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COAL MINERS ARE URGED TO RESUME OPERATION EARLY

International Officials Preparing Appeal to be Sent to 4000 Miners.

PREVIOUS INSTRUCTIONS HAVE BEEN SENT TO MEN

Government Continues to probe Into Alleged Violation of Lever Act.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 12.—Members of the United Mine Workers of America are urged to return to work with the least possible delay in order that the public needs for coal may be promptly met in a circular prepared by the International officials of the organization this afternoon and which will be sent to the 4,000 local unions as soon as it can be printed.

The circular was issued to supplement instructions sent out last night by wire and contains an explanation of the action of the general committee in voting to accept the President's proposal for settlement of the strike.

Acting on the directions contained in the telegrams of last night, many miners reported for work today and indications were that practically all mines which have been idle since the walkout on October 31, will resume operations today. Reports from several mines told of hoisting of coal as early as noon today and operators here stated that coal will be moving by noon Monday.

Attorney General Palmer, who came to Indianapolis following his conference with miners' union heads in Washington Saturday night, left today for French Lick Springs, Ind., and tomorrow will leave there for Washington.

It was stated today that the government intended to proceed with the grand jury investigation of charges of violation of the Lever Act and anti-trust laws through conspiracy to limit the production of coal. These charges involve both miners and operators. On the other hand, it was indicated that charges of contempt made against 84 officials of the mine workers for alleged violation of the Federal court injunction against the strike, probably would be dropped.

Acting President John L. Lewis, of the United Mine Workers, left for Washington this evening to attend a conference of National and International union heads called by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. Prior to his departure, he received a message from President Wilson commending the miners' officials for their action yesterday and replied in a telegram which carried assurance of further co-operation of the miners in efforts to reach a settlement, satisfactory to all sides.

GARFIELD'S RESIGNATION IS ACCEPTED BY WILSON

Washington, Dec. 12.—The resignation of Fuel Administrator Garfield tendered last night was forwarded to President Wilson this morning by Tamm. "Of course it will be accepted," it was said at the White House. The functions of the fuel administrator handed recently through the railroad administration under Garfield's authority will be continued under Director General Hines. This does not mean that Hines will be made fuel administrator in Garfield's place, it was stated.

ALABAMA FLOOD CONTINUES TO DO ALARMING DAMAGES

Atlanta, Dec. 12.—Unprecedented floods in Alabama, Mississippi and Georgia were receding last night and today, but the rivers are not greatly affected during the first three or four days are out of their banks and causing heavy property loss. This is particularly true around Montgomery where the swollen Alabama river almost paralyzed the city's industries but did no great damage to the city itself. The railroads are still handicapped on some lines, and have closed out on account of the washout and high water. The loss of life is comparatively small.

LENGTHY TERM OF COURT IS BROUGHT TO FINAL CLOSING

Two Weeks' Session of County Court Concluded Yesterday Before Noon.

OVER 45 CASES WERE DIRECTLY DISPOSED OF

Court Officials Are to be Commended Upon Splendid Progress of Session.

The regular December term of Pitt county court, which has been in regular session in this city for the past two weeks, was brought to final conclusion yesterday shortly before the noon adjournment hour with a record of having virtually disposed of its entire calendar during the session and with only a few unimportant matters left for final consideration. It is estimated that practically 45 cases received direct disposition during the term, including many important liquor charges which have been pending for hearing, or for final consideration, for the several past weeks.

County court officials should be highly commended for their splendid work during the past session, for it was principally through the diligence of the solicitor and Judge F. M. Wooten that the court was enabled to practically clear its calendar for the first time in something over a year. Many of the actions which came up for hearing were long drawn out and of more than ordinary interest to the people in this section of the state, and although much time was consumed in several of these, the regular routine was continued rapidly and without the usual interruptions occurring to bring about a retardation of progress.

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SAYS CAPITAL HAS ABOUT DESTROYED FLAG OF GERMANY

Newspapers of Berlin Comes Out in Bitter Comment Upon Local Conditions.

Berlin, Dec. 12.—"German capital has deserted the flag, says the Vorwaerts in a bitter comment on the decline in value of the German mark.

Numberless cases are occurring in which the German sellers do not allow payment of their wares in Germany but establish accounts abroad which are exempt from taxation, declares the paper. To the damage of the German rate of exchange, continues Vorwaerts the German beggar sells his rags in the world market at what prices he can get and ignores the opportunities to get foreign moneys into Germany and thereby raise the mark.

Capitalists who find tax evasion profitable refer to the German economic crisis with a shrug of the shoulders and lay the blame to the government and financial politics.

The Vorwaerts states that German leather especially has been sold abroad at prices less than in Germany and with no other object than to transfer the producer's fortune to a place where it will not be taxed.

"For their own sakes several thousand and illegal traders and capitalists are robbing their country and committing a theft of food by driving prices upward," the paper charges.

"Through pressure on the rate of exchange German war bonds can be bought in Switzerland for ten marks and the loan is bought up in quantities by those who realize that Germany must ultimately be given help and that the mark will rise.

The newspaper declares that some means must be found for preventing the exportation of goods to foreign countries.

Some women are good looking until they find it out.

FIFTEEN GALLONS OF FIGHTING RUM BRINGS OUT FIGHT

Hardy Lee Gray Shot Several Times Last Night in Defending His Rum.

TWO OTHER GRAYS ARE CHARGED WITH SHOOTING

Gun Broken Over Hardy Lee's Head, but He Still Clung to His Monkey Dope.

Becoming involved in an altercation over the rightful possession of fifteen gallons of monkey rum, Bennett and Chester Gray, two colored men of this county, last night started a young war in the immediate vicinity of Perkins Town, in the western section of this county, which resulted in the shooting of Hardy Lee Gray, another rum follower of the dusky race, who held the rum in his possession and determinedly resisted all efforts of the two assailants of depriving him of the precious acquisition. Hardy Lee Gray shot one time with a shotgun, and several times with a pistol, some of the shots taking effect in his head without serious injury, and was not put out of the contest until the gun was used as a battering ram and completely broken over his head. Both assailants escaped in an automobile, and up to the present time city authorities have been unable to bring about their apprehension.

It could not be learned definitely as to the full particulars concerning the fight, but from all information obtainable the fifteen gallons of rum first produced the state of provocation precipitating the fight, with Bennett Gray beginning the rebellion by demanding the whiskey and not receiving any favorable response from the holder.

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TEN GALLONS RUM AND COLORED MAN TAKEN LAST NIGHT

Sheriff Gets "Blind Tiger" in Successful Raiding in Farmville.

There is every indication in evidence justifying the belief that Sheriff Dudley and deputies have direct connection with activities of both distillers and "blind tigers" in this section of the county, for raids in different parts of the county generally terminate with success, as the one last night in Farmville in which ten gallons of monkey rum were captured while in the possession of one Tom McKinney, colored, who was placed under arrest and brought to jail in this city to await preliminary hearing. The raid was made at a time when the darkey was doing splendid business and who would undoubtedly have done remarkably more between the time of his capture and the expiration of the holiday season.

The officers left this city late yesterday evening for the Barber's Landing section where several stills were supposed to have been in operation, but distillers of the region evidently became frightened sometime in advance of the raid and disappeared with their stills to other localities where greater safety would be enjoyed. However, eight barrels of molasses were located on the Taft land two miles below Barber's Landing where three stills had recently been in operation. Several empty barrels were found in the vicinity showing that the rum manufacturer enjoyed splendid business for several months, but were forced to leave through fear of apprehension.

It is believed that many more operations will be brought into custody of the law during the holiday season because preparations for Christmas sale of the section's favorite beverage in doubt will be on an extensive scale, regardless of the vigilant eye of the law.

SAYS COTTON FOR NEXT 10 YEARS IS BEING THREATENED

British Delegate to World Conference Present View of Situation.

THINKS WORLD SUPPLY IS RAPIDLY DWINDLING

Indications that Scarcity Will Increase as Capacity Returns to Normal.

Blackpool, Eng., Dec. 12.—Professor John A. Todd, one of the British delegates to the World Cotton Conference at New Orleans, in October last, told the Textile Institute the other day that in the next ten years was seriously threatened. He saw indications that the scarcity of cotton would increase as the world capacity to consume it returned to normal.

Professor Todd said the first step to be taken should be to assure the grower of a reasonable price to cover the cost of production and to reward him adequately for growing improved cotton. He pointed out that the present system of marketing did not encourage the production of better cotton and insisted that the British government might well do a great deal more than this to extend the cotton industry. He pleaded for rigorous economy in consumption. The American cotton crop, said the Professor, was the limiting factor in the world's supply. This crop had developed an extreme undesirable sea-saw movement of acreage, crops and prices. There had been five bad crops in succession with high prices accentuated by world inflation.

Before the war, said the speaker, a large part of the American growers were on a small margin of profit and when prices did not pay they reduced their acreage. This occurred during the war and the acreage then lost had not since been recovered. American acreage was reduced in 1919 and, owing to bad weather, this year's was "a disastrous failure and a calamity."

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RUSSIA IS UNABLE TO END QUESTIONS OF SIBERIAN LAND

Settlement of All-Important Question Appears to be Further Away.

Omsk, Dec. 12.—The all-Russian government has not yet been able to settle the all-important question of the distribution of farming land of Siberia. An effort has been made temporarily to provide the peasants with land or at least to enable them to cultivate it until the proposed national constituent assembly can finally dispose of this vexed and complex problem. The steps thus far taken by the all-Russian government in this direction have been intended only to meet the exigencies of the present situation.

The farmers or peasants in 1917 took possession of land belonging to the state, to the church or clergy. The government has now given them assurance that their rights to their crops, from land thus illegally appropriated, will be recognized pending final decision as to who really owns the land.

The all-Russian government has announced also that its soldiers will have the right during a ten year period to locate on public domain hitherto reserved to immigrants.

The government proposed also to distribute among peasants private properties and land owned by the government. The purpose of these steps is to encourage the peasants to continue to cultivate even the illegally acquired land. To protect the interests of soldiers drawn from the peasantry, their families will be permitted to settle on public land without waiting for the soldier to return to his family.

SCHOOL CHILDREN OF CITY SCHOOLS PRESENT PAGEANT

Children of Evans Street School Gave Splendid Entertainment Yesterday.

TWELVE NATIONS WERE REPRESENTED IN PLAY

Costumes and Songs in Complete Harmony Numerous Other Features.

That the teachers and the supervisor of recreation of the Greenville graded schools are doing something for the education of the children, on side the text books, was plainly shown at the Evans Street, Graded School yesterday afternoon when the pupils of the higher grades presented a pageant on the Twelve Nations. For several weeks Mrs. Ranson, in her story telling, has been telling the pupils about the nations, showing and teaching them their costumes, customs and songs. The individual teachers have trained them in the songs and customs, and on yesterday the little ones put their teachings into effect, with a most wonderful success. The pageant although an educational affair required only a short time in getting it up, one half of a school day being lost on account of it.

The costumes were beautiful, and the mothers, of the children, deserve a great deal of credit for the way they rallied to the cause and made the costumes so well. All the children played their parts splendidly, and without an error, but little Miss Marie Williams, as the Goddess of Liberty, deserves special mention, as she had so much to do, and did it so well. She knickered part and played it in a most splendid manner for a little girl of her age.

The marches, songs and in fact the whole of the pageant was beautifully rendered. Every flag was used and the national airs of the nations were sung. It was one of the best plays ever presented by the pupils of the schools.

Red Men meet tonight.

WILSON MAN WILL SPEAK HERE SOON ON COTTON ISSUES

L. S. Tomlinson to Speak Here Saturday Afternoon to County Farmers.

Mr. L. S. Tomlinson, of Wilson, will speak on the vacant lot in front of J. R. & J. G. Moye's store Saturday afternoon in Greenville, at 2:30 o'clock, on cotton and the farmer's means of prosperity.

Mr. Tomlinson comes under the auspices of the American Cotton Association. He is a resident of Wilson, North Carolina, and he is one of the best informed men in the South on the subject he is to speak about. Every farmer and business man should hear him at Farmville, Friday night at 7:30 and Ayden Saturday morning at 10:30 and in Greenville, Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

The south is the only section in the world that can grow cotton on a commercial basis and the profit depends entirely upon how the farmer handles it. Mr. Tomlinson will tell you how you can make as much money out of cotton as you are today making out of tobacco. Tobacco can be grown anywhere and cotton can only be grown in the south.

INCREASED PRODUCTION OF COAL IS PREDICTED TODAY

Chicago, Dec. 12.—A general increase in the production of bituminous coal was indicated today by reports from nearly all coal fields. In a few sections, however, some of the miners are in rebellion against the Williams' proposal.

GARFIELD RESIGNS FROM POSITION ON THE FUEL BUREAU

Administrator Differs on Principles of Coal Strike Settlement Basis.

SAYS BURDEN TO FALL ON PUBLIC EVENTUALLY

President Wilson May Refuse to Accept Resignation of Fuel Administrator.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Fuel Administrator Garfield's resignation was tonight in the hands of President Wilson, given because he disagrees on principle with the coal strike settlement proposal arranged by the government and the mine workers' union.

Dr. Garfield himself refused tonight to confirm, deny or discuss the report, but at the White House it was said that a personal letter from him had been transmitted to the President late this afternoon. Men close to the Fuel Administrator understand that he believes that the work of the commission authorized under the settlement to be made up of one coal mine operator, a coal miner and a third person named to represent the public, will result in an increase in the price of coal to the consuming public. Against this form of a settlement, Dr. Garfield has been unalterably opposed. It has been learned on good authority that he took no part in the negotiation with the mine workers' union chiefs during the last week, and that, though informed and consulted after their initiation, the terms laid out as finally accepted contravened his conception of the main principle involved.

It was recalled in connection with the resignation that in suggesting a 14 per cent increase as fair for the miners and possible to be paid from present profits of mine owners, Dr. Garfield suggested a commission representative of the industry to review the findings, but expressed the conviction that such a body should not have power to fix prices. His belief is said to be that with this power granted a combination of the employer and employe in the industry to muzzle the public by price raises is certain to result.

Whether the President will accept the resignation is not known. Members of the Cabinet, however, are known to be supporting the settlement program as put through by Attorney General Palmer. President Wilson today sent a telegram of congratulation to Acting President John L. Lewis, of the mine workers at the action taken at Indianapolis.

Coal mine operators authorized to represent practically the entire industry were still in Washington, tonight awaiting an official notification of the settlement basis. There was considerable doubt individually and difference of opinion, but no meetings were held to formulate definite decisions of policy, and none would be, it was said, until the government call came. All were interested in hearing from home as to the action of the miners' locals upon the union order calling off the strike, but received little information.

DRASTIC COAL MEASURES ARE BEING CONSIDERED

Washington, Dec. 12.—The general fuel situation and restrictions on the use of coal was considered today by the central coal committee to determine whether more drastic measures to conserve coal would be necessary. The consumption has been so much greater than production that officials here are alarmed at the rapid depletion of reserve stocks. No substantial increase in amount mined is expected before Monday. Officials said that a return to maximum production is imperative if disaster is not to result.

GERMANY'S REPLY IS SENT TO THE SUPREME COURT

Berlin, Dec. 12.—Germany's reply to last notes from the supreme court have been sent to Versailles, which has been given out in relation to its contents aside from a few lines. Its general tenor indicates that Germany is not prepared to accept the terms of the Versailles treaty.

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LA FOLLETTE TAKES UP TWO LONG DAYS ON RAILROAD BILL

Senate Listens To Two Attacks on Railroad Bill Longer Than Usual.

Washington, Dec. 11.—Attacking the Cummins Railroad bill as a measure especially designed to help the roads with their return to private operation, Senator LaFollette, Republican, of Wisconsin, declared in the Senate today that its enactment would "constitute the greatest stain on legislation in the history of the American nation."

Contending that government ownership was the ultimate solution of the railroad problem, the Wisconsin Senator declared the plan had not been given a fair test, because there had been an organized press and railroad attempt to discredit it. In framing the bill to meet conditions arising with the end of war time Federal control, Senator LaFollette said that the Senate inter-state commerce committee had not given a full hearing to the army of railway employes, vitally concerned in the future policy of dealing with the great transportation systems.

When the Senate recessed tonight Senator LaFollette had not concluded his address after speaking two days hand running and he will resume tomorrow. There was no indication as to how much more time he might require and leaders say they now had no idea when the bill might be passed.

Senator LaFollette held the floor continuously through the session and after he had been talking two hours Senator King, Democrat, Utah, went to his rescue with a demand for a quorum which gave him a twenty minutes' breathing spell. For some time the Senate sat idle and twirled its thumbs while efforts were being made to round up a quorum, finally obtained by breaking up a committee meeting.

While Senator LaFollette was assailing the Cummins bill Robert S. Lovett, president of the Union Pacific system, in a statement sent to members of Congress, declared the measure "had the merit at least of recognizing the facts of the railroad situation and the courage of grappling with them in an honest attempt to solve the problem."

Judge Lovett described what he considered as the good and bad features of the Cummins and the Esch bills, declaring that the "most amazing" provision of the Esch measure as amended by the House dealt with labor.

"It effectually perpetuates every wage

increase and every working rule or regulation made by the Railroad Administration during the stress of the world war and abnormal conditions resulting therefrom," he said. Mr. Lovett objected to the section of the Cummins bill declaring 5 1/2 per cent of the value of railroad property as determined by the inter-state Commerce Commission as a "reasonable return" and confiscating all in excess of six per cent upon such value.

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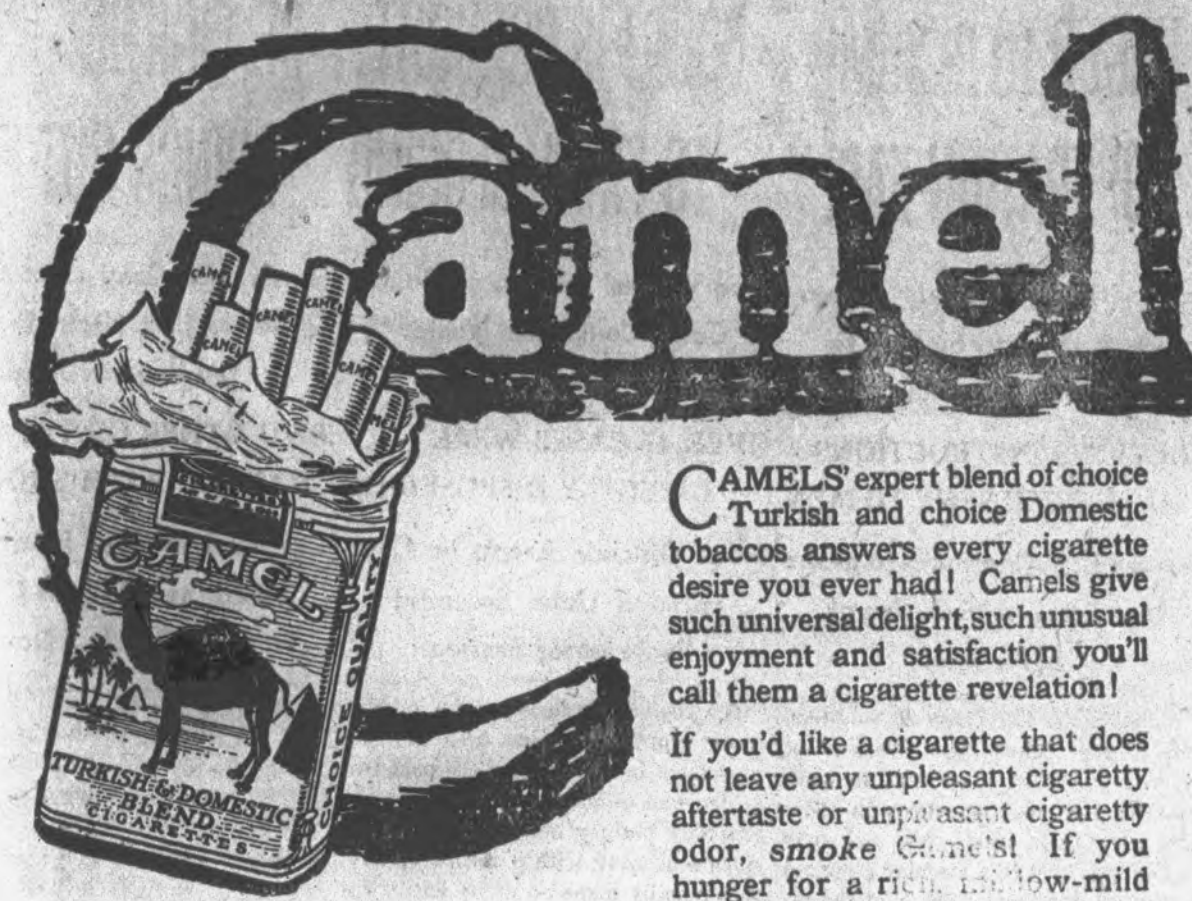
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ENDING OF STRIKE WILL NOT CHANGE FUEL RESTRICTION

Early Relaxation of Regulations Not Expected Soon, Garfield Says.

Washington, Dec. 11.—Expressions by government officials of satisfaction and relief at the settlement of the nation-wide strike of bituminous coal miners were coupled tonight with warnings to the American people that early relaxation to the drastic restrictions on the consumption of coal must not be expected.

Fuel Administrator Garfield immediately on receipt of word that the miners in Indianapolis had agreed to accept the President's proposal, declared that immediate removal of regulations on soft coal consumption was not to be considered.

Director General Hines in a formal statement asserted that dislocation created by the strike could not be remedied instantly. The public, Mr. Hines said, will be expected to continue conserving fuel until normal conditions are restored, but just as soon as practicable restrictions will be rescinded or modified.

"As a preliminary to bringing back normal conditions," said the Director General, "coal mined will be allowed to run as billed, except the tidewater and export embargo will continue; orders placed for coal to Western regions, Pocahontas and Alleghany regions will be cancelled, but coal billed on these orders prior to cancellation will be permitted to go and be expedited so that these cars can be promptly released for mines." The Railroad Administration, Director General Hines announced, would aid in meeting the needs of other consumers by reducing its supply to a ten-days margin. The administration has been maintaining a fifteen-day supply.

It was intimated that the President already had practically decided on the appointments to the commission and was awaiting only the returns of Attorney General Palmer from Indianapolis before announcing the names of the three members.

The dislocation which the strike has created in the production, transportation and distribution of coal cannot be

instantly remedied," said Director General Hines in his statement, "and pending readjustment it is highly important for the public to continue to exercise great caution in the consumption of coal, and it is hoped there will be a due appreciation of the difficulties which cannot be immediately overcome. During the strike the weekly production of coal was cut from 11,000,000 tons to about 5,000,000 tons and this much reduced tonnage was mostly mined in Pennsylvania and West Virginia. Widely distant portions of the country which were ordinarily dependent upon other coal fields had to be supplied from these and other unusual sources of supply. The result has been that the railroad administration has been compelled to transport coal over the most unusual routes and for distances far in excess of those for which the equipment is designed. A period of time will be required for the complete relocation of this equipment and meanwhile it is not to be anticipated that all mines can be supplied with cars to the full normal extent.

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Nos. 75 and 76 between Washington and Parmele.

Nos. 78 and 79 between Rocky Mount and Spring Hope.

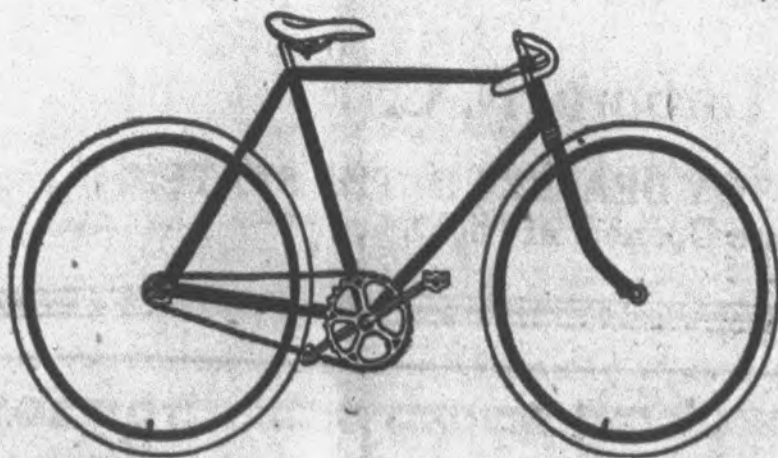
Nos. 72 and 73 between Weldon and Kinston.

Nos. 56 and 57 between Tarbor and Plymouth.

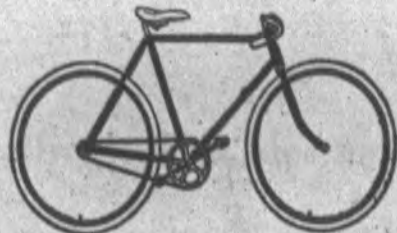
Nos. 41 and 42 between Rocky Mount and Norfolk.

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FRIDAY, DEC. 12TH, 1919.

Don't forget the Red Cross seals while doing your Christmas shopping.

The price of eggs is certainly keeping pace with the high cost of living.

And even "bears" wag their massive heads at the high price of cotton.

The continued sugar shortage causes many housewives to lose their usual sweet composure.

Below zero is the news that comes from out west. May it continue to stay much above here.

Chicago, June 8 is the place and date selected for the Republican national convention next year.

Villa is probably one of the most active dead men we have ever heard of Carranza no doubt thinks the same.

The high price of eggs causes us to wonder there is a way of making the ordinary hen increase her daily production.

Since the miners have gone back to shoveling coal the lifting of the embargo on business may be expected soon.

If sister and pa had decided between that \$75 scarf and \$45 suit of clothes, pa certainly would play a losing game.

Senator Lodge's attitude towards the Mexican situation has caused even some of his admirers to view him with uncertainty.

King Cole would have lost some of his merchandize if he had only existed during these days of high prices and curtailed production.

They say many of those old Hickory politicians bent over in wonder at the eloquence of their native statesman, Josephus Daniels.

If the price of women's wearing apparel continues to advance in price, it might be advisable to shorten their dresses another inch or so.

Germany appears more reluctant than ever in accepting the treaty. Probably its attitude may change when the supreme council becomes provoked.

Those fellows who have wagged their heads scornfully at the efforts of prohibition leaders probably now feel like springing in the grave with the disgruntled John Barleycorn.

There is every indication now that practically the entire country will be relieved of the serious coal shortage by Christmas. This will become more evident as soon as miners begin operations.

Pitt county farmers haven't yet claimed any record for production of large potatoes, but the encouragement which "later" planting is receiving is suggestive of competitive spirit pretty soon.

German mission experts, so it is said, have decided to go to Paris and impress the supreme council with the utter impossibility of the complying with certain demands of the last note. They may do it, but it looks as if the council might get tired after awhile.

Relief committees which have been operating in Siberia during the several past months report that the country is rapidly recovering from the effects of the past war. The information is pleasing indeed for assistance may now be extended to other regions where suffering is more acute and people are enduring actual hardships. The work of the Red Cross in such instances has been of a very commendable nature, and deserves the praise of people in every section of the world.

Probably Garfield's decision that the prevailing coal restrictions will not be modified for the next several days has created much unfavorable comment in many sections of the country, but it is to be presumed that people who criticize the action have not given the matter just consideration before passing judgment. The situation is very grave even though the miners have returned to work and several days will be required before production can be increased so that every section can be

furnished with enough coal to justify the removal of the drastic order. The situation must be accepted with patience, especially by merchants desiring to resume regular opening and closing hours, for with co-operation from this source the administration will be given invaluable assistance in its endeavor to establish normal conditions as early as possible.

Is it possible that the present session of congress is going to be interrupted and delayed by Republican senators to such an extent that eventually the session will come to an end with success and accomplishments similar to those of the recent special session. It is to be hoped this will not prove the case, but, however, the way Senator LaFollette has started out in opposition to the Cummin's railroad bill suggests the probability of much valuable time being wasted by unnecessary oratory as that of the past two days. Imagine one man consuming two days of the senate's time discussing this

single issue, contending that government ownership of the railroads is advisable, and that the reason the fact is not realized is simply because it has not been given a fair trial. It should be apparent to Mr. LaFollette, as it has been to others, that the government has enough to consider without the railroads, and that he is only wasting valuable time in discussing something of little interest to the people whom he desires to favorably impress.

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PREMIERS BEGIN CONFERENCE OF GRAVE WAR PROBLEMS TODAY

London, Dec. 12.—Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau resumed conferences on war problems today. Earl Curzon, secretary of state for foreign affairs, Sir Maurice Hankey, secretary of war, members of the cabinet and French ambassador were present.

Lots of pugilists blow so hard before the fight that the yare unable to get in a blow during the progress of the disturbance.

NOTICE.

By virtue of authority vested in me by that certain order made by J. F. Harrington, clerk of the Superior court of Pitt county, N. C., in the Special Proceeding No. 2295 and entitled Annie R. Harrington, Administratrix of C. D. Harrington vs. Chas. R. Harrington and Blanche E. Harrington, minors and D. N. Nobles guardian ad litem, I shall offer for sale at the court house door in Greenville, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, on Tuesday, the 6th day of January, 1920, at 12 o'clock M., the following lots of land:

Situated and being in the Town of Stokes, Pitt county, N. C., and known as lots Nos. 6 and 7 in block "A" as shown on the plat of the property formerly owned by the Roberson heirs and known as the J. L. Perkins property as surveyed and platted by J. C. Fields, which said plat or map is recorded in map book 1 at page 27, Pitt county registry.

This sale will be made for the purpose of making assets with which to pay the debts of said C. D. Harrington, deceased.

This December 6th, 1919.
F. C. HARDING,
Commissioner.

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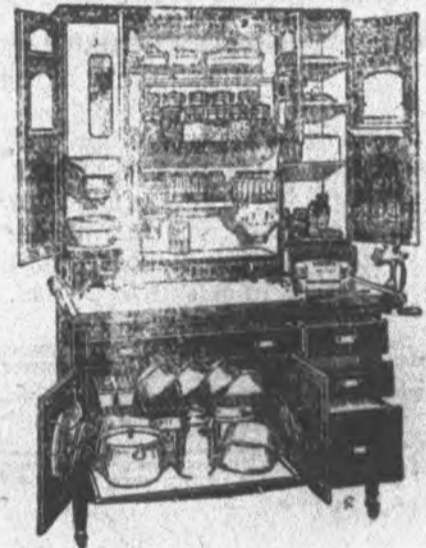
Our mammoth store is just literally bursting with Christmas Goods. Our buyers have visited all the big markets of the country and purchased heavier than ever to meet the big demand that has now started. Make your plans today to visit Tarboro and our Big Toy Land. Our stock is more complete than ever and you will be glad on Christmas morning when you see little brothers and sisters eyes sparkle with joy that you came.

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1st 2nd Monday; 1st Tuesday; 3rd Wednesday

A large number of farmers from a distance are selling with us each day who have not sold at Greenville this season. They are astonished and pleased at the high prices prevailing at the STARY. Market closes after sale of Wednesday, 17th and re-opens January 6th.

PERSONAL

Miss Ward Moore has returned from a visit in Washington City.

Mr. Joe McGowan has returned from a trip to Richmond.

Mr. E. L. Hicks, of Conetoe, is spending the day in Greenville today.

Mrs. J. T. Ward is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. R. B. Simpson, of Wilson, was here for a short time Thursday.

Mr. E. L. Stephens, of Washington, visited in Greenville this morning.

Mr. J. R. Porter, of Henderson, spent several hours in Greenville yesterday.

Mr. C. A. Purcell, of Winston-Salem, spent a short time here this morning.

Messrs. F. E. Lassiter, E. L. Brackhart and H. Clark, of Kinston, spent several hours here today.

Mr. A. J. Rock, of Washington, spent some little time in Greenville during Thursday.

Mr. A. P. Gilbert, of Durham, was in the city yesterday afternoon, on business.

Messrs. C. V. Cannon, B. S. Sumrell and J. R. Turnage, of Ayden were in this city this morning.

Mr. F. B. Hodgson, of Charlotte, is among the business men in the city today.

Mr. A. H. Miller, of Belhaven, made a short business visit to Greenville Thursday afternoon.

Mr. W. J. Haddock, of Kinston, was among the business men here Thursday afternoon.

Mr. E. R. Walker, of Wilson, was numbered among the visitors in the city yesterday morning.

Mr. W. J. Pippin, of Washington, made a short business trip to Greenville during yesterday.

Mr. B. R. King, of Goldsboro, was in the city yesterday afternoon, on business.

Mr. C. M. Walker, of Fayetteville, spent the day in Greenville yesterday.

Chicken salad, oysters, ice cream will be sold at the Christian church bazaar, Dec. 17th.

For fancy articles for Xmas presents attend the bazaar which will be held by the ladies of the Christian church in the basement of the church Wednesday, Dec. 17th.

EXHIBITION TO BE HELD AT TRAINING SCHOOL SATURDAY

At the Training School on Saturday afternoon from 3:30 to 5 o'clock, there will be an exhibit of sewing and basketry. This will be held in the administration building, in room one, which is on the main corridor.

The public is invited to come and inspect the work that has been done by the students.

MR. JAMES A. SUTTON FALLS INTO FIRE AND BURNS TO DEATH

Mr. James Allen Sutton, one of the oldest citizens of this county, fell into the fire at his home yesterday afternoon and was burned to death, before aid could reach him. Mr. Sutton had been out in the cold and went to the fire to warm, when he was suddenly stricken with a stroke of apoplexy and fell into the fire. He is well known in this county where he has always resided, and was a son of the late Mr. James Sutton. He is survived by several children.

FORMER NEWSPAPER MEN HERE

We were glad to see two of the "old timers" newspaper men, Messrs C. J. Rivenbark, of Goldsboro and C. L. Stevens, of Southport, visiting here yesterday and today. Mr. Rivenbark is now selling flour and Mr. Stevens is connected with the war risk insurance bureau of the war department. Both were prominent in North Carolina newspaper circles years ago.

ATTEND THE BAZAAR.

Where? Basement of Christian church. When? Wednesday, Dec. 17th. By whom? Ladies of the Christian church.

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DEEDS OF TRANSFER FILED SINCE REPORTS YESTERDAY

The following deeds of transfer have been filed in the office of the register of deeds for registration since the reports of yesterday afternoon:

J. W. Perkins to J. T. Corey, consideration \$20,000.

R. O. Jeffress to S. T. Hooker, consideration \$4500.

G. W. Jefferson to J. A. Miller, consideration \$750.

Richard Dunn and wife to James H. Norris, consideration \$1000.

Lina S. Baker to J. R. Tucker, consideration \$5250.

LENGTHY TERM OF COURT IS BROUGHT TO FINAL CLOSING

Judge Wooten, it might be said, displayed more than ordinary discrimination in dealing with some of the issues coming before his attention, especially in the whiskey cases which were meted out judgment commensurate with the extent of the crime, and in many instances solely with the intention of holding the traffic within something more than ordinary bounds.

There were only two cases heard in the concluding session yesterday morning, both being of minor importance and therefore requiring only slight time in bringing about their completion. They were: N. W. Clark, assault with deadly weapon. The defendant pleaded guilty, and was released upon payment of costs. Fred Pugh, colored, assault with deadly weapon. The defendant pleaded not guilty, but was adjudged guilty by the court and fined \$50 and costs.

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FIFTEEN GALLONS OF FIGHTING RUM BRING OUT FIGHT

(Continued from page one.)

Persistent in his demands until he could stand it no longer, Bennett brought the shotgun into play, which evidently did not have but one shell in it, and fired this at his intended victim intending to gain the rum by fair means or any way possible. He proved to be either a bad shot or Hardy Lee's head proved to be constructed of more impregnable material than had been expected, for the shots merely penetrated the scalp with the determined darkey clinging to the monkey rum jug possible more determined than ever. The pistol was then used, but without marked results.

Pandemonium ensued when the shots failed to bring about desired results, and in the scuffle following, one of the attacking party carefully placed several successive blows of the gun stock over the head of the defense, who still clung to his precious burden. The gun was smashed and bent unmercifully, but still Harvey defended the liquor and was still holding it in his possession when the timely arrival of people of the neighborhood routed the fighters with the opposing element jumping in to their car and leaving the territory, without the rum and leaving the conquering hero and jug to themselves, although badly battered and used up in the encounter.

It is expected that the police will be able to round up the belligerent Grays during the week, for evidence already in their hands no doubt will bring the men to account, and exonerate the disgruntled holder of the monkey rum, as this will be possible.

SCHOOL CHILDREN OF CITY SCHOOLS PRESENT PAGEANT

(Continued from page one.)

The result was that prices had been forced up to a very high level.

Europe and Asia are without stocks of cotton goods, said the Professor. The amount of cotton which the world's mills could spin and weave is now restricted by destruction of machinery in the devastated regions of Europe and restriction of the hours of labor but these conditions would not be permanent.

One thing which alarmed him was the enormous development of the use of motor cars in America with a consequent demand for 500,000 bales of staple cotton for fabrics in fires. This demand existed at a time when the whole world supply of staple cotton, he said, had been reduced to 1,500,000 bales.

SHENANDOAH CIDER COMPANY EXPERIENCES HEAVY LOSS

Winchester, Va., Dec. 12.—The entire plant of the Shenandoah valley apple cider and vinegar company was destroyed by fire today. The loss will amount to \$300,000, and is half covered by insurance.

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THE DEPENDABLE STORE

Your "Christmas Store" Is Ready With Gifts that Will Please "Her." Good Gloves and Hosiery the Favored Twins of the Gift Family.

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Silk Hosiery of many well known brands in all the wanted new shades and weaves 65 to \$6.00. Velvet and the new Beaded Bags of fine colored beads in quaint and elaborate patterns.

Linen Handkerchiefs are among the most practical gifts in the whole range of Holiday. See our immense showing of women's and children's Handkerchiefs.

Furs—for many seasons, a gift of Furs has a way of going straight to the feminine heart. All prices on furs are not prohibitive. You will find here some soft, fine and becoming lovely and very reasonable furs.

Ivory Pyrolin for Milady's Dressing Table, separate pieces or full sets nicely arranged in fine gilt boxes.

Sterling Silver Bar Pins and Cluster Rings moderately priced.

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FISH, FROG, TOAD SHOWERS

Infrequency of Such Events More to Be Wondered At Than Fact That They Occur.

Probably the most remarkable thing about the many reported showers of such objects as fish, frogs, toads and the like is the skepticism with which the accounts of these occurrences are greeted. The wonder is, observes a writer, not that they occur, but that they are so infrequent. Everybody has seen the wind carry away, to be deposited in parts unknown, such light objects as leaves and scraps of paper. Everybody has also heard, at least, of the astonishing feats performed by tornadoes and hurricanes in transporting much heavier articles.

For example, at Beauregard, Miss., April 22, 1883, the solid iron screw of a cotton press, weighing 675 pounds, was carried 900 feet. On another occasion a hencoop weighing 75 pounds was transported four miles. In a tornado at Mount Carmel, Ill., a piece of tin roof was carried 15 miles and a church spire 17 miles. What goes up must come down. We know, from the facts first cited, that the fall of so light and common an object as a frog, for example, must happen rather frequently in any part of the world subject to high winds.

Ashanti Cocoa Growing.

Cocoa growing is rapidly becoming a prominent industry in Ashanti, which has hitherto been associated with nameless horrors perpetrated by King Premeh, which necessitated repeated punitive expeditions down to 1900, the most famous being Lord Wolseley's campaign through the trackless jungle in 1894. Now the Gold Coast is the largest exporter of cocoa in the world, and Ashanti supplies a very large proportion. Archdeacon Morrison writes from Kumassi: "In the last five years Ashanti has made great strides in commercial prosperity. This is owing to cocoa. When the rubber boom came to an end there was stagnation for a short time, but cocoa has more than taken its place. Ashanti makes an ideal cocoa-growing country, and the industry is very suitable for the West African, as it requires no great out-of-labor."

Great Tibetan Industry.

By far the largest herds of musk deer are to be found on the southern shores of the Koko-Nor, and the supply of musk there (at Taouchou) is larger than the quantity that comes through Sungpan. In fact, great quantities of musk do not come to Sungpan at all, but are sent east to Yuchow, in Honan, where a fair is held in the ninth and tenth moons, many of the Sungpan traders visiting this place. At Tachienlu musk is the most valuable export, practically every hong reeking with it, and nearly all the Tibetans who come from the far interior bring some with them. The price of medium musk there is thirteen times its weight in silver.

Shark Leather Here.

From being an implacable enemy to man science is making the shark expiate its crimes by helping to reduce the high cost of living. For the tiger of the sea has now become a source of leather to clothe millions of pairs of feet.

Experiments with shark leather indicate that it may be used for practically everything now made of cattle leather. It is even claimed that shark hides have one great advantage over cowhides in that the "splits" are amazingly strong. A "split" is simply a peeling of the hide—something like the veneer cut from a slab of wood.

Dove That Built Great City.

When mighty Amru went to conquer Egypt he camped on the east bank of the Nile opposite Memphis, that great 20-mile-long capital of mud bricks, whose western verge was the pyramids and whose mud brick houses have all vanished. Amru crushed the Egyptians and came back to get his camp to move over and occupy Memphis. A dove had built in the folds near the top of his tent. Blood-bathed Amru, the ruthless, would not let her be disturbed. A new city started about his tent. It grew northward along the Nile. It is today Cairo. Memphis is only a name.

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COAL WILL BE ROLLING

RAPIDLY BY NEXT WEEK

Indianapolis, Dec. 11.—A general operation of the soft coal mines is predicted for tomorrow. Coal will be moving rapidly by the first of next week, in the opinion of the operators here. Officials of the United Mine Workers who last night sent telegrams to the locals telling them of the miners' general committee here yesterday, accepting President Wilson's proposal to return to work, are confident that there will be no delay on part of members of the union returning to the mines.

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THREE WEEKS SHORT COURSE IN AGRICULTURE

At the State Agricultural College, West Raleigh, there will begin on January 8 a Three Weeks Short Course in Agriculture. This course has been arranged by the College to come at a slack time of the year with farmers and to embrace only subjects of direct practical value to the busy farmer.

A goodly number of farmers, no doubt, will make it a point this year to go to the College from this section for this special work in practical agriculture. Most farmers have had a fairly good year in their farming and have gotten at least fair prices for what they have sold from the farm. Now in order that those of us who are engaged in farming may be better prepared for better farming next year and in subsequent years, than we have been in the past, it would appear to be the part of wisdom for us to take a few days off in January, to go to the College and profit by what will be offered there in the Short Course. People in other lines are attending and profiting by similar boiled-down short

courses, will not a large number of our farmers do the same?

The course this year will include such matter as field crops, commercial fertilizers and farm manures, pruning, spraying, insect and disease enemies of crops and fruit trees and the most effective method of their prevention and control; farm dairying, poultry raising, livestock feeding, handling and judging, soil management, fruit and vegetable growing, diseases of farm livestock and their prevention and control, and gas engines and farm tractors.

Those attending the course will be supplied free tuition, and board and room may be secured in close proximity to the College at reasonable prices. Those wishing further information with reference to the course cost, etc., may secure it from the Dean of Agriculture, West Raleigh, N. C.

JAPAN WAGE EARNERS MAKE DECLARATION

Tokio, Dec. 12.—Three thousand wage earners including printers, miners, tram workers, and tailors recently adopted a resolution declaring that the Japanese government, in the present crisis caused by the high cost of

living, is merely making efforts for the protection of capitalists and limited circles of society. This, the wage earners asserted was done at the expense of the general public whose welfare and interests are entirely neglected. They charged that the cabinet has no understanding of the welfare of the nation, of labor problems and the food question which "are threatening the lives and safety of millions throughout the empire." They demanded that the cabinet should resign.

A delegation called at the premier's residence after the meeting and handed the resolution to a secretary.

COMMISSIONERS SALE OF LAND.

In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk, Jesse Fleming, Administrator of Delzora Fleming, and Jesse Fleming, heirs at law of Delzora Fleming.

vs. Isaac Eborn and Rowena Eborn, infants under the age of 21 years, appearing by their guardian ad litem Henry Eborn. By virtue of power vested in us by that decree of the Superior Court of Court House door in the Town of Greenville, to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday, the 20th day of December, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon the following described parcel of real es-

tate, lying, being and situated in Pactolus Township in the County of Pitt, and State of North Carolina, to-wit:

Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block "G" in the plat of the Town of Pactolus, as surveyed and platted by the East Carolina Land and Improvement Company, and being the same parcel of land that Pitt County made in the above entitled action on the 18th day of November, 1919, we shall offer for sale at the was conveyed to the late Delzora Fleming by C. E. Bradley and wife, and recorded in Book E-9, at page 103 of the Pitt County Registry, to which reference is made.

This the 18th day of November, 1919.
 ALBION DUNN,
 JULIUS BROWN,
 Commissioners.

GERMANY TO DEMONSTRATE IMPOSSIBILITY OF DEMANDS

Berlin, Dec. 11.—The foreign affairs committee of the national assembly decided today to send mission experts to Paris with an exact list of all dock material in Germany in an effort to demonstrate to the supreme council the impossibility of Germany carrying out the entente demand as contained in note handed the German delegation at Versailles the past Monday.

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WHY NOT GIVE MAGAZINES THIS year for your Christmas gifts? A beautiful Christmas card to announce the gift will arrive Christmas day. See Roy Corbitt. Phone 410. 3-12f

NOTICE—I HAVE A HOG GONE, dark red sow, weight about 150 lbs. marked crap and underbit. The right ear over-sloped and underbit the left. Finder please notify me, at once. W. L. Buck, Chicod, R. F. D. 1, care of Henry Dixon. 5-9

FOR SALE — FINE FARM NEAR Lewiston, Bertie county. For raising cotton, corn and tobacco crops and peanuts. C. E. Jordan, Lewiston, N. C. 8-eod-3f

FOR SALE — NEW PERFECTION, cabinet top, four burner oil stove. Good as new. Bargain for quick sale. T. L. Moore, Phone No. 526-J. 8-4f

FOR SALE — LATE 1917 MODEL Cadillac Auto. Seven passenger. Extra tire. A one order bargain for quick sale. John L. Robinson, Vanceboro, N. C. 8-5f

CABBAGE PLANTS FOR SALE.

Frost Proof Jersey Wakefield and Charleston Wakefield Cabbage plants for sale. Can supply orders of any size, 25c a hundred, \$200 per thousand. Special prices on large quantities. Handsome stocky plants. I. C. ARTHUR, Greenville, N. C. 14-1f

LOST—A CLAY BANK COLORED milch cow. Ends of horns sawed off. Strayed off Saturday morning. Finder notify W. F. Worthington. 6-1f

TAKEN UP—ONE DARK BAY HORSE with white spot in forehead and one on nose. Weight about nine hundred pounds. Second handed horse. Owner can get same by paying all costs of horse. James Mayo, on farm of G. T. House, Stokes, N. C. 9-3f

FOR SALE — OAK FURNITURE— Conservatory size guitar. One reliable incubator. Mrs. W. H. Ward, Dickinson Avenue. 9-5f

STRAYED OR STOLEN, ONE SOW, body white, head and hips black. Weight about 200 pounds. Hole and crop in right ear, underslit and crop in left. Due to find pigs about Dec. 1st. Any information as to her whereabouts will be rewarded. T. E. Langley, Route 5, Greenville, N. C. 10-2f

STOCKING FILLERS—FRUITS, CAN dies, Nuts and everything nice. C. B. Whichard. 10-3f

WANTED TO BUY—A SMALL farm. B. W. Frizzell, Greenville, R. 2. 10-10f

ATTENTION, YOU COTTON AND Tobacco Farmers: If you want a five 100 acre farm near the big markets of Greensboro and Winston-Salem (land like you have to pay \$300.00 an acre for at \$125.00 per acre) write J. H. Field, Climax, N. C., immediately. One mile railroad station, ten trains each day, on sand-clay road 24 feet wide, 40x70 barn, 11 room dwelling, telephone, churches and schools. Terms of payment can be arranged. 10-eod 2wk

FOR SALE—ONE HIGHEST GRADE Krogers Player Piano. This is the very best and finest piano made. Worth \$900, for a quick sale \$650, or will trade for a good car. B. W. Frizzell, Greenville R. 2. 10-10f

NEW DATES, CURRANTS, PRUNES, Raisins, Citron, Candied Orange peel, just received. C. B. Whichard. 10-3f

COME TO SEE ME FOR YOUR Fruits for Christmas Cakes. C. B. Whichard. 10-3f

CAKES FOR CHRISTMAS — FRUIT Chocolate Layer, Coconut Layer, and Macaroons. C. B. Whichard. 3f

WANTED — ONE ROLLER TOP Desk. See C. W. Harvey. 11-1f

YES, IT HAS COME, WHAT? THAT beautiful lot of Japanese goods that we were looking for. Come quick before it is picked over. A. B. Ellington & Co. 12-2f

FOR SALE FOR CASH—ONE BRAND new Ford Coupe, equipped with electric lights and starter, demountable rims. Four touring cars, one roadster. R. Wingate and Son. 12-3f

FOR SALE—ONE SAXON ROAD- ster, electrically equipped. Good condition. Price \$375 for quick sale. Apply this office. 12-1f

NOTICE.

North Carolina, Pitt County.
Catherine Forbes
vs.
Claude C. Forbes.

In the Superior Court.
The defendant above named will take notice that an action, entitled as above, has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County to obtain from the defendant an absolute divorce and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear before the clerk of the Superior Court at his office in Greenville, North Carolina, on Monday, January 5th, 1920, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.
This December 1st, 1919.
J. F. HARRINGTON,
Clerk Superior Court.
F. G. JAMES & SON,
4-1tawk-4wks Attorneys for Plaintiff.

As a hero worshipper the matinee girl takes the lead.

WANTED — FURNISHED ROOM with or without board. Address A. care Reflector. 12-2f

FOR SALE—ONE USED DODGE car. Prices right. Hines Bros Motor Co. 12-1f

STOLEN FROM ME YESTERDAY afternoon about 5 o'clock, \$500.00. Stolen by man who answer to the following description: One dark complexioned, colored man, weight about 140 pounds, about 5 feet high, small black eyes, sharp nose, wore blue overalls and cap and wore a No. 6 or shoe, speaks quickly. Other heavy weight about 160 or 180 pounds, light brown, Gray eyes, curly hair, broad shoulders, wore corduroy pants, light hat and light coat, slight impediment in speech. No 9 shoe. Will give \$200 reward for man who arrests right men. M. J. Best, Colored, Greenville, R 1, Box 67. 12-3f

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A strong arm, a shoe horn, Talcum powder and patience may get a large foot into a small shoe, but there is no room for comfort. Improperly fitted shoes make the feet burn in hot weather and freeze in cold weather. If you want shoes that are stylish and are comfortable from the moment you put them on go to

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Sell At Gorman's

Our Thursday's sale of 181,608 pounds sold for \$98,027.24, ave. \$53.98
Scrap and common 39,296 pounds sold for 3,679.28, ave. 9.36
Leaving 142,312 pounds sold for 94,347.96, ave. 66.27

The order for most part was bad. This effects the prices.

Our dry order tobacco sold fully as well as it has been selling, except but few lots sold over \$105.00. At times we had to buy freely, being by far the largest buyers of what we sold.

We will close Wednesday the 17th, and re-open January 6th. However we advise our customers to hold up selling until after the holidays as we feel sure the prices will stiffen with the coal situation settled and lighter sales.

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Harker-Gardner 614—66 76 103 104..... \$542.88 \$89.97

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F. B. Manning.....668—46 102 102..... 663.44 99.32