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Local Pickups

At Home and From Over the Parish

Both the baseball teams of this place have placed orders for new suits.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Adger, near-by residents, are now riding around in a new five-passenger automobile.

Miss Caroline Irion, who has been teaching in Caddo Parish, near Vivian, returned home one day last week.

Master James Ivey, who has been attending a preparatory school in Fayetteville, Ark., is expected home Saturday.

A lively game of baseball is scheduled for this afternoon, to be played on the local diamond between the Benton and Plain Dealing teams.

Miss Pauline Dawson returned home Monday from Plain Dealing, where she spent several days pleasantly as a guest of Misses Stella and Mozelle Boggs.

Miss Mercer Virginia Gayle, who during the past term was a student in the Florida State College for Women, located at Tallahassee, is expected home to-night.

Rev. James Evans of this place has sent in an announcement which reads: "I will preach at Rocky Mount Baptist Church next Sunday at eight o'clock p.m. Everybody invited."

Mr. L. Swords, who went to Texarkana, Ark., last week on account of an affection of the glands under his jaws, returned there Tuesday for an operation. He was accompanied by Mrs. Swords.

Corn crops throughout this section are looking very fine indeed. Cotton is also good but somewhat backward, due more to farmers being behind with their work than to unfavorable seasons. These facts are gathered from a good farmer of this community.

Miss Winnie Brownlee returned home Monday from Minden, where she spent several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kent. She was accompanied by Miss Mary Kent, Mr. and Mrs. Kent's eldest daughter, who will remain here for some time as her guest.

Two games of baseball were played on the local diamond last Saturday afternoon, each between the Benton and Belcher teams, and as there were many visitors in Benton because of the Jefferson Davis celebration the games drew a large crowd. The first game went to the visitors by a score of 17 to 3, and the other to the Benton boys by a much less margin—5 to 3. Mr. W. E. McDade is the popular manager for the Belcher team. He was much in evidence. The games were umpired by the genial Mr. Snyder, of Shreveport, of the Snyder Wagon Company. We ask the indulgence of the reader in our failure to secure a list of those crippled and otherwise maimed.

Do the Banner this favor. The names of former residents who have removed elsewhere to reside are wanted so that sample copies of the Banner may be mailed them. Send in the names of your absent relatives and the office forces will do the rest; and bear in mind that absolutely no obligation will attach on your part or that of the prospect subscriber addressed. It is merely the desire of the management of the paper, and always, to make use of such legitimate means as are at hand to increase the circulation of the Banner. It is a common practice. If you will comply with this request it will be esteemed as a favor, and perhaps your relatives now living elsewhere would take a like view of the matter. Anyway, we want them to see the Banner again so they can learn for themselves what a fine local paper it has become.

Local Bank Declares Dividend.

The Board of Directors of the Bank of Benton held a meeting Monday and declared a dividend of 8 per cent. The net profits of the institution were shown to have been \$1054. One per cent was carried to the surplus account and the remaining earnings, after the paying of the dividend, passed to the credit of undivided profits. The bank has also expended about \$200 on its building out of the earnings of the year. All of which is greatly to the pleasure of the holders of stock in the Bank of Benton.

Mr. Watkins Wants Your Address.

Under date of the 5th Congressman J. T. Watkins has written the editor of the Banner from the national capital to say: "My Dear Mr. Scanland: Several to whom I sent lists of agricultural bulletins failed to give their addresses in making requests for bulletins. Therefore, I request all those who want agricultural bulletins to write me and I assure them it will be a pleasure for me to furnish them."

Card of Thanks.

We thank the people of Cypress Hill community for the kind and true help they gave our mother during her illness. We also thank Dr. Keoun for the close attention that he gave her. In this manifestation I am joined by my relatives. J. E. SLACK.

Plain Dealing, La., June 5, 1916.

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Jefferson Davis Celebration.

The R. J. Hancock Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, with the hearty aid of other good ladies of this entire community, did honor to this memory of Jefferson Davis last Saturday, the 3d, by celebrating the 108th anniversary of his birthday. Barbequed meat and everything that by nature goes to make it better was provided in abundance on the campus of Benton High School. The surviving veterans of this parish were present in a limited number and some from other parishes. The other visitors swelled the crowd to considerable proportions.

After the dinner on the campus a program was rendered in the auditorium of the school building. The auditorium was decorated with Confederate flags, and one great battle flag held the rear center of the stage. A portrait of Gen. R. E. Lee was prominently placed. Mrs. W. H. Scanland, President of the Chapter, presided, and the other members of the organization occupied seats upon the stage.

A piano duet was rendered by the Misses Elston of Shreveport, and "The Bonnie Blue Flag" was sung by six young ladies and gentlemen. Both numbers were well received by the audience.

Rev. G. G. Woodbridge of Plain Dealing invoked the blessings of the King of Kings upon the assembly, and little Miss Sadie V. Johnston of Shreveport recited a welcome. The six young ladies and gentlemen sang beautifully the old Southern air, "Suwanee River."

Mrs. Scanland then delivered an address and read the list of the survivors of the approximately 800 men who enlisted for the war from Bossier Parish. There were forty-four survivors known to the organization and one other was furnished by a comrade in the audience.

Miss DuBois Elder of Alden Bridge read a paper, "The U. D. C., Their Origin and Work."

"Tenting On the Old Camp Ground" was sung by the sextette.

Mrs. J. S. Allison read a tribute to the women of the South and there were not lacking tributes to the men who died for the Lost Cause. Jefferson Davis, the first and last President of the Confederacy, was eulogized with the well known earnestness and eloquence of that estimable Daughter of the Confederacy.

A reading by Miss Madeline Smith of Benton, "My Suit of Confederate Gray," was pleasingly done and appreciatively received by the audience.

The chairman introduced Judge W. C. Barnette of Shreveport, who delivered the address of the day. Judge Barnette paid a touching tribute to his grandfather, a Confederate soldier, to whom he owed, he said, all that had become of him. To the soldiers of the South, their great leaders, and to the great statesman in whose honor the day was set aside for celebration he claimed justice at the hands of historians when the time shall have come for the writing of impartial history. To these men of war and council he gave honor in eulogies of their great qualities of mind and heart. He called his address "Memories of the Past and Hopes of the Future," and to the young men of the country he spoke in warning of the false standards of success in life. The getting of wealth was the least of good aims, the rendering of service the highest. Judge Barnette said he had stood before the greatest orator of the land on the previous evening and heard him tell young men and women how to live, even as he so lived—and died—that men should love one another. He, Mr. Bryan, had said that our destiny was to lead the warring nations of Europe back to the paths of peace.

"We," said Judge Barnette, "cannot instill high ideals into the minds and hearts of the future generations unless we live our teachings. Our strength as a nation is not in our wealth and great resources but in high moral principles and Christian faith."

Hon. T. T. Land of Homer, affectionately known as Tom Land in Bossier Parish, was called to the platform and asked to address the assembly.

"Pleasure mingled with sadness," said Mr. Land, "when I look into the faces of this audience; for it was here that I learned to say 'mother.' It was here I spent my boyhood and best manhood. Here I learned to know you and love you. It is sad to miss those who are gone and a gladness to see those whom they loved."

"The South used to rule this nation. She furnished the great generals and statesmen for generation after generation during two-thirds of the life of the Republic. Nothing has ever been gained by force, and the great war which caused our presence here to-day failed to turn the purpose of destiny, for to-day Woodrow Wilson, a Southern man, is President of the United States, and the South has been refined and made strong in passing through the fires of adversity. The able leaders of the nation are again drawn from the South."

"And while we love and honor the flag of the Southern Confederacy we should also love the stars and stripes of our reunited country. I learned to honor and love my country's flag in 1898, when Joe Wheeler led the young men, sons of Confederate and Federal veterans, in the battles around Santiago. Joe Wheeler died and was buried a Major General in the Army of the United States, at historic Arlington Cemetery."

Miss Minnie Wyche of Benton sang a medley of Southern airs concluding with the inspiring words and air of "Dixie." The audience caught the spirit of the incomparable home-song of the South and cheered both the song and the young lady who threw so much heart into the singing of it. She received congratulations as well as cheers.

The president thanked the audience, which was dismissed by Rev. Mr. Woodbridge.

Rev. J. M. Brown authorizes the announcement that he expects to preach Sunday at the Methodist Church in this place, at eleven a.m. and 8:30 o'clock p.m.

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Houghton.
Mr. Joe Sloane is here on a visit with relatives.

Mr. Charles Murff and family spent Saturday in Shreveport.

Mr. John Chandler and family of Bossier were week-end visitors.

Mr. J. G. McDade is a business visitor to New Orleans this week.

Miss Eunice Hathcox of Oak Ridge is a pleasant guest of Miss Hazel Tucker.

Mrs. Frankie Ward, of Winnfield, is a pleasant guest of relatives residing here.

Sunday visitors were Messrs. Tom Bledsoe, Tom Moore, Joe Elston, Elston Allen and Raines and Colquit Bledsoe.

Friends of Misses Anna Hays and Lucile McAnn, students at the State Normal, are glad to hear from them in their midst again.

Miss Kate Dawson left for Haynesville, where she will spend the summer, later returning to resume her duties here as music teacher.

Mr. Robert Johnson has returned from Hastings, Neb., where he visited his daughter Esther, who is attending school in that place.

Misses Sunshine McMath, Leslie Wilson, Ida Harris, Marjorie Tucker, Minnie Cahill, Annie T. Harris and Florence Johnson have returned home for their vacation.

Mrs. C. K. McClanahan and Mrs. E. R. Connell and children left Monday for Alexandria to be present at the marriage of Miss Carrie Barnacastle and Mr. Paul Hammet.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Lawrence, Misses Cliff Connell, Lena May Hickman and Anna Hays attended the marriage of Miss Dola Sloane and Roy Hays in Gibsland last Wednesday evening.

Misses Cahill and Sandige entertained Saturday evening in honor of the 1915 and 1916 graduates. For amusement the guests enjoyed a game of progressive hearts and a floral contest. The prize in the game of hearts, a bottle of toilet water, was awarded to Miss Annie T. Harris, and those in the latter contest to Miss Hazel Tucker and Mr. G. W. Smith—a dainty cut glass vase filled with sweet peas and a pair of silk hose, respectively. Delicious refreshments, consisting of two courses, were served during the latter part of the evening.

Plain Dealing.

Tuesday, June 6.—Black berries are fast ripening and there will be an immense crop.

A good rain fell here Sunday and again yesterday, and as a result crop prospects are fast improving.

Mr. H. L. Boggs and Mr. J. F. Nuckolls have each had considerable improvements made to their residences.

From present indications there will be a large acreage planted to sweet potatoes in this section of the parish.

Mr. G. W. Swindle has about completed the thorough renovation of Mr. A. W. Heifner's residence, making a neat and comfortable building out of it.

Mr. S. P. Johnston, who has been away for some months, at Hammond and Port Allen, having in charge the teams of Mr. S. J. Caldwell, has returned home.

Mr. W. L. Scott has begun to move back Mr. F. R. Garrett's frame store building, which Mr. E. F. Kirtley will occupy for the present, and until the completion of his brick store building, to be erected at once on the adjoining lot.

The new brick addition and enlargement of the W. P. Allen oil drug store, now owned by Dr. G. C. Lyon, is about ready for occupancy. A skylight and a large plate glass front greatly add to the appearance of the building. A concrete sidewalk has been completed in its front.

Senator W. J. Johnston visited his family here from Saturday until yesterday afternoon, leaving at that time for Baton Rouge. He believes firmly that at this session of the Legislature there will be reform legislation passed that will be greatly in the interest of the people.

Jimmie Wyche, who it will be remembered graduated from Plain Dealing High School during 1915, and who is now attending Tulane University, returned home Sunday evening. His friends are proud of the fact that he stands at the head of his class in mathematics.

Mr. John F. Barnett, who resided about seven miles east of Plain Dealing, died very suddenly yesterday morning, even before medical aid could reach him. He was a son of the late Wiley Barnett, and was well and favorably known in his community. He leaves a devoted wife and one daughter, Mrs. Arthur Demoss.

Residents of Plain Dealing are reminded that cutting of weeds and general clean-up is again seasonable. This necessary work has not yet followed this season and many weeds will soon begin to seed, thus making the pest harder to fight during coming seasons. All of you no doubt call to mind the beneficial results of last year's clean-up campaign, so for this season only a hint should be necessary. And again, think of how much will be added to the attractiveness of our town—to say nothing about the sanitary good to follow such work. Let's clean up! Let's get at it now!

Mrs. J. D. Herndon has returned from an extended and enjoyable visit with relatives residing in Atlanta, Ga., Villa Raccia and other points. While she greatly enjoyed her visit she returned with the firm belief that Louisiana is the dearest old spot yet.

Miss Jordan and Miss Thompson, for four years past teachers in Plain Dealing High School, left the latter part of last week for their homes in New Orleans and Kentucky, respectively. Their departure was not without regret among the citizens of Plain Dealing generally, for, though they were again offered positions in the school, they have thought well not to return here. Miss Jordan has accepted a position to teach in Mer Rouge and Miss Thompson will teach next term nearer home, perhaps in her home state. They are competent and successful in their calling and deserve to succeed wherever they should locate.

THURSDAY.

Mrs. W. F. Bell was called to Gulfport, Miss., last week by the death of a sister, Mrs. Hughes. She remained there until after the funeral and returned home the first of this week bringing one of the children of her deceased sister. He is a manly little boy, some eight years of age, who has the given name of Archibald. He will perhaps make his home here with his aunt.

Oil Development News.

The test well one mile west of Benton is being drilled deeper with the hope of good results, and Mr. George Reed, one of the drillers, says that while there appears nothing very good in the way of immediate prospects he sees nothing discouraging. The well was 2728 feet deep yesterday afternoon and the drill was still busy.

An \$8,000,000 corporation has been practically formed by the Potter Palmer interests and there remains no doubt that South Bossier gas will be piped to Houston, Port Arthur and other Texas cities. The Rockefeller interests at Sulphur will also have a 16-inch line and will use about 15,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day from the South Bossier field. The Atlas Oil Company alone has 200,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day capacity from wells already completed and capped. The companies interested will no longer wait for the development of oil in the South Bossier field but will make arrangements to market the vast gas resources already developed, as this is now one of the greatest gas fields in the world.

One of the largest gas wells in North Louisiana was brought in recently in the Elm Grove district on the S. S. Hunter lease. This lease was on the point of expiring. The Atlas Oil Company rushed a rig to the spot in the night and at a depth of 800 feet brought in a gusher of 45,000,000 cubic feet capacity.

Test well locations in South Bossier have been so numerous of late it has been hard to keep track of them, but at an early date the reporters for the Banner expect to visit the field, after which a more comprehensive report will appear in print in these columns.

A preliminary survey has been started this week from the Elm Grove district for the pipe line to Houston via Sulphur, and Beaumont, Texas.

The Thinning Ranks of Gray.

It is estimated that during the War Between the States fully 800 of Bossier's sturdy and patriotic citizens volunteered for service in the Confederate Army. The reader will learn from a statement made elsewhere on this page that to-day there are only forty-five known survivors of that worthy struggle residing in Bossier Parish. Ah, that thinning rank of gray! It has been more than fifty-one years since the close of the war and since that time many of our heroic and unsung warriors bold of that day have answered "the last roll call." At the patriotic celebration held in this place last Saturday, though the invitation was urged, only a handful of the boys of the 60's were present. They were:

Mr. J. S. Allison of near Vanceville. Capt. J. H. Nattin of Collinsburg. Mr. H. L. Wheeler of Plain Dealing. Messrs. E. M. Laughlin and L. D. Prince of Shreveport.

Mr. C. B. Norman of Houghton. Messrs. R. W. Young and Willis Bundy of Linton.

May men of their type ever survive among us, "May their tribe increase," and may Fate deal gently with all of the forty-five—tried and true.

Real Estate Values Raised.

A regular meeting of the Police Jury was held here Monday, the body meeting (on the date as fixed by law) to review the 1916 tax roll. Only four members were present, Messrs. J. C. Logan and J. G. McDade being in New Orleans to be present at the opening of the bids for the construction of the proposed hard-surface roads for Road District No. 2. The four members present were: Messrs. J. T. McDade, N. W. Stewart, J. T. Manry and L. M. Burks. Mr. Manry is the new representative for Ward Three, and Mr. Burks the new member from Ward Five. Their commissions having been received, they were sworn in by Clerk of Court Jas. M. Henderson and took active part in the meeting.

A matter in which the general public will feel a keen interest is that the jury raised the real estate assessments of the entire parish 25 per cent. It is thought the primary object in taking this step is to greatly reduce the indebtedness of the general fund of the parish.

The returns of the recent tax election held in Road District No. 3 were promulgated, after which the jury adjourned.

The Sunday School Workers.

A program of the Ward Two Sunday School Convention, to be held in this place to-morrow, and in which a number of the prominent parish workers in this cause and one of the State officers will take part, has been furnished the Banner. The following data is gleaned therefrom:

During the day three sessions will be held. The morning session, over which Mr. E. W. Doran will preside, will begin at ten o'clock. The afternoon session will convene at three o'clock and will be presided over by Mr. M. S. Bolinger of Plain Dealing. Miss Grace Larkin will preside over the evening session, which will be called to order at 8:15 o'clock. The program follows:

MORNING SESSION.
Devotional.
Department Superintendents' Reports.
Report of Officers: President, Vice-president and Secretary-Treasurer.
Roll Call of All Schools in the Ward and Enrollment of Delegates.
Appointment of Committees—On Nominations; Time and Place.

AFTERNOON SESSION.
Devotional—Mrs. W. H. Scanland.
"How Every Teacher May Become a Trained Teacher"—Mr. E. W. Doran.
"Attaining the Ward Standards"—Miss Winnie Brownlee.
Discussion, "Making Our Ward an Advanced Banner Ward"—To be led by Miss Grace Larkin.

"Graded Lessons"—Miss Susie Juden.
EVENING SESSION.
Devotional—Rev. James Evans.
"Stories and Story Telling"—Mrs. E. W. Doran.
Vocal Solo—Miss Minnie Wyche.
Address—Miss Susie Juden.
Report of Committees.

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"Puppy."

No one knew his name, so the little boy called him "Puppy." He was a little, wiry, long-haired dog and not young. The little boy's name is George Curtis, jr., for his front name and the last part is Lyon. He and the dog adopted each other, and how they came to be friends is a story.

About two years ago a circus came to the town of Bolinger, where the boy's people lived. A Shetland pony belonging to the show died and was dragged to the woods by the show people. The dog evidently also belonged to the circus and when it moved on he remained behind to look after the pony, for it seems they had been friends. When the dogs of the neighborhood gathered, as is the way of neighborhood dogs, to feast on the carion, there was no feast; for the show dog was on guard. He carried sticks and trash and did what he could to cover the carcass. He even dug a great hole under the head and shoulder but as his strength failed he abandoned the undertaking of digging a grave. He ate nothing and seems to have never left the dead pony during ten days.

People came and went and he growled fiercely at those who came too near. The facts were reported to Dr. G. C. Lyon who said that he wanted that kind of a dog. The doctor is a man of action and being just that he went about to get his dog. The nearly starved creature did not at first enter into his views and repelled his advances with all the energy that was left in him, but an old sack was thrown over his head and he was taken to the doctor's home and tied. The kind doctor offered food but the friend of the dead pony declined to eat and lay down to die—but only slept.

Next morning George Curtis, jr., the very little boy with a rather great name, came to look at the dog. He said "Puppy!" and the skeleton of a Skye terrier wagged its tail very faintly and at the hands of the child received food and drank some water. He then adopted the little boy and never forsook him until killed by a train at Plain Dealing some few weeks ago. The dog had no other friends and had no other intimate associates.

This is a plain tail of a plain dog. If he did tricks in the circus and had an act with the pony that romance is unknown to the historian, but he was a dog of some character.

Pine Sapling Fence Posts.

The reporter is told that in some sections of this state where post oak and other timbers suitable for fence posts have become scarce that pine saplings are being successfully used for this purpose, and that the practice has prevailed for some years. The necessity for timber other than oak for posts is being felt in Bossier Parish, and if the pine sapling can be used as a substitute we will still have much post timber left and its abundance and rapid growth would insure a supply for some years to come.

The pine sapling would provide a cheap post but its lasting properties remain to be proved. If felled and cut into post lengths and at once planted in the ground they would, of course, soon rot both in and above the ground. The method of converting the sapling into posts is said to be after this fashion: With a hoe or some other sharp instrument the sapling is skinned up as high as desired, except that a narrow strip of the bark, say one inch, or more, is left on to keep it living. The skinning causes the resin to stand out freely on the body of the sapling and that is what later preserves the post. The impression of the writer is that the skinning should be done during May or June and the sapling left standing to accumulate resin until fall.

Everybody knows that an old fat pine log makes good posts, so why wouldn't the resin in the sapling as effectually preserve it? Also, why couldn't the taller saplings be converted into two or more posts?

Some one who has had experience in the use of such material for posts will please write something on the subject for publication in the Banner.

Death of Mrs. Laura A. Doles.

Mrs. Laura A. Doles, aged about sixty-five years, died at her home, the Scarborough, old place near Rocky Mount, Sunday night at twelve o'clock and was buried in the Doles family cemetery at five o'clock Monday afternoon. She was, prior to her marriage, Miss Laura Scarborough. She was a sister of Mr. W. A. Scarborough and of Miss Ella Scarborough, both of whom live in the Caney Creek School neighborhood. Deceased had been an invalid for two years or more immediately previous to her death.

Miss Rowena Cavett of Shreveport is a guest of Miss Mattie Gray Logan.

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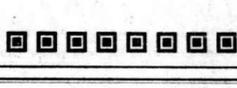
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Mrs. Stinson as Hostess.

The Benton Self-Culture Club met Wednesday afternoon, May 17th, at the pleasant home of Mrs. R. T. Stinson. The attendance was unusually large, and there were several invited guests, among whom were Messdames "Ralph Burton, Paul Sanderson, J. A. Abney, and Miss Alice Dismukes.

Miss Harriet Currie read a very interesting paper on "Domestic Science in the High School."

Mrs. W. H. Scanland followed with a splendid paper on "Home Sanitation."

Miss Madeline Smith read in a very pleasing manner an instructive paper on "Food Values."

After a general discussion of these subjects, Mr. Doran led in a very interesting drill in Parliamentary Law.

A lovely ice course was served, after which the club adjourned to meet June 7th with Miss Madeline Smith as hostess. M. C. W., Secretary.

Mrs. R. F. Oglesby Dead.

Mrs. R. F. Oglesby of Rocky Mount died Saturday afternoon about five o'clock and was buried the following day in Rocky Mount Cemetery. She was about forty years of age. She leaves a husband and seven children, the youngest being only two days old at the time of her death.

Mrs. Oglesby's maiden name was Miss Georgia Prestige.

Notice to Mortgage Creditors.

Office of State Tax Collector, Benton, Louisiana, May 1, 1916.

IN conformity with Section 63 of Act 85 of the Acts of 1888, and subsequent laws of Louisiana, notice is hereby given that all persons holding mortgages upon real estate located in the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana, upon which taxes for the year 1915 have not been paid, that I will begin the sale of same at the front door of the Court House, in the town of Benton, La., on Saturday, June 10, 1916, and that a number of pieces of property so delinquent are now being advertised in the Bossier Banner, in conformity with the law, preparatory to such. The attention of mortgage creditors is especially called to these advertisements of tax sales, and they are warned to take such steps prior to the sales as may be necessary to protect their rights. J. F. EDWARDS, Sheriff and ex-officio Tax Collector, Bossier Parish, Louisiana.

Tax Ordinance

As Adopted by the North Bossier Levee Board for the Year 1916.

An ordinance levying a 10-mill tax on all property in the North Bossier Levee District subject to taxation for levee and drainage purposes for the year 1916.

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the North Bossier Levee District, in regular session convened, That a district levee tax of 10 mills on the dollar of its assessed valuation be and the same is hereby levied on all property situated in the North Bossier Levee District for the year 1916.

JOHN H. NATTIN,
President North Bossier Levee Board.
June 8, 1916. 25-