

AUGUSTINE BIRRELL.

Chief Secretary for Ireland Criticised for Recent Revolt.



IRISH REVOLT OVER, BIRRELL REPORTS

Holyhead, Wales, May 3.—Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, arrived here from Dublin, after having spent several days in revolution torn Ireland. The secretary immediately boarded a special train for London. "The revolution is entirely in hand and virtually over," Mr. Birrell said. "All the main bodies of revolutionists have surrendered. Dublin itself is quiet."

U. S. GIVES STATE \$22,000

Will Be Used in Agricultural Work in North Dakota.

Fargo, N. D., May 3.—The federal government will contribute \$22,000 to agricultural extension work in North Dakota this year. Thomas Cooper, director of the North Dakota experimental station, has gone to Washington to confer with department of agriculture officials on the method of expenditure. Of the funds \$16,000 is derived under provisions of the Smith-Lever bill. It is expected a department of home economics for rural women of one or two counties in the state will be featured.

SUNDAY LID HARD BLOW TO CHICAGO SALOONS.

Chicago, May 3.—Mayor William Hale Thompson's Sunday closing order of last October is credited with having forced fifty-six saloons out of business. The Sunday closing is said to have reduced the saloons' incomes so materially that they were unable longer to make money.

LIQUOR MAN LEAVES FORTUNE TO ORPHAN

Minneapolis, May 3.—A little orphan girl to whom he had given care and education for the last three years will inherit the bulk of the \$50,000 estate left by Thomas Ryan, it was learned when the will which he made just one year before his death was opened. The \$50,000 estate, together with a veritable bale of bad checks that Ryan had cashed at various times and twenty-two watches left with him as pledges for loans, was found when the safe was opened. Ryan found the orphan, Estelle Cochran, three years ago when she was only twelve. He placed her in a church school. He visited the probate court April 29, 1915, and left a will, to be opened at his death. He died of apoplexy April 29, 1916.

The will has been opened. It gives \$1,000 each to the Pro-cathedral of St. Mary, the Catholic orphanage, Holy Angels academy and the Little Sisters of the Poor and several small bequests to friends. The bulk of the \$50,000 estate is left to Estelle Cochran. It is to be placed in trust with the district court, or with some one named by the court, until the girl is twenty-one years old. Meanwhile an income of \$65 a month is provided for her.

UTAH POLITICIAN IS SLAIN

Dr. C. F. Osgood, Ogden, Is Shot by Wealthy Farmer. Ogden, Utah, May 3.—Dr. C. F. Osgood, forty-five years old, a prominent local politician, was shot and killed by Honbert Burch, thirty-eight years old, a wealthy farmer living in this city. Burch stepped up to the machine, firing three shots point blank. All took effect. Burch would assign no reason for the shooting.

JAMES W. GERARD

American Ambassador in Berlin, Who Handled Correspondence on Submarines.



WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF WAR IS DECLARED?

United States Would Lend Moral and Financial Aid.

Should the worst come of the present crisis in the relations between the United States and Germany and the two countries declared war upon each other what part would this country play?

This is a question that has been asked many times, and the answer is illusive.

Would the United States army be sent to the trenches in Flanders and around Verdun?

Would the United States navy be sent to aid the allied squadron in patrolling the North sea and assist in making the blockade of Germany complete?

Would a call be issued for volunteers in this country and the recruits sent abroad to begin training for service?

All of these results are possible, but none are probable. It is most likely that the United States, if actually drawn into the war, would play a part a great deal similar to that of Japan today. Japan and Germany are at war. But the only part that Japan has played is to send munitions to Russia, with maybe a few officers to direct the movements of the hosts of Russian troops. True, she has given her complete moral and financial support to the allies.

The same course would probably be pursued by the United States. In the event of actual warfare this government would lend its undivided moral, commercial, industrial and financial support to the entente allies, but it is doubtful if Americans would actually participate in the world war.

Our rapidly growing steel and munition factories would be put to work overtime in the efforts to turn out as many shells as possible. The German liners now interned in various American ports would be seized by the government and put into service carrying all kinds of supplies to the allies.

The bankers of the United States would stand solidly behind the allies and lend all possible financial aid, and this probably would be one of the deciding features of the war. It has often been said that the side with the most money would be the ultimate victor, and with the United States on the side of England, France, Russia and Italy there is no doubt that the financial tide would be turned against the Teutonic powers.

PRESIDENT'S STAND ON SUBMARINE WAR.

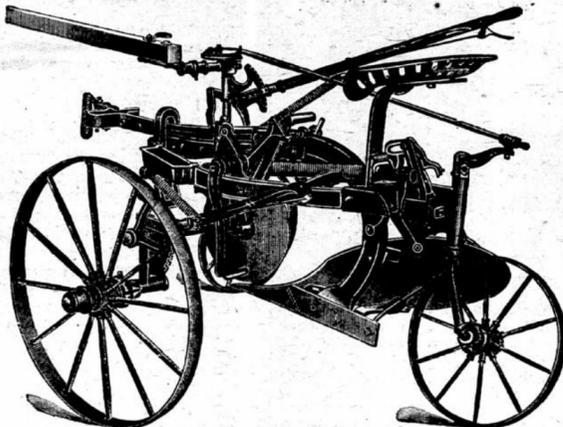
The "sacred and indisputable rules of international law," affecting non-combatants, which the United States insisted Germany shall observe in her submarine warfare, may be summed up as follows:

- Freight or passenger ships shall not be attacked without warning.
They shall not be fired on unless they endeavor to resist or escape capture.
Before being taken they shall be visited and searched for evidence to establish their belligerent nationality or the presence of a contraband cargo.
They shall not be sunk until proper provisions have been made for the safety of passengers and crews.
Placing them in lifeboats and turning them adrift is not sufficient unless the condition of the sea and proximity of land or other vessels warrant the belief that they will be rescued.

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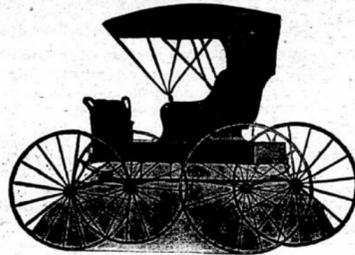
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16-INCH FOOT-LIFT SULKY PLOW.



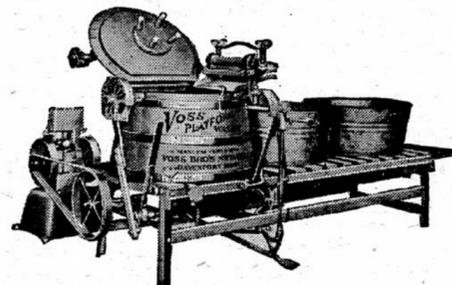
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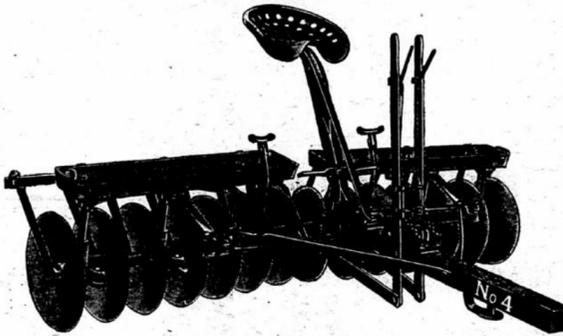
GENUINE LEATHER CUSHIONS—1 inch Tires—The Greatest Buggy Value Ever Offered. \$55.00

VOSS POWER WASHING MACHINES.



Come in and see this labor-saving machine—Our Price \$33.00

DISC HARROWS.



10-18, at \$22.50
14-18, at \$25.50

50 Bushel MOLINE Manure Spreader for \$88.00

A complete farm Wagon for \$64.50

Let us figure with you on that new House or Barn you are going to build. We have the Goods. We have the Prices.

Evens Hdw. Co., Princeton

DISTRICT NO. 50.

Mrs. C. L. Campbell and sons were callers at the Shure home in Blue Hill on Sunday.

Julius Egge went to Orrock Saturday, returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Trowbridge and Mrs. Wm. Stacey were callers at the Jas. Stacy home Sunday afternoon.

Seeding is well under way in this locality.

A letter from Rudolph Norberg at Breckenridge states that he is doing well and likes his position as car repairer at the G. N. shops.

We understand John Johnson has recovered from his sick spell and is able to be around again.

Still there is nothing being done on those bad places on the state road, and some of the town roads need attention, too. We have heard that the judicial road is to be built this summer. Who knows anything about it?

It looks as though there would be considerable new land opened up this year in this vicinity.

Most of the children in this vicinity who had the measles, have about recovered.

The moving picture show and basket social held last Friday evening at the school house in district 50, is reported to have been good and fairly well attended.

Mr. Nickerson and some of the commissioners were up last week looking after the completion of the state road. Work will be started soon.

GREENBUSH.

Misses Alma Magly and Mary Tracy and Randie Pederson were entertained at Geo. Degleman's Sunday afternoon.

Misses Annie and Ella Heruth spent from Saturday until Monday with their sister, Mrs. J. Vernon, at Brickton.

Arvel Gennow is busy doing some carpenter work for Mr. Erick Johnson.

George Wilhelm has purchased a Ford from J. C. Herdiska.

Erick Johnson is the owner of a Reo car which he purchased last week.

A number of good sized children from Princeton were observed on the play grounds at the school house in district No. 3, Sunday afternoon and they were apparently enjoying themselves.

It seems as though one auburn haired youth was almost too heavy for the swing, and while teetering he made the board groan under its load. It seems to us as though adequate playgrounds should be provided for the accommodations of these youngsters in the village, so they wouldn't have to come out so far to have a good time.

Miss Alice and Edna Leander and Olga Reiman were callers at Gennow's Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary Tracy went to the city Saturday morning, returning in the evening.

A school meeting will be held at the East school No. 4 next Saturday afternoon, May 6th, at 1 o'clock.

The teachers and pupils of the east school No. 4 came over last Friday afternoon and played ball with the west school. The scores was 11 to 11. There will be another ball game next Saturday afternoon at the East school between both schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Hager of Princeton called at the J. Seifert home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Reiman were the guests at M. Shrodes at Princeton on Sunday afternoon.

Otto Henschel and Fred Keith of Princeton came out Sunday and looked after their stock which they put on the former's farm.

Fred Bauman has rented the Otto Henschel farm for this season and has moved onto the same.

John Romine and Art Leander were callers at Long Siding Sunday afternoon.

SPENCER BROOK.

Miss Ida Simonds and father were in Princeton on Friday.

The members of the Baptist church held their annual business meeting at the church last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lambert of Wynant visited at Walter Lambert's last Sunday.

Gust Stanius was papering at the D. L. Clough home last week.

Warren Ellingwood of Princeton spent Saturday and Sunday with his friend, Leslie Blomquist.

Chas. H. Petterson is the owner of an Overland automobile.

Stella Reynolds was in Princeton Friday, having dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Walker and son, Jay, and Mrs. W. A. Smith autoed over

to Cambridge Friday. Mrs. Smith remained over a while to visit her son, G. C. Smith.

Friday was Arbor Day. The school in district No. 1 cleaned the school yard and at noon a picnic dinner was served.

D. S. Walker is building a house 14x22 out on his other farm. A. T. Anderson is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Nichols spent last Sunday at the Wm. House home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Stanius have moved onto the John Stanius place.

Ray Smith bought a horse one day last week from Charlie Swanson.

A few relatives and friends of Andy Medin, helped him celebrate his 40th birthday anniversary last Sunday.

ESTES BROOK.

John Huggins is busily employed at the Robt. Ayers home at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fresholtz and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Uglem of Freer were pleasantly entertained at the home of O. J. Almie's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Erickson called at Bemis' on Sunday afternoon.

Fred Bonn bought hay from Daye Sandquist last week.

The farewell party given at the Christ Jensen home last Friday evening, in honor of the school ma'ams, Miss Larson and Miss Kalkman, was well attended, and a good time was had by all. The teachers left for their respective homes on Saturday.

Misses Maud and Olive Ayers and Selma Sandquist and brother, Victor, and John Huggins called at the H. L. Bemis home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erickson called at J. J. Knutson's on Sunday.

Pat Ryan, the Foley lightning rod man, was in this vicinity last week.

Miss Augusta Larson, Miss Clara Kalkman, Miss Myrtle Almie and Miss Esther Pierson called at Sandquist's last Wednesday night.

Don't forget to hang May baskets as you know this is the month of May.

The school picnic last Friday of district No. 7 was a success in every way. The ball game between the leans and fats of course was most interesting. The fats won by a count of 2 to 0.

Next Sunday, May 7th, the Estes Brook ball team will cross bats with the ball players of Pease. They will play on the Pease diamond. Everyone

LOCAL MARKET QUOTATIONS.

The quotations hereunder are those prevailing on Thursday morning at the time of going to press:

POTATOES

Ohio60c to 65c
Burbanks73c to 75c
Russets75c to 80c
Kings60c to 70c
Rose60c to 65c

GRAIN, HAY, ETC.

Wheat—No. 1 Northern\$1.09
Wheat—No. 2 Northern1.09
Wheat—No. 3 Northern1.02
Oats33c@37c
Barley60c@63c
Flax\$1.81@1.89
Rye80c@82c
Beans, machine run\$2.50@3.00
Beans, hand picked\$3.00@3.50

LIVE STOCK

Fat heaves, per lb.5c@5½c
Calves, per lb.6c@7c
Hogs, per cwt.\$6.00
Sheep, per lb.3¼c@5c
Hens, old, per lb.7c@9c
Springers, per lb.8c@9c

should attend. This will be the first game of the season.

Watch Child's Cough.

Colds, running of nose, continued irritation of the mucous membrane if neglected may mean Catarrh later. Don't take the chances—do something for your child! Children will not take every medicine, but they will take Dr. King's New Discovery and without bribing or teasing. Its a sweet pleasant Tar Syrup and so effective. Just laxative enough to eliminate the waste poisons. Almost the first dose helps. Always prepared, no mixing or fussing. Just ask your druggist for Dr. King's New Discovery. It will safeguard your child against serious ailments resulting from colds.—Adv.