of the principal crops not showing a large yield.

Corn production is placed at 3,191,000,000 bushels, an increase of 67,000,000 bushels over the July forecast and 68,000,000 bushels above the record crop of 1912. The showing is due to vast improvement in the growing corn in Illinois, Indiana, Iowa and Missouri.

Spring wheat production, forecast in July at 276,000,000 bushels shows the results of adverse weather conditions. The prospects are put at 236,000,000 bushels, a drop of about 40,000,000 bushels from the July 1 report. Winter wheat, however, is turning out better than in previously forecast, with a forecast total of 417,000,000, or 16,000,000 bushels more than indicated from July conditions. The combined yield of winter and spring wheat, therefore, shows a reduction of 25,000,000 bushels from the production forecast in July. The crop forecast from August 1 conditions, will be only 653,000,000, or 13,000,000 bushels more than harvested last year.

Potatoes are expected to yield 467,000,000 bushels, or 15,000,000 bushels more than the forecast from July conditions and 47,000,000 bushels more than the record crop of 1912. Sweet potatoes also will set a record, with 86,400,000 bushels.

There will be an enormous crop of tobacco, almost 120,000,000 pounds larger than the record production of last year. The buckwheat crop will be the largest in many years and oats will come close to equaling the record made in 1915.

Negro Troops Not to Come South.

None of the colored troops from Northern and Western States will be sent to Southern mobilization camps. The colored organizations, the War Department is quoted in effect as saying, although called into Federal service like other units of their State organizations, will remain at their regular home stations for the present to guard Federal and State property and other service. The policy against sending colored Guardsmen to the Southern States, where the great majority of the Federal training camps are located, was adopted, it was understood, at the request of the congressional delegations from the several States.

All of which means that somebody has been wise enough to see the danger of sending negro troops from the North and West to Southern training camps, especially to camps along with white soldiers.

THE \$1000 REWARD. \$1000. The reward of this paper will be placed to learn that there is at least one created disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is cancer. Cancer being directly influenced by constitutional conditions, the only real treatment is the internal use of the system destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The powerful and safe curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine in case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, etc.

German Emperor Indicted.

This comes in a dispatch from Meridian, Mo.: "Upon the sworn testimony of Representative W. W. Venable of the Fifth congressional district, who was regularly summoned to appear before that body, the Lauderdale county grand jury returned an indictment against Emperor William of Germany, charged with robbery, arson, murder, plotting, bribery and conspiracy, 'all against the peace and dignity of the State of Mississippi.'"

Deputy Sheriff Kennedy informed the court he would go after the Kaiser if provided with the proper papers.

Now what's it all about? James D. Spivey, a native of Windsor, recently a resident of Richmond, Va., was killed in Richmond one night last week, when he, riding a motor cycle, collided with an automobile.

Members of the Louisiana Cotton Seed Crushers' Association, in session at New Orleans, adopted a resolution asking that the Federal food administrator make the substitution of cotton seed flour for wheat a national recommendation and that he urge all States to set aside two days each week for special use of bread made from the substitute flour.

Creation of a labor adjustment commission to have final jurisdiction during the war over labor disputes in plants having contracts with the government, has been determined upon by the council of national defense. It is proposed to give the commission powers by awarding contracts only to those who will agree to abide by its findings and require pledges of their employees to do so.

A. Dughi, a Raleigh fruit dealer, attempted to shoot his wife and was prevented by his stepson and others, who seized him when he drew a pistol. Dughi and his wife—his second—have been separated for about a year. Just before he met the woman on the street and drew the pistol, it is said that he had remarked that he was going to kill some one and then commit suicide. Later released on \$1,000 bond.

Stomach and Liver Troubles. No end of misery and actual suffering is caused by disorders of the stomach and liver, and they may be avoided by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. Give them a trial. They only cost a quarter.

Prof. George C. Warlick, teacher of Greek, German and history in Catawba College, Newton, was drafted and passed the examination before the Lincoln county exemption board. He did not claim exemption.

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MRS. JACK MATHEWS



Mrs. Jack Mathews, niece of Herbert C. Hoover, is an efficient worker for food conservation in Los Angeles and has been especially active in promoting the home growing of vegetables.

TO BE IN CAMP SEPTEMBER 5

CROWDER ISSUES ORDERS FOR DRAFTED MEN TO ASSEMBLE SEPTEMBER FIRST.

Local Boards to Make Out Lists of Men and Orders Will Be Mailed to Them.—Start Training Here and Finish in France.

Washington.—Regulations under which men of the new national army will be called to the colors, beginning September 1, were issued by Provost Marshal General Crowder.

Two hundred thousand of the first 687,000 men will be called September 1 and forwarded to their camps before September 5. The whole business of assembling the levies at enlisting points, providing them with shelter, food and transportation and giving them their actual induction into military life is entrusted to the civilian local boards which selected them for service. Until the men reach the camps, they will not be in contact with uniformed officers. The civilian control is carried forward through every stage of the draft to the very gates of the military camps where the making of soldiers will begin, to be completed within sound of the guns in France.

The actual call for men will go in each case from the provost marshal general to the state adjutant general, stating the number of men to be supplied at a specified time by the state. Each local board will be promptly informed of its proportion in the call, and the adjutant general will fix the dates when men from his state shall enter for the camps.

Immediately the local board will make out the list of men to fill the call, fix the place of enlistment and time of departure.

Orders to the men will be posted and also sent them by mail. They will be directed to report to the local board at its headquarters not less than twelve hours or more than two or four hours before the time of departure.

Prior to the arrival of the men at the board headquarters members are instructed to make arrangements for their accommodations, to find clean and sanitary sleeping places at hotels or lodging houses, to arrange for their meals and to provide lodging and meal tickets to be taken in payment and redeemed for cash later by a government disbursing officer. In its discretion, the boards may grant permission for the men to remain at their homes.

For each district, five alternates will be summoned to the board headquarters in addition to the men actually selected to fill the board quota. They will be held at the assembling point until train time to fill in vacancies should any of the men fail to report.

Except for retreat roll call, the men will be given town liberty until forty-five minutes before train time. The board will during this interval select one man from the levy who it deems best qualified to command and place him in charge of the party for its trip. He will name a second in command to aid him and the other men will be told that the orders of these two must be obeyed under pain of military disciplinary action.

Arrived at the board headquarters at the hour fixed, the men will be drawn up, the roll called and agents of the board will take them personally to their quarters remaining with them until every arrangement for their comfort has been made. Enlistment instructions are given that the quality of food furnished shall be good and the board is held liable for seeing that meals are adequate.

There, final verification of the list will be made, and if any man of the selected number is missing, an alternate will be sent forward in his place. The tickets, with meal tickets, all papers relating to the party, including the copies of registration cards, will be turned over to the man in command, and the party will start for its training camp.

You Can Cure That Backache. Pain along the back, dizziness, headache and general languor. Get a package of Mother Gray's Kidney Pills, the pleasant root and herb cure for kidney, bladder and urinary troubles. When you feel a dull ache down the back, and without energy, get a package of Mother Gray's Kidney Pills. As a regulator it has no equal. Sold by druggists or sent by mail for 50c. Sample sent free. Address, The Mother Gray Co., Lowell, N. H.

The nomination of Westmoreland Davis for Governor in the Democratic primaries in Virginia, is a rebuke to the activities of the State Anti-Saloon League, which endorsed another candidate and called Davis a candidate because he resented the League's officiousness; and a rebuke to the Virginia Democratic machine which supported a Richmond man.

Blind tigers caught at Burke court last week—eighteen men, about all of them liquor law violators, were sent to the chain gang.

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Advertisement for military camps: "CALLS DRAFT ARMY IN THREE PARTS. ALL THE TROOPS ARE TO BE IN CAMPS ON OCTOBER FIRST. PLANS TO AVOID CONFUSION. All Members of the New Army Will Be Examined Physically After Reaching Camp.—Boards Ordered to Favor Harvesting."

Advertisement for W. C. Thurston: "To Whom It May Concern: This is to notify all users of automobile, bicycle and motor cycle casings and tubes that they are doing their bank account a fearful injustice in not using Pennsylvania Rubber Company's goods. The best—no others sold here equal to them. A written guarantee. Should one go bad, then the most liberal settlement. Ask those using Pennsylvania Rubber Company's goods. See me, or waste your money. Very truly, W. C. THURSTON, Burlington, N. C."

Advertisement for J. W. Holt: "I Promise Every accommodation consistent with Safe Merchandising. I Want Your Business The proper service will retain it. Your Dollar Will buy as much from me as the other fellows. FULL LINE OF DRY GOODS, NOTIONS AND GROCERIES. J. W. HOLT, - Graham, N. C."

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