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"Is this train on time?" asked the impatient passenger. "My friend," replied the conductor, impressively, "With all we've got to think about in connection with the congress, the Supreme court and the interstate commerce commission, you surely aren't going to ask us to burden our minds with a minor detail like that, are you?"

No Delay.

"Old Father Noah had the right idea. When he became convinced that preparedness was the thing, he didn't stand around talking about it. He went to work."

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WISDOM.

"An owl isn't really the bird of wisdom. He merely looks wise and does nothing."

"Well," replied Senator Sorghum, "under the circumstances, isn't that the wisest thing he could do?"

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When a Fellow Needs a Friend.

She—Tell me about your early struggles. He—There's not much to tell. The more I struggled the more the old man laid it on.—Boston Evening Transcript.

MOTHER, ATTENTION!

Gold Ring for Baby Free. Get a 25c Bottle of Baby Ease from any drug store, mail coupon as directed and gold ring (guaranteed), proper size, mailed you. Baby Ease cures Bowel Complaints and Teething Troubles of Babies.—Adv.

Gentle Thrust.

Miss Oldgirl—I remember when the girls married much younger than they do now. Miss Pert—Yes, so grandma tells me.

High Cost of Non-Slip Sidewalks.

Knicker—Why don't you put your astles on your walk? Bocker—With the coal so expensive?

An acre of land in Nova Scotia is said to have produced 500 bushels of potatoes.

The man who has scruples against gambling is generally unlucky at cards.

THE WEEK'S EVENTS

Important News of the State, Nation, and World Told in a Few Lines for Your Convenience.

ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

A Condensed Record of Happenings of Interest From All Points of the World.

Mexican

One more appeal for modification of the protocol providing for the withdrawal of American troops from Mexico is made by General Carranza in a message delivered to Secretary Lane by Luis Cabrera, chairman of the Mexican members of the joint commission.

Carranza's chief insistence in his latest utterance is that the American troops shall be withdrawn unconditionally.

An El Paso dispatch says that 300 recruits for the regular American army have been quarantined in tents on the parade grounds at Fort Bliss because five of the recruits were found to be suffering with measles.

A report has been received in El Paso, Texas, from sources known to be close to Villa saying that Villa's forces captured San Luis Potosi. No details are available.

Domestic

An Amarillo, Texas, dispatch says that reports concerning the Panhandle of Texas jack rabbit drives held in a united effort to reduce the cost of meat indicate that not less than ten thousand jack rabbits have been killed in the various drives.

A Savannah, Ga., reports is to the effect that the December exports totals were swelled to more than seven million dollars by the sailing of two vessels from that port with cargo valued at approximately two million dollars.

At Minden, La., two negroes held as suspects in connection with the killing of John Nelson Reeves, nine miles north of that city, on Christmas eve, have confessed, implicating Henry Waller, a farmer and neighbor of Reeves, and John Long, a 20-year-old youth.

The jury in the case of eleven defendants charged with the use of the mails to defraud in sales of wild horses in Coconino county, Arizona, returned a verdict of guilty against eight defendants and found two not guilty. One defendant was dismissed by the judge.

David Caplan, last of the alleged dynamiters brought to trial for the destruction of the Los Angeles Times building in 1910, was sentenced to ten years in San Quentin penitentiary on a charge of manslaughter.

President Wilson passed his sixtieth milestone on December 28. Southern Methodist members of the joint commission on union with the Methodist Episcopal church met in Baltimore for organization. Bishop Warren A. Candler of Atlanta was selected as chairman, succeeding the late Bishop A. W. Wilson of Baltimore.

Four persons are known to have been killed near England, Ark., in a tornado which swept through portions of Lonoke and Jefferson counties. More than a score of others are reported to have lost their lives at Keo, Tucker and other small towns in the path of the storm.

The statement was made at the meeting of the American Genetic Association in New York that every woman should rear at least three children. It was further stated that college women were shirking the responsibility of motherhood, and that they were not only damaging their mentality but their physical beauty and proportion as well.

Six men are under arrest at Salt Lake City, Utah, as a result of the finding of a bomb near the residence of Governor William Spry. A reward of \$1,000 has been offered for a conviction in each case.

Washington

A joint session of the Mexican-American commission will be held early in January, at which the Americans will give the Mexicans their answer, and on its nature depends the future course of the commission, who have been trying for four months to adjust questions at issue between the two countries.

It is learned in Washington that Carranza has raised no insuperable barriers to an adjustment of the difference between the United States and Mexico.

It is stated that one of the conditions to which Carranza objects to the protocol is that under which the territory evacuated by the American garrison would have to be filled by Mexican troops.

The League of Peace, in session in New York, opened that for the United States to join a world-wide peace league would in no way jeopardize the Monroe doctrine.

Saving Sense of Humor.

At its best the human mind is delicately poised. In this respect it does not differ from any other highly complex machine. And for this reason a comparatively light shock may disarrange it and reduce its effectiveness.

This trait may be racial or national, for we see it more highly developed in America and Great Britain than in Prussia and Turkey. But it appears to be nourished by good physical condition, says a writer in the Minneapolis Journal. A people stricken with world-weariness like that of India cannot perceive the hidden smile in things, as can a hopeful people such as we. But even in a well-nourished land like America the man with the saving sense of humor is none too common.

Not Quite Perfect.

In this neighborhood there is one little boy who seems so well brought up and altogether so desirable a child

Tentative approval having been given by President Wilson to plans for a bond issue to meet a part of the prospective deficit at the end of the next fiscal year, administration leaders in congress are preparing to bring in their revenue bills as soon as possible after the holiday recess.

A policy of absolute silence regarding the peace negotiations for the warring Europeans and Asiatics has been adopted by President Wilson and Secretary Lansing.

Resources of national banks of the United States, Comptroller Williams announced, have increased more than four billion dollars during the past two years.

Farm loan banks will be located in Springfield, Mass.; Baltimore, Md.; Columbia, S. C.; New Orleans, La.; Houston, Texas; St. Louis, Mo.; St. Louis, Mo.; Louisville, Ky.; Omaha, Neb.; Wichita, Kan.; Spokane, Wash., and Berkeley, Cal.

It is expected that the government will have to supply most of the \$9,000,000 capital for the farm loan banks, but stock subscription books will be opened nevertheless.

In spite of the wide gulf between the insistence of the central powers for an immediate peace conference and the forecast of a unanimous refusal by the entente allies to enter such a conference without knowing Germany's terms in advance, the American government believes that the negotiations in progress are resulting in good.

House leaders predict that the proposed increase in postage rate on second class matter never will be enacted into law.

Congressman Jeff McLemore of Texas and Miss Fannie Clark were married at the home of the bride in Galveston.

Foodstuffs continue to leave American ports in vast quantities.

The official returns of the national election held in November show that Wilson received 9,116,296 votes and Hughes 8,457,474, a plurality for Wilson of 568,822.

The total popular vote in the national elections in November was 18,588,771, against 15,043,322 in 1912. This is an increase of 3,545,449, accounted for by the increased population and the women vote in the new suffrage states.

Plans for a great naval demonstration to signalize American acquisition of the Danish West Indies, are being considered by state and navy department officials. Probably the entire Atlantic fleet will be ordered to St. Thomas, the long-sought naval base site, to participate.

The battleship Delaware was rammed and a hole three feet in diameter was stove in her stern above the water line by the naval tug Sonoma at the Norfolk, Va., navy yard. None was injured.

A Havana, Cuba, dispatch says: "Raising a flag saying that they would be removed only by violence, 174 inmates of the San Lazaro hospital for lepers, who were to have been transferred, refused to leave the building. The officers of the institution were unwilling to use force. However, the lepers agreed to leave San Lazaro hospital for Mariel, on receiving the promise of health officials to remove them thence to a new hospital now under construction, as soon as it is finished."

European War

Pressing in upon southern Moldavia from three sides, apparently from all their vigor, the forces of the central powers are making progress against stiff resistance. On the Transylvanian-Moldavian frontier, Berlin reports, the Austro-Germans and Bulgarian troops continue to advance.

A new thrust has been started by the Austro-Germans along the Moldavian frontier, which adds to the difficulties of the Russians and Roumanians, already hard pressed from the south and east.

Along the river Kasino, and west of Covecha, Petrograd says, Roumanian troops were driven back nearly a mile. Field Marshal von Mackensen has reached Dumitresti, about 12 miles northeast of that town troops under his command have captured several villages.

The Greek government has addressed a second note to the entente powers, pointing out the growing popular resentment against their blockade.

Considerable fighting is again taking place on the Euboean sector around Le Mort Homme and on the eastern slopes of Hill 304.

Having taking Filipecht, thirty miles to the southwest, Field Marshal von Mackensen's troops have now captured the railroad town of Rimnik Sarat, relatively the same distance to the east.

A Berlin dispatch to President Wilson says that Germany and her allies—Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey—replied to the note of President Wilson in which he asked the belligerent nations state the aims for which they were fighting. The proposal is made by the central powers that a conference of the delegates of all the belligerents be held immediately in a neutral city. The task of preventing future wars, can be begun only after the end of the present struggle, the statement says.

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SENTIMENT OF CONGRESS AS TO PEACE TO BE TESTED.

Washington.—President Wilson went to the Capitol and spent an hour discussing the country's foreign affairs with Senator Stone, chairman of the Foreign Relations committee. Their talk covered a wide range, but it is understood, that much of the time was devoted to the situation growing out of the unfavorable Entente reply to the peace proposals of the Central Powers, which the President had been studying.

CONGRESS TO RUSH ALL FISCAL BILLS

MEMBERS RETURN FROM CHRISTMAS VACATION PREPARED FOR RUSH.

WILLING TO WORK OVERTIME

Railroad Legislation and Revenue Deficit Are Unusual Issues—Army and Navy Supply Bills and Military Training Demand Attention.

Washington.—Members of Congress returned to Washington from their Christmas holiday, prepared to get down to hard work on the accumulation of legislation that must be dealt with before adjournment on March 4.

With railroad legislation and revenue deficits confronting them as unusual issues, the rank and file determined to labor with a will to clear the way of routine business, particularly the appropriation bills, which must be completed before the actual revenue needs can be definitely established.

Estimates on all these measures, including especially the extra heavy army and navy supply bills, are in hand giving the House ways and means committee enough information upon which to frame revenue legislation at once.

Appropriation measures will be considered in the Senate, immediately, the Indian bill probably being the first taken up, while various committees are engaged in paving the way for consideration of railroad measures, a corrupt practices bill and other general legislation. The House, which already has passed five appropriation bills, still has nine more to work out, and will approach that task vigorously with night sessions in prospect for the near future.

Returning members who were re-elected do not look on the talk of an extra session and declare they are averse to work night and day to avert one. They insist that none will be necessary unless action by Congress on the railroad legislation proposed by the president should be held up. Even in that event all are not satisfied that the president would call an extra session for this purpose.

THOUSANDS OF GUNS NOW BEING MADE BY TEUTONS.

Every Available Skilled Mechanic Taken From Trenches—Prepare Big Campaign.

Berlin, via Sayville.—Many thousand guns per week is reported to be the measure of the mighty manufacturing effort which Germany is now making for the campaign of 1917—an effort upon which the entire manhood force of the nation which can be spared from the front and their regular occupation is being concentrated under First Quartermaster von Ludendorff universal labor service law.

Counting four months before the probable renewal of the world war in full vigor on all fronts, these figures mean a new immense supply of cannon of all calibers from field guns up to the gigantic howitzers, to meet the admittedly gigantic effort which the Entente Allies are expected to make in this the third year of Kitchen's prophecy, to turn the scale of the war.

Along with these guns the German factories are turning out correspondingly stupendous quantities of ammunition and the production of machine guns, each of which virtually replaces a platoon of men, has been placed on a scale far beyond that of the past year.

The campaign of 1917 will, it is already evident, be fought as a wide extension and development of the Somme battle, with even a heavier conception of artillery over a far wider front and with lines literally bristling with machine guns. Confidence that the opponents will be unable to break through this wall of steel and fire is not only expressed by the higher commanders, but also is manifested right down into the ranks of the common people.

GEN. HAYES, ONE TIME N. C. GOVERNOR, DIES IN N. J.

Verona, N. J.—Gen. Edward Lewis Hayes, a cousin of President Rutherford B. Hayes, and at one time Governor of North Carolina, died at his home here. He was 97 years old Friday, December 28. At a celebration in honor of the event he insisted on cutting a birthday cake himself and seemed better than for some months. That night, however, he suffered an attack of indigestion and grew steadily worse.

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WHAT SILO WILL DO

Save the whole crop. Insure "June pasture" in winter. Save labor and storage space. Double farm capacity for live stock. Prevent waste in feeding. Provide more economical dairy feed.

TICK ERADICATION IN SOUTH

Mississippi Makes Next to Largest Number of Cattle Dippings in Any One Month.

(From the United States Department of Agriculture.) The next to the largest number of cattle dippings ever made for cattle tick in any one month in any state were carried out in Mississippi in August of this year. In that time the people of Mississippi, who apparently are not delaying tick eradication until their recently-passed state dipping law becomes compulsory on January 1, had provided 1,056 dipping vats, an increase of 35 over the number in operation in July, according to field reports received by the department. In these vats there were 705,424 supervised dippings of cattle, or an increase of 15,000 over the dippings carried out in July.

SIRE OF GREAT IMPORTANCE

Sheep Breeder Should Never, Under Any Circumstances, Use an Inferior Ram for Breeding.

The most important thing connected with the work of the sheep breeder is the selection of the rams from which to breed. Never, under any consideration, breed from a scrub, a grade or an inferior ram; for, in doing this, you do your flock and yourself an irreparable injury.

Vegetables in Hot Bed.

Grow vegetables out of season by constructing a cold frame and hotbed. If judiciously used the returns will be ten-fold the first season.

Good Fences Are Needed.

Good fences are needed all over the farm, but especially should those around the garden be good.

Vernon Work at Night.

Live and mites do their greatest injury to the fowls at night while on the roost.

COTTON LOSSES DUE TO IMPROPER GINNING

(From the United States Department of Agriculture.)

If there is to be any considerable lessening of the great loss which occurs in the American cotton industry from the time the seed cotton is sucked into the gin until the baled lint is delivered at the mill, say specialists of the U. S. department of agriculture, planters must come to realize that a large proportion of this loss falls on them either directly or indirectly, and that they must co-operate actively to eliminate it.

The loss so far as the fiber is concerned results chiefly from improper ginning which injures the lint, and the inadequate pressing and covering of the bale. By concerted action, it is pointed out, farmers should be able to secure better methods of ginning and better handling of their cotton, being enabled, as a result, to market their crops to better advantage. The part which the mechanical treatment of the cotton plays in the salability of the lint is discussed in a new publication of the U. S. department of agriculture, Farmers' Bulletin No. 764, "Cotton Ginning Information for Farmers."

Use Gin Compress.

While little difference in efficiency between the screw, steam, and hydraulic gin presses for ordinary cotton bales is found by the department specialists, they believe that wherever practicable the local ginners should be induced by farmers to make use of the



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LOAD OF COTTON READY FOR SHIPMENT.

Cotton lint is injured under the methods employed by many gins by a cutting of the fiber. This is due usually to a too rapid running of the machinery, often because of the pressure of business at the gin. For best results, from the point of view of the planter, the maximum speed should be about 400 revolutions per minute for 10-inch gin screws. Twelve-inch saws, which have recently come into use, are recommended by the department specialists because a given amount of ginning can be done with saws of this size when the machinery is operated more slowly than with 10-inch saws. With the saw shafts running at the same speed, on the other hand, a gin equipped with 12-inch saws will have 20 per cent advantage in capacity over the same gin equipped with 10-inch saws.

Perhaps the greatest losses falling on American cotton under present conditions are due to the careless preparation of the bales. As they come from the gin, the bales are unwieldy and poorly covered, which causes handling charges to be greater than is necessary

gin compress, which turns out a much more compact and better covered bale than the ordinary presses produce. More important still, the gin compresses bales, it has been found, arrive at their destinations in better condition than do other compressed bales. These gin-compressed bales are of about the same bulk as bales which have been repressed in railroad presses and need not, therefore, undergo this second pressing. As a result, the extra charges for freight, compression, and handling accruing to the common flat bale are eliminated. The possibilities for inducing ginners to install gin compresses will be greater where co-operative organizations exist and where the ginning compression of a sufficient number of bales can be controlled.

In addition to discussing the faults of the present ginning system, the bulletin already mentioned describes in detail the machinery of the gins ordinarily in use. Copies of the bulletin may be had free upon application to the department of agriculture so long as the department's supply lasts.

TICK THAT CARRIES DISEASE

Always Beut to Give Cattle Benefit of Doubt and Destroy All Kinds of Blood Suckers.

All ticks do not transmit the parasite which produces tick or splenic fever. Only one species carries the disease, but it is easier to kill all blood suckers on cattle than to pick out the worst kind. Give the cattle the benefit of the doubt.

WINTER TREATMENT OF COLT

Give Him Roomy Box Stall for Stormy Weather and Yard or Paddock for Pleasant Days.

Colts should be taught to stand tied in a standing stall, but should not be kept in them "day in and day out." Roomy box stalls for stormy days and nights, and the yard or paddock for pleasant days, is the proper treatment of the colts and the idle horses.

DISEASE CAUSING BIG LOSSES

Government Will Spend \$50,000 for Special Research Work in Contagious Abortion.

The United States government will spend \$50,000 for special research work in contagious abortion. At present contagious abortion is probably causing a greater loss to the live stock interests than any other disease.

FEEDS FOR EGG PRODUCTION

Fowls Not Full of Life and Strength Cannot Make Best Use of Food Given Them.

Weak hens, in fact those that are not full of life and strength, cannot make the best use of the food given them and, therefore, it is usually the case that food given such birds is useless so far as profitable egg production is concerned.

Grain for Calves.

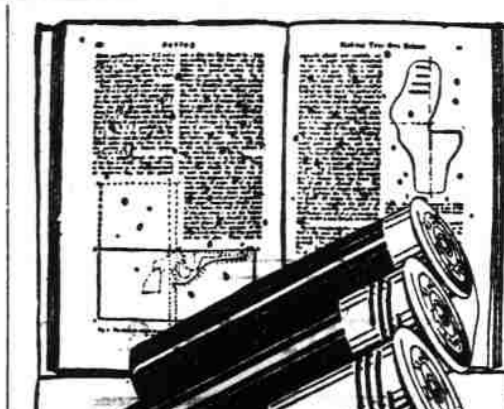
Calves will soon begin to eat a little hay, and grain, like ground oats, should thereafter constitute part of the food ration.

Pays to Feed Calves.

If it pays to raise calves at all it pays to feed and care for them from the day they are born.

Feed Calves Separately.

Each calf should be fed separately, carefully regulating the amount of milk by the size of the calf.



Vengeance Will Be Mine.

Old Aunt Libbie, who washes for about everybody in one uptown flat, is still limping a bit from a fall she had on the occasion of the first freeze of the season. She was head-toting a basket of clothes in the direction of Toledo street when her feet mingled with some ice on the sidewalk.

10 CENT "CASCARETS" IF BILIOUS OR COSTIVE

For Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Sluggish Liver and Bowels—They work while you sleep.

Furred Tongue, Bad Taste, Indigestion, Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches come from a torpid liver and clogged bowels, which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments like garbage in a swill barrel. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, foul gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental fears, everything that is horrible and nauseating. A Cascaret to-night will give your constipated bowels a thorough cleansing and straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist will keep you feeling good for months.—Adv.

BOASTER NEVER GOOD MAN

He Who Really Does Things Does Not Need to Call Others' Attention to Them.

It is an old, familiar saying that he who excuses himself accuses himself. So is it with the man who would exalt himself by boasting. He, too, accuses himself.

To boast is to feel the need of boasting, remarks the Irish World. The strong, energetic, really successful man is too busy planning new achievements to stop to plume himself on past ones. Besides, he is not worrying about the opinion others hold of him. He knows that he is doing well and that he can continue to do well. That is enough for him. He is quite content to let his work speak for itself.

The boaster, on the contrary, by the very fact of his boasting, betrays a curious lack of self-confidence. His boasting amounts to a confession that he is surprised at himself for ever having done anything worth boasting about. The discerning recognize this and appraise the boaster accordingly.

Also they know that even those whom his boasting might delude would be repelled by the egotism which the boasting indicates all too plainly. This means that he would find it hard to get along with others and would be that much more handicapped for any genuine achievement.

If, then, you notice in yourself any tendencies to boastfulness, consider their significance. Always remember that the more you boast the less likely are you to accomplish things that are really worth while.

Marital Reprieve.

He—You're always wanting money. My hand-in in my pocket all the time. She—Yes, and it never comes out.

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