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WELCOME HOME, YOUNG MEN

Nearly nine months ago Hickory gave up their soldier boys. Then it was not known whether the lads would cross over to Mexico and battle for their country or whether they would be returned in a few months.

A middle course was pursued by the government and as a result the youths who left have not seen actual war, but they are immured to its hardships. They have braved everything except Mexican bullets and it is no fault of theirs that they haven't proved themselves under fire.

In welcoming the boys home, Hickory and Catawba people do so with the knowledge that these young men answered the call, that they were ready for "rough work" and that the reason they were not permitted to go after Villa was because a higher authority ruled otherwise.

We are mighty glad to have the soldiers back with us. They are manly, handsome young fellows, and deserve the greetings they will receive at the hands of relatives and friends.

FRIENDS OF GERMANS

"We are sincere friends of the German people," President Wilson said in his address to the senate. And that is a fact. Nowhere during this war has there been any unkind feelings for the people, who next to the British, are nearest us in kinship and institutions.

The Record's subscription list is growing rapidly and we hope to make such good friends of those who take the paper simply to get the war news that they will remain readers even after the smoke has blown away.

We would not expect a person in range of a bad man's gun to give him much cause, and for that reason we will excuse Switzerland and of those countries if they decide that they know what is best for themselves.

Every great event must have its poet, and already the severance of diplomatic relations has brought out one or more. Who said war didn't have its compensations?

North Carolina general assembly, following the action of other state legislatures, has endorsed the president's stand. Well, there could not be any division on that score.

We are not conscious of having done anything to make the president sad, but we haven't a thing in the world against him now and never expect to have.

The time will never come when farmers are selling their products at 1900 prices, unless the soil is made to yield about twice as much as it does now.

That western man who in response to the commoner's appeal wired congress to have Bryan interned afforded more fun than anybody else.

The Democrats are merely putting off the evil day, for sentiment will continue to grow for the election of school boards by the people.

We desire to deny that there will be any need to intern the Hon. Yates Webb, who will fall into line the minute he sees that it had to be.

Can you imagine the tears that will well up in Mr. Gerard's eyebrows when he bids farewell to America's "good friend"?

Everything freezes except the peepers fly.

A non-partisan school board elected by the people would look like a non-partisan judge elected by the people, if there should be any such animal.

Here is our guess, without the use of catfish or crawfish signs—the spring will be early all right, but the chances of a late frost are fairly bad.

We came mighty night saying something about the climate Monday, but we thought of the loved ones dependent on us.

If the United States has warned merchant ships to keep out of the war zone, then there was need to sever relations.

Wants to find winnings of Mr. Hutson in Wall Street. We'd like a divvy ourselves.

Wilhelm Tell will protect Swiss commerce on Lake Lucerne!

Soon time for planting onions.

NOW UNDERSTAND

Springfield Republican. Those who are a little stunned by the suddenness of events for which they had had plenty of time to prepare their minds will do well to turn back to the diplomatic history of the 12 days preceding the war and study Germany's part in it by the light of this latest diplomatic chapter. One finds the same secrecy, the same effort to mislead, the same obstinate insistence upon a predetermined course.

The thermometer registered 25 degrees above zero during the early hours of the morning, but by noon the weather had moderated considerably.

Weather forecast is not encouraging, however. Rain is indicated for late tonight, with snow in the western part of the state Thursday.

A motor sleigh built for a Russian grand duke has a cigar shaped body and is propelled by a suction turbine, operating against the air in front.

PANAMA TO HAVE NATIONAL RED CROSS

(By Associated Press.) Panama, Feb. 7.—The formation of a national Red Cross for Panama is to be effected under legislation which President Valdes will recommend to the national assembly.

The original sponsors of the idea were officials of the health department of the canal, whose efforts have been seconded by Mexican women on the Isthmus, but the Americans have endeavored to keep in the background and to have the people of Panama take it in charge.

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PRESIDENT FORBIDS TRANSFER OF VESSELS

Washington, Feb. 7.—President Wilson issued a proclamation under the authority of the recent shipping act, prohibiting American ship owners from transferring their vessels to any other registry.

The proclamation pointed out that a national emergency exists and that many ship owners of the United States are permitting their vessels to pass to alien registers and to foreign trade in which we do not participate.

The proclamation, it was stated, was not prompted by the international situation, but was suggested formally by the Federal shipping board upon its organization last week.

WHAT IS THE CAUSE OF RHEUMATISM, LUMBAGO AND GOUT

(By Valentine Mott Pierce, M. D.) Ever since Scheele, in 1775 discovered that uric acid was present in the system, scientific men have been making experimental investigations and it is the almost universal opinion of our best medical men that the presence of uric acid in the system in excess is the cause of rheumatism and gout.

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Eastbound No. 36 Ar Hickory 9:05 a. m. No. 22 Ar Hickory 12:00 noon. No. 12 Ar Hickory 5:32 p. m. No. 16 Ar Hickory 6:50 p. m.

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