

Speculation as to salaries paid by the Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association was set at rest Wednesday concerning one department of the association when R. B. Patterson, manager of the leaf branch of the organization gave figures that filled farmers in court with astonishment in the trial of the case of G. H. Pittman against the association to declare void his agreement with the body.

Patterson said he was receiving \$30,000; two assistants \$25,000 each, one of whom was not now employed; 100 graders at an average compensation of \$250 per month and 10 supervising graders at \$6,000 each. This only represents the salary list of one department. Just what it costs in cash to operate other branches of the association is yet to be disclosed.

When J. Y. Joyner, director and one of the organizers of the association stated that he believed to the best of his knowledge that the salary range was from \$3,000 to \$18,000 that declaration caused surprise, but the climax came when Patterson on the witness stand nearly doubled the maximum stated by Joyner. Salaries for this part of service total annually about \$440,000.

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Co-op Witnesses Deny 'Deceit' Was Used To Get Contract Signers

Counsel for the association announced at 3:30 that with the testimony of two minor witnesses the defendant would rest its case shortly after 4 o'clock. Dr. Kilgore on cross examination acknowledged that the association had never filed an annual report with state agricultural commission as required by law. He declared his department had requested the association to make report, but it had never been received.

Dr. W. B. Kilgore, director of the state agricultural and experimental service was among a score of witnesses that testified today for the Tobacco Growers Co-Operative Association in the suit of G. H. Pittman seeking to have declared void a contract he made with the organization for the delivery of his tobacco on the alleged ground of "fraud."

Number of members of the association flatly contradicted the statements made by witnesses for the plaintiff that "misrepresentation" was made by agents of the association at a rally in the Fountain company's store, Falkland, when Pittman and other growers accepted the agreements. Other testimony was also offered to offset the contention that better prices were paid by the open warehousemen than by the association. Several expressed themselves as being satisfied with the relations existing between them and the pool.

Working For Best Interest.
Asked on direct examination why the experts and other employees working for the state had been permitted to actively assist in promoting the membership campaign, Dr. Kilgore went into a lengthy review of the conditions obtaining among farmers following the stress of 1920. He explained that North Carolina had dropped from fourth to six place in the list of states as to value of agricultural production. A study of the conditions in California which had succeeded this state in its position disclosed that it was due to co-operative marketing.

Wanted to Regain Position.
Dr. Kilgore declared that his sole purpose was to bring about a condition that would relieve the farmer and assure the restoration of North Carolina to its proper place as to value in agricultural production.

This declaration in the interest of the farmer moved one court spectator to applause. He was promptly haled before Judge J. Lloyd Horton, who fined him \$5 for contempt. It was explained to the court that enthusiastic spectator was from South Carolina, and had not heard the admonition of the court that applause or hand-clapping would not be permitted. On this representation Judge Horton remitted the fine.

J. T. Moore, Snow Hill, told the court that he was formerly in the employ of the association and had called on Pittman to ascertain whether he intended to pool his tobacco. According to his statement, Pittman told him that he was waiting for a decision to be handed down in the state supreme court, before he decided. Pittman, he testified, preferred to pay the 5 cent rake off rather than pool his product with the association.

in event of adverse decision.
Suffer Memory Lapse.

L. A. Newton, E. J. Peaden, L. A. Moore, E. W. Little, Jack Corbett, all of the Falkland district virtually substantiated the testimony of previous witnesses that no guarantees were made, other than provided in the contract were made by agents of the association at the Falkland meeting.

It was patent with what frequency witnesses suffered lapses of memory. On direct examination they had no difficulty in answering at length and in detail every question asked by counsel. When subjected to cross examination they could not invariably "recollect," "remember," or "recall."

Numerous witnesses were introduced at the session last night who emphatically refuted the testimony of the plaintiff that any sort of misrepresentation or deceit was attempted at the meeting in the Fountain Company store, Falkland, when Pittman and others signed the agreement.

W. B. Pace Testifies.
W. B. Pace, former agricultural agent of Pitt county, said that he attended the meeting, but could not recall that anything had been said about a 60 per cent advance on the valuation of tobacco crop delivered by members to association. On cross examination by Col. Albion Dunn, of counsel for Pittman, witness said something was mentioned about the success of co-operative marketing in California and that he might have referred to its achievement and the benefits of growers, but that he had never studied its operation in that state personally. Asked why he was active in assisting the promotion work of the association, he explained he was acting under instructions of Dr. B. W. Kilgore, director of the agricultural extension service of the state. He received no additional compensation for that work, he said.

Chasing Co-op Bug.
Assistant State Entomologist Mabe, told that he had taken part in some of the activities of the association, Col. Dunn, asked whether his duties were not confined to the study of insect crop pests, and just what relation they bore to the "co-operative bug." This shaft of sarcasm provoked a ripple of mirth throughout the court room.

Taking the stand to deny that any pledges or guarantees had been made to farmers at the Falkland rally, Homer B. Mask, former agricultural demonstration and now connected with the Cotton Co-operative association declared he could not recall that anything was brought out at the meeting indicating that the association pledged the 60 per cent advance or other pledges. He was careful to explain that farmers were told that the matter of advances would be subsequently fixed by the board of directors of the association. J. G. Lawton,

With the best prospects that have obtained for years Greenville is ready for the formal opening of its tobacco season next Tuesday, Aug. 28. If indications are realized that date gives promise to be the inauguration of an era of success that will live long in the annals of the industry. Various conditions enter into realizing this prophecy. The crop is far in excess of last year, as a rule exceptionally good in quality, while the demand it is believed will be proportionately strong with well balanced prices.

Greenville as a market is expanding each year. Its fame for paying the best prices obtainable is constantly growing, and with an increased mileage of good roads leading into this city, there is every reason to believe that growers who have in some cases sold elsewhere will take advantage of improved conditions and sell their product here. The combined efforts of every business interest and citizen of Greenville are concentrated upon the objective of placing this market in the front rank as a leader, and organized effort is going to accomplish the goal.

Warehousemen Well Prepared
Warehousemen have anticipated every detail that makes for expeditious and satisfactory handling of tobacco in any quantity. These concerns are prepared to give growers service and satisfaction that cannot be equalled on any market throughout the tobacco belt. While this declaration may appear incredible to some,

tional compensation for that work, he said.

Witness is Humorous.
Testimony of J. D. Swain, former preacher, later active in the organization of the association in this county, amused the court spectators in a cross fire of criticism and sharp repartee between himself and Col. Dunn. After emphatically disclaiming that any promises were made at the Falkland gathering relating to the much discussed 60 per cent advance, and that the conditions of the contract were specifically explained, on cross examination he told Dunn, in answer to question as to what received for each new member said, 63 and two thirds per "signer."

Left Pulpit Voluntarily.
Asked whether he left the ministry voluntarily, he replied he had not been expelled. "Ever been in jail," queried the attorney. "Yes, twice," then with a pause, "once to inspect a modern jail, and again to hold a co-operative rally in another because it was empty, and could be better heated than an auditorium."

A. O. Alford, told the court that he was in charge of the printing for the state agricultural service, and that during the campaign for members that he had spent approximately five days of each week during that period. He said his salary was \$2,100 per year, and that he had not been paid money for service in behalf of the association.

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URGE PRESIDENT RECOGNIZE MEXICO



Charles Beecher Warren, formerly United States Ambassador to Japan, and Judge Barton Payne, who were sent to Mexico City to attempt to adjust the differences existing Mexico and the United States, are shown in Washington with Secretary of State Charles Evans Hughes, on their way to the White House where they reported to President Coolidge and urged him to recognize the Obregon government in Mexico.

gave evidence along the same line virtually denying very allegation that misrepresentation was employed to induce growers to join association.

J. Y. Joyner Recalled.
J. Y. Joyner, director and one of the organizers of the organization was recalled as character witness in behalf of Swain. He amplified his previous evidence stating that every solicitor working with the organization committee was instructed not to make any promises as to advances. The witness, however, did admit that bankers would probably "accept participating receipts" as collateral for loans.

Other witness of the Falkland district including S. L. Duke, Henry Corbett, J. W. Duke and O. W. Wilby, all gave corroborative evidence that no promises had been made within their hearing as to definite advances on crops sold through the association.

G. W. Saterfield, J. T. Wooten, L. B. Dupre, and W. A. Hearne, gave evidence in the main contradicting witness as to the Falkland meeting and alleged misrepresentation and satisfaction with advances made by

GOMPERS PREDICTS SERIOUS DISASTER OF MINERS STRIKE

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Aug. 24.—A sympathetic strike on the part of soft coal miners should "diggers" walk out in the anthracite fields would make the most powerful strike the industry has ever seen, said Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, addressing the International Engravers union in session here.

"I have no information," continued Gompers "as the likelihood of such a strike." Asked which side would win, he added, "well, I am no prophet."

Federal Officials Busy to Avert A Hard Coal Strike

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—Final phases of the government's program for supplying fuel to anthracite consumers in the event of suspension of work in the hard coal mines have been up by the several bureaus to which the preparations had been assigned, but hope of an ultimate settlement of the controversy between operators and their employees continued to be expressed in various quarters.

Jewelers Safe Blown, Get Fortune In Gems

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 24.—One hundred thousand dollars in diamonds and other gems belonging to a local manufacturing jeweler concern were last night when thieves after binding the watchman blew the safe.

FLAPPERS AND OLD FASHIONED GIRLS CAUSE STYLE WAR

"We'll Show What We Please," "Modern Miss" Avows

SOMERSET, PA., Aug. 24.—This little city has been somersaulted into a style class war between the bobbed haired, lipped stock flapper and her more conservative sister of the long tresses and silkless stockings.

The first clash occurred yesterday when the Parent-Teachers association formally indosed the "old fashioned girl," and took steps to petition the school board to adopt a uniform style of dress for school girls. The petition would do away with what was described as "travesty upon dress" and conservative styles would prevail.

This action called forth vigorous verbal protest among the flappers, who presented in rhyme to the board of education their reasons against the consideration of such a regulation, saying:

"I can show my shoulders; I can show my knee; I'm a free born American and I'll show what I please."

After delivering this ultimatum the flappers left the meeting which later developed into an indignation meeting. One of the most widely known girl's educational institutions of the state is located here. Some of them arriving before the fall term started joined with the local public school protestants.

Historic Church Will Observe Organization

SALISBURY, Aug. 24.—Plans have been made for the 178th anniversary of the organization of historic Old Organ Lutheran church in Eastern Rowan county, Sunday, Aug. 26.

The celebration will not only be that of the one hundred and seventy-eighth anniversary of the founding of the church, but also that of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the arrival of the first pastor and the one hundred and forty-ninth of the laying of the cornerstone of the present church building.

One of the features of the program will be the reading of a history of the church by Rev. George H. Cox, D. D., of Salisbury, who formerly was pastor of the Organ church.

Klansmen Are Given Penitentiary Terms On Charges Rioting

TULSA, OKLA., Aug. 24.—B. F. Sikes, Grover G. Sikes and Earl Sack, of Broken Arrow, confessed members of the Ku Klux Klan, pleaded guilty of rioting charges before District Judge W. B. Williams and were sentenced to serve two years each in the state penitentiary. Their arrest came as a result of the investigation by Adjutant General B. M. Markham into the recent flogging in Tulsa county.

This is the first instance in which Klansmen have confessed in court that they were members of a flogging party and the first time they have been sentenced for participation in a mob outrage. State officers here said they believed.

Create Positions For Over 3000 Teachers, State Records Show

RALEIGH, Aug. 24.—In the last three years 3,892 new teaching positions have been created in North Carolina, according to information made public at the office of the state department of education. In the 1922-1923 session there was a total of 5,551 teachers, of which 16,819 were white and the rest negroes, employed in the public educational institutions, it was stated.

Greenville Tobacco Market Opens Next Tuesday; Superior Facilities Are Assured Record Breaking Season Is Looked For

still conditions and arrangements will bear out the assertion, as farmers will visualize as they bring tobacco to their favorite market.

Warehouse sales have been arranged so as to meet every requirement. Staffs of tobacco experts and competent clerical forces are engaged. In brief, it is not a question of how good the Greenville market is, but rather, how FAR SUPERIOR OVER OTHERS. The strength of this market is founded upon satisfied patrons. That is the BIG REASON why it is expanding so rapidly. That is why it is going to close the season a close contender for first place in the volume of pounds handled.

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GORMANS—Proprietors, J. Nick Gorman,

Thomas M. Gorman, J. E. Gorman, R. W. Gorman. Clerical force: L. H. Bowling, Sam Nick Hill, E. H. Willard, T. M. Gorman, Jr. Floor managers: V. L. Johnson, J. R. Wilkerson, Enoch Hodges, Floyd Allen. Ticket marker: Scott Lloyd. Auctioneer: Jim Edwards.

FORBES & MORTON—Gus E. Forbes and W. Z. Morton, sales managers and proprietors. Auctioneer, L. C. Powell. Clerical force: E. B. Thomas, C. B. Stafford, James Easterly, S. L. Ragsdale. Floor managers, J. Harvey Briley, Ola Kittrell, Roy Allen. Leaf Department, J. S. Morton and W. J. Moore. Henry Laughinghouse, night manager.

FARMERS—W. S. Moyer, J. J. Gentry, S. D. Hooker, owners. Salesmanagers, W. S. Moyer and J. J. Gentry. Bookkeepers, S. D. Hooker, T. M. Woodson. Floor managers, D. Tucker, R. M. McLawhorn, George Rinegar.

FOXHALL, MCGOWAN & CANNON—F. D. Foxhall, J. M. McGowan, salesmanagers. Biggs T. Cannon auctioneer. W. H. Ward, Guy Lanier, Sam Carrico, C. D. Tunstall, Preston Cannon, clerical force. F. E. Satterwaite, ticket marker; Henry W. Martin, Louis Perry, Griffin H. Rouse, floor managers.

CENTRE BRICK—D. S. Spain and J. F. Brinkley, salesmanagers. A. M. Finch, Jr., auctioneer. E. L. Parker and Arthur Jones, bookkeepers. C. M. Tucker and W. C. Braswell, floor managers

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IMPORTING CROP PESTS

This country is now suffering an actual loss of more than two billions of dollars a year through the destruction of crops by pests that have been brought to the United States from other lands, say agricultural experts. Some of the blame for the widespread ravages of these enemies of the farmer and of the fruit-grower must be laid at the door of the government for its failure to guard the seaports and the Southern border against the invasion of injurious insects and plant diseases. In spite of efforts now being made to keep them out, they continue to enter, until today there are hundreds of different and dangerous varieties of pests that are adding to the enormous agricultural and horticultural losses every year.

The boll weevil came into the United States from Mexico and since its first appearance has cost the cotton growers of the South enough, in the way of depleted crops, to pay off the whole national debt. George C. Dacy, in an article in Nature Magazine writes that just as the cotton growers are getting accustomed to paying the annual two hundred million dollar board bill, of the boll weevil, another cotton crop despoiler steals over the border line from Mexico and threatens to add to the destruction. This is the pink boll worm which has just made its appearance and which may even rival the weevil in its deadly work.

This writer adds that the country's immense corn crop, covering more than a hundred millions of acres, is annually exposed to a dozen different diseases, most of which found their way into America from foreign fields. The last of these to appear here is the European corn borer. No way has yet been found to exterminate that insect.

The Hessian fly, so long an enemy of wheat, was brought to this country as far back as the Revolution by Hessian soldiers in the

straw they used for bedding their horses. The fly costs the United States each year more than did the whole Revolutionary War. The introduction of the gypsy moth, which now extends its depredations over more than twenty thousand square miles of American soil, is blamed on a Harvard professor, who while conducting experiments with the moths, left his laboratory window open. A gust of wind blew several of them into the air, they settled upon the ground and multiplied until they have now become one of the worst of all the pests.

Some progress has been made in fighting these pests. The use of sprays of various kinds has become general. Complete eradication is not possible, and only constant vigilance and incessant activity can reduce the enormous destruction caused by the insects every season.

BETTER DENTISTS

Although American dentists are called the Council of America has just announced a lengthening of the course in dentistry in the United States from four to five years. All the dental schools of America says the announcement are to be brought to a higher standard of excellence, especially in medical-dental subjects. There is to be closer cooperation between the physician and the dentist for the preservation of health.

According to the Dental Educational Council, great changes are taking place in dental education, owing to recent discoveries of the intimate connection between the condition of the teeth and the general health of the individual.

Sound teeth have been found to be of prime importance as regards the preservation of health efficiency, and unsound teeth have been discovered to be the cause of many diseases and disorders that undermine and sap away vitality, sometimes producing fatal results. Accordingly, it is proposed to educate candidates for dental degrees not only in subjects relating to teeth directly, but also with regard to the general physical welfare of the patient.

To accomplish that end, the course will be extended, and schools assuming to grant a degree in dentistry will be required to observe a high standard of excellence in curriculum and in facilities of instruction.

Automobilists inclined to dispute grade crossings with a train would do well to remember that the locomotive has certain prior rights that it is just as well to concede without awaiting for legal arguments, when it comes to the place where the rails cross the highway.

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Society

Miss Sarah Gulley returned yesterday from a visit in Wilmington and Lake Waccamaw.

Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Shamhart and daughters Misses Thelma and Miriam have returned from a visit in Tennessee and Ohio.

Miss Martha Bagley Yelverton of Stantonburg who has been visiting relatives here returned home today. Miss Grace Warren of Wilson who has been visiting relatives returned home yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Johns of Wilson who has been visiting friends here returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, of Norfolk, and Mrs. Frank Wooten, of Kinston, spent yesterday with Mrs. W. H. Horne.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Small and daughter, Miss Eleanor Collins Small, Mr. and Mrs. Lee F. Small and daughter, Miss Evelyn Small of Edenton, N. C. are overnight guests at the Proctor Hotel en route by motor to Asheville.

Mr. Irving S. Williams returned last night from South Carolina where he has been on the tobacco market.

Mr. LaMar Stringfield, of Mars Hill, is visiting Mr. Chas. James.

Miss Margaret Ann Lowe, of W. A. Bowen Millinery Company returned today from a six weeks stay in northern markets.

Misses Gladys Jones, Oxford and Mary Shannon Patterson, of Youngsville, are visiting Misses Nannie and Ethel Bowling.

Mrs. Marie Brunson, of Alabama, is visiting her son, Mr. R. R. Brunson.

MRS. R. R. BRUNSON ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. R. R. Brunson was hostess to the members of her bridge club on Thursday afternoon having as an honor guest Miss Christine Walker, Roxboro, house guest of Miss Helen Chitcher.

Upon arrival the guests were served Coca-Cola and sandwiches. Miss

Hannah Dixon won the highest score prize while Miss Walker was given the guest prize.

After the games an ice course was served.

MISS HELEN CRITCHER ENTERTAINS

Hostess at Bridge Party Complimentary to House Guests.

On Wednesday at the Wayside Tea Room and Gift Shop, Miss Helen Critcher delightfully entertained a number of friends at a bridge party in honor of her guest Miss Christine Walker, of Hickory.

The tea room was attractively decorated with golden glow, nasturtiums and potted plants. Upon arrival the guests were served Coca-Cola and sandwiches and after several progressions the hostess served cream puff de luxe. Mrs. J. P. Rowlett making the top score was presented two Egyptian bracelets while Miss Walker was also given Egyptian bracelets.

MISS ALICE GALLOWAY ENTERTAINS

Hostess at Bridge Party Complimentary to Miss Christine Walker.

Miss Alice Galloway was hostess on Thursday morning at a delightful bridge party complimentary to her house guests Miss Della Bryan and Miss Christine Walker, of Roxboro, house guests of Miss Helen Critcher.

Six tables for the games were arranged in the library and reception hall which were decorated with golden glow, nasturtiums and potted plants carrying out the yellow and green color scheme.

Upon arrival the guests were given a cordial welcome by Miss Galloway and before the first progression Coca-Cola and sandwiches were served.

Miss Frances Moseley making the top score was presented a set of bridge numbers. The guests of honor were remembered with attractive boxes of stationery. After the games a tempting salad course was served.

Among the guests enjoying the hospitality of Miss Galloway was Miss Elizabeth Council, Hickory, guest of Miss Rosamond Flanagan.

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Miss Elizabeth Council of Hickory who has been visiting Miss Rosamond Flanagan returned home yesterday afternoon.

Messrs. Warren Bonner and Joe McCabe, of Trenton, N. J., who have been visiting friends here left this morning for Asheville.

Miss Christine Walker of Roxboro is visiting Miss Helen Critcher.

Mr. George Roscoe of Kinston, is spending a few days with Mr. George Hadley.

Mrs. E. L. Baker is spending the week-end in Windsor.

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Broad Eugenics Program Offered To Endow Future

CHICAGO.—A program for the "practical application of eugenic principles" to the improvement of the people of America, made public by the Eugenics Committee of the United States, suggests segregation of defective types, sterilization, laws encouraging parenthood by those endowed with good hereditary traits, and enactments rationalizing marriage and divorce regulations, as among the legislation.

Inquiry into the eugenic elements in birth control is mentioned as one of the most important research problems. More than 200 activities for eugenic societies and welfare workers are outlined.

The program was arranged by a sub-committee of the American organization headed by Prof. Henry E. Crampton of Columbia University.

Once Luxuriant Crime Today Is Hopeless Waste

ALUSHTA, Crimea.—The Crimea, the beloved health resort of the old days and known as the "Russian Riviera," once filled with beautiful palaces surrounded by flowers, vineyards and magnificent fruit gardens, lies now flowerless and ruined as a result of the civil war and last year's famine.

Many of the owners of these villas, vineyards and fruit gardens belonged to the upper classes and lived in central Russia, coming here for their relaxation. Large numbers fled the country years ago, while others, having thrown in their lot with General Wrangel, became the scapegoats of his acts after his defeat and paid the death penalty during the terror which followed the second occupation of the Crimea by the Bolsheviks.

The Crimea has not escaped the effects of nationalization, confiscation and requisitions, and while nominally the immense vineyards and magnificent gardens have been declared nationalized, as a matter of fact they are nobody's property.

Pilgrims Flock to Lourdes.
LONDON.—About 2,000 pilgrims have left England this summer to visit the Shrine at Lourdes, many of them being carried on stretchers.

Russia Will Hold Agricultural Fair To Help Peasants

MOSCOW.—Russia's most ambitious educational and expositional undertaking since the revolution is scheduled to open the latter part of August at Moscow. It will be an exhibition of agriculture and machinery, with the participation of a number of foreign firms, principally Germany. Some American harvester machinery is also to be shown.

All of the buildings for the exposition have been newly constructed, their erection constituting the largest building operation in Russia since the war. Including live stock barns there are nearly one hundred structures, mostly of wood, though some are of steel and concrete. Each of the various nations making up the United States of Russia will have its separate building. Some of them, particularly the Tukestan building, so far, has been of little help.

a model mosque in stucco, are architecturally beautiful. That of the Far East Republic starts as an Eskimo's igloo, then shifts into futuristic architectural knots, and ends up by looking like a ship, it being symbolic of various types of structures encountered from the Polar regions of Siberia to Vladivostok.

Sweden Faces Need of Helping Farmers

STOCKHOLM.—A crucial problem in Sweden has arisen from the failure of agriculture to keep pace with the general recovery from post-war depression. In the effort to help the farmers to fairer profits on their labor and investments, the Riksdag and government have studied the question of restricting the imports of grain, and efficiency experts, following scientific agricultural research, have suggested ways and means of reducing the cost of production. But all this, particularly the Tukestan building, so far, has been of little help.

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GAS WILL DECIDE WARS OF FUTURE EXPERT SAYS

NEW YORK—Whole armies put to sleep and taken prisoner in gas warfare is by no means an impossibility 25 years hence, Col. Raymond F. Bacon, chief of the Technical Division of the Chemical Warfare Service, A. E. F., says in a description of the possibilities of the future art of war made public by the American Chemical Society.

The \$2,000,000 spent on the research organization did more toward winning the war, Col. Bacon asserts, than any other \$200,000,000 spent in other ways. One of the greatest lessons of the war has so far gone almost unheeded, according to Col. Bacon, who continues:

"To say the use of gas in warfare must be abolished is almost the same as saying that no progress must be made in the art of warfare toward making it more efficient or more humane. If one reads of the great battles of history, one will find that this victorious general conquered his enemy usually because of the fact that he so chose his position as to have his flank protected by river, mountain range, or some naturally strong barrier."

Men of Riper Years Make Good Students

MONTEAGLE—In the heart of the Tennessee mountains there is a school—the Du Bose Memorial School where the students argue over the Pauline psychology while they sew buttons on their overalls; where a man chants Latin verbs to the swish of his broom, and the engineer at the sawmill talks classic Greek with his fellow workers.

Out in the truck garden cabbages are cultivated amid dismissals of second century heresies, and fundamentalism versus modernism is threshed out over the milking of the cows. In one day these students buried the baby of a broken-hearted mother, having first made the coffin, wrote Greek exercises, mended a wagon, and wound up by playing a winning game of baseball.

U. S. Marines In Hatiti Make Daring Rescue

PORT-AU-PRINCE—The initiative and courage of two privates of the Marine Corps saved the lives recently of 14 Hawaiian prisoners who were trapped in a blazing prison in the village of Croix des Bouquets.

Official commendation of the two men in question, Melvin J. B. Griggs of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Russell M. Anderson of Ellaville, Mississippi, was forwarded to the Navy Department by Brig. Gen. John H. Russell, the American High Commissioner to Haiti, and by their brigade commander, Col. Theodore P. Kane.

Movies Eventually

Need No Censorship

CHICAGO.—Another ten years will see the passing of the movie censor, declares Mrs. A. L. Adams, chairman of the Chicago board of motion picture censorship, who says the present day picture director and the present day star need little supervision in their art.

"It will not be long until such supervision is entirely superfluous," Mrs. Adams asserts. "Directors do not want to offend the public and they have learned that the public wants clean pictures. Censors, however, can make few hard and fast rules. They have to judge each picture individually."

"Censorship, like the movies themselves, is undergoing an evolution. But it cannot be abolished for some time yet because people sometimes read into a picture what is not there."

Unique Coin Sold for \$1,100.

LONDON.—One of the most valuable of English coins was sold at auction recently for \$1,100.

The specimen was one of the 15 "Petition" crowns, or five shilling pieces, issued in the reign of Charles II. At that time a Dutchman was appointed engraver for new coinage, much to the dismay of Thomas Simon, coin designer of the day. He therefor made an effort to regain his appointment by producing his "Petition" around which he engraved an appeal to the King asking him to compare his work with that of the Dutchman.

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Bulgaria Adopts New Greeting.

SOFIA.—"Be of good health" is the greeting adopted by the athletic organizations of Bulgaria. The idea is that with health of body comes health of mind, and that sane and normal state of soul which constitutes spiritual health. The public in general is adopting the greeting of the athletes.

Strange Sea-Monster Captured.

LONDON.—A sea monster 30 feet long and weighing ten tons has been captured by fishermen off Cahireveen, County Kerry, says the Daily Chronicle. The monster has several fins and a large tail and was only captured after a six-hours struggle, during which several of the boats were upset and all the nets badly damaged.

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