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MUSCOVITES SHOOK THE
GRIP OF MACKENSENPunished the Advancing Teuton Armies Near
PinskHAMMERING THE AUSTRIANS IN GALICIA BUT SLOWLY YIELDING IN THE NORTH TO VON
HINDENBERG

(Associated Press)

London, Sept. 25.—The Russian position from Vilna to the Galician frontier appears to be greatly improved. Three distinct victories are recorded at Smiln, three miles from Novo Alexandrovsk, indicates the approaches of the latter town are in German hands.

The situation far north is less favorable. The Russians are resisting Hindenburg's men stubbornly, but their admission that fighting is proceeding at Smiln, three miles from Novo Alexandrovsk, indicates the approaches of the latter town are in German hands.

The fate of Dvinsk is in doubt. East of Vilna, north of Pinsk and in the vicinity of Lutsk, the Russians scored heavily. The Germans call the reverses east of Vilna temporary in character, notwithstanding losses in guns and prisoners.

Near Pinsk Mackensen was thrown back in an engagement that has shaken his grip on the city. Farther south the Russians holding Lutsk are pressing their advantage and seem to be assuming the dominance on the southern end of the line, in a manner recalling the fighting of last spring.

GETTING TOGETHER

AGGRESSIVE ACTS OF BULGARIA
CAUSE THE GREEKS
TO AGREE

(Associated Press)

Athens, Sept. 25.—King Constantine and Premier Venizelos have arrived at a complete agreement on steps already taken by the government in measures demanded to meet the Balkan situation. These measures include the maintenance of Greece's treaty obligations.

WILL DECLARE MARTIAL LAW
NEXT WEEK

Paris, Sept. 25.—The Greek parliament next Wednesday will be called upon to proclaim martial law, declare a state of siege in Macedonia and take any other steps the situation demands, says a Havas Athens dispatch.

SENSIBLE BULGARS

London, Sept. 25.—Reuters' Moscow correspondent says the Bulgarians there refused to obey the mobilization order, telegraphing the king they will not fight against Serbia.

ENTHUSIASM AT ATHENS

A dispatch from Athens states that mobilization is proceeding, thousands of men having already reported.

PRIMARY SCHOOL

The Ocala primary school, situated on South Third street, will open on Monday, September 27. The teachers for the school year are as follows:

Beginners, boy's room 1, Mrs. W. T. Evans, teacher.

Beginners, girls room 2, Miss Eunice Marsh, teacher.

Advanced first, boys room, 4 Miss Lulu Griffin, teacher.

Advanced first, girls room 8, Miss Fannie Clark, teacher.

Second grade, boys and girls, room 3, Miss Edith Griffin and Miss Nellie Stevens, teachers.

Third grade, boys and girls, room 6, Mrs. Maud Rochford, teacher.

Third grade, boys and girls, room 7, Miss Marcella McLain, teacher.

Patrons are requested not to get any supplies until they receive the lists from the teachers, and not to ask admittance for pupils who are not of school age.

Nellie C. Stevens, Principal.

For plumbing and electrical work see H. W. Tucker. Phone 300. tf

BOMBARDED BY
THE BRITISHZEBRUGGE SHOWERED WITH
SHELLS FROM SHIPS
OUT AT SEA

(Associated Press)

Amsterdam, Sept. 25.—British warships again bombarded Zebbrugge today. The flashes of the guns of three ships were seen from the Dutch coast.

EVIDENCE ALL IN

FOR THE STATE IN THE TRIAL
OF MENDENHALL AT
CLEARWATER

(Associated Press)

Clearwater, Sept. 25.—The state closed its case this morning in the trial of J. J. Mendenhall, charged with the murder of Mrs. Bessie Elliot and her daughter Susie. The motion of the defense for a verdict of acquittal because of an alleged defective indictment was denied.

MONEY WILL REWARD
THE BRIGHT MINDWhich Suggests the Most Appropriate
Name for Ocala's New Club

With twenty-five charter members present, Ocala's newest club met last night for the purpose of ratifying its constitution and the election of officers.

The purposes of the new organization are to promote good feeling among local business men; to attract new citizens to Ocala and Marion county; to co-operate with other organizations for the advancement of Ocala's interests; to secure as much favorable publicity as possible for Ocala, and to suppress knockers and knocking.

Only one member of each business house in the city will be eligible to membership, and no member shall be under the age of 21 nor over the age of 38.

Politically the club is absolutely neutral and the discussion of local issues in the club is prohibited.

The present membership of the club is made up of the liveliest and most progressive of the city's young element, and with the perfection and strengthening of the organization, a great deal of good may be accomplished.

Having failed to agree upon a name for the organization the club decided to offer a prize of five dollars for a name which will meet the approval of the club. Contestants for the prize are required to file their suggestions with Secretary Bunyan Stephens before the next meeting night, October 5th, when a name for the new club will be selected. The name must not contain the word "Booster."

OKLAWAHA VALLEY

RAILROAD SCHEDULE

No. 71—Leave Palatka, 7:30 a. m., arrive Ocala, 11:35 a. m.

No. 72—Leave Ocala, 1:05 p. m.; arrive Palatka, 5:25 p. m.

Those cakes made at Carter's Bakery under the name "DELICIOUS" are everything that the name indicates. Six flavors made fresh every day and put up in 10c packages. Accepted no other.

Advertise in the Star.

AMERICA WILL INSIST

THAT AUSTRO-GERMANY WILL
DEFINITELY RECALL
DR. DUMBA

(Associated Press)

Washington, Sept. 25.—United States Ambassador Penfield at Vienna has been instructed to make clear to the Austro-Hungarian government the United States must insist upon the recall of the Austrian ambassador to this country, Dr. Dumba. His departure on "a leave of absence" is not satisfactory, as it would leave him still accredited. Messages received by the state department from Ambassador Penfield indicate that Austria misunderstands the United States' wishes, as it is intimated that Austria might recall Dr. Dumba on leave and desires his safe conduct. Dr. Dumba notified the state department later and asked for safe conduct. Nothing has been done yet.

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VILLA'S MEN QUITTING

Laredo, Texas, Sept. 25.—Many detached bands of Villa soldiers are surrendering to the Carranza forces marching against Torreón, it was reported by General Obregon to the Carranza authorities at Nuevo Laredo today.

SEWERAGE CONTRACT
HAS BEEN SIGNEDAll Legal Formalities Preceding the
Work Have Been Carried Out

The contract between the city of Ocala and Bryan & Co. of Jacksonville for the construction of Ocala's sewer system has been signed by President Meffert, of the council, Mayor J. D. Robertson and H. C. Sistrunk, city clerk, and the Bryan Co., and the work will now proceed in a hurry, as soon as the sewer pipe arrive, several carloads of it having already been shipped from Chattanooga. Mr. H. G. Bryan, of the firm of Bryan & Co., is in the city and will have charge of the work.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., L. M. Murray superintendent. Organized Bible classes for men and women. Now is the time to enlist for young and old, all together studying the word of God.

Rev. John R. Herndon, the pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. on "The Gideon Type of Christian." There will be good music and a cordial welcome to all who will worship with us. In the evening the pastor will preach at a union service held at the First Methodist church at 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to both these services.

NEGRO BURGLAR

KILLED AT SUMMERFIELD

A negro by the name of Joshua was killed at Summerfield last night, or rather before daylight this morning, in the store of H. J. Wall Jr. Son. Some one had been breaking into and stealing things out of the store, and the proprietors determined to put a stop to it. Last night it was agreed that one of the firm remain on watch in the rear of the store until midnight, when he would be relieved by the other. Shortly after the morning watch, four negro men, who afterwards proved to be the four Joshua brothers, entered the store and when all were inside and helping themselves to the stock, Mr. J. L. Wall ordered them to throw up their hands and surrender. A break was made for liberty and Mr. Wall fired, killing one of the brothers. One escaped and he captured two others, Solomon and Watley Joshua, who were brought to town this morning. An affidavit was made against them by Mr. Wall and they were locked up to await a hearing.

Advertise in the Star.

BOYS IN KHAKI MAY
CROSS THE BORDERATTACK ON AMERICANS AT PROGRESSO MAY ROUSE
EVEN THIS ADMINISTRATION

(Associated Press)

Washington, Sept. 25.—The possibility of American troops crossing the Rio Grande, to deal with Mexican raiders is talked of here as a result of yesterday's fight between United States soldiers and Mexicans near Progresso, Texas. One soldier was killed and an officer wounded. Four Mexicans, perhaps more, were shot.

An incident adding seriousness to the situation in the eyes of war department officials, was the fact reported by General Funston that several hundred uniformed Mexicans covered the retreating raiders.

"LOCKING THE DOOR"

Brownsville, Sept. 23.—Strong army patrols are stationed along every foot of the Rio Grande near Progresso. The raiders, numbering eighty, are said to have escaped safely into the interior of Mexico. Peace officers and citizens have renewed precautions for the protection of isolated settlements and ranches.

DENY IT, OF COURSE

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ISOLATED RANCH ATTACKED

Brownsville, Sept. 25.—J. C. McAllen, the millionaire ranchman, and his woman cook yesterday fought off a band of fourteen Mexicans who attacked the ranch house, in Hidalgo county. Two bandits were killed and three wounded during the fight.

WOODMEN MEETING

Fort King Camp Will Form a Degree
Team

Fort King Camp, W. O. W., met last evening in semi-monthly session and though the attendance was not as large as might have been expected, an excellent meeting was held. Following the business session the camp introduced three candidates into the mysteries of the order. Although they found the thickets and byways of the forest numerous and very hazardous to traverse, all of them successfully penetrated it. The candidates instructed in the work at last evening's session were J. D. Wilkes, Charles Mills and E. C. Green.

Several members of the Reddick camp were guests of the local lodge. Since the weather is growing cooler the officers of Fort King Camp look forward to having a larger attendance at these semi-monthly sessions.

A movement was started to form a degree team. Several attempts to make up a team have started and stopped, but it is believed this one will be a success. The committee to work on the team consists of Chas. E. Harris, chairman, D. E. Busler and J. D. Wilkes, and they intend to hustle the other members into line.

The next meeting of the camp will be held on Friday October 8, and it is hoped that each member will make an especial effort to attend.

NICHOLS AND IGOU

HAVE PUT IN A CORN MILL

Messrs. Nichols & Igou have put in a big corn sheller, grinder and feed mixer at their big barn and feed supply house on West Exposition street. The machinery is operated by an electric motor and will be used exclusively to grind corn and feed and mix them for use in the stables or for the feed sales business. The mill will soon pay for itself in the saving that it will be to the firm, in being able to save on freight alone on these ground and mixed feeds.

BEAN SEED

We have just received our new bean seed for the fall planting; all varieties. Ocala Seed Store. 8-11-tf

OCALA SHOULD BE
WELL REPRESENTEDAT THE DIXIE HIGHWAY MEETING
ING IN JACKSONVILLE SEP-
TEMBER 28 AND 29

At the recent Board of Trade meeting action was taken to secure at least 20 automobiles well filled to attend the Dixie Highway meeting in Jacksonville, September 28 and 29.

Unless our people wake up, we may not be on this highway. So far the following parties with cars and those who have not, but are willing to go to the meeting have given us their names:

D. S. Welch, car.
R. F. Rogers, car.
R. S. Rogers, car.
George Rentz, car.
J. P. Theus, car.

D. E. McIver, J. J. Gynn, W. D. Carn, H. J. Ashley, R. T. Adams, Charles Goddard, C. H. Lloyd, Harvey Clark, H. W. Tucker, R. B. Sanders. Please telephone at once to 381, if you will go and swell the number, also kindly let us have your name so all arrangements can be made by Monday noon. Cars should be decorated with Penants and flags.

J. D. Rooney
J. D. Rooney, Secy. Board of Trade

OCALA SHOULD GET A MOVE ON

May Otherwise be Frozen Out at the
Dixie Highway Meeting

Editor Star: It seems if our people will only read yesterday's Times-Union they will see the importance of the Dixie Highway meeting in Jacksonville Sept. 28-29. Sit ye idle, nobody go to back up the Tallahassee route and its good-bye to the central or western route through Ocala.

Don't forget there is a special program and entertainment for the ladies and Ocala should be well represented.

Hurry and phone your name to 381, and when you will be ready to start. J. D. Rooney, Secretary.

MR. SHUEY'S GRIST MILL

Mr. George Shuey is nearly ready to start up his grist mill on the corner of his residence lot on North Lime street, near the Seaboard tracks. Mr. Shuey has built a substantial building for his mill and has installed the latest and best machinery, with a big electric motor to operate it. Mr. Shuey has a corn sheller, a feed grinder that will grind anything including corn on the corn. He has a feed mixer, a mill for grinding hominy or "grits" and an improved meal grinder with imported rock mill-stones. This mill has an attachment which blows a current of cold air between the stones all the time to keep them cool while grinding. It has a chaff remover and a bolter or sifter, so that the bran is all removed from the meal, is desired. Mr. Shuey will operate his mill every day, when ready, which will be by next Monday, and expects to be kept quite busy. The big corn crop of Marion county has certainly developed the grinding of the product in Ocala in a hurry.

MISSIONARY MEETING

All children are invited to be present at the missionary meeting of the Junior League Sunday, September 26, at 3 o'clock.

Leader—Mary Lane.

Theme—"Big Business."

Song—"Onward Christian Soldiers"

Bible Lesson—I Sam. 17-32:47.

Lesson Talks.

Prayer.

"Children at Work in Many Lands,"—Mrs. C. G. Barnett.

Quartette—"All for Jesus," Sam Phillips, Ullaine Barnett, Edward Cook, Mildred Crosby.

Roll call—Memory verses.

Collection for missions.

Mr. J. R. Dey had his automobile stolen in Orlando on Tuesday evening.

BEGINS TO LOOK
LIKE BUSINESSA New Town and Industry
Near OcalaPLANT AT PHOSLIME WILL SOON BE READY TO MANUFACTURE
THE PRODUCT

It certainly looks like business at Phoslime, 18 miles north of Ocala on the Seaboard Air Line railroad, the new townsite and plant of the Florida Soft Phosphate and Lime Company.

Over 50 acres of land has been cleared of heavy timber and stumps where the new town is to come into being. The grade for the switch and spur track into the company's plant and mine has been finished and is ready for the rails, which will be laid in a short time.

The new tool house, water tower and barns are all ready and the big drilled well, nearly 300 feet deep, supplies a stream of inexhaustible water, pure and wholesome.

AN UP-TO-DATE PLANT

The over-burden is now being removed from the large pit where "Phoslime" is to be extracted for market as soon as the new plant is completed. The plant is under way and is being constructed, as well as all of the other work done under contract, by Messrs. McIver & MacKay of Ocala, the largest contractors in this section who have built more phosphate plants in the hard rock section of the state than any other two firms put together.

The plant is to be modern in every respect and will be completed and in full operation in a short time. The machinery has all been bought and will be on the ground as soon as the foundations and buildings are ready.

ORDER RECEIVED FROM DR.
WILEY

Without any advertising whatever the company is receiving orders for "Phoslime" and ground limestone daily, and it will take fully three months of operation to fill the orders already booked. One order received the first of the week was for a carload of "Phoslime" to be shipped to Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the noted chemist, at his Virginia home, which is certainly a good recommendation for this material. Another order received yesterday was from one of the best known and most wealthy Georgia citizens for fifty tons of "Phoslime" and the orders which have been booked are from all over the state and scattered through many of the southern states.

Work on the company's property is being pushed forward as rapidly as possible and has never ceased all summer.

GREAT DEMAND FOR LIME

The growing demand for lime and phosphate in the soil of the south, the formulas this company has, its capital to develop its property and its plan of advertising assures it success from the very first and the Florida Soft Phosphate and Lime Company is destined to do a great work, in the estimation of this paper, as a soil builder of our country, and is sure to make good money for its investors.

OFFICES IN OCALA

The offices of the company are in Ocala and Mr. W. S. Hilands, the president, has been on the job all summer, dividing his time between the plant and the office.

A BIG PARTY

REACHED THE LAKE

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Klock and son, Mr. Harold Klock and daughter, Mrs. J. J. Merrimon, with her three children, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee and daughter, of New Hampshire, and Mr. Maynard Pray and Mr. Winters of New York City, arrived at Eastlake last night, having been in the White Mountains of New Hampshire for the summer, and will remain at the lake till next spring. The party came down on the Clyde Line steamer yesterday afternoon. Dr. Klock and Mr. Lee own much valuable property at the lake and will spend the winter developing it. They expect a number of investors down during the winter who will become interested in the property there.

OF INTEREST TO SHIPPERS

Daily Package Car is Running on the
Oklawaha Valley Railroad

A daily package car has been placed in service between Jacksonville and Ocala via the Florida, East Coast Railway and the Oklawaha Valley R. R. This car leaves Jacksonville at the close of each day's business, arriving in Ocala the following morning. Immediate notice of arrival of freight and efficient service will be given patrons.

On Saturday and Monday, 18 pounds of sugar for \$1, with one dollar's worth of other groceries, for cash. Smith Grocery Co. Phone 434. tf

VON PAPEN'S LETTER
WAS MISUNDERSTOODGERMAN OFFICER DENIES THAT
HE APPLIED OFFENSIVE EX-
PRESSION TO AMERICANS

(Associated Press)

San Francisco, Sept. 25.—Captain Franz von Papen, the military attaché of the German embassy at Washington, who is visiting the exposition, denied that the expression "Idiotic Yankees," said to have been contained in the letter taken from the American newspaper correspondent, John Archibald, by British authorities, referred to the American people. He says he meant the publishers of a New York paper that had been attacking the embassy. The letter was to Captain von Papen's wife. He said that if the entire letter had been published its meaning would have been plain.

GOING TO MEXICO

It was announced that von Papen and Prince von Hatzfeldt, counsellor of the German embassy, would go to Mexico next Tuesday. Both were silent as to their exact destination or the object of their visit.

IMPERIAL STEAM LAUNDRY

Mr. George Pasteur has Bought the
Well Established and Growing
Business

Mr. George Pasteur has purchased the Imperial Steam Laundry, taking over all of the other interests. Mr. Pasteur will take charge of the business Monday morning and will be in charge personally after that time.

All of the force will be retained as now, and the new management will go out after new business with a vim.

The Imperial Laundry has a good plant, all new machinery of the latest make, and has enjoyed a fine business and turned out good work. Mr. Pasteur has been looking about for an investment since returning to Ocala and considered this one of the best opportunities that he saw in or about town.

Mr. Pasteur is a good business man and made a success of all his undertakings. He expects to give the laundry business his careful study and the same close application that he formerly gave his mercantile business, and feels quite sure of a good success.

SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY DAY

Tomorrow week is Sunday school rally day, and the business men's class at the Methodist church promises to get into training tomorrow for the event by using the class slogan "take one with you today." The class now numbers upward of 125 and the enthusiasts promise to make every effort to make the 200 mark by January first. The discussions on the lesson each Sunday are most interesting, and every meeting brings out a new feature in the work.