

SHERMAN EXPECTS ANOTHER ATTACK

State Entomologist Looks For Soy Bean Worm Again in Three Weeks

Studying the soy bean worm at his laboratory station near Elizabeth City, Mr. Franklin Sherman, chief of the division of entomology, has found some important facts about this insect pest and believes that it will attack again in about three weeks, at which time another brood will have been hatched out. The following information, secured through Mr. Sherman's observations, will be of interest to farmers in the affected districts.

"The great bulk of the worms which have caused the damage are now maturing, they must now change to the chrysalis, then to the moths; the moths must lay eggs, and eggs must hatch, before another destructive generation. We are, therefore, now due to have an interval of about three weeks, during which the worms will be less numerous. Of course, there will be some present all the time. During this interval the beans should recover to a large extent for the worms do not (except in worst cases), eat the older leaves, and they do not eat out the growing bud.

"Between the first and tenth of September, the next brood of worms is due to hatch out, and, if they are numerous enough to be destructive they should make their presence evident before September 15th. Whether they will be numerous enough to make treatment necessary no living man can foretell. You can figure the probabilities either way from the following established facts:

1. The insect has been with us many years, but this is the first time it has been very serious, this would lead us to believe that the next generation may fall to its usual inconspicuous level, but,
2. On the other hand I have observed only a very small percentage to be attacked by other insects, parasites or diseases, and this would lead to the belief that the next generation may be fully as large as this one. As between these two lines of reasoning, I incline to the optimistic belief that the next generation will be noticeable, but not so destructive as the present generation.

The remedy? Poisons: same materials and same methods of applying as for potato beetles. But nobody knows, yet, what strength of poisons the bean plants can stand, and we know that Paris green is apt to burn leaves. We are giving the preference to a dry dust mixture at rate of one pound powdered arsenate of lead to eight pounds slaked (dust or hydrated) lime. Dust on lightly and evenly, enough to whiten the young leaves, top part of plant. My own tests show this to be a good remedy, and we have reason to believe that it will be safe to use this if it stands in the field two weeks or more after treating, but we suggest to test this matter and announce results before time to use the hay.

And if a merchant or farmer lays in a stock of the remedy, which there is no present use for, it will still be useful next spring for potato beetles, tobacco worms, caterpillars or any other pestiferous insects.

JOINT CONFERENCE ON RAILROAD CONTROL IN SESSION IN WASHINGTON



Some of the most notable members are: (1) H. J. Allen, Governor of Kansas; (2) E. F. Dunne, ex-Governor of Illinois; (3) W. L. McMenimen, Deputy President Brotherhood Railway Trainmen; (4) J. A. Hopkins, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Committee of Forty-eight; (5) A. B. Garretson, Advisor of Railway Conductors; (6) Glenn E. Plumb, Counsel; (7) Frank P. Walsh; (8) F. C. Howe, Commissioner of Immigration, New York; (9) Basil Manly, formerly Joint Chairman of the National War Labor Board; (10) Lincoln Calcord, Magazine Writer; Chief Justice Walter Clark, of North Carolina is seated between (1) and (2).

IMPORTANT NEEDS FOR CITY'S GROWTH

Development of Idle Lands and More Manufacturing Plants, Says Kirkpatrick

More diversified development of the idle and unproductive lands in its trade territory and more diversified manufacturing are the two most important needs for Raleigh and the things that should be the chief concern of all good citizens in the future development plan of the Capital City, in the opinion of Mr. C. C. Kirkpatrick, of Chicago. Mr. Kirkpatrick, who directed the "Know-Your-Neighbor" campaign of the Chamber of Commerce, is a student of community construction and for many years has been identified in municipal organization work.

"The idea that industries," he says, "of the right kind are harmful to the educational, social and moral advancement of any community is largely an exploded theory. Practical education is that training which fits one for the duties of life. Raleigh is really a beautiful city but its growth must be slow if it is dependent upon educational and political institutions, for its advancement.

"Every farm is a factory in a sense and payrolls from manufacturing plants where labor is profitably employed in converting the raw products in semi-finished or finished products are chief factors in building cities. The wealth created by farm and factory and kept at work in North Carolina will be the means of building a new State and many great cities within a comparatively short time if these matters are acted upon intelligently by the bankers, businessmen and farmers of North Carolina."

ROTARY URGED TO STAND BY SCOUTS

Boys' Work the "Big Noise" At International Convention Says Mr. Park

One of the messages that John A. Park, Raleigh's delegate to the International Rotary Convention at Salt Lake City, brought to Raleigh Rotary in his report yesterday was to stand by the Boy Scouts. This was one of the big thoughts before International Rotary, declared Mr. Park, as he urged Raleigh Rotarians to take a lively interest in the Scout organization. "It is not enough," Mr. Park said, "to give your money. You must associate with these boys and take an interest in their sports."

The Boy Scouts are at Lakeview this week and Mr. Park suggested that some of the Rotarians ought to go down and share their pleasures with them at least for a time.

Col. Joseph E. Pogue, secretary of the State Fair, told his fellow Rotarians that seventy-five or eighty thousand people would be in Raleigh for the fair this year and that business men of Raleigh ought to get ready to advertise the advantages and resources of the city to these people. He predicted a monster demonstration from Johnston county on Johnston County Day. Twenty-two floats from Smithfield, Clayton and Selma would have places in the parade, he said.

The club voted unanimously to accept an invitation to be the guests of the Wilson Rotary Club on the evening of August 28. It was decided to charter a special car, which will leave here at 2:05 p. m. over the Norfolk Southern and return at 12:30 a. m. over the Southern. Members of the club who lately had shared Wilson's hospitality were particularly urgent in insisting that the invitation from that city be accepted. The entertainment will be at the Wilson Country Club.

Raleigh members of the club by a rising vote of thanks expressed their appreciation of the feast given them last Thursday night by the West Raleighites.

Rotarians J. J. Towler, William L. Wyatt and Aldert Root were named as a special committee to consider plans as to how the club may be of the most assistance to St. Luke's Home.

The club discussed the securing of a musical attraction of a very high order for a series of concerts some time the coming winter, but owing to the uncertainty as to whether the artists desired could be secured it was decided not to make any definite announcement for the present.

NO CHANGE YET IN JAP AMBASSADOR

State Department At Washington Not Advised That Ishii Will Retire

Washington, Aug. 13.—(By The Associated Press.)—Although the State Department has not been approached with a view of learning whether Kijuro Shidehara, vice-minister for foreign affairs in the Japanese Cabinet, would be persona grata to the United States government as successor to Viscount Ishii as ambassador to Washington, it was learned officially tonight that the vice-minister occupied the leading position among those being considered for the post. It has been believed here for some time that Viscount Ishii would not return to Washington because of political changes in the composition of the Japanese Cabinet.

Any statement that Mr. Shidehara had been appointed ambassador, it was said, would be "premature" inasmuch as the State Department had not been advised. The feeling of Premier Hara that the vice-minister could not be spared from the Cabinet at this time is understood to be an obstacle to his immediate appointment.

Mr. Shidehara was formerly counselor of the Embassy here and during the early years of the war was minister of the Hague.

CUT NEGRO'S FEET OFF; \$5 FOR JOB

Whereupon Gates Grand Jury Indicts County Home Keeper For Assault

A Gates county grand jury has recently returned a true bill against the keeper of its county home, A. S. Walker, charging him with assaulting Nelson Doughty, idiotic negro inmate of the home, by cutting off his feet and later a part of his legs.

The story is unraveled by W. O. Saunders, editor of The Elizabeth City Independent, who took a note book and a Grafax camera and went through Gates county to get the story.

It appears from The Independent story that the county physician was called upon to administer to the negro, who was suffering from frozen feet, but did not respond. The operation becoming necessary, the county home keeper did the "job" and charged the county \$5 for the two operations. The commissioners paid the bill.

The facts, as given by The Independent, follow:

"Nelson Doughty, an idiotic negro inmate of the Gates County Home, had both feet to freeze in the severe winter of 1917-18. His feet were frozen in December, due to the neglect of the keeper of the home and the scanty bed clothing furnished by the county commissioners. This poor, helpless negro was then permitted to suffer for more than three months without surgical aid.

"Some time in April 1918, his feet grew so offensive that A. S. Walker, keeper of the home, took a jack knife and severed the feet, cutting them off at the ankle bone. He had seen pigs feet taken off in much the same way, and thought he could make a good job of it.

"But this operation didn't suffice. The flesh of the ankles of the negro became gangrenous and began to fall off, leaving the ugly bones exposed. Warm weather came on and by the first of June the stench from the rotten flesh and bone again became offensive to Keeper Walker.

"This time the keeper armed himself with a butcher knife and a hand-saw and tackled the job anew. He sawed the bones off about six inches below the knees. The operation was such a 'success' in the eyes of the keeper that he put in a bill for \$5 to the board of county commissioners, and the commissioners paid his bill on August 5, 1918."

AMERICAN COMMERCIAL ACTIVITY IN EUROPE

Geneva, Aug. 13.—(By the A. P.)—American commercial activity in Europe, which began immediately after the signing of the armistice, continues successfully to advance on a large scale.

The secret of the success of the Americans is their prompt delivery of goods, ranging from locomotives to sewing machines and the long credit given. The quickness of deliveries exceeds even that of the Germans, who had prepared carefully for the after-war rush in trade, while English and French firms, with their slower methods, already have been outdistanced.

PREDICTS BIG CROWD FOR GREAT STATE FAIR

One man in North Carolina who never tires of talking of the great benefits to the State of the State Fair is Col. John S. Cunningham. Three months ahead of every fair he "wises" himself up on all the preliminary arrangements and everywhere he goes he is a walking advertisement for the big State happening.

Last fall when the fair had to be abandoned on account of the more urgent necessity of whipping Germany, Colonel Cunningham was one of the unconquered ones. He wanted to see Germany get her dose as bad as anybody in the world, but doing without the State Fair was considerable of a price he calculated.

"We are going to have a whopping crowd this year," he said last night, "and of course it will be all the bigger because the fair could not be held last year. Cotton promises to continue to bring high prices and tobacco will do likewise. Consequently the farmers will be in good shape for attending. Look out for a great crowd from Johnston county. President Charley Horse is going to be more than busy from now on and the fruits of his efforts will be seen in the size of the crowd and the nature of the exhibit from Johnston."

TEN CITY LOTS ARE AMONG REALTY DEALS

Dozen Transfers Are Recorded Wednesday; Three Tracts of Betts' Farm Sold

A dozen deeds were recorded yesterday in the office of the register of deeds, conveying ten city lots and two farm tracts. The farming tracts sold were part of the S. J. Betts farm on the New Bern avenue road about four miles east of Raleigh.

The transfers were as follows:

Commercial Land Company to R. H. Freeman, 42 acres of the Betts' farm, for \$100 and other considerations.

Commercial Land Company to R. Galloway, two tracts of the Betts' farm, for \$10 and other considerations.

W. N. Jones, commissioner, to Ed. Hugh Lee, property in the town of Holly Springs, for \$1,075.

Ed. Hugh Lee to Hubert W. Callias, property in Holly Springs, for \$100 and other considerations.

C. W. Wilkins and wife to M. F. Hales, lot in Wendell, for \$120.

W. H. Weatherston to William T. Ball, property on South East street in Raleigh, for \$100 and other considerations.

Frank Stronach to Maryland Ford, property on East Martin street in Raleigh, for \$100 and other considerations.

Ed. Chambers Smith to Ida Stafford, lot of the Fowle Vineyard property, for \$300.

Frank Allen to J. Bryan Grimes, lot on the Lassiter Mill road, for \$10 and other considerations.

Nick Deboy to Coleman Davis, lot on South Saunders street in Raleigh, for \$100 and other considerations.

Glenwood Land Company to Joseph R. Matthews, lot on Filmore street in Glenwood, for \$165 (made February 28, 1913).

Alisa J. Barwick to Piety A. Matthews, lot on Filmore street in Glenwood, for \$200.

WILLIAM A. APPLETON, WORLD LABOR LEADER

New York, Aug. 13.—The election of William A. Appleton as president of the International Federation of Trade Unions at the recent congress of that federation in Amsterdam, is characterized as a hopeful sign by the American Alliance for Labor and Democracy in a statement issued here. Mr. Appleton is described in this statement as constructive, progressive and democratic.

For years, says the Alliance, Mr. Appleton has been secretary of the General Federation of Trade Unions in England. In 1917 he visited the United States as head of a delegation representing the General Federation of Trade Unions. Pointing out that Mr. Appleton was nominated by Samuel Gompers to head the international labor movement, the Alliance statement adds:

"Mr. Appleton always has been a staunch friend of the American Federation of Labor and an ardent admirer of its policies and achievements. More than any other European leader of labor he thinks in accord with Samuel Gompers. During the war Mr. Appleton was tireless in his work for victory."

His Busy Day.
Birmingham Age-Herald.
"How's business today?"
"Brisk," replied the druggist. I've already sold out of stamps, no less than fifty people have come in to use the telephone, and if the present rush continues I'll have to invest in two more city directories."

THIS MINISTER SPOKE FROM SAD EXPERIENCE

Columbus (O.) Dispatch.—The other evening while doing home work the small son of a minister was arguing and trying to convince himself that "congregate" and "collect" meant the same thing, for that was what his teacher had told him.

Into the argument, which the minister father could not help but overhear, the said father broke:

"What's that you are saying! That congregate and collect are the same word!"

"That's what teacher said."

"Quite wrong," replied the father. "You tell the teacher she is quite wrong. There is all the difference in the world between a 'congregation' and a 'collection.'"

How His Good Luck Happens.
Detroit Free Press.
"How do you happen to have such good luck with roses?" asked the neighbor.
"Don't know," replied the amateur gardener, "unless it is because I hoe the garden a lot and spray them a lot, and work with them a lot."

ANOTHER BOUQUET FOR THE MARINES

Tribute From Secretary of War On Restoration of Brigade

(By the Associated Press.)
Washington, Aug. 13.—Tribute to the performance of the marines in France as a "new and heroic demonstration of the tenacity and dauntless courage of the American soldier," was paid by Secretary Baker today in a letter to Acting Secretary Roosevelt of the navy department. The letter was occasioned by the restoration of the marine brigade to the navy department after its service overseas under General Pershing.

The brigade, composed of the Fifth and Sixth regiments which played a large part in turning back the German forces at Chateau Thierry and Belleau Wood, was demobilized today at the Marine Corps at Quantico, Va. Many of the members of the brigade which was made up of men from every State,

left for their homes today and others will leave within the next few days. Acting Secretary Roosevelt's Reply. Replying on behalf of Secretary Daniels, and the officers and men of the marine corps, Acting Secretary Roosevelt said that the spirit of cooperation that existed between the army and navy never was better demonstrated than in the participation of the marines in the battles in France as part of the army and under command of Gen. Pershing. Mr. Roosevelt characterized the second division composed of marines and regulars, as "one of the greatest fighting organizations the world has ever known" and expressed gratification that the pride of the navy in the performance of the marines should be shared by the war department.

SHOPMEN AT NEWPORT NEWS ARE RETURNING TO DUTY.

Newport News, Aug. 13.—The railway shopmen's strike in this city, which has practically paralyzed shipping for the past week, ended today with the return to work of men employed on the coal piers.

N. & W. Men Return to Work.
Roanoke, Va., Aug. 13.—The last of the fifteen hundred Norfolk and Western strikers, forty employes at Kenova, W. Va., returned to work today, ending the strike so far as this road is concerned.

TODAY Ends Our Reduction on Dresses

These garments are real values at their original prices and at their reduced prices should attract the attention of all shoppers. Come early for they must all go today.

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One Organdie Dress, size 16, all-over ruffles, formerly \$25. Now priced..... **\$12.95**

One Alice blue Organdie Dress, size 16, formerly \$19.75. Now priced..... **\$11.95**

One White Organdie Dress, trimmed in navy, size 36, formerly \$19.75. Now..... **\$11.95**

One Navy blue Organdie Dress, size 16, formerly \$19.75. Now..... **\$11.95**

Two dark Voile Dresses with beautifully draped skirts, formerly \$21.50. Now..... **\$13.95**

One lot of 25 Dresses in white and colors, mostly Voiles and a few Organdies, originally priced from \$18.50 to \$21.50. To go at..... **\$9.95**

Another lot of 20 Dresses, originally sold up to \$14.50. To go at..... **\$6.95**

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