

SUGGESTIONS OF A SOLDIER.

Letter From a Soldier Boy at Camp Jackson.

Editor Public Ledger:

Please allow me a short space in your paper to give a few ideas of how the boys are getting along at Camp Jackson. I presume that there are some folks in Granville that don't realize the present time, and are studying about the boys away from home, as some are talking that way now. The boys are getting as good treatment at Camp Jackson as the government can afford, and if some of the self-minded would take as much interest in the boys as the government, it would make them happy to think of you. I realize that the majority of people are interested in the boys away from home. I would like to ask everybody in the county to send the boys gifts from home.

The boys, each and every one, are proud to receive anything from their home county. Anybody can send anything to the camp; it does not make any difference what it is, but I would make several suggestions as to what the boys need most: Pillows, shoe brushes, books, magazines, newspapers, Sunday school books, etc., and the boys will appreciate cigars, cigarettes, tobacco, of any kind, and especially newspapers from home. It doesn't matter if the paper is a few days old, it will be new news to them to know of the happenings at home. All the above things can be sent direct to the boys. They don't need any rifles, ammunition or anything of that kind, because they have the finest kind of that line to feed the Germans with.

The officers treat the boys the best they possibly can, and the captain does not drill the boys over four or five hours a day. There is a school here for the boys who haven't any education, learning them to read and write, etc., and making men out of the boys, so everybody wake up and do their part. If you can't soldier, you can do other good things to help.

What I have said in this letter is for all the boys who are home sick and when they don't hear from home you can tell by their faces that they are disappointed, so please do not print my name in full.

H. B.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1917 at about 1 o'clock p. m., sell to the highest bidder, by public auction, for cash, at the court house door in Oxford, the following described tract or parcel of land:

Situated in Brassfield Township, Granville County, adjoining the lands of H. D. Mangum, J. S. Rogers, H. P. Estes and others, containing about 18 acres, more or less, and being the same land conveyed to Robert B. Allen by H. D. Mangum and wife.

This October 22, 1917.

G. L. ALLEN, Com.
B. S. ROYSTER, Attorney.

LAND SALE.

The home tract of land of the late Hillman H. Barnes, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at the court house in Vance county, **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1917** at 2:00 o'clock, p. m.

This tract of land consists of 350 acres and will be divided into three tracts:

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"His Final Blow Out"
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EVOLUTION OF THE SUBMARINE

It is an American Invention.

It is now 130 years since Bushnell, who invented an American submarine during the Revolution, wrote a long description of his boast to Thomas Jefferson.

Jokesmiths called Bushnell's boat the "turtle." The inventor himself wrote to Jefferson in October, 1787 that the "external shape of the submarine bears some resemblance to two tortoise shells."

There was enough air in the "turtle" to keep a man alive under water for 30 minutes.

The crew was a solitary individual who carried one torpedo which could be fastened under an enemy warship. In New York Harbor during the Revolution, the British man-of-war Eagle barely missed destruction at the hands of a Brushnell submarine.

Writing a century later of that old-time inventor, John P. Holland declared: "The 'turtle' could have saved Washington from capture in 1814." Napoleon gave Robert Fulton 10,000 francs to make experiments with his submarine, but finally rejected it.

That was four years before Nelson, at Trafalgar, ended Bonaparte's dream of an invasion of England.

Fulton was working on a new submarine 80 feet long, which he named the "Mute," just before he died.

Ten years before the Civil War began, a man named Phillips built a boat, and taking his wife and children in it, and spent a day on the bottom of Lake Michigan. But, said Holland, it was no good as a marine warship.

The Confederates used a half-breed submarine in Charleston Harbor, and with it sank the Union warship Housatonic. That boat did not entirely submerge, was rowed by eight men while another handled the torpedo.

John Holland began his submarine experiments forty years ago—one year after our Centennial. He said of all attempts at under-sea craft before his time, the best was Bushnell's that had been asleep for a century.

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