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HOW TO SOW CLOVER.

County Demonstration Agent Advises

HARRISBURG ROAD MATTER SETTLED

LOOKS LIKE IT AFTER MONTHS OF LITIGATION.

Agreement Signed by Land Owners is earpet raised and the work begut. Endorsed by Read Superintendent The improvements may be mentioned -- Chairman Weddington Says That paired and re-decorated. The fresco design that has greeted the worshipp-Work Will Begin at Once on the New Road, And That it Will Be the church was built more than thir Rushed to Completion.

After numerous hearings and surveys and litigations in court it looks as if the settlement of the route of tiful. The wood-work has been rethe National Highway near Harris-burg has been reached. When the case was called at court last week attorneys for landowners along the route, who had secured an injunction against building the road at the route previously adopted by the commis-sioners, announced that they thought an agreement could be reached if they the little touches that add charm and were given time to see the landowners.

Messars. M. H. Caldwell and L. T. Hartsell, representing J. W. Davis ready for delivery before the first and C. E. Johnson, drew an agreement of October. The whole present in which it was agreed that Messrs. Johnson and Davis give the right of way for the road to the county. The agreement was signed by the land-owners and acepted by Superintend-ent of Roads Burrage and three members of the board of county commissioners. When the agreement was presented to the court Judge Adams announced that the trial of the case would be continued and that the work on the proposed route as set torn to made. the agreement would be allowed to made. The sermon vesterday morning was described in The sermon vesterday morning was of Messrs, Johnson and Davis from McClure's crossing and in front of the church at Harrisburg instead of behind the church as the road that was enjoined.

Mr. Caldwell stated this morning that if the road, as described in the petition, was built that, at the next term of court, he would move for a non-suit in the suit now pending which enjoins the commissioners from building the road first proposed.

Mr. L. A. Weddington, chairman of the board of county commissioners, stated this morning that the county would begin work on the new road at once and rush it to comple-

Churchill Says Burden May Fall on America.

The following are excerpts from in-terview with Winston Churchill, First Lord of the British Admiralty:



which the old pews were removed, the Calm Determination is Evident on Burrage. — Road Runs Through Lands of Johnson and Davis in of the room to the north, and built Front of the Church at Harrisburg. of the church. The walls were rety years ago. This has been replaced

NEW ST. JAMES OPENS.

Paris, Aug. 31 .- Calm determinatby a simple combination of colors that tion is evident on every hand in are restful to the eyes, and harmoni, Paris. From the valley of the Oise is heard the sound of explosions. ous with one's conception of the beau-Troops blew up houses and factories painted and grained, to correspond in the line of the fire of the defendwith all the furniture. New pews, of ing forts.

Every Hand in Paris .- French Mass

on Lorrain Frontier and Attack the

German Left. - Simultaneously

Battle is Renewed in the Vosges .-

Bridge Destroyed by Masked Bat-

teries and German Regiment of In-

fantry Wiped Out.

cathedral design, constructed of solid At dawn the French massed on the oak, framed finish, have been install-ed. A new lighting system of Brasco-Lorraine frontier and attacked the German left. Simultaneously the batlite fixtures contribute much to the tle was renewed in the Vosges region whole appearance. A brass altar in the hope to compel the Germans cross, and brass choir rail are among to withdraw some men from the right which is pressing the Allies. It is debeauty to the whole. A new altar, clared that the Germans were unable with high Gothic reredos has been to force a passage over the Mense ordered, which will not, however, be within French teritory in attempting pontoons to replace the bridge deof October. The whole presents a stroyed by the French blockade, A regiment of German infantry was complete change. There is little remaining to remind one of the old and permitted to push a bridge across and the new may truly be said to be was then wiped out. The bridge was beautiful. It is und rstood that most destroyed by masked batteries. of the money has been provided for

the cost of the improvements. The Eat Weeds the Cry if Meat's Too Ladies' Aid Society presented the High.

Chicago, Aug. 31,--If porterhouse pews; friends of the church privately steak at 45 cents a pound hurts your provided the lights, the altar cross and the choir rail. It is expected that the pocketbook go out in the alley and cat a few weeds. Mrs. W. K. Jacques whole cost will be provided next Sundoes it, likes it, and advis s all others who are haunted by the H. C. of L.

ghost to follow suit. preached by the Rev. Geo. H. Cox. "There are ten weeds, all edible, D. D., of Spencer. His text was takthat can be used for food." volunteeren from 2 Kings, 2:9-Elisha's re- ed Mrs. Jacques, when the protest quest of Elijah: "I pray thee, let a against the "war measures" taken double portion of thy spirit be upon by the packers in the shape of addouble portion of thy spirit be upon me." Dr. Cox made a strong plet for Christian people to sieze the op-height. "These are the dock, nettle, height are being at every service. One portunity of Christian service, faith-fully watching for the appearance of pigweed, lamb's querter, manth mar-, lamb's quarter, manih marpigweed, lamb'e quart igold and brake fern. the Lord, guided by a full portion of

the Spirit of the Lord. "They all make excellent greens The able discourse was listened to and they are very nourishing. The at Friendship Church, September of the Weekly Dispatch. Telegraph-by many members of St. James and Chinese are so fond of purslane that 20-21. their friends who join d with them they plant it in their gardens. At my on the glad ocasion. own farm near South Haven, Mich., I encourage all the weeds to grow. The formal services of re-opening They are not only good to eat but will begin next Sunday and continue during the following week, when pasthey produce a most artistic effect. tors from neighboring cities will be Improvement associations make a present to address the convegation. great mistake when they attack weeds just because they are weeds.

GERMANS CLAIM VICTORY. German Aeroplane Flies Over Paris Dropping Bombs.

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Quite an interesting event took

San Francisco, Aug. 29.-The Chi-

Say They Were Victorious in West Paris, Aug. 30 .- A German aero-And East. - Advance Continue"

Parmers to Exercise Oare in Pre-**BLOW UP HOUSES** paring Seed for Planting. Any farmer wishing to sow crim-son clover, red clover, tetch or alfal-fa on soil where it has not heen grown before would find it more profitable to inceulate his seed with the nitro-on finite bester is shown of the nitro-

gen fixing bacteria characteristic of the legume sown or scatter 3 or 4 bushels of soil per acre over the ground sown or drill it in with a grain drill.

The U. S. Department of Agricul-ture, will furnish inoculating material for 2 bushels of seed for any legume by writing for same. Blank cards can be had for aplication by calling at the County Superintendent's office or seeing me. This should be ordered as soon as possible. R. D. GOODMAN,

County Agent.

GERMANS TRYING TO GET TURKEY TO JOIN THEM

In That Case Bugarians Pledged to Join Balkans Against Turkey.

Sofia, Aug. 31 .- The Constantinople reports that German diplomatic repreentatives are trying to get Turkey to take an active part in the way created a sensation here. It is of-ficially stated that the Bulgarian govagainst the "panic stricken" ernment is now pledged to join the Balkans against Turkey. The Bul the point of the bayonet. garian army is partly mobilized and could put to field immediatly. It is reported that a Turkish ship with strong contingents of German sailors and officers aboard will aid the fighting.

Revival at Friendship Church.

The revival at Friendship Metho dist Church closed yesterday with all day services. The meetings were largely attended, and this was one of the best revivals the church has ever bad. The church was much helped gro, headed a counter charge, smashand quite a number were added to the membership.

This church is beautifully situated in a large grove, and it has just been put in excellent condition, new pews being put in and the church newly painted. This meeting makes the handred have been received into the

burch during these meetings," The next quarterly meeting of the Mount Pleasant charges will be held taken by the Amiens correspondent

The Widenhouse Reunion.

Rev. Harold Turner, of Concord, and Rev. C. F. Sherill. of Mt. Pleasant, will make addresses at the Widenhouse reunion, which yill take incessantly while all the rest of place at Centre Grove Methodist France believes they still are held church next Friday. September 4.

There will be special songs in this occasion. All persons related to the lies in the hourly expected arival of Widenbouse family by blood or mar- an army from Alsace under General iage are cordially invited to attend

FUNDS AND EQUIPMENT POLISH SOLDIERS Secured for Carrying on Drainage Work at Coddle Creek Drainage District. Thompson & Mosely, of Norfolk,

40 Cents a Month-S Cents a Copy.

rainage contractors who were recently awarded the contract for draining oddle creek, shipped their equipment from Norfolk yesterday. soon as it arrives work will begin on draining the creek. Mr. M. H. Caldwell, attorney for

Thousands of Prisoners Were Taken, With Machine Guns and Munitions, the district, stated this morning that arrangements had been made with Acording to Official Statement at the Concord National Bank for neces-War Office .- Russians Are in Full sary funds to carry on the work. Mr. Caldwell also stated that he expected Pursuit .-- Fresh Austrian Columns the work to be carried on smoothly Sent Against Panic-Stricken Aus- and the creek to be drained without trians. - Montenegrins Smash a hitch.

Mrs. Stonewall Jackson Ill in Phila-

St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.-The Rus-sian troops smashed through the Audephia. Charlotte News. strain left near Samose, in northern Galicia, and routed them with enormous loss. Thouasnds of prisoners were taken, with machine guns and munitions, acording to an official statement from the war office. The Russian Cossack division is declared to be in full pursuit of the retreating Laura M. Brown.

army. It is reported that they suc-ceeded in decimating the rear guard. Fresh Russian columns were sent Austened to Walter's Park expecting to Grandenz, on the Vistula river are trains. The Russians turned to the take Mrs. Jackson to his home at invested. Austrian right with hand fighting at

Montenegrins Smash Through Aus the city, to the Kensington Hospital. trian Lines.

Cettinje, Aug. 31.-A Sunday force and is there under the care of Dr. Barringer and prominent physicians of ten thousand Austrians, heavily of Philadelphia. . A card received by Mrs. Brown today brought more enomfortably.

Not only Charlotte, but the whole South will await news daily, from Mrs. Jackson's tedside.

Kitchener Admits British Loss of 6. 000 Men.

London, Aug. 30 .- After four days n france is rested, fitted and reinfored for the near great battle, accordng to an announcement today by Lord Kitchener, Secretary of State for war.

In the statement based on reports be British expeditionary forces, the scenetary save that the British, after struggling against tremendous odds. retired to a new line of defense since Thursday. Their casualties are days ago. between 5,000 and 6,000. Since this fighting ceased the French on the right and left have brought the Ger man attack to a standstill, it is declared.

Misses Gillon Entertain.

Misses Laura and Willie Gillon gave a party Saturday morning at cabled the war office in London as fol-10:30 o'clock in honor of Misses lows: "Official wireless from Berlin Mary Johnson and Johnsie Rankin, to Sayville, L. I., reports allies in full of Mooresville. Hearts dice was playau, who so billiantly retrieved the lish defeated at Maubeuge, French ed and after the game a salad course and English divided and surrounded. was served. Misses Gillon's guests This news being displayed heavily. vere: Misses Mary Johnson Johnsie Ran Does British war office wish to comin, of Mooresville, Kathryn Crowell,



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It is Reported That One Entire Regiment of Slavs in the Austrian Army Deserted Its Colors and Joined the Russian Army .- The Announcement Causes Satisfaction in Official Circles .- Russian Ary Continues on the Defensive.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 31,-The Polish soldiers of the sixth Breslan corps service against the allies on

Mrs. Stonewall Jackson while the western frontier mutinied and spending several weeks at Walter's killed their officers. Advices telling Park, Philadelphia, was taken very of the outbreak caused satisfaction in sick last Sunday. She sent for Dr. official circles, following the procla-Paul Barringer, at Charlottesville, mation issued by the Czar to Poles Va., and wired Mr. and Mrs. E. R. shortly after the war broke out. It Preston, of this city, the latter her is reported that one entire regiment granddaughter, and her sister, Mrs. of Slavs in the Austrian army deserted its colors and joined the Russian Mrs. Preston left at once for her army. The Rusian army continues bedside. Mr. Preston remaining with on the offensive. It is officially report-the children. Dr. Barringer also has- ed that the fortresses of Thorn and

weak to travel. She was taken into Carranza's Attitude Gives Grave Concern.

Washington, Aug. 30 .- Fears that General Carcanza, who became provisional president of Mexico with the aid and consent of the United States couraging news from Mrs. Jackson. Government, may prove as great a t stating that she was resting more trouble maker as his predecessor, General Huerta, were expressed today by an army officed of high rank. Since ssuming the presidency of the republie Carranza's attitude is aid to have been anything but pleasing to the officials of the Government here. President Wilson has not lost patience with Carranza, however. He is awaitf desperate fighting the British army ing the outcome of the mission of his personal representative, Paul Fuller,

who is in the city of Mexico. In army circles, there appears to be an opinion that this country may yet face serious difficulties in Mexico. This view doubtless is based on the fact rom Sir John French, commander of that General Funston has cabled from Vera Cruz for more troops. Action on his request will depend on developments, it is said. Transports are in readiness if needed. They will not where they have not been molested be sent to Europe as intended a few

> Britain Tells the World of German 'Stupid Invention.'

New York World, 30th. After receipt on Friday of the official war reports from Berlin headquarters by wireless the Associated Press, via Sayville, L. L. the World

supported by artillery, assaulted Mount Lowcen. They put two of the Montenegrin batteries out of commision, when the English and French fleets arrived. Disregarding the chances of floating mines they moved close to the shore and shelled the Austrians. Prince Peter, of Montene ing through the Austrian lines, killing many and taking several hundred prisoners. He drove the remnants al-

RUSSIANS SMASH

Through Austrian Lines.

most to Cuttaro. Austrians Claim Sweeping Victory.

Berlin, Aug. 31.-The Austrian embassy has announced a sweeping victery in northern Galicia, a direct contradiction of the Russian accounts.

Germans Sweep Toward France. London, Aug. 31.-A pessimistic view of the situation of the Allies is ing under yesterday's date, he says: "This is a pitiful story which I

have to write. The time for secrecy is past. What you know in England may be something like the truth, but I write with the Germans advancing

near the frontier. "The best hope of holding them

in death grapple with the Prussian autocratic rule."

"It is our life or theirs."

This war is for us a war of bonor; it has become a war of self-pre-

ry school, whose doctrines and principles will then have received a su-preme and terrible vindication." "The French, English and Ameri-

can systems of government by popu lar election and parliamentary de-bate, with the kind of civilization which

Prossis." "If we go down and are swept in ruin into the past, you are the next

"We recognize the consequences and, the issue being joined, England must go forward to the very end."

The Spears Graveyard.

in the Spears Graveyard, near Rocky River Church, are requested to as-sist in cleaning up this historic spot. We wish to rebuild the broken places in the rock wall, to cut out the large

dead trees, and to cut out the thick dend trees, and to cut out the thick undergrowth, and make it a place of beauty. Two descendants of Capt. Oliver Wiley, who are buried there, have donated \$17 for the purpose of purchasing in iron gate. Persons de-siring to contribute or hiring a hand

please hand contribution to Mr.

MORRISON CALDWELL.

GO TO THE PASTIME TODAY ND SEE FLORENCE LAWREN BABL WHITE, CRAME WIL OLS FORD AND UNABD. FIVE REELS OR 5 AND 10 CENTS.

Through France. Berlin, Aug. 31 .- Official statements

uport that Germans were victorious in the west and east. Their advances continue through France. The Britnospital, but did no damage. ish troops are cut off from their base. It is the old struggle of 100 years A strong German column, it is declarago against Napoleon; we are at grips ed, interposed between the Britis's field army operations and the son "If Germany wins it will to the coast cities where re-inforcements victory of the blood-and-iron milita were landed. It is stated that an invasion of Russian Poland is about to

War Summary.

That the French lines are still fall-

ing back before the German advance is flows from such institutions, are indicaed in an official statement isbrought into direct conflict with the highly efficient imperialistic bureauc-racy and military organization of wing has obliged the French to yield temporary reverse. Four Generations of a Family To-

Earl Kitchener, British Secretary of War, gives in detail the part played by the British troops in the oper

ations in Belgium and France. These operations extended from August 23 to August 26, and the British losses numbered about 6,000.

The conditions and spirits of the The opening of the second of t ing the day the grandfather adminis A British official statment says that of the 1,200 men comprising the crews great-grandehildren. They were: Ruby of the five German warships sunk off Helgoland only 330 were saved.

> Claims Civilians Destroyed Louvain. Washington, Aug. 31.-The Ger-Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Eagle. man embassy wireless declares that Quite a number of relatives and givilian snipers with machine guns friends called to express congratulacaused the distruction of Louvain.

North Carolina .82. Washington, Aug. 31. -- Monthly prop report shows North Carolina bighty-two.

tage of the war in Europe to attemp President Yuan Shi Kai's overthrow necording to Pacific Coast agents of the revolutionary party. The time The motion picture negatives made n the United States in the last 12 aonths would reach from New York to Kansas, while the films for exchi-bition would encircle the world more ian three times.

volutionary party. The time is evolutionary party. The time is ned opportune, they explained, in the powers will be too much read with the struggle among selves to undertake grabs of Chi-territory under cover of the con-m Yuan's down full necessarily involve for a time. They multiple absorbed A Texas street car o A Texas street car company re-mity propelled a car with current opplied by a battery of primary cells pried on a flat car behind it, a se-ret solution being and in the cells. ug in a short time

H. S. W Mrs. J. D. Lonis some Saturday

FODY.

plane, flying at the height of 6,000 the reunion and to bring dinner. fest over Paris, dropped a bomb into the city at 1:30 o'clock this aftrenoon Grove Methodist Church, Friday. The bomb struck near L'Est rail-September 4. day station not far from the military

Claude Allen's Fiancee Weds J. Vic-A dispatch to the Exchange Tele tor Bowman. graph Company from Paris says that

Richmond Times-Despatch. about 2:30 o'clock this afternoon an Love levels all things, and pretty aeroplane appeared over Paris and brown-eyed little Nellie Wissler, be dropped three bombs near Qui de Jem-mapes Due Ricollet and Place de La of the ill-starred Claude trothed Swanson Allen, has forgotten her cup Republie. No damage was done. of sorrow in the happiness of one the country. So I learned from offi-Though startled by this threatening who has capitulated to the barbed cers and men. courence Parisians remained transhafts of the wiley Cupid. Last night

"The headquarters staff has she, who seventeen months ago was noved hastily along way back from All have been gradually accustomed widowed before wed by the stern nec-- (deleted) and cannot stay long to consider much serious events as essities of law, became the wife of where it is. Some army men haev possiblities and the people of the J. Victor Bowman, of Coalwood, W. been hard put to it for food in the apital are equal to either fortune-Virginia. last few days. hard won success in the north or

Returns From the Philippines.

Mr. L. M. Barnhardt, son of Mr. Joe M. Barnhardt, of No. 5 township,

returned last Saturday night from th Philippines, where he has been for

place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. three years a soldier in Co. I. Eighth Jno, H. Ritchie, 92 Georgia avenue, Infantry. He left Manila on the 15th on Sunday, August 30, when four of July, and left San Francisco on generatons of the family were pres-Monday morning, August 24. He was ent. All of the children and grand-31 days making the voyage from Ma-nilt to San Francisco. He does not children, together with Mrs. Ritchie's father and mother, the Rev. Dr. Geo know yet whet we re not he will re-H. Cox and wife, of Spencer, had asturn to the Philipines. sembled for a family reunion. Dur-

Marriage at Mount Pleasant.

Cox and Gillie Wilson, children of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Tredenick; Sarah Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ritchie: Margaret Cox, daughter of Sherrill performed the ceremony in hy poor people. Many of these famithe presence of a few invited fri Mr. Joyner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Joyner, of No. 10 township, and Mrs. Joyner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Layton, who live three miles from Mount Pleasant. tions and witness the solemn cere-

European War May Cause Chine Revolt.

Refuses Request for Troope

Refuses Bequest for Troops. Washington, Aug. 31. — General Witherspoon has refused the request of the Governor of Montana for troops, following the dynamiting of the employment office yesterday at Butte. He said the State should ex-haust every effort to preserve order from the state should ex-haust every effort to preserve order

Switzerland utilizes a greater pro-bortion of her available water power Shirly Montgomery and Mrs. Fred than any other nation, having harnes sed about 700,000 of the 1,200,000 Salisbary, traveling in Mr. Yorke's horsepower provided by her streams automobile. 700,000 of the 1,200,006 provided by her streams. wer provid

blunders at Muelhausen. So far the Remember the time and place, Centre Germans have carried all befor them. partly by sheer weight of numbers and partly by a deadly hail of bul

> "The tiday wave of German Iroons Estelle Dick, Annie and Ruby Cline, which has swept over northeastern Louise Coffey, Mary and Adeline France will spread still further un-Morrison, Geneva Parks, Zeta Caldless a miracle happens. Our British well, Sue Caldwell, Frances Riden force could not stand before a volhour, Lena Hall Fisher, Mary and ume so powerful and immense. Our Ida Porter, Mary Fisher, Irene Mc-Connell, Jessie Willeford and Mrs. T. force has been too scattered all over . Spencer.

Two Women Hurt By Aviator's Bomb

London, Aug. 30 .- A Paris dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company SRVS:

"A German aviator flew over Paris this afternoon and dropped five "The retreat of the British aerobombs, which fell in the most popuolanes made a wonderful sight. Be lar quarter of the city. In one case two women were wounded.

"The aviator, who signed himself Lieutenant Von Heissen, dropped

manifestos on which was written: The German army is at the gates of

Paris; you can do nothing but surrender.

Work Begun on New Church at Mt. Olivet.

Work was begun last week on the new Methodist Church at Mt. Olivet. in No. 4 township, and the founda tions are now underway. The church will be entirely of brick and will cost about \$\$.000." The Methodists of this congregation are determined to have one of the very best county churches in the State.

We learn also that the Methodist ongregation at Rocky River will soon begin the erection of a handsome new brick church to cost \$5,000 or \$6,000.

today on account of sich

THE PASTIME'S PROGRAMME

of a floor is provided with a lock to

ment ?" This reply came yesterday: The nature of our position in the vicinity of Charleroi and concentration of the enemy caused a strategical retirement of the allies after several days of heavy fighting, in which the enemy suffered severely. A report that the allies are divided and surrounded is a stupid invention, wholly coid of truth.

Cardinals Begin Conclave.

Rome, Aug. 31 .- The funeral rites Pope Pius finished, the cardinais entered the conclave. Fifty-seven as-

sembled. Carriages bearing the cardinals began ariving at nine o'clock. Mossignor Galli delivered the election exhortation.

To Spend No Money On Celebration. The Hague, Aug. 31. - Queen Wil-belming in connection with the celebelming in connection when alled upon bration of her birthday called upon the Dutch to refrain from spending the celegration. "Utilize it in aiding the Red Cross, which is so heavily over taxed," she said.

Abandons Crown and Flee

Durazzo, Aug. 31 .- Prince William Wied, of Albania, has abandoned the crown and fled. He boarded an Ialian yacht an sailed from Italian port. The insurgent forces immediat ly took posession of Durazzo.

The second installment of the great erial story is printed in The Tril today. The picture covering the two installments printed will be shown at the Pastime Wednesday. The Trey of Hearts is one of the best storics we have ever printed.



tween 30 and 40 passed over deleted) Wednesday morning Paris Made Ready for a Long Seige by the Enemy. Paris, Aug. 30 .- The decree

by the military governor ordering all residents of the district within action of the city's defending forts to evacnate and destroy their houses within

four days from today was formal notice to inhabitants of the military tone, although army engineers recent ly made a tour of the environs of the Mr. John Joyner and Miss Lula forts and explained tenants might Layton were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. C. F. houses in the line of fire are occupied

> iends. lies lack resources and will be without refuge. Nevertheless they took the situation without complaint.

Preparations for an entrenched camps also took another form yester day. Enormous socks of wood wer-placed in the State warehouses for

eket to hold a broom

Mrs. J. H. Ritchie is confined to he



