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MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1917.

We want to see that hosiery mill built in Gastonia. Other towns in the State are going ahead with knitting plants. Almost every day a new one is reported. Gastonia's record in the textile manufacturing business is such as to guarantee that such a plant could be operated successfully here.

Gastonia came to the scratch on the sale of Liberty Bonds. To Gaston county was allotted \$500,000 worth of which amount Gastonia was expected to take about one-half. From the news columns of today's Gazette it will be seen that Gastonians have taken \$237,500 worth of these bonds. Just what the other towns in the county have done on this line we are not advised but we take it that they have taken some part in this patriotic work.

MUSIC CLUB MEET WITH MRS. J. A. PAGE.

The regular meeting of the Music Club which is to be held Wednesday afternoon, June 20, with Mrs. James A. Page, will be of especial interest and importance to all the members. At this meeting the annual election of officers will be held and any members who cannot possibly be present are requested to send in written ballots in sealed envelopes.

New Route to Blowing Rock Via MOUNT HOLLY.

Automobilists will be greatly interested in the new route to Blowing Rock by way of Mount Holly, from thence to Stanley and then to Lincolnton. This road has just been completed and is in excellent condition, reports J. B. Ivey, who has just been over it.

It is macadamized all the way through Gaston county with the exception of a small stretch. The roads in Lincoln county are in even better condition. The old roads are not allowed to wear out, but are constantly being worked upon, Mr. Ivey stated. This route will greatly shorten both the distance and the time of the trip.

PICTURE MEN PATRIOTIC.

Gross Receipts of One Day Each Month Will Be Donated to American Red Cross.

Wilmington, June 14.—The North Carolina Motion Picture Exhibitors' League, in session at Wrightsville Beach, today adopted a resolution to set aside the gross receipts or one day each month, during the entire duration of the war, to be donated to the National Red Cross Society for its war relief work. This will mean a donation of receipts from approximately 150 theaters in the State one day in each month, and was introduced "as a measure of appreciation for the action of the Senate finance committee" in exempting from war taxation the popular priced theaters. While individual theaters have made such donations before, the North Carolina league is the first State organization to make such a contribution to the Red Cross cause.

CLAIMS EXEMPTION ON "MORAL UNFITNESS."

(By International News Service.) MILWAUKEE, June 16.—One of the "jokers" in the Conscription bill was that exemption might be claimed on the grounds of being morally deficient, but out of the millions registered the only man to register this claim was a Socialist of this city. The man is Frank Raguse, former State Senator, who was expelled from the Legislature because of unpatriotic remarks. He wrote on his card "morally unfit."

MEXICO MAY ENTER THE WORLD WAR.

(By International News Service.) MEXICO CITY, June 18.—Local newspapers have started a movement urging Mexico to enter the world war on the side of the Entente allies for humanitarian reasons.

The Russian Mission to the United States, headed by Boris A. Bakmentien, special ambassador, has landed at a Pacific port. The party consists of 49 members.

Advertise in The Gazette.

IDEAL

TUESDAY BLANCHE SWEET and THOMAS MEIGHAN "Silent Partners"

WEDNESDAY ANITA STEWART in "The More Excellent Way" (Vitagraph Special)

THURSDAY We start the first of the McCLURES SEVEN DEADLY SINS Entitled "ENVY" Featuring ANN MURDOCK

AVIATOR IN PAJAMAS GOES RAIDING GERMANS.

(By International News Service.) NOTTINGHAM, ENG., June 16.—

The late Capt. Albert Ball, one of the youngest and most successful of British fliers, in letters received by his father, former Mayor of Nottingham, just before the aviator's death told how he went up to fight in the air with nothing but his pajamas on.

"On a few occasions," he wrote, "I haven't had time to put my clothes on, and I've gone up in my pajamas. It was jolly cold. I can tell you, but unfortunately, I can't pretend I have ever brought down a machine when dressed like that. To bring down a lot of Hunns you have to be patient and practically live in the air. Sometimes you may make ten flights in, one day and never get a single flight."

"Ball also told of a fight with a formidable opponent when neither could get an advantage on the other. 'We kept on firing until our ammunition was gone,' he said, 'and when we could not fire any more we burst out laughing and flew together side by side for a little distance. He was a real sporting Hun like Boleke. I should have been sorry if I had killed him and I think he would have been sorry if he had killed me.'

Forty-two Germans fell victims to the young aviator's bravery, but after bringing down the fortieth, he wrote: "I am getting tired of living to kill. I begin to feel like a murderer, but I feel that God is taking care of me."

BASIS REACHED FOR PURCHASE OF STEEL.

(By International News Service.) WASHINGTON, June 18.—

Cost plus 10 per cent will probably be the final basis of settlement for steel to be used in the merchant fleet. The controversy between General Goethals and the shipping board, in which Chairman Denman refused to sign any contracts for \$95 a ton steel, has led to the statement that Congress will be compelled to give the president full power to act arbitrarily if he deems such action necessary. Chairman Denman has seen the president today. General Goethals has asked for an audience but it has not yet been granted.

TODAY'S COTTON MARKET.

(By International News Service.) NEW YORK, June 18.—On the New York Exchange today cotton opened as follows: July 25-20, October 25.

KEPT HER AWAKE

The Terrible Pains in Back and Sides. Cardui Gave Relief.

Marksville, La.—Mrs. Alice Johnson, of this place, writes: "For one year I suffered with an awful misery in my back and sides. My left side was hurting me all the time. The misery was something awful."

"I could not do anything, not even sleep at night. It kept me awake most of the night... I took different medicines, but nothing did me any good or relieved me until I took Cardui..."

"I was not able to do any of my work for one year and I got worse all the time, was confined to my bed off and on. I got so bad with my back that when I stooped down I was not able to straighten up again... I decided I would try Cardui... By time I had taken the entire bottle I was feeling pretty good and could straighten up and my pains were nearly all gone."

"I shall always praise Cardui. I continued taking it until I was strong and well." "If you suffer from pains due to female complaints, Cardui may be just what you need. Thousands of women who once suffered in this way now praise Cardui for their present good health. Give it a trial."

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids for the addition to Main Street Methodist Church will be received June 21 at 8 p. m., in the Pastor's Study at the church. The Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. Plans can be had by applying to JNO. L. BEAL, Secy. Gastonia, N. C., June 2, 1917.

Cozy Theatre

TODAY: "THE BLACK RIDER OF TASAJARA" (First Episode)

"THE AMERICAN GIRL" Featuring MARIN SAIS See what this American girl can do.

HEARST PATHE NEWS THE LATEST NEWS

TUESDAY MME PETROVA in "THE WAITING SOUL" (5-Act Metro) also MISS BILLIE RHODES in "WHEN MARY TOOK THE COUNT" (Strand Comedy)

WEDNESDAY MARY MILES MINTER in "THE INNOCENCE OF LI-ZETTE" (In 5 Acts) A Tender and Touching Human Interest Portrayed from Life.

SCAN BABY HOSPITAL FOR POSSIBLE SLACKERS.

(By International News Service.) CHICAGO, June 16.—

"There are no males in this hospital who come under the Registration Act," was the laconic message from the infant incubator hospital, in answer to queries from City Clerk Igoe for a registration of all inmates of the various hospitals.

GERMANS COUNTERFEIT RARE FRENCH PAPERS.

(By International News Service.) LONDON, June 16.—

War papers issued by German armies at the front are bringing high prices. The fury of the British drive has made it impossible to continue their publication and scarcity of numbers issued has resulted in as high as 300 marks (\$60) being offered for a single copy.

Printers throughout the empire are working on counterfeit reproductions, many of which are so near the originals that it is impossible to tell them apart. Although warnings have been given not to buy the bogus copies, thousands are being sold as originals throughout the country.

GERMAN TRENCHES PENETRATED.

(By International News Service.) PARIS, June 16.—

Raid and artillery duelling is reported in today's Communiqué. The German trenches were penetrated east of Rheims and some prisoners taken. German raids were repulsed at several places.

OFFER RUSSIAN PEACE TERMS.

(By International News Service.) LONDON, June 16.—

Germany has offered a separate peace to Russia, according to a Stockholm dispatch. The offer was made through a member of the Swiss Federal Council. This is the first direct offer made to the Russian Provisional Government.

EXEMPTION REGULATIONS COMPLETED.

(By International News Service.) WASHINGTON, June 16.—

The exemption regulations have been completed and approved by the president. They will be promulgated early next week. The regulations are stringent and are designed to exempt only men performing indispensable duties. There will be no class exemptions. While these facts were allowed to become known the actual details of the measure are being kept secret.

EMMA GOLDMAN UNDER \$25,000 BOND.

(By International News Service.) NEW YORK, June 16.—

Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman, anarchists, have been arrested for conspiring against conscription. They were held on \$25,000 bail each today. Both maintained rigid silence in the court room. They have refused to eat since they were arrested last night.

TRY IT! SUBSTITUTE FOR NASTY CALOMEL

Starts Your Liver Without Making You Sick and Can Not Salivate.

Every druggist in town — your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling-off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle costs 50 cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work! Take Dodson's Liver Tone instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition.

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\$10.00 Value Coat Suits \$6.95 \$12.50 Value Coat Suits \$9.95 \$15 Poplin Coat Suits \$10.95 \$16 Poplin Coat Suits \$11.95 \$16.50 Poplin Coat Suits for...\$12.95 \$25 Ladies' Coat Suits \$14.95

Ladies Coat Suits

Shepherd Plaid Coat Suits, \$10 value, our price \$5.98 \$10 Shepherd Plaid Coat Suits at only...\$7.95

All wool blue serge skirts for ladies, Special \$1.98

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\$5.00 Pure Silk Dresses at...\$3.95 \$6.00 Pure Silk Dresses at...\$4.98 The newest styles, fine Silk Taffeta Dresses, \$20 values at...\$12.50 Georgette fancy Dresses up to \$17.50

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Ladies' Crepe de Chine Waists \$1.98 Ladies' Silk and Satin Waists made of fine quality Messaline, latest Parisian styles, fancy trimmings, dainty laces, a beautiful creation, all colors, priced at only...\$1.98 \$1.50 Ladies' Waists at...98c 50c Ladies' Waists at...39c 75c Ladies' Waists at...48c A good Waist at...25c Fancy Silk Brocade Waists at...98c \$3.50 Fancy Lace Waists at...\$2.48 \$2.50 Crepe de Chine Waists \$1.98 \$5.00 Georgette Waists at...\$2.98 \$8.00 Georgette Waists at...\$5.48

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H. Schneider

EFIRD'S MOVING

We are moving to our new quarters in the Love Building, formerly occupied by the Thomson Mercantile Co. We are not selling anything while we are moving. Expect to be open for business by Wednesday or Thursday.

Watch for our big opening sale.

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209 West Main Street