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### BELLAMY BRIEFS.

News Items and Personal Mention.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Bellamy, Oct. 28.—We are glad to report the "flu" nearly all on foot again, except a few new cases.

Picking cotton seems to be the order of the day right on.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Branch are spending a few days with friends and relatives in Bladon and Columbus counties.

Mr. Roland Mercer and family spent Friday in town shopping.—Mr. George Singletary of Bladen visited relatives in this section Sunday.—Mr. J. J. Branch and his two sons, Grover and Burton, made a flying trip to Lumberton Saturday. Mr. Branch is improving rapidly from a bad case of the "flu" which held him in bed for several days.—Mr. Thurman Mercer spent Friday in town shopping and his two little daughters, Aline and Ruby.—Messrs. I. J. Wilkins and Marcus Bryant have returned from the beach and report fish very scarce and prices high.

We sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. John Dix in their bereavement over their daughter Miss Mary Davis, who died with "flu." Miss Mary was a good woman, to know her was to love her.

The sad news just reached us that Mr. Fulton Phillips, formerly of Bellamy but for the past few months of Boardman, died Sunday of "flu." Mr. Phillips leaves a wife and one child to mourn their loss.

Miss May Duncan of Bellamy returned today from Bladen, where she had been visiting her sister Mrs. George Singletary.—Mr. N. T. Mercer is spending the day at Bladenboro on business.—Mr. Archie Branch made a trip to Bladenboro on business today.

With best wishes to The Robesonian.

### FAIRMONT RED CROSS.

Officers Elected—Next Meeting November 8th.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

The Red Cross chapter of Fairmont held its regular monthly meeting Saturday, October 12. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Chairman, G. H. Cole; vice-chairman, E. Fisher; secretary, Mrs. Charlie Baker; treasurer, W. F. Bristow; chairman of finance, Mrs. G. H. Cole; chairman canteen service, Mrs. W. F. Bristow; chairman woman's work, Mrs. C. B. Thompson; chairman publicity, Mrs. F. H. Pittman; chairman Red Cross instructions, Mrs. D. C. Lassiter; chairman Junior Red Cross, Mrs. J. O. Bobbitt; membership extension, Mrs. F. C. Jones; civilian relief, Mrs. Wiley Taylor.

The following directors were elected: A. S. Thompson, Mrs. D. C. Lassiter, Mrs. J. O. Bobbitt, Rev. J. T. Draper, Mrs. C. B. Thompson, Mrs. F. H. Pittman.

The next meeting will be held the first Friday after the first Sunday in November.

MRS. F. H. PITTMAN,  
Chairman of Publicity.

### LONG BRANCH LOCALS.

Busy Harvesting—"Flu" Situation Better—Personal.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Lumberton, R. 4, Oct. 30.—The farmers are busy harvesting hay and corn, some picking cotton. We see occasionally bales of cotton going to the gineries. Haven't heard of anybody digging potatoes yet but think they will be pretty good.

The "flu" situation is growing some better. While there are still some cases none has proven fatal in this community except we heard of Mr. J. W. Branch's baby's death.

We are glad to learn that Miss Henrietta Ammons who has been at the Thompson hospital, has returned home.—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thompson are up again after a case of the "flu."

It doesn't seem exactly right when Sunday comes not to go to church. We will be glad when the time comes when we can attend church again.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barnes are all smiles—it's a girl.

Mr. W. H. Edmund will soon be ready to move into his new residence.

We read with interest the letters of "Anne Becky" and Mrs. Brown; hope they will write oftener. Would like very much to get a peep at those fine cattle Mrs. Brown told about in her last letter.

Best wishes to The Robesonian and all its readers.

Southern Division Workers Sail For Overseas.

The Department of Personnel, of the Southern Division of the Red Cross announces that the following workers have sailed from this division for overseas service:

Miss Katherine L. McKiever of Sumter, S. C., goes as a hospital hut worker in France; Mr. W. Redden Adams of Boston, Ga., goes to Greece as a pharmacist; Miss Annie Dodge Green, of Winston-Salem, N. C., sails for France as a stenographer; and Miss May Morgan, of Memphis, Tenn., goes to the same country in a similar capacity.

The need for overseas workers does not diminish and men and women who desire to enlist in service of this kind are asked to communicate with the Department of Personnel, in the Healy Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

American Women Physicians Awarded Croix de Guerre.

Three American women physicians have been made first lieutenants in the French army and awarded the Croix de Guerre for American Red Cross work done in a French hospital at the Chateaux d'Ognon, near Senlis.

They are: Dr. Caroline Finley of New York, Dr. Anna Sholly of New York and Dr. Lee Eward. These are the first commissions which the French government has given to American women doctors.

### HOW TO RAISE WHEAT

To the Editor of The Robesonian:

As I have been asked so many times and by so many people in different parts of the county in regard to raising wheat, I wish to give my experience through your columns to the public, as the time is now at hand to plant it.

It is very essential in securing a good stand lie mostly in the preparation of a good soiled seed bed. The better you prepare your land the more apt you are to get a good stand, and as to the preparation of your land depends as to the condition of the land and the amount of vegetation that is on your land when you begin to prepare it, if there is not too much little on it to cover it with the disc harrow it is best to go over the land once to the row to level it and then turn across it and double cut it, then take your drag and harrow it good and nice, and then if you have a grain drill take it and put in the wheat. If no drill, you can sow it broadcast best you can, and if you drill it then you run a heavy roller over it and your land has the best preparation you can give it to secure a good crop. If you sow it by hand, cover it with a drag harrow and then roll it all over. It is essential to have a compact bed to secure a good stand, and you will get a better yield. Now if your land has a good heavy crop of peavines and grass on it it is best to plow it under with a two-horse plow and then run the drag harrow over it until you get it good and smooth, then put in your wheat with a drill that opens by disc, not tearing up the grass you have covered up more than possible, then run the roller over it both ways to compact the land as much as possible putting in from one bushel and a peck to one bushel and three pecks to the acre, according to the strength and the amount of manure you expect to use on the land. The better the land the more seed you put up to one bushel and three pecks per acre. As for the manureing, soda is the best manure you can use on wheat, putting from 100 to 300 pounds. The more soda you put the greater will be your yield per acre. We need ammonia and potash for grain of any kind. You don't need any acid. Lime does good on wheat and will pay all right. Wheat will grow best after a crop of peavines.

As for the kind of wheat suits our soil, the Fulcaster and Leaps prolific are the two leading wheats for our soil. I learn in my experience threshing around the Fulcaster is a stronger and will yield best in bad seasons. In good seasons the Prolific is a good yielder and you will not make a mistake in planting either of these wheats; but I would not plant any other if either of these kinds could be had. Both make excellent flour.

Now the best time to plant this wheat is during the month of November. It is not the best to plant wheat too soon or too late. About the time I had rather plant is from the 10th to the 20th of November. Be sure to soak your seed from 12 to 24 hours in bluestone solution, a teacup two-thirds full of bluestone in a half barrel of water is sufficient for two acres. Dissolve the bluestone in the water before you put in the wheat, soak it about 15 to 24 hours, not longer than 24 hours, it may kill the grain so it would not come up. This is to prevent smut in your wheat. Everybody should plant two acres of wheat to the horse farm.

Now, if I can be of further service to any one you may write me and I will take pleasure in giving you my experience on any point you might want to know.

W. K. CULBRETH,  
Lumberton, N. C., R. 6., Oct. 31, 1918.

Report on Air Craft Investigation.

The long-awaited report on the aircraft investigation, conducted during the last five months by Charles E. Hughes and Attorney General Gregory, was placed before President Wilson Thursday by the Attorney General and immediately made public.

Delays and wastes of the production program, the report declares, were due chiefly to "the defective organization of the work of aircraft production and the serious lack of competent direction of that work by the responsible officers of the signal corps."

No fault is found with the management of aircraft affairs since the reorganization last May which placed John D. Ryan in charge. The civilian personnel of the aircraft production board is exonerated of any wrong doing.

The report finds no "graft" in the generally accepted sense of the word but makes recommendations for proceedings against army officers held guilty of dealing with corporations in which they were interested.

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