

RUSSIAN COLLAPSE NO GREAT MENACE TO ALLIES

Those overfearful Americans who imagine the Russian collapse will work to the detriment of the Allies would do well to take second thought and look at the situation more closely.

It is a mistake to think that Germany will be able greatly to re-enforce her armies on the western front with troops taken from Russia. Germany has overrun a large scope of territory belonging to Russia and this territory she now demands as included in the peace terms so abjectly accepted by the Bolsheviki government.

It is, unfortunately true that Germany's occupation of the Russian provinces has opened to her a new source of supplies. This however, is not in itself a matter for great alarm.

Taken in all whatever advantage Germany may derive from the conquered provinces is being largely offset by the men and supplies this country is steadily putting on the western front.

The collapse of the great Russian nation gone wrong, when such bright possibilities were before it.

A CHILD'S TONGUE SHOWS IF LIVER OR BOWELS ARE ACTIVE

If cross, feverish, sick, bilious, give fruit laxative at once.

Every mother realizes after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without gripping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue. Mother! If coated give a teaspoonful of this harmless "Fruit Laxative," and in a few hours all the foul constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

We must protest against the threat to curtail the circulation of the Congressional Record. That publication has filled a unique mission. It has been the medium through which the real greatness of many a member was made plain to his constituents.

High Soap Prices Arouse Interest in Home Made Soap

Women all over the country are saving money by making their own soap. Try this:

First, set a large can or jar in your kitchen; throw into it all meat skin, waste grease, bones and other kitchen scrap that has any grease in it or on it.

When the can or jar is full, render it (by boiling) and you will obtain enough clear grease to make a big batch of dandy soap, cheaper and purer than any you can buy.

With Grease and Red Devil Lye

You will find home soap-making so easy and economical that it will be a genuine pleasure. On the label of every can of Red Devil

making soap by the cold process or by boiling.

Anybody Can Make Soap

if they have Red Devil Lye and grease. Furthermore, soap making at home pays big because you buy nothing but Red Devil Lye—the other ingredients are actually saved out of the waste that you have been throwing away.

Get a can of Red Devil Lye and grease. I can't tell you how good it is. I am with Red Devil Lye. Get it at your grocer or mail order.

Ask Your Grocer. Save the Labels. WM. SCHELD MFG. CO., St. Louis, Mo.

The world will watch with interest the outcome of the German occupation of Russia, as also the disposition the teutonic powers will make of their agents, Lennine and Trotsky.

THE RED CROSS NURSES OF EUROPE ARE GIVING TOASTED CIGARETTES TO THE BOYS

To anyone who doesn't know of the wonderful advances that have been made in the preparation of smoking tobaccos in the last few years it may sound strange to speak of toasted cigarettes.

Strictly speaking, we should say cigarettes made of toasted tobacco; the smokers of this country will recognize it more readily by its trade name, "LUCKY STRIKE"—the toasted cigarette.

The American Tobacco Company are producing millions of these toasted cigarettes and these are being bought in enormous quantities through the various tobacco funds conducted by the newspapers of the country and forwarded through the Red Cross Society to the boys in France.

This new process of treating tobacco not only improves the flavor of the tobacco but it seals in this flavor and makes the cigarettes keep better.

The Red Cross nurse is always glad to have a cigarette for the wounded soldier, as, in most instances, that is the first thing asked for.

If the critics would spend the same amount of energy in the effort to prevent the Government making mistakes that they spend in denunciation, the per cent of errors would be much smaller.

DESPONDENCY DUE TO CONSTIPATION

Women often become nervous and despondent. When this is due to constipation it is easily corrected by taking an occasional dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. These tablets are easy to take and pleasant in effect.

Dwarf Wood's Seeds. Essex Rape. One of 150 which...

WOOD'S DESCRIPTIVE CATALOG for 1918 gives full information and also tells about all other SEEDS for the Farm and Garden. Write for Catalog and prices of any seeds required. T. W. WOOD & SONS, SEEDSMEN, Richmond, Va.

POTASH - We are glad to announce that we have secured an ample supply of the celebrated Nebraska Potash to furnish users of ROYSTER'S FERTILIZERS. With Potash you can get more from your crops. CROPS NEARLY AS GOOD AS EVER THIS YEAR. A bale of... F. S. Royster Guano Company NORFOLK, VA.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of John J. Hayes, deceased late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of Feb. 1918.

FOR SALE

Desirable Town Lots and Farms The Ellis Property. That lot and several dwellings near the College, called the "Creekmore" lot. A lot and dwelling, corner Noble and Spring Streets, occupied by Mrs. Pearce. A small tenant house and lot opposite the last named lot. A building on Bull Run Alley. Two houses and lots on Reavis Row if you have property to sell see the undersigned.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power of attorney contained in the deed of Trust executed on the 21st day of January, 1916, by W. A. Cooke to the undersigned Trustee, which deed is registered in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Franklin County in Book 191, page 94, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness there by secured and demand made upon me by the holder of said indebtedness to foreclose said debt of trust in accordance with the terms and provisions of the said deed of Trust, I have on the 14th day of February, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the court house door in Lynchburg, N. C. offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate lying and being in Franklin County, defined as follows: A one-ninth undivided interest in and to that tract of land of which Anthony H. Cooke died seized, the same being bounded on the North by the lands of Mrs. Ellen Pearce; on the East by S. A. L. Road; on the South by the lands of G. W. Winston's estate and on the West by the S. C. Buckley lands, containing 125 acres more or less. This the 14th day of February, 1918. J. E. NICHOLSON, Trustee.

NEW HORSES

We will have a few head of nice Bred and broken hand. All those who have us and have not paid their bills will please come in and get no business at once, on account of the advance in price of all feed stuffs and labor we are compelled to charge 25% for the 1st and 2nd where the rest the stock. R. F. FULLER, Louisburg, N. C.

CHAMBERLAIN'S FOR COUGH REMEDY A FAVORITE FOR COLDS. J. L. Eastley Macon, III. In speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy says, "During the past fifteen years it has been my sister's favorite medicine for colds on the lungs. I myself have taken it a number of times when suffering with a cold and it always relieved me promptly."