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GRAND JURY MAKES REPORT TO JUDGE.

Inmates of County Home Receive Only Two Meals a Day. Recommendations.

The grand jury for the May term of Rowan Superior court rendered its report to Judge W F Harding yesterday afternoon and is as follows: To His Honor, Judge W F Harding:

We, the grand jury respectfully report that we have acted on all bills sent to us by the solicitor.

We visited the county home and found 17 inmates, 11 white and 6 colored, and they all seem to be satisfied, except they say they are getting only two meals a day. We recommend that the rooms in which they sleep and live be kept in a more sanitary condition and have better ventilation. We also recommend that the roof of the chapel be repaired.

We visited the workhouse and found ten inmates, two white boys, six colored boys and two colored girls, and everything in good condition.

We visited the chain gang by committee and found 44 prisoners, 9 white and 35 colored, all in good condition except one who has pneumonia and stated that he was well cared for. As to the stock, we found 19 mules well kept, and all of the road machinery in good repair.

We visited the jail, and recommend that a former recommendation of the grand jury as to the repairs of the bed springs to be attended to by the county commissioners. We also recommend that toilet paper be kept at all times within reach of all prisoners. Otherwise we found everything in a very satisfactory condition.

We visited the old court house and recommend that the lower part of the building, especially the ladies' restroom, be screened and that the painting be completed in the rooms on the lower floor and also that a door be cut from the library opening on Council St.

We visited the offices of the clerk, sheriff, register of deeds, auditor and treasurer and so far as we were able to judge the records and books are well and properly kept.

Respectfully submitted,

A. W. HARRY,
Foreman Grand Jury.

A Good Friend.

A good friend stands by you when in need. Salisbury people tell how Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test. Frank Sowers of 115 E Innes St., endorsed Doan's three years ago and again confirms the story. Could you ask for more convincing testimony?

"Three years ago I was down for three weeks with lumbago," says Mr Sower, "I couldn't move without getting awful pains in my kidneys and when these attacks took me I felt as though some one had driven a knife into my back. I used different kidney remedies but didn't get help until finally a friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. After taking one box of Doan's, I was able to get about. My back didn't pain any more and my kidneys acted more regularly. I took about three boxes of Doan's in all and they cured me entirely." (Statement given March 10, 1914.)

On May 15, 1918, Mr Sowers said: "I have the same high opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills as ever. Doan's cured me several years ago, of an attack of kidney trouble and I use them at times now when I have any trouble. Doan's always do me good, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs. Buffalo, N. Y."

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

REMARKABLE GROWTH SALES OF TANLAC.

A Medicine of Merit Properly Advertised is Producing Wonderful Results.

Atlanta, Ga., May 13. This is a story of success, the kind every body likes to read. Surpassing interest always attends the telling of how a great business has been built. This city presents a very striking instance of remarkable business success which has been achieved in a very short space of time.

The announcement has just been made here that Tanlac, the well known medicine, which readers of this paper have often seen mentioned in the advertising columns, is today the most largely sold medicine of its kind on the American market; that in little more than four years' time it has had attained a definite position of pre-eminence among proprietary medicines. Without doubt this statement will be read with the keenest interest, not only by druggists, but by the general public as well.

Briefly summarized, the outstanding incidents in this story of success are: The discovery of Tanlac, the perfection of its formula by painstaking study, extensive research exhaustive tests, the beginning of its manufacture in a small way; the instant demand for the product created by successful use, and finally the establishment of the large and magnificent laboratories at Dayton, Ohio, occupying more than 60,000 square feet of floor space, to supply that ever increasing demand for Tanlac. The daily capacity of 30,000 bottles at this plant has at times, in fact, been found insufficient to the trade requirements. A branch laboratory with 8,000 bottles daily capacity has been established at Windsor, Canada, in order to supply the Canadian demand.

The marvelous expansion of this business will easily stand comparison with any of the remarkable business achievements of recent times. As one of the largest drug jobbers of the United States said recently, it requires some effort of the imagination to realize the amount of business that is now being done by this concern, adding his belief that nation-wide popularity of Tanlac gained in such a short time is nothing less than phenomenal.

This latter statement was made following the announcement in the daily papers that over twelve million bottles of Tanlac has been sold in four years, up to January 1st, 1919, and that during the first ten weeks of the present year over one million bottles had been distributed—thereby establishing a record which has perhaps never before been equalled in the history of the drug trade.

The statement that Tanlac is now the most popular preparation and the biggest seller among all ready-made medicines is based upon careful investigations and is supported by the signed statements of scores of the largest drug jobbers of the United States and Canada.

The broad and progressive policies and the splendid selling organization originated and perfected by G F Willis, international distributor of Tanlac, are among the best examples of method and system yet produced in business and they have been closely followed by many other enterprising and successful concerns.

The Tanlac people have always maintained that the best advertisement is a satisfied customer, and to that end have al-

Austrian Navy to be Completely Extinguished

Paris Friday, May 9.—The naval terms of the treaty between the allies and Austria as now completed, are far more stringent than the naval terms in the treaty with Germany, as the Austrian navy is completely extinguished. All the large ships are to be surrendered to the allied and associated powers, and no nucleus of the fleet will remain. The only craft of any kind which the terms give to Austria are those for use on the Danube, but these will not be available outside that river. The terms are restricted to the surrender of the Austrian battle cruisers, destroyers and other ships, without providing for disposition to be made for them.

Classis of the Reformed Church.

Hickory, May 8.—The North Carolina Classis of the Reformed church, after being in session two days and three nights, adjourned last night to meet the first Monday in May, 1920, at High Point. Rev A S Peeler is president. The closing service was featured by an address by Mr James I Good of Philadelphia, and the ordination of Rev. Sterling Whitener and Rev Frank Pesperman, who go as missionaries to Japan and China.

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.

ways sought to make customers, not mere sales, and to build up that character of public confidence which means business integrity and spells lasting success. Yet like all concerns doing a nation-wide business, they have recognized the value and necessity of a general presentation of their preparation by the use of clean, reliable newspaper advertising.

"But Tanlac advertising 'copy' is essentially different from most others. It consists almost wholly of the direct, signed statements of those who have used the medicine. These people are distinctly identified by name and address. They tell very plainly what was the matter with them and what Tanlac has done for them. Tanlac advertising has been happily free from the cure 'all' exaggeration. Instead of advertising extravagant claims as to what their preparation 'will do,' its manufacturers and distributors prefer to let those who have used Tanlac tell in their own way what it has done.

Their sensible business philosophy was briefly but forcefully stated by one of the Tanlac executives recently when he said: "With all due regard to the value of newspaper space publicity alone would not create and nor maintain the lasting strength and popularity of this preparation. Tanlac undoubtedly has merit and extra ordinary power as a medicine which have confirmed its value in the minds of the people. No matter where you go Tanlac is a household word and is one of the most widely talked of medicines in the world today."—HARRISON VAUGHN.

No Worms in a Healthy Child
All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

GERMANS SULLEN BUT RESIGNED.

They are Inclined to Accept any Terms, no Matter how Harsh.

Coblenz, May 10, Saturday.—The impression gained by American officers through talking with Germans regarding the peace terms is that many of them are bitter and sullen, but are inclined to resign themselves to accept any terms, no matter how harsh. No concrete plan of action has been suggested in the event the German delegates at Versailles refuse to sign the treaty.

American officers say the common people in the occupied area have a widely divergent view, but that, as a whole, they appear more or less stunned. Many of them seem crushed, but others are showing a spirit of bravado.

Several German officials are quoted as having said that the terms are more severe than they had expected, but, although it would be necessary for the German delegates to argue against some of the conditions imposed, they felt there was little else to do but sign.

One American who had circulated freely among the civilians reported that none of them expected that Germany would accept the terms. They said they could not see how the people would be able to pay the indemnities demanded if their commerce was restricted to certain limits and all their colonies confiscated, and in addition, Germany had to cede territory belonging to the mainland.

They asserted furthermore that the internal resources of Germany alone were insufficient to permit of the payment of indemnities for generations to come. Many of the people asked what would be done in the event that Germany should decline to accept the terms.

An army intelligence summary outlines reports received from various civilian groups and individuals as follows:

Under existing conditions it is impossible for Germany ever to pay its war debts. Before the war Germany had only 10,000,000 000 marks in gold and the demand for pounds sterling in gold or merchandise in the first two years is absurd. How are we to pay where there are no goods—if we have neither money nor credit with which to purchase materials or ships, if ours are taken by the allies?

Several civilians, according to the summary, expressed the opinion that the peace terms were very hard but still were not as severe as some had expected and that they would rather that Germany accept them than invite the consequences of refusal.

Weather Forecast for May-1919.

From 6 to 14, fair and clear, with heavy rains northwest, locally, east and south.

From 14 to 22, fair if wind is northwest from 6 to 8 p m., the 14th, if southwest, local shower.

From 22 to 29, fair, clear, some changeable with cold pending frost, slight rains around.

From 29 to June 5, rain, some stormy pending heavy hail in localities around if wind is west at from 6 to 8 a m the 29th, look for round to visit.

May, some cool, with slight rains around, hail in localities some frost, warm, some windy, by storms west, mostly dry and cool for May.

This April 30th.
HENRY REID, Box 1
8, Salisbury, N. C.

Buy War Stamps.

TRIAL OF WISEMAN FOR MURDER BEGUN.

Special Venire of 75 Men Ordered to try Alleged Slayer of Dr. Hennessee.

Shelby, May 12.—A special venire of 75 men was ordered by Judge B F Long, who opened the special term of court today to try Aaron Wiseman charged with the murder of Dr E A Hennessee, of Burke, who was shot 10 times in the back on the night of January 31st, last year at the little station of Glen Alpine. After the venire was ordered and a grand jury appointed, court was adjourned until 2:30 Tuesday afternoon, when the tedious process of selecting the jury will begin.

J M Ramsey, of Statesville, whose evidence was largely responsible for the acquittal of the Pitts brothers, and Fred Amos, a newspaper man, both on the train the night of the tragedy, arrived today and will be star witnesses for the state. Evidence upon which the Pitts brothers were acquitted will be used by the state in an effort to convict Wiseman.

About 150 witnesses from Burke, Mitchell, Avery, Haywood, Catawba and Iredell counties are here and the cost of the trial to Burke county is variously estimated at from \$3,000 to \$5,000. This depends largely on the time it takes to try the case, which will consume at least a week.

Wiseman was brought to Shelby jail Friday. He is an average sized man of 50 years and a son of an ex sheriff of Mitchell county. It is said that he and his father at one time owned 4,6000 acres of fine Mitchell county grass land, but some how his holdings escaped him. He was tried once before for murder, but acquitted, and in the case against the Pitts boys was one of the defense's principal witnesses, but left court and was brought back on a capias. It will be remembered that he was arrested charged with transporting liquor between Carolina and Tennessee and while in federal court at Salisbury the charge of murdering Dr Hennessee was lodged against him, the case being removed to Cleveland for an impartial trial.

About Rheumatism.

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

Body of Fred Holt Found.

Winston-Salem, May 12.—The body of Fred Holt, the young man who was drowned in the Yadkin river last Wednesday near the Forsyth-Davie bridge while trying to secure a duck shot and killed by him, was found Sunday morning as it passed over the dam of the power house owned and operated by the Southern Public Utilities company. The men at the power house had been watching for the body, believing that the swollen stream would bring it down in a few days. After its recovery it was brought to an undertaking establishment here and prepared for burial. The funeral service was held this afternoon and interment was in the Baptist graveyard at Clemmons. The deceased is survived by his parents and two brothers. His age was sixteen years.

NO MIDDLE GROUND.

Germans Must Accept the Treaty as Offered or Reject it.

Paris, May 12.—The first exchange between von Brockdorff Rantzau and the allies was considered a preliminary skirmish to the main battle as disclosing the allied position as in effect: 'Accept the treaty as it stands or reject it, one or the other, as there is no middle ground.'

This was the prevailing view today in the American delegation to the peace conference and in conference circles generally after the four notes have been analyzed. The head of the German delegation also was thought to accept this construction, as reports were that he was giving his chief attention to the formulation of a complete treaty which he would present as a counter-project in about five days, instead of seeking to amend or modify the terms of the allied treaty.

(Since the foregoing was written, however, the two additional notes by Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau were dispatched.) This counter treaty would be treated the same as the German plan for the league of nations neither of which will be considered, the only question being the acceptance or the rejection of the allied treaty.

The German project for a league of nations, which the reply to Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau said had been referred to a committee, had not reached the committee on the league of nations today, but members of the committee said it was generally known to have been drawn by Professor Shuecking of the German delegation, and that it was in the form of a general thesis on the merits of a world parliament which would seek to bring about a proportionate limitation of armaments of all nations alike, on sea as well as on land, and an equality of economic conditions—bringing about a sort of economic brotherhood.

"The project," a member of the committee said, "has only academic interests, as the committee will not examine or consider it, for it has no purpose to let the Germans confuse the allied project, which has unanimous support."

Nation Over Top in Victory Loan.

Washington, D C, May 10.—The fifth and last popular war loan of the United States, has been oversubscribed.

Although the approximated total subscriptions will not be known for nearly two weeks, figures available tonight showed that the American people had responded generously to the appeal to "finish the job."

Like all of its predecessors, the Victory loan suddenly jumped on the last day of the campaign above the mark set as its limit. The day brought an avalanche of subscriptions which banks could not attempt to count until next week. None of today's harvest was included in the total of \$3,849,638,000 in subscriptions officially tabulated by the Treasury and officials would not be surprised to see the final figures go to nearly \$6,000,000,000. Only \$4,500,000,000 will be accepted.

Habitual Constipation Cured in 14 to 21 Days
"LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN" is a specially-prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly but should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It Stimulates and Regulates. Very Pleasant to Take. 60c per bottle.