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BUT KEEP IT GOOD

Considerable opposition has developed in the state to the term, "North Carolina State College," applied to the A. and E. College, whose name was changed from A. and E. College by the last session of the legislature. Two years ago the A. and E. M. College at Greensboro was changed to A. and T. at the request of the Raleigh institution.

Dr. Clarence Poe and others take the position that the new designation applied to the A. and E. College by city alumni eventually will cause the institution to lose its distinctive features. Primarily the A. and E. is an agricultural, and always should be. There has been a movement, according to some, to get away from anything that savors of the farm or shop, as if these were not dignified. What defense of the change we have seen denies this point.

There has been a movement among the city alumni of the institution for several years to change the name of A. and M. College, but just why we have never understood. Personally, we do not care what the alumni call the institution, but we do care a great deal what the institution does. We want it to feature agriculture, as it has in the last few years, and to continue to turn out young men who are a credit to the institution and the state.

EASY TO DETERMINE

In a contest between Agronomist Burgess and Dr. Kilgore, director of test farms, the general public does not know which side to take. The director made some statements in regard to lime and fertilizer for the black lands of eastern North Carolina, and the agronomist disputes the claim. It has been the common impression that all one had to do in a country like Hyde to make a corn crop was to poke the seed into the ground and gather the crop in the fall. Mr. Burgess says that fertilizer is not necessary and he denies that the land is so sour as to require two tons of lime to correct the condition. The question should be determined without much trouble, because the land is there and all one has to do is to plant crops and then wait for results.

TO HELP FRANCE

The United States has never repaid France for the magnificent service rendered in the Revolution, but there is prospect that our debt will be paid in part. The French government needs money and needs it in abundance. The New York World thinks congress should vote France a billion dollars free, but it is doubtful if that should be done. There is no reason why American citizens should not raise a billion dollars for France, and it could be done if the movement were started and kept up. This fund could be given to the French people, and it might be used to repair part of the damage caused by the Germans in French territory.

Although there is considerable sentiment in favor of sending troops to France, the United States government is not considering this seriously. In the first place, to equip any considerable number of men would weaken the supply lines of the allies and in the second place, it would require several months, probably a year, to prepare an army for duty in the field.

Some of those Mutts who have been telling their Jeffs that the munition makers and moneyed men are responsible for war between Germany and the United States might explain to people who do a little thinking why it is that Dutch, Swedish, Danish and Norwegian ships are destroyed along with the rest. None of these countries is supplying the allies with munitions.

We have never thought much of Jim Mann's patriotism, but we are glad to give him credit for desiring that congress be united when it meets next Monday.

An old hen loves her chicks as much as any mother loves her babes.

The gentle reader may not know it, but the censorship is being felt by the newspapers now. We get a string of dope every now and then, and if the government should call out our Hickory boys, we would not know whether to publish the fact or not. We might get a jail sentence if we should.

The way to translate patriotism into deeds is to join the navy. That is the only branch of the national service that will see any action in this war, in all probability, though the national guard will be called on to do guard duty in parts of the union.

Our friend W. J. Shuford, who had been a member of the board of agriculture for years, is succeeded from the ninth district by Dr. H. Q. Alexander of Mecklenburg county, and the doctor will have to go some to be as live a member as the Hickory man.

War with Germany will be a blessing, in one sense. The people of the United States will be able to learn who are loyal and who are not, and if the country is more solid after it is all over, the cost will have been trivial.

There really is no objection to the Greensboro News adopting armed neutrality now.

We expect to have a garden if we have to wait until September to do it.

Thus far Switzerland has not lost a single ship!

UP TO THE AUTOCRAT

Springfield Republican.

That the German government has been considerably disconcerted by President Wilson's course is to be inferred from the angry denunciation of it by the Berlin Lokal-Anzeiger, which is sometimes used as a mouth-piece. His policy since the breaking off of diplomatic relations it calls full of careless and criminal errors, but the head and front of his offending is found to be the decision to put the responsibility on Germany: "If President Wilson rashly wants war let him start it and he will have it." But President Wilson does not want war, nor do the great majority of the people of the United States; if war comes it will be because the German government makes war upon this country. That is why Berlin is so badly upset by the policy of forcing the German government to show its intentions by overt acts; a declaration of war by the United States would make it far easier to persuade the German people that America, like all the rest, was the aggressor. That the general staff has its plans ready for automatic release at the outbreak of war is a matter of course—the "Zimmermann" letter was but a detail. But apparently Berlin is reluctant to take the first step, and is disturbed at having to meet the same policy of watchful waiting which deranged its Mexican scheme. "The monstrous guilt for a German-American war," the Lokal-Anzeiger declares, "would fall alone on President Wilson's government." This rings hollow, and it is plain that in Berlin the policy of letting Germany show itself up is giving uneasiness. It is a reason the more for continuing to put the responsibility squarely upon the government of the last great autocrat in Europe.

CHINESE TO RAISE PIGS NEAR LIVERPOOL, ENG.

(By the Associated Press)

Liverpool, March 27.—A group of Chinese have paid 1,000 pounds for a piece of land on the outskirts of Liverpool with a view to pig-raising and vegetable growing. China was the original home of the pig and members of the Liverpool colony are said to be expert stock farmers who received their training in their native land. They hope to raise enough on the plot to supply their own colony with foodstuffs.

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1812-1917
 Louisville Courier-Journal.

Three years ago the centenary of peace between English speaking people was celebrated. It was hoped in America that not only another century, but other centuries might pass without war between English speaking peoples, and without war pointed early. America has been injured and insulted repeatedly. German submarines—as if to make complete record of American forbearance—have sunk American ships in ballast, homeward bound with American flags painted upon their hulls. Nothing could exceed the wantonness of such attacks.

There are a few pro-Germans in the United States who try to insist that if it were Great Britain, and not Germany that has outraged American rights, the United States would not go to war. The answer to that argument is the war of 1812.

Despite unpreparedness, which was reflected in the course of the war, it is agreed by historians that America's willingness to fight rather than submit to continued affronts established America as a first class power, and made it improbable that American seamen would be again impressed by foreign powers, or American commerce treated again with disrespect.

Nobody could foresee the coming of the day when not only American commerce, but also American lives, the lives of women and children of neutral America, would be treated with ruthless disrespect; when a power nominally at peace with the United States, and protesting the profundity of its friendly regard, would murder Americans without apology upon merchantmen flying the colors of a belligerent, and while still not admittedly at war, torpedoed American steamers with their prows pointed towards American harbors. This country has rejoiced in 193 years of peace with English speaking peoples, but had Great Britain's

course been what Germany's has we should now be upon the verge of war with Great Britain as the record of 1812—when the American people reversed peace-loving Jefferson—amply shows.

It has been said that the United States was at the end of the war of 1812 just where it stood when the war began. "Its boundary unchanged, its international rights still undefined, the people still divided," but if its rights were undefined after the treaty of Ghent in 1814 they had at least not been undefended. The powers of Europe knew that they would be defended again if need be. The United States will not enter this war with any hope or desire to see its boundaries changed. Never has any country entered a war with its people less divided.

Like the war of 1812, the war about to begin was forced upon the United States. There was no alternative save sacrifice of self-respect and surrender of rights.

THE CITY BEAUTIFUL

The women of Hickory have put a step forward in the organization of the Community Club, and every woman in Hickory ought to be a member.

I believe with all my heart that beautiful surroundings make beautiful thoughts and help to mould the lives of all of us. We all want our city to be the "City Beautiful" in mind, heart and appearance, an organized band of enthusiastic women can make it so.

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 No. 21 Ar Hickory 4:32 p. m.
 No. 85 Ar Hickory 11:32 p. m.

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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Southbound
 No. 5 Ar Hickory 9:00 a. m.
 No. 9 Ar Hickory 3:35 p. m.

Northbound
 No. 10 Ar Hickory 11:40 a. m.
 No. 6 Ar Hickory 4:45 p. m.

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 Leave Hickory 8:20 a. m.
 Leave Hickory 10:20 a. m.
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 Leave Hickory 4:30 p. m.
 Leave Hickory 8:30 p. m.
 Leave Newton 7:20 a. m.
 Leave Newton 9:30 a. m.
 Leave Newton 1:50 p. m.
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