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WEDNESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 2, 1916

Mr. Hughes used a good many words in his speech of acceptance whether he said anything or not.

CALL OF GENERAL YOUNG.

The call of Brigadier General Young, Commander of the North Carolina troops, stationed at Camp Glenn, for three thousand additional men to bring the State's quota up to a desired mark for field service, should find a response. An appeal is made to the patriotism of the young men of North Carolina. It is true that no great danger seems now to confront the nation, and the service for which the militia is called is more that of patrol than active campaigning against an enemy. Nevertheless, North Carolina should sustain its former splendid record and should not be found wanting in this case. The Free Press is not enthusiastic about the prospects of young men of the country being called for military service, thereby being taken out of active commercial walks to patrol duty and perhaps to retard their careers, which would otherwise be successful, but there should be enough men without dependents to fill the present requirements. The call of General Young should not go unheeded.

NO NEED FOR ALARM, BUT PRECAUTION SHOULD BE TAKEN.

That a case of infantile paralysis has appeared in Kinston, although not in itself sufficient to produce alarm, does call for action on the part of the officials and the citizens generally co-operating to prevent any spread of the malady.

The Free Press was informed by Mayor Sutton today that the city authorities were only awaiting a definite diagnosis of the case by the attending physicians to institute a rigid quarantine. The Free Press is informed that the doctors have definitely determined that the little child is suffering with infantile paralysis and it urges immediate action in taking precautionary measures.

Some of the local physicians have informed The Free Press that infantile paralysis was not so contagious as diphtheria, scarlet fever and some other dangerous children's diseases, and not so deadly. In this connection, however, it must be kept in mind that the type of the malady, which is now epidemic in New York, has produced quite a large percentage of deaths, and regardless of whether death results or not permanent affliction generally does. The Free Press hopes that the city officials, with the advice of the physicians, will suggest in the next day or two a plan in which the citizens generally can co-operate to make sure that every known and needed precaution is taken. There is no need for alarm, but there is need for precaution.

GREAT BRITAIN MUST YIELD.

The note of protest sent to Great Britain, in which that government is notified that the United States cannot acquiesce in the abridgment of the lawful trading of its citizens by the so-called black-list of the British Govern-

ment, should meet with the approval of the people of this country. The note is positive but friendly. It is pointed out that Great Britain cannot in justice to the rights of the people of the United States or any other neutral people deny them the privilege of trading with any of the belligerents. Great Britain is advised that the United States regards the black-list as "inevitably and essentially inconsistent with the rights of all the citizens of all the nations not involved in the war."

Great Britain has violated the rights of neutrals by its unwarranted seizure of mails, not only directed to its enemies, but to neutral countries, and has arrogated to itself the right to seize and search all mail. Protests have gone forward against this practice, but no relief has come. There has been a feeling abroad in this country that President Wilson has not been as firm in calling Great Britain to account as has characterized his negotiations with Germany. Of course, The Free Press takes into consideration, in this connection, that the lives of American citizens were in jeopardy in the Germany controversies and property only has been involved in the controversies with Great Britain. But nevertheless the time has come for the United States to insist upon a recognition of its rights and President Wilson and his advisers will do well to insist upon a prompt withdrawal of the black-list and recognition upon the part of Great Britain of the rights of the people of this country.

WHAT-OTHERS SAY

POLITICAL CONSCIENCE NOT AT BARGAIN.

Wilmington Star: "For once the Hon. Claude Kitchin said too much when he talked about the check clearing business. He would have made a better showing but for his prophecy that if the Postmaster General's order is carried out North Carolina will go Republican by 25,000. North Carolinians would be poor Democrats if a small matter like check discounts would make Republicans of them. A man's conscientious principles are not a matter of a few dollars."

ARE YOUR GROCERIES CLEAN?

Elizabeth City Advance: "Fruits and vegetables are a necessary part of the diet during hot weather. Many of these are more appetizing when eaten raw. Berries, apples, radishes, onions and salads are popular and have their value as food.

"Care should be exercised in the preparation and serving of green foods, however, as they are subject to too much handling between the garden and the table. In many market gardens the gathering of the produce is entrusted to a class of labor which is not any too cleanly; and care seldom is exercised to insure cleanliness.

"Food exposed for sale in markets also is often subject to indiscriminate handling by prospective purchasers. As a protection berries and foodstuffs eaten raw should be thoroughly washed before being served. It is much better to risk a slight impairment of the flavor than to chance eating unclean foods.

"Nighoil should not be used for fertilizing gardens from which the produce may be eaten raw. Many cases are on record where typhoid fever has resulted from failure to heed this caution."

ONE OF MANY QUESTIONS FOR HIM.

Wilmington Dispatch: "Admittedly Mr. Hughes is a good lawyer and he would probably confide to his friends that he has always bragged of being frank. Hence, if it too much to ask Mr. Hughes' opinion in the Appam case? Does Mr. Hughes believe, as evidently does the State Department, that the Appam belongs to Germany, or does he believe that it should be given into the hands of the English? It would not be a bad idea on the part of those German-Americans, who seem to be so blindly following Mr. Hughes, to get an opinion from him on this and other such questions, including submarine warfare, even though it might embarrass Candidate Hughes.

And when he answered it would be interesting to see whether or not he gave the wink to those two rabid anti-German citizens, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt and Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, who are among Mr. Hughes' chief supporters.

How Mr. Hughes would answer these questions specially would not be to his discredit, but the manner in which he is dodging all issues, by failure to answer plainly and directly, certainly is. Do the people want a man of mystery, a human mass of quicksand for their President?"

FRANCE PAYS TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF FIRST HERO OF GREAT STRIFE

By HENRY WOOD.

(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Paris, August 2.—France paused today in tribute to the memory of Corporal Jules-Andre Peugeot, the first Frenchman killed in the present war.

It was at Joncherey on the Upper Rhine, at 10 o'clock a. m., August 2, 1914, about 24 hours before the war was actually declared between Germany and France, that Peugeot was shot to death by Lieut. Mayer, at the head of a German patrol squad.

A national subscription is today being collected under the patronage of the Minister of War and the Minister of Public Instruction for the erection of a monument to Corporal Jules-Andre Peugeot on the spot where he fell.

Peugeot, 21, was a corporal in the Sixth Company of the 44th Regiment of infantry. Early in August he was stationed at Joncherey, two kilometers from Delle and twelve kilometers from the German frontier.

On the morning of August 2, he had just finished placing a sentinel and returned to the house of A. M. Daucourt, when the latter's little daughter came running in, crying: "The Prussians! The Prussians."

Rushing outside, Corporal Peugeot found himself facing a mounted German patrol of seven members under command of Lieut. Mayer of the Fifth Regiment of Chasseurs, stationed at Mulhouse.

Peugeot gave the order to halt, to which Mayer replied by drawing his revolver and firing three shots into the body of the corporal. The latter fell to his knees, discharging his gun before he could take aim.

By this time a few of Peugeot's men had rushed up, one of whom, named Monnier, killed Lieut. Mayer with two shots from his rifle. In the fight that followed, participated in by some French dragons who had come up at the sound of the firing, all of the Germans were killed with the exception of one, who escaped.

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