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Before Going Away

Don't forget to have The Gate City follow you by mail. To be happy and contented you must have the home news. Mail post card or phone 35.

The conservationists in congress think something ought to be done to save the timber in the Baltimore platform.

In order for a fellow to come back he must needs have gone somewhere. It is simply a question of measurements.

We are never without trouble. Just as we get rid of Huerta, the Same Old Bill Sulzer pops up under the limelight.

There will be no cuffs on the 1915 trousers. But suppose we have a pair in 1914 that lapse over into 1915? What is the answer?

If the troubles in Europe deprive us of the services of some of the grand-opera singers, we shall manage somehow to get along.

Those short-legged pants ought to boom laundry business more than they do. This is especially the case where the socks are white.

Chairman Barnes may be able to collect the six cents that Colonel Roosevelt did not get as damages from that Ishpeming editor.

It has been decided that the army worm is the larva of a noctuid moth called leucania unipuncta, but beyond that it is said to be all right.

An effort will be made to raise large quantities of watermelons for the northern markets in Haiti. If it pans out, goodbye revolutions.

"Women as they pass" is the headline over an article on the fashions of the sex in an eastern newspaper. Why don't they ask for more cards?

It would be simply impossible for an architect to improve the acoustic properties of a sleeping-porch. It beats a wireless telephone all hollow.

When the suit of Chairmann Barnes against Colonel Roosevelt is pulled off in New York there will be a lot of money in charging an admission fee.

The manufacture of lime in the United States in 1913 broke all previous records, the production amounting to 3,595,390 short tons, valued at \$14,648,362, according to R. W. Stone of the United States Geological Survey.

KINDEL LEAVES THE PARTY. Congressman George Kindel, of the first district of Colorado, has formally left the democratic party and will oppose the Wilson administration.

ARE LOOKING TOWARD IOWA. That farmers in the southwest are looking toward Iowa as a place to make their future home is indicated in a recent letter received by the department of agriculture from the Kroh Martin Investment company of Kansas City.

In view of the tight-shirt habit there are a lot of women running for office in California.

President Wilson will dump the country this fall, but we do not understand that he will go to Louisiana.

President Wilson nominated Representative Andrew J. Peters of Boston to be assistant secretary of the treasury.

In spite of the fact that New York is likely to furnish the fashions this fall, we are awaiting in fear and trembling the coming of the Caillaux gown.

WAR AND THE SUGAR SUPPLY

Situation Affords Striking Proof of the Value of Domestic Sugar Production.

From Facts About Sugar: The outbreak of war in Europe has resulted in a sharp advance in sugar prices. On July 30, the lowest net cash quotation of the New York refiners for granulated sugar was 4.165 cents a pound while raw sugar was selling at 3.29 cents.

Germany, Austria, Russia and France, the nations actively engaged in conflict, are the chief sources of England's sugar supply, producing together some 7,500,000 tons of beet sugar. This is nearly 80 percent of the entire output of beet sugar and more than one-third of the total sugar crop of the world.

Great Britain is the chief sugar importing country of Europe. Her yearly importations are over two million tons, of which approximately 700,000 tons ordinarily is drawn from nations now involved in war.

ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

The Japanese were among the first to recognize the true value of an army medical corps, according to Dr. Louis Livingstone Seaman of New York, in a communication to the National Geographic society at Washington, D. C.

"The Japanese medical officer is omnipresent," he says. "You will find him in countless places where in an American or British army he has no place. In the Russian-Japanese war, he was as much in the front as in the rear. He was with the first screen of scouts with his microscope and chemicals, testing and labeling wells so the army to follow should drink no contaminated water.

continue in sharp competition for Cuban sugar which ordinarily comes to the American market.

The supply of Cuban and American grown sugar in sight at the end of July was just about sufficient to meet the estimated demands of American consumption up to the time when the crops now growing will become available.

Fortunately for the United States, in spite of the curtailment of production in the cane and beet growing districts due to the reduction of the tariff, we still have a domestic production of sugar, including that of Porto Rico and Hawaii, which should amount to over one and a half million tons this year.

One of the arguments that has been put forward against the destruction of the American sugar growing industry through the removal of the import duty on sugar is that it would expose American consumers to all the violent fluctuations that take place in the European sugar market as a result of war, speculation or crop shortages.

CHARLESTON.

Miss Helen Kirchner, who has been visiting in Athens, Mo., returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. McCann and granddaughter, of New Boston, passed through town Tuesday.

Mr. Ballinger and Mr. Crow of Keokuk were Charleston callers Saturday.

James Barnes has been visiting his parents, returned to St. Louis Monday.

James McMillen, wife and daughter, Wilma, were Athens, Mo. visitors Sunday.

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DONNELLSON. Mrs. C. M. Esworthy of Brookfield, Mo., visited with Mrs. D. E. Wiegner several days the past week.

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teria, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wise visited in Ft. Madison Wednesday. Miss Ida Smith of Ft. Madison visited with the Misses Hattie Mellesner and Mary Best the past week.